# VINCENSUS 2024 NOVEMBER

We are pleased to present you with the November 2024 Vincensus Report which is the most comprehensive monthly inventory report in the industry. This report was developed using Lotlinx's proprietary Lexaca data, the largest inventory-specific data set with over 24 billion data points, that leverages machine learning models that have been evolving for the past 10 years.



# **>EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

New inventory grew by 9% causing day supply to increase by 3 days to 79 days as supply constraints were alleviated for some brands. Sales growth slowed slightly, increasing by just 1% MoM as prices continue to rise heading into the end of the year. However, hybrids saw list price fall by 5% YoY, contributing to their continued popularity as they close in on making up a quarter of all new car sales. EV prices remain steady with growing sales but still make up a very small proportion of total sales. Disciplined inventory management has decreased day supply and aging to be more inline with the gas segment.

The used market remains very stable with a tight day supply and unchanged prices MoM and YoY overall. Inventory levels have risen slightly but demand remains very high, contributing to continued supply constraints. While hybrids have gained significant market share on the new side, they still make up less than 10% of used sales. Used EV sales grew by 17% YoY but faced higher markdown activity compared to traditional fuel types.

With rising inventories and steady demand, dealers face mounting pressure to manage aging inventory effectively as they try to move aged inventory off the lot before the end of the year. Looking ahead, EVs and hybrids are poised for further growth as consumer interest in sustainable options continues to rise. However, affordability challenges and inventory management will remain critical factors influencing both new and used vehicle markets.

#### **New Vehicles:**

- New vehicle sales increased negligibly MoM as inventory increased by 9% causing day supply to continue its increasing trend. It increased by 3 days to 79 days, an increase of 19 days YoY.
- Aging saw no movement MoM but increased 10% YoY.
- Last listed price rose by 2% MoM as markdowns remained steady.

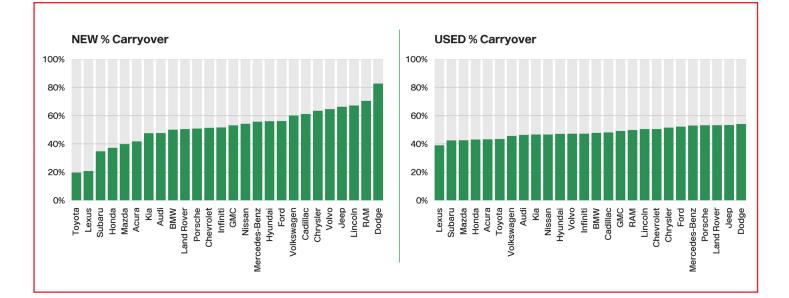
#### **Used Vehicles:**

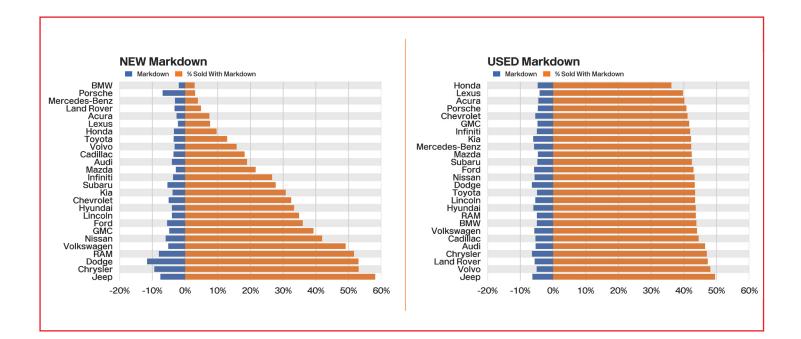
- Used vehicle sales grew by 3% MoM as prices continue to hold steady MoM and YoY.
- Day supply decreased slightly by 1 day MoM but decreased by 5 days YoY to 41 days.
- Aged inventory saw no change MoM but fell by 3% YoY to 47%.

#### Recommended action steps for upcoming months:

• Dealers will need to manage economic pressures, rising inventories, and shifting market dynamics while adapting to a more digital, consumer-centric business environment. Proactive inventory management, competitive pricing strategies, and a focus on customer engagement will be critical to navigating these challenges effectively.

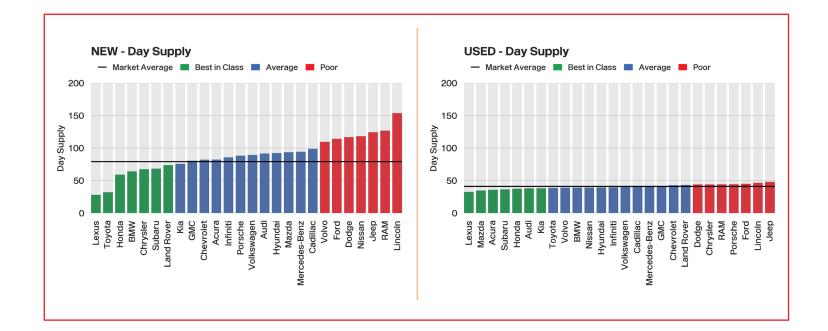
- > Carryover for new and used vehicles both increased by 1% MoM. However, carryover was still up 14% from last year.
- > New vehicle carryover increased by 13% YoY while used vehicle carryover decreased by 1%.
- > Percent of units sold with a markdown for both new and used vehicles remained steady MoM.

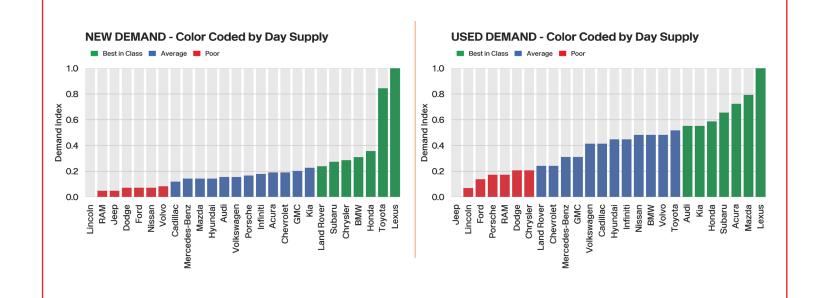






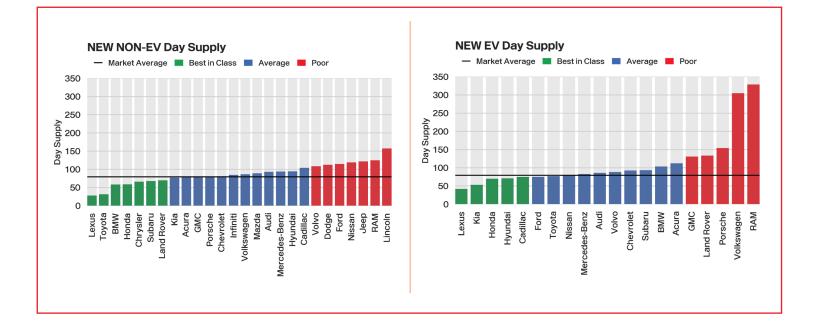
- > New day supply continued its increasing trend, rising another 6 days MoM to 79 days, a 19 day increase YoY.
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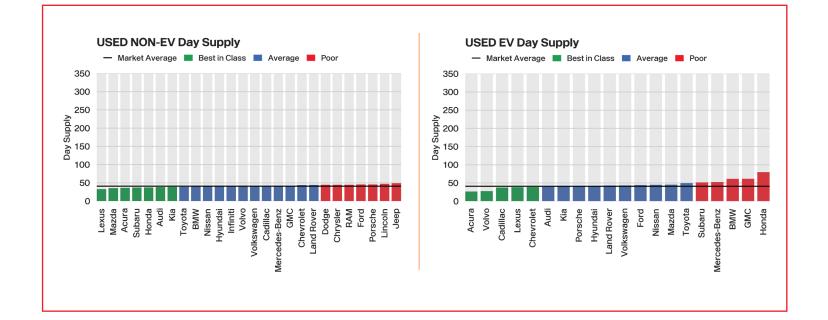




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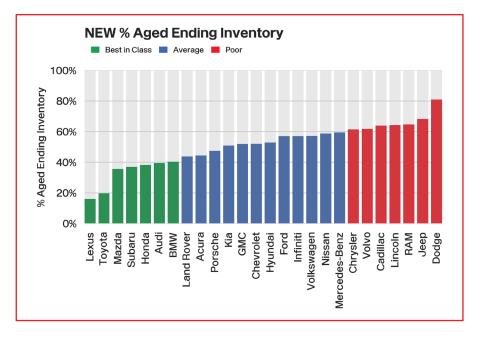
- > EVs saw the biggest increase in sales across all fuel types for both new and used, up 21% and 17% respectively, but still remain a very small proportion of sales and the segment with the highest markdown activity.
- > Day supply of new EVs and gas units are converging as day supply for gas units rises to 84 days and EVs drop to 86 days.
- > New hybrid and gas day supply increased slightly MoM but gas units increased by more than double that of hybrids YoY.
- > EVs continued to have the highest proportion of aged inventory for both new and used.

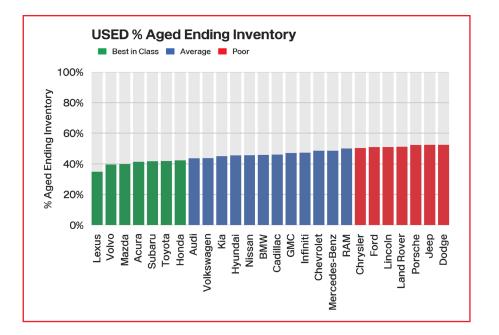




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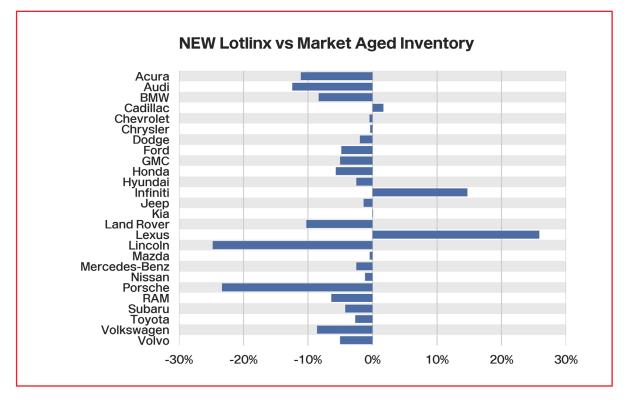
- > Both new and used aged ending inventory held steady MoM.
- > New aged inventory increased by 10% YoY while used fell by 3%.

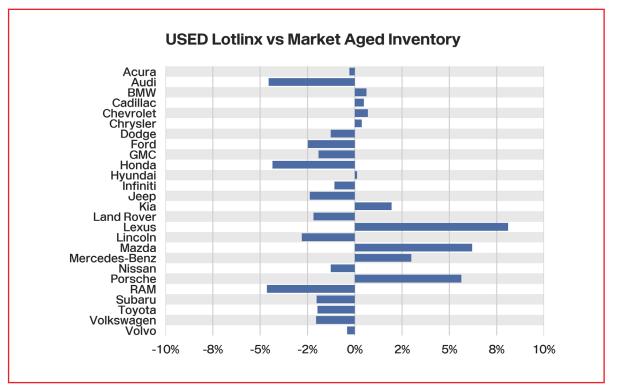






- > On average, Lotlinx customers had 4% less aged inventory than the rest of the market for new vehicles and 1% less for used.
- > 81% of new vehicle brands and 63% of used vehicle brands outperformed the market as Lotlinx customers.



