



EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

New inventory grew by 9% causing day supply to increase to 76 days, 24 days higher than last year. This rise is partly due to more 2025 models arriving on lots, while unsold 2024 models pose a growing risk for dealers. Prices for gas units continue to rise even as consumer affordability remains a focus. However, list prices fell YoY for hybrids as the space has become more competitive, making up over 20% of new vehicle sales in October. EVs also saw prices fall slightly YoY as aging continues to cause problems for most brands.

Used vehicles saw an 9% increase in sales MoM with hybrids increasing by 12% and gas units increasing by 7% while EVs continue to struggle, falling another 1%. Pricing for gas units and hybrids as a whole remained consistent MoM and YoY while EVs saw significant increases.

These trends highlight the evolving dynamics in the automotive market. Rising inventories and steady used vehicle demand could prompt more pricing adjustments and incentives for new cars. Effective inventory management will be critical to managing aging and mitigating related risks.

New Vehicles:

- New vehicle sales increased by 7% MoM but were outpaced by a 9% increase in inventory
 causing day supply to continue its increasing trend. It increased by 4 days to 76 days, an
 increase of 22 days YoY.
- Aging saw no movement MoM but increased 12% YoY.

Used Vehicles:

- Used vehicle sales grew by 9% MoM after slowing last month.
- Day supply saw no change MoM but decreased by 3 days YoY to 41 days.
- Aged inventory increased by 2% MoM and fell by 2% YoY to 47%.

Recommended action steps for upcoming months:

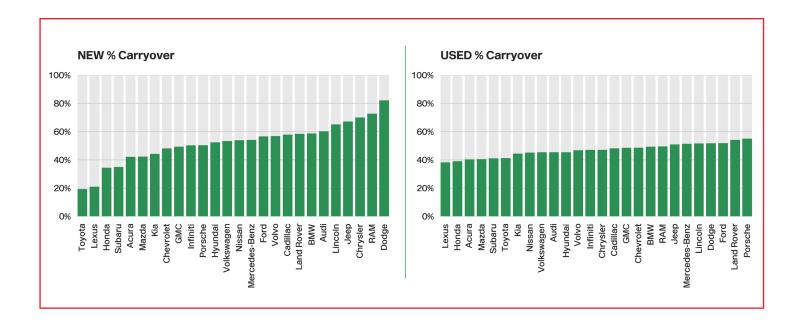
 Dealers will need to manage economic pressures, rising inventories, and shifting market dynamics while adapting to a more digital, consumer-centric business environment. Proactive inventory management, competitive pricing strategies, and a focus on customer engagement will be critical to navigating these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

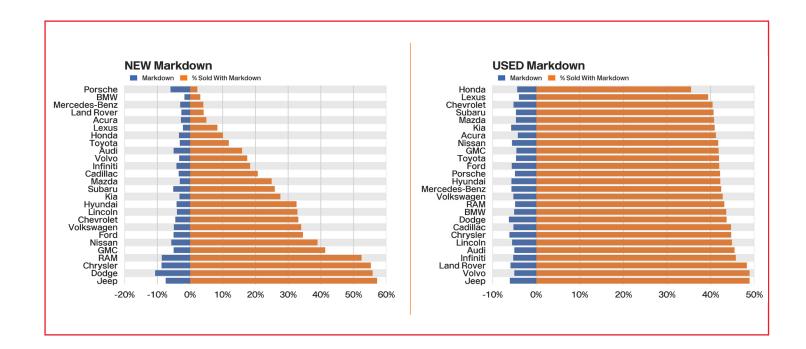
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- > Carryover for new vehicles remained unchanged MoM. However, carryover was still up 14% from last year.
- > Used vehicle carryover rose by 3% MoM and remained the same YoY.
- > Percent of units sold with a markdown for both new and used vehicles increased slightly MoM.

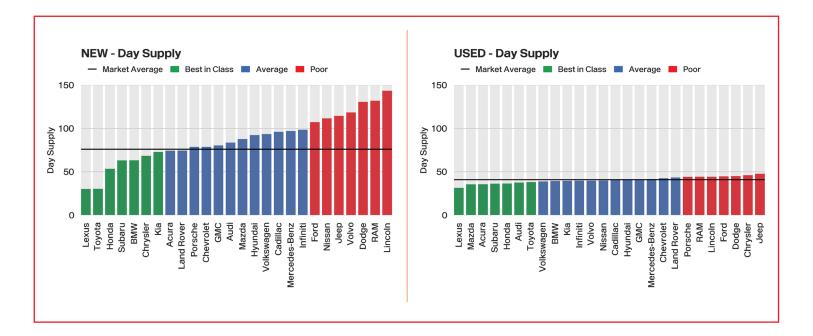


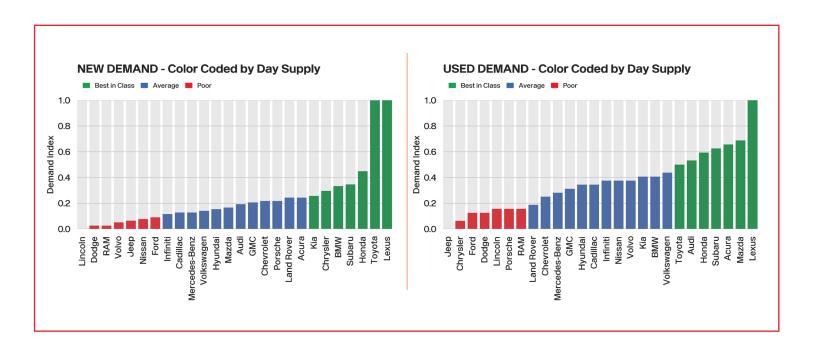




VINCENSUS

- A surge in inventory levels caused new day supply to increase by 4 days to 76 days, an increase of 22 days YoY.
- Used day supply held steady both MoM at 38 days, down 3 days YoY.

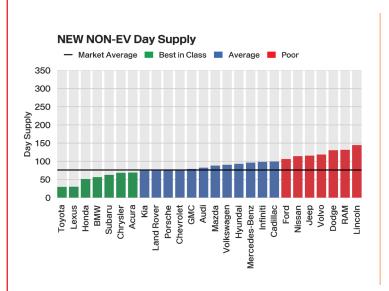


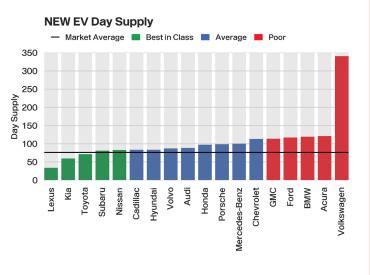


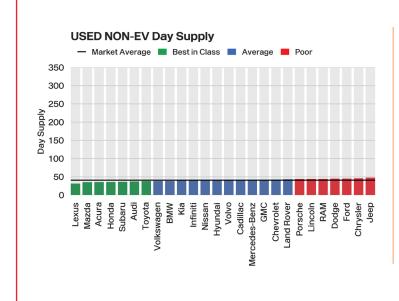


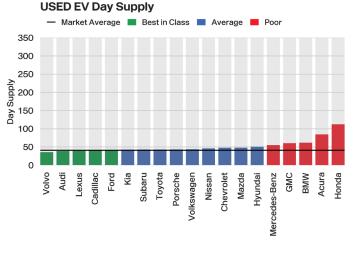


- New and used EV sales held relatively steady MoM.
- Hybrids saw the biggest increase in sales across all fuel types for both new and used, up 14% and 12% respectively.
- New hybrid day supply held steady while both gas and EVs saw over a 5 day increase MoM. Gas units had the highest increase of 27 days YoY, followed by EVs at 18 days and hybrids at 13 days.
- > EVs continued to have the highest proportion of aged inventory for both new and used.



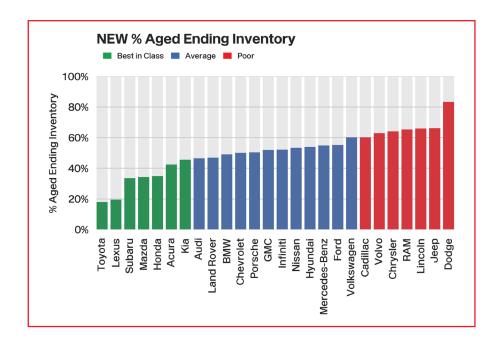


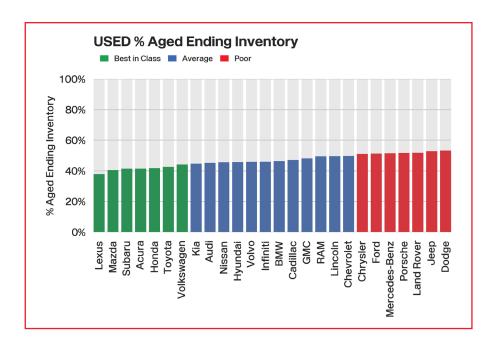






- New aged ending inventory held steady MoM but increased by 12% YoY.
- > Used aged ending inventory increased by 2% MoM and fell by 2% YoY.

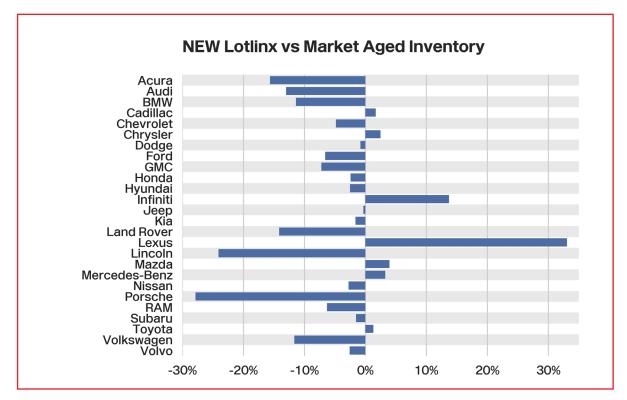


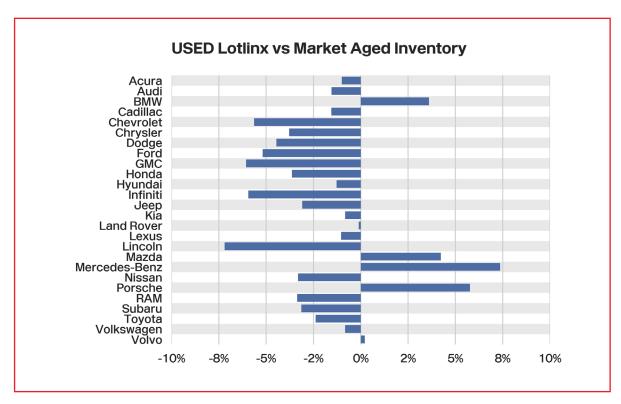






- On average, Lotlinx customers had 4% less aged inventory than the rest of the market for new vehicles and 2% less for used.
- > 74% of new vehicle brands and 81% of used vehicle brands outperformed the market as Lotlinx customers.



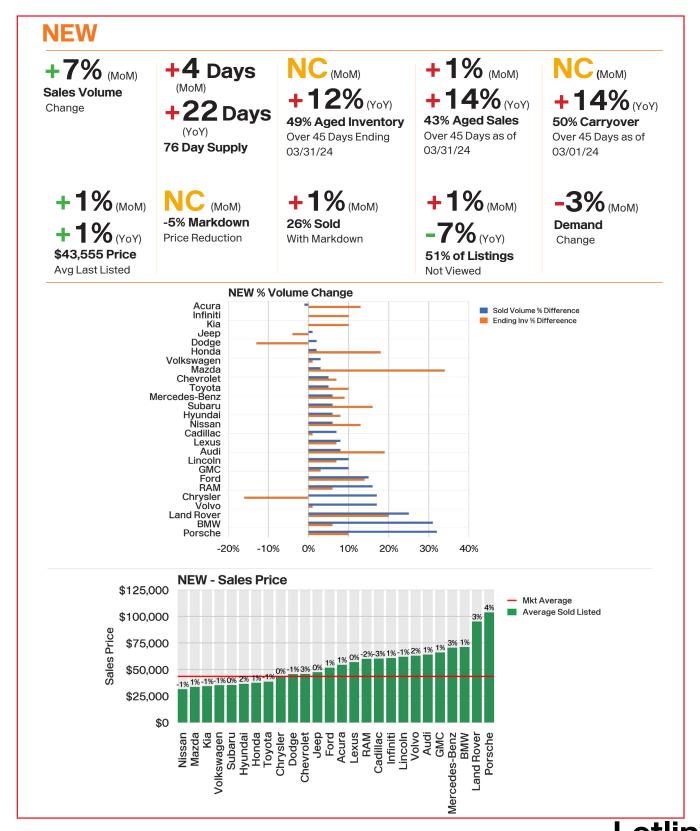


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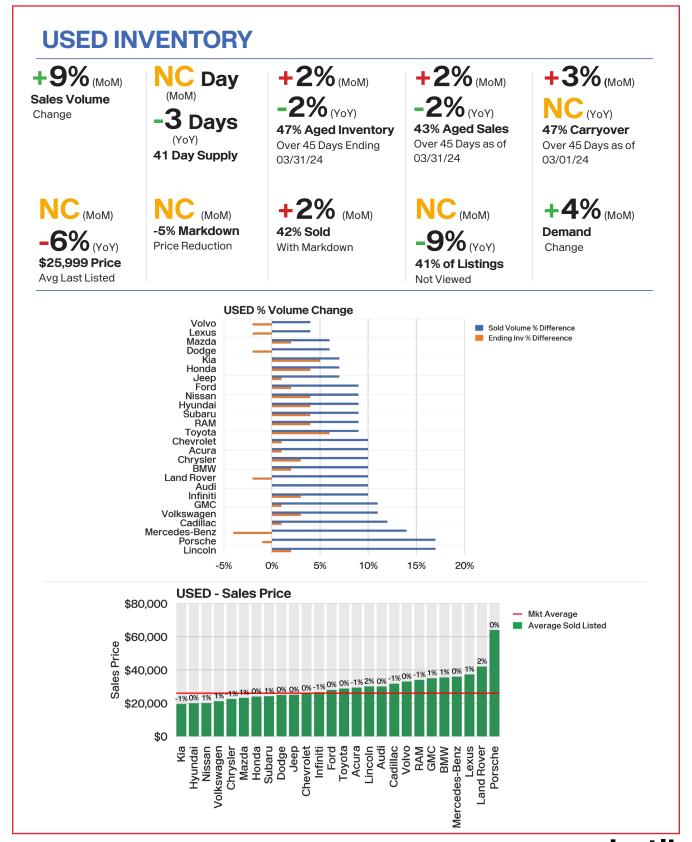
- New vehicle sales increased by 7% MoM but were outpaced by a 9% increase in inventory causing day supply to continue its increasing trend. It increased by 4 days to 76 days, an increase of 22 days YoY.
- Aging saw no movement MoM but increased 12% YoY.



