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PECOMTROLIED AFTER SIX MONTHS DIRECT AUTO LOANS BY COMMERCIAL BANKS

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| May <br> 1966 | Apri1 <br> 1966 | Three months <br> ending May* |  |
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|  | 1966 |  | 1965 |

NEW CAR CONTRACTS

Per cent of contracts written for:
24 months or less
25-30 months
31-36 months
Over 36 months

| 28.5 | 28.2 | 28.7 | 30.0 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 6.2 | 6.4 | 6.3 | 7.0 |
| 65.1 | 65.2 | 64.8 | 62.7 |
| 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.3 |

Contracts written for 36 months:
Median loan/value ratio
84.2
84.3
$84.6 \quad 89.8$

USED CAR CONTRACTS
Per cent of contracts written for:
12 months or less
13-18 months
19-24 months
Over 24 months

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| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 17.8 | 18.0 | 18.0 | 18.6 |
| 12.5 | 13.1 | 12.7 | 14.0 |
| 36.4 | 36.4 | 36.6 | 37.5 |
| 33.3 | 32.5 | 32.7 | 29.9 |

All used car contracts:
$\begin{array}{lllll}\text { Median loan/value ratio } & 87.3 & 88.2 & 87.6 & 88.1\end{array}$
*Unweighted arithmetic mean of the three monthly ratios.
L.4.2 DEALER AUTO LOANS BY COMMERCIAL BANKS (PURCHASED PAPER)

|  |  | Three months |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| May | April | ending May* |  |

## NEW CAR CONTRACTS

Per cent of contracts written for:

24 months or less
14.3
4.6
80.1
1.0

31-36 months
Over 36 months
Contracts written for 36 months:
Median loan/value ratio
93.5

Per cent of contracts written for:
12 months or less
8.

13-18 months
19-24 months Over 24 months
93.4
93.5
92.9

USED CAR CONTRACTS

| 15.2 | 15.0 | 16.0 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 4.1 | 4.3 | 4.0 |
| 79.9 | 79.8 | 79.4 |
| 0.8 | 0.9 | 0.6 |

All used car contracts:
$\begin{array}{lllll}\text { Median loan/value ratio } & 100.3 & 99.5 & 100.0 & 97.4\end{array}$
*Unweighted arithmetic mean of the three monthly ratios.

DEALER COST RATIOS AND MATURITIES ON AUTOMOBILE INSTALMENT LOANS

MAY 1966 AND APRIL 1966
NEW CARS
(Percentage distribution of contracts)

| Contract balance as percentage of dealer cost 1/ | Maturities |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 24 months or less |  | $\begin{array}{r} 25-30 \\ \text { months } \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 31-36 \\ \text { months } \end{array}$ |  | Over 36 months |  | Total |  |
|  | May | Apr. | May | Apr. | May | Apr. | May | Apr . | May | Apr. |
|  | PURCHASED PAPER |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 80\% or less | 7.9 | 8.5 | 1.7 | 1.4 | 15.7 | 15.8 | 0.1 | * | 25.3 | 25.7 |
| 81\% to 90\% | 2.0 | 1.8 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 15.2 | 15.2 | * | * | 18.1 | 17.9 |
| 91\% to 100\% | 2.6 | 2.8 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 26.3 | 26.6 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 31.0 | 31.4 |
| 101\% to 110\% | 1.3 | 1.3 | 0.9 | 0.6 | 14.6 | 14.9 | * | * | 16.8 | 16.8 |
| Over 110\% | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 8.2 | 7.6 | * | * | 8.8 | 8.2 |
| Total | 14.1 | 14.9 | 5.4 | 4.6 | 80.1 | 80.0 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
|  | DIRECT LOANS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 80\% or less | 17.2 | 17.3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 28.2 | 26.4 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 48.9 | 47.1 |
| 81\% to 90\% | 3.4 | 3.8 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 9.8 | 10.6 | * | 0.1 | 14.4 | 15.7 |
| 91\% to $100 \%$ | 5.4 | 5.0 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 16.4 | 17.4 | * | 0.1 | 23.9 | 24.5 |
| 101\% to 110\% | 1.4 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 6.8 | 7.2 | * | * | 8.8 | 8.9 |
| Over 110\% | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 3.4 | 3.2 | * | * | 4.1 | 3.8 |
| Total | 27.9 | 27.9 | 7.3 | 7.0 | 64.5 | 64.8 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  | TOTAL |  |  |  |  |  |
| 80\% or less | 10.2 | 10.7 | 2.1 | 1.8 | 18.9 | 18.4 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 31.3 | 30.9 |
| 81\% to 90\% | 2.3 | 2.3 | 1.0 | 0.9 | 13.8 | 14.1 | * | * | 17.2 | 17.3 |
| 91\% to 100\% | 3.3 | 3.3 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 23.8 | 24.4 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 29.2 | 29.7 |
| 101\% to 110\% | 1.3 | 1.3 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 12.7 | 13.0 | * | * | 14.7 | 14.9 |
| Over 110\% | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 7.0 | 6.5 | * | * | 7.6 | 7.1 |
| Total | 17.6 | 18.1 | 5.9 | 5.2 | 76.1 | 76.3 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

$\frac{1}{\star}$ Contract balance excludes finance and insurance charges.
NOTE: Distributions for May and April are derived from reports of 115 banks, 71 of which reported dealer cost ratios as well as maturities. The May maturity distribution for new cars shown on pages 1 and 2 is based on 44,000 contracts, 30,000 purchased and 14,000 direct. The cross-classification on this page is based on 23,000 contracts, 17,000 purchased and 6,000 direct. The data are not intended to be estimates for all commercial banks and are not comparable with DigitizedpfeviopsAfrieases since composition of the group of bankschanges from month to fittp://framonth

Details may not add to totals because of rounding.

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

MAY 1966 AND APRIL 1966
USED CARS
(Percentage distribution of contracts)

| Contract balance as percentage of wholesale value $\underline{1 / 2 /}$ | Maturities |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \text { months } \\ & \text { or less } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 13-18 \\ \text { months } \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 19-24 \\ \text { months } \end{array}$ |  | Over 24 months |  | Total |  |
|  | May | Apr. | May | Apr. | May | Apr | May | Apr. | May | Apr. |

$80 \%$ or less
$81 \%$ to $90 \%$
$91 \%$ to $100 \%$
101\% to 110\%
Over 110\%
Total
$80 \%$ or less
81\% to $90 \%$
$91 \%$ to $100 \%$
$101 \%$ to $110 \%$
Over 110\%
Total
$80 \%$ or 1ess
81\% to $90 \%$
91\% to $100 \%$
101\% to 110\%
Over 110\%
Total
1/Contract balance excludes finance and insurance charges.
$\underline{\underline{2}}$ /Wholesale value represents "average wholesale," "as is," or "buying value" as indicated by used car guides.

NOTE: Distributions for May and April are derived from reports of 115 banks, 68 of which reported dealer cost ratios as well as maturities. The May maturity distribution for used cars shown on pages 1 and 2 is based on 33,000 contracts, 23,000 purchased and 10,000 direct. The cross-classification on this page is based on 18,000 contracts, 13,000 purchased and 5,000 direct. The data are not intended to be estimates for all commercial banks and are not comparable with previous releases since composition of the group of banks changes from month