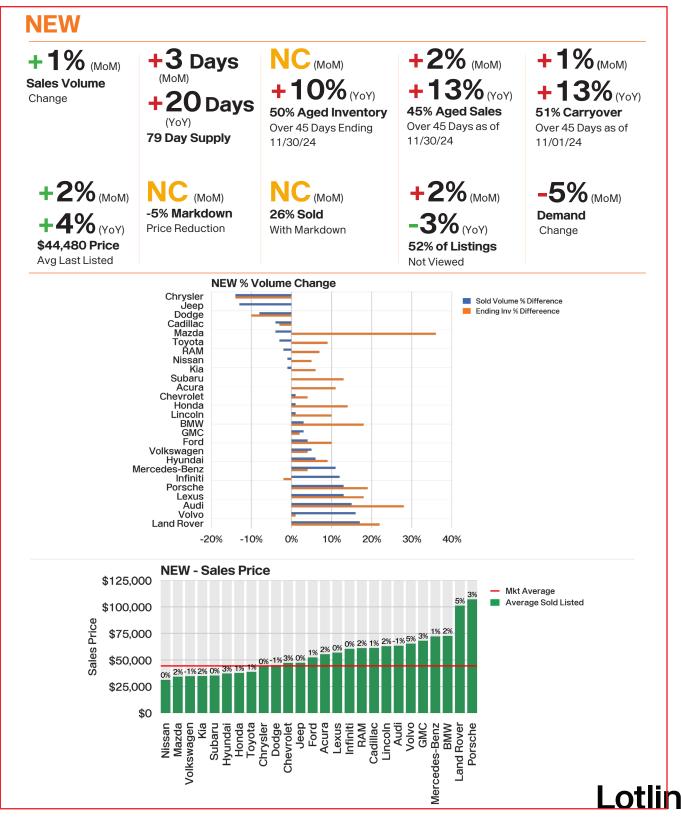


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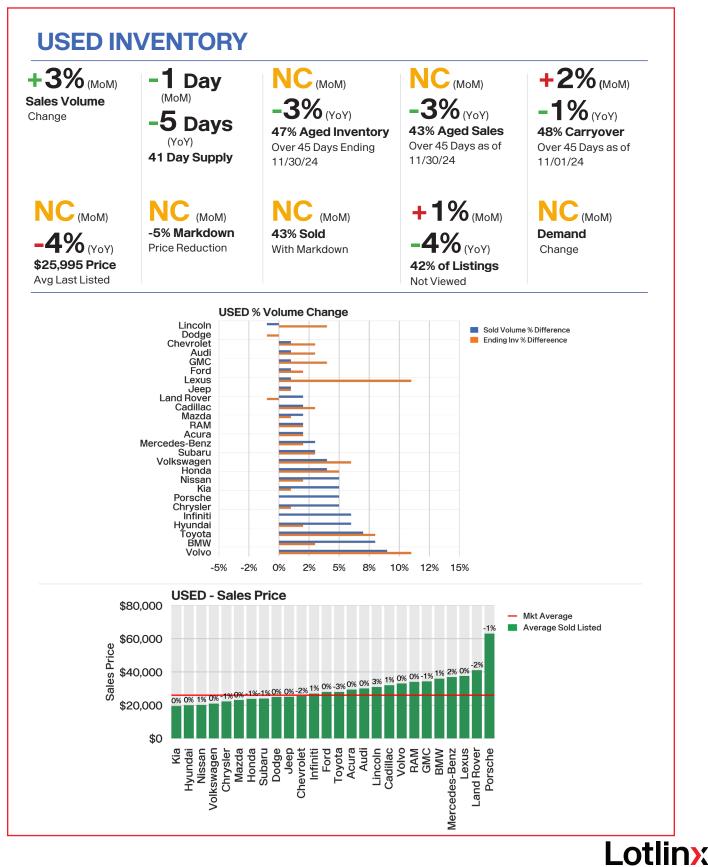
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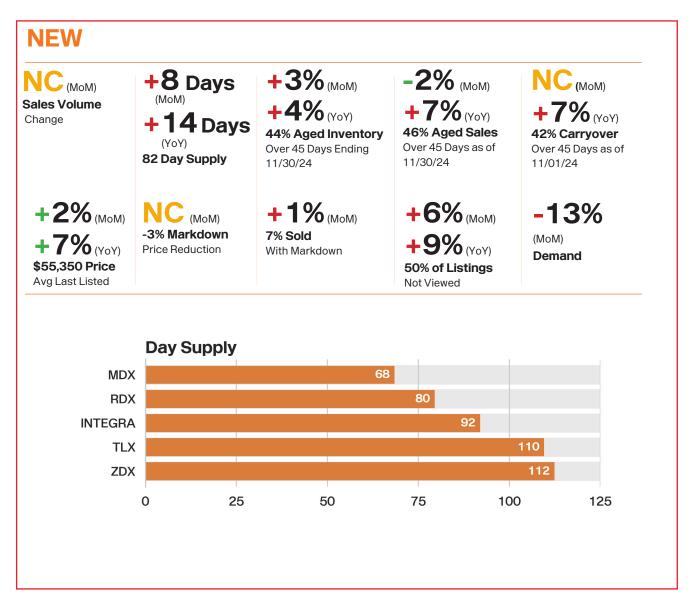


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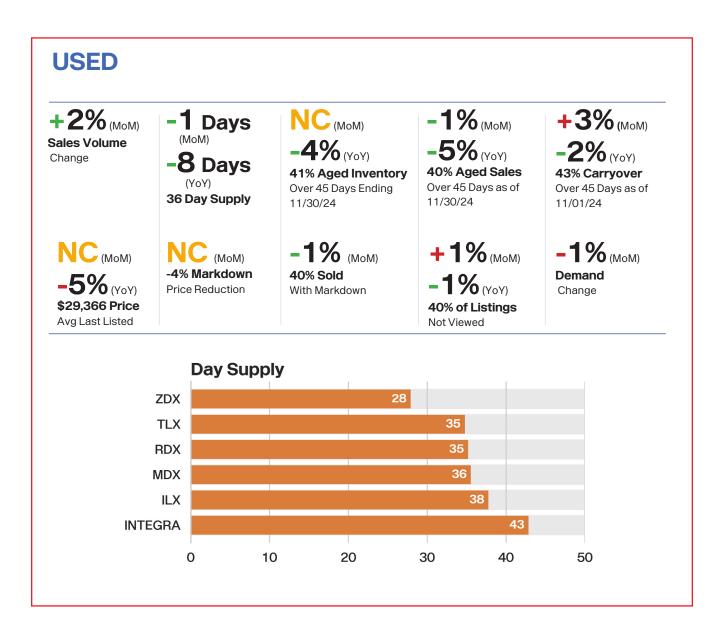
- > Acura had one of the biggest increases in ending inventory, primarily driven by strong performances of the MDX and TLX that both increased by 20% MoM.
- > Fresh inventory aided in one of the most notable decreases in aged inventory of 8% MoM.







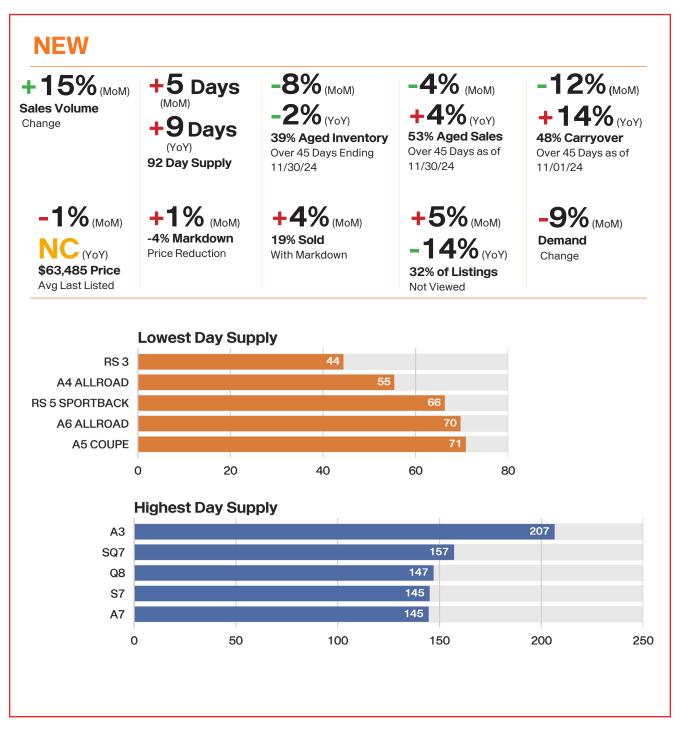
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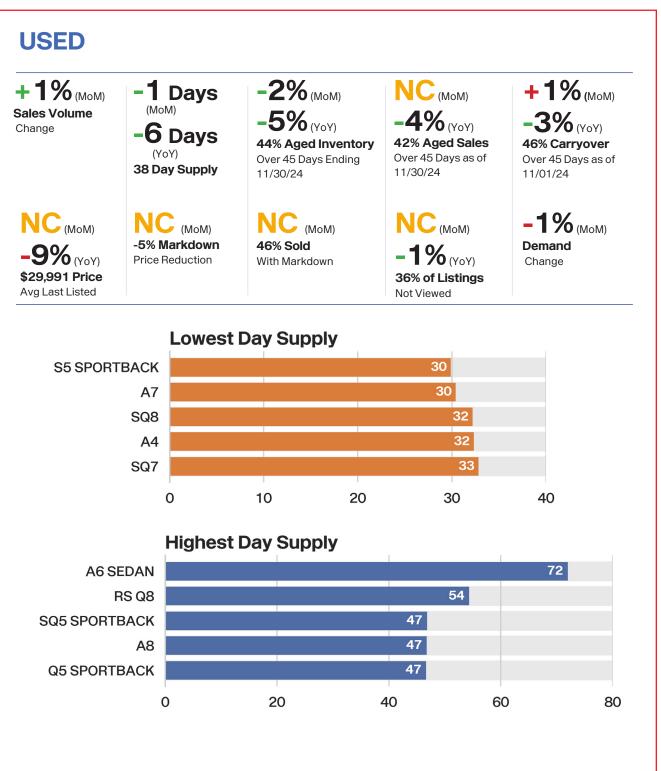
> Audi saw a 3% decrease in EV sales MoM as the last list price increased by a market high of 16%.



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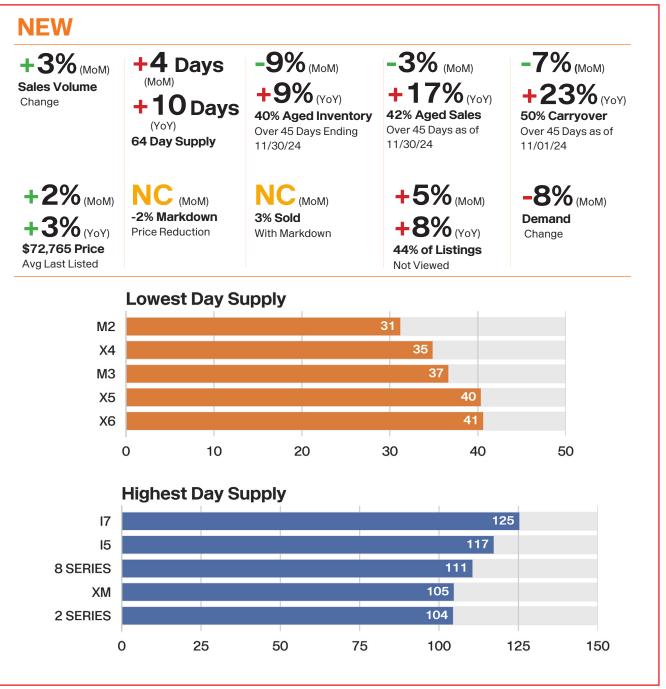


- > Audi had the biggest drop in list price YoY of 9% while the market held steady.
- > Audi also had the largest last listed price drop MoM for EVs of 7%, increasing sales of aged units by 12%.



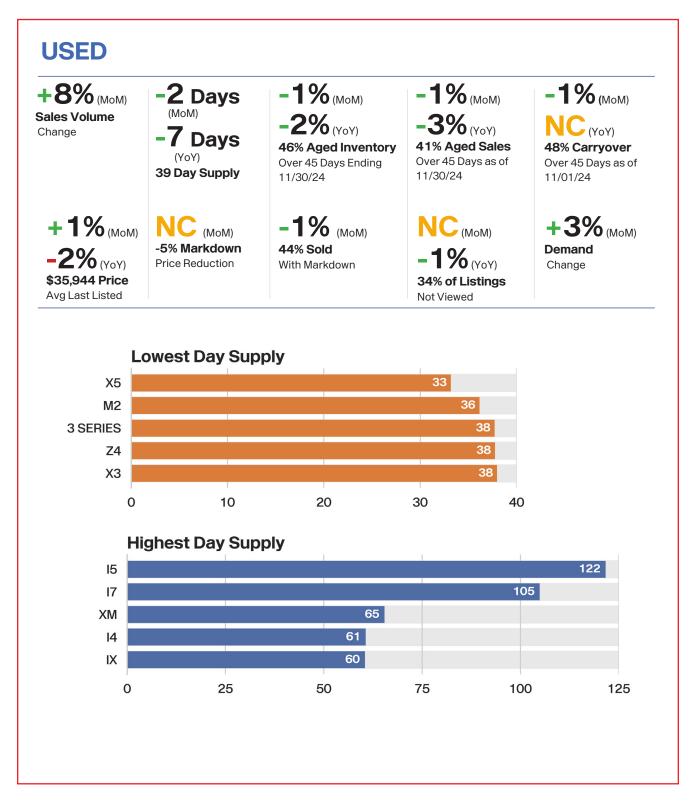


- > X3 sales fell by 18%, making up 5% less of BMW's monthly sales MoM. Just over 30% of newly listed X3 2025s sold in November.
- > The X5 and X6 continued to post strong sales growth, supported by a significant influx of inventory mid-month.





X3s had one of the biggest increases in sales of 26% MoM

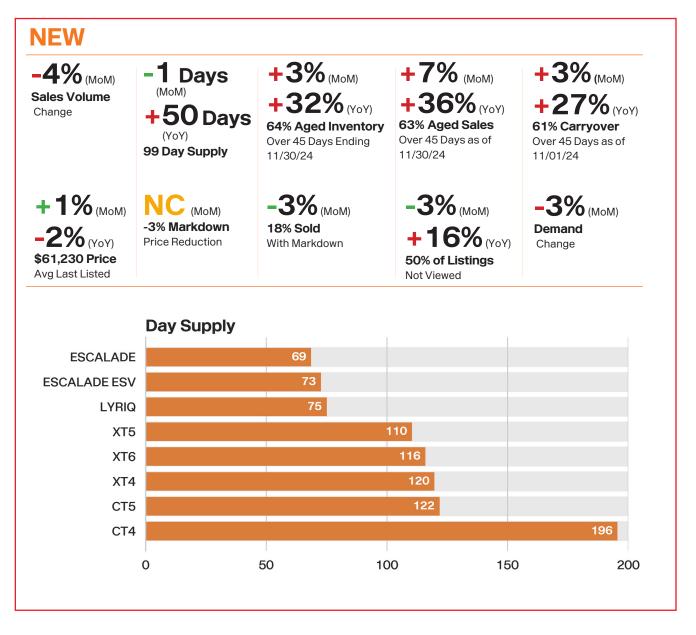


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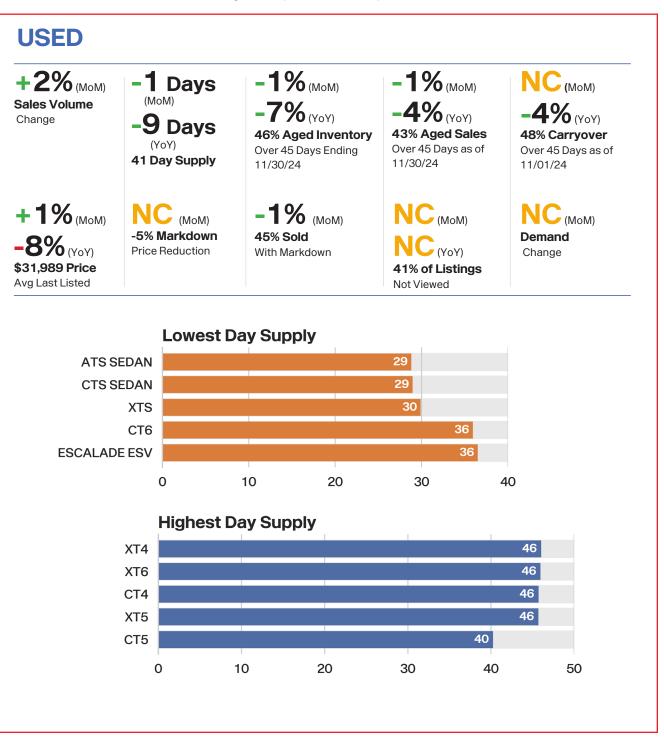
> The release of the LYRIQ 2025 model helped sales increase by 5% while reducing sold units with a markdown by half MoM, representing the most significant decrease in the market.