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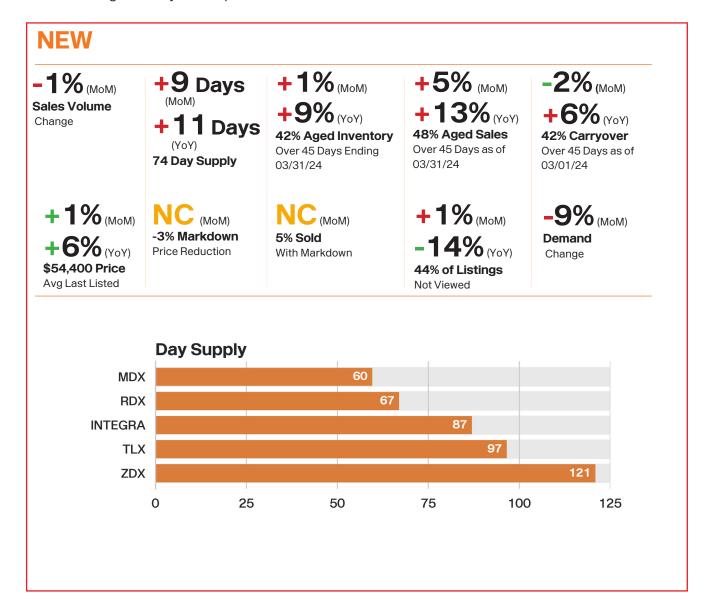


- > Used vehicle sales grew by 9% MoM after slowing last month.
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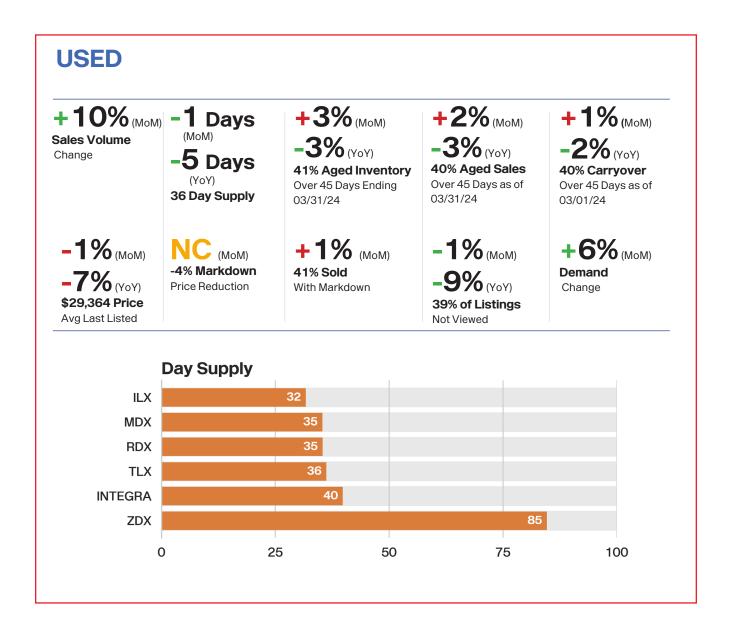




- Acura was the only brand to see sales fall MoM, falling by 1%.
- > RDX sales fell by 13% even with the release of the 2025 model in September. 2025s accounted for over 55% of listings but only made up 32% of October's sales.

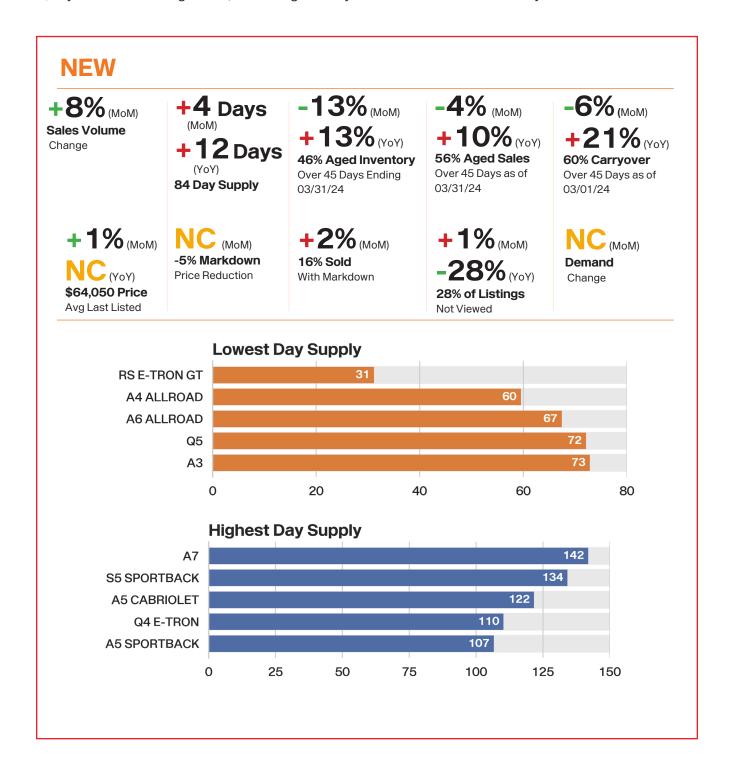






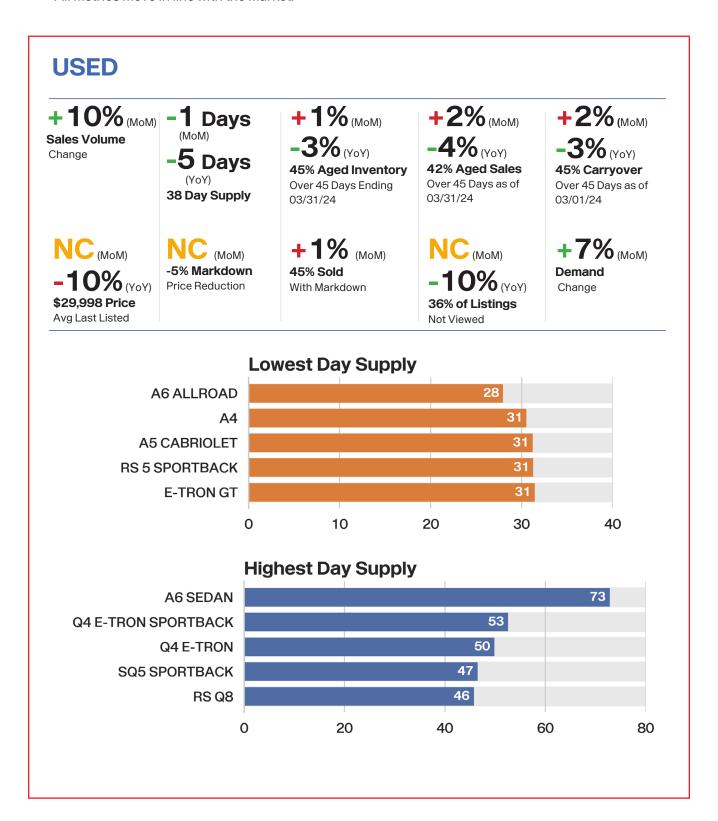


- > Audi saw a 3% decrease in EV sales MoM as the last list price increased by a market high of 16%.
- A large influx of Q8s caused inventory to more than double and day supply to increase by a market high of 25 days MoM to 167 days.
- > Hybrids had a strong month, increasing sales by 15% MoM while EV sales fell by 3%.





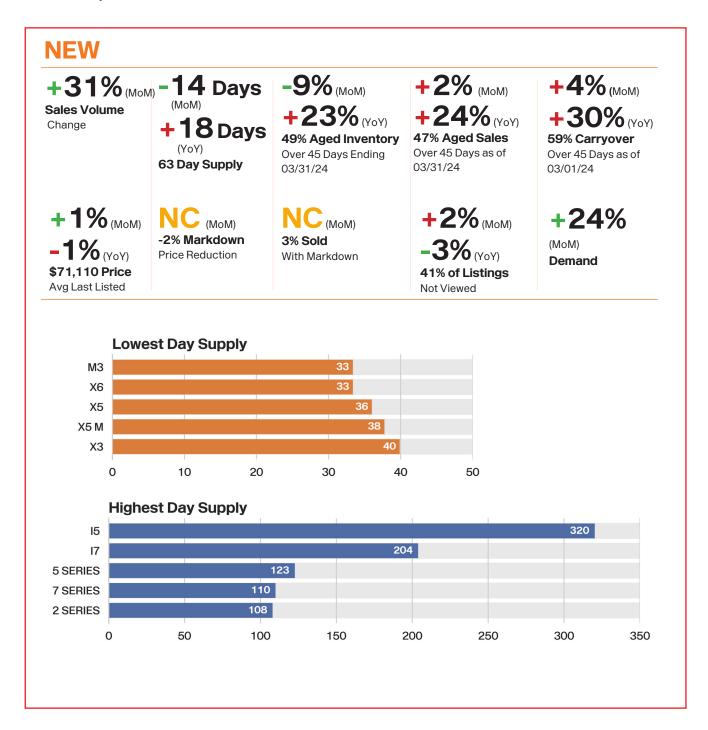








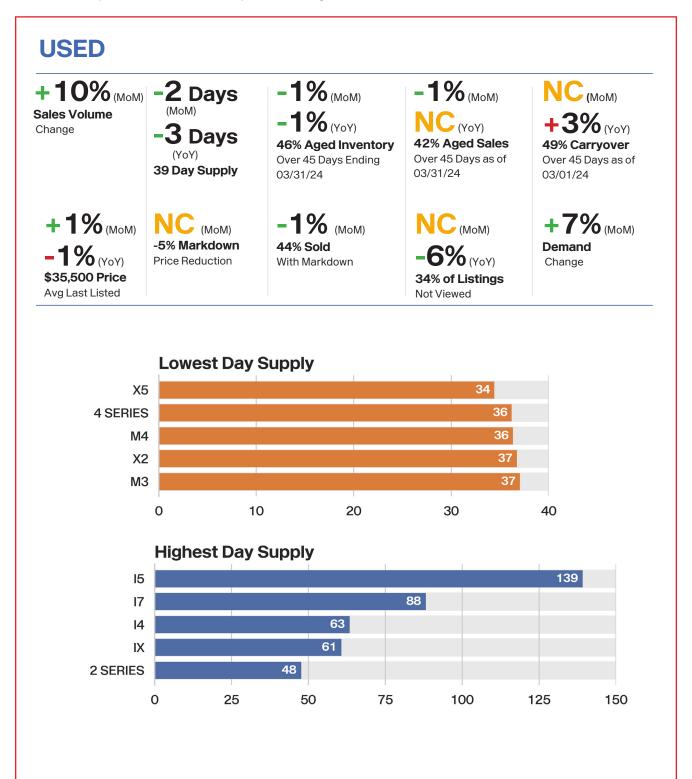
- 5 Series sales resumed after the stop sale was lifted.
- > Hybrid sales increased by over 60% MoM, allowing BMW's market share to increase by almost 2%.
- The X3 had a strong month, increasing sales by 48% MoM and now sits on a tight day supply of 36 days.







