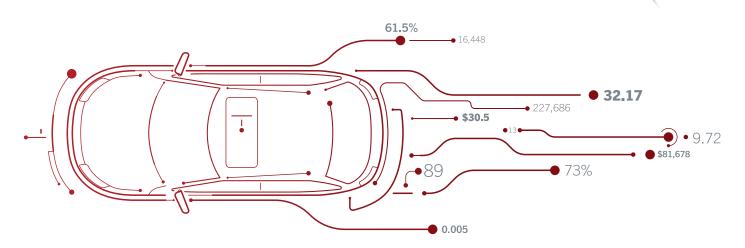
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## 2024

ANNUAL FINANCIAL PROFILE OF AMERICA'S FRANCHISED NEW-CAR DEALERSHIPS







#### Overview



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The *NADA Data* financial profile of new-car dealerships is now published twice a year—as a full annual review at year-end and as a midyear update.

This full-year 2024 review features the many major milestones achieved by the retail auto industry during the first half of 2024, including such highlights as:

- The nation's 16,957 franchised light-vehicle dealers sold 15.9 million light-duty vehicles.
- Total franchised light-vehicle dealership sales topped \$1.2 trillion.
- Dealerships wrote more than 270 million repair orders, with service and parts sales exceeding \$156 billion.

In first-half 2024, new light-vehicle inventory continued to grow steadily. At the end of June, inventory on the ground and in transit totaled 2.8 million units. Inventory dipped in the summer months and ended the year at roughly the same level as in June—2.8 million units, an increase of 22% year over year. More available inventory meant consumers didn't have to wait as long to secure a new vehicle as they did during the past several years. Days' supply varied significantly across brands as the OEMs with the hottest-selling vehicles saw their inventory disappear quickly. Industry average days' supply at the end of 2024 totaled 47 days, an increase of six days from year-end 2023. Inventory is forecast to hover around 3 million units for the first half of 2025 before dipping slightly in the summer and finishing out the year at 2.8 million to 3 million units.

As inventory levels have grown so, too, has OEM incentive spending. According to J.D. Power, average incentive spending per unit totaled \$3,356 in December 2024, up 27.5% year over year. Still, inventory levels vary by OEM, and those with more available inventory are likely to have higher incentive spending in 2025. The average new-vehicle transaction price was up only slightly in 2024, increasing by 1.4%, or \$638, from the previous year.

To improve the breadth of information provided in *NADA Data*, we offer a section focusing on the newand used-vehicle consumer, with in-depth data from Experian. These stats include average monthly payment, average loan term, percentage of vehicles leased and more.

Note: NADA Data was first published in 1979, and some of the methodology and data sources have naturally changed along the way. Therefore, previous reports may not be directly comparable with the current version.

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### New Light-Vehicle Dealerships

#### New Light-Vehicle Dealerships by State, 2024

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Alabama	282
Alaska	27
Arizona	253
Arkansas	207
California	1,340
Colorado	252
Connecticut	252
Delaware	53
Florida	939
Georgia	493
Hawaii	72
ldaho	103
Illinois	701
Indiana	401
lowa	262
Kansas	206
Kentucky	233
Louisiana	292
Maine	110
Maryland	311
Massachusetts	387
Michigan	610
Minnesota	334
Mississippi	180
Missouri	368
Montana	94

s by State, 2024	
Nebraska	153
Nevada	108
New Hampshire	133
New Jersey	464
New Mexico	112
New York	859
North Carolina	585
North Dakota	70
Ohio	714
Oklahoma	246
Oregon	223
Pennsylvania	866
Rhode Island	52
South Carolina	262
South Dakota	83
Tennessee	345
Texas	1,273
Utah	143
Vermont	79
Virginia	470
Washington	312
West Virginia	133
Wisconsin	464
Wyoming	46
Total U.S.	16,957



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Lowest number of
new light-vehicle dealerships

16,957

TOTAL NEW-CAR DEALERSHIPS



### New Light-Vehicle Dealerships (continued)

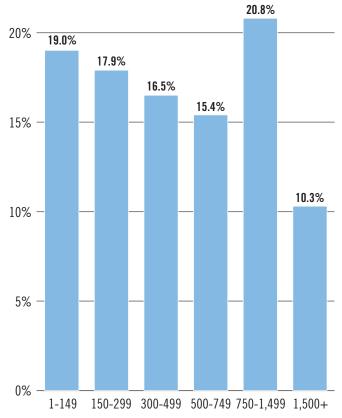
#### Share of Owners by Number of Dealerships Operated, by Year

