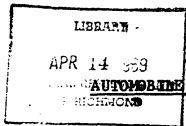




FEDERAL RESERVE

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March 14, 1969

AUTOMOBILE INSTALMENT CREDIT DEVELOPMENTS - JANUARY 1969

NEW CARS

All lenders	Bank direct loans	Bank purchased paper	Sales finance cos.	Other lenders
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Seasonally Adjusted

Extensions (\$ millions):

January 1969	1,727	350	642	523	212
December 1968	1,610	338	593	481	198
January 1968	1,513	315	585	446	167

Average note (Dollars):

January 1969	3,095	2,957	3,066	3,313	2,912
December 1968	3,073	2,990	3,017	3,276	2,977
January 1968	2,961	2,811	2,953	3,144	2,828

Cars financed (000):

January 1969	558	118	209	158	73
December 1968	524	113	197	147	67
January 1968	511	112	198	142	59

Not Seasonally Adjusted

Extensions (\$ millions):

January 1969	1,401	304	512	438	147
December 1968	1,545	324	540	489	192
January 1968	1,231	274	467	374	116

Average note (Dollars):

January 1969	3,155	3,010	3,103	3,369	3,063
December 1968	3,147	3,057	3,068	3,349	3,048
January 1968	3,017	2,861	2,988	3,197	2,974

Cars financed (000):

January 1969	444	101	165	130	48
December 1968	491	106	176	146	63
January 1968	408	96	156	117	39

AUTOMOBILE INSTALMENT CREDIT DEVELOPMENTS-JANUARY 1969

USED CARS

All lenders	Bank direct loans	Bank purchased paper	Sales finance cos.	Other lenders
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Seasonally Adjusted

Extensions (\$ millions):

January 1969	952	226	339	213	174
December 1968	945	221	338	212	174
January 1968	911	227	330	197	157

Average note (Dollars):

January 1969	1,616	1,639	1,649	1,658	1,485
December 1968	1,599	1,573	1,643	1,646	1,496
January 1968	1,552	1,532	1,607	1,592	1,422

Cars financed (000):

January 1969	589	138	206	128	117
December 1968	591	140	206	129	116
January 1968	587	148	205	124	110

Not Seasonally Adjusted

Extensions (\$ millions):

January 1969	882	222	318	203	139
December 1968	859	203	298	203	155
January 1968	846	223	310	187	126

Average note (Dollars):

January 1969	1,655	1,644	1,691	1,706	1,527
December 1968	1,627	1,586	1,703	1,692	1,476
January 1968	1,587	1,536	1,648	1,640	1,465

Cars financed (000):

January 1969	533	135	188	119	91
December 1968	528	128	175	120	105
January 1968	533	145	188	114	86