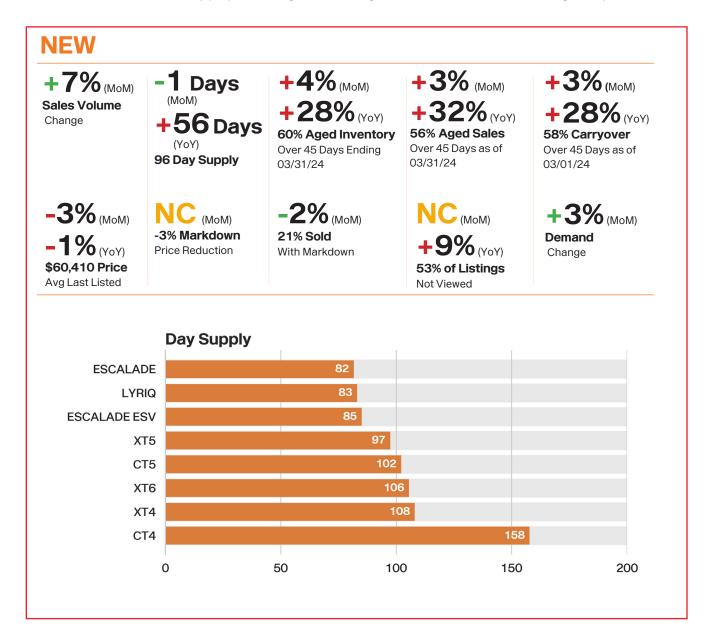
- The 7 Series had the largest increase in list price MoM of 8%.
- > Hybrid sales increased by a market high of 20% MoM.



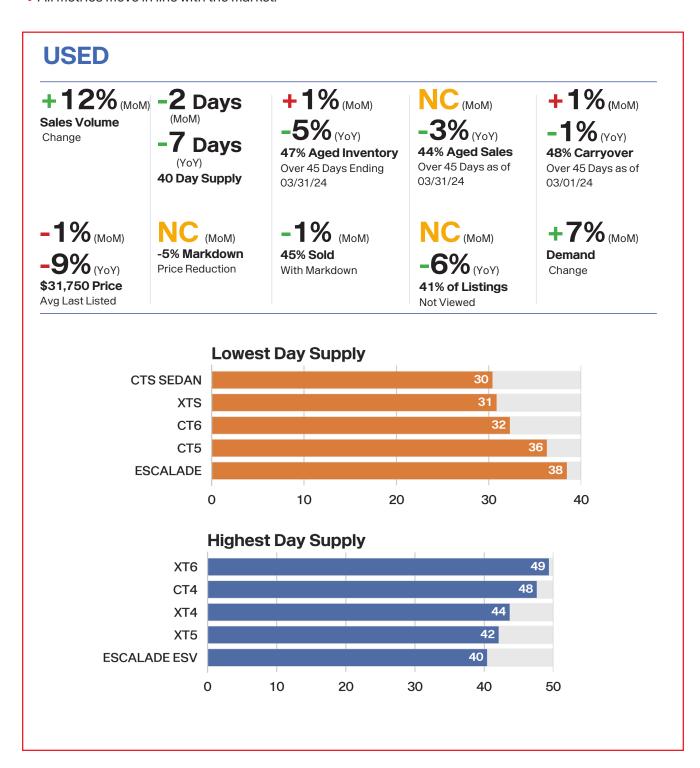




- Cadillac had the largest drop in last listed price of 3% MoM as Escalades and LYRIQs made up less of October sales compared to September.
- While LYRIQ sales fell by 2% MoM aged inventory continued to move in the right direction, dropping by another 6%. It remains a key player, with significant YoY growth in EV market share among luxury brands.

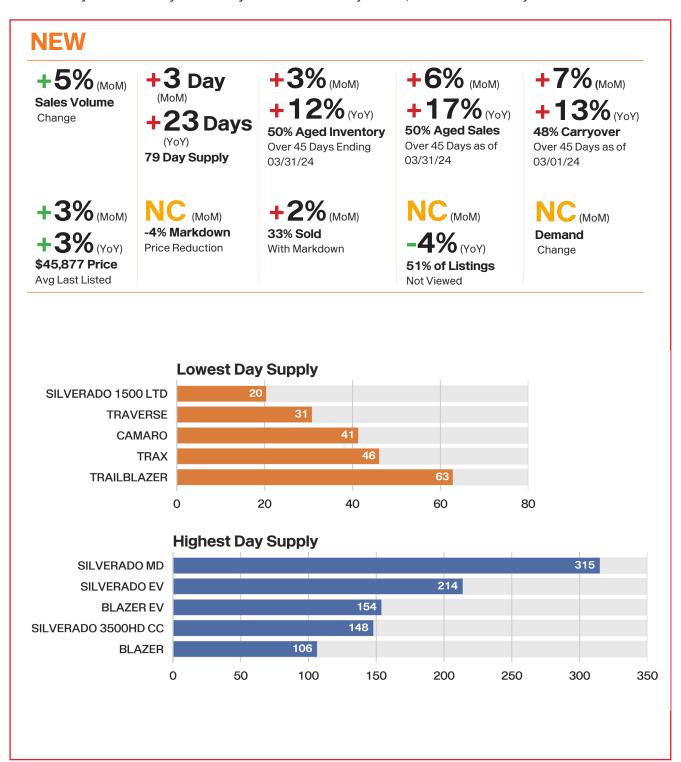








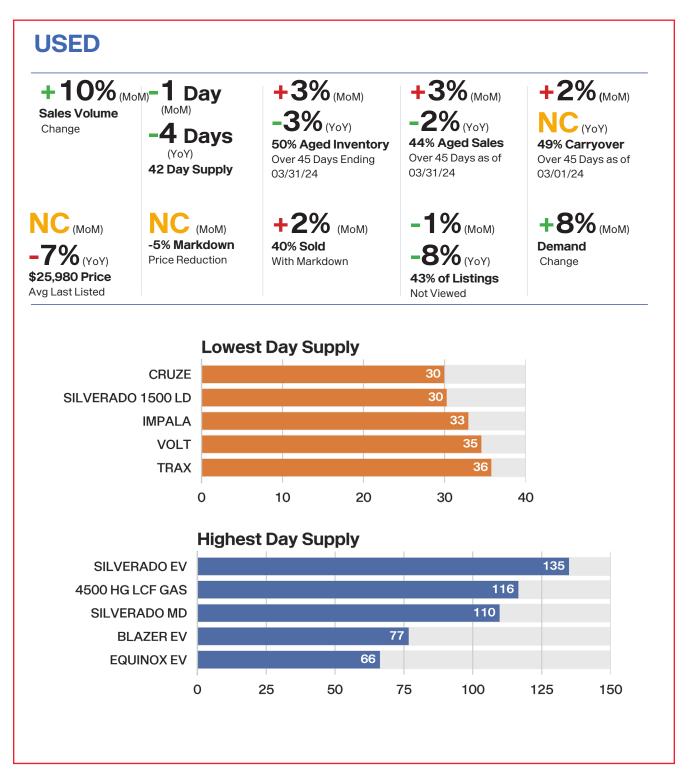
-) While sales increased by over 20% for the Silverado EV and MD, they had the highest day supply in the market of 214 and 315 days respectively.
- The Traverse continued to run a tight day supply of 31 days as the 2025 model became more available. Inventory remained very fresh with just 15% over 45 days on lot, less than half of any other Chevrolet model.







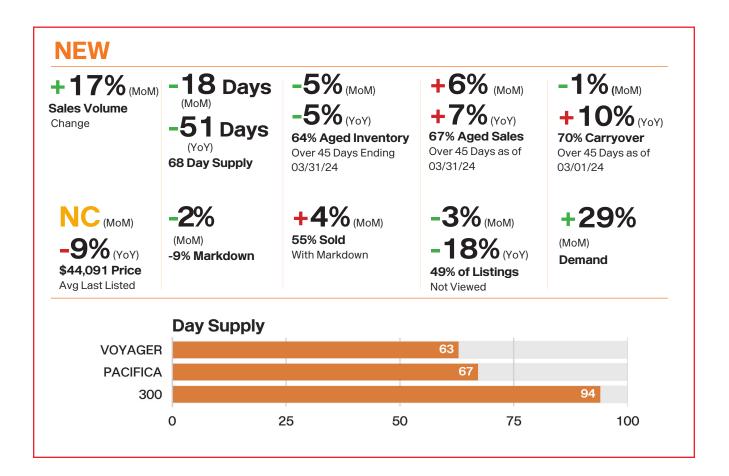
> Chevrolet was the only brand to see a decrease in hybrid sales MoM.



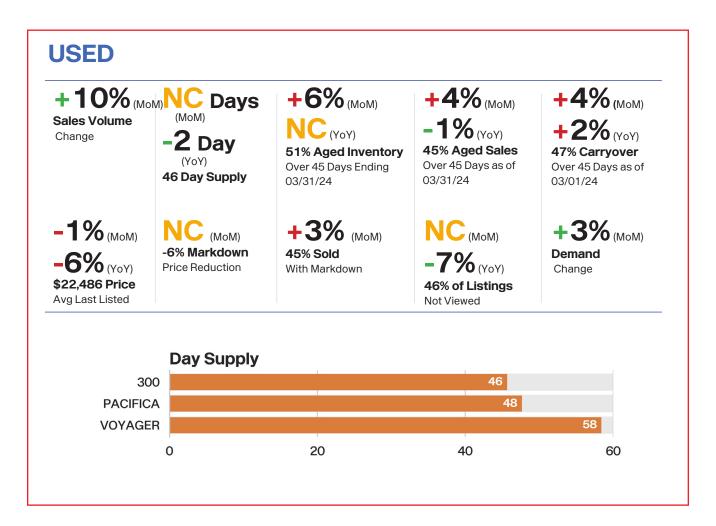




Chrysler had the biggest correction of day supply of 18 days MoM as markdowns increased to try and drive sales of aged inventory.

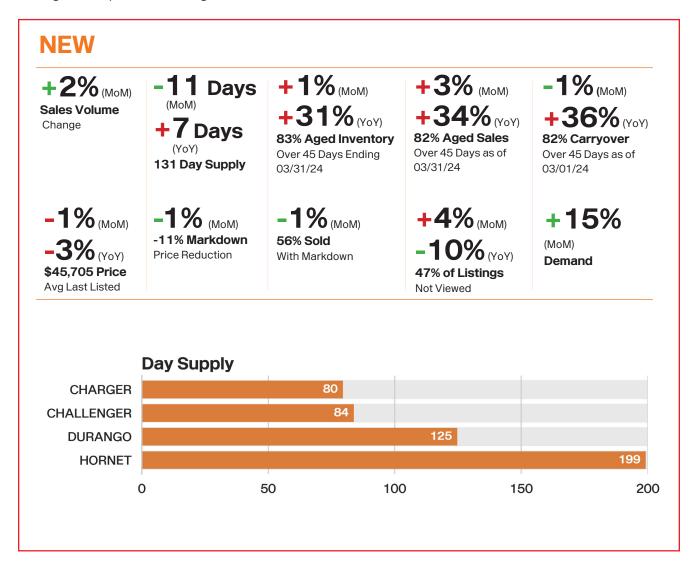






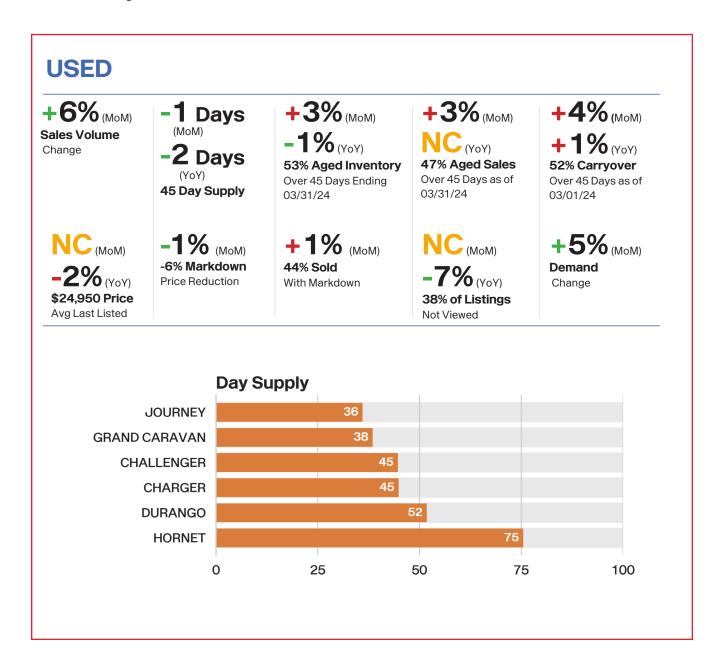


- > Dodge continued to have the highest proportion of aged inventory in the market.
- Dodge had the largest increase in hybrid sales MoM of over 80%, fueled by a 5% increase in markdown magnitude up to a market high of 17%.



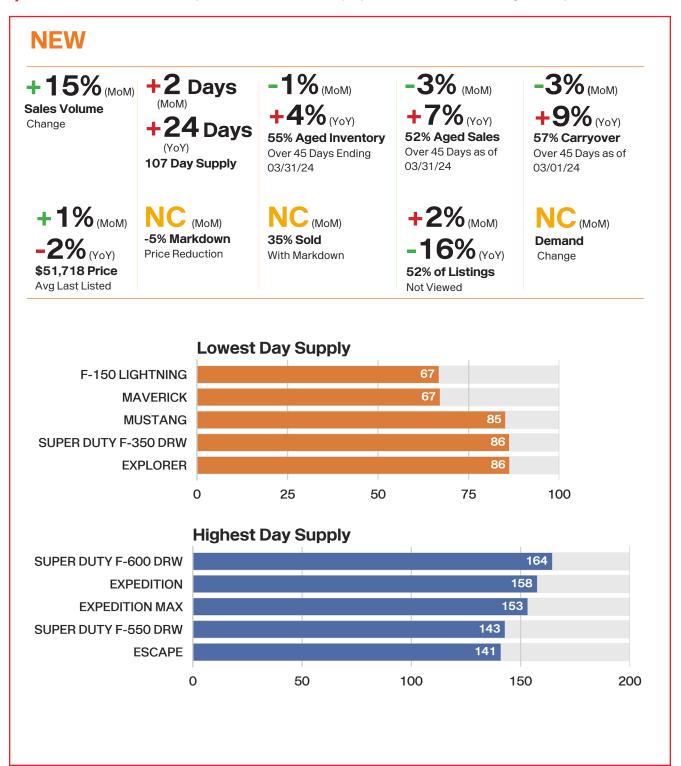


Markdown magnitude increased MoM for all models.





