# Statistics of Global Car Production \& Sales in 2016 <br> by Gang Hao Chang, Fastener World Source: OICA, Statista (Unit: vehicle / in descending order according to figures in 2016 / estimates are in grey color) 

## The Production Trend in 2016

- The production almost reached 95 million vehicles
- The global production showed a 4.5\% YoY growth
- Europe and N. America showed mild growth
- More than 7\% growth in Asia Pacific and Africa
- Only S. America showed over 10\% decline

The global car production in 2016 reached $94,976,569$ vehicles, up $4.5 \%$ from 2015. The production in Europe was around 21.7 million vehicles; production in Americas was around 21 million vehicles ( 18 million vehicles in N . America +3 million vehicles in S . America); production in Asia/Oceania was around 52 million and around 1 million in Africa. Compared with 2015, S. America showed a substantial drop of $10.6 \%$, whereas the other continents/regions showed a growing trend (especially Asia/Oceania and Africa, both had a growth margin of over 7\%, higher than the global average). Production in Europe and N. America both showed mild growth.

## The Sales Trend in 2016

- Sales will soon break the level of 94 million vehicles
- A global 4.65\% YoY increase
- Mild growth in N. America
- More than 5\% growth in Europe and Asia Pacific
- Over 10\% shrinkage in Southern \& Central America and Africa

The global car sales in 2016 were 93,856,388 vehicles, up $4.65 \%$ from 2015. Sales in Europe were around 21 million vehicles; sales in Americas were around 26 million vehicles (around 22 million vehicles in N. America + around 4 million vehicles in S. America); around 47 million vehicles in Asia/Oceania/Middle East; around 1.4 million in Africa. Except for Southern \& Central America and Africa, which showed an over $10 \%$ drop in sales, other continents/regions all showed results better than 2015. Sales growth in Europe and Asia Pacific was the highest, showing the growth margin of $5.77 \%$ and $7.9 \%$ respectively. N. America showed a slight growth of $1.52 \%$.

Top 3 Car Manufacturing Countries in Each Continent/Region

| Europe | $\uparrow$ | Germany | $\uparrow$ | Spain | $\uparrow$ | France |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| N. America | $\uparrow$ | USA | $\uparrow$ | Mexico | $\uparrow$ | Canada |  |
| S. America | $\downarrow$ | Brazil | $\downarrow$ | Argentina | $\uparrow$ | Colombia |  |
| Asian/Oceania | $\uparrow$ | China | $\downarrow$ | Japan | $\uparrow$ | India |  |
| Africa | $\downarrow$ | South <br> Africa | $\uparrow$ | Morocco | $\uparrow$ | Algeria |  |
| (Note: $\uparrow$ means growth in 2016 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| means drop in 2016 ) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The top 10 car manufacturing countries in 2016 were: China, USA, Japan, Germany, India, S. Korea, Mexico, Spain, Canada and Brazil.

Top 3 Countries in Each Continent/Region with the Highest Car Sales

| Europe | $\uparrow$ | Germany | $\uparrow$ | UK | $\uparrow$ | France |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| N. America | $\uparrow$ | USA | $\uparrow$ | Canada | $\uparrow$ | Mexico |
| S. America | $\downarrow$ | Brazil | $\uparrow$ | Argentina | $\uparrow$ | Chile |
| Asia/Oceania/ <br> Middle East | $\uparrow$ | China | $\downarrow$ | Japan | $\uparrow$ | India |
| Africa | $\downarrow$ | South <br> Africa | $\downarrow$ | Egypt | $\uparrow$ | Morocco |
| (Note: $\uparrow$ means growth in 2016 $\downarrow$ means drop in 2016) |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The top 10 countries with the highest car sales in 2016 were: China, USA, Japan, Germany, India, UK, France, Brazil, Italy and Canada.

