

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

The number of vehicles produced by foreign manufacturers newly registered in December 2012 was 27,485 units, increased by 19.6% compared with the same month of last year (22,985 units). The cumulative total since January 2012 was 241,563 units, increased by 17.3% compared with the same period of last year (205,857 units).

The total number of vehicles produced by foreign manufacturers and Japanese manufacturers newly registered in December, was 32,284 units, increased by 22.9% compared with the same month of last year (26,265 units). The cumulative total since January 2012 was 315,993 units, increased by 14.6% compared with the same period of last year (275,644 units).

	December			Cumulative Total since January		
	2012-a	2011-b	a/b%	2012-c	2011-d	a/b%
Passenger Cars	27,298	22,773	119.9	239,546	203,800	117.5
Trucks	179	211	84.8	1,945	1,999	97.3
Buses	8	1	800.0	72	58	124.1
Total Number of Foreign Vehicles	27,485	22,985	119.6	241,563	205,857	117.3
Passenger Cars	3,872	2,290	169.1	61,048	56,907	107.3
Trucks	927	990	93.6	13,382	12,880	103.9
Buses						
Total Number of Japanese Vehicles	4,799	3,280	146.3	74,430	69,787	106.7
Total Passenger Cars	31,170	25,063	124.4	300,594	260,707	115.3
Total Trucks	1,106	1,201	92.1	15,327	14,879	103.0
Total Buses	8	1	800.0	72	58	124.1
Grand Total	32,284	26,265	122.9	315,993	275,644	114.6

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

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	December				Cumulative Total since January			
	2012-a	Share%	2011-b	a/b%	2012-c	Share%	2011-d	c/d%
VW	5,572	17.26	4,194	132.9	56,191	17.78	50,635	111.0
Nissan	2,164	6.70	1,729	125.2	42,422	13.42	50,269	84.4
Mercedes-Benz	5,813	18.01	4,081	142.4	41,911	13.26	33,212	126.2
BMW	5,539	17.16	5,183	106.9	41,102	13.01	34,195	120.2
Audi	2,062	6.39	1,753	117.6	24,163	7.65	21,166	114.2
Toyota	1,203	3.73	1,494	80.5	18,025	5.70	15,377	117.2
BMW MINI	1,671	5.18	1,468	113.8	16,212	5.13	14,350	113.0
Volvo	1,767	5.47	2,105	83.9	14,123	4.47	11,997	117.7
Mitsubishi	1,359	4.21	1	135900.0	12,767	4.04	105	12159.0
Fiat	567	1.76	596	95.1	5,667	1.79	5,960	95.1
Peugeot	601	1.86	713	84.3	5,649	1.79	6,137	92.0
Jeep	532	1.65	399	133.3	4,979	1.58	3,154	157.9
Porsche	626	1.94	441	142.0	4,661	1.48	3,658	127.4
Alfa Romeo	490	1.52	140	350.0	4,452	1.41	1,863	239.0
Ford	304	0.94	343	88.6	3,952	1.25	3,469	113.9
Citroen	356	1.10	362	98.3	3,796	1.20	3,094	122.7
Renault	263	0.81	234	112.4	3,108	0.98	3,068	101.3
Land Rover	345	1.07	88	392.0	1,840	0.58	942	195.3
Chevrolet	138	0.43	142	97.2	1,477	0.47	1,268	116.5
smart	135	0.42	132	102.3	1,401	0.44	1,214	115.4
Cadillac	133	0.41	138	96.4	1,255	0.40	1,392	90.2
Dodge	83	0.26	129	64.3	1,083	0.34	1,106	97.9
Suzuki	69	0.21	15	460.0	1,028	0.33	3,091	33.3
Jaguar	65	0.20	75	86.7	1,014	0.32	1,020	99.4
Chrysler	190	0.59	63	301.6	782	0.25	611	128.0
Ferrari	53	0.16	39	135.9	517	0.16	386	133.9
Maserati	28	0.09	16	175.0	311	0.10	249	124.9
Lotus	18	0.06	20	90.0	262	0.08	271	96.7
Hummer	11	0.03	22	50.0	225	0.07	293	76.8
Bentley	8	0.02	14	57.1	216	0.07	126	171.4
Honda	4	0.01	41	9.8	187	0.06	945	19.8
Lamborghini	16	0.05	14	114.3	177	0.06	99	178.8
Aston Martin	17	0.05	16	106.3	166	0.05	140	118.6
BMW Alpina	16	0.05	8	200.0	152	0.05	141	107.8
Lancia	8	0.02	11	72.7	126	0.04	96	131.3
Hyundai	12	0.04	4	300.0	108	0.03	81	133.3
GMC	5	0.02	15	33.3	107	0.03	117	91.5
Rolls Royce	12	0.04	6	200.0	90	0.03	80	112.5
Rover	8	0.02	8	100.0	57	0.02	49	116.3
Mclaren	4	0.01			42	0.01		
Saab	1	0.00	2	50.0	21	0.01	60	35.0
Morgan	1	0.00			15	0.00	16	93.8
Maybach	2	0.01			13	0.00	9	144.4
Pontiac	2	0.01	2	100.0	11	0.00	12	91.7
Unimog	1	0.00	2	50.0	10	0.00	7	142.9
MG	1	0.00	1	100.0	9	0.00	11	81.8
Bugatti					4	0.00	2	200.0
Ssangyong					3	0.00		
Autobianchi	1	0.00			2	0.00	2	100.0
Kia					2	0.00	3	66.7
Mini			2		2	0.00	4	50.0
PROTON					2	0.00		
RUF					2	0.00		
Zagato					2	0.00		
Artega					1	0.00		
Buick			1		1	0.00	11	9.1
Detomaso					1	0.00	4	25.0
Saturn					1	0.00	1	100.0
Subaru					1	0.00		
DAEWOO							2	
GMDAT							5	
Opel							1	
Others	8	0.02	3	266.7	87	0.03	68	127.9
Total	32,284	100.00	26,265	122.9	315,993	100.00	275,644	114.6

