

Newly Registered Number of Imported Vehicles as of February 2012 (Quick Report)

The number of vehicles produced by foreign manufacturers newly registered in February 2012 was 18,308 units, increased by 29.1% compared with the same month of last year (14,183 units). The cumulative total since January 2012 was 31,401 units, increased by 29.0% compared with the same period of last year (24,343 units).

The total number of vehicles produced by foreign manufacturers and Japanese manufacturers newly registered in February, was 24,821 units, increased by 21.8% compared with the same month of last year (20,376 units). The cumulative total since January 2012 was 42,758 units, increased by 21.4% compared with the same period of last year (35,225 units).

	February			Cumulative Total since January		
	2012-a	2011-b	a/b%	2012-c	2011-d	a/b%
Passenger Cars	18,124	14,031	129.2	31,103	24,065	129.2
Trucks	180	147	122.4	289	269	107.4
Buses	4	5	80.0	9	9	100.0
Total Number of Foreign Vehicles	18,308	14,183	129.1	31,401	24,343	129.0
Passenger Cars	5,363	5,109	105.0	9,255	8,864	104.4
Trucks	1,150	1,084	106.1	2,102	2,018	104.2
Buses						
Total Number of Japanese Vehicles	6,513	6,193	105.2	11,357	10,882	104.4
Total Passenger Cars	23,487	19,140	122.7	40,358	32,929	122.6
Total Trucks	1,330	1,231	108.0	2,391	2,287	104.5
Total Buses	4	5	80.0	9	9	100.0
Grand Total	24,821	20,376	121.8	42,758	35,225	121.4

**Newly Registered Imported Vehicles by Brand
(Total Passenger Cars, Trucks and Buses)**

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	February				Cumulative Total since January			
	2012-a	Share%	2011-b	a/b%	2012-c	Share%	2011-d	c/d%
VW	5,174	20.85	3,697	140.0	8,481	19.83	6,455	131.4
Nissan	4,854	19.56	4,668	104.0	8,184	19.14	8,168	100.2
Mercedes-Benz	3,036	12.23	2,249	135.0	5,191	12.14	3,825	135.7
BMW	2,539	10.23	1,986	127.8	4,502	10.53	3,409	132.1
Audi	1,618	6.52	1,542	104.9	3,525	8.24	2,938	120.0
Toyota	1,492	6.01	1,122	133.0	2,880	6.74	2,078	138.6
BMW MINI	1,325	5.34	779	170.1	2,115	4.95	1,333	158.7
Volvo	896	3.61	709	126.4	1,508	3.53	1,197	126.0
Peugeot	520	2.10	478	108.8	800	1.87	747	107.1
Fiat	403	1.62	384	104.9	653	1.53	611	106.9
Jeep	363	1.46	298	121.8	619	1.45	371	166.8
Ford	366	1.47	285	128.4	608	1.42	503	120.9
Citroen	357	1.44	246	145.1	532	1.24	387	137.5
Porsche	284	1.14	269	105.6	510	1.19	440	115.9
Alfa Romeo	359	1.45	214	167.8	485	1.13	349	139.0
Renault	244	0.98	280	87.1	427	1.00	459	93.0
Suzuki	130	0.52	278	46.8	228	0.53	413	55.2
Chevrolet	111	0.45	78	142.3	205	0.48	133	154.1
Cadillac	122	0.49	127	96.1	198	0.46	211	93.8
Dodge	115	0.46	56	205.4	184	0.43	102	180.4
Land Rover	112	0.45	63	177.8	166	0.39	121	137.2
Jaguar	77	0.31	81	95.1	135	0.32	138	97.8
smart	67	0.27	117	57.3	131	0.31	183	71.6
Chrysler	42	0.17	54	77.8	73	0.17	88	83.0
Ferrari	21	0.08	34	61.8	68	0.16	70	97.1
Honda	37	0.15	114	32.5	65	0.15	203	32.0
Lotus	26	0.10	21	123.8	45	0.11	35	128.6
Maserati	21	0.08	17	123.5	41	0.10	32	128.1
Hummer	19	0.08	21	90.5	39	0.09	43	90.7
Lancia	18	0.07	7	257.1	26	0.06	12	216.7
Aston Martin	13	0.05	14	92.9	21	0.05	26	80.8
GMC	12	0.05	13	92.3	20	0.05	21	95.2
Bentley	7	0.03	5	140.0	18	0.04	5	360.0
Lamborghini	10	0.04	14	71.4	16	0.04	16	100.0
Hyundai	8	0.03	5	160.0	14	0.03	9	155.6
Rolls Royce	6	0.02	6	100.0	12	0.03	14	85.7
BMW Alpina	5	0.02	16	31.3	8	0.02	25	32.0
Rover	3	0.01	2	150.0	7	0.02	5	140.0
MG					2	0.00	1	200.0
Morgan			2		2	0.00	3	66.7
Pontiac	1	0.00	3	33.3	2	0.00	3	66.7
Bugatti	1	0.00			1	0.00		
Maybach			1		1	0.00	1	100.0
Saab	1	0.00	3	33.3	1	0.00	9	11.1
Unimog	1	0.00			1	0.00	4	25.0
Zagato					1	0.00		
Buick			2				2	
Mitsubishi			11				20	
Others	5	0.02	5	100.0	7	0.02	7	100.0
Total	24,821	100.00	20,376	121.8	42,758	100.00	35,225	121.4

