

# Ford Sales up 6.7 Percent in November; F-Series Achieves Best Sales in 16 Years, While Ford SUVs Post Brand's Best November Sales in 17 Years





### **NOVEMBER 2017 SALES**

	Total Vehicle	Retail	Fleet	Truck	SUV	Car
U.S. Sales	210,771	156,064	54,707	91,601	74,186	44,984
Versus November 2016	6.7%	1.3%	25.9%	4.1%	13.3%	2.0%

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Ford Motor Company's U.S. sales totaled 210,771
  vehicles for November, a 6.7 percent gain over 2016
- Retail performance was up 1.3 percent compared to a year ago, with sales of 156,064 vehicles
- F-Series saw its best November results since 2001 with 72,769 pickups sold – a 0.9 percent gain; customer demand for high series trucks remains strong
- Ford Transit sales totaled 10,852 vehicles for November, a 47.1 percent gain. Overall Ford van sales, including Transit Connect and E-Series, posted their best November results since 1984
- Ford brand SUVs gained 13.4 percent on 68,139 vehicles sold, while retail advanced 11.6 percent for the month; We are seeing strong interest in the allnew Expedition which recorded its first sales in November
- Explorer sales totaled 21,520 vehicles, representing a 24.8 percent gain for the month and 24.2 percent at retail – the SUV's best November in 13 years
- Edge sales were up 22.5 percent, establishing a new November record; Edge retail sales were up 25.5 percent, while total Escape sales gained 9.1 percent
- Focus sales were up 44.9 percent, for the fifth straight month of gains, with 13,226 cars sold
- Lincoln MKX sales increased 6.9 percent in November, Interest is strong for the all-new Navigator which recorded its first sales for the month

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"Strong customer demand for Motor Trend's new Truck of the Year drove F-Series sales past the 70,000 mark last month, a November number achieved just three other times in history. In addition, Ford brand SUVs continued their outstanding performance with sales up 13 percent for their best November since 2000."

Mark LaNeve, Ford vice president,
 U.S. Marketing, Sales and Service

#### **KEY VEHICLES**



2018 Ford F-150



2018 Ford Edge



2018 Ford Explorer



2019 Lincoln Nautilus

Ford F-Series achieved its best November sales in 16 years, with continued strong demand for both high series Super Duty and new 2018 F-150; this pushed average transaction pricing to \$47,100 per truck – a \$3,800 gain.

Edge sales totaled 13,180 SUVs in November, a new record for the month of November. Ford is seeing a growing number of women buyers for its Escape and Edge, with women now representing 54 percent of Escape customers and 48 percent of Edge customers.

The new 2018 Ford Explorer went on sale last month; Explorer posted 21,520 vehicles sold overall – its best November since 2004. Retail sales were up 24.2 percent, with gains coming from every region of the country; the biggest gain came from the southeast, where sales were up 32 percent.

At the Los Angeles Auto Show this week, Lincoln introduced its new midsize luxury SUV – the 2019 Lincoln Nautilus – successor to the MKX. Nautilus goes on sale this summer.

\*U.S. sales volume reflects transactions with (i) retail and fleet customers (as reported by dealers), (ii) government and (iii) Ford management. Average transaction pricing based on J.D. Power and Associates PIN data.

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## **NOVEMBER 2017**

	Novemb	per 2017	November CYTD		
Fleet Segment	Percent of Total Sales	YOY Change	Percent of Total Sales	YOY Change	
Rental	10.4%	4.9 points	11.0%	(0.3) points	
Commercial	10.3%	0.0 points	11.9%	(0.1) points	
Government	5.3%	(0.9) points	6.2%	(0.1) points	
Total Fleet	26.0%	4.0 points	29.1%	(0.5) points	

	November 2017		October 2017		November 2016	
Gross Stock (incl. in-transit)	Units at Month-End	Days' Supply	Units at Month-End	Days' Supply	Units at Month-End	Days' Supply
Cars	142,860	79	131,291	75	155,226	88
SUVs	203,265	68	196,519	78	193,048	74
Trucks	<u>313,851</u>	86	308,327	83	305,787	87
Total	659,976	78	636,907	79	654,061	83

	November 2017		October 2017		November 2016	
Dealer Stock (on ground)	Units at Month-End	Days' Supply	Units at Month-End	Days' Supply	Units at Month-End	Days' Supply
Cars	103,125	57	105,340	60	121,344	69
SUVs	161,947	55	164,598	65	161,561	62
Trucks	260,278	71	<u>251,470</u>	67	262,827	75
Total	525,350	62	521,408	65	545,732	69