## FORECAST

## County New Vehicle Market Predicted to Improve by 3.6\% in 2024

Below is a list of eight key trends and developments in the Orange County new vehicle market:

ת Replenished inventories and pent-up demand helped the county new vehicle market in 2023. New retail registrations last year increased to 168,695 units, a $10.9 \%$ improvement from 2022. The uptick was higher than Auto Outlook's 5\% projection at the beginning of the year.

亿 The county market should increase for the second consecutive year in '24. Auto Outlook is projecting that registrations this year will approach 175,000 , up $3.6 \%$ from ' 23 . And there is a good chance that the increase could be higher (see below).

ㅇ. The shaded box on the right reviews the primary forecast determinants. Pent-up demand is still significant, the county labor market is strong, and consensus is for economic growth to remain positive. Vehicle affordability is still an issue, but should improve as the year progresses. As always there are some risks (geopolitical uncertainties and the presidential election, for example), but if interest rates ease, the market could post a larger increase than expected this year.
4. BEV market share was up last year ( $27.9 \%$ vs $21.5 \%$ in 2022), but the electric vehicle market cooled in the second half. BEV registrations declined 3\% from the Third to the Fourth Quarter of last year. Hybrid registrations were up 9\% during the same period.
5. Honda's recovery from inventory shortages in ' 22 contributed to the $11.4 \%$ increase in Japanese brand registrations in ' 23. Domestic brand registrations were up 16.7\% (see below).

Gu Honda, Tesla, Land Rover, Audi, and Lexus had the largest percentage gains among the top 20 selling brands last year. Volkswagen, Lexus, BMW, Toyota, and Honda moved higher from the Third to the Fourth Quarters of '23 (see page 4).

Za Based on a comparison to U.S. market share, Tesla, Mercedes, Toyota, BMW, and Lexus were the top performing brands in the county market (see page 5).
B. Tesla Model Y, Model 3, RAV4, Camry, and CR-V were top sellers last year. CR-V and Model Y posted big gains (see page 5).

## Primary Factors Driving the Orange County New Vehicle Market

» County unemployment rate was below 4\% at the end of 2023, total employment increased, and household incomes have moved higher, all positive factors for the new vehicle market.
» Rising interest rates and tight vehicle supplies resulting in higher prices put a squeeze on affordability in 2022 and the first half of last year, but the pendulum is swinging back. Interest rates are predicted to ease this year, transaction prices are drifting lower, and income growth has been positive.

Pent up demand is the biggest positive for the county market. Auto Outlook estimates that nearly 100,000 new vehicle purchases have been postponed since the onset of the pandemic and ensuing supply chain disruptions.

## Forecast for County New Retail Light Vehicle Registrations



The graph above shows annual new retail light vehicle registrations for 2021 thru 2023 and Auto Outlook's projection for 2024.
Historical data sourced from Experian Automotive.

## Market Summary

|  | 2022 <br> Annual | $\mathbf{2 0 2 3}$ <br> Annual | \% Chg. | Mkt. Share |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 152,181 | 168,695 | $10.9 \%$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 3}$ |
| TOTAL | 46,878 | 50,038 | $6.7 \%$ | $29.7 \%$ |
| Car | 105,303 | 118,657 | $12.7 \%$ | $70.3 \%$ |
| Light Truck | 51,541 | 60,145 | $16.7 \%$ | $35.7 \%$ |
| Domestic | 29,752 | 30,958 | $4.1 \%$ | $18.4 \%$ |
| European | 55,620 | 61,971 | $11.4 \%$ | $36.7 \%$ |
| Japanese | 15,268 | 15,621 | $2.3 \%$ | $9.3 \%$ |
| Korean |  |  |  |  |

## KEY TRENDS IN ORANGE COUNTY NEW VEHICLE MARKET

## \% Change In New Retail Market 2023 vs 2022

Orange County
UP 10.9\%
U.S.


New retail light vehicle registrations in the county increased by 10.9\% from 2022 to 2023, higher than the 7.5\% improvement in the Nation.

Data sourced from Experian Automotive.

QUARTERLY RESULTS


Data sourced from Experian Automotive. SAAR estimates: Auto Outlook.

