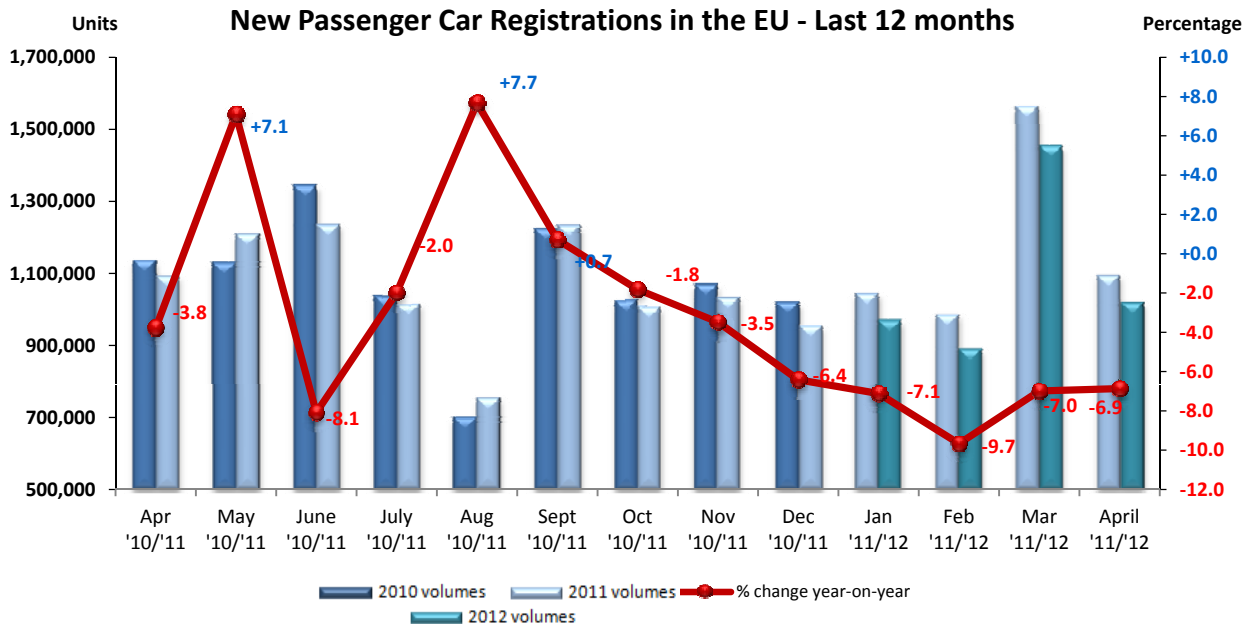


New Passenger Car Registrations
European Union



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PASSENGER CARS: registrations decrease by 6.9% in April

In April, 1,017,912 new passenger cars were registered in the EU, or 6.9% less than in the same month of 2011. **Four months into the year**, new registrations were 7.5% lower in the EU than a year earlier, adding up to 4,332,342 units. No calendar effect occurred as the month counted the same number of working days as in April 2011 throughout the region.

In April, markets across the EU* performed diversely, leading to an overall 6.9% decline in new car registrations. The UK (+3.3%) and Germany (+2.9%) were the only major markets to post growth, while France contracted by 1.9%. Italy (-18.0%) and Spain (-21.7%) recorded double-digit downturns.

From January to April, Germany (+1.8%) and the UK (+1.4%) sustained demand in the region while the rest of the major markets faced contractions ranging from -7.0% in Spain to -17.5% in France and -20.2% in Italy.

* EU27, data for Malta unavailable



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PROVISIONAL NEW PASSENGER CAR REGISTRATIONS BY MARKET EUROPEAN UNION*