- The Bronco nearly doubled the proportion of Ford sales from a year ago to over 7% as they had the largest list price drop among Ford models of 11%.
-) Ford saw a 20% increase in hybrid sales MoM fueled by Hybrid Mavericks increasing sales by 23%.





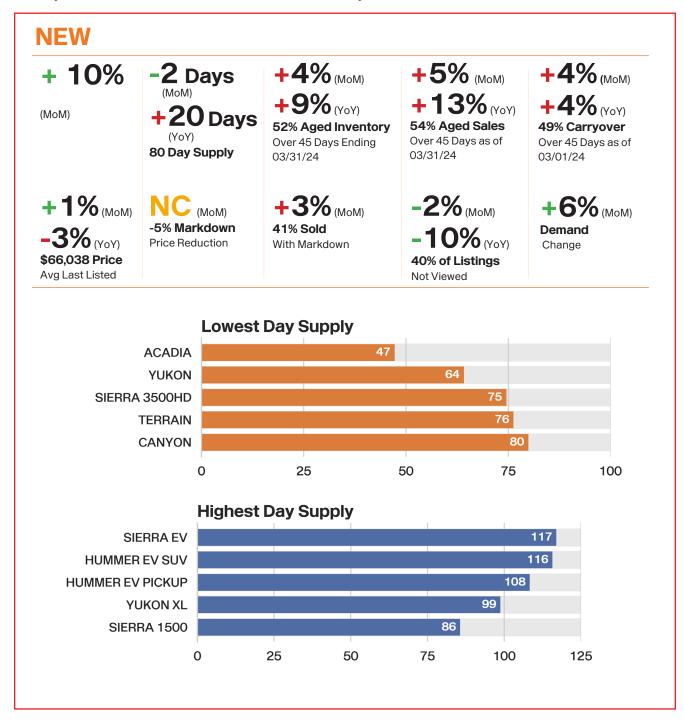


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USED +1%_(MoM) +2%_(MoM) +3% (MoM) -1 Days +9% (MoM) (MoM) **-2%**_(YoY) **Sales Volume -2%**_(YoY) +1%_(YoY) Change -3 Days 52% Carryover 45% Aged Sales 51% Aged Inventory (YoY) Over 45 Days as of Over 45 Days Ending Over 45 Days as of 45 Day Supply 03/31/24 03/31/24 03/01/24 +1% (MoM) +6% (MoM) NC (MoM) NC (MoM) -6% Markdown 42% Sold **Demand** -10%_(YoY) Price Reduction With Markdown Change \$27,995 Price 44% of Listings Avg Last Listed Not Viewed **Lowest Day Supply FOCUS** 30 31 **FIESTA** F-250 SUPER DUTY **FUSION TAURUS** 0 10 20 30 40 **Highest Day Supply** SUPER DUTY F-600 DRW SUPER DUTY F-550 DRW 54 **RANGER** 54 SUPER DUTY F-450 DRW 54 **BRONCO** 0 25 50 75 100

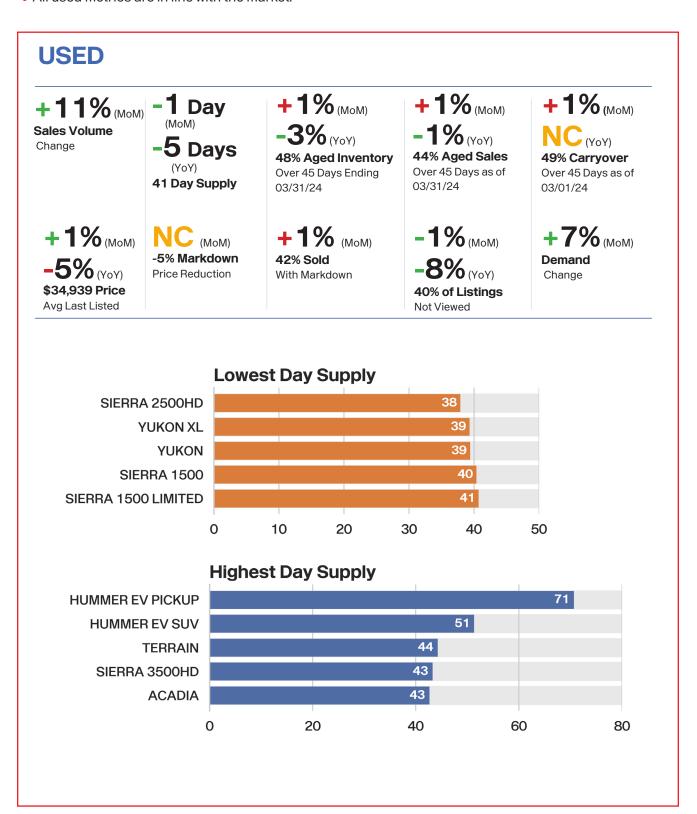


- > Freshly released 2025 Acadia inventory boosted a tight day supply to 47 days, up 5 days MoM.
-) Canyon sales rebounded MoM thanks to fresh inventory in the second half of the month.



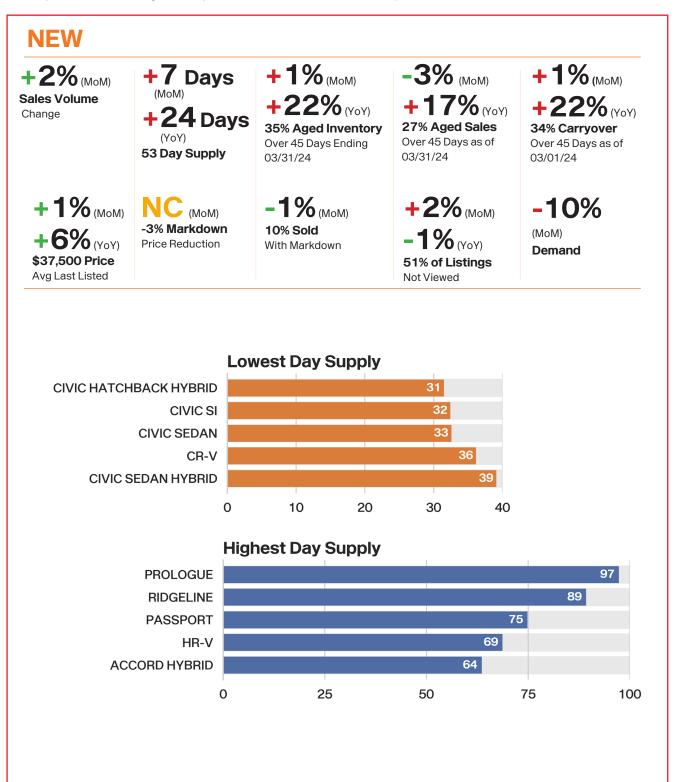


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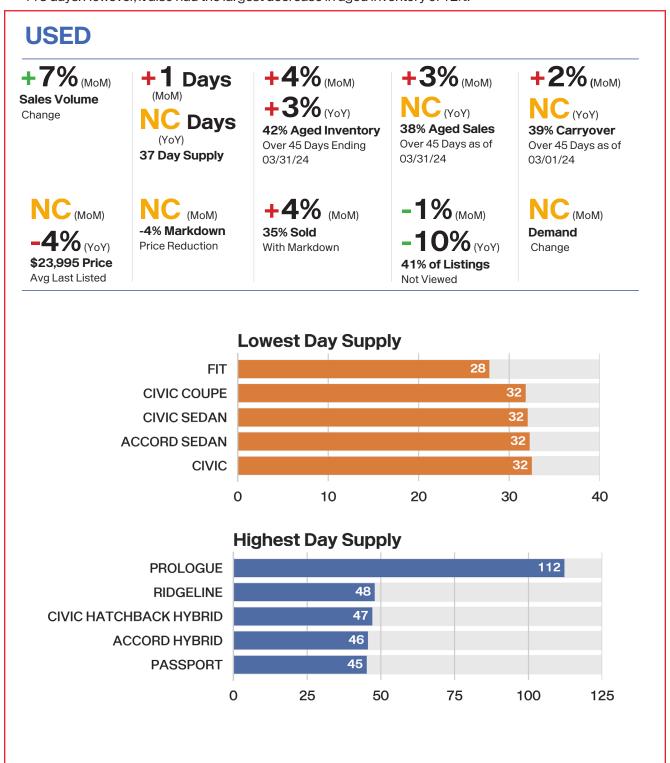
- List price for the Prologue fell by 2% MoM as sales seem to have plateaued.







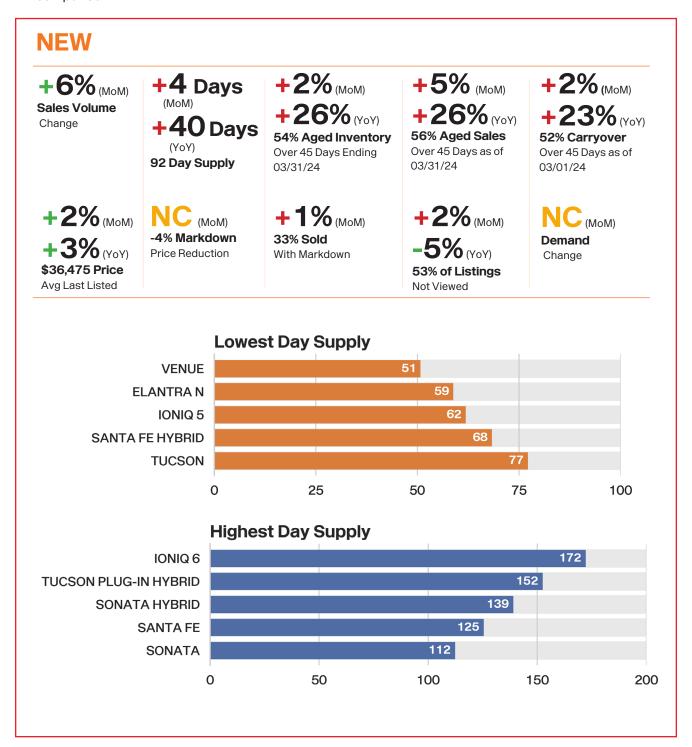
- The Accord Hybrid had a market-high increase in aged inventory YoY of 21%.
- With EV sales falling by 20%, Honda had the biggest increase in day supply of 38 days MoM to a market high of 113 days. However, it also had the largest decrease in aged inventory of 12%.







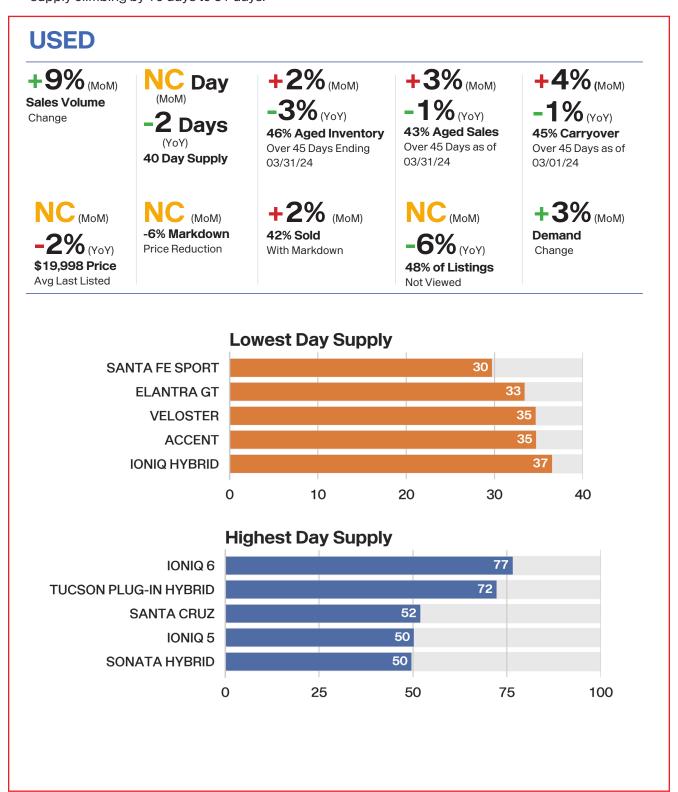
- > Hyundai had the biggest increase in EV sales of 19% MoM, with the IONIQ 5 increasing by 16% and the IONIQ 6 increasing by 36%.
- The Santa Fe continued to see increasing day supply at 125 days and an aging inventory with over 56% over 45 days on lot. The Santa Fe Hybrid saw nearly half of the day supply and aged inventory by comparison.







