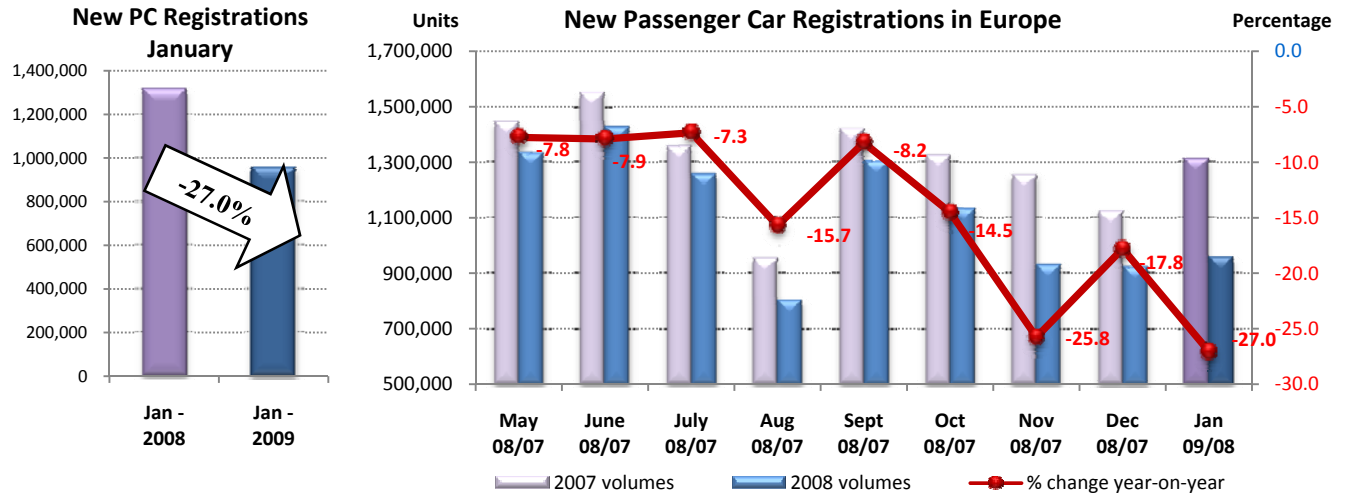




February 13, 2009

New Passenger Car Registrations *European Union + EFTA Countries*



*Not adjusted for working days

PASSENGER CARS: European registrations drop by 27% in January

New passenger car registrations in Europe* declined by 27% in January compared to the same month a year earlier, with all markets contributing negatively to the results. New registrations have now dropped 9 months in a row. In absolute numbers, January 2009 volumes reached 958,517 units, or the lowest level in two decades. Across Europe, the month counted on average 1.4 working days less than January 2008.

In Western Europe, 891,523 new passenger cars were registered, or 26.5% less compared to January last year. Iceland recorded the steepest fall (-88.1%), followed by Ireland (66.5%). With the exception of France (-7.9%), all markets faced a double-digit downturn. Looking at the major markets, Germany (-14.2%) fared the best after France, while the UK (-30.9%), Italy (-32.6%) and Spain (-41.6%) began 2009 with more important losses.

In the new EU Member States, demand for new passenger cars contracted by 34.0%. The Polish market registered the most new cars and recorded the smallest drop (-5.3%). All other markets declined strongly, including the larger markets such as Romania (-53.2%), Hungary (-52.3%) and the Czech Republic (-12.3%).