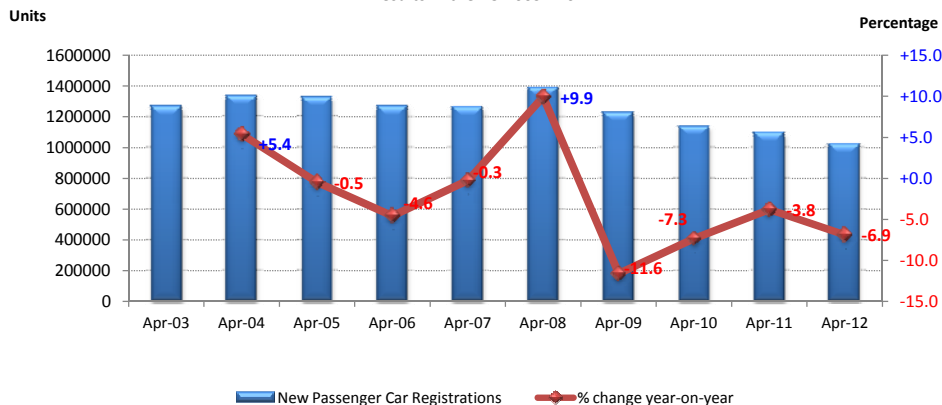
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	April '12	April '11	% Chg 12/11	Jan - Apr '12	Jan - Apr '11	% Chg 12/11
AUSTRIA	32,728	33,317	-1.8	121,492	121,182	+0.3
BELGIUM	48,326	53,300	-9.3	196,689	223,204	-11.9
BULGARIA	1,500	1,584	-5.3	5,847	5,540	+5.5
CYPRUS	1,168	1,390	-16.0	4,370	5,404	-19.1
CZECH REPUBLIC	16,589	14,620	+13.5	60,118	56,646	+6.1
DENMARK	9,065	13,437	-32.5	49,829	54,195	-8.1
ESTONIA	1,566	1,356	+15.5	5,593	4,605	+21.5
FINLAND	4,052	11,406	-64.5	51,881	47,083	+10.2
FRANCE	166,552	169,757	-1.9	674,382	817,211	-17.5
GERMANY	274,066	266,251	+2.9	1,047,702	1,029,654	+1.8
GREECE	4,409	10,192	-56.7	21,588	35,459	-39.1
HUNGARY	4,285	3,701	+15.8	18,248	15,134	+20.6
IRELAND	6,770	8,685	-22.0	52,609	56,648	-7.1
ITALY	129,663	158,113	-18.0	537,170	672,872	-20.2
LATVIA	884	845	+4.6	3,372	3,215	+4.9
LITHUANIA	1,063	1,164	-8.7	3,941	4,031	-2.2
LUXEMBURG	5,373	5,221	+2.9	18,884	18,644	+1.3
NETHERLANDS	41,178	47,635	-13.6	208,049	228,041	-8.8
POLAND	23,904	22,399	+6.7	101,736	91,488	+11.2
PORTUGAL	8,400	14,418	-41.7	31,932	59,995	-46.8
ROMANIA	4,307	4,999	-13.8	18,272	14,678	+24.5
SLOVAKIA	5,794	5,675	+2.1	22,392	21,372	+4.8
SLOVENIA	4,362	5,007	-12.9	18,687	21,660	-13.7
SPAIN	56,250	71,805	-21.7	260,369	279,956	-7.0
SWEDEN	23,336	28,940	-19.4	91,312	98,704	-7.5
UNITED KINGDOM	142,322	137,746	+3.3	705,878	696,082	+1.4
EUROPEAN UNION (EU27)*	1,017,912	1,092,963	-6.9	4,332,342	4,682,703	-7.5
EU15	952,490	1,030,223	-7.5	4,069,766	4,438,930	-8.3
EU11*	65,422	62,740	+4.3	262,576	243,773	+7.7
ICELAND	726	293	+147.8	1,802	828	+117.6
NORWAY	10,876	11,330	-4.0	45,690	45,146	+1.2
SWITZERLAND	28,834	27,586	+4.5	107,964	100,439	+7.5
EFTA	40,436	39,209	+3.1	155,456	146,413	+6.2
EU27*+EFTA	1,058,348	1,132,172	-6.5	4,487,798	4,829,116	-7.1
EU15+EFTA	992,926	1,069,432	-7.2	4,225,222	4,585,343	-7.9

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New Passenger Car Registrations in April
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NEW PASSENGER CAR REGISTRATIONS BY MANUFACTURER EUROPEAN UNION (EU)*