The graph on the left provides an easily recognizable way to gauge the strength of the county market. It shows quarterly registrations based on a seasonally adjusted annual rate. These figures are then indexed to SAAR sales figures for the U.S. new vehicle market. So just like in the national market, when the quarterly SAAR is above 17 million units, the county market is strong, 15 million is about average, and below 13 million is weak. Equivalent SAAR levels in the county were 14.6 million in the Fourth Quarter of last year, unchanged from the Third Quarter.
\% Change in quarterly registrations vs. year earlier
(4Q ‘23 vs. 4Q ‘22)

\% Change in registrations vs. previous quarter (4Q '23 vs. 3Q '23)

DOWN
7.1\%
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## KEY TRENDS IN ORANGE COUNTY NEW VEHICLE MARKET



## VEHICLE AND BRAND SEGMENTS - COUNTY AND U.S.



Combining the blue and orange sections in the graph above corresponds to the standard industry definition of light trucks. Small crossovers are broken out, however, since many are more similar to compact hatchbacks than to many trucks. Light truck share (excluding small CUVs) was $\mathbf{4 2 . 4 \%}$ last year, below the $\mathbf{5 6 . 6 \%}$ share in the U.S.
Data sourced from Experian Automotive.


European brand market share in the county was higher than U.S. Ievels: $\mathbf{1 8 . 4 \%}$ vs. $\mathbf{1 0 . 5} \%$. Orange County Domestic brand share (which includes Tesla and Rivian) was 35.7\% in 2023. Korean and Japanese brands accounted for a smaller share of the county market last year than in the Nation.
Data sourced from Experian Automotive.


## COMPARISON OF METRO AREA MARKETS

Percent Change in New Retail Light Vehicle Registrations - 2023 vs. 2022


## Observations and Key Facts

- Orange County registrations increased 10.9\% last year, above the average for other markets. The Silicon Valley market improved by 16.9\%.
- BEV market share in the county last year was 27.9\%, second highest. BEV penetration was highest in Silicon Valley - 39.1\%
- Tesla was the best-selling brand in the county in 2023. Tesla was the leader in only one other market Silicon Valley.


## BRANDS AND MODELS

## WINNERS AND LOSERS

The primary metric used to identify winning and losing brands is the annual (or year-to-date) percent change in registrations. Honda and Tesla were the biggest gainers in the county market last year among top 20 brands. BUT this snapshot picture skips over another important piece of evidence that can shed light on brand sales performance - what is the shorter term trend in sales? This matters! Registrations for a brand may have posted a big increase for all of last year (definitely a positive), but if growth stalled as the year progressed, that's significant. Tesla is a perfect example (see text box next to graph below).


| Brands Gaining Ground |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Largest \% increases from 3Q '23 to 4Q '23 |  |  |
| Volkswagen | Up | 14.9\% |
| Lexus | Up | 9.8\% |
| BMW | Up | 9.6\% |
| Toyota | Up | 6.2\% |
| Honda | Up | 1.4\% |


| Brands Losing Ground <br>  <br> Largest \% declines <br> from 3Q '23 to 4Q '23 |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Mazda | Down | $-27.0 \%$ |
| Tesla | Down | $-25.0 \%$ |
| Kia | Down | $-20.0 \%$ |
| Porsche | Down | $-17.9 \%$ |
| Nissan | Down | $-14.4 \%$ |

Largest \% increases in ' 23 vs. ' 22 : Honda, Tesla, Land Rover, Audi, and Lexus.

Largest \% increases in 4Q '23 vs. 3Q '23: Volkswagen, Lexus, BMW, Toyota, and Honda.

Data sourced from Experian Automotive.

## TOP SELLING BRANDS

Orange County and U.S. Market Shares for Top 15 Brands in County - 2023


Data sourced from Experian Automotive.

## BRANDS AND MODELS



## BRAND SALES PERFORMANCE

The graph below provides an indicator of brands that are popular in Orange County (relative to the National standard), and those that are not. Here's how it works: For the top 30 selling brands, each brand's share of the U.S. market is multiplied by industry retail registrations in the county during 2023. This yields a "target" for the county market. Target registrations are subtracted from actual registrations to derive the measurement of sales performance. Brands at the top of the graph (i.e., Tesla, Mercedes, Toyota, BMW, and Lexus) are relatively strong sellers in the county, with actual registrations exceeding calculated targets by large margins. For instance, Tesla registrations exceeded the target by 22,894 units.

Orange County Retail Market Performance based on registrations during 2023 Actual registrations minus target (county industry registrations times U.S. market share)


Data sourced from Experian Automotive.