* EU27 + EFTA, data for Cyprus and Malta unavailable



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PROVISIONAL NEW PASSENGER CAR REGISTRATIONS BY MARKET EUROPE (EU* + EFTA)

13/02/09

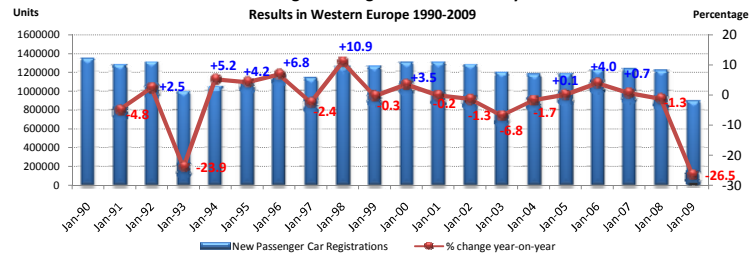
	January '09	January '08	% Chg 09/08	Jan - '09	Jan - '08	% Chg 09/08
AUSTRIA	19,010	21,884	-13.1	19,010	21,884	-13.1
BELGIUM	47,690	56,846	-16.1	47,690	56,846	-16.1
DENMARK	7,788	14,418	-46.0	7,788	14,418	-46.0
FINLAND	11,540	21,544	-46.4	11,540	21,544	-46.4
FRANCE	149,372	162,116	-7.9	149,372	162,116	-7.9
GERMANY	189,385	220,742	-14.2	189,385	220,742	-14.2
GREECE	20,247	33,567	-39.7	20,247	33,567	-39.7
IRELAND	15,929	47,609	-66.5	15,929	47,609	-66.5
ITALY	157,418	233,711	-32.6	157,418	233,711	-32.6
LUXEMBURG**	3,203	3,982	-19.6	3,203	3,982	-19.6
NETHERLANDS	56,375	66,329	-15.0	56,375	66,329	-15.0
PORTUGAL	9,021	15,845	-43.1	9,021	15,845	-43.1
SPAIN	59,385	101,621	-41.6	59,385	101,621	-41.6
SWEDEN	11,299	17,033	-33.7	11,299	17,033	-33.7
UNITED KINGDOM	112,087	162,097	-30.9	112,087	162,097	-30.9
EUROPEAN UNION (EU15)	869,749	1,179,344	-26.3	869,749	1,179,344	-26.3
ICELAND	170	1,432	-88.1	170	1,432	-88.1
NORWAY	5,353	9,901	-45.9	5,353	9,901	-45.9
SWITZERLAND**	16,251	21,599	-24.8	16,251	21,599	-24.8
EFTA	21,774	32,932	-33.9	21,774	32,932	-33.9
EU15+EFTA	891,523	1,212,276	-26.5	891,523	1,212,276	-26.5
BULGARIA	1,908	3,326	-42.6	1,908	3,326	-42.6
CZECH REPUBLIC	8,842	10,082	-12.3	8,842	10,082	-12.3
ESTONIA	952	2,477	-61.6	952	2,477	-61.6
HUNGARY**	5,962	12,492	-52.3	5,962	12,492	-52.3
LATVIA	494	2,191	-77.5	494	2,191	-77.5
LITHUANIA	744	2,273	-67.3	744	2,273	-67.3
POLAND	26,800	28,299	-5.3	26,800	28,299	-5.3
ROMANIA	13,813	29,495	-53.2	13,813	29,495	-53.2
SLOVAKIA	2,907	4,783	-39.2	2,907	4,783	-39.2
SLOVENIA	4,572	6,128	-25.4	4,572	6,128	-25.4
EU (New Members)	66,994	101,546	-34.0	66,994	101,546	-34.0
EUROPEAN UNION*	936,743	1,280,890	-26.9	936,743	1,280,890	-26.9
TOTAL EUROPE (EU+EFTA)	958,517	1,313,822	-27.0	958,517	1,313,822	-27.0

(*) EU27 including Bulgaria and Romania; data for Malta and Cyprus currently not available.

