

October records 185 per cent surge in retail sales of electric vehicles in India

Synopsis

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FADA, or Federation of Automobile Dealers Association of India, is an automobile dealers' body.

The rise in total sales of passenger [EV sales](#) during the month was 178 per cent — 3,745 units as against 1,346 sold in the comparable month a year earlier.

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As for two-wheeler [electric vehicles](#), October 2022 sales numbers stood at 73,169 units. In the same month a year ago, sales were at 19,826.

This represents a year-on-year growth of 269.06 per cent.

Sales of three-wheeler EVs surged 92.87 per cent to 34,793 units during the month under consideration, compared to 18,040 units in October 2021.

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