## TOP SELLING MODELS

Top 20 Selling Models - 2023 Annual Market Share and \% Change in Registrations vs. 2022

| Rank | Model | Area Share \% | $\begin{gathered} \text { \% chg. } \\ \text { '22 to '23 } \end{gathered}$ | Rank | Model | Area Share \% | $\begin{gathered} \text { \% chg. } \\ \text { '22 to '23 } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Tesla Model Y | 11.0 | 60.1 | 11 | Lexus RX | 1.2 | 6.2 |
| 2 | Tesla Model 3 | 6.1 | 17.9 | 12 | Chevrolet Silverado | 1.1 | -8.8 |
| 3 | Toyota RAV4 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 13 | Tesla Model X | 1.1 | 0.2 |
| 4 | Toyota Camry | 2.4 | -0.8 | 14 | Honda HR-V | 1.1 | 50.1 |
| 5 | Honda CR-V | 2.1 | 76.9 | 15 | Lexus NX | 1.0 | 50.4 |
| 6 | Toyota Tacoma | 2.0 | 5.7 | 16 | Hyundai Tucson | 1.0 | 12.8 |
| 7 | Honda Civic | 2.0 | 37.6 | 17 | Mazda CX-5 | 0.9 | -21.6 |
| 8 | Toyota Corolla | 1.8 | -0.1 | 18 | Toyota Highlander | 0.9 | -16.6 |
| 9 | Honda Accord | 1.8 | 38.8 | 19 | Hyundai Elantra | 0.8 | 8.7 |
| 10 | Ford F-Series | 1.6 | 24.9 | 20 | Audi Q5 | 0.8 | 24.1 |

Table on the left presents the top 20 selling models in Orange County during 2023. Share of industry registrations and the percent change versus 2022 is also shown. Models with the five largest percentage increase are shaded blue.

Data sourced from Experian Automotive.

## ALTERNATIVE POWERTRAIN MARKET

| FIVE <br> KEY <br> TRENDS | BEV share <br> 1. increased from $21.5 \%$ in ' 22 to $27.9 \%$ in ' 23 | 2. | BEV share declined by 1.9 points from 3 Q ' 23 to 4 Q . | 3. | Franchised dealer share of BEV market was $29.3 \%$ in '23 vs. $25.8 \%$ in ' 22 . | 4. | Hybrid registrations increased $35 \%$ last year. Plug ins were up 17\%. | 5. | Hyundai hybrid registrations were up $110 \%$ last year. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

## BEV, PHEV, AND HYBRID MARKET SHARE

Percent Share of Industry Registrations by Powertrain Type


Data sourced from Experian Automotive. Hybrid registrations exclude mild hybrids.

| Annual |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 2022 | 2023 |  |
|  | $21.5 \%$ | $27.9 \%$ | - |
| Electric (BEV) | $8.7 \%$ | $10.6 \%$ | - |
| Hybrid | $3.2 \%$ | $3.3 \%$ | - |
| Plug In Hybrid (PHEV) |  |  |  |


| Quarterly |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | $3 Q$ '23 | $4 Q^{\prime} 23$ |  |
| Electric (BEV) | $28.6 \%$ | $26.7 \%$ | $\square$ |
| Hybrid | $11.0 \%$ | $12.9 \%$ |  |
| Plug In Hybrid (PHEV) | $3.2 \%$ | $3.8 \%$ |  |

## FRANCHISED DEALERSHIPS AND DIRECT SELLERS

## New Hybrid, BEV, and PHEV Registrations in Orange County by Type of Selling Dealership



Data sourced from Experian Automotive. Hybrid registrations exclude mild hybrids.

| BEV Registrations and Market Share |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
|  | Franchised <br> Dealerships | Direct <br> Sellers |
| 2022 registrations | 8,430 | 24299 |
| 2023 registrations | 13,780 | 33216 |
| \% change | $63.5 \%$ | $36.7 \%$ |
| 2022 market share \% | 25.8 | 74.2 |
| 2023 market share \% | 29.3 | 70.7 |
| change | 3.5 | -3.5 |
| 3Q '23 registrations | 3,671 | 8,671 |
| 4Q '23 registrations | 3,899 | 6,783 |
| \% change | $6.2 \%$ | $-21.8 \%$ |
| 3Q '23 market share \% | 29.7 | 70.3 |
| 4Q '23 market share \% | 36.5 | 63.5 |
| change | 6.8 | -6.8 |

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## Share of Brand Registrations by Type of Powertrain - Fourth Quarter 2023 (top 30 brands)



The graph above shows the breakdown of new vehicle registrations by powertrain type for each of the top 30 selling brands in the county during the Fourth Quarter of 2023. Data sourced from Experian Automotive.