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Newly Registered Foreign Manufacturers Vehicles

Foreign Manufacturers (Passenger Cars)

Feb. '12

	February 2012			Same month of last year		Cumulative Total since January		
	Standard	Small	Total-a	Total-b	a/b%	2012-c	2011-d	c/d%
VW	3,564	1,610	5,174	3,697	140.0	8,481	6,455	131.4
Mercedes-Benz	3,035		3,035	2,248	135.0	5,186	3,822	135.7
BMW	2,537	2	2,539	1,986	127.8	4,502	3,409	132.1
Audi	1,618		1,618	1,542	104.9	3,525	2,938	120.0
BMW MINI	481	844	1,325	779	170.1	2,115	1,333	158.7
Volvo	879		879	695	126.5	1,479	1,170	126.4
Peugeot	520		520	478	108.8	800	747	107.1
Fiat	6	397	403	384	104.9	653	611	106.9
Jeep	363		363	298	121.8	619	371	166.8
Ford	332		332	238	139.5	552	421	131.1
Citroen	354	2	356	246	144.7	531	387	137.2
Porsche	283	1	284	269	105.6	510	440	115.9
Alfa Romeo	358	1	359	214	167.8	485	349	139.0
Renault	215	29	244	280	87.1	427	458	93.2
Land Rover	105		105	60	175.0	159	114	139.5
Dodge	98		98	47	208.5	157	85	184.7
Chevrolet	80		80	57	140.4	156	102	152.9
Jaguar	77		77	81	95.1	135	138	97.8
smart		67	67	117	57.3	131	183	71.6
Cadillac	69		69	94	73.4	113	146	77.4
Chrysler	42		42	54	77.8	73	88	83.0
Ferrari	21		21	34	61.8	68	70	97.1
Lotus	25	1	26	21	123.8	45	35	128.6
Maserati	21		21	17	123.5	41	32	128.1
Lancia	5	13	18	7	257.1	26	12	216.7
Aston Martin	11	2	13	14	92.9	21	26	80.8
Bentley	7		7	5	140.0	18	5	360.0
Hummer	7		7	11	63.6	16	23	69.6
Lamborghini	10		10	14	71.4	16	16	100.0
Rolls Royce	6		6	6	100.0	12	14	85.7
GMC	7		7	4	175.0	11	7	157.1
Hyundai	3	1	4			9	2	450.0
BMW Alpina	5		5	16	31.3	8	25	32.0
Rover	1	1	2	2	100.0	6	5	120.0
MG						2	1	200.0
Morgan				2		2	3	66.7
Pontiac	1		1	3	33.3	2	3	66.7
Bugatti	1		1			1		
Maybach				1		1	1	100.0
Saab	1		1	3	33.3	1	9	11.1
Zagato						1		
Buick				2			2	
Others	2	3	5	5	100.0	7	7	100.0
Total	15,150	2,974	18,124	14,031	129.2	31,103	24,065	129.2

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Foreign Manufacturers (Trucks)