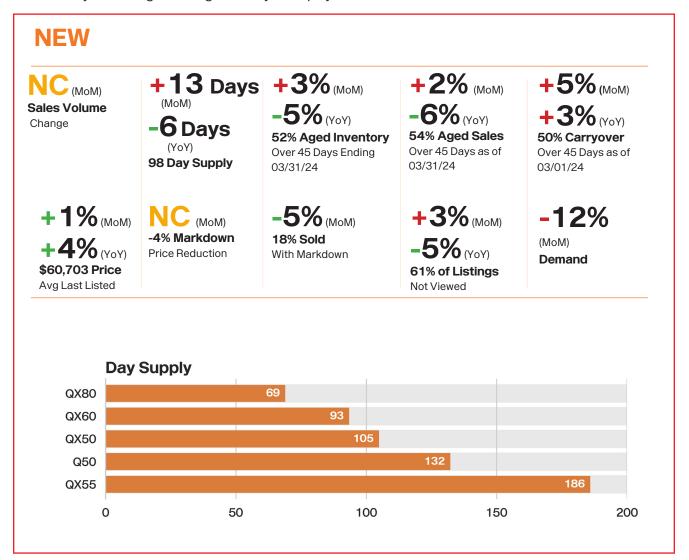
> Even with a 3% increase in markdowns, EVs continued to struggle with sales falling another 15% and day supply climbing by 10 days to 51 days.



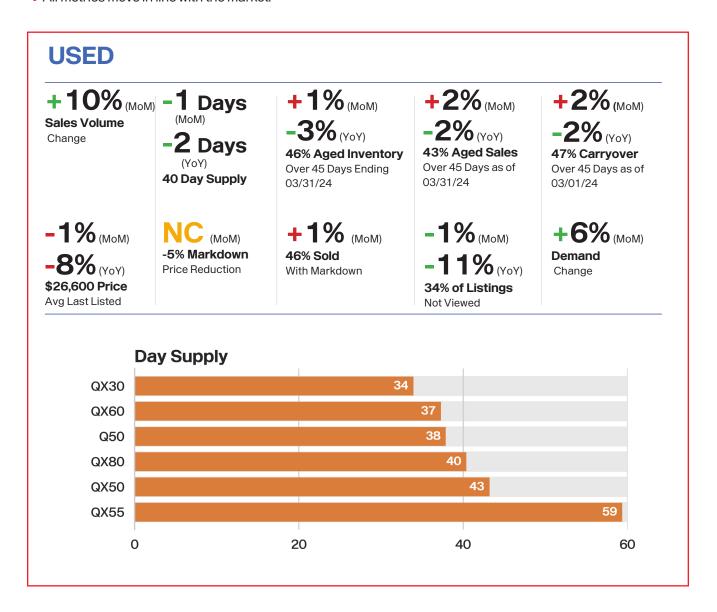




- The QX80 had the largest increase in list price in the market of 6% MoM with 2025s making up over 90% of sales but starting to plateau in its third month.
- The release of the 2025 QX50 last month helped to boost sales, up 11% MoM. Increased sales and fresh inventory caused aged ending inventory to drop by 15% to 50%.

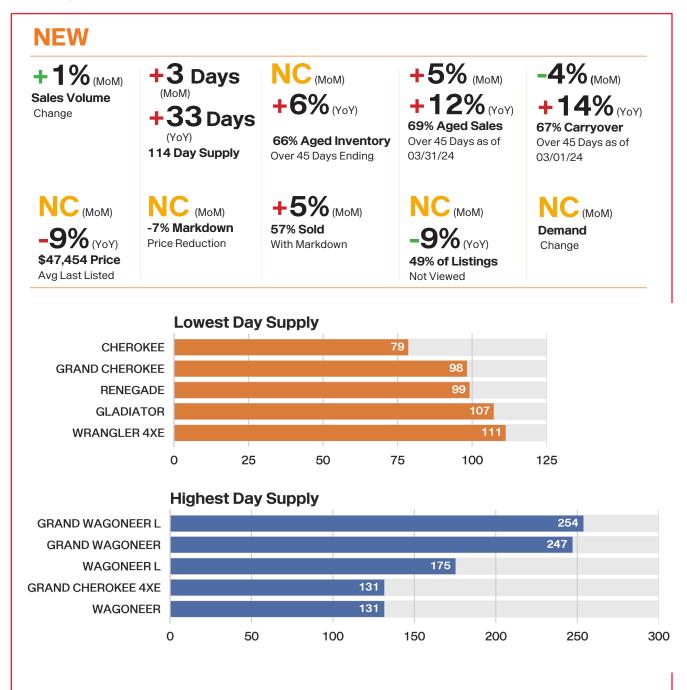




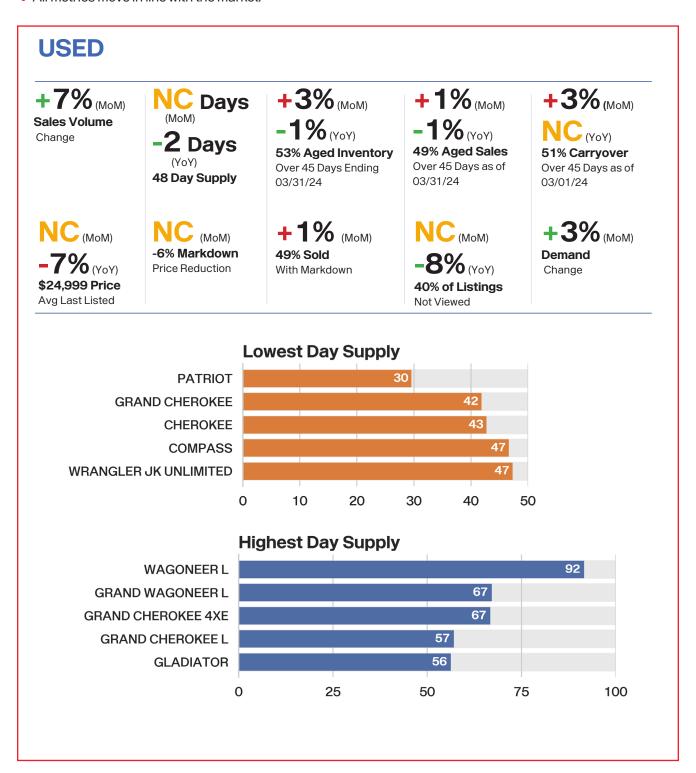




- Jeep had the highest percent of sold units with a markdown, increasing by 5% MoM to 57% as the highly marked down Grand Cherokee 4XE more than doubled sales MoM.
- > Grand Cherokee 4XE fueled the largest correction in hybrid day supply in the market of 58 days MoM down to 119 days.

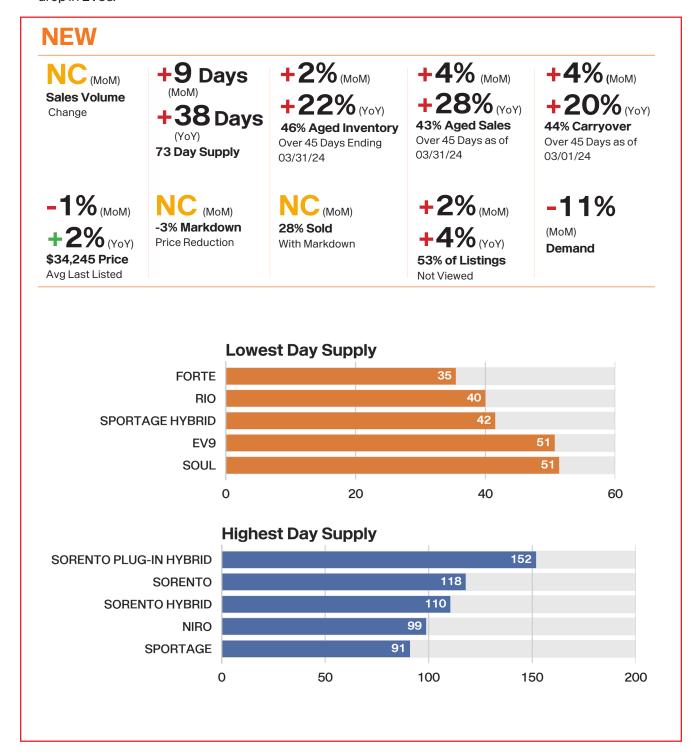








- The new K4 had a strong showing, more than doubling September's number as fresh inventory continues to hit the frontline.
- Carnivals and Tellurides continue to face some headwinds with declining sales accounting for significantly less of Kia's monthly sales MoM and YoY.
- Yiia had the biggest drops in EV sales MoM for brands with similar inventory volumes of 13%, driven by a 16% drop in EV9s.

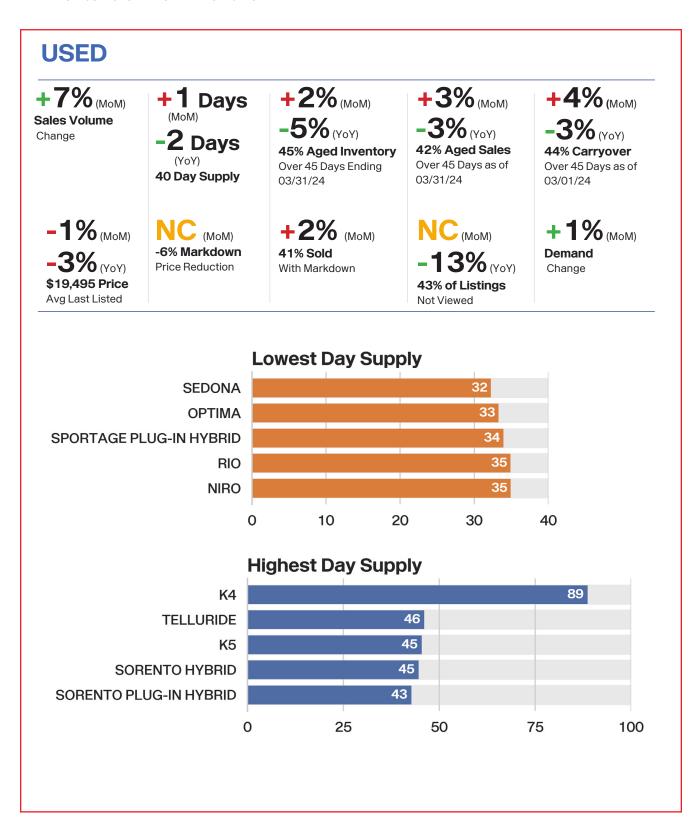




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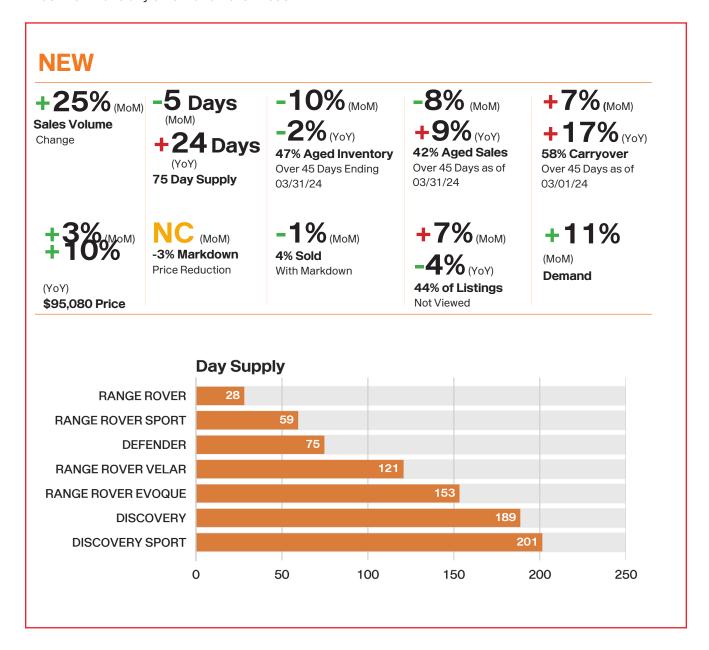


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- The 2025 Range Rover continued its good performance as 2025 sales doubled MoM and total model sales increased by over 60% for the second consecutive month. It made up more than 25% of Land Rover's October sales.
- The Velar saw some significant aging with nearly 80% of ending inventory over 45 days on lot, 10% more than last month and any other Land Rover model.