Number of dealerships	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
1-5	94.8%	94.4%	94.2%	93.9%	93.8%	93.5%	93.0%	92.4%	91.6%	91.0%
6-10	3.5%	3.8%	4.0%	4.1%	4.2%	4.3%	4.5%	4.9%	5.3%	5.5%
11-25	1.5%	1.5%	1.6%	1.6%	1.7%	1.7%	2.0%	2.2%	2.5%	2.7%
26-50	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	0.5%	0.6%
Greater than 50	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%

Source: NADA

#### Share of Dealerships by Volume of New-Unit Sales, 2024

Percent of dealerships 25%



### Dealership Financial Trends

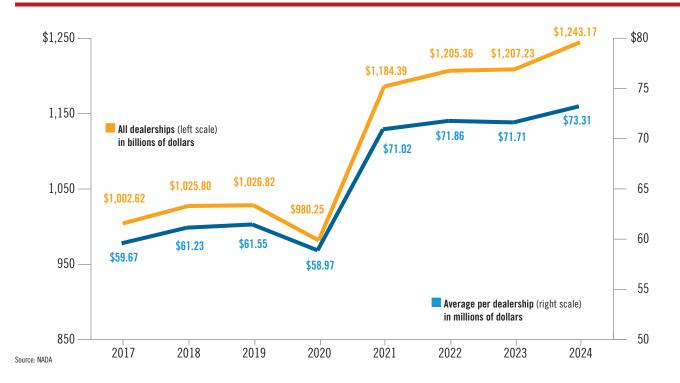
Total Sales by State, 2024

State	All dealerships (\$ millions)	Average per dealership (\$ thousands)
Alabama	\$16,298	\$57,794
Alaska	\$1,986	\$73,551
Arizona	\$26,277	\$103,860
Arkansas	\$11,207	\$54,141
California	\$151,319	\$112,924
Colorado	\$21,303	\$84,536
Connecticut	\$13,650	\$54,167
Delaware	\$4,083	\$77,047
Florida	\$115,437	\$122,936
Georgia	\$36,365	\$73,763
Hawaii	\$4,375	\$60,769
ldaho	\$5,949	\$57,762
Illinois	\$42,815	\$61,077
Indiana	\$19,294	\$48,116
lowa	\$10,156	\$38,764
Kansas	\$7,879	\$38,246
Kentucky	\$11,984	\$51,433
Louisiana	\$15,581	\$53,360
Maine	\$5,970	\$54,268
Maryland	\$21,491	\$69,101
Massachusetts	\$27,451	\$70,932
Michigan	\$43,662	\$71,576
Minnesota	\$17,839	\$53,412
Mississippi	\$8,706	\$48,366
Missouri	\$18,557	\$50,426
Montana	\$4,378	\$46,575

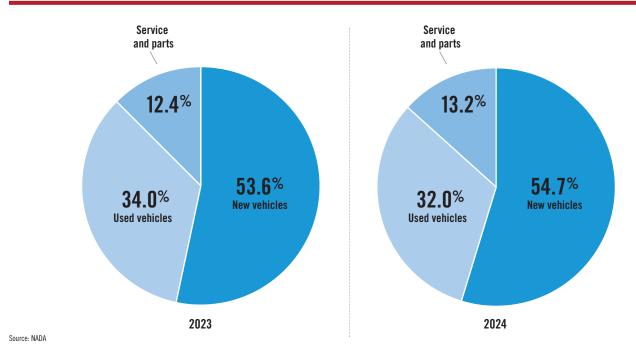
State	All dealerships (\$ millions)	Average per dealership (\$ thousands)
Nebraska	\$6,867	\$44,881
Nevada	\$11,857	\$109,786
New Hampshire	\$7,649	\$57,512
New Jersey	\$44,598	\$96,116
New Mexico	\$6,918	\$61,765
New York	\$76,965	\$89,598
North Carolina	\$36,864	\$63,015
North Dakota	\$3,269	\$46,699
Ohio	\$43,675	\$61,169
Oklahoma	\$12,980	\$52,763
Oregon	\$12,932	\$57,989
Pennsylvania	\$47,077	\$54,361
Rhode Island	\$4,127	\$79,360
South Carolina	\$18,372	\$70,123
South Dakota	\$3,288	\$39,610
Tennessee	\$22,187	\$64,310
Texas	\$125,181	\$98,335
Utah	\$9,697	\$67,811
Vermont	\$3,778	\$47,819
Virginia	\$28,634	\$60,924
Washington	\$23,603	\$75,649
West Virginia	\$6,824	\$51,309
Wisconsin	\$19,954	\$43,004
Wyoming	\$1,865	\$40,552
Total U.S.	\$1,243,171	\$73,313

