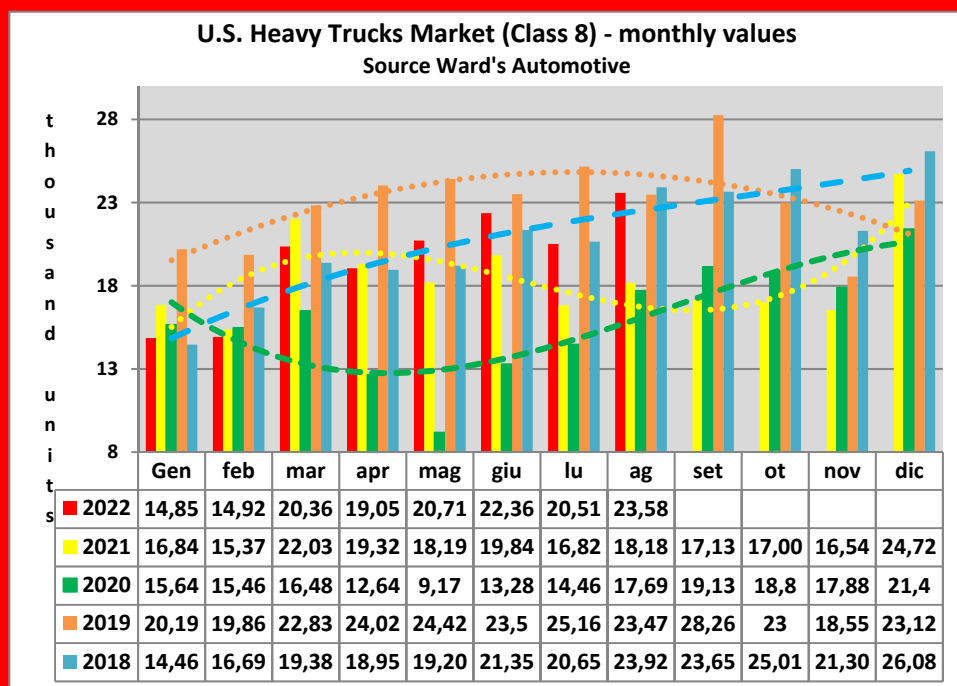




US heavy Trucks market – August 2022 registrations

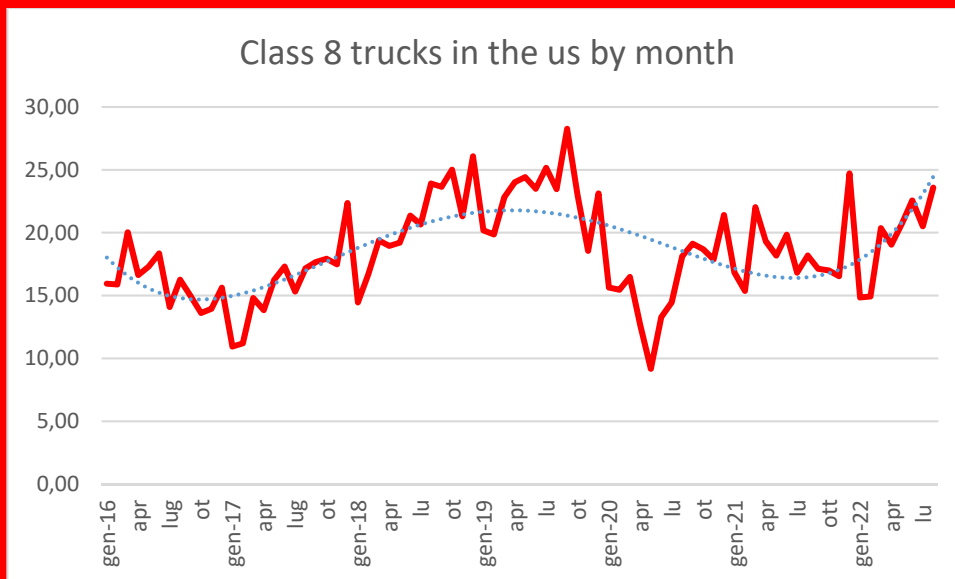
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Sales of class 8 trucks in the US rose in August (15% compared to July), and rose 29.7% compared to August last year



According to preliminary data from Ward's Automotive, sales of Class 8 vehicles rose 29.7% compared to last year in the midst of the pandemic crisis. In the August cumulative, sales increased 6.6% from last year to 156,275 units. Class 8 orders rebounded to 21,600 units in August, according to preliminary data from ACT Research. "Last

month, we sounded a note of caution, with the caveat that there were a number of mitigating factors [extended arrears, order seasonality and 2023 order fees still closed] that kept us from extrapolating too much from July's weak orders. "said Eric Crawford, ACT vice president and senior analyst. "Despite increasing economic uncertainty, carrier profitability and unsatisfied demand continue to support business.".



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