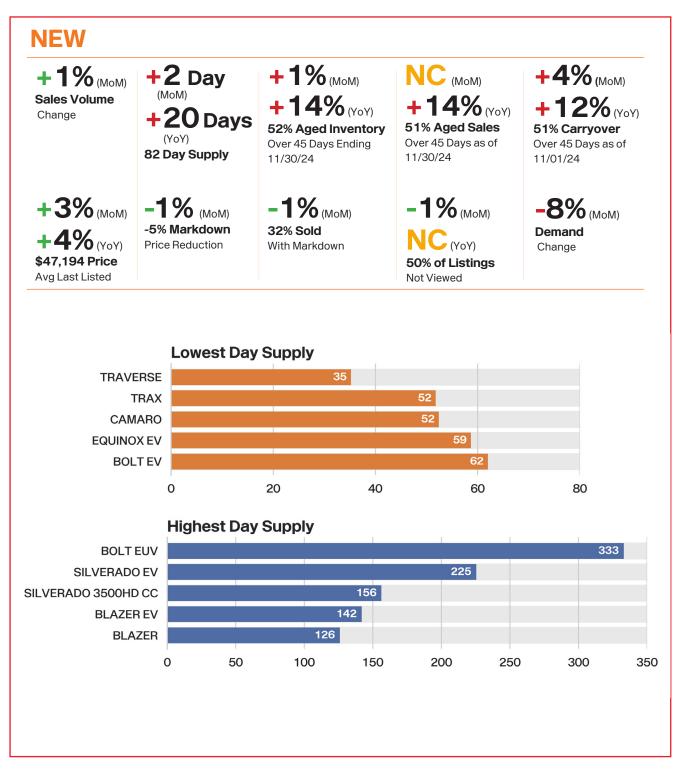
- > Cadillac had the largest drop in day supply YoY of 9 days down to 41 days.
- > The Escalade ESV had one of the largest drops in last listed price MoM of 5%.





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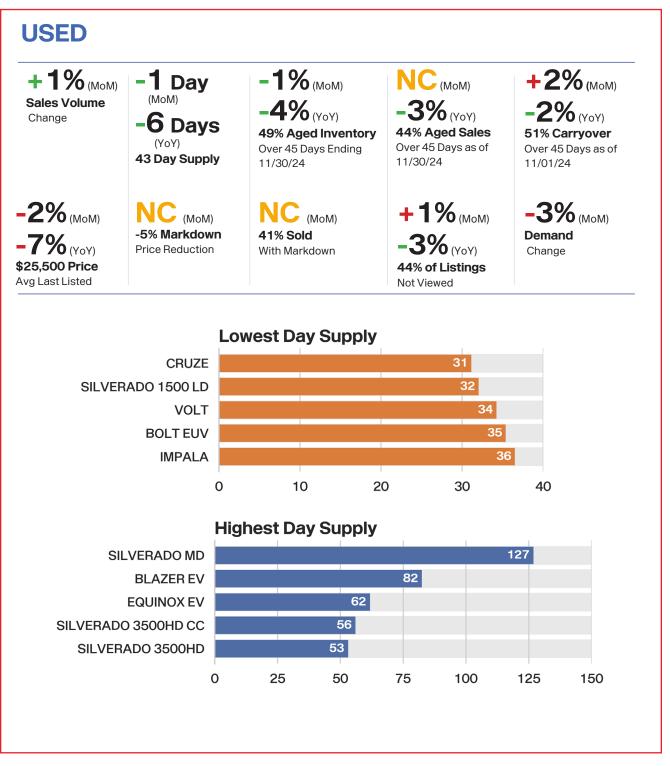
- > Chevrolet saw 30% growth in EV sales MoM as list price fell by 2%, supported by a 39% growth in the Equinox EV that overshadowed the higher priced Blazer EV growth of 9%.
- > The Silverado EV had the largest drop in list price of 12% MoM as more 2025s hit the front line at a lower base cost. This helped spur a 31% growth in sales.



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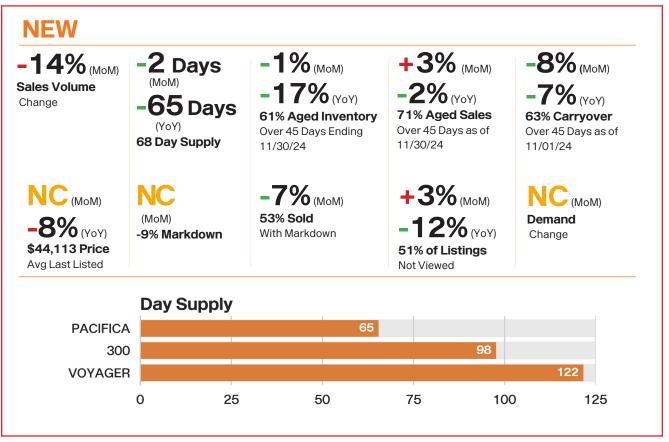
> Chevrolet decreased EV day supply by 11 days MoM to 38 days, selling through 10% more aged units compared to last month and lowering aged inventory by 4%.



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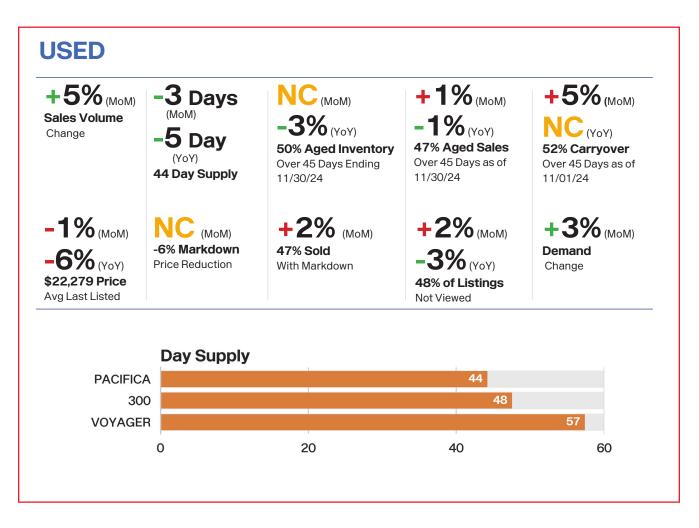


- > Chrysler had the biggest decrease in sales MoM of 14% accompanied by the largest drop in ending inventory of 14% as well.
- > Day supply was cut in half YoY, dropping 65 days to 68 days.
- > While Chrysler was able to reduce the number of old model year Pacifica inventory by 35% from October, 2025s make up less than 45% of current inventory.





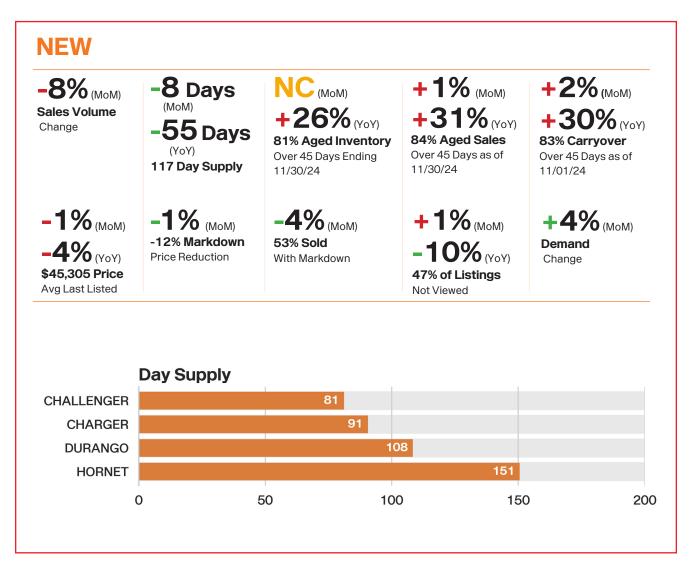
> Chrysler had the biggest decrease in day supply for hybrids of 7 days MoM down to 46 days.







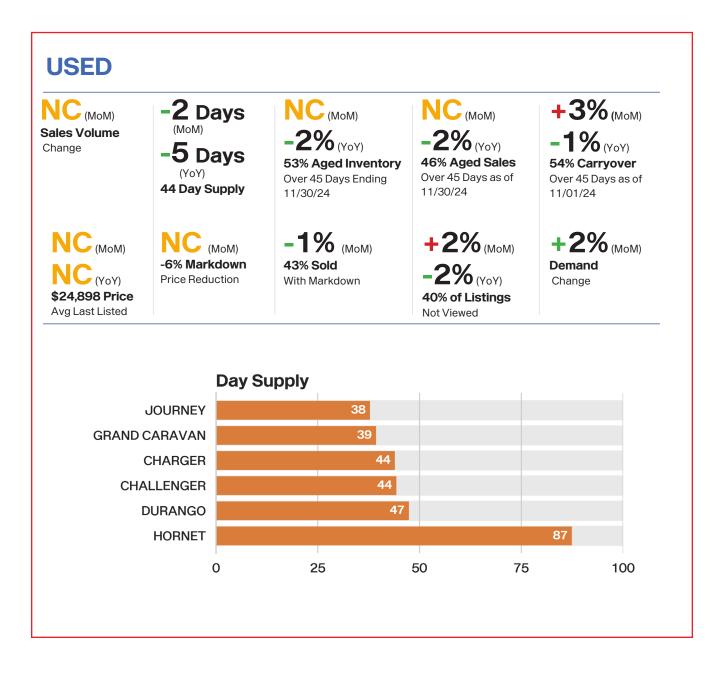
- > The Durango and Hornet saw slight increases in sales MoM with a significant healthy correction in day supply.
- Aging continues to be a sore spot with the Durango and Hornet ending the month with a combined days on lot of over 180 days, down 18 days from October.







> The Hornet had the highest day supply in the market of 87 days, up 3 days MoM.



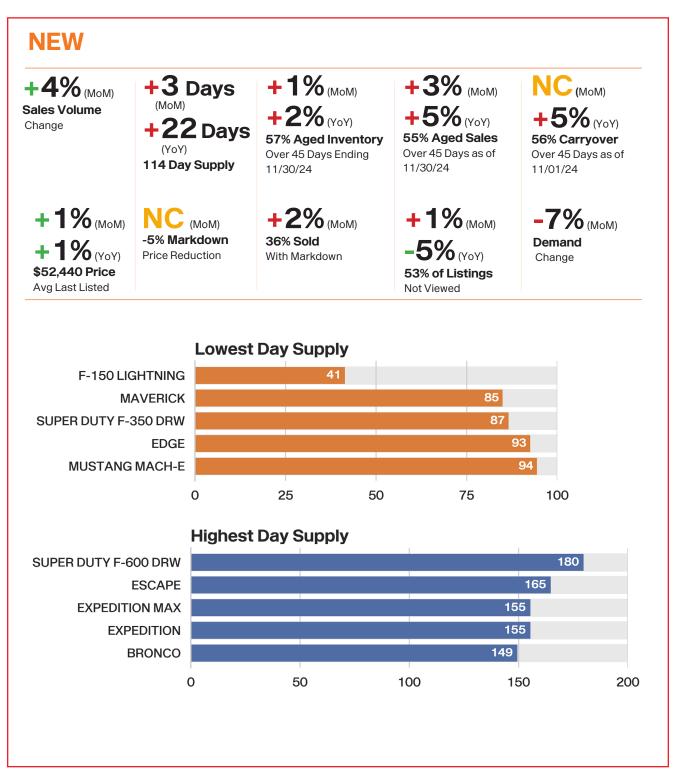


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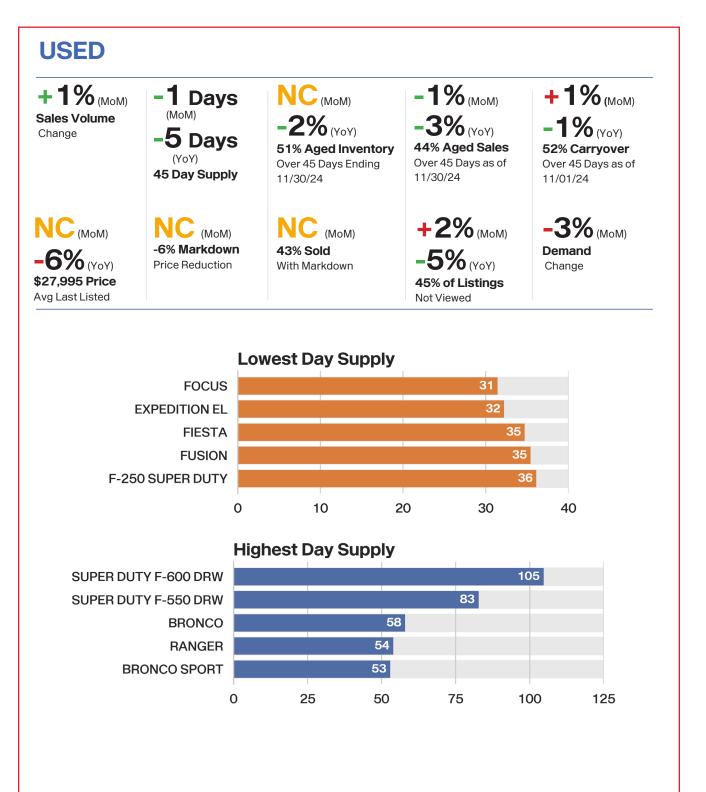
- > EV sales grew by over 60% as Ford increased markdowns on 2024 Mach-Es and F-150 Lightnings, dropping the average last list price by 4% MoM for both models.
- > The Maverick and Mustang both saw day supply increase by 20 days MoM as sales dropped by over 10% and 2024 day supply remaining over 60 days.



