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## Key 2017 highlights

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Automotive queries grew 5% YoY on Search and 13% on YouTube

Mobile queries showed the fastest growth: +23% on Google search and +37% on YouTube search. Two leading categories in terms of growth - Car Financing and Trade-in. Interest towards new cars grew 6% Interest towards mass segment grew 6% YoY, premium started growing 1% YoY

Kia and Lada are new leaders in terms of consumer interest in Internet. Both launched new cars in Q4'2017. BMW is a leader in premium segment, while Mercedes and Audi are competing for the second spot

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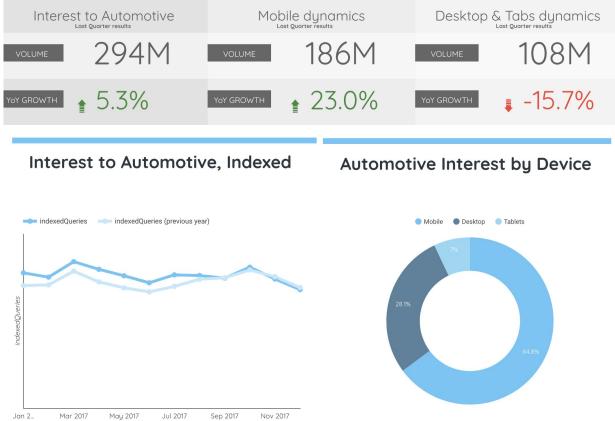
Automotive on YouTube is huge and growing

Russian viewers watched almost 1.4B automotive videos on YouTube in 2017 (organic views only). The leader of growth is Small cars segment with almost 2x growth YoY. However, SUV segment is still leading in absolute numbers



### CATEGORY TRENDS & KEY AUCTION METRICS

# I Overall, Industry is continuously growing **5%** YoY only driven by massive **mobile** growth

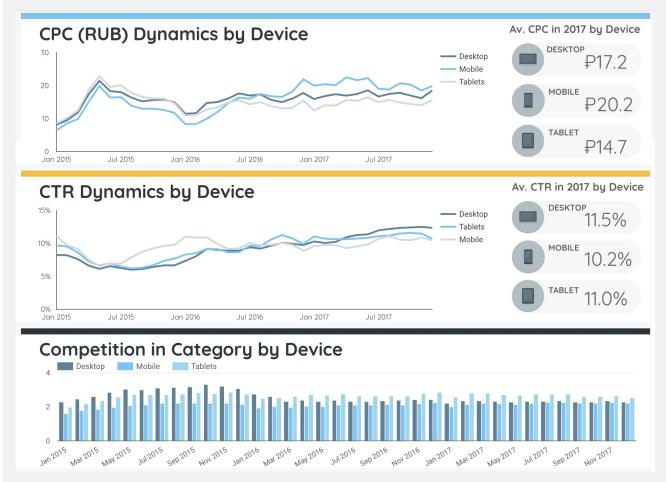


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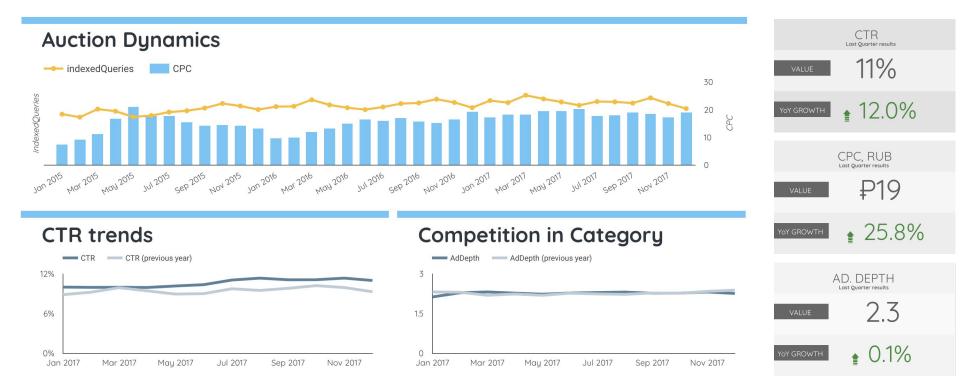


### 65%

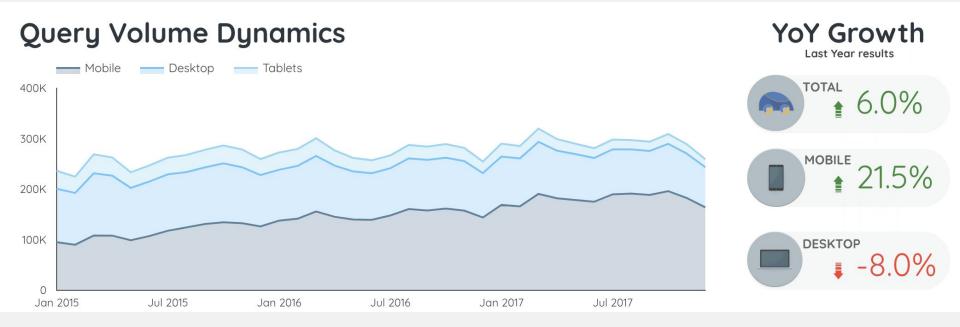
of queries in Automotive Category come from mobile devices while competition remains the same on all platforms