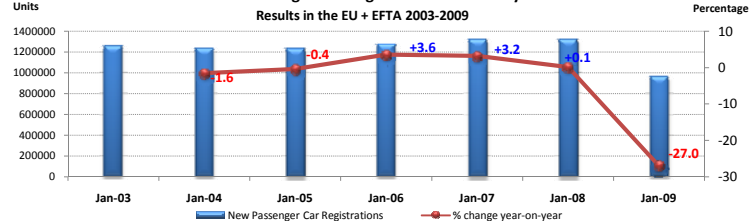
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NEW PASSENGER CAR REGISTRATIONS BY MANUFACTURER WESTERN EUROPE (EU15 + EFTA Countries)

13/02/09

	January					January -				
	%Share		Units	Units	% Chg	%Share		Units	Units	% Chg
	'09	'08	'09	'08	09/08	'09	'08	'09	'08	09/08
ALL BRANDS**			891,523	1,212,276	-26.5			891,523	1,212,276	-26.5
VW Group	20.6	18.7	184,083	226,655	-18.8	20.6	18.7	184,083	226,655	-18.8
VOLKSWAGEN	11.3	10.2	100,374	123,784	-18.9	11.3	10.2	100,374	123,784	-18.9
AUDI	5.1	3.9	45,124	47,860	-5.7	5.1	3.9	45,124	47,860	-5.7
SEAT	2.3	2.3	20,731	27,988	-25.9	2.3	2.3	20,731	27,988	-25.9
SKODA	2.0	2.2	17,701	26,712	-33.7	2.0	2.2	17,701	26,712	-33.7
Other(1)	0.0	0.0	153	311	-50.8	0.0	0.0	153	311	-50.8
PSA Group	13.7	13.4	122,214	162,517	-24.8	13.7	13.4	122,214	162,517	-24.8
PEUGEOT	7.2	7.1	64,459	85,742	-24.8	7.2	7.1	64,459	85,742	-24.8
CITROEN	6.5	6.3	57,755	76,775	-24.8	6.5	6.3	57,755	76,775	-24.8
FORD Group	11.0	10.3	97,927	124,630	-21.4	11.0	10.3	97,927	124,630	-21.4
FORD	9.5	8.6	85,014	103,835	-18.1	9.5	8.6	85,014	103,835	-18.1
VOLVO	1.4	1.7	12,913	20,795	-37.9	1.4	1.7	12,913	20,795	-37.9
FIAT Group	8.8	8.9	78,628	107,777	-27.0	8.8	8.9	78,628	107,777	-27.0
FIAT	7.0	7.3	62,465	88,059	-29.1	7.0	7.3	62,465	88,059	-29.1
LANCIA	0.9	0.9	7,824	10,973	-28.7	0.9	0.9	7,824	10,973	-28.7
ALFA ROMEO	0.9	0.7	7,826	8,026	-2.5	0.9	0.7	7,826	8,026	-2.5
Other (2)	0.1	0.1	513	719	-28.7	0.1	0.1	513	719	-28.7
GM Group	8.3	9.4	74,280	114,104	-34.9	8.3	9.4	74,280	114,104	-34.9
OPEL/VAUXHALL	6.9	7.8	61,886	94,038	-34.2	6.9	7.8	61,886	94,038	-34.2
CHEVROLET	1.1	1.1	9,824	13,793	-28.8	1.1	1.1	9,824	13,793	-28.8