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> The Mach-E had one of the largest increases in day supply of 6 days MoM to 45 days.

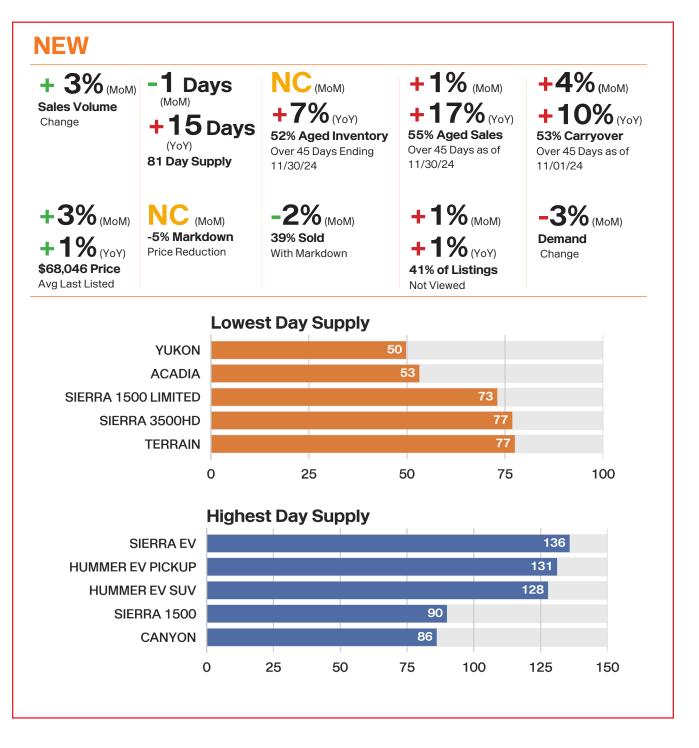


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> The release of the 2025 Yukon and Yukon XL boosted sales by 27% and 17% MoM respectively with day supply dropping by 15 days MoM for both models.

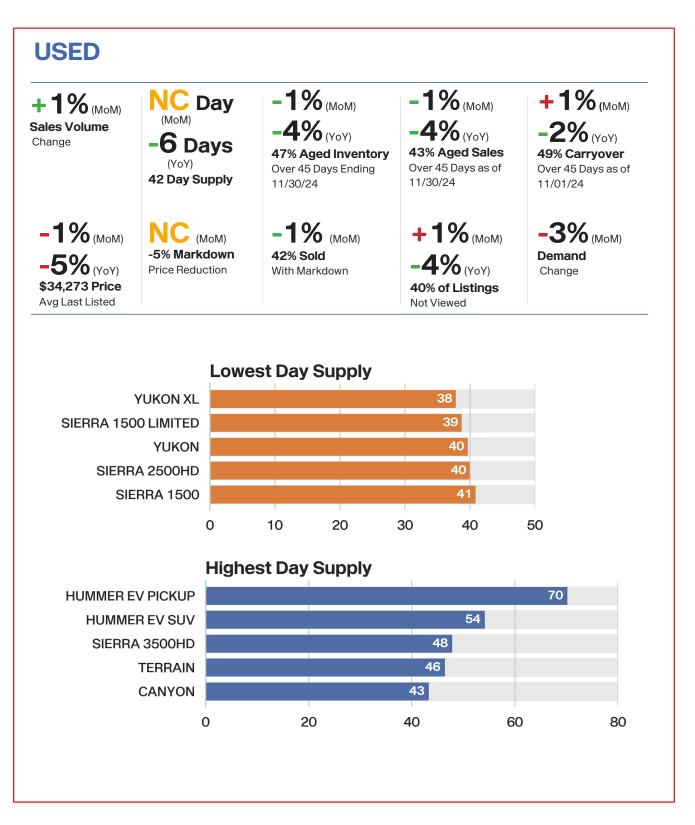


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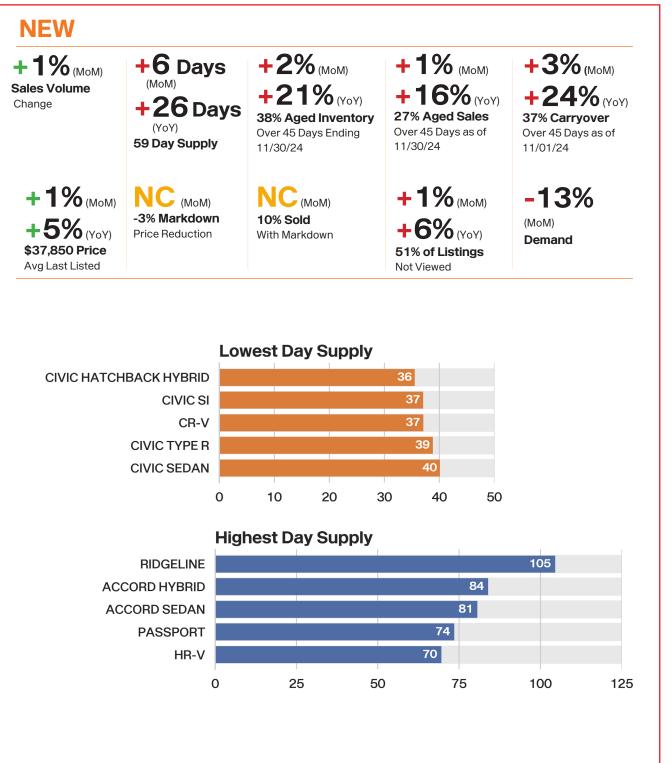
> The Yukon XL had one of the biggest last listed price increases MoM of 5%.



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- > Another decrease in Prologue list price along with fresh inventory spurred sales growth of over 40% MoM and made up almost 6% of Honda's November sales.
- > The Accord Hybrid and Sedan saw day supply increase by 17 days for both models as sales struggled to keep up with increased 2025 inventory.

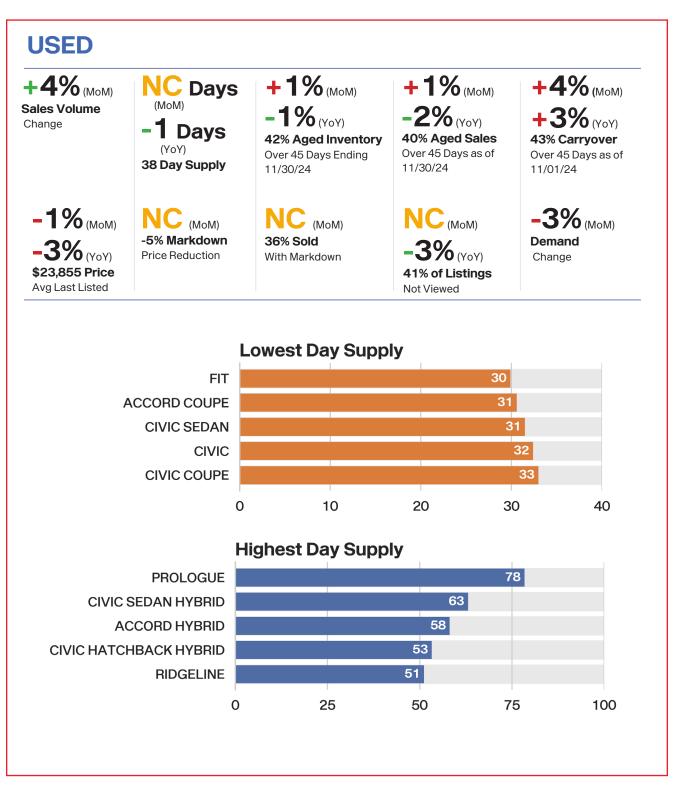


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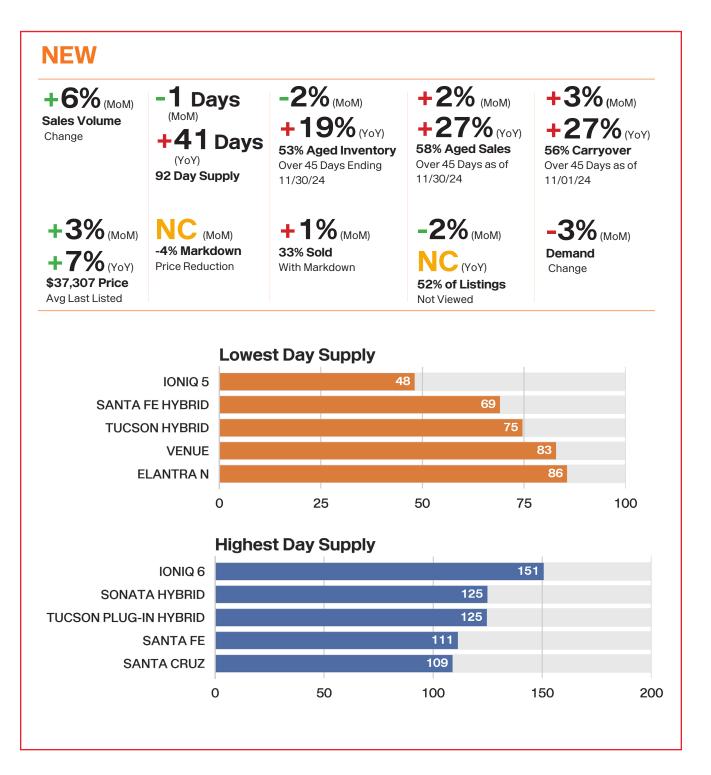
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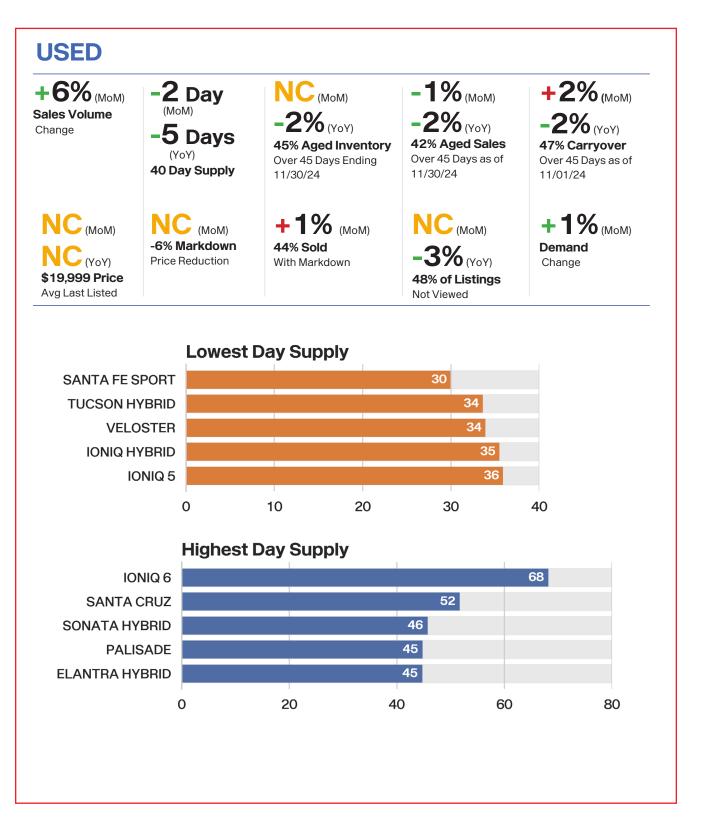


- > Santa Fe sales increased by over 30% MoM as more 2025s hit the frontline while maintaining sales volume of 2024s. This caused day supply to drop by 25 days MoM to 111 days.
- > The IONIQ 6 experienced a similar trend increasing sales by 30% MoM and dropping day supply by 41 days to 151 days. 2024 sales held steady with a 3% price drop while 2025s increased by over 40%.