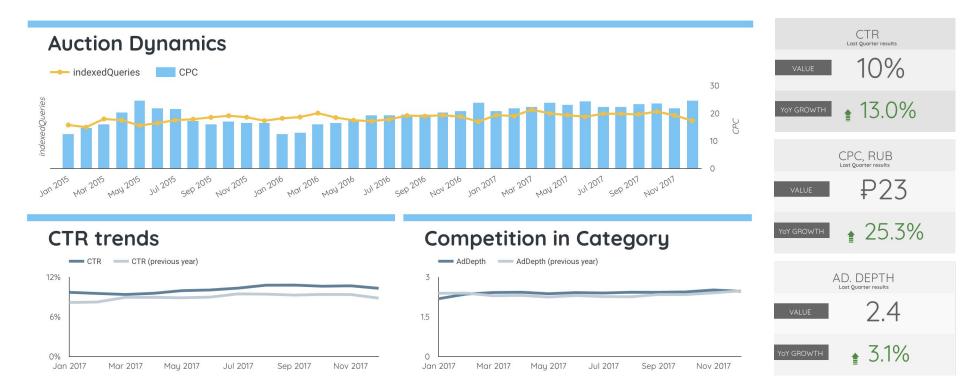
# I Comparing to previous year, industrial CTR in 2017 grew by 12% with AdDepth staying stable and CPC growing by 26%



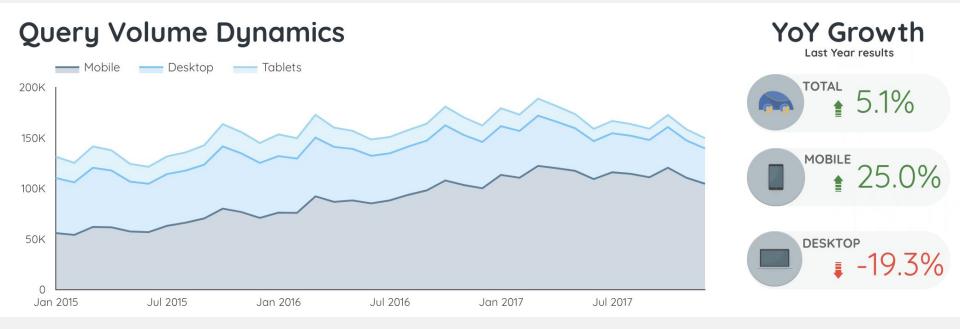
I Interest towards **new cars** grew **6%** YoY in 2017, 62% of queries came from mobile (that grew **22%** YoY)