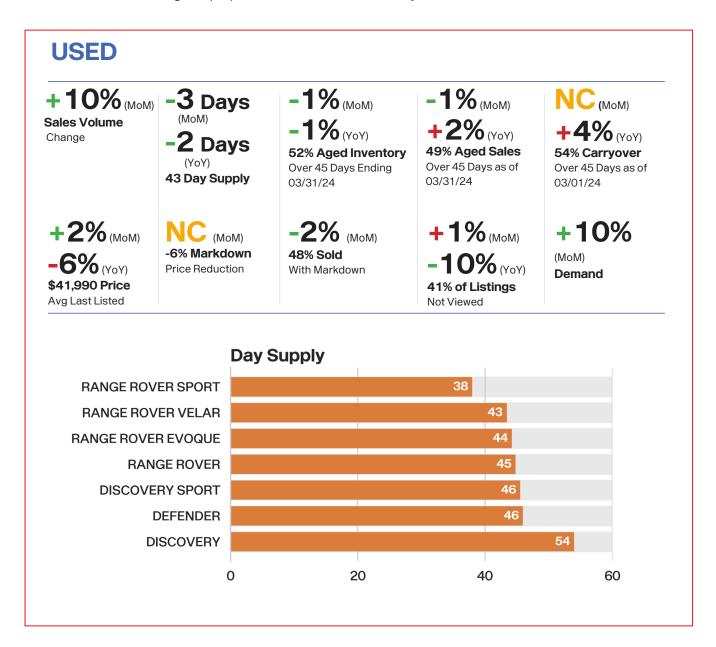




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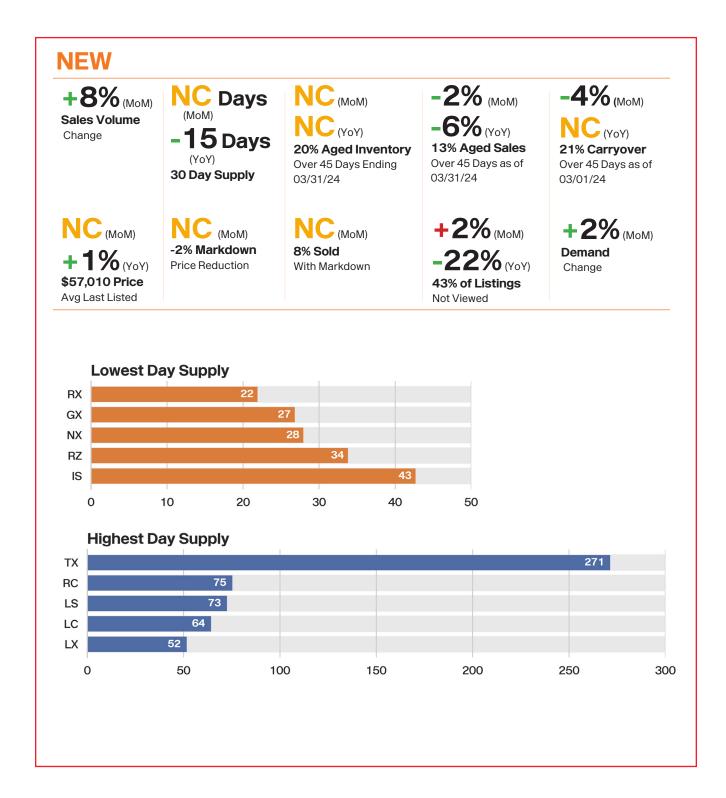


Land Rover had the highest proportion of units sold over 30 days on lot in October.





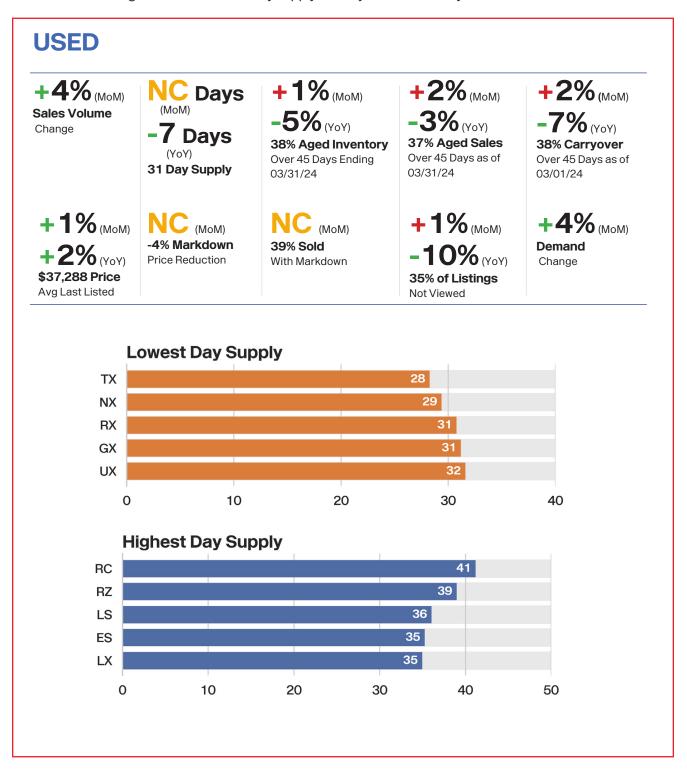
- The RX had a strong month with sales increasing by 11% MoM but now sits on a very tight day supply of just 22 days.
- > EVs continued to struggle, dropping sales by over 20% MoM but maintaining good inventory management with a 34 day supply and 43% of inventory over 45 days on lot.







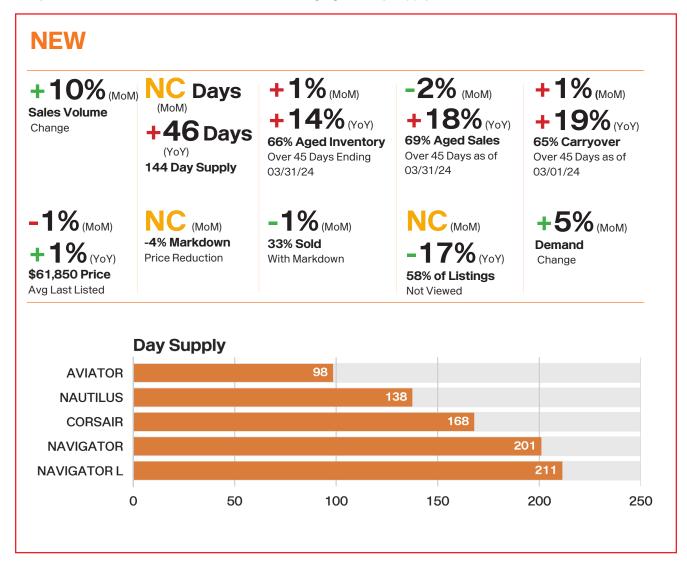
Lexus saw the largest YoY decrease in day supply of 7 days down to 31 days.





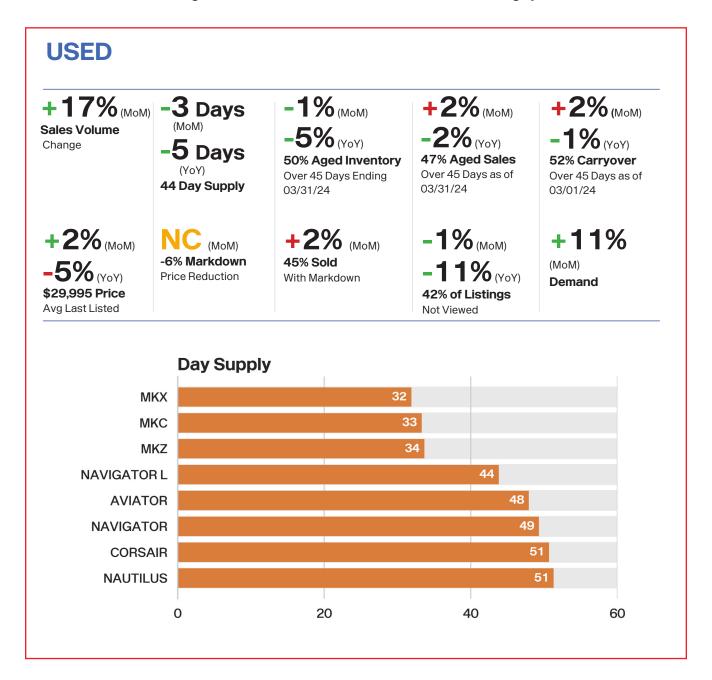


- > The Corsair saw a 19% increase in sales MoM driven by the release of 2025s last month.
- > Hybrids saw an 11% increase MoM in sales but aging and day supply continued to increase.



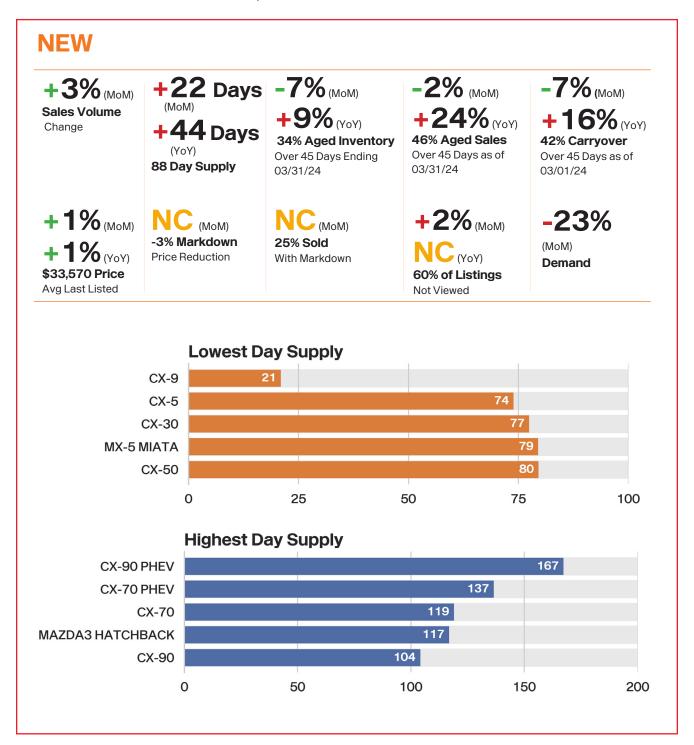


Lincoln had one of the largest increases in sales MoM of 17% with Aviators rising by 31%.





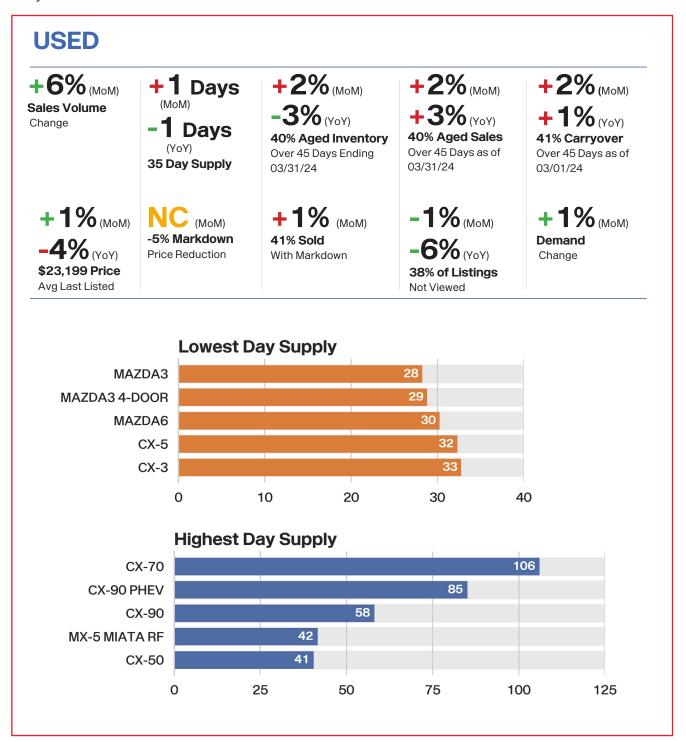
- Mazda had one of the largest MoM increases in inventory of over 30%, causing a market high increase in day supply of 22 days to 88 days.
- Mazda had the largest increase in hybrid day supply MoM of 36 days up to 127 days.
- The release of the 2025 last month spurred a 32% MoM increase in sales of the Mazda 3 Sedan.







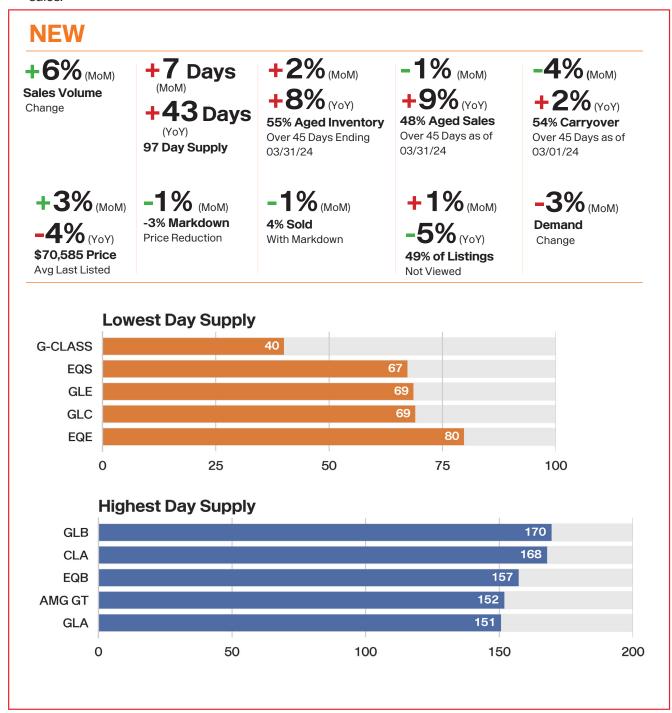
Mazda had the highest percent of hybrid sales over 30 days at 64% as well as the highest percent of hybrid units sold with a markdown at 65%.