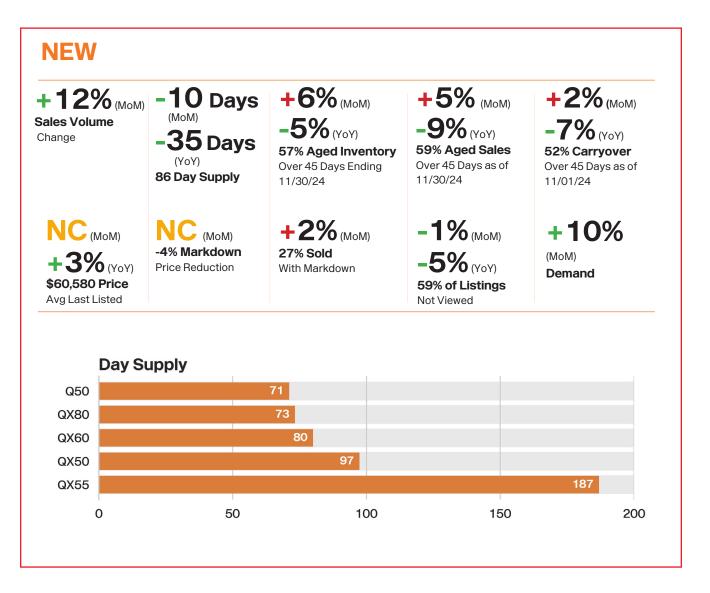
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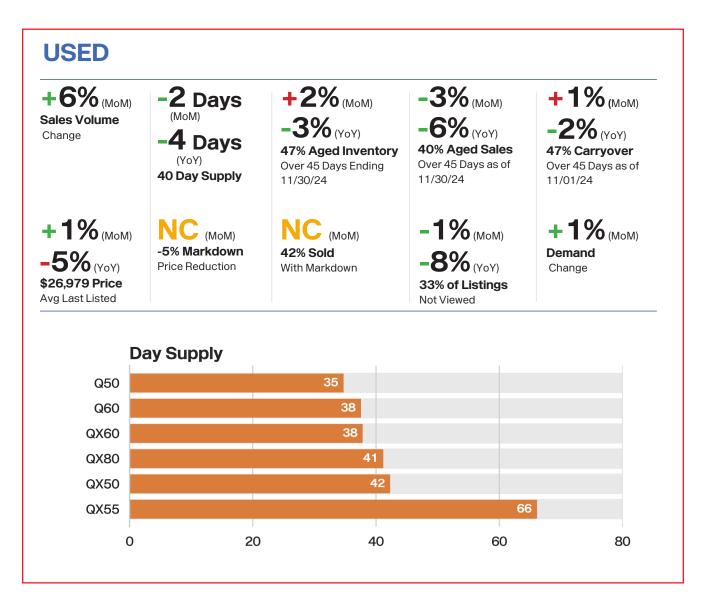
- > Infiniti had the largest increase in aged ending inventory MoM of 6% driven by a 10% increase in the QX60.
- > The Q50 made a significant correction in day supply, decreased by nearly half to 71 days MoM as sales increased by over 30% and inventory decreased by over 30%.







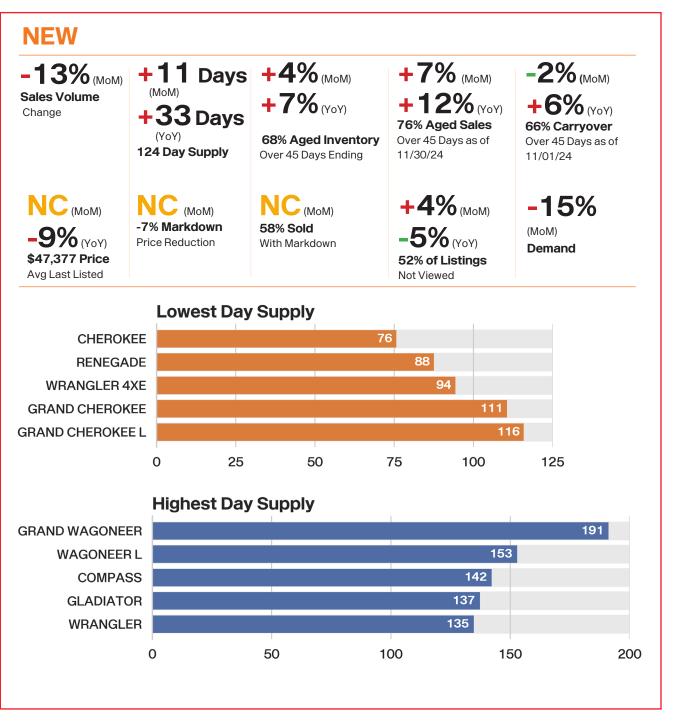
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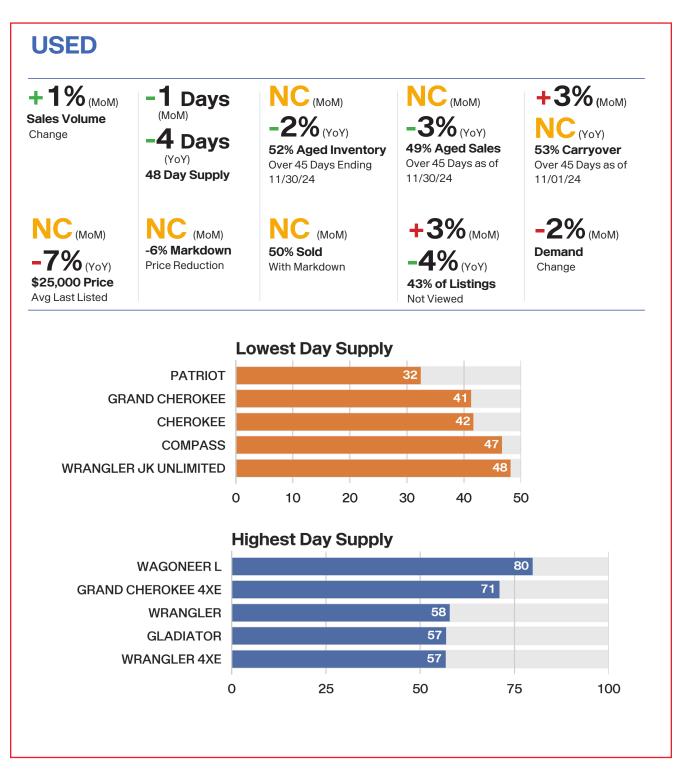


- > Jeep had one of the biggest decreases in last listed price of 9% YoY driven by a 10% drop in the Compass, Grand Cherokee, and Grand Cherokee L.
- > The Grand Cherokee and Wrangler saw day supply increase by 15 days MoM as 2025 model years have been slow to gain traction.





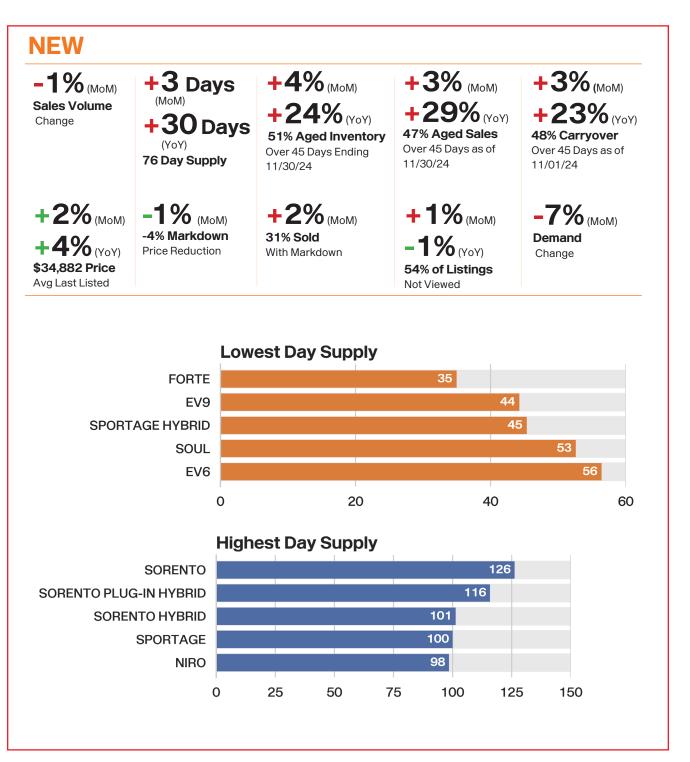
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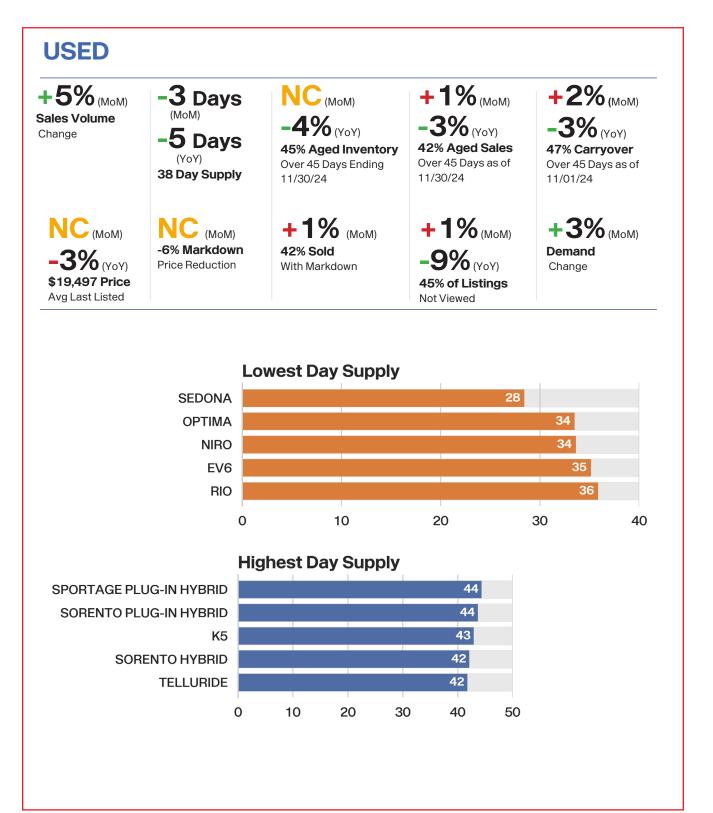
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- > The new K4 continued to gain traction, increasing sales by 34% MoM and making up over 11% of Kia's November sales. The Sportage and Telluride were the only models to post higher sales volumes.
- > Hybrid sales increased by 13% MoM with the Carnival Hybrid increasing by 68% and the Sorento PHEV increasing by 24%



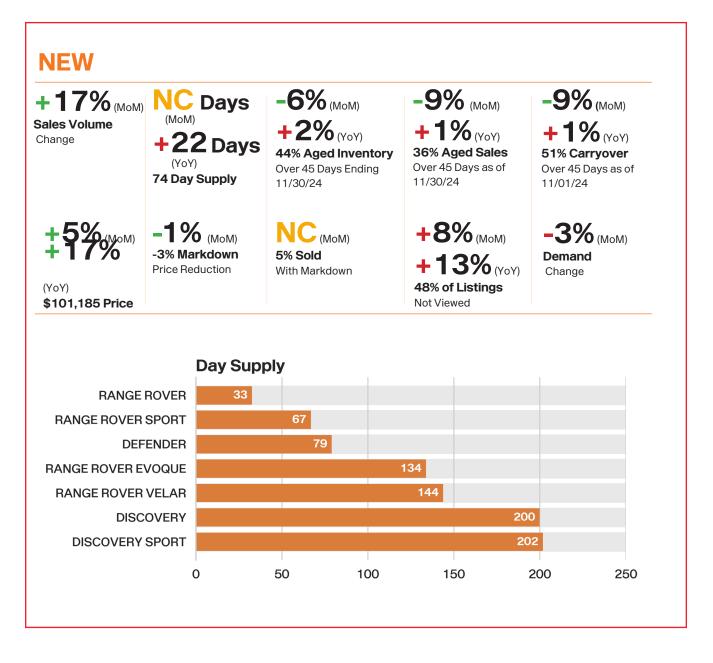




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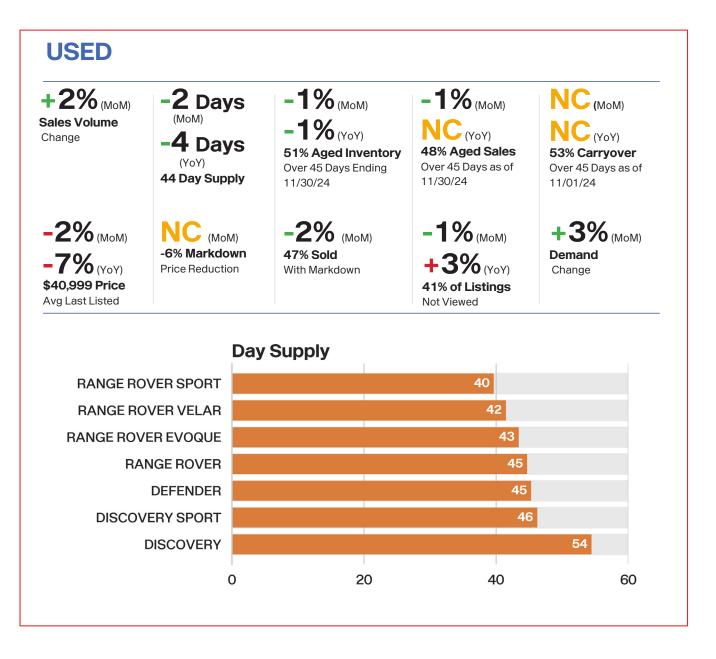


- > Land Rover had the largest increase in sales MoM of 17% with hybrid sales increasing by over 25%.
- > Land Rover also had the largest increase in last listed price of 5% MoM and 17% YoY driven by the Defender increasing 4% MoM and the Range Rover making up a larger percentage of sales YoY.