The graph above shows the sales of the top 4 car brands (VW, Toyota, GM and Renault-Nissan) in 2016. The sales of the VW Group in 2016 has exceeded the sales of Toyota, making it the car brand with the highest car sales (sales: 10.31 million vehicles). These 4 leading car brands all reported that their results in 2016 were better than 2015. In addition, the sales of each of the top 4 car brands were all around the level of 10 million vehicles, representing about $40 \%$ of the global total car sales.

2015-2016 World Motor Vehicle Production By Country

| All Vehicles | 2015 | 2016 | \% change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EUROPE | 21,167,017 | 21,699,589 | 2.5\% |
| Germany | 6,033,364 | 6,062,562 | 0.5\% |
| Spain | 2,733,201 | 2,885,922 | 5.6\% |
| France | 1,972,000 | 2,082,000 | 5.6\% |
| United Kingdom | 1,682,156 | 1,816,622 | 8.0\% |
| Czech Republic | 1,246,533 | 1,349,896 | 0 |
| Russia | 1,378,246 | 1,303,989 | -5.4\% |
| Italy | 1,014,223 | 1,103,516 | 8.8\% |
| Slovakia | 1,038,503 | 1,040,000 | 0.1\% |
| Poland | 660,692 | 681,837 | 3.2\% |
| Hungary | 495,370 | 472,000 | -4.7\% |
| Belgium | 409,253 | 399,427 | -2.4\% |
| Romania | 387,177 | 359,306 | -7.2\% |
| Sweden | 188,987 | 205,374 | 8.7\% |
| Portugal | 156,626 | 143,096 | -8.6\% |
| Slovenia | 133,092 | 133,702 | 0.5\% |
| Austria | 121,200 | 108,000 | -10.9\% |
| Uzbekistan | 185,400 | 88,152 | -52.5\% |
| Serbia | 83,630 | 80,320 | -4.0\% |
| Finland | 69,053 | 55,280 | -19.9\% |
| Netherlands | 44,122 | 44,430 | 0.7\% |
| Belarus | 15,033 | 16,864 | 12.2\% |
| Kazakhstan | 14,477 | 10,651 | -26.4\% |
| Ukraine | 8,244 | 5,264 | -36.1\% |
| Azerbaidjan | 415 | 247 | -40.5\% |
| Turkey | 1,358,796 | 1,485,927 | 9.4\% |
| AMERICA | 20,962,739 | 20,854,138 | -0.5\% |
| NAFTA | 17,954,513 | 18,165,870 | 1.2\% |
| USA | 12,105,988 | 12,198,137 | 0.8\% |
| Mexico | 3,565,218 | 3,597,462 | 0.9\% |
| Canada | 2,283,307 | 2,370,271 | 3.8\% |
| South America | 3,008,226 | 2,688,268 | -10.6\% |
| Brazil | 2,429,421 | 2,156,356 | -11.2\% |
| Argentina | 526,657 | 472,776 | -10.2\% |
| Colombia | 77,748 | 79,036 | 1.7\% |
| Venezuela | 18,300 | 2,850 | -84.4\% |
| Ecuador | 4,800 | 0 | -100.0\% |
| ASIA-OCEANIA | 47,878,892 | 51,521,214 | 7.6\% |
| China | 24,567,250 | 28,118,794 | 14.5\% |
| Japan | 9,278,238 | 9,204,590 | -0.8\% |
| India | 4,160,585 | 4,488,965 | 7.9\% |
| South Korea | 4,555,957 | 4,228,509 | -7.2\% |
| Thailand | 1,909,398 | 1,944,417 | 1.8\% |
| Indonesia | 1,098,780 | 1,177,389 | 7.2\% |
| Iran | 982,337 | 1,164,710 | 18.6\% |
| Malaysia | 614,664 | 513,445 | -16.5\% |
| Taiwan | 351,085 | 309,531 | -11.8\% |
| Pakistan | 229,686 | 220,950 | -3.8\% |
| Australia | 173,009 | 161,294 | -6.8\% |
| Philippines | 112,493 | 135,840 | 20.8\% |
| Vietnam | 50,000 | 66,030 | 32.1\% |
| Bangladesh | 540 | 580 | 7.4\% |
| AFRICA | 835,291 | 901,628 | 7.9\% |
| South Africa | 615,658 | 599,004 | -2.7\% |
| Morocco | 288,337 | 345,106 | 19.7\% |
| Algeria | 19,346 | 42,008 | 117.1\% |
| Egypt | 36,000 | 36,230 | 0.6\% |
| Tunisia | 540 | 0 | -100.0\% |

