

Production and export

Production of German manufacturers	2019	2020	20/19 in %
Passenger cars			
World production			
Total	16,043,355	13,326,336	-17
Mini	309,850	121,829	-61
Small	1,590,859	1,021,085	-36
Compact	4,549,916	3,533,359	-22
Medium	2,109,614	1,755,379	-17
Upper Medium	1,025,297	933,780	-9
Luxury	233,844	185,594	-21
Off-Road/SUV	5,522,860	5,262,835	-5
Sports Car	117,482	111,845	-5
Mini Van	118,222	51,130	-57
Large Van	150,999	108,720	-28
Utilities	295,669	223,219	-25
Other	18,743	17,561	-6
Domestic production			
Total	4,663,749	3,515,488	-25
Mini	24,889	-	-
Small	254,274	140,226	-45
Compact	1,280,737	1,035,526	-19
Medium	936,369	639,986	-32
Upper Medium	521,714	404,523	-22
Luxury	224,009	177,256	-21
Off-Road/SUV	1,041,585	861,144	-17
Sports Car	76,446	89,078	17
Mini Van	117,622	51,128	-57
Large Van	87,269	46,106	-47
Utilities	81,474	55,450	-32
Other	17,361	15,065	-13
Production abroad			
Total	11,379,606	9,810,848	-14
Mini	284,961	121,829	-57
Small	1,336,585	880,859	-34
Compact	3,269,179	2,497,833	-24
Medium	1,173,245	1,115,393	-5
Upper Medium	503,583	529,257	5
Luxury	9,835	8,338	-15
Off-Road/SUV	4,481,275	4,401,691	-2
Sports Car	41,036	22,767	-45
Mini Van	600	2	-100
Large Van	63,730	62,614	-2
Utilities	214,195	167,769	-22
Other	1,382	2,496	81
Commercial vehicles up to 6 GVW**)**)			
Domestic production	283,567	227,082	-20
Export from domestic production*)			
Passenger cars	3,487,321	2,646,644	-24
Export rate	74.8%	75.3%	
Commercial vehicles up to 6 GVW	211,739	164,880	-22
Expor rate	74.7%	72.6%	

*) The figures for CV over 6t GVW is not published
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Source: VDA

Export by destination

Exports of passenger cars from domestic production	2019	2020	20/19 in %
Europe	2,150,241	1,619,451	-25
EU 27 & UK	1,932,111	1,377,997	-29
Austria	62,226	51,677	-17
Belgium and Luxembourg	131,465	104,266	-21
Bulgaria	4,363	2,695	-38
Croatia	10,233	4,834	-53
Czech Republic	27,128	20,152	-26
Denmark	49,856	38,817	-22
Finland	21,386	16,535	-23
France	224,300	157,003	-30
Greece	11,529	9,776	-15
Hungary	19,313	14,964	-23
Ireland	21,002	16,561	-21
Italy	226,942	166,052	-27
Latvia	6,993	3,670	-48
Netherlands	79,233	67,771	-14
Poland	86,810	66,784	-23
Portugal	36,477	24,804	-32
Romania	17,961	12,161	-32
Slovakia	12,320	7,000	-43
Slovenia	9,872	7,204	-27
Spain	194,610	120,378	-38
Sweden	80,760	70,351	-13
Other	4,766	2,721	-43
United Kingdom	592,566	391,821	-34
Other Europe	218,130	241,454	11
Norway	29,053	30,205	4
Russia	49,889	32,361	-35
Switzerland	71,168	56,253	-21
Turkey	55,333	114,570	107
Other	12,687	8,065	-36
Africa	61,627	35,085	-43
America	534,828	365,847	-32
Brazil	16,778	11,889	-29
Canada	51,440	26,075	-49
Mexico	27,515	12,172	-56
USA	417,525	302,363	-28
Other	21,570	13,348	-38
Asia	670,693	581,038	-13
China	267,537	253,904	-5
India	14,435	10,423	-28
Japan	124,899	70,026	-44
South Korea	120,608	142,429	18
Taiwan	33,964	32,207	-5
Thailand	20,473	12,596	-38
Other	88,777	59,453	-33
Australia and Oceania	67,367	44,045	-35
Countries not identified	2,565	1,178	-54
Total Export	3,487,321	2,646,644	-24