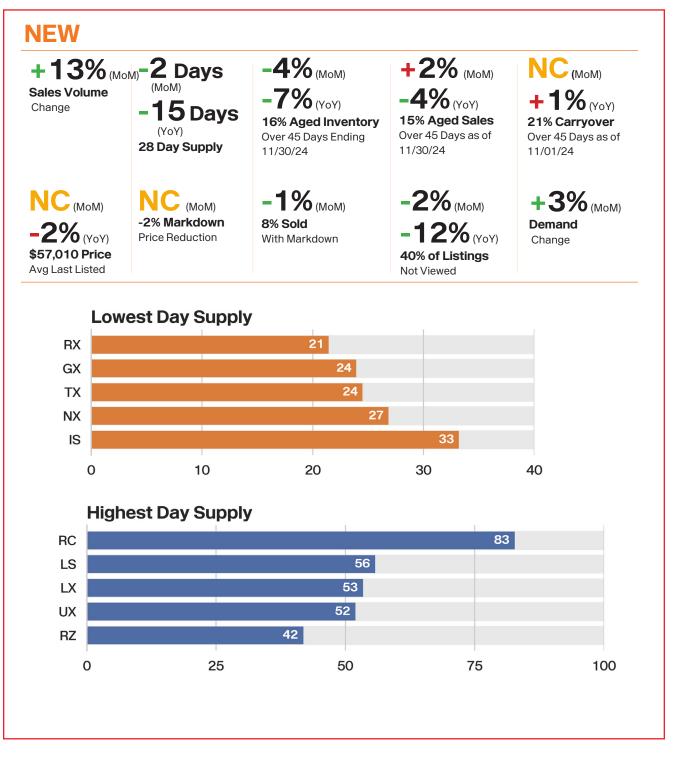




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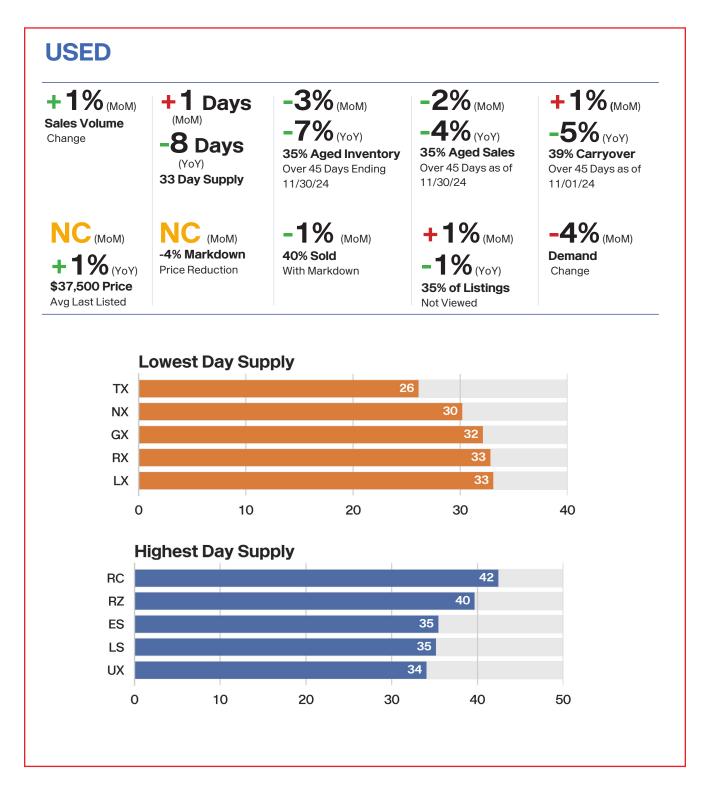
- > Sales of the TX resumed after the stop sale.
- > RX sales fell by 11% MoM but should rebound as 2025s replenish inventory as day supply currently sits on a tight 21 days.



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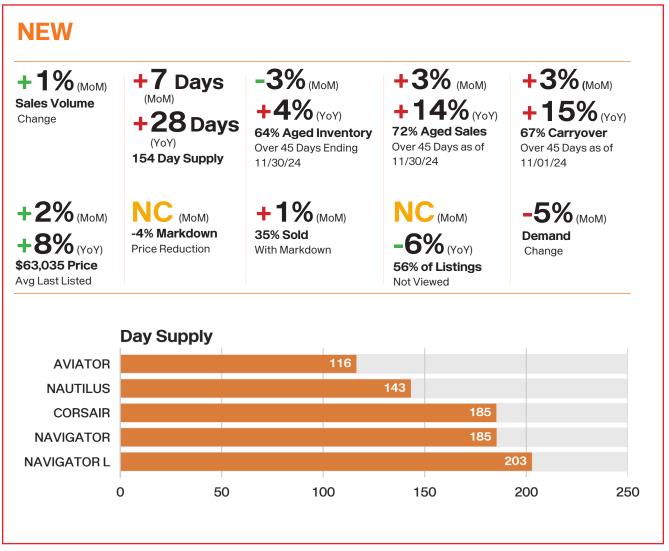


- > Lexus saw the largest decrease in hybrid sales MoM of 8% while the market increased by 9%.
- > The NX had the lowest percentage of inventory under 30 days on lot of 31% in the market.



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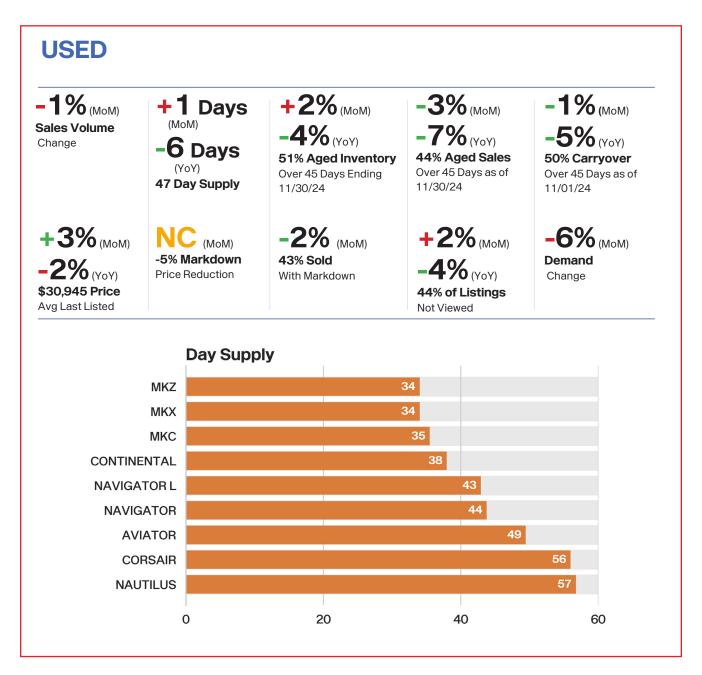
- > Navigator and Navigator L sales increase by 23% and 12% respectively as markdowns increase MoM.
- > The Navigator sales increase aided in a significant day supply correction of 28 days MoM as markdowns decreased last listed price by 2%.





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> Lincoln had the largest increase in last listed price among hybrids in the market of 8%.



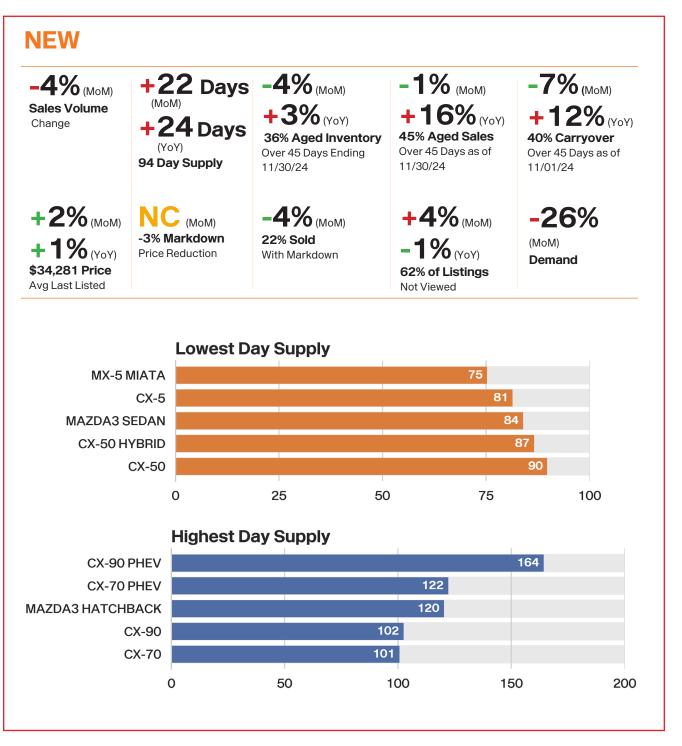


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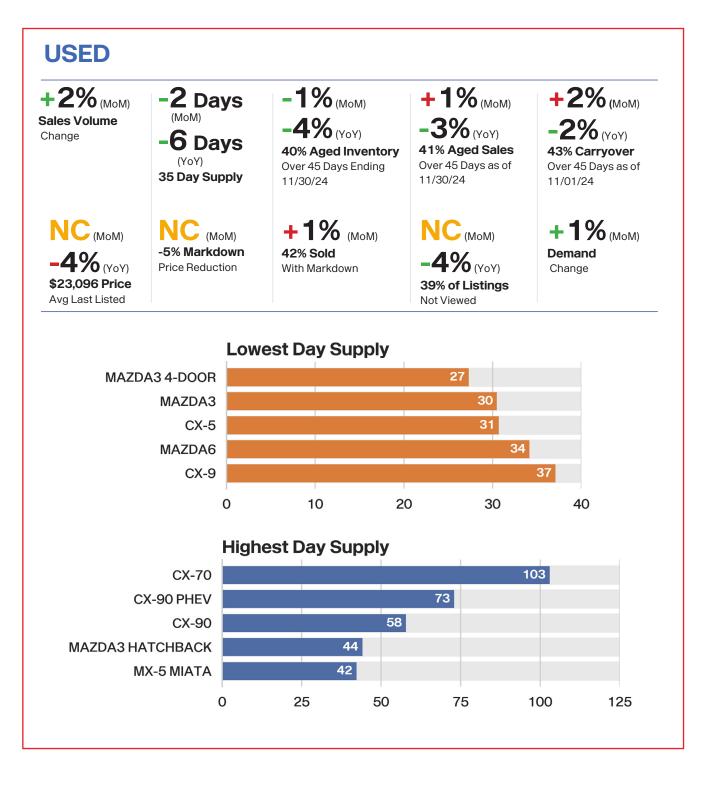
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- > Mazda had the largest MoM increases of over 30% for the second month in a row, causing a market high increase in day supply of 22 days to 94 days.
- > Mazda hybrid sales increased by 18% with the release of the CX-50 Hybrid which made up over 3% of Mazda's November sales.







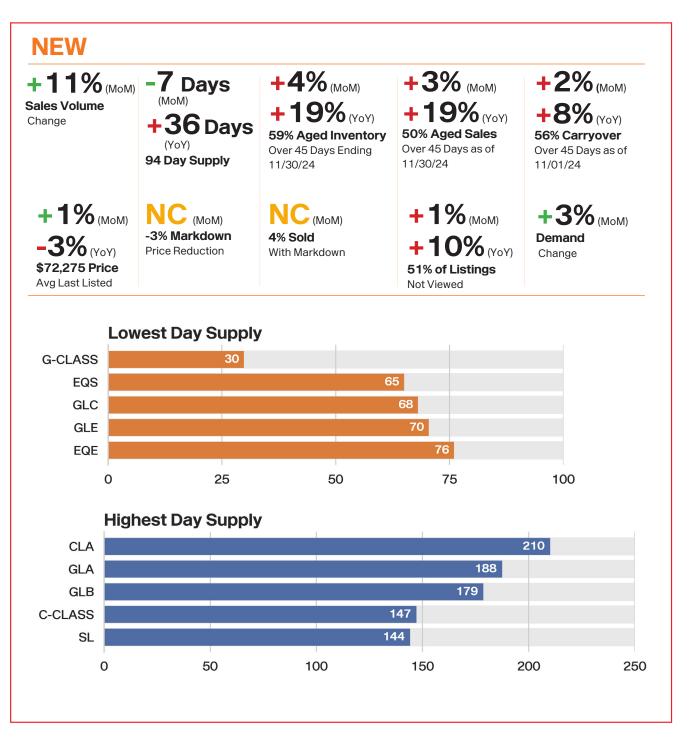
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Mercedes-Benz

- > Mercedes had the largest decrease of EV inventory MoM in the market of 20%.
- > The EQB managed to increase sales with a reduced inventory and reduced day supply by over 50 days MoM to 111 days while the EQE and EQS saw sales slow significantly.

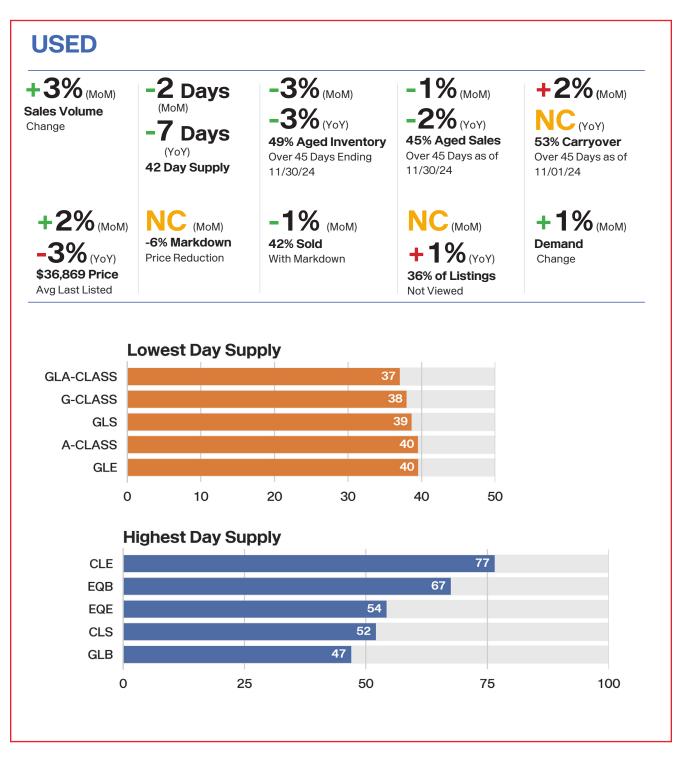


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> The S-Class had the biggest increase in last listed price of 15% YoY.