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Newly Registered Foreign Manufacturers Vehicles

Foreign Manufacturers (Passenger Cars)

Dec. '12

	December 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	3,668	1,903	5,571	4,193	132.9	56,188	50,631	111.0
Mercedes-Benz	5,812		5,812	4,081	142.4	41,901	33,207	126.2
BMW	5,535	4	5,539	5,183	106.9	41,102	34,195	120.2
Audi	2,060	2	2,062	1,753	117.6	24,163	21,166	114.2
BMW MINI	646	1,025	1,671	1,468	113.8	16,212	14,350	113.0
Volvo	1,736	1	1,737	2,084	83.3	13,878	11,787	117.7
Fiat	21	546	567	596	95.1	5,667	5,960	95.1
Peugeot	601		601	713	84.3	5,649	6,137	92.0
Jeep	532		532	399	133.3	4,977	3,154	157.8
Porsche	624	2	626	441	142.0	4,661	3,658	127.4
Alfa Romeo	488	2	490	140	350.0	4,452	1,863	239.0
Citroen	355	1	356	362	98.3	3,795	3,092	122.7
Ford	270		270	300	90.0	3,543	2,975	119.1
Renault	240	23	263	234	112.4	3,108	3,066	101.4
Land Rover	340		340	83	409.6	1,771	890	199.0
smart		135	135	132	102.3	1,401	1,214	115.4
Chevrolet	112	1	113	108	104.6	1,150	957	120.2
Jaguar	65		65	75	86.7	1,014	1,020	99.4
Dodge	68		68	111	61.3	930	962	96.7
Chrysler	146	44	190	63	301.6	777	608	127.8
Cadillac	72		72	73	98.6	735	864	85.1
Ferrari	53		53	39	135.9	517	386	133.9
Maserati	28		28	16	175.0	311	249	124.9
Lotus	13	5	18	20	90.0	262	271	96.7
Bentley	8		8	14	57.1	216	126	171.4
Lamborghini	16		16	14	114.3	177	99	178.8
Aston Martin	17		17	16	106.3	166	140	118.6
BMW Alpina	16		16	8	200.0	152	141	107.8
Lancia	4	4	8	11	72.7	126	96	131.3
Hummer	7		7	11	63.6	109	134	81.3
Rolls Royce	12		12	6	200.0	90	80	112.5
Rover	1	7	8	8	100.0	56	48	116.7
Hyundai	4		4	3	133.3	44	32	137.5
Mclaren	4		4			42		
GMC	3		3	4	75.0	34	39	87.2
Saab	1		1	2	50.0	21	60	35.0
Morgan		1	1			15	16	93.8
Maybach	2		2			13	9	144.4
Pontiac	2		2	2	100.0	11	12	91.7
MG		1	1	1	100.0	9	11	81.8
Bugatti						4	2	200.0
Ssangyong						3		
Autobianchi		1	1			2	2	100.0
Kia						2	3	66.7
PROTON						2		
RUF						2		
Zagato						2		
Artega						1		
Buick				1		1	11	9.1
Detomaso						1	4	25.0
Mini				2		1	4	25.0
Saturn						1	1	100.0
DAEWOO							2	
GMDAT							5	
Opel							1	
Others	3	5	8	3	266.7	79	60	131.7
Total	23,585	3,713	27,298	22,773	119.9	239,546	203,800	117.5