The sales of passenger cars gradually increased from 45 million vehicles in 2005 to 69 million in 2016 (only a slight drop during the financial crisis in 2007-2009).
The growth margin in the past 11 years was about: $\mathbf{5 3 . 3}$ \%


The sales of commercial vehicles also went up from 21 million vehicles in 2005 to 24 million vehicles in 2016 (though the sales volume substantially declined to 16 million vehicles during the financial crisis in 2007-2009).
The growth margin in the past 11 years was about: $\mathbf{1 2 . 5 \%}$


The sales of all vehicles increased from 66 million vehicles in 2005 to 94 million vehicles in 2016 (except for the period of 2007-2009, growth was reported in every year).
The growth margin in the past 11 years was about: $\mathbf{4 2 . 4 \%}$


2012-2016 World Motor Vehicle Sales By Country

| Regions/ Countries | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | Regions/ Countries | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EUROPE | 18,663,178 | 18,343,409 | 18,587,650 | 19,035,989 | 20,134,829 | Argentina | 830,058 | 963,917 | 613,848 | 644,021 | 709,482 |
| Germany | 3,394,002 | 3,257,718 | 3,356,718 | 3,539,825 | 3,708,867 | Chile | 362,331 | 397,643 | 353,525 | 297,785 | 319,606 |
| U. K. | 2,333,763 | 2,595,713 | 2,843,025 | 3,061,406 | 3,123,755 | Colombia | 285,000 | 286,800 | 314,100 | 272,400 | 246,500 |
| France | 2,331,731 | 2,207,373 | 2,210,927 | 2,345,092 | 2,478,472 | Peru | 190,761 | 201,326 | 187,081 | 173,388 | 169,718 |
| Italy | 1,545,764 | 1,420,814 | 1,493,008 | 1,726,079 | 2,050,292 | Puerto Rico | 97,000 | 99,500 | 100,200 | 92,500 | 112,200 |
| Russia | 3,141,551 | 2,998,650 | 2,592,396 | 1,440,923 | 1,404,464 | Ecuador | 121,446 | 113,812 | 120,060 | 81,309 | 63,555 |
| Spain | 790,991 | 822,950 | 1,029,782 | 1,277,059 | 1,347,344 | Costa Rica | 36,000 | 36,200 | 42,100 | 52,800 | 60,000 |
| Turkey | 817,620 | 893,124 | 807,486 | 1,011,194 | 1,007,857 | Panama | 48,000 | 48,300 | 52,200 | 56,300 | 57,700 |
| Belgium | 550,519 | 547,139 | 545,255 | 571,524 | 617,854 | Uruguay | 56,459 | 61,054 | 56,548 | 51,318 | 47,114 |
| Poland | 329,799 | 353,197 | 392,476 | 432,439 | 504,550 | Guatemala | 26,000 | 27,900 | 29,800 | 31,200 | 29,900 |
| Netherlands | 571,803 | 481,435 | 450,330 | 521,178 | 469,410 | Bolivia | 21,000 | 22,400 | 30,900 | 21,400 | 27,800 |