16/5/12

	April					January - April				
	%Share		Units	Units	% Chg	%Share		Units	Units	% Chg
	'12	'11	'12	'11	12/11	'12	'11	'12	'11	12/11
ALL BRANDS**			1,017,912	1,092,963	-6.9			4,332,342	4,682,703	-7.5
VW Group	24.6	24.3	250,023	265,524	-5.8	23.8	22.4	1,031,850	1,047,486	-1.5
VOLKSWAGEN	13.0	13.2	131,885	144,781	-8.9	12.6	11.9	547,418	558,633	-2.0
AUDI	5.8	5.2	58,848	56,620	+3.9	5.3	4.8	231,752	222,899	+4.0
SEAT	2.0	2.4	19,903	25,992	-23.4	2.0	2.3	87,257	105,369	-17.2
SKODA	3.8	3.5	39,170	37,924	+3.3	3.8	3.4	164,570	159,962	+2.9
Others (1)	0.0	0.0	217	207	+4.8	0.0	0.0	853	623	+36.9
PSA Group	12.7	11.8	129,576	129,380	+0.2	12.2	13.1	528,593	611,974	-13.6
PEUGEOT	6.8	6.6	69,421	71,970	-3.5	6.5	7.1	282,142	333,256	-15.3
CITROEN	5.9	5.3	60,155	57,410	+4.8	5.7	6.0	246,451	278,718	-11.6
RENAULT Group	8.6	9.5	88,015	103,682	-15.1	8.4	9.9	364,030	462,494	-21.3
RENAULT	6.7	7.6	68,657	83,387	-17.7	6.7	8.1	289,417	378,394	-23.5
DACIA	1.9	1.9	19,358	20,295	-4.6	1.7	1.8	74,613	84,100	-11.3
GM Group	8.2	8.6	83,755	93,989	-10.9	8.2	8.6	355,406	403,726	-12.0
OPEL/VAUXHALL	6.5	7.3	66,160	79,629	-16.9	6.7	7.4	288,490	345,071	-16.4
CHEVROLET	1.7	1.3	17,574	14,339	+22.6	1.5	1.2	66,780	58,485	+14.2
GM (US)	0.0	0.0	21	21	+0.0	0.0	0.0	136	170	-20.0
FORD	7.6	7.7	76,921	84,155	-8.6	8.1	8.1	352,213	378,972	-7.1
FIAT Group	7.3	7.6	73,906	83,491	-11.5	6.6	7.5	286,870	350,528	-18.2
FIAT	5.3	5.5	53,703	60,339	-11.0	4.7	5.4	205,282	254,732	-19.4
LANCIA/CHRYSLER	0.9	0.8	9,239	8,581	+7.7	0.8	0.8	36,192	35,950	+0.7
ALFA ROMEO	0.8	1.1	8,436	12,249	-31.1	0.8	1.1	34,795	51,039	-31.8
JEEP	0.2	0.1	2,089	1,639	+27.5	0.2	0.1	8,981	6,026	+49.0
Others (2)	0.0	0.1	439	683	-35.7	0.0	0.1	1,620	2,781	-41.7
BMW Group	6.5	5.9	65,681	63,989	+2.6	5.9	5.4	254,591	254,645	-0.0
BMW	5.3	4.7	53,442	51,697	+3.4	4.7	4.4	204,458	205,220	-0.4
MINI	1.2	1.1	12,239	12,292	-0.4	1.2	1.1	50,133	49,425	+1.4
DAIMLER	5.4	5.0	54,525	54,473	+0.1	5.0	4.5	216,849	209,988	+3.3
MERCEDES	4.7	4.3	47,774	47,436	+0.7	4.4	3.9	191,477	182,766	+4.8
SMART	0.7	0.6	6,751	7,037	-4.1	0.6	0.6	25,372	27,222	-6.8
TOYOTA Group	3.8	4.1	38,324	44,758	-14.4	4.3	4.4	187,301	204,630	-8.5
TOYOTA	3.6	3.8	36,468	41,722	-12.6	4.1	4.2	177,294	195,570	-9.3
LEXUS	0.2	0.3	1,856	3,036	-38.9	0.2	0.2	10,007	9,060	+10.5
NISSAN	2.8	3.3	28,632	35,779	-20.0	3.6	3.5	155,797	161,944	-3.8
HYUNDAI	3.4	3.1	34,405	34,302	+0.3	3.3	2.8	144,993	132,611	+9.3
KIA	2.7	2.1	27,517	23,096	+19.1	2.4	1.8	106,017	86,023	+23.2
VOLVO CAR CORP.	1.8	1.9	18,667	20,500	-8.9	1.8	1.8	77,357	83,869	-7.8
SUZUKI	1.1	1.3	11,154	14,355	-22.3	1.2	1.4	53,354	63,963	-16.6
MAZDA	0.9	0.9	8,707	9,613	-9.4	1.1	1.1	45,979	52,026	-11.6
MITSUBISHI	0.6	0.9	5,831	9,346	-37.6	0.6	0.9	27,660	39,881	-30.6
JAGUAR LAND ROVER	0.7	0.5	7,486	5,792	+29.3	1.0	0.7	44,647	33,721	+32.4
LAND ROVER	0.6	0.4	5,978	4,637	+28.9	0.8	0.6	36,326	26,266	+38.3
JAGUAR	0.1	0.1	1,508	1,155	+30.6	0.2	0.2	8,321	7,455	+11.6
HONDA	1.0	0.9	9,741	9,515	+2.4	1.0	1.2	44,588	56,842	-21.6
OTHER**	0.5	0.7	5,046	7,224	-30.2	1.3	1.0	54,247	47,380	+14.5