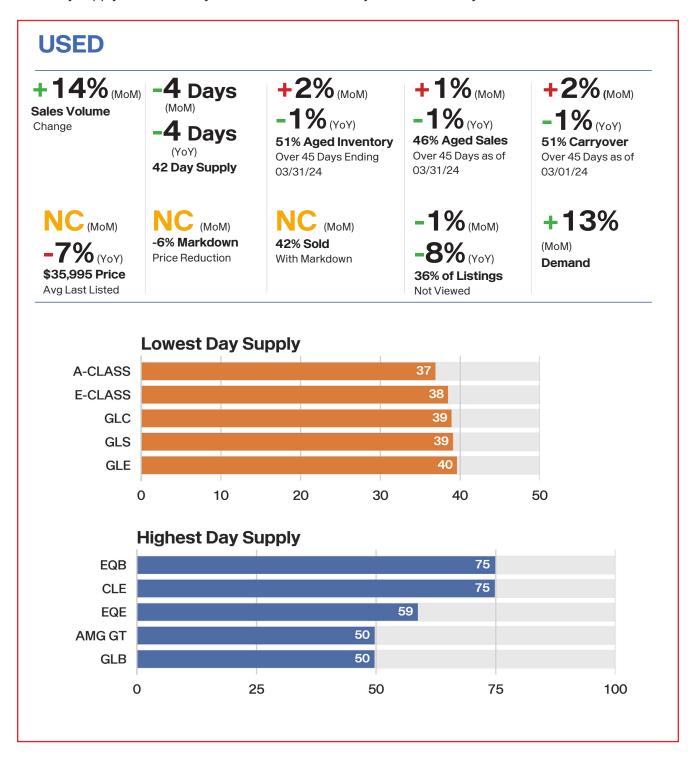
- > GLS sales rebound by 56% MoM as sales of the 2025s tripled.
- The C-Class continued to struggle with sales falling by 12% MoM and day supply increasing by 41 days to 150 days. It currently makes up 15% of Mercedes' ending inventory but accounted for just 9% of October sales.





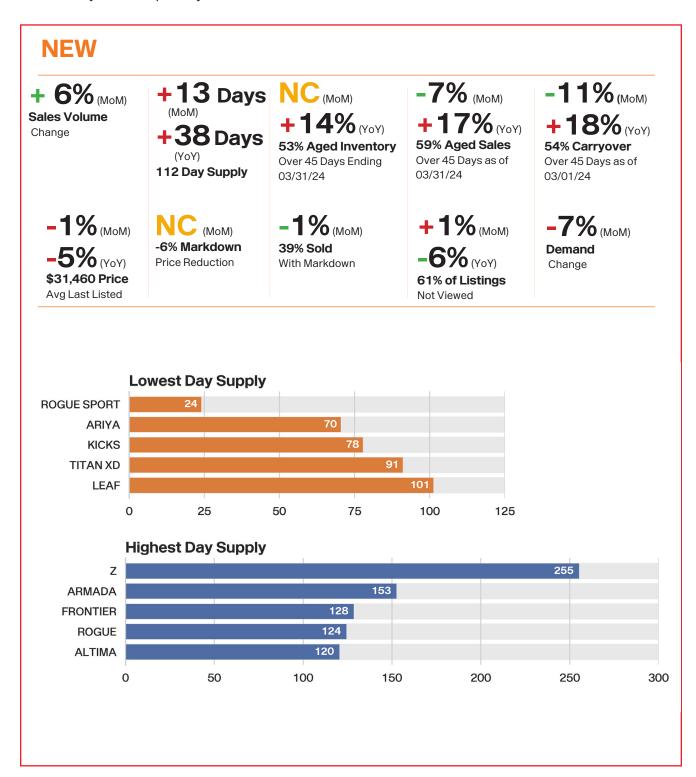


- Mercedes had the largest drop in day supply from 4 days MoM to 42 days as the G-Class inventory dropped by a market high of 16%.
- > EV day supply made a 11 day correction MoM to 56 days as sales rose by 30%.





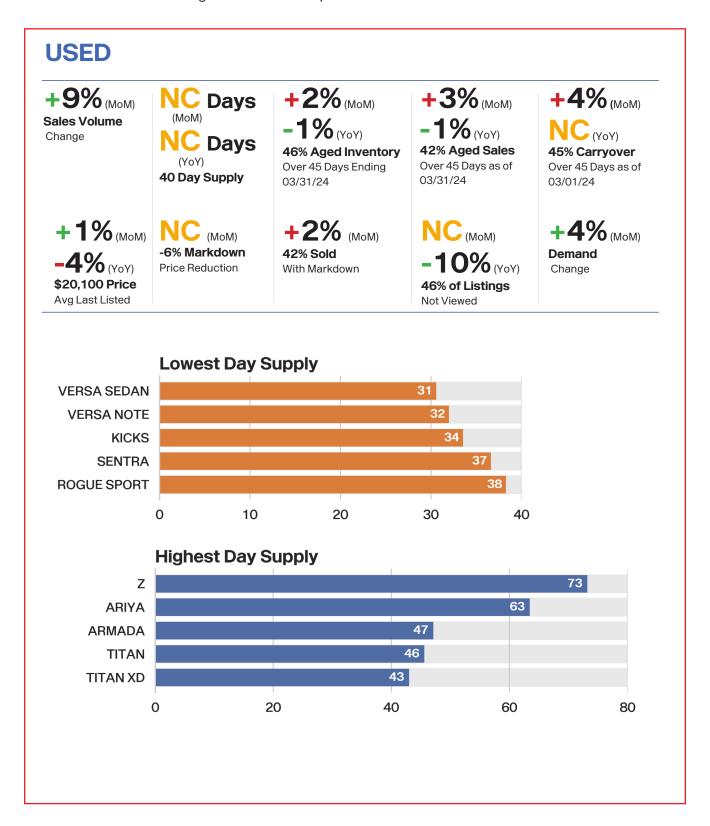
- Kicks continued its strong performance, increasing sales by 39% MoM to make up over 16% of Nissan's October sales, 4% more than any other month this year.
- Nissan had one of the biggest drops in EV sales MoM for brands with similar inventory volumes of 8% driven by a 13% drop in Ariyas.







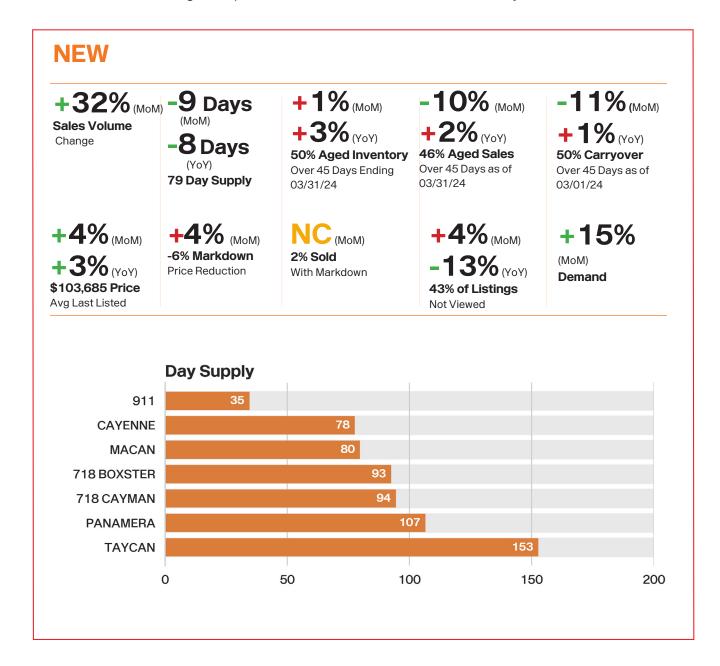
The Pathfinder had the largest increase in list price in the market YoY of 18%.







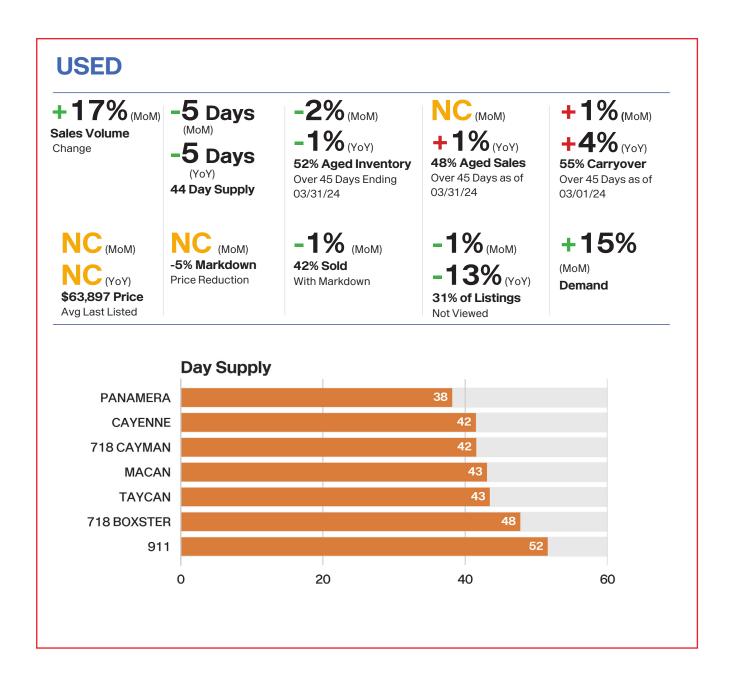
- > Porshce had the largest increase in sales MoM of 32% as 2025s became more available across all models.
- > 2025 also drove the largest list price increase in the market of 4% MoM, driven by the Macan.





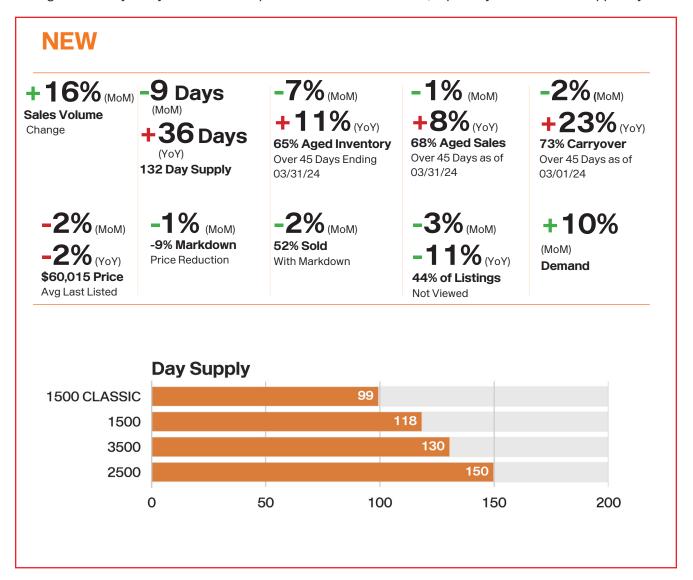


> Porsche saw the largest increase in sales in the market of 17% MoM.



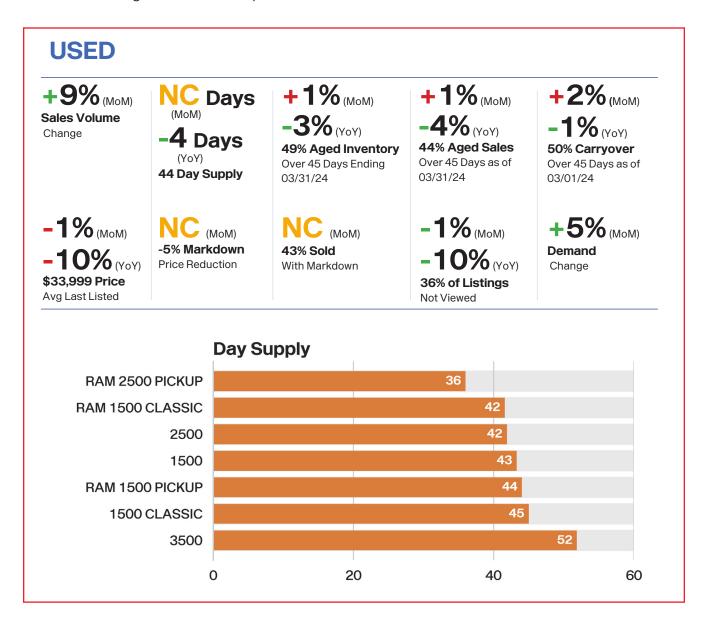


- > RAM continued to take measures to reduce aging and day supply, increasing the average markdown to 9%.
- > Aged inventory fell by 7% MoM with improvement across all models, especially the 1500 that dropped by 10%.



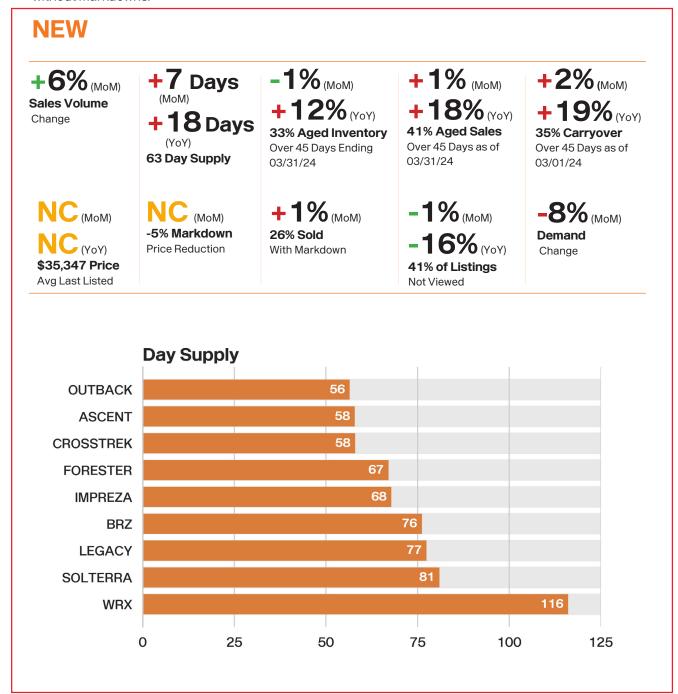


> RAM had the largest decrease in list price YoY of 10%.