### Dealership Financial Trends (continued)

#### Total Sales of New-Vehicle Dealerships, by Year

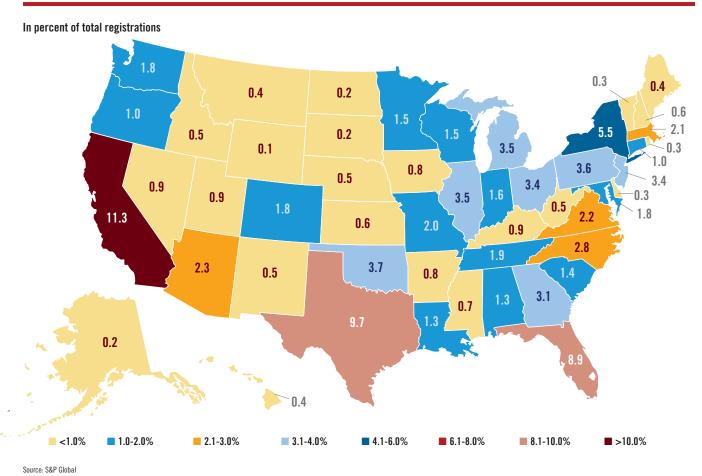


#### **Share of Total Dealership Sales Dollars**



### Dealership Financial Trends (continued)

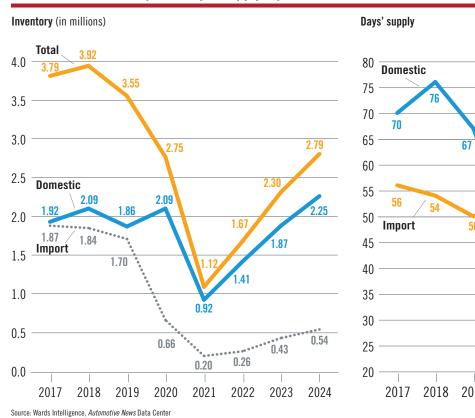
#### New-Vehicle Registrations by State, 2024

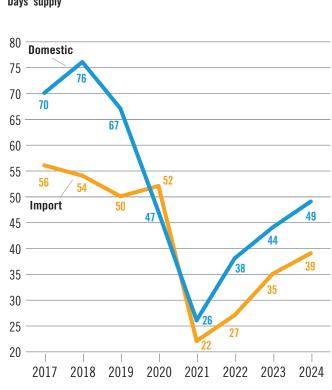


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### New Light-Vehicle Department

#### New-Vehicle Inventory and Days' Supply, by Year

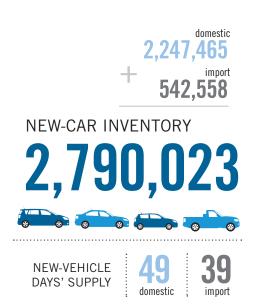




Average Number of New Vehicles Sold Per Dealership and Selling Price, by Year

Year	New vehicles sold	Average retail selling price
2017	1,020	\$34,670
2018	1,028	\$35,608
2019	1,026	\$36,824
2020	870	\$38,961
2021	895	\$42,379
2022	819	\$46,287
2023	918	\$47,014
2024	935	\$47,652

Source: Wards Intelligence, NADA



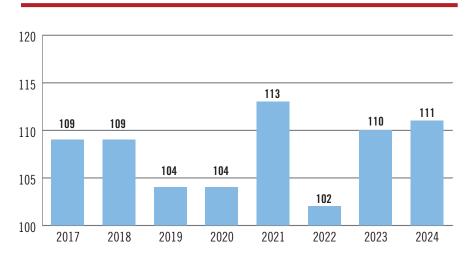
### New Light-Vehicle Department (continued)