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

(2) FIAT Group: FIAT 'other' include Dodge, Ferrari, Maserati

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NEW PASSENGER CAR REGISTRATIONS BY MANUFACTURER

EU* + EFTA Countries

16/5/12

	April					January - April				
	%Share		Units	Units	% Chg	%Share		Units	Units	% Chg
	'12	'11	'12	'11	12/11	'12	'11	'12	'11	12/11
ALL BRANDS**			1,058,348	1,132,172	-6.5			4,487,798	4,829,116	-7.1
VW Group	24.7	24.4	261,571	275,995	-5.2	24.0	22.5	1,075,109	1,085,180	-0.9
VOLKSWAGEN	13.0	13.3	137,694	150,354	-8.4	12.7	12.0	569,421	578,042	-1.5
AUDI	5.8	5.2	61,401	58,828	+4.4	5.4	4.8	241,103	231,264	+4.3
SEAT	2.0	2.4	20,712	26,667	-22.3	2.0	2.2	90,364	107,682	-16.1
SKODA	3.9	3.5	41,525	39,916	+4.0	3.9	3.5	173,275	167,511	+3.4
Others (1)	0.0	0.0	239	230	+3.9	0.0	0.0	946	681	+38.9
PSA Group	12.5	11.7	132,466	132,724	-0.2	12.0	12.9	540,102	624,265	-13.5
PEUGEOT	6.7	6.5	70,947	73,919	-4.0	6.4	7.0	288,418	340,248	-15.2
CITROEN	5.8	5.2	61,519	58,805	+4.6	5.6	5.9	251,684	284,017	-11.4
RENAULT Group	8.5	9.3	89,724	105,741	-15.1	8.3	9.7	371,640	470,375	-21.0
RENAULT	6.6	7.5	69,947	84,993	-17.7	6.6	8.0	295,198	384,357	-23.2
DACIA	1.9	1.8	19,777	20,748	-4.7	1.7	1.8	76,442	86,018	-11.1
GM Group	8.1	8.5	85,493	96,160	-11.1	8.1	8.5	363,066	411,539	-11.8
OPEL/VAUXHALL	6.4	7.2	67,602	81,381	-16.9	6.6	7.3	294,998	351,622	-16.1
CHEVROLET	1.7	1.3	17,870	14,737	+21.3	1.5	1.2	67,888	59,682	+13.7
GM (US)	0.0	0.0	21	42	-50.0	0.0	0.0	180	235	-23.4
FORD	7.5	7.6	79,223	86,394	-8.3	8.1	8.0	361,777	388,383	-6.9
FIAT Group	7.1	7.5	75,462	85,085	-11.3	6.5	7.4	293,100	356,825	-17.9