## MODEL RANKINGS

## Tesla Model Y Was Best-Seller in 2023

The table below shows the top five selling models in 2023 in 20 segments. In addition to unit registrations, it also shows each model's market share in its respective segment.


## BEST SELLERS IN PRIMARY SEGMENTS

Small Cars: Honda Civic Mid Size \& Large Cars: Toyota Camry<br>Near Luxury Car: Tesla Model 3<br>Full Size Pickup: Ford F-Series

Subcompact SUV: Honda HR-V<br>Compact SUV: Toyota RAV4<br>2 Row Mid Size SUV: Toyota 4Runner<br>Luxury Mid Size SUV: Lexus RX

Top Selling Models in Each Segment - New Retail Light Vehicle Registrations (2023)


## COMPARISON OF ORANGE COUNTY AND U.S. MARKET

## Orange County Market Had Bigger Increase Than U.S. in 2023

| \% change in registrations | Orange County Retall Market | U.S. Retall Market |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{2 0 2 3}$ vs. $\mathbf{2 0 2 2}$ | $10.9 \%$ | $7.5 \%$ |
| Car share of industry retail light vehicle market | $29.7 \%$ | $20.2 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 2 3}$ | $35.7 \%$ | $39.8 \%$ |
| Domestic brand market share <br> $\mathbf{2 0 2 3}$ |  |  |


| Brand | New Retail Registrations - 2023 Annual |  |  |  | Market Share (2023) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Orange County |  | U.S. |  | Orange County | U.S. | Variance |
|  | Regs. | $\begin{array}{r} \text { \% ch. vs. } \\ 2022 \end{array}$ | Regs. | $\begin{array}{r} \text { \% ch. vs. } \\ 2022 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |
| Acura | 1,258 | 15.4\% | 128,232 | 33.9\% | 0.7 | 1.0 | -0.3 |
| Alfa Romeo | 120 | -20.0\% | 8,712 | -21.7\% | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| Audi | 4,681 | 16.4\% | 176,105 | 19.8\% | 2.8 | 1.4 | 1.4 |
| BMW | 7,324 | 3.4\% | 297,597 | 0.5\% | 4.3 | 2.4 | 1.9 |
| Buick | 268 | 41.8\% | 145,245 | 50.4\% | 0.2 | 1.2 | -1.0 |
| Cadillac | 1,184 | 15.9\% | 124,425 | 6.7\% | 0.7 | 1.0 | -0.3 |
| Chevrolet | 6,968 | 8.7\% | 1,261,005 | 12.2\% | 4.1 | 10.2 | -6.1 |
| Chry Dodge Jeep Ram | 5,702 | -16.0\% | 954,885 | -16.5\% | 3.4 | 7.7 | -4.3 |
| Chrysler | 360 | 22.0\% | 49,182 | 13.3\% | 0.2 | 0.4 | -0.2 |
| Dodge | 738 | -9.9\% | 112,216 | -8.2\% | 0.4 | 0.9 | -0.5 |
| Jeep | 2,915 | -18.2\% | 486,144 | -20.5\% | 1.7 | 3.9 | -2.2 |
| Ram | 1,689 | -20.2\% | 307,343 | -16.2\% | 1.0 | 2.5 | -1.5 |
| Ford | 9,980 | -0.5\% | 1,238,638 | 1.3\% | 5.9 | 10.0 | -4.1 |
| Genesis | 1,070 | -0.1\% | 56,013 | 11.9\% | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.1 |
| GMC | 2,460 | 5.4\% | 469,924 | 6.9\% | 1.5 | 3.8 | -2.3 |
| Honda | 14,152 | 44.1\% | 1,088,051 | 28.8\% | 8.4 | 8.8 | -0.4 |
| Hyundai | 7,738 | -1.7\% | 670,216 | 0.8\% | 4.6 | 5.4 | -0.8 |
| Infiniti | 553 | 28.6\% | 53,512 | 33.6\% | 0.3 | 0.4 | -0.1 |
| Jaguar | 86 | -37.2\% | 6,718 | -17.3\% | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| Kia | 6,777 | 7.2\% | 705,414 | 12.1\% | 4.0 | 5.7 | -1.7 |
| Land Rover | 1,554 | 24.0\% | 64,012 | 26.7\% | 0.9 | 0.5 | 0.4 |
| Lexus | 6,178 | 14.7\% | 276,488 | 12.2\% | 3.7 | 2.2 | 1.5 |
| Lincoln | 401 | -12.3\% | 70,112 | -6.2\% | 0.2 | 0.6 | -0.4 |
| Maserati | 169 | 0.0\% | 5,987 | 0.1\% | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Mazda | 4,061 | -4.0\% | 303,442 | 13.7\% | 2.4 | 2.5 | -0.1 |
| Mercedes | 9,219 | -0.1\% | 258,880 | -3.9\% | 5.5 | 2.1 | 3.4 |
| MINI | 436 | -13.7\% | 28,391 | 6.2\% | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Mitsubishi | 186 | -9.7\% | 74,232 | -4.5\% | 0.1 | 0.6 | -0.5 |
| Nissan | 5,259 | 4.3\% | 592,283 | 8.7\% | 3.1 | 4.8 | -1.7 |
| Polestar | 72 | -72.7\% | 2,853 | -62.8\% | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Porsche | 1,988 | 2.6\% | 61,038 | 3.5\% | 1.2 | 0.5 | 0.7 |
| Rivian | 1,501 | 124.4\% | 34,389 | 165.4\% | 0.9 | 0.3 | 0.6 |
| Subaru | 4,730 | -6.7\% | 568,244 | 9.9\% | 2.8 | 4.6 | -1.8 |
| Tesla | 31,263 | 33.2\% | 612,288 | 39.7\% | 18.5 | 5.0 | 13.5 |
| Toyota | 25,594 | 5.1\% | 1,616,732 | 2.4\% | 15.2 | 13.1 | 2.1 |
| Volkswagen | 3,613 | 7.9\% | 268,326 | -1.7\% | 2.1 | 2.2 | -0.1 |
| Volvo | 1,176 | 5.1\% | 99,475 | 12.2\% | 0.7 | 0.8 | -0.1 |
| Other | 974 | 39.1\% | 20,175 | 24.7\% | 0.6 | 0.2 | 0.4 |