New Light-Duty Vehicle Sales, by Year

Year	New cars	Light-duty trucks	Total light-duty vehicles	Light-duty trucks as % of total
2013	7,582,500	7,942,300	15,524,800	51.2%
2014	7,688,900	8,748,100	16,437,000	53.2%
2015	7,525,023	9,861,024	17,386,047	56.7%
2016	6,873,158	10,591,862	17,465,020	60.6%
2017	6,079,584	11,055,149	17,134,733	64.5%
2018	5,304,347	11,910,816	17,215,163	69.2%
2019	4,790,846	12,317,310	17,108,156	72.0%
2020	3,408,778	11,055,157	14,463,935	76.4%
2021	3,339,476	11,587,457	14,926,933	77.6%
2022	2,852,012	10,882,191	13,734,203	79.2%
2023	3,095,930	12,361,517	15,457,447	80.0%
2024	2,969,753	12,881,317	15,851,070	81.3%

Source: Wards Intelligence, Automotive News Data Center

#### Average Dealership New-Vehicle Retail Sales per New-Vehicle Salesperson, by Year





### New Light-Vehicle Department (continued)

#### Market Share by Manufacturer, 2024

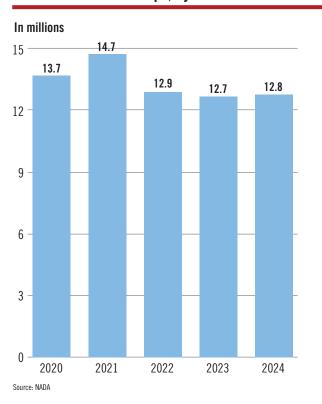
	2024 market share	2024 market share change
BMW	2.5%	0.1%
Ford	12.7%	0.2%
General Motors	17.0%	0.3%
Honda	9.0%	0.5%
Hyundai	10.8%	0.1%
Mazda	2.7%	0.3%
Mercedes-Benz	2.2%	0.0%
Nissan	5.8%	0.0%
Stellantis	8.1%	1.6%
Subaru	4.2%	0.1%
Tesla Motors	3.7%	0.2%
Toyota	14.7%	0.0%
VW	4.1%	0.2%
Other*	2.5%	0.2%

<sup>\*</sup>Includes Jaguar/Land Rover, Lucid, Mitsubishi, Rivian and Volvo

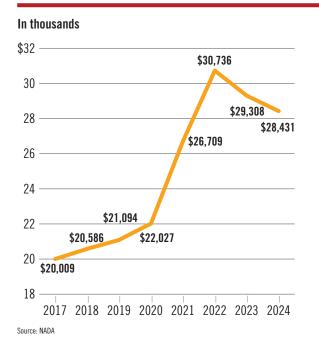
Source: Wards Intelligence

### Used-Vehicle Department

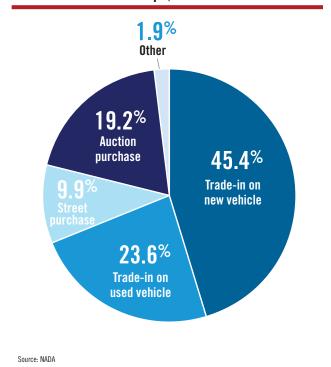
#### **Total Used-Vehicle Sales by** New-Vehicle Dealerships, by Year



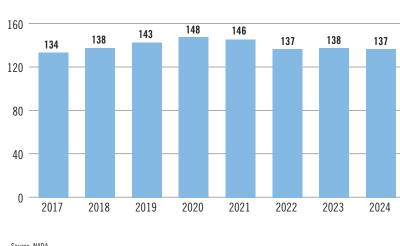
#### **Average Retail Selling Price of Used Vehicles** Sold by New-Vehicle Dealerships, by Year