| Sweden | 326,441 | 313,067 | 352,467 | 396,693 | 431,818 | Dominican Republic | 15,373 | 16,481 | 17,436 | 21,489 | 24,024 |
| Austria | 374,829 | 357,892 | 342,215 | 349,597 | 374,545 | Paraguay | 30,000 | 30,600 | 31,000 | 28,200 | 22,700 |
| Switzerland | 366,273 | 343,718 | 338,404 | 362,650 | 355,882 | Trinidad | 14,500 | 14,900 | 16,000 | 19,600 | 0,200 |
| Czech <br> Republic | 193,795 | 185,939 | 215,594 | 260,070 | 291,008 | Guadeloupe | 15,452 | 14,716 | 14,773 | 15,720 | 16,571 |
| Denmark | 199,147 | 210,839 | 221,713 | 245,484 | 265,386 | Martinique | 13,576 | 13,018 | 13,351 | 15,215 | 16,495 |
| Portugal | 113,435 | 126,689 | 172,357 | 213,654 | 247,343 | Nicaragua | 8,000 | 9,300 | 9,400 | 11,200 | 12,700 |
| Norway | 176,909 | 180,042 | 180,273 | 190,106 | 197,991 | El Salvador | 11,000 | 11,400 | 11,800 | 12,400 | 10,600 |
| Ireland | 91,728 | 87,096 | 114,985 | 150,680 | 177,719 | Honduras | 11,000 | 12,000 | 11,600 | 11,300 | 10,200 |
| Romania | 80,723 | 71,016 | 100,336 | 120,591 | 142,020 | Cuba | 4,500 | 4,530 | 4,500 | 4,500 | 6,900 |
| Finland | 126,505 | 117,368 | 120,113 | 123,483 | 136,430 | Guyana | 5,725 | 5,542 | 5,534 | 5,623 | 5,885 |
| Hungary | 68,168 | 72,975 | 88,719 | 100,933 | 123,807 | Jamaica | 4,500 | 4,700 | 5,000 | 5,900 | 5,100 |
| Slovakia | 78,189 | 75,204 | 81,960 | 90,091 | 100,600 | Bahamas | 3,500 | 2,800 | 2,500 | 3,500 | 3,300 |
| Greece | 62,518 | 62,570 | 76,665 | 82,044 | 85,008 | Venezuela | 130,553 | 98,878 | 23,707 | 14,700 | 2,500 |
| Slovenia | 57,042 | 59,782 | 61,934 | 68,973 | 76,213 | Belize | 400 | 410 | 400 | 800 | 900 |
| Ukraine | 259,586 | 232,894 | 105,957 | 52,341 | 75,209 | Asia/Oceania/ | 38,225,604 | 40,579,135 | 42,556,996 | 43,410,904 | 46,857,884 |
| Luxembourg | 55,049 | 50,886 | 54,322 | 51,607 | 56,369 | Middle Ea |  |  |  |  |  |
| Croatia | 35,654 | 33,819 | 40,196 | 43,668 | 53,929 | China | 19,306,435 | 21,984,079 | 23,499,001 | 24,661,602 | 28,028,175 |
| Bulgaria | 22,770 | 22,966 | 24,331 | 28,053 | 31,260 | Japan | 5,369,721 | 5,375,513 | 5,562,888 | 5,046,510 | 4,970,260 |
| Lithuania | 16,669 | 17,586 | 19,039 | 23,249 | 29,380 | India | 3,595,508 | 3,241,302 | 3,177,005 | 3,424,836 | 3,669,277 |
| Serbia | 26,700 | 26,800 | 27,800 | 25,000 | 27,600 | South Korea | 1,532,087 | 1,543,564 | 1,661,868 | 1,833,786 | 1,823,041 |