Source: VDA

Automotive industry figures

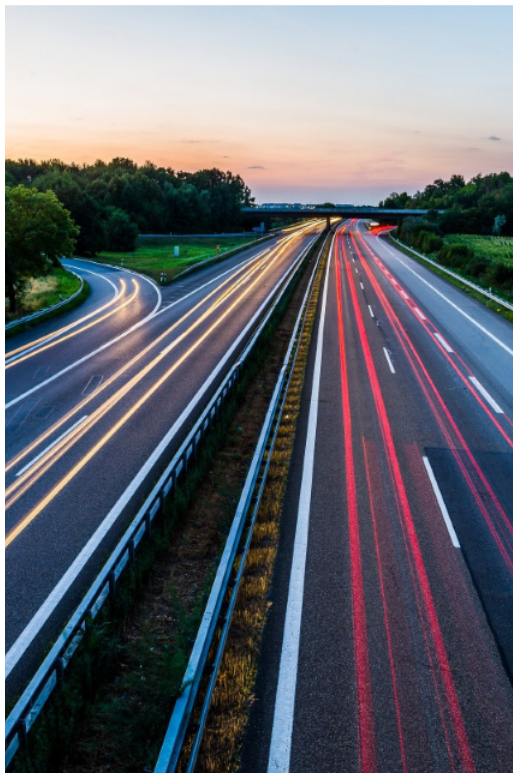
Employees and sales	2019	2020*)	20/19 in %
Manufacture of Vehicles			
Sales (in millions Euro)	343,949	296,418	-14
Domestic sales (excl. VAT)	100,629	88,901	-12
Foreign sales	243,320	207,517	-15
Employees (annual average)	484,061	470,046	-3
Manufacture of Trailer and Bodies			
Sales (in millions Euro)	12,161	11,038	-9
Domestic sales (excl. VAT)	6,475	6,061	-6
Foreign sales	5,685	4,977	-12
Employees (annual average)	38,306	38,008	-1
Manufacture of Parts and Accessories			
Sales (in millions Euro)	80,046	70,717	-12
Domestic sales (excl. VAT)	46,320	40,431	-13
Foreign sales	33,725	30,286	-10
Employees (annual average)	310,473	300,882	-3
Total Automotive industry			
Sales (in millions Euro)	436,156	378,173	-13
Domestic sales (excl. VAT)	153,425	135,394	-12
Foreign sales	282,731	242,779	-14
Employees (annual average)	832,841	808,935	-3
Gross capital investment			
Automotive Industry (Euro millions)	15,600	16,600	6
Vehicle in use (year-end)			
Passenger cars	47,715,977	48,248,584	1
Commercial vehicles			
Buses	81,364	75,548	-7
Trucks	3,276,093	3,410,280	4
Semitrailer tractors	219,149	218,469	0
Other vehicles	312,915	322,952	3
Total	51,605,498	52,275,833	1
Trailers			
Semitrailers	365,396	370,499	1
Caravans	698,596	722,516	3
Vehicle density			
Vehicles per 1,000 inhabitants			
Passenger cars	574	580	
Commercial vehicles	47	48	
Total	621	628	

*) partly provisional data

Source: Statistisches Bundesamt, KBA

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Ownership changes	2019	2020	20/19 in %
Passenger cars	7,95,437	7,021,204	-2
Commercial vehicles	425,213	436,280	3
Trucks	384,139	397,751	4
Buses	6,002	5,330	-11
Semitrailer tractors	18,864	16,261	-14
Other vehicles	16,208	16,938	5
Total	7,620,650	7,457,484	-2
Trailers	403,541	412,579	2
Semitrailers	19,233	18,977	-1
Caravans	78,866	79,660	1

New registrations			
Passenger cars by owner	2019	2020	20/19 in %
Private owner	1,244,002	1,082,899	-13
Commercial owner	2,363,256	1,834,779	-22
Dealers	703,181	503,120	-28
Rentals	410,457	286,697	-30
Manufacturers	311,303	222,973	-28
Others	938,315	821,989	-12

by fuel type			
Passenger cars	2019	2020	20/19 in %
Petrol	2,136,891	1,361,723	-36
Diesel	1,152,733	819,896	-29
Liquefied gas	7,257	6,544	-10
Natural gas	7,623	7,159	-6
Hybrid (excl. Plug-In-Hybrid)	193,902	327,395	69
Plug-In-Hybrid	45,348	200,469	342
BEV	63,281	194,163	207
Fuel cell	210	311	48
Others	13	18	38

Commercial vehicles			
	2019	2020	20/19 in %
Trucks	343,708	295,166	-14
up to 6 t GVW	301,739	263,843	-13
up to 2 t GVW	19,182	12,960	-32
over 2 t up to 6 t GVW	282,557	250,883	-11
over 6 t GVW	41,969	31,323	-25
over 6 t up to 16 t GVW	18,549	13,320	-28
over 16 t GVW	23,420	18,003	-23
Buses	6,437	6,460	0
Semitrailer tractors	38,620	25,946	-33
Others	21,036	21,499	2
Total	4,017,059	3,266,749	-19
Trailers	317,945	335,296	5
Semitrailers	38,271	29,736	-22
Caravans	26,496	28,685	8