SAAB	0.3	0.5	2,495	5,643	-55.8	0.3	0.5	2,495	5,643	-55.8
GM (US)	0.0	0.1	75	630	-88.1	0.0	0.1	75	630	-88.1
RENAULT Group	7.4	8.0	65,846	96,379	-31.7	7.4	8.0	65,846	96,379	-31.7
RENAULT	6.5	7.2	57,910	87,741	-34.0	6.5	7.2	57,910	87,741	-34.0
DACIA	0.9	0.7	7,936	8,638	-8.1	0.9	0.7	7,936	8,638	-8.1
DAIMLER	5.3	5.6	47,501	68,062	-30.2	5.3	5.6	47,501	68,062	-30.2
MERCEDES	4.5	4.9	39,748	59,371	-33.1	4.5	4.9	39,748	59,371	-33.1
SMART	0.9	0.7	7,753	8,691	-10.8	0.9	0.7	7,753	8,691	-10.8
TOYOTA Group	5.3	5.5	47,360	67,009	-29.3	5.3	5.5	47,360	67,009	-29.3
TOYOTA	5.2	5.3	46,047	64,382	-28.5	5.2	5.3	46,047	64,382	-28.5
LEXUS	0.1	0.2	1,313	2,627	-50.0	0.1	0.2	1,313	2,627	-50.0
BMW Group	4.9	5.3	43,307	63,960	-32.3	4.9	5.3	43,307	63,960	-32.3
BMW	4.1	4.3	36,832	51,592	-28.6	4.1	4.3	36,832	51,592	-28.6
MINI	0.7	1.0	6,475	12,368	-47.6	0.7	1.0	6,475	12,368	-47.6
NISSAN	2.6	2.6	23,372	32,012	-27.0	2.6	2.6	23,372	32,012	-27.0
MAZDA	1.9	1.7	16,862	20,558	-18.0	1.9	1.7	16,862	20,558	-18.0
HONDA	1.9	1.9	16,624	23,024	-27.8	1.9	1.9	16,624	23,024	-27.8
HYUNDAI	1.8	1.6	15,738	19,364	-18.7	1.8	1.6	15,738	19,364	-18.7
KIA	1.5	1.6	13,606	19,083	-28.7	1.5	1.6	13,606	19,083	-28.7
SUZUKI	1.5	1.6	13,387	19,666	-31.9	1.5	1.6	13,387	19,666	-31.9
MITSUBISHI	0.6	0.9	5,498	10,520	-47.7	0.6	0.9	5,498	10,520	-47.7
JAGUAR LAND ROV	0.6	0.8	5,148	10,176	-49.4	0.6	0.8	5,148	10,176	-49.4
LAND ROVER	0.4	0.7	3,192	8,540	-62.6	0.4	0.7	3,192	8,540	-62.6
JAGUAR	0.2	0.1	1,956	1,636	+19.6	0.2	0.1	1,956	1,636	+19.6
CHRYSLER	0.4	0.7	3,975	8,471	-53.1	0.4	0.7	3,975	8,471	-53.1
OTHER**	1.8	1.5	16,166	18,309	-11.7	1.8	1.5	16,166	18,309	-11.7

