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DECONTROLLED AFTER SIX MONTHS AUTOMOBILE INSTALMENT LOANS AT COMMERCIAL BANKS

MATURITIES -- OCTOBER 1964 AND SEPTEMBER 1964

(Percentage distribution of contracts)

Maturities	Tot	al	Purch		Direct loans		
	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	
New cars		,			,		
24 months or less 25-30 months 31-36 months Over 36 months	20.5 5.2 73.7 0.6	19.2 4.7 75.5 0.6	16.6 4.0 78.7 0.7	14.8 3.9 80.6 0.7	31.1 8.2 60.4 0.3	30. 3 6. 7 62. 7 0. 3	
Total	130.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Used cars 1/							
12 months or less 13-18 months 19-24 months Over 24 months	13.9 12.2 35.1 38.8	14.8 12.8 36.1 36.3	11.2 10.8 33.0 45.0	11.6 11.2 34.7 42.5	19.4 14.9 39.3 26.4	21.2 16.2 38.9 23.7	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	

1/ Figures are predominately for late model used cars but include data from a few banks for all used cars.

NOTE: Distributions are based on tabulations of data from 117 banks for October and September and are not intended to be estimates for all commercial In October, reports covered about 44,000 contracts on new cars, 32,000 purchased and 12,000 direct, and 29,000 contracts on used cars, 19,000 purchased and 10,000 direct. Data are not comparable with previous releases since composition of the group of banks changes from month to month.

For distribution according to maturities and contract balances as a percentage of dealer cost see following pages.

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Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis

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DEALER COST RATIOS AND MATURITIES ON AUTOMOBILE INSTALMENT LOANS

OCTOBER 1964 AND SEPTEMBER 1964

NEW CARS

(Percentage distribution of contracts)

Contract balance	l	Maturities									
as percentage of	24 1	24 months		25-30		31-36		Over 36		Total	
dealer cost 1/	OF	or less		months		months		months			
	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	
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30% or less	10.0	9.1	2.0		15.1				27.1	26.4	
81% to 90%	2.4	2.0	0.6		16.0			*	19.1		
91% to 100%	2.7	2.5	0.9		27.2			0.1	31.1		
101% to 110%	0.9	0.7	0.3		13.5		*	*	14.8		
Over 110%	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.2	7.3	7.5	0.1	_*	7.9	8.1	
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Total	16.5	14.7	3.9	3.7	79.1	81.3	0.5	ა. 3	100.0	100.0	
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	DIRECT LOANS										
30% or less	13.6	18.2	3.2		19.3	20.6	0.1	0.1	41.3		
81% to 90%	4.8	4.0	1.4			11.7	*	*	16.0	17.6	
91% to 100%	5.8	5.0	3.1		19.9	20.4	0.2	0.1	29.0	27.4	
101% to 110%	1.4	1.1	0.4			6.7	*	0.1	3.6	8.4	
Over 110%	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.2	4.2	4.0	*	*	5.1	4.9	
	l										
Total	31.1	29.7	3.4	6.8	60.1	63.3	0.4	0.3	100.0	100.0	
	1										
	TOTAL										
80% or less	11.7	11.0	2.2	1 0	16.0	16.7	0.1	0.1	29.9	29.7	
81% to 90%	2.9	2.6	0.3		14.3	15.1	0.1	*	18.5	18.4	
91% to 100%	3.3	3.1	1.3		25. 6	27.0	0.2	0.1	30. 7	31.2	
101% to 110%	1.3	0.3	0.3			12.0	*	*	13.6	13.3	
Over 110%					12.1		- 1	*			
. Over 110%	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.2	6.7	6.7	0.1	<u>*</u>	7.4	7.4	
Total	19.3	17.9	4.3		75.4	77.5	0.5	0.3	100.0	100.0	
	17.3	11.9	4.0	4.4	13.4	′′′•3	. 0.3	0.3	100.0	100.0	
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^{1/} Contract balance does not include finance and insurance charges.

** Less than one-tenth of one per cent.

NOTE: Distributions are based on tabulations of data from 62 banks for October and September and are not intended to be estimates for all commercial banks. In October reports covered about 21,000 contracts on new cars, 17,000 purchased and 4,000 direct. Data are not comparable with previous releases since composition of the group of banks changes from month to month.

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DEALER COST RATIOS AND MATURITIES ON AUTOMOBILE INSTALMENT LOANS (continued)

OCTOBER 1964 AND SEPTEMBER 1964

USED CARS

(Percentage distribution of contracts)

A	Maturities									
Contract balance as percentage of	12 months		13-18		19-24		Over 24		Total	
wholesale value 1/2/	or less		months		months		months			
wholesale value 1/2/	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept	Oct. Sept.	
	PURCHASED PAPER									
80 % or less	4.8	4.3	2.6	2.3		5.9	6.5	5.5	20.2 18.0	
81% or 90%	1.0	1.0	1.7	1.5		5.1	7.0	6.2	14.8 13.8	
91% to 100%	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.2		7.9	10.6	10.2		
101% to 110%	1.1	1.1	1.4	1.2		5.5	7.7	6.9		
Over 110%	2.1	2.5	2.6	3.3	10.5	11.7	13.0	13.7	28.2 31.2	
Total	10.8	10.8	10.1	10.5	34. 3	36.0	44.8	42.6	100.0 100.0	
	DIRECT LOANS									
80% or less 81% to 90% 91% to 100% 101% to 110% Over 110%	11.3 2.0 4.1 1.7 1.7	11.7 2.0 4.4 2.1 2.4	6.8 2.1 4.5 1.7 2.2	2.2 4.0	12.3 7.3 11.2 4.2 5.9	14.5 6.4 10.1 3.7 5.8	5.3 3.2 6.3 2.9 3.5	5.8 2.4 5.7 2.6 3.5	14.6 13.0 26.1 24.3	
Total	20.8	22.6	17.2	16.8	40.9	40.4	21.1	20.1	100.0 100.0	
	TOTAL									
80% or less 81% to 90% 91% to 100% 101% to 110% Over 110%	6.7 1.3 2.4 1.3 2.0	6.4 1.3 2.6 1.4 2.5	3.8 1.8 2.6 1.5 2.5	3.5 1.7 2.7 1.4 3.1	5.8 8.6 4.7 9.1	8.3 5.5 8.5 5.0 10.0	6.2 5.8 9.3 6.2 10.1	5.6 5.1 9.0 5.7 10.7	24. 7 23. 8 14.9 13. 6 23.0 22. 8 13. 7 13. 4 23. 8 26. 3	
Total	13.7	14.2	14.4	12. 3	30. 2	31.2	31.7	30.1	100.0 100.0	

^{1/} Contract balance does not include finance and insurance charges. 2/ Wholesale value represents "average wholesale," "as is," or "buying value" as indicated by used car guides.

NOTE: Distributions are based on tabulation of data from 60 banks for October and September and are not intended to be estimates for all commercial bank October reports covered about 14,000 contracts on used cars, 10,000 purchased and 4,000 direct. Data are not comparable with previous releases since composition of the group of banks changes from month to month.

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