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	February 2012			Same month of last year			Cumulative Total since January		
	Standard	Small	Total-a	Total-b	a/b%	2012-c	2011-d	c/d%	
Cadillac	53		53	33	160.6	85	65	130.8	
Ford	34		34	47	72.3	56	82	68.3	
Chevrolet	31		31	21	147.6	49	31	158.1	
Volvo	17		17	14	121.4	29	27	107.4	
Dodge	17		17	9	188.9	27	17	158.8	
Hummer	12		12	10	120.0	23	20	115.0	
GMC	5		5	9	55.6	9	14	64.3	
Land Rover	7		7	3	233.3	7	7	100.0	
Citroen	1		1			1			
Mercedes-Benz	1		1	1	100.0	1	1	100.0	
Rover		1	1			1			
Unimog	1		1			1	4	25.0	
Renault							1		
Total	179	1	180	147	122.4	289	269	107.4	

Foreign Manufacturers (Buses)

	February			Cumulative Total since January		
	2012-a	2011-b	a/b%	2012-c	2011-d	c/d%
Hyundai	4	5	80.0	5	7	71.4
Mercedes-Benz				4	2	200.0
Total	4	5	80.0	9	9	100.0

Newly Registered Japanese manufacturers overseas-made vehicles
Japanese Manufacturers overseas-made vehicles (Passenger Cars)

	February 2012			Same month of last year			Cumulative Total since January		
	Standard	Small	Total-a	Total-b	a/b%	2012-c	2011-d	c/d%	
Nissan	2	4,852	4,854	4,668	104.0	8,183	8,168	100.2	
Toyota	341	1	342	50	684.0	780	81	963.0	
Suzuki		130	130	278	46.8	228	413	55.2	
Honda	37		37	113	32.7	64	202	31.7	
Total	380	4,983	5,363	5,109	105.0	9,255	8,864	104.4	

Japanese Manufacturers overseas-made vehicles (Trucks)

	February 2012			Same month of last year			Cumulative Total since January		
	Standard	Small	Total-a	Total-b	a/b%	2012-c	2011-d	c/d%	
Toyota	27	1,123	1,150	1,072	107.3	2,100	1,997	105.2	
Nissan						1			
Honda				1		1	1	100.0	
Mitsubishi				11			20		
Total	27	1,123	1,150	1,084	106.1	2,102	2,018	104.2	

Grand Total Imported Vehicles

	February 2012			Same month of last year			Cumulative Total since January		
	Standard	Small	Total-a	Total-b	a/b%	2012-c	2011-d	c/d%	
Passenger Cars	15,530	7,957	23,487	19,140	122.7	40,358	32,929	122.6	
Trucks	206	1,124	1,330	1,231	108.0	2,391	2,287	104.5	
Buses			4	5	80.0	9	9	100.0	
Grand Total	15,736	9,081	24,821	20,376	121.8	42,758	35,225	121.4	

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Newly Registered Vehicles by Prefecture