The two tables above provide a comparison of the Orange County and U.S. new light vehicle markets. Data sourced from Experian Automotive.

| Orange County New Retail Car and Light Truck Registrations |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fourth Quarter |  |  | Annual Totals |  |  | AnnualMarket Share (\%) |  |  |
|  | 2022 | 2023 | \% chg. | 2022 | 2023 | \% chg. | 2022 | 2023 | Chg. |
| MARKET SUMMARY |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 38,595 | 40,029 | 3.7\% | 152,181 | 168,695 | 10.9\% |  |  |  |
| Cars | 11,976 | 11,522 | -3.8\% | 46,878 | 50,038 | 6.7\% | 30.8 | 29.7 | -1.1 |
| Light Trucks | 26,619 | 28,507 | 7.1\% | 105,303 | 118,657 | 12.7\% | 69.2 | 70.3 | 1.1 |
| Domestic | 13,938 | 12,915 | -7.3\% | 51,541 | 60,145 | 16.7\% | 33.9 | 35.7 | 1.8 |
| European | 7,272 | 7,445 | 2.4\% | 29,752 | 30,958 | 4.1\% | 19.6 | 18.4 | -1.2 |
| Japanese | 13,669 | 16,013 | 17.1\% | 55,620 | 61,971 | 11.4\% | 36.5 | 36.7 | 0.2 |
| Korean | 3,716 | 3,656 | -1.6\% | 15,268 | 15,621 | 2.3\% | 10.0 | 9.3 | -0.8 |
| BRAND REGISTRATIONS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Acura | 225 | 293 | 30.2\% | 1,090 | 1,258 | 15.4\% | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.0 |
| Alfa Romeo | 30 | 33 | 10.0\% | 150 | 120 | -20.0\% | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| Audi | 1,036 | 1,115 | 7.6\% | 4,023 | 4,681 | 16.4\% | 2.6 | 2.8 | 0.2 |
| BMW | 1,796 | 1,799 | 0.2\% | 7,080 | 7,324 | 3.4\% | 4.7 | 4.3 | -0.4 |
| Buick | 56 | 79 | 41.1\% | 189 | 268 | 41.8\% | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Cadillac | 244 | 279 | 14.3\% | 1,022 | 1,184 | 15.9\% | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.0 |
| Chevrolet | 1,827 | 1,606 | -12.1\% | 6,412 | 6,968 | 8.7\% | 4.2 | 4.1 | -0.1 |
| C/D/J/R | 1,420 | 1,290 | -9.2\% | 6,792 | 5,702 | -16.0\% | 4.5 | 3.4 | -1.1 |
| Chrysler | 95 | 86 | -9.5\% | 295 | 360 | 22.0\% | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.0 |
| Dodge | 186 | 165 | -11.3\% | 819 | 738 | -9.9\% | 0.5 | 0.4 | -0.1 |
| Jeep | 741 | 643 | -13.2\% | 3,562 | 2,915 | -18.2\% | 2.3 | 1.7 | -0.6 |
| Ram | 398 | 396 | -0.5\% | 2,116 | 1,689 | -20.2\% | 1.4 | 1.0 | -0.4 |
| Ford | 2,298 | 2,191 | -4.7\% | 10,033 | 9,980 | -0.5\% | 6.6 | 5.9 | -0.7 |
| Genesis | 283 | 249 | -12.0\% | 1,071 | 1,070 | -0.1\% | 0.7 | 0.6 | -0.1 |
| GMC | 611 | 606 | -0.8\% | 2,333 | 2,460 | 5.4\% | 1.5 | 1.5 | 0.0 |