#### Sources of Used Vehicles Retailed by New-Vehicle Dealerships, 2024

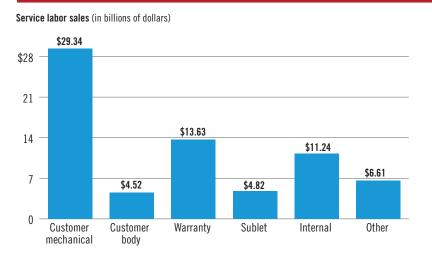


#### Average Dealership Used-Vehicle Retail Sales per Used-Vehicle Salesperson, by Year



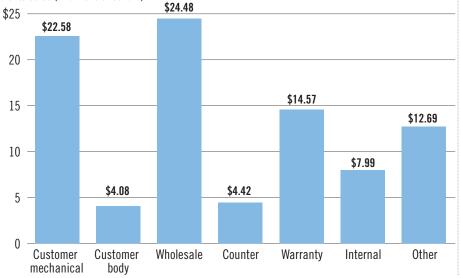
### Service and Parts Department

#### Dealerships' Total Service and Parts Sales, 2024



Source: NADA

#### Parts sales (in billions of dollars)



Source: NADA

\$9.2 million
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SERVICE AND PARTS SALES
(per new-vehicle dealership)



**2/U,869**TECHNICIANS (including body shop)

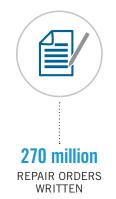
### Dealerships' Total Service and Parts Sales, 2024 (in billions of dollars)

Parts Sales, 2024 (in bi	llions of dollars
Service labor sales	
Customer mechanical	\$29.34
Customer body	\$4.52
Warranty	\$13.63
Sublet	\$4.82
Internal	\$11.24
Other	\$6.61
Total service labor	\$70.16
Parts sales	
Customer mechanical	\$22.58
Customer body	\$4.08
Wholesale	\$24.48
Counter	\$4.42
Warranty	\$14.57
Internal	\$7.99

Source: NADA

**Total parts** 

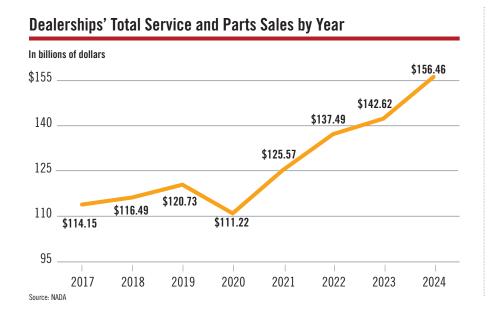
**Other** 



\$12.69

\$90.82

### Service and Parts Department (continued)





#### Profile of Dealerships' Service and Parts Operations, 2024

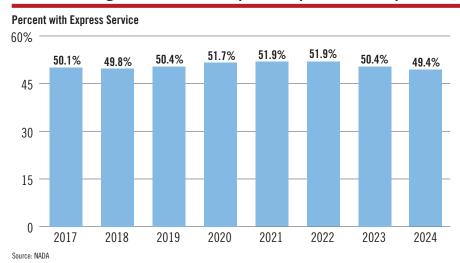
	Average dealership	All dealers
Total service and parts sales	\$9,226,717	\$156,457,436,975
Total number of repair orders written	15,924	270,029,052
Total service and parts sales per customer repair order	\$466	
Total service and parts sales per warranty repair order	\$512	
Parts sales per service labor sale	\$1.51	
Number of technicians (including body shop)	16	270,869
Total parts inventory	\$567,661	\$9,625,825,362
Average customer mechanical labor rate	\$191	