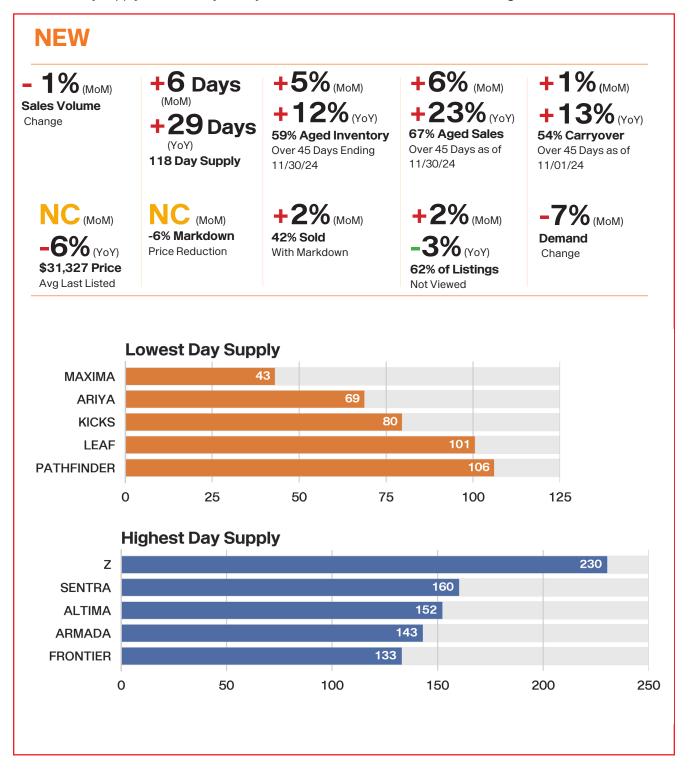
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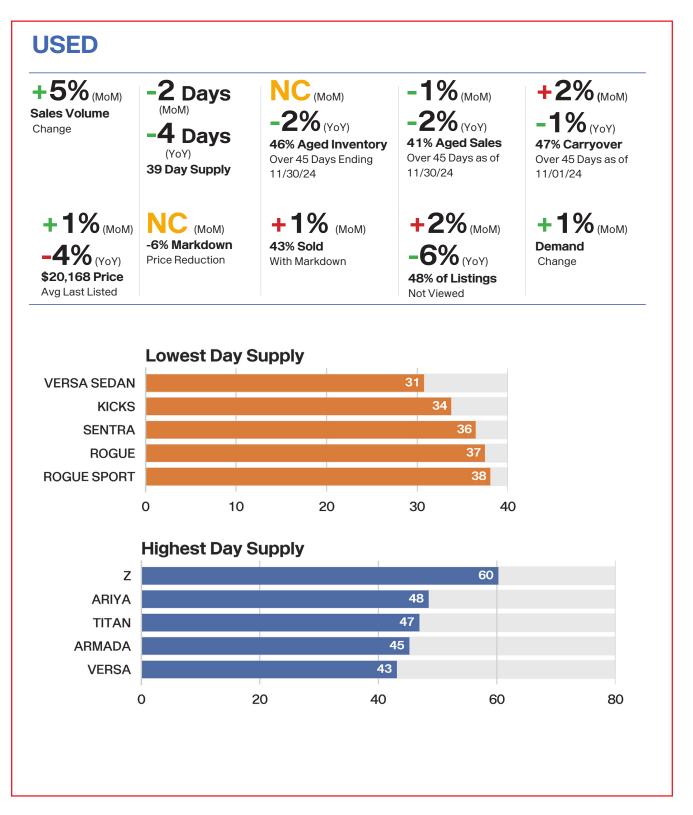


- > Nissan had one of the biggest drops in EV sales MoM for the second month in a row of 8% driven by another 14% drop in Ariyas.
- > Sentra day supply increased by 33 days MoM as 2025 models have been slow to gain traction.





- > The Ariya had the biggest increase in sales MoM, almost doubling.
- > Nissan had the largest increase in list price MoM for EVs of 13%.

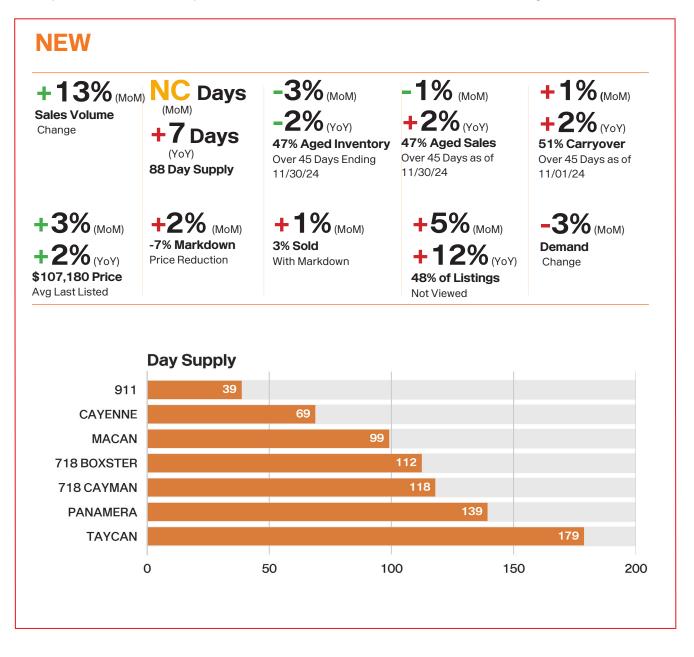


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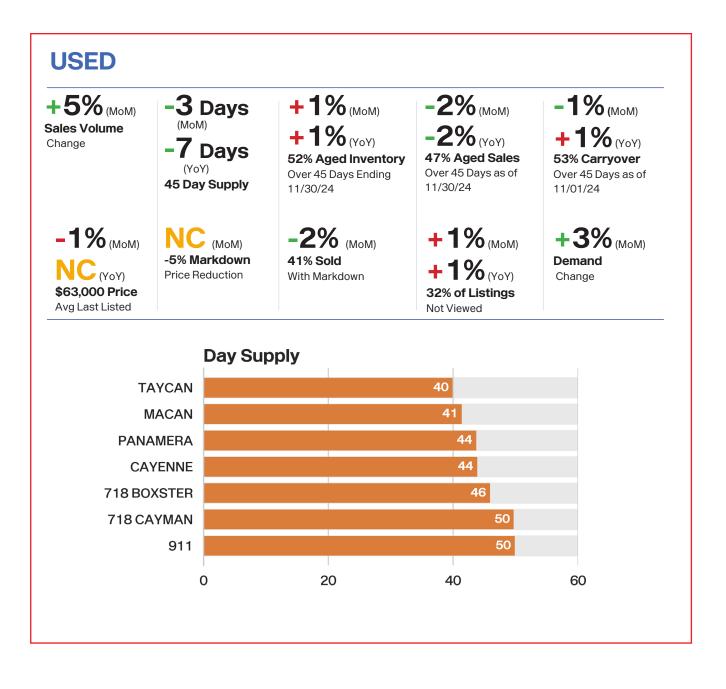
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- > The Cayenne had one of largest increases in last listed price of 8% MoM in the market while the 911 had the biggest decrease in list price YoY of nearly 20%.
- > Cayenne sales increased by 40% MoM with sales of the 2025 model more than doubling.





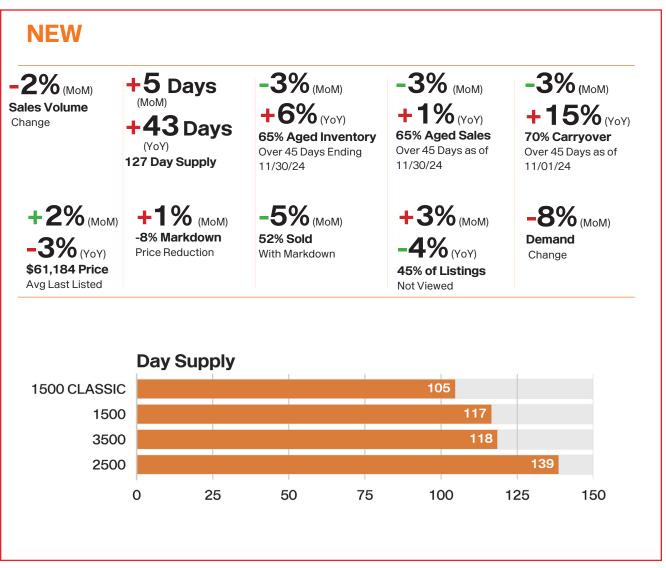






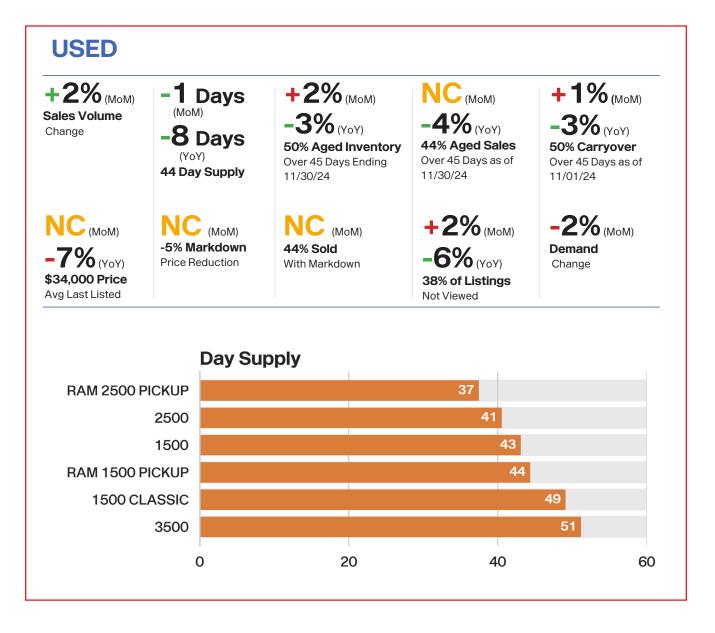


> While sales of the 1500 were down 3% MoM, the remaining 2024 model year inventory was reduced by almost half.









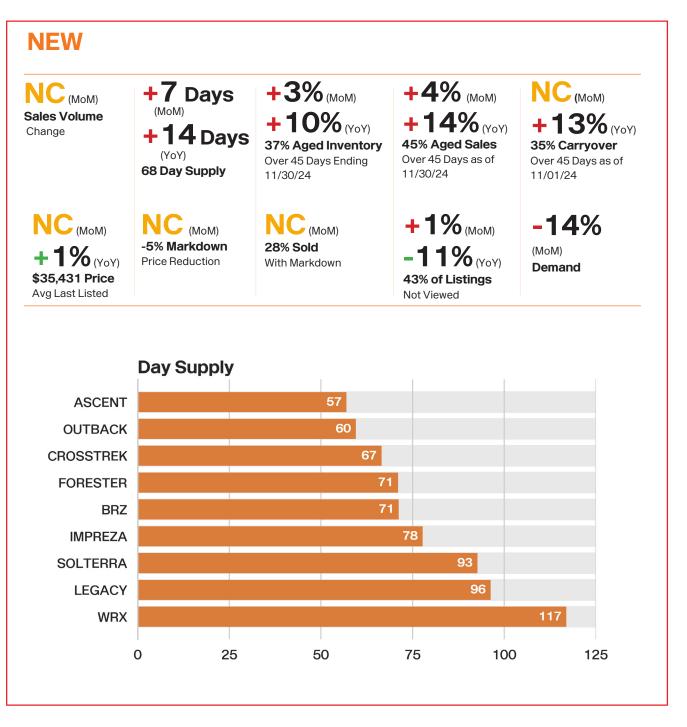


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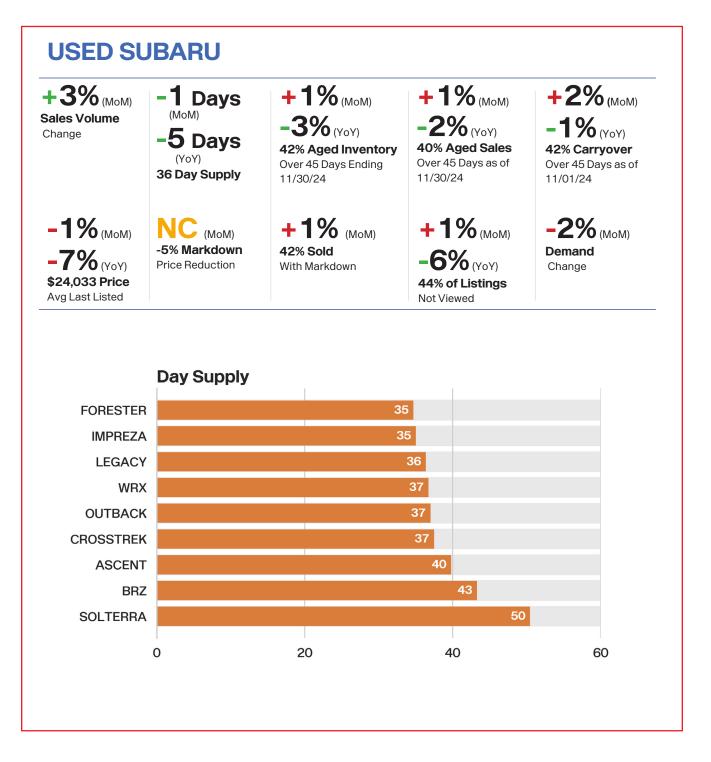
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- > The Crosstrek 2025 model became available last month but there is still a large volume of 2024s in inventory.
- > Legacy day supply increased by 19 days MoM to 96 days as 2025 sales plateaued.