| Honda | 2,647 | 3,655 | 38.1\% | 9,823 | 14,152 | 44.1\% | 6.5 | 8.4 | 1.9 |
| Hyundai | 1,855 | 1,818 | -2.0\% | 7,875 | 7,738 | -1.7\% | 5.2 | 4.6 | -0.6 |
| Infiniti | 92 | 149 | 62.0\% | 430 | 553 | 28.6\% | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 |
| Jaguar | 26 | 22 | -15.4\% | 137 | 86 | -37.2\% | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| Kia | 1,578 | 1,581 | 0.2\% | 6,322 | 6,777 | 7.2\% | 4.2 | 4.0 | -0.2 |
| Land Rover | 387 | 347 | -10.3\% | 1,253 | 1,554 | 24.0\% | 0.8 | 0.9 | 0.1 |
| Lexus | 1,240 | 1,725 | 39.1\% | 5,386 | 6,178 | 14.7\% | 3.5 | 3.7 | 0.2 |
| Lincoln | 113 | 88 | -22.1\% | 457 | 401 | -12.3\% | 0.3 | 0.2 | -0.1 |
| Maserati | 36 | 47 | 30.6\% | 169 | 169 | 0.0\% | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| Mazda | 989 | 801 | -19.0\% | 4,230 | 4,061 | -4.0\% | 2.8 | 2.4 | -0.4 |
| Mercedes | 2,163 | 2,087 | -3.5\% | 9,228 | 9,219 | -0.1\% | 6.1 | 5.5 | -0.6 |
| MINI | 121 | 120 | -0.8\% | 505 | 436 | -13.7\% | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 |
| Mitsubishi | 34 | 29 | -14.7\% | 206 | 186 | -9.7\% | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| Nissan | 1,117 | 1,170 | 4.7\% | 5,042 | 5,259 | 4.3\% | 3.3 | 3.1 | -0.2 |
| Polestar | 49 | 22 | -55.1\% | 264 | 72 | -72.7\% | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.2 |
| Porsche | 408 | 437 | 7.1\% | 1,938 | 1,988 | 2.6\% | 1.3 | 1.2 | -0.1 |
| Rivian | 233 | 512 | 119.7\% | 669 | 1,501 | 124.4\% | 0.4 | 0.9 | 0.5 |
| Subaru | 1,137 | 1,109 | -2.5\% | 5,070 | 4,730 | -6.7\% | 3.3 | 2.8 | -0.5 |
| Tesla | 7,046 | 6,086 | -13.6\% | 23,471 | 31,263 | 33.2\% | 15.4 | 18.5 | 3.1 |
| Toyota | 6,188 | 7,082 | 14.4\% | 24,343 | 25,594 | 5.1\% | 16.0 | 15.2 | -0.8 |
| Volkswagen | 854 | 1,025 | 20.0\% | 3,349 | 3,613 | 7.9\% | 2.2 | 2.1 | -0.1 |
| Volvo | 245 | 270 | 10.2\% | 1,119 | 1,176 | 5.1\% | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.0 |
| Other | 211 | 307 | 45.5\% | 700 | 974 | 39.1\% | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.1 |

Other includes Aston Martin, Bentley, Ferrari, Freightliner, GEM, Lamborghini, Lotus, Lucid, McLaren, and Rolls Royce.

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[^0]:    As depicted on the graph, franchised dealerships accounted for more than half of the combined Hybrid, BEV, and PHEV market. Franchised dealer share of the BEV market increased from 29.7\% in 3Q '23 to $36.5 \%$ in 4Q.