### Service and Parts Department (continued)

#### **RO Counts for All Dealerships, 2024**

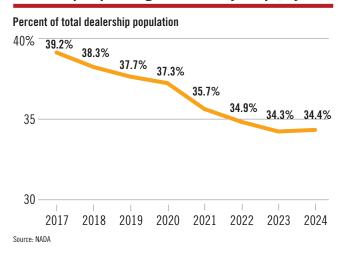


#### Share of New Light-Vehicle Dealerships with Express Service Operations, by Year

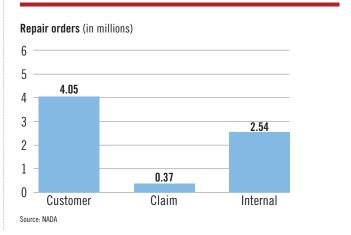


### **Body Shop Department**

#### Dealerships Operating On-Site Body Shops, by Year



### Body Shop Repair Order Counts for All Dealerships, 2024



#### Total Dealership Body Shop Sales, by Year



#### Body Shop Sales per Repair Order, by Year

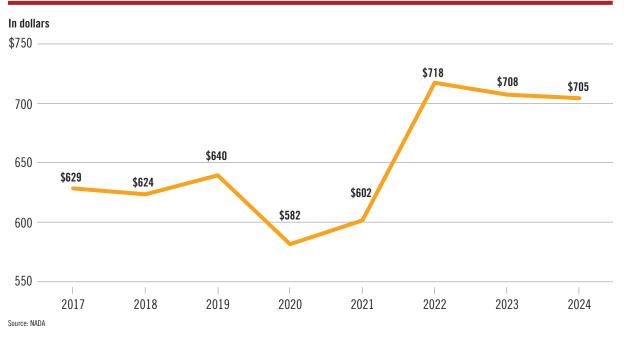


### Dealership Advertising

#### Total Dealership Advertising Expenditures, by Year

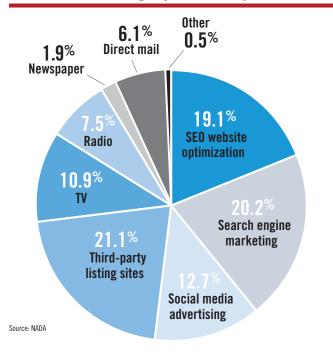


#### Average Dealership Advertising per New Unit Sold, by Year



### Dealership Advertising (continued)

#### Estimated Advertising Expenditures by Medium, 2024



#### Estimated Advertising Expenses per Dealership, 2024

By media used	Average of all dealerships
SEO website optimization	\$103,816
Search engine marketing	\$109,795
Social media advertising	\$69,030
Third-party listing sites	\$114,687
TV	\$59,246
Radio	\$40,765
Newspaper	\$10,327
Direct mail	\$33,156
Other	\$2,718
Total	\$543,539



### **Employment and Payroll**

#### Number of Dealership Employees by State, 2024

State	Total number, all dealers	Average number per dealership
Alabama	15,706	56
Alaska	1,762	65
Arizona	25,174	100
Arkansas	9,648	47
California	111,478	83
Colorado	19,152	76
Connecticut	13,153	52
Delaware	3,754	71
Florida	89,536	95
Georgia	35,309	72
Hawaii	3,872	54
Idaho	6,683	65
Illinois	43,618	62
Indiana	22,558	56
lowa	12,773	49
Kansas	9,808	48
Kentucky	13,313	57
Louisiana	15,716	54
Maine	5,695	52
Maryland	22,832	73
Massachusetts	22,087	57
Michigan	35,037	57
Minnesota	20,045	60
Mississippi	8,708	48
Missouri	22,072	60
Montana	4,036	43
Nebraska	7,538	49
Nevada	9,940	92
New Hampshire	6,694	50
New Jersey	31,311	67
New Mexico	6,582	59
New York	49,677	58

State	Total number, all dealers	Average number per dealership
North Carolina	36,986	63
North Dakota	3,978	57
Ohio	42,298	59
Oklahoma	13,941	57
Oregon	13,088	59
Pennsylvania	47,389	55
Rhode Island	3,331	64
South Carolina	16,605	63
South Dakota	4,373	53
Tennessee	22,545	65
Texas	107,433	84
Utah	11,238	79
Vermont	3,018	38
Virginia	30,544	65
Washington	22,068	71
West Virginia	6,170	46
Wisconsin	23,700	51
Wyoming	1,960	43
Total U.S.	1,122,117	63