# I Comparing to industry in general, there was a bigger increase in competition in **new cars** category



## I In 2017, **used cars** category grew slower than new cars (**+5%** YoY) with 68% share of mobile

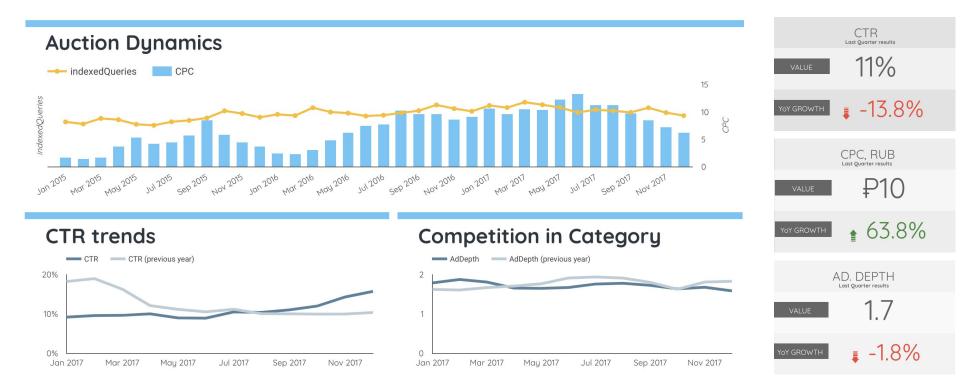


Source: Internal Google Data

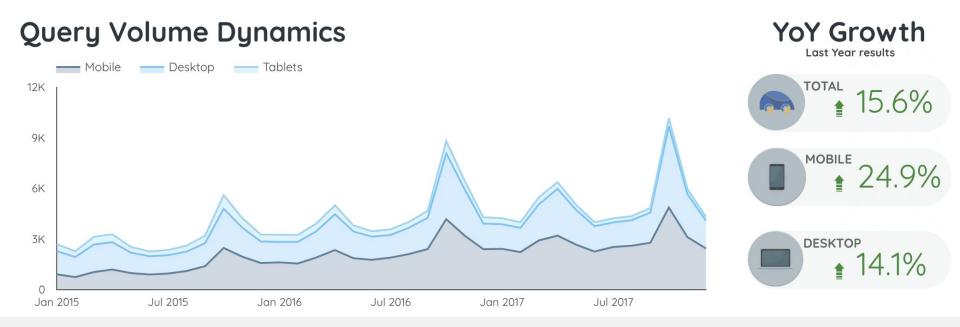
\* Used car terms consists of generic used terms (e.g. 'купить подержанный автомобиль', 'автомобиль с пробегом' and brand/model keywords with used characteristics, e.g. 'ford focus 2008', 'used toyota', etc. Used cars Auto portals are not included

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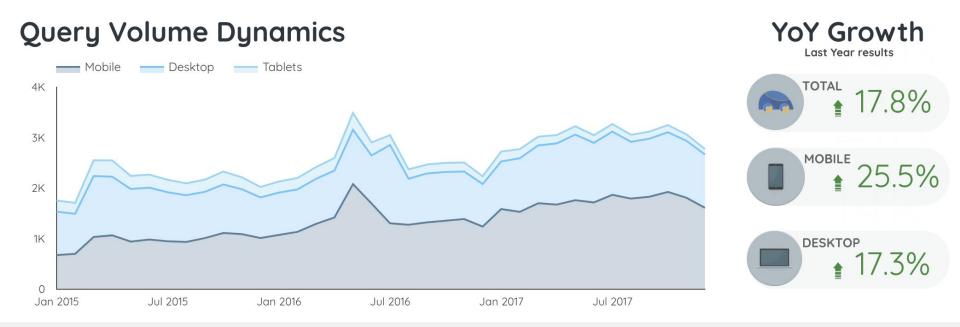
# I And the competition in **used cars** category slightly decreased YoY, while CPC grew



I **Aftersales** category showed great growth (**+16%** YoY) last year comparing to 2016 with higher peaks during tire change periods



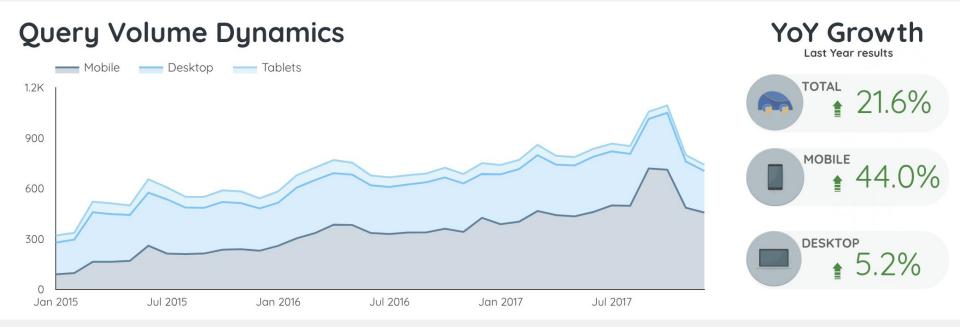
# I **Car financing** category grew **18%** YoY due to increased consumer interest to governmental support



Source: Internal Google Data

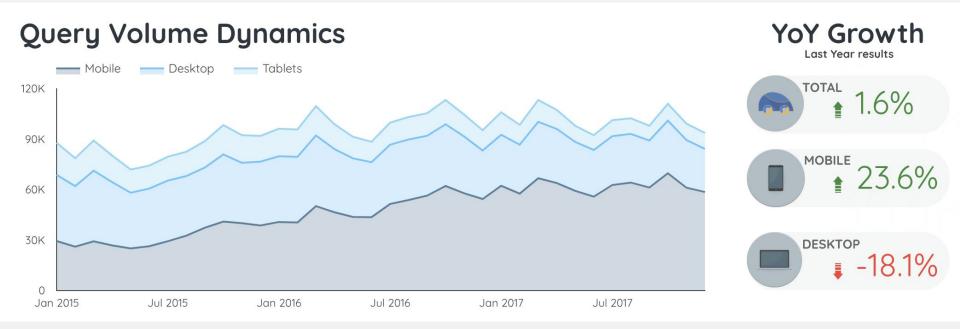
\* Car financing terms consists of generic auto credit terms (e.g. 'автомобиль в кредит', 'кредитные программы авто' and branded automotive finance keywords, e.g. 'ниссан простые правила, 'skoda financial services', etc.