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Foreign Manufacturers (Trucks)

Dec. '12

	December 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	61		61	65	93.8	520	528	98.5
Ford	34		34	43	79.1	408	494	82.6
Chevrolet	25		25	34	73.5	327	311	105.1
Volvo	30		30	21	142.9	245	210	116.7
Dodge	15		15	18	83.3	153	144	106.3
Hummer	4		4	11	36.4	116	159	73.0
GMC	2		2	11	18.2	73	78	93.6
Land Rover	5		5	5	100.0	69	52	132.7
Unimog	1		1	2	50.0	10	7	142.9
Mercedes-Benz	1		1			6	3	200.0
Chrysler						5	3	166.7
VW	1		1	1	100.0	3	4	75.0
Jeep						2		
Citroen						1	2	50.0
Mini						1		
Rover						1	1	100.0
Renault							2	
Others						5	1	500.0
Total	179		179	211	84.8	1,945	1,999	97.3

Foreign Manufacturers (Buses)

	December			Cumulative Total since January		
	2012-a	2011-b	a/b%	2012-c	2011-d	c/d%
Hyundai	8	1	800.0	64	49	130.6
Mercedes-Benz				4	2	200.0
Ford				1		
Others				3	7	42.9
Total	8	1	800.0	72	58	124.1

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

	December 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	3	2,160	2,163	1,729	125.1	42,410	50,269	84.4
Mitsubishi		1,359	1,359			12,764	6	212,733.3
Toyota	277		277	506	54.7	4,660	2,600	179.2
Suzuki		69	69	15	460.0	1,028	3,091	33.3
Honda	3	1	4	40	10.0	185	941	19.7
Subaru						1		
Total	283	3,589	3,872	2,290	169.1	61,048	56,907	107.3

Japanese Manufacturers overseas-made vehicles (Trucks)

	December 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	38	888	926	988	93.7	13,365	12,777	104.6
Nissan	1		1			12		
Mitsubishi				1		3	99	3.0
Honda				1		2	4	50.0
Total	39	888	927	990	93.6	13,382	12,880	103.9

Grand Total Imported Vehicles

	December 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	23,868	7,302	31,170	25,063	124.4	300,594	260,707	115.3
Trucks	218	888	1,106	1,201	92.1	15,327	14,879	103.0
Buses			8	1	800.0	72	58	124.1
Grand Total	24,086	8,190	32,284	26,265	122.9	315,993	275,644	114.6

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Newly Registered Vehicles by Prefecture

