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STATISTICS OF AUTOMOBILE FINANCING

The figures for automobile financing compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics show a drop in October as compared with September of this year, and also indicate a falling off in financing as compared with the corresponding month (October) in 1929. The per cent of change is -45.0.

The total number of cars financed was 7,987 in October 1930, 8,141 in September 1930 and 12,380 in October 1929, and the amount of financing was \$2,441,006 in October 1930, \$4,199,355 in September 1930, and \$6,841,174 in October 1929.

New cars financed were 2,291 in October 1930, 3,100 in September 1930 and 4,925 in October 1929, while used cars financed were 5,696 in September 1930, 5,041 in September 1930 and 7,455 in October 1929.

Values of new cars financed were \$1,266,065 in October 1930, \$1,733,884 in September 1930 and \$3,869,531 in October 1929. Values in used cars financed were \$2,475,741 in October 1930, \$2,465,471 in September 1930 and \$2,971,643 in October 1929.

AUTOMOBILE FINANCING JANUARY TO OCTOBER 1929 AND 1930, SHOWING NUMBER OF NEW AND USED CARS FINANCED, AND PER CENT OF CHANGE EACH MONTH

Month	New Cars					Used Cars					Total - New and Used Cars							
	Number		% of change	Financing in Dollars		Number		% of change	Financing in Dollars		Number		% of change	Financing in Dollars				
	1929	1930	1929-1930	1929	1930	1929	1930	1929-1930	1929	1930	1929	1930	1929-1930	1929	1930			
Jan.	1,636	1,332	-18.6	1,364,860	1,111,041	-18.6	2,577	3,816	+46.1	1,050,072	1,735,584	+65.3	4,213	5,148	+22.2	2,414,932	2,846,625	+17.9
Feb.	2,028	1,919	-5.4	1,644,169	1,513,824	-7.9	2,675	3,834	+43.3	1,174,571	1,627,413	+38.5	4,703	5,753	+22.3	2,818,740	3,141,237	+11.4
March	5,132	3,894	-24.1	3,858,214	2,738,057	-29.0	5,593	6,105	+9.1	2,118,720	2,523,246	+19.1	10,725	9,999	-6.8	5,976,934	5,261,303	-12.0
April	11,027	8,067	-26.8	6,398,697	4,223,795	-34.0	11,410	9,788	-14.2	5,561,997	4,263,903	-23.3	22,437	17,855	-20.4	11,960,694	8,487,698	-29.0
May	11,989	8,559	-28.4	6,608,276	4,976,598	-24.7	13,104	11,000	-16.1	5,865,053	4,605,045	-21.5	25,093	19,559	-22.1	12,473,329	9,581,643	-23.2
June	11,004	7,020	-36.2	7,193,230	4,605,077	-36.0	12,850	9,476	-26.2	5,223,707	3,289,539	-37.0	23,854	16,496	-30.8	12,416,937	7,894,616	-36.4
July	8,493	5,061	-40.4	5,379,107	2,892,259	-46.2	11,098	8,312	-25.1	5,067,275	3,769,407	-25.6	19,591	13,373	-31.7	10,446,382	6,661,666	-36.2
Aug.	6,072	3,621	-40.4	3,936,109	1,993,781	-49.4	8,397	6,256	-25.5	4,034,795	2,910,793	-27.9	14,469	9,877	-31.7	7,970,904	4,904,574	-38.5
Sept.	4,910	3,100	-36.9	4,015,463	1,733,884	-56.8	6,875	5,041	-26.7	2,655,389	2,465,471	-7.2	11,785	8,141	-30.9	6,670,852	4,199,355	-37.1
Oct.	4,925	2,306	-53.2	3,869,531	1,278,340	-67.0	7,455	5,719	-23.3	2,971,643	2,485,481	-16.4	12,380	8,025	-35.2	6,841,174	3,763,821	-45.0
Total Ten Months	67,216	44,879	-33.2	44,267,656	27,066,656	-38.8	82,034	69,347	-15.5	35,723,222	29,675,882	-16.9	149,250	114,226	-23.5	79,990,878	56,742,538	-29.1

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