FIAT	5.2	5.4	54,554	61,201	-10.9	4.7	5.3	208,754	258,238	-19.2
LANCIA/CHRYSLER	0.9	0.8	9,342	8,645	+8.1	0.8	0.8	36,589	36,227	+1.0
ALFA ROMEO	0.8	1.1	8,704	12,669	-31.3	0.8	1.1	35,931	52,679	-31.8
JEEP	0.2	0.2	2,308	1,750	+31.9	0.2	0.1	9,807	6,466	+51.7
Others (2)	0.1	0.1	554	820	-32.4	0.0	0.1	2,019	3,215	-37.2
BMW Group	6.5	5.9	68,334	66,616	+2.6	5.9	5.5	264,610	263,356	+0.5
BMW	5.3	4.8	55,624	53,827	+3.3	4.7	4.4	212,785	212,270	+0.2
MINI	1.2	1.1	12,710	12,789	-0.6	1.2	1.1	51,825	51,086	+1.4
DAIMLER	5.4	5.0	56,677	56,057	+1.1	5.0	4.5	224,680	215,878	+4.1
MERCEDES	4.7	4.3	49,750	48,787	+2.0	4.4	3.9	198,690	187,931	+5.7
SMART	0.7	0.6	6,927	7,270	-4.7	0.6	0.6	25,990	27,947	-7.0
TOYOTA Group	3.9	4.2	41,259	47,526	-13.2	4.4	4.5	198,461	215,342	-7.8
TOYOTA	3.7	3.9	39,237	44,274	-11.4	4.2	4.3	187,898	205,755	-8.7
LEXUS	0.2	0.3	2,022	3,252	-37.8	0.2	0.2	10,563	9,587	+10.2
NISSAN	2.8	3.3	29,719	36,932	-19.5	3.6	3.5	161,554	166,859	-3.2
HYUNDAI	3.4	3.1	35,977	35,509	+1.3	3.4	2.8	150,666	137,388	+9.7
KIA	2.7	2.1	28,229	23,659	+19.3	2.4	1.8	108,203	87,867	+23.1
VOLVO CAR CORP.	1.9	1.9	20,308	22,041	-7.9	1.9	1.9	84,089	90,159	-6.7
SUZUKI	1.1	1.4	11,820	15,359	-23.0	1.2	1.4	55,800	67,884	-17.8
MAZDA	0.9	0.9	9,392	10,612	-11.5	1.1	1.1	48,579	55,524	-12.5
HONDA	1.0	0.9	10,310	10,057	+2.5	1.0	1.2	47,107	59,458	-20.8
JAGUAR LAND ROVER	0.7	0.5	7,893	5,975	+32.1	1.0	0.7	46,178	34,348	+34.4
LAND ROVER	0.6	0.4	6,338	4,785	+32.5	0.8	0.6	37,722	26,766	+40.9
JAGUAR	0.1	0.1	1,555	1,190	+30.7	0.2	0.2	8,456	7,582	+11.5
mitsubishi	0.6	1.0	6,672	10,886	-38.7	0.7	0.9	30,851	44,691	-31.0
OTHER**	0.7	0.8	7,819	8,844	-11.6	1.4	1.1	62,226	53,795	+15.7

