



REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS



**STATISTICAL SERVICE**  
1444 NICOSIA

7 August, 2026

## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **REGISTRATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES: JANUARY - JULY 2026**

#### **Total Registrations +11,5%**

The Statistical Service announces the publication of the report entitled "Registration of Motor Vehicles" for the period January-July 2026.

In July 2026, the total registrations of motor vehicles numbered 5.420, recording an increase of 3,3% compared to 5.246 in July 2025. Passenger saloon cars registered a rise of 2,2% to 4.244, from 4.154 in July 2025.

The main developments during the period January-July 2026 compared to the corresponding period of 2025 are summarised as follows:

(a) The total registrations of motor vehicles increased by 11,5% to 34.787 in January-July 2026, from 31.200 in January-July 2025.

(b) Passenger saloon cars increased to 26.841 from 24.158 in January-July 2025, recording a rise of 11,1%. Of the total passenger saloon cars, 8.614 or 32,1% were new and 18.227 or 67,9% were used cars. Rental cars in particular recorded a fall of 11,8% (from 3.581 to 3.159).

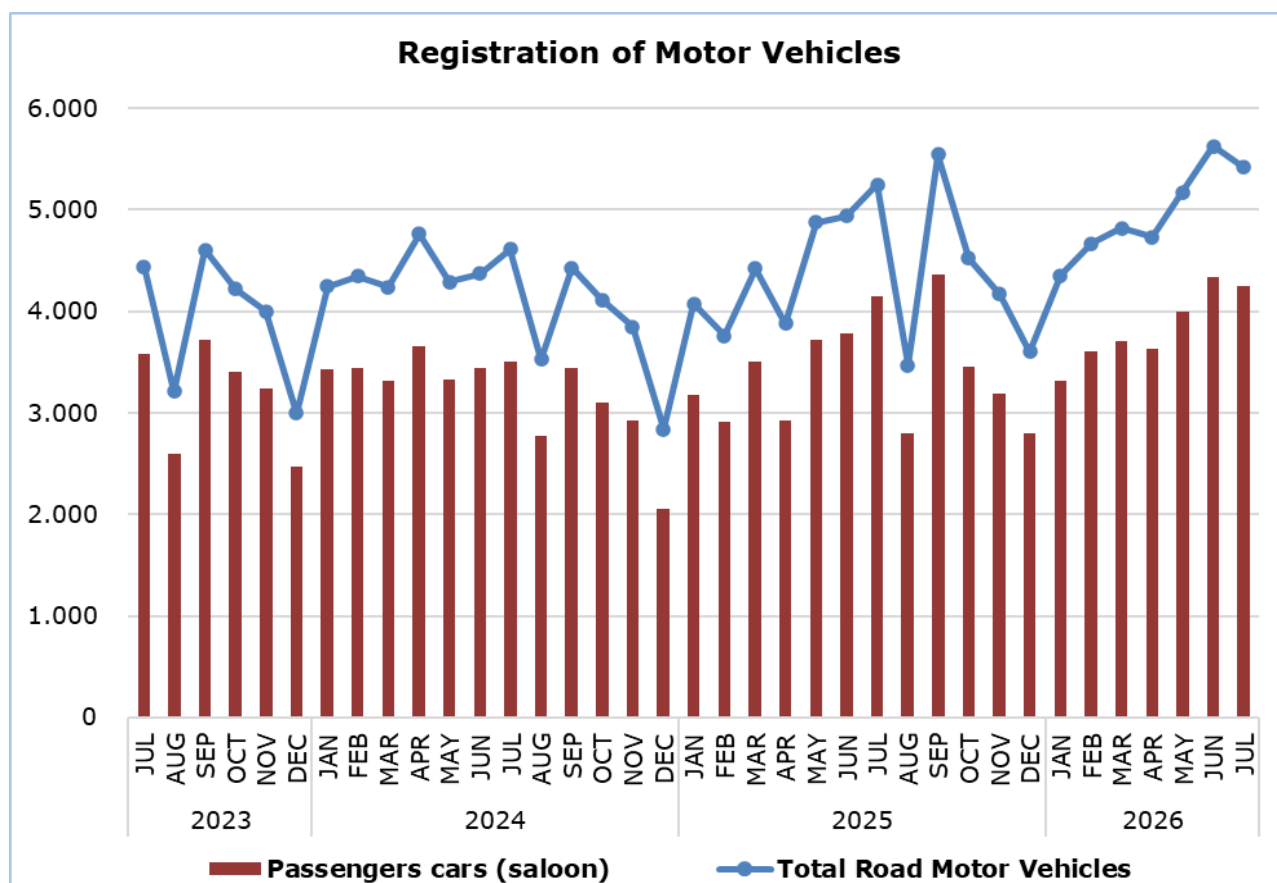
(c) The share of petrol powered passengers' cars to the total of this category of vehicles decreased in January-July 2026 to 35,5% (from 43,3% in the corresponding period of the preceding year), of diesel-powered cars to 8,0% in 2026 from 8,5% in 2025 and of electric cars to 4,6% (from 4,8%). On the other hand, the share of hybrid cars rose from 43,3% to 51,9%.