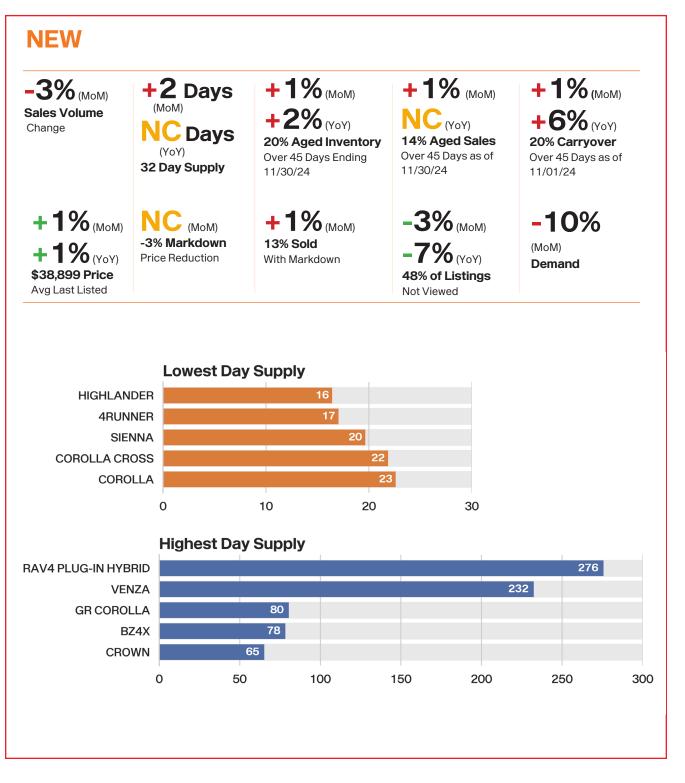




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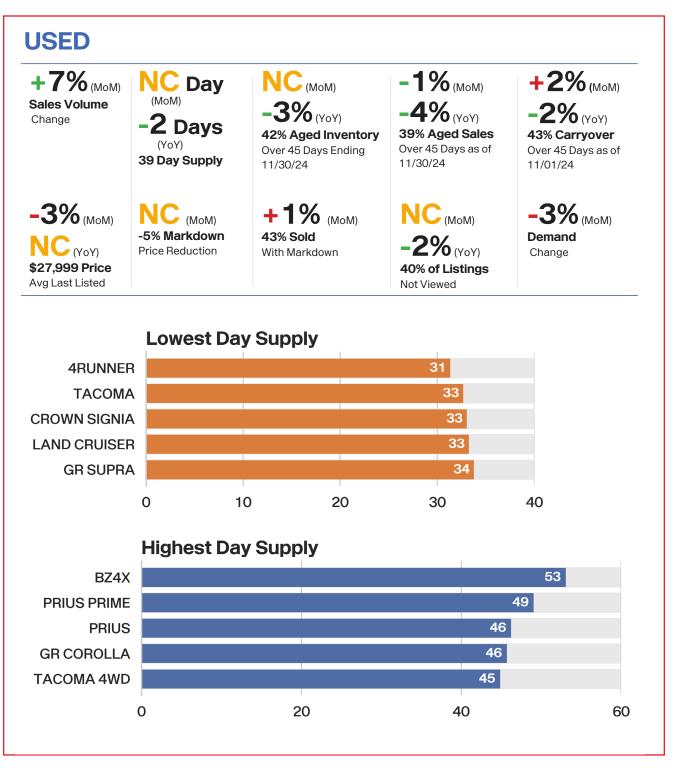
RAV4 sales dropped by over 30% with constrained inventory as the 2025 finally became available in November. Sales should rebound in December with more inventory becoming available. More than 70% of 2025s that were listed by the 10th of November have already been sold.



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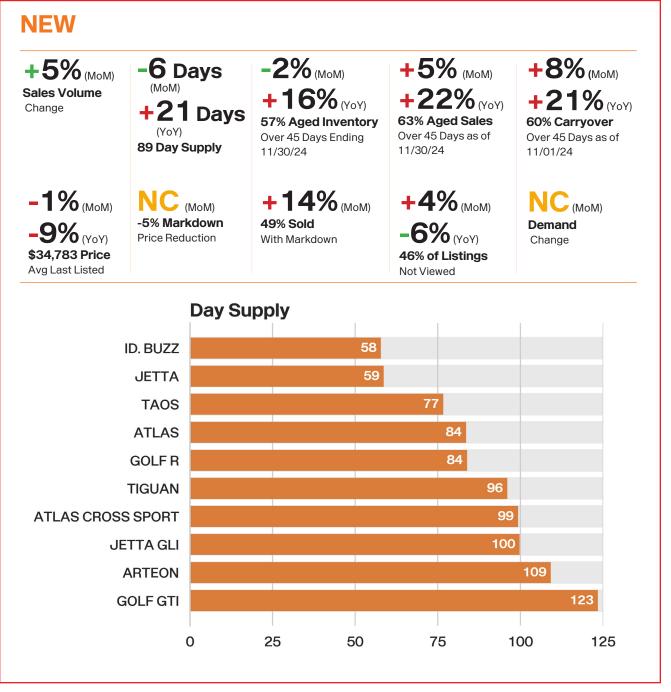




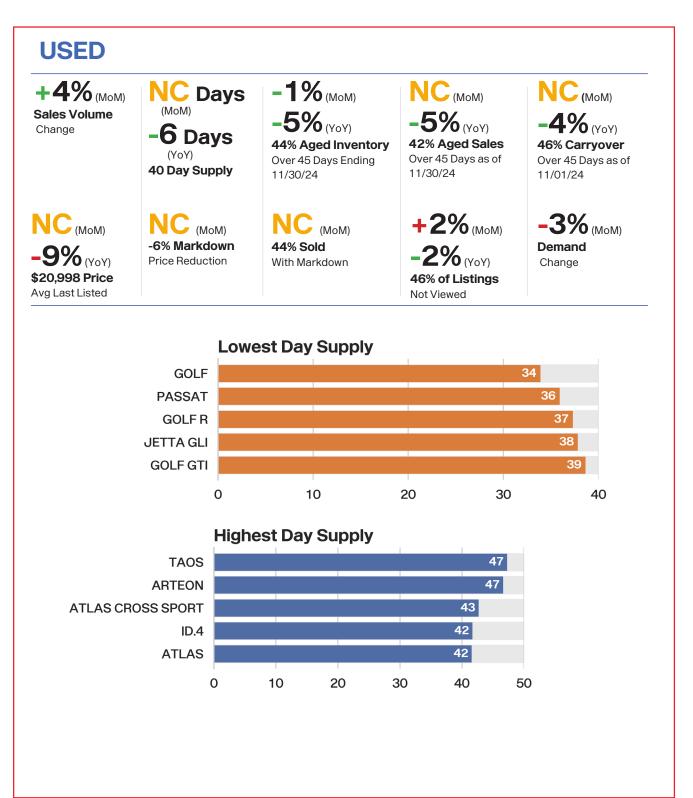
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- > Volkswagen had one of the biggest decreases in last listed price of 9% YoY as the number of units sold with a markdown increased by a market high of 14% MoM.
- > The ID.BUZZ debuted with an average price tag of over \$70,000, over 50% more than any other Volkswagen model.







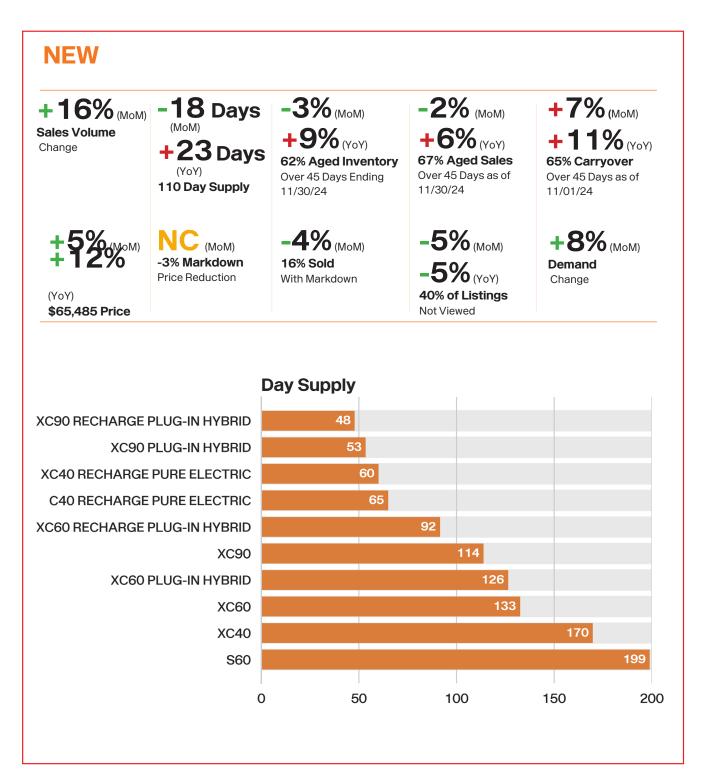
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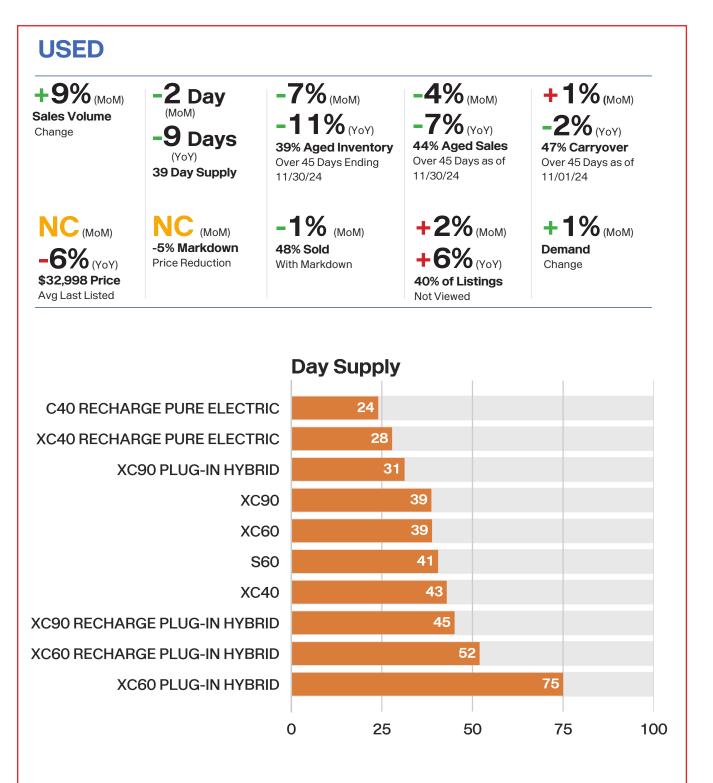


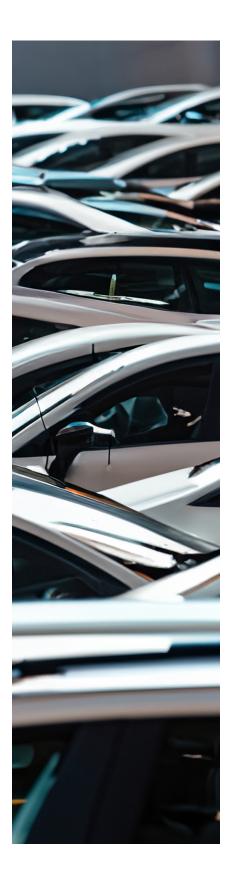
- > Volvo had the biggest decrease in day supply of 18 days MoM to 110 days driven by a 55 day drop in XC90 PHEV.
- > XC90 PHEV sales continue to gain momentum, increasing another 77% MoM.





- > Volvo saw the largest increase in sales MoM of 9% compared to the market's 3%, driven by a 36% increase in hybrids.
- > Volvo also had the largest increase in inventory MoM of 11% driven by S60 increasing by over 30%.





## GLOSSARY

#### Carryover

Units with days on lot over 30 for used and 45 for new at the beginning of the period

#### **Day Supply**

Period ending inventory divided by the avg daily retail sales rate over the period (ending inventory/total sales/number of days in period)

#### Demand

Index based on sold units versus live listings at the time of sale for the segment

#### **Last Listed Price**

The last price a unit was seen listed with before it sold

#### **Markdown Price Reduction**

The percent difference between the first listed price and last listed price before being sold

#### NC

No change was observed between prior and current period for the metric

#### **Percent Aged Inventory**

Percent of ending inventory units that had days on lot over 30 for used and 45 for new

#### **Percent Aged Sales**

Percent of sales over the period that had days on lot over 30 for used and 45 for new

#### **Percent Of Listings Not Viewed**

The average daily percent of inventory without a single VDP

#### **Percent Sold With Markdown**

Percent of units sold in the period that had a last listed price less than first listed price

#### **Sales Volume Change**

Total previous period sold unit count compared to current period sales



## > THE LOTLINX VINCENSUS REPORT

The Lotlinx Vincensus is a monthly/quarterly syndicated report crafted to demonstrate the state of automotive inventory across major OEMs. It serves as a detailed comparative analysis that shows how each OEM is performing against industry benchmarks, so dealers can see where they rank amongst their competition. This approach not only highlights relative performance metrics but will also demonstrate where buyer demand is. It will also show how their data has changed each month, month over month, and quarter over quarter.

The report covers a range of indicators, including month-to-date sales volumes, inventory duration, unviewed online vehicle listings, and pricing adjustments, among others. Lotlinx is the only company that provides this data.

This report was developed using Lotlinx's proprietary Lexaca data, the largest inventory specific data set in the United States that leverages machine learning models that have been evolving for the past 10 years.

We are the only company that is sharing data such as the percent of aged sales, calculating a demand index, identifying the percent of inventory VDPs that are not seen daily, and the percent of sales that are discounted and how they compare to the average discounts.

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