Source: KBA, VDA

New registrations by brand

New registrations of passenger cars by brand	2019	2020	20/19 in %
German brands incl. Group brands	2,535,089	2,017,541	-20
Audi	267,195	213,934	-20
BMW	279,243	240,968	-14
Ford	279,719	194,250	-31
Mercedes	339,185	303,185	-11
MINI	50,019	44,152	-12
Opel	215,864	146,219	-32
Porsche	31,433	26,319	-16
Seat	138,670	116,360	-16
Skoda	208,171	181,198	-13
Smart	49,138	16,051	-67
Volkswagen	667,518	525,612	-21
Others	8,934	9,293	4
Foreign brands (excl. German group brands)	1,072,169	900,137	-16
French brands	345,892	283,312	-18
Citroen	58,840	48,950	-17
DS	2,846	2,773	-3
Peugeot	72,709	55,401	-24
Renault	131,138	125,318	-4
Alpine	324	166	-49
Dacia	80,035	50,704	-37
Japanese brands	313,786	244,401	-22
Honda	15,676	11,696	-25
Infiniti	263	81	-69
Lexus	3,587	3,530	-2
Mazda	71,630	44,346	-38
Mitsubishi	52,148	44,985	-14
Nissan	39,500	34,765	-12
Subaru	5,868	5,407	-8
Suzuki	40,616	22,415	-45
Toyota	84,498	77,176	-9
Korean brands	201,986	171,062	-15
Hyundai	129,508	105,051	-19
Kia	69,608	64,296	-8
Ssangyong	2,870	1,715	-40
Italian brands	96,044	95,222	-1
Fiat	89,005	89,150	0
Alfa Romeo	4,146	3,246	-22
Ferrari	987	1,223	24
Maserati	939	633	-33
Other foreign brands	7,779	6,588	-15
Jaguar	8,703	6,993	-20
Jeep	16,563	15,687	-5
Land Rover	17,348	12,984	-25
Tesla	10,711	16,694	56
Volvo	53,357	47,194	-12
Total new registrations	3,607,258	2,917,678	-19
Market shares			
German brands incl. Group brands	70.3%	69.1%	
Foreign brands (excl. German group brands)	29.7%	30.9%	

Source: KBA, VDA

Global overviews

World Automotive Production	2019	2020*)	20/19 in %
Passenger cars			
Europe	18,345,353	14,079,545	-23
EU27, EFTA & UK	15,839,104	11,963,163	-24
Germany	4,663,749	3,515,488	-25
France	1,665,900	927,600	-44
Spain	2,247,610	1,802,805	-20
United Kingdom	1,303,135	920,928	-29
America **)	19,314,148	15,094,237	-22
Brazil	2,803,841	1,904,717	-32
NAFTA **)	16,195,520	12,932,333	-20
USA	10,527,301	8,569,412	-19
Mexico	3,774,945	3,001,017	-21
Asia	38,980,848	34,200,998	-12
China	20,987,815	19,606,017	-7
Japan	8,328,756	6,960,411	-16
India	3,629,008	2,810,086	-23
South Korea	3,612,562	3,211,702	-11
Rest of the world	2,454,755	2,625,993	7
Total	79,095,104	66,000,773	-17

New Registrations/Sales worldwide			
Passenger cars	2019	2020*)	20/19 in %
Europe	18,040,883	14,254,941	-21
EU27, EFTA & UK	15,805,658	11,961,151	-24
Germany	3,607,258	2,917,678	-19
France	2,214,279	1,650,118	-25
United Kingdom	2,311,140	1,631,064	-29
America **)	24,161,892	19,870,935	-18
Brazil	2,665,583	1,954,828	-27
NAFTA	20,192,865	16,952,426	-16
USA	16,952,912	14,461,770	-15
Asia	32,175,880	29,268,265	-9
China	21,072,553	19,794,887	-6
Japan	4,301,091	3,809,977	-11
Rest of the world	5,059,245	4,291,750	-15
Total	79,437,900	67,685,891	-15

Commercial vehicles over 6t GVW			
	2019	2020*)	20/19 in %
Europe	457,429	362,710	-21
EU27, EFTA & UK	374,564	273,208	-27
Germany	91,420	68,164	-25
France	54,221	40,998	-24
United Kingdom	48,535	32,918	-32
America			
Brazil	96,255	84,819	-12
NAFTA ***)	619,257	480,702	-22
USA	527,092	409,653	-22
Asia			
China	1,313,590	1,778,083	35
India	259,879	126,298	-51
Total	3,460,993	3,384,768	-2

*) partly provisional or estimated figures
 **) incl. light trucks
 ***) over 6.3 t GVW

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