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, NADA



1,122,117

Average per dealership

### Employment and Payroll (continued)

#### Average Weekly Earnings of New Light-Vehicle Dealership Employees by State, 2024

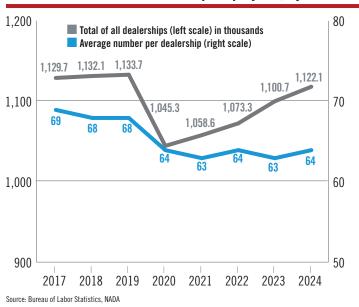
Alabama	\$1,535	Indiana	\$1,390	Nebraska	\$1,364	South Carolina	\$1,518
Alaska	\$1,505	lowa	\$1,374	Nevada	\$1,784	South Dakota	\$1,354
Arizona	\$1,623	Kansas	\$1,380	New Hampshire	\$1,841	Tennessee	\$1,585
Arkansas	\$1,387	Kentucky	\$1,401	New Jersey	\$1,800	Texas	\$1,677
California	\$1,783	Louisiana	\$1,384	New Mexico	\$1,419	Utah	\$1,460
Colorado	\$1,642	Maine	\$1,494	New York	\$1,648	Vermont	\$1,473
Connecticut	\$1,628	Maryland	\$1,563	North Carolina	\$1,510	Virginia	\$1,540
Delaware	\$1,475	Massachusetts	\$1,809	North Dakota	\$1,349	Washington	\$1,592
Florida	\$1,685	Michigan	\$1,529	Ohio	\$1,437	West Virginia	\$1,226
Georgia	\$1,613	Minnesota	\$1,380	Oklahoma	\$1,430	Wisconsin	\$1,289
Hawaii	\$1,740	Mississippi	\$1,288	Oregon	\$1,486	Wyoming	\$1,329
Idaho	\$1,458	Missouri	\$1,437	Pennsylvania	\$1,382	T-4-1 II C	¢1 571
Illinois	\$1,451	Montana	\$1,452	Rhode Island	\$1,498	Total U.S.	\$1,571

Note: We are aware that there are differences in methodologies used to calculate wages and earnings both across federal agencies and in our published reports.

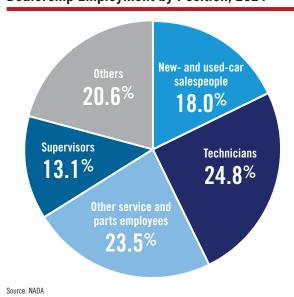
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Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, NADA

#### Estimated Number of Dealership Employees, by Year



#### Dealership Employment by Position, 2024



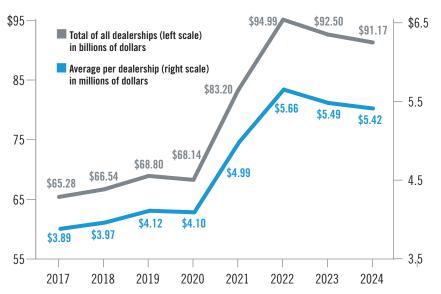
### Employment and Payroll (continued)

#### Annual Payroll of New-Vehicle Dealerships by State, 2024

State	Total all dealers (billions)	Average per dealership (millions)
Alabama	\$1.25	\$4.44
Alaska	\$0.14	\$5.11
Arizona	\$2.12	\$8.40
Arkansas	\$0.70	\$3.36
California	\$10.34	\$7.71
Colorado	\$1.63	\$6.49
Connecticut	\$1.11	\$4.42
Delaware	\$0.29	\$5.43
Florida	\$7.84	\$8.35
Georgia	\$2.96	\$6.01
Hawaii	\$0.35	\$4.87
Idaho	\$0.51	\$4.92
Illinois	\$3.29	\$4.69

State	Total all dealers (billions)	Average per dealership (millions)
Indiana	\$1.63	\$4.07
lowa	\$0.91	\$3.48
Kansas	\$0.70	\$3.42
Kentucky	\$0.97	\$4.16
Louisiana	\$1.13	\$3.87
Maine	\$0.44	\$4.02
Maryland	\$1.86	\$5.97
Massachusetts	\$2.08	\$5.37
Michigan	\$2.79	\$4.57
Minnesota	\$1.44	\$4.31
Mississippi	\$0.58	\$3.24
Missouri	\$1.65	\$4.48
Montana	\$0.30	\$3.24

#### Annual Payroll of New-Vehicle Dealerships, by Year



Bureau of Labor Statistics, NADA

Average per Total all dealership State dealers (billions) (millions) Nebraska \$0.53 \$3.49 Nevada \$0.92 \$8.54 **New Hampshire** \$0.64 \$4.82 **New Jersey** \$2.93 \$6.32 **New Mexico** \$0.49 \$4.34 New York \$4.26 \$4.96 \$2.90 \$4.97 North Carolina \$0.28 \$3.99 North Dakota Ohio \$3.16 \$4.43 \$4.21 Oklahoma \$1.04 Oregon \$1.01 \$4.53 Pennsylvania \$3.41 \$3.93 Rhode Island \$0.26 \$4.99 South Carolina \$1.31 \$5.00 South Dakota \$0.31 \$3.71 Tennessee \$1.86 \$5.39 \$7.36 Texas \$9.37 Utah \$0.85 \$5.96 \$0.23 \$2.93 Vermont Virginia \$2.45 \$5.20 Washington \$1.83 \$5.86 West Virginia \$0.39 \$2.96 Wisconsin \$1.59 \$3.42 Wyoming \$0.14 \$2.94 Total U.S. \$91.17 \$5.42