I Thanks to governmental support of utilization programs, **trade-in** category boomed **22%** YoY in 2017



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**I Generic** category showed slight increase (+2% YoY), still remaining the third largest category in terms of consumer interest



## I However, **generics** is the **cheapest** category and showed great CTR increase (25% YoY)





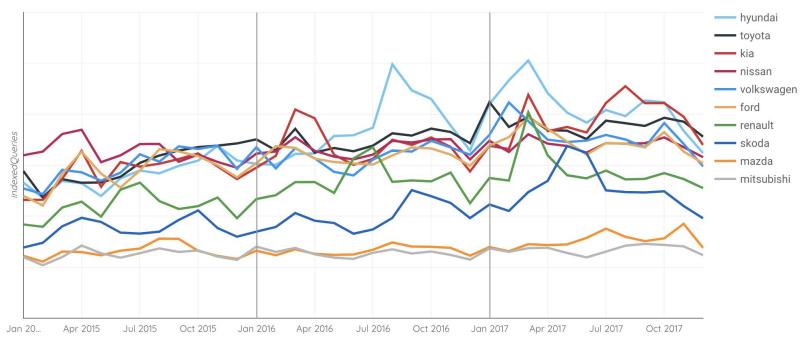
### BRAND LEADERBOARD ON GOOGLE SEARCH

# I **Hyundai** and **Kia** showed great YoY dynamics, growing **12%** and **16%** accordingly

Monthly dynamics of branded queries in Mass segment, 2016 - 2017

#### **Brand Interest Trend**

Top 10 Brands. Default setting: All Segments. Select specific Brands and Categories in the filters on the left

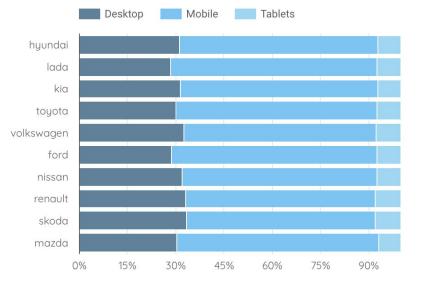


### I However, Skoda showed the biggest growth last year (27%)

BRAND	INDEXED QUERIES	YoY GROWTH
hyundai	248.3K	12.4% 🕯
lada	241.1K	-3.7% 🖡
kia	233.5K	16.2% 🕯
toyota	228.2K	9.3% 🕯
volkswagen	214K	12.3% 🛔
ford	207.1K	8.8% 🛔
nissan	203.7K	2.2% 🕯
renault	173.5K	7.8% 🕯
skoda	151.1K	26.8% 🕯

#### Brand Interest Last Year

#### Query Volume by Device

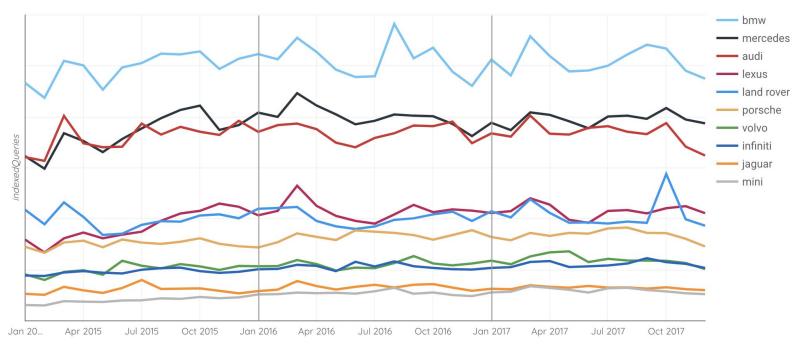


# **I BMW** is leading the **premium** segment of industry that is much more flat than mass - no big changes YoY

Monthly dynamics of branded queries in Premium segment, 2015 - 2017

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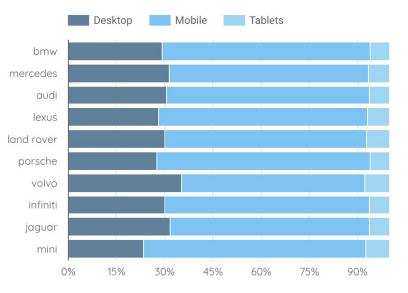


# **I BMW** is leading the **premium** segment of industry that is much more flat than mass - no big changes YoY

BRAND INDEXED QUERIES YoY GROWTH 183.5K -0.6% 🖡 bmw 142.3K -1.5% 🖡 mercedes -0.5% 🖡 audi 132.5K lexus 77.6K -0.1% 🖡 land rover 75.2K 3.1% 1 porsche 60.6K 1.5% 43K 8.0% 1 volvo 4.7% infiniti 39.9K 23.3K -2.5% 🖡 jaguar

**Brand Interest Last Year** 

#### Query Volume by Device



