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January 13, 1967.

DIRECT AUTO LOANS, BY COMMERCIAL BANKS

November October 1966 1966	Three months ending November* 1966 1965
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NEW CAR CONTRACTS

Per	cent	οf	contracts	written	for:
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24 months or less	32.4	30.3	29.9	28.5	
25-30 months	6.6	6.9	6.8	6.6	
31-36 months	60.9	62.6	63.1	64.7	
Over 36 months	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Contracts written for 36 months:					

Median loan/value ratio	88.2	89.6	86.5	89.7

USED CAR CONTRACTS

Per cent of contracts written for:

19.7 14.4	18.7 13.6	18.2 13.6
	13.0	13.0
	27.0	27 0
38.4	37.2	37.8
27.5	30.5	30.4
	27.5	27.5 30.5

Over 24 months	32.8	27.5	30.5	30.4
All used car contracts:				
Median loan/value ratio	90.4	91.2	88.8	90.6

^{*}Unweighted arithmetic mean of the three monthly ratios.

DEALER AUTO LOANS BY COMMERCIAL BANKS (PURCHASED PAPER) L.4.2

November 1966	October 1966	Three months ending November*		
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NEW CAR CONTRACTS

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Per	cent	οt	contracts	written	tor:

24 months or less	18.1	15.4	15.4	15.8
25-30 months	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.9
31-36 months	77.2	80.1	80.0	79.6
Over 36 months	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.7

Contracts written for 36 months:					
Median loan/value ratio	92.4	92.8	93.1	93.4	

USED CAR CONTRACTS

Per cent of contracts written for:

12 months or less	9.3	10.0	9.8	9.9	
13-18 months	9.3	9.6	9.6	9.7	
19-24 months	29.8	29.4	30.0	31.1	
Over 24 months	51.6	51.0	50.6	49.3	
All used car contracts:					
Median loan/value ratio	96.0	97.4	97.8	97.4	

^{*}Unweighted arithmetic mean of the three monthly ratios.

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DEALER COST RATIOS AND MATURITIES ON AUTOMOBILE INSTALMENT LOANS

NOVEMBER 1966 AND OCTOBER 1966

NEW CARS
(Percentage distribution of contracts)

Contract balance					Matur	rities					
as percentage of	24 mo			-30		-36		r 36			
dealer cost 1/	or 1		mon			ths	mon			Total	
	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	
				PUR	CHASEI	PAPER					
80% or less	10.0	1 8.4	1.3	1.3	17.1	16.2	*	0.2	28.5	26.1	
81% to 90%	2.3	2.1	0.5	0.6	16.2	17.2	*	*	19.0	19.9	
91% to 100%	3.7	2.5	1.3	1.1	24.4	25.8	0.1	0.4	29.4	29.9	
101% to 110%	1.4	1.2	0.3	0.4	13.1	14.1	*	*	14.8	15.7	
Over 110%	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.2	7.6	7.8	*	*	8.3	8.4	
Total	17.8	14.5	3.6	3.6	78.3	81.1	0.2	0.7	100.0	100.0	
				D	IRECT	LOANS		•	. •		
80% or less	18.5	16.1	1 2.8	2.7	20.6	19.0	*	0.1	41.9	37.8	
81% to 90%	6.4	5.8	1.4	1.4	10.9	12.2	*	*	18.7	19.4	
91% to 100%	7.1	6.9	2.1	2.9	17.6	18.5	0.1	0.1	26.8	28.3	
101% to 110%	1.6	1.9	0.5	0.4	5.6	8.6	*	*	7,6	10.8	
Over 110%	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.2	4.3	3.2	*	*	5.0	3.7	
Total	34.0	31.0	7.0	7.5	58.9	61.4	0.1	0.1	100.0	100.0	
					TOTAL	•					
80% or less	11.8	9.8	1.6	1.6	17.8	16.8	*	0.2	31.2	28.4	
81% to 90%	3.2	2.8	0.7	0.7	15.1	16.1	*	*	19.0	19.7	
91% to 100%	4.4	3.4	1.4	1.5	23.0	24.4	0.1	0.4	28.9	29.6	
101% to 110%	1.4	1.3	0.3	0.4	11.6	13.0	*	*	13.4	14.8	
Over 110%	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.2	6.9	6.9	*	_*_	7.5	7.5	
Total	21.2	17.7	4.2	4.3	74.3	77.3	0.2	0.6	100.0	100.0	

^{1/} Contract balance excludes finance and insurance charges.

NOTE: Distributions for November and October are derived from reports of 100 banks, 60 of which reported dealer cost ratios as well as maturities. The October maturity distribution for new cars shown on pages 1 and 2 is based on 36,000 contracts, 26,000 purchased and 10,000 direct. The cross-classification on this page is based on 18,000 contracts, 14,000 purchased and 4,000 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 to month.

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^{*} Less than one-tenth of one per cent.

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

NOVEMBER 1966 AND OCTOBER 1966

USED CARS

(Percentage distribution of contracts)

Contract balance		Maturities									
as percentage of		12 months		13-18		19-24		Over 24			
wholesale value 1/2/		or less		months		months		months		Total	
	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Oct.	
		PURCHASED PAPER									
80% or less	2.9	3.1	2.5	1 2.0	4.7	4.4	6.3	5.8	16.4	15.3	
81% to 90%	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.5	4.5	4.4	12.2	11.0	19.7	18.3	
91% to 100%	1.7	1.7	1.9	2.0		7.6	11.7	11.0	23.1	22.2	
101% to 110%	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.1		4.0		10.1	13.3	16.2	
Over 110%	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.6	7.5	8.0	<u>15.6</u>	<u>15.1</u>	27.5	28.0	
Total	8.8	9.3	9.4	9.3	27.8	28.4	53.9	53.0	100.0	100.0	
		DIRECT LOANS									
80% or less	8.6	8.9	5.0	4.6	12.2	10.7	10.1	8.4	35.9	32.6	
81% to 90%	1.8	2.0	2.0	2.3		6.3	4.4	3.7	12.9	14.2	
91% to 100%	5.5	4.9	4.1		10.8	10.9	9.4	7.5	29.8	27.9	
101% to 110%	1.7	0.9	0.7	1.4		3.2	3.1	7.2	8.8	12.7	
Over 110%	1.6	1.2	1.8	1.8	4.6	4.5	4.6	5.0	12.6	12.6	
Total	19.3	17.9	13.5	14.7	35.6	35.5	31.5	31.8	100.0	100.0	
		TOTAL									
80% or less	4.3	4.6	3.1	2.7	6.5	6.0	7.2	6.5	21.1	19.8	
81% to 90%	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.7	4.5	4.9	10.3	9.1	18.0	17.2	
91% to 100%	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.6	8.6	8.5	11.1		24.8	23.7	
101% to 110%	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.2	3.3	3.8	6.9	9.3	12.2	15.3	
Over 110%	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.4	6.8	7.1	12.9	12.5	23.9	24.0	
Total	11.4	11.5	10.4	10.7	29.7	30.3	48.5	47.4	100.0	100.0	

^{1/} Contract balance excludes finance and insurance charges.

NOTE: Distributions for November and October are derived from reports of 100 banks, 57 of which reported dealer cost ratios as well as maturities. The October maturity distribution for used cars shown on pages 1 and 2 is based on 25,000 contracts, 18,000 purchased and 7,000 direct. The cross-classification on this page is based on 13,000 contracts, 10,000 purchased and 3,000 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 to month.

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 $[\]overline{2}/$ Wholesale value represents "average wholesale," "as is," or "buying value" as indicated by used car guides.