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, NADA



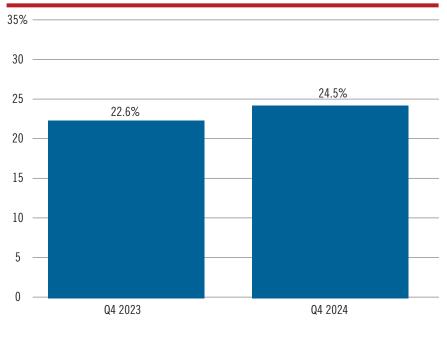


### New- and Used-Vehicle Consumer

#### **Average Amount Financed**



#### **Percentage of New Vehicles Leased**

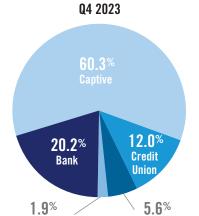


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#### **Credit Score Range**

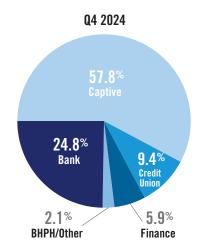
Category	Score range
Superprime	781-850
Prime	661-780
Near prime	601-660
Subprime	501-600
Deep subprime	300-500

### Market Share of New-Vehicle Financing by Lender Type



**Finance** 

BHPH/Other



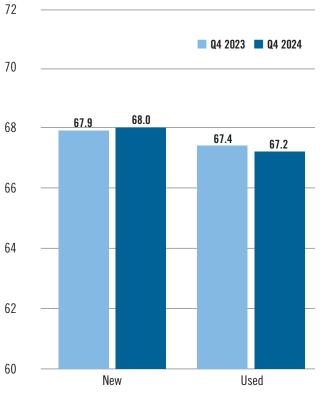


### New- and Used-Vehicle Consumer (continued)



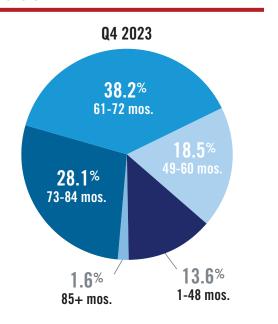


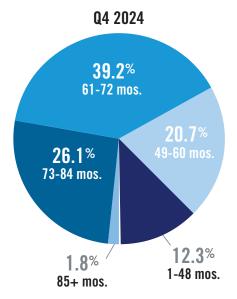
#### **Average Loan Term in Months**



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Share of New-Vehicle Loans by Term Length, in Months



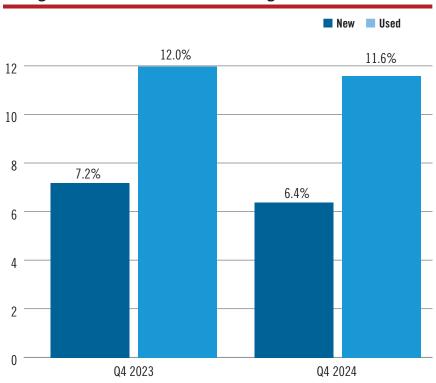




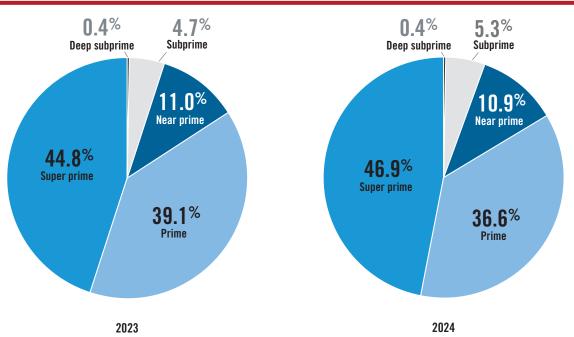


### New- and Used-Vehicle Consumer (continued)

#### **Average Interest Rate on Vehicle Financing**



#### **New-Vehicle Loans by Risk Segment**



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