| Estonia | 23,073 | 23,383 | 24,845 | 24,921 | 27,401 | Iran | 1,044,430 | 804,750 | 1,287,600 | 1,222,000 | 1,448,500 |
| Belarus | 24,500 | 24,000 | 25,800 | 25,800 | 22,500 | Australia | 1,112,032 | 1,136,227 | 1,113,230 | 1,155,408 | 1,178,133 |
| Iceland | 8,507 | 8,022 | 10,630 | 15,605 | 20,735 | Indonesia | 1,116,230 | 1,229,811 | 1,195,409 | 1,031,422 | 1,048,134 |
| Latvia | 14,497 | 14,480 | 16,261 | 17,764 | 20,345 | Thailand | 1,423,580 | 1,330,672 | 881,832 | 799,632 | 768,788 |
| Cyprus | 11,563 | 8,051 | 9,447 | 11,834 | 14,559 | Saudi Arabia | 705,000 | 740,000 | 828,200 | 830,100 | 655,500 |
| Bosnia | 10,740 | 10,520 | 9,500 | 9,300 | 10,200 | Malaysia | 627,753 | 655,793 | 666,487 | 666,677 | 580,124 |
| Malta | 6,475 | 6,312 | 7,034 | 7,929 | 8,157 | Philippines | 184,248 | 211,959 | 234,747 | 288,609 | 359,572 |
| Moldavia | 5,300 | 5,400 | 6,000 | 3,800 | 4,500 | Israel | 206,500 | 215,500 | 242,400 | 260,200 | 292,700 |
| Georgia | 5,300 | 5,300 | 5,500 | 4,200 | 4,300 | Vietnam | 80,487 | 96,692 | 134,562 | 208,566 | 271,833 |
| Macedonia | 5,650 | 2,800 | 3,500 | 3,900 | 4,300 | Taiwan | 270,078 | 258,753 | 282,130 | 262,593 | 262,346 |
| Albania | 2,500 | 2,490 | 2,750 | 2,750 | 2,750 | Pakistan | 157,656 | 141,778 | 146,882 | 229,688 | 211,295 |
| Armenia | 5,400 | 5,390 | 5,600 | 2,500 | 2,700 | U.A.E. | 268,900 | 263,100 | 263,100 | 256,700 | 198,500 |
| AMERICA | 23,670,893 | 25,030,005 | 25,475,531 | 25,688,159 | 25,549,212 | Oman | 204,500 | 215,000 | 208,400 | 167,600 | 154,900 |
| NAFTA | 17,526,688 | 18,764,508 | 19,910,156 | 21,174,615 | 21,497,241 | New Zealand | 100,795 | 113,294 | 126,508 | 134,041 | 146,753 |
| U.S.A. | 14,785,936 | 15,883,443 | 16,843,464 | 17,845,624 | 17,865,773 | Singapore | 37,247 | 34,111 | 44,776 | 76,191 | 108,061 |
| Canada | 1,716,178 | 1,780,523 | 1,890,387 | 1,939,517 | 1,983,745 | Kuwait | 140,000 | 151,500 | 152,300 | 143,800 | 108,000 |
| Mexico | 1,024,574 | 1,100,542 | 1,176,305 | 1,389,474 | 1,647,723 | Qatar | 80,000 | 85,000 | 92,900 | 86,400 | 63,700 |
|  |  | , ,265,497 | 5,565,375 |  | 4,047,23 | Uzbekistan | 57,000 | 57,500 | 58,100 | 58,100 | 56,300 |
| America | 6,144,205 | 6,265,497 | 5,565,375 | 4,513,544 | 4,051,971 | Kazakhstan | 98,231 | 165,710 | 163,561 | 97,469 | 46,712 |
| Brazil | 3,802,071 | 3,767,370 | 3,498,012 | 2,568,976 | 2,050,321 | Bahrain | 47,000 | 53,000 | 61,100 | 58,300 | 46,300 |