Dec. '12

	Passenger Cars						Total Passenger Cars/Trucks/Buses					
	December			Cumulative Total since January			December			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	697	491	142.0	8,783	8,178	107.4	742	542	136.9	9,473	8,879	106.7
Aomori	92	62	148.4	1,235	966	127.8	105	77	136.4	1,433	1,153	124.3
Iwate	168	86	195.3	1,591	1,409	112.9	182	97	187.6	1,815	1,580	114.9
Miyagi	476	359	132.6	4,948	4,548	108.8	498	400	124.5	5,383	4,914	109.5
Akita	96	92	104.3	1,439	1,261	114.1	108	102	105.9	1,568	1,370	114.5
Yamagata	147	141	104.3	1,960	1,757	111.6	158	155	101.9	2,156	1,945	110.8
Fukushima	278	199	139.7	3,317	2,616	126.8	315	220	143.2	3,601	2,873	125.3
Ibaraki	1,052	511	205.9	6,724	5,239	128.3	1,075	527	204.0	7,087	5,563	127.4
Tochigi	458	367	124.8	4,927	4,161	118.4	478	383	124.8	5,172	4,401	117.5
Gunma	545	415	131.3	5,328	4,397	121.2	570	443	128.7	5,624	4,647	121.0
Saitama	1,587	1,260	126.0	15,553	13,260	117.3	1,636	1,332	122.8	16,319	13,995	116.6
Chiba	1,353	1,192	113.5	13,660	11,814	115.6	1,401	1,235	113.4	14,236	12,443	114.4
Tokyo	5,131	4,665	110.0	45,493	40,054	113.6	5,215	4,776	109.2	46,852	41,455	113.0
Kanagawa	2,867	2,499	114.7	28,204	24,609	114.6	2,921	2,571	113.6	28,989	25,463	113.8
Yamanashi	190	209	90.9	2,096	1,805	116.1	207	217	95.4	2,207	1,945	113.5
Niigata	321	254	126.4	4,003	3,568	112.2	344	271	126.9	4,337	3,845	112.8
Toyama	170	143	118.9	2,205	1,841	119.8	180	158	113.9	2,388	2,049	116.5
Ishikawa	225	148	152.0	2,292	2,089	109.7	235	166	141.6	2,508	2,302	108.9
Nagano	396	336	117.9	4,498	4,068	110.6	417	359	116.2	4,819	4,362	110.5
Fukui	181	175	103.4	1,985	1,740	114.1	191	182	104.9	2,109	1,848	114.1
Gifu	522	421	124.0	5,266	4,754	110.8	552	453	121.9	5,642	5,105	110.5
Shizuoka	1,023	857	119.4	10,733	9,484	113.2	1,077	910	118.4	11,397	10,147	112.3
Aichi	3,212	2,165	148.4	26,104	22,351	116.8	3,361	2,330	144.2	28,118	24,138	116.5
Mie	490	367	133.5	5,016	4,364	114.9	507	387	131.0	5,252	4,568	115.0
Shiga	267	250	106.8	2,856	2,508	113.9	273	254	107.5	3,027	2,665	113.6
Kyoto	570	468	121.8	5,955	4,980	119.6	590	492	119.9	6,211	5,231	118.7
Osaka	2,165	1,817	119.2	19,475	16,594	117.4	2,213	1,868	118.5	20,329	17,423	116.7
Nara	300	260	115.4	3,057	2,708	112.9	306	269	113.8	3,158	2,833	111.5
Wakayama	177	175	101.1	1,891	1,663	113.7	187	183	102.2	1,971	1,744	113.0
Hyogo	1,509	1,303	115.8	14,247	12,692	112.3	1,538	1,334	115.3	14,654	13,141	111.5
Tottori	72	53	135.8	867	731	118.6	76	56	135.7	920	780	117.9
Shimane	87	53	164.2	973	821	118.5	94	57	164.9	1,047	886	118.2
Okayama	421	335	125.7	4,454	3,493	127.5	429	345	124.3	4,573	3,655	125.1
Hiroshima	609	432	141.0	5,704	4,887	116.7	629	459	137.0	5,971	5,190	115.0
Yamaguchi	323	243	132.9	3,115	2,492	125.0	335	252	132.9	3,244	2,612	124.2
Tokushima	151	111	136.0	1,469	1,278	114.9	164	123	133.3	1,579	1,416	111.5
Kagawa	233	170	137.1	2,147	1,646	130.4	238	175	136.0	2,267	1,765	128.4
Ehime	246	200	123.0	2,299	1,892	121.5	257	206	124.8	2,415	1,989	121.4
Kochi	102	70	145.7	1,078	931	115.8	114	73	156.2	1,159	996	116.4
Fukuoka	1,158	878	131.9	11,086	9,625	115.2	1,194	932	128.1	11,646	10,135	114.9
Saga	94	85	110.6	1,157	929	124.5	109	89	122.5	1,240	999	124.1
Nagasaki	118	116	101.7	1,697	1,578	107.5	125	121	103.3	1,801	1,649	109.2
Kumamoto	313	216	144.9	2,737	2,365	115.7	329	235	140.0	2,921	2,550	114.5
Oita	196	140	140.0	2,121	1,829	116.0	198	142	139.4	2,203	1,900	115.9
Miyazaki	117	98	119.4	1,439	1,262	114.0	125	107	116.8	1,539	1,372	112.2
Kagoshima	195	129	151.2	2,183	1,982	110.1	209	143	146.2	2,320	2,138	108.5
Okinawa	70	47	148.9	1,227	1,488	82.5	77	57	135.1	1,313	1,585	82.8
Grand Total	31,170	25,063	124.4	300,594	260,707	115.3	32,284	26,265	122.9	315,993	275,644	114.6