- The Forester gained traction as the Crosstrek lost momentum, following several months of maintaining a day supply below 50 days. However fresh inventory has boosted day supply up by 10 days for both the Forester and Crosstek.
- The Solterra continued to struggle, dropping sales by another 2% MoM as prices remained unchanged without markdowns.







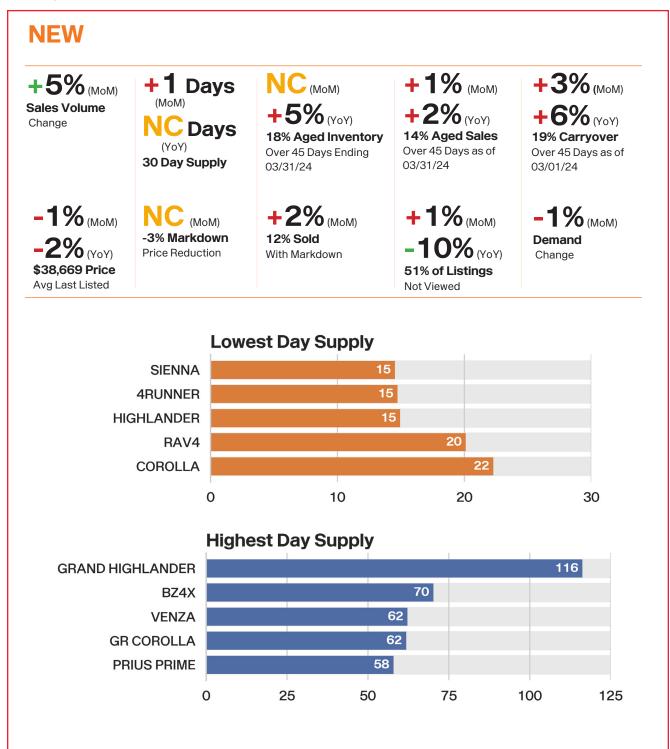
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USED SUBARU +9%_(MoM) +2%_(MoM) **+2%**(MoM) +3% (MoM) NC Days Sales Volume **-2%**_(YoY) **-2%**_(YoY) -1%_(YoY) -3 Days Change 39% Aged Sales 41% Aged Inventory 41% Carryover (YoY) Over 45 Days as of Over 45 Days Ending Over 45 Days as of 36 Day Supply 03/31/24 03/31/24 03/01/24 NC (MoM) +2% (MoM) +1% (MoM) -5% Markdown 41% Sold Demand -11% (YoY) Price Reduction With Markdown Change \$24,241 Price 43% of Listings Avg Last Listed Not Viewed **Day Supply FORESTER** 34 **WRX** 36 37 **CROSSTREK** 37 **LEGACY IMPREZA** 37 **OUTBACK BRZ ASCENT** 40 **SOLTERRA** 43 0 10 20 30 40 50





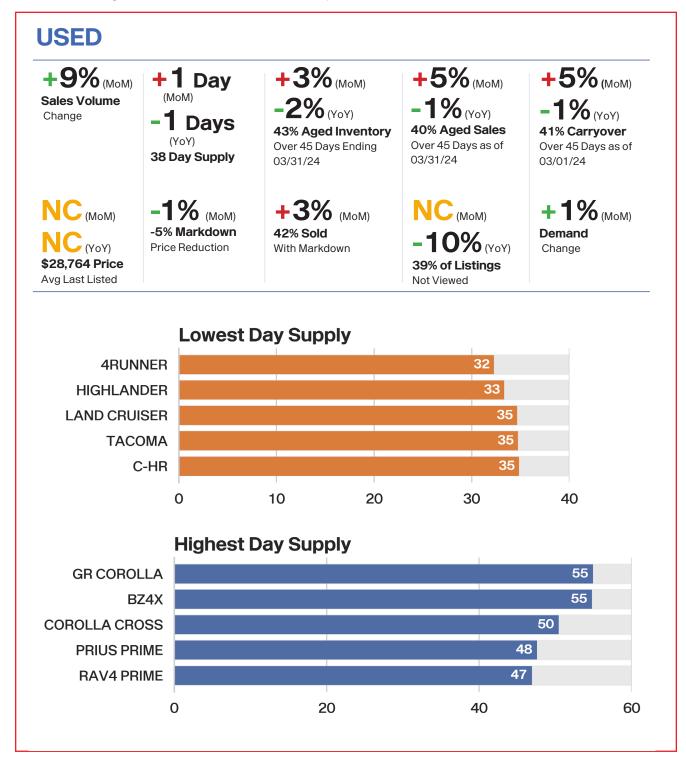
- > Toyota held the top 4 lowest day supplies in the market across all new models, all below 20 days.
- > The 4Runner had the largest drop in sales in the market as the release of the 2025 model continues to be delayed.







- > Toyota had the largest increase in inventory MoM of 5%.
- The CH-R had the largest decrease in sales of 4% MoM in the market while the Avalon had the largest decrease in list price of 7%.
- > The Grand Highlander resumed sales after the stop sale was lifted late last month.

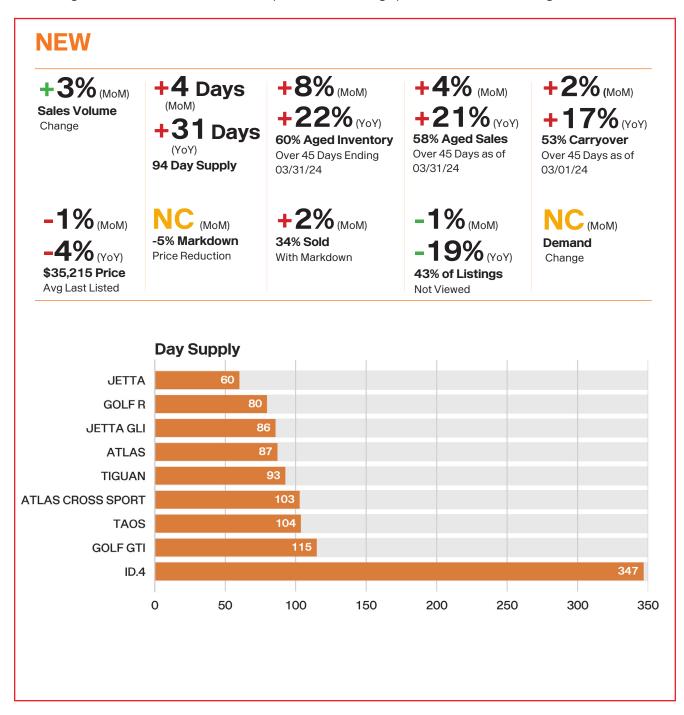




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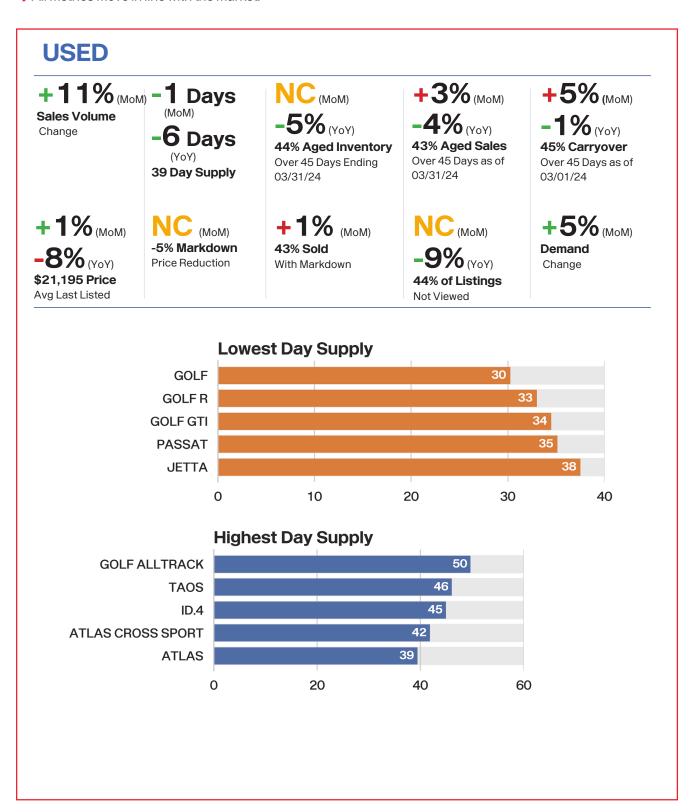
- > The ID.4 stop sale caused EV sales to plummet in October and day supply to surge to over 300 days.
- The Tiguan continued to increase sales, up 15% MoM, making up well over 30% of Volkswagen's October sales.







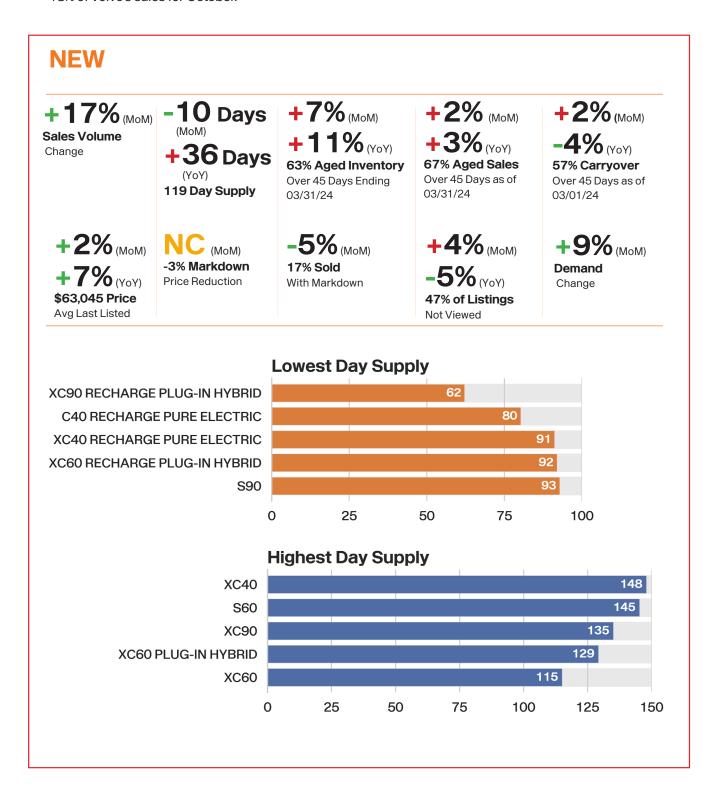
) All metrics move in line with the market.







- Volvo had one of the biggest increases in EV units sold with a markdown of 6% MoM to 34%.
- The XC90 Plug-In Hybrid continued to gain momentum, increasing sales by 84% MoM, making up over 18% of Volvo's sales for October.

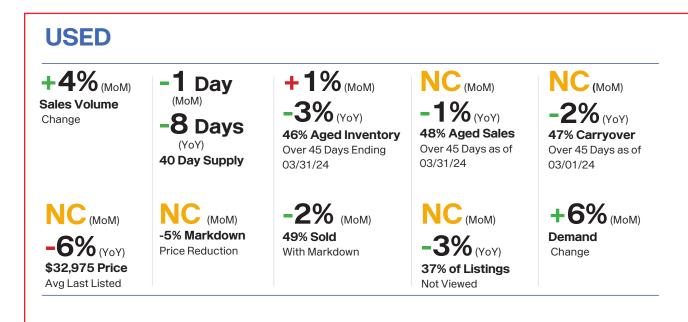


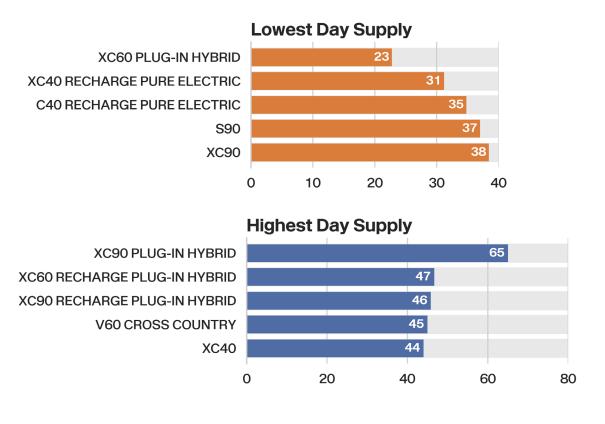


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- > The XC40 had one of the biggest increases in day supply MoM of 8 days to 44 days.
- > While Volvo had the largest decrease in EV sales MoM of 25%, it had the lowest day supply of 36 days.







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

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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