| Regions/ Countries | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Hong-Kong | 53,909 | 57,549 | 62,200 | 58,800 | 46,200 |
| Bangladesh | 43,400 | 42,500 | 51,900 | 54,800 | 44,400 |
| Syria | 44,000 | 43,100 | 39,700 | 39,700 | 39,700 |
| Lebanon | 37,500 | 37,500 | 40,300 | 40,700 | 37,800 |
| Palestine | 36,600 | 35,800 | 35,800 | 35,800 | 35,800 |
| Sri Lanka | 9,500 | 12,000 | 15,500 | 17,000 | 34,900 |
| Iraq | 120,000 | 117,500 | 87,700 | 49,200 | 24,800 |
| Jordan | 23,000 | 29,000 | 23,800 | 22,800 | 20,500 |
| Brunei | 20,000 | 19,600 | 24,000 | 17,000 | 16,200 |
| Laos | 7,000 | 9,000 | 14,700 | 14,600 | 10,900 |
| Nepal | 5,600 | 5,500 | 8,300 | 5,900 | 9,300 |
| New Caledonia | 11,987 | 10,888 | 10,910 | 9,974 | 9,279 |
| Cambodia | 3,400 | 3,400 | 4,100 | 6,100 | 6,300 |
| Tukmenistan | 4,700 | 4,700 | 4,800 | 4,800 | 5,000 |
| Azerbaidjan | 15,000 | 22,700 | 25,200 | 10,500 | 4,200 |
| Tahiti | 4,000 | 3,500 | 3,900 | 3,400 | 3,800 |
| Yemen | 4,100 | 4,000 | 4,600 | 5,600 | 3,600 |
| Myanmar | 3,100 | 3,000 | 1,800 | 1,800 | 2,300 |
| Tadjikistan | 6,300 | 6,290 | 6,400 | 6,400 | 2,300 |
| Kirghizistan | 4,800 | 4,800 | 4,800 | 4,800 | 2,000 |
| Mongolia | 2,290 | 2,200 | 1,600 | 1,000 | 1,700 |
| AFRICA | 1,569,463 | 1,653,587 | 1,717,921 | 1,549,556 | 1,314,463 |
| South Africa | 623,921 | 650,745 | 644,504 | 617,749 | 547,406 |
| Egypt | 286,300 | 283,000 | 349,100 | 332,100 | 264,100 |
| Morocco | 130,306 | 120,755 | 122,060 | 131,910 | 163,110 |
| Algeria | 255,167 | 304,854 | 292,100 | 215,400 | 96,600 |
| Tunisia | 49,000 | 47,000 | 50,900 | 48,500 | 50,800 |
| Libya | 29,000 | 45,000 | 45,000 | 54,100 | 46,400 |
| Reunion | 24,949 | 24,233 | 25,757 | 27,697 | 29,547 |
| Nigeria | 50,000 | 52,000 | 53,900 | 20,000 | 23,000 |
| Mauritius | 9,500 | 10,200 | 10,600 | 10,000 | 11,000 |
| Kenya | 9,500 | 13,000 | 13,500 | 14,100 | 10,600 |
| Botswana | 6,600 | 6,900 | 7,400 | 7,500 | 8,100 |
| Ghana | 14,500 | 13,600 | 13,000 | 4,800 | 7.400 |
| Angola | 28,000 | 29,000 | 35,700 | 18,000 | 7,300 |
| Senegal | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,800 | 5,800 | 6,600 |
| Ivory Coast | 7,500 | 6,000 | 6,400 | 7,100 | 6,400 |
| Tanzania | 6,000 | 6,700 | 5,800 | 5,200 | 4,500 |
| Cameroon | 3,400 | 4,400 | 4,400 | 4,200 | 4,200 |
| Uganda | 4,500 | 5,000 | 4,900 | 3,100 | 4,000 |
| Malawi | 1,500 | 1,540 | 1,700 | 1,900 | 3,900 |
| Sudan | 3,500 | 2,500 | 3,000 | 3,600 | 3,400 |
| Zambia | 3,500 | 4,000 | 4,000 | 3,400 | 3,200 |
| Gabon | 5,500 | 5,500 | 4,900 | 3,300 | 3,000 |
| Burkina Faso | 800 | 1,100 | 900 | 1,400 | 2,300 |
| Congo Kinshasa | 3,000 | 2,400 | 2,400 | 3,100 | 2,300 |
| Zimbabwe | 4,400 | 5,000 | 5,800 | 2,500 | 2,200 |
| Madagascar | 2,200 | 2,200 | 2,600 | 2,300 | 1.400 |
| Burundi | 510 | 530 | 400 | 400 | 1,100 |
| Liberia | 410 | 430 | 400 | 400 | 600 |
| All Countries | 82,129,138 | 85,606,136 | 88,338,098 | 89,684,608 | 93,856,388 |



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