(d) Motor coaches and buses registered in January-July 2026 increased to 130, from 89 in the same period of 2025.

(e) Goods conveyance vehicles increased by 12,9% to 4.074 in January-July 2026, compared to 3.608 in January-July 2025. In particular, light goods vehicles increased by 12,1% to 3.234, road tractors (units of trailers) by 15,2% to 152, heavy goods vehicles by 16,1% to 491 and rental vehicles by 16,6% to 197.

(f) Mopeds < 50cc registered in January-July 2026 decreased to 100 compared to 143 in the corresponding period of the previous year.

(g) Mechanised cycles > 50cc increased by 12,9% to 3.167 in January-July 2026, compared to 2.806 in the same period of 2025.



**Table**

| Category of Road Motor Vehicles | Number of Registrations |              |               |               | Percentage Change (%) |                    |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
|                                 | July 2026               | July 2025    | Jan-July 2026 | Jan-July 2025 | July 2026/2025        | Jan-July 2026/2025 |
|                                 |                         |              |               |               |                       |                    |
| Passengers' cars (saloon)       | 4.244                   | 4.154        | 26.841        | 24.158        | 2,2                   | 11,1               |
| Motor coaches and buses         | 19                      | 11           | 130           | 89            | 72,7                  | 46,1               |
| Goods conveyance vehicles       | 564                     | 553          | 4.074         | 3.608         | 2,0                   | 12,9               |
| Mopeds < 50cc                   | 23                      | 31           | 100           | 143           | -25,8                 | -30,1              |
| Mechanised cycles > 50cc        | 486                     | 442          | 3.167         | 2.806         | 10,0                  | 12,9               |
| Tractors                        | 37                      | 24           | 198           | 191           | 54,2                  | 3,7                |
| Other vehicles                  | 47                      | 31           | 277           | 205           | 51,6                  | 35,1               |
| <b>Total</b>                    | <b>5.420</b>            | <b>5.246</b> | <b>34.787</b> | <b>31.200</b> | <b>3,3</b>            | <b>11,5</b>        |
| New                             | 2.076                   | 2.150        | 13.517        | 14.056        | -3,4                  | -3,8               |
| Used                            | 3.344                   | 3.096        | 21.270        | 17.144        | 8,0                   | 24,1               |

## **METHODOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### **Scope and Coverage**

Data for the Registration of Motor Vehicles are collected on a monthly basis. They include the newly registered motor vehicles, as recorded by the Department of Road Transport.

The registrations are presented by category, make, energy type, new or used, engine cubic capacity, country of manufacture and other vehicle characteristics, based on the information maintained by the Motor Vehicles Registration and Licensing Authority of the Department of Road Transport.

### **Data Collection**

The collection of data is conducted by the Statistical Service, which receives the necessary data from the Department of Road Transport.

### **Definitions**

"Road motor vehicle" means any road vehicle fitted with an engine whence it derives its sole means of propulsion, which is normally used for carrying persons or goods by road, namely:

- Passengers' cars saloon, which include private cars, taxis, rental cars, learners' cars and invalid carriages
- Motor coaches and buses, for private and public use
- Goods conveyance vehicles, which include heavy and light goods conveyance vehicles, rental vehicles and road tractors (units of trailers)
- Mopeds and mechanised cycles, which include autocycles, motor tricycles, motorcycles and rental motorcycles
- Tractors, for agriculture and non-agriculture use
- Other vehicles, which include road rollers, mobile motor cranes, heavy locomotives and other vehicles for specific type and use.

### **Monthly Publication**

The report entitled "Registration of Motor Vehicles" is published on a monthly basis since 1982 and is available free of charge in electronic form on the portal of the Statistical Service.

#### ***For more information:***

CYSTAT Portal, subtheme [Services](#)

[CYSTAT-DB](#) (Online Database)

[Predefined Tables](#) (Excel)

[Publications](#) (Excel, from Jan. 2024) (Pdf, until Dec. 2023)

**The Predefined Tables, available in Excel format, include data up to December 2022. Data from January 2023 onwards are available only in the CYSTAT-DB Online Database.**

#### **Contact**

Andrie Milidoni: Tel.: 22602240, E-mail: [amilidoni@cystat.mof.gov.cy](mailto:amilidoni@cystat.mof.gov.cy)