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16/5/12

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ALL BRANDS**			992,926	1,069,432	-7.2			4,225,222	4,585,343	-7.9
VW Group	24.3	24.0	241,534	257,046	-6.0	23.6	22.1	998,147	1,014,563	-1.6
VOLKSWAGEN	13.2	13.5	131,181	144,130	-9.0	12.9	12.1	544,873	556,528	-2.1
AUDI	6.0	5.4	59,914	57,619	+4.0	5.6	4.9	235,628	226,591	+4.0
SEAT	2.0	2.4	19,606	25,430	-22.9	2.0	2.3	86,604	103,802	-16.6
SKODA	3.1	2.8	30,605	29,646	+3.2	3.1	2.8	130,128	126,975	+2.5
Other(1)	0.0	0.0	228	221	+3.2	0.0	0.0	914	667	+37.0
PSA Group	12.8	11.9	127,355	127,329	+0.0	12.3	13.1	520,222	602,872	-13.7
PEUGEOT	6.9	6.6	68,038	70,783	-3.9	6.6	7.2	277,171	328,087	-15.5
CITROEN	6.0	5.3	59,317	56,546	+4.9	5.8	6.0	243,051	274,785	-11.5
RENAULT Group	8.3	9.0	82,164	96,420	-14.8	8.1	9.5	343,207	437,872	-21.6
RENAULT	6.6	7.4	65,904	79,535	-17.1	6.6	7.9	278,984	363,449	-23.2
DACIA	1.6	1.6	16,260	16,885	-3.7	1.5	1.6	64,223	74,423	-13.7
FORD	7.5	7.7	74,260	81,840	-9.3	8.1	8.1	342,794	371,528	-7.7
GM Group	8.1	8.5	80,026	91,231	-12.3	8.0	8.5	340,010	390,689	-13.0
OPEL/VAUXHALL	6.5	7.3	64,395	77,894	-17.3	6.6	7.3	280,751	336,761	-16.6
CHEVROLET	1.6	1.2	15,610	13,296	+17.4	1.4	1.2	59,089	53,698	+10.0
GM (US)	0.0	0.0	21	41	-48.8	0.0	0.0	170	230	-26.1
FIAT Group	7.3	7.7	72,919	82,561	-11.7	6.7	7.5	282,418	345,680	-18.3
FIAT	5.3	5.5	52,467	59,076	-11.2	4.7	5.4	200,181	248,550	-19.5
LANCIA/CHRYSLER	0.9	0.8	9,228	8,585	+7.5	0.9	0.8	35,985	35,967	+0.1
ALFA ROMEO	0.9	1.2	8,488	12,416	-31.6	0.8	1.1	34,932	51,795	-32.6
JEEP	0.2	0.2	2,168	1,691	+28.2	0.2	0.1	9,190	6,252	+47.0
Other (2)	0.1	0.1	568	793	-28.4	0.1	0.1	2,130	3,116	-31.6
BMW Group	6.7	6.1	66,577	64,909	+2.6	6.1	5.6	258,183	256,732	+0.6
BMW	5.4	4.9	54,028	52,314	+3.3	4.9	4.5	207,009	206,261	+0.4
MINI	1.3	1.2	12,549	12,595	-0.4	1.2	1.1	51,174	50,471	+1.4
DAIMLER	5.6	5.1	55,557	55,013	+1.0	5.2	4.6	220,292	212,007	+3.9
MERCEDES	4.9	4.5	48,645	47,759	+1.9	4.6	4.0	194,357	184,150	+5.5
SMART	0.7	0.7	6,912	7,254	-4.7	0.6	0.6	25,935	27,857	-6.9
TOYOTA Group	3.8	4.1	37,717	43,870	-14.0	4.3	4.4	183,483	201,095	-8.8
TOYOTA	3.6	3.8	35,811	40,809	-12.2	4.1	4.2	173,381	192,054	-9.7
LEXUS	0.2	0.3	1,906	3,061	-37.7	0.2	0.2	10,102	9,041	+11.7
NISSAN	2.8	3.3	27,487	34,828	-21.1	3.6	3.5	151,619	158,336	-4.2
HYUNDAI	3.2	3.0	31,793	32,011	-0.7	3.2	2.7	134,972	124,049	+8.8
KIA	2.5	1.9	24,479	20,241	+20.9	2.3	1.7	96,256	75,662	+27.2
VOLVO CAR CORP.	2.0	2.0	19,422	21,093	-7.9	1.9	1.9	80,442	86,369	-6.9
SUZUKI	1.1	1.3	10,576	13,937	-24.1	1.2	1.4	50,748	62,471	-18.8
MAZDA	0.9	0.9	8,750	9,964	-12.2	1.1	1.2	46,216	52,997	-12.8
MITSUBISHI	0.6	0.9	5,841	9,890	-40.9	0.6	0.9	27,075	40,996	-34.0
JAGUAR LAND ROV	0.8	0.5	7,709	5,784	+33.3	1.1	0.7	45,138	33,841	+33.4
LAND ROVER	0.6	0.4	6,191	4,627	+33.8	0.9	0.6	36,798	26,347	+39.7
JAGUAR	0.2	0.1	1,518	1,157	+31.2	0.2	0.2	8,340	7,494	+11.3
HONDA	0.9	0.8	8,877	8,847	+0.3	1.0	1.2	42,673	54,154	-21.2
OTHER**	1.0	1.2	9,883	12,618	-21.7	1.5	1.4	61,327	63,430	-3.3

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

(2) FIAT Group: FIAT 'others' include Dodge, Ferrari, Maserati

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