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	Passenger Cars						Total Passenger Cars/Trucks/Buses					
	February			Cumulative Total since January			February			Cumulative Total since January		
	2012-a	2011-b	a/b%	2012-c	2011-d	c/d%	2012-e	2011-f	e/f%	2012-g	2011-h	g/h%
Hokkaido	598	418	143.1	934	743	125.7	657	468	140.4	1,030	841	122.5
Aomori	114	60	190.0	163	104	156.7	132	74	178.4	195	137	142.3
Iwate	92	86	107.0	150	159	94.3	115	99	116.2	194	188	103.2
Miyagi	378	271	139.5	663	496	133.7	411	296	138.9	729	541	134.8
Akita	117	91	128.6	171	141	121.3	123	102	120.6	184	160	115.0
Yamagata	156	124	125.8	263	221	119.0	173	145	119.3	295	258	114.3
Fukushima	207	205	101.0	378	349	108.3	224	233	96.1	411	390	105.4
Ibaraki	539	418	128.9	979	754	129.8	570	436	130.7	1,030	803	128.3
Tochigi	385	335	114.9	695	601	115.6	409	355	115.2	730	637	114.6
Gunma	486	347	140.1	820	617	132.9	518	368	140.8	873	655	133.3
Saitama	1,395	1,002	139.2	2,286	1,775	128.8	1,490	1,086	137.2	2,440	1,906	128.0
Chiba	1,142	904	126.3	1,962	1,594	123.1	1,186	956	124.1	2,057	1,688	121.9
Tokyo	3,438	3,054	112.6	5,988	5,248	114.1	3,554	3,153	112.7	6,214	5,432	114.4
Kanagawa	2,226	1,878	118.5	3,969	3,266	121.5	2,295	1,958	117.2	4,095	3,416	119.9
Yamanashi	164	143	114.7	285	242	117.8	172	154	111.7	299	261	114.6
Niigata	292	262	111.5	467	428	109.1	309	280	110.4	508	473	107.4
Toyama	172	126	136.5	287	220	130.5	190	143	132.9	325	257	126.5
Ishikawa	171	151	113.2	271	253	107.1	190	171	111.1	306	284	107.7
Nagano	366	328	111.6	643	539	119.3	400	367	109.0	696	602	115.6
Fukui	160	122	131.1	252	217	116.1	171	136	125.7	272	235	115.7
Gifu	408	351	116.2	697	617	113.0	446	373	119.6	757	660	114.7
Shizuoka	891	771	115.6	1,545	1,362	113.4	926	826	112.1	1,615	1,457	110.8
Aichi	1,927	1,613	119.5	3,462	2,720	127.3	2,094	1,760	119.0	3,798	2,981	127.4
Mie	396	357	110.9	719	611	117.7	416	369	112.7	750	640	117.2
Shiga	228	132	172.7	372	240	155.0	235	143	164.3	388	264	147.0
Kyoto	434	355	122.3	733	631	116.2	454	370	122.7	769	660	116.5
Osaka	1,506	1,136	132.6	2,517	1,909	131.8	1,591	1,230	129.3	2,645	2,059	128.5
Nara	233	207	112.6	396	336	117.9	248	215	115.3	418	352	118.8
Wakayama	140	141	99.3	243	212	114.6	149	145	102.8	261	224	116.5
Hyogo	1,056	972	108.6	1,877	1,602	117.2	1,094	1,015	107.8	1,946	1,662	117.1
Tottori	73	59	123.7	115	83	138.6	78	62	125.8	123	91	135.2
Shimane	90	60	150.0	126	100	126.0	95	64	148.4	135	107	126.2
Okayama	331	257	128.8	567	419	135.3	344	272	126.5	588	442	133.0
Hiroshima	450	391	115.1	719	604	119.0	467	414	112.8	752	652	115.3
Yamaguchi	261	169	154.4	429	311	137.9	270	178	151.7	442	332	133.1
Tokushima	112	94	119.1	202	155	130.3	121	106	114.2	218	177	123.2
Kagawa	191	130	146.9	314	191	164.4	208	140	148.6	339	218	155.5
Ehime	182	131	138.9	315	236	133.5	192	139	138.1	331	253	130.8
Kochi	105	70	150.0	177	130	136.2	120	74	162.2	196	145	135.2
Fukuoka	857	676	126.8	1,495	1,198	124.8	905	711	127.3	1,589	1,276	124.5
Saga	94	71	132.4	167	119	140.3	106	78	135.9	183	129	141.9
Nagasaki	122	138	88.4	230	212	108.5	131	140	93.6	246	218	112.8
Kumamoto	180	180	100.0	297	300	99.0	188	190	98.9	312	320	97.5
Oita	151	116	130.2	285	208	137.0	162	120	135.0	301	220	136.8
Miyazaki	92	82	112.2	196	158	124.1	95	87	109.2	205	173	118.5
Kagoshima	167	123	135.8	290	240	120.8	176	139	126.6	307	280	109.6
Okinawa	212	33	642.4	247	58	425.9	221	36	613.9	261	69	378.3
Grand Total	23,487	19,140	122.7	40,358	32,929	122.6	24,821	20,376	121.8	42,758	35,225	121.4

Newly Registered Imported Vehicles by Brand (Total Passenger Cars, Trucks and Buses) : Top 10

	Brand	February 2012-a	February 2011-b	a/b%	Share%
1	VW	5,174	3,697	140.0	20.8
2	Nissan	4,854	4,668	104.0	19.6
3	Mercedes-Benz	3,036	2,249	135.0	12.2
4	BMW	2,539	1,986	127.8	10.2
5	Audi	1,618	1,542	104.9	6.5
6	Toyota	1,492	1,122	133.0	6.0
7	BMW MINI	1,325	779	170.1	5.3
8	Volvo	896	709	126.4	3.6
9	Peugeot	520	478	108.8	2.1
10	Fiat	403	384	104.9	1.6