(1) VW Group: VW 'other' include Bentley, Bugatti and Lamborghini

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13/02/09

	January					January -				
	%Share		Units	Units	% Chg	%Share		Units	Units	% Chg
	'09	'08	'09	'08	09/08	'09	'08	'09	'08	09/08
ALL BRANDS**			958,517	1,313,822	-27.0			958,517	1,313,822	-27.0
VW Group	20.8	19.0	199,279	249,317	-20.1	20.8	19.0	199,279	249,317	-20.1
VOLKSWAGEN	11.1	9.9	106,016	130,631	-18.8	11.1	9.9	106,016	130,631	-18.8
AUDI	4.8	3.7	46,114	49,106	-6.1	4.8	3.7	46,114	49,106	-6.1
SEAT	2.3	2.3	21,802	29,969	-27.3	2.3	2.3	21,802	29,969	-27.3
SKODA	2.6	3.0	25,177	39,299	-35.9	2.6	3.0	25,177	39,299	-35.9
Others (1)	0.0	0.0	170	312	-45.5	0.0	0.0	170	312	-45.5
PSA Group	13.4	13.0	128,272	170,637	-24.8	13.4	13.0	128,272	170,637	-24.8
PEUGEOT	7.1	6.9	67,828	90,186	-24.8	7.1	6.9	67,828	90,186	-24.8
CITROEN	6.3	6.1	60,444	80,451	-24.9	6.3	6.1	60,444	80,451	-24.9
FORD Group	10.7	10.0	102,925	131,653	-21.8	10.7	10.0	102,925	131,653	-21.8
FORD	9.3	8.4	89,216	110,037	-18.9	9.3	8.4	89,216	110,037	-18.9
VOLVO	1.4	1.6	13,709	21,616	-36.6	1.4	1.6	13,709	21,616	-36.6
FIAT Group	8.7	8.6	83,245	112,463	-26.0	8.7	8.6	83,245	112,463	-26.0
FIAT	7.0	7.0	66,903	92,597	-27.7	7.0	7.0	66,903	92,597	-27.7
LANCIA	0.8	0.8	7,882	11,001	-28.4	0.8	0.8	7,882	11,001	-28.4
ALFA ROMEO	0.8	0.6	7,949	8,135	-2.3	0.8	0.6	7,949	8,135	-2.3
Others (2)	0.1	0.1	511	730	-30.0	0.1	0.1	511	730	-30.0
GM Group	8.4	9.5	80,445	124,558	-35.4	8.4	9.5	80,445	124,558	-35.4
OPEL/VAUXHALL	6.9	7.7	66,340	101,449	-34.6	6.9	7.7	66,340	101,449	-34.6
CHEVROLET	1.2	1.3	11,437	16,694	-31.5	1.2	1.3	11,437	16,694	-31.5
SAAB	0.3	0.4	2,583	5,753	-55.1	0.3	0.4	2,583	5,753	-55.1
GM (US)	0.0	0.1	85	662	-87.2	0.0	0.1	85	662	-87.2
RENAULT Group	7.5	8.3	72,038	108,985	-33.9	7.5	8.3	72,038	108,985	-33.9
RENAULT	6.5	7.1	61,873	93,823	-34.1	6.5	7.1	61,873	93,823	-34.1
DACIA	1.1	1.2	10,165	15,162	-33.0	1.1	1.2	10,165	15,162	-33.0
TOYOTA Group	5.3	5.7	51,193	74,774	-31.5	5.3	5.7	51,193	74,774	-31.5
TOYOTA	5.2	5.5	49,756	71,930	-30.8	5.2	5.5	49,756	71,930	-30.8
LEXUS	0.1	0.2	1,437	2,844	-49.5	0.1	0.2	1,437	2,844	-49.5
DAIMLER	5.0	5.3	48,218	69,356	-30.5	5.0	5.3	48,218	69,356	-30.5
MERCEDES	4.2	4.6	40,455	60,643	-33.3	4.2	4.6	40,455	60,643	-33.3
SMART	0.8	0.7	7,763	8,713	-10.9	0.8	0.7	7,763	8,713	-10.9
BMW Group	4.6	5.0	44,065	65,164	-32.4	4.6	5.0	44,065	65,164	-32.4
BMW	3.9	4.0	37,533	52,726	-28.8	3.9	4.0	37,533	52,726	-28.8
MINI	0.7	0.9	6,532	12,438	-47.5	0.7	0.9	6,532	12,438	-47.5
NISSAN	2.6	2.6	25,359	34,023	-25.5	2.6	2.6	25,359	34,023	-25.5
HYUNDAI	2.0	1.7	19,009	22,713	-16.3	2.0	1.7	19,009	22,713	-16.3
HONDA	2.0	2.0	18,836	25,807	-27.0	2.0	2.0	18,836	25,807	-27.0
MAZDA	1.9	1.7	18,188	21,845	-16.7	1.9	1.7	18,188	21,845	-16.7
SUZUKI	1.7	1.8	16,765	23,437	-28.5	1.7	1.8	16,765	23,437	-28.5
KIA	1.6	1.7	15,808	22,171	-28.7	1.6	1.7	15,808	22,171	-28.7
MITSUBISHI	0.7	0.9	6,776	11,633	-41.8	0.7	0.9	6,776	11,633	-41.8
JAGUAR LAND ROV	0.6	0.8	5,309	10,459	-49.2	0.6	0.8	5,309	10,459	-49.2
LAND ROVER	0.3	0.7	3,321	8,794	-62.2	0.3	0.7	3,321	8,794	-62.2
JAGUAR	0.2	0.1	1,988	1,665	+19.4	0.2	0.1	1,988	1,665	+19.4
CHRYSLER (3)	0.4	0.7	4,161	8,892	-53.2	0.4	0.7	4,161	8,892	-53.2
OTHER**	1.9	2.0	18,626	25,935	-28.2	1.9	2.0	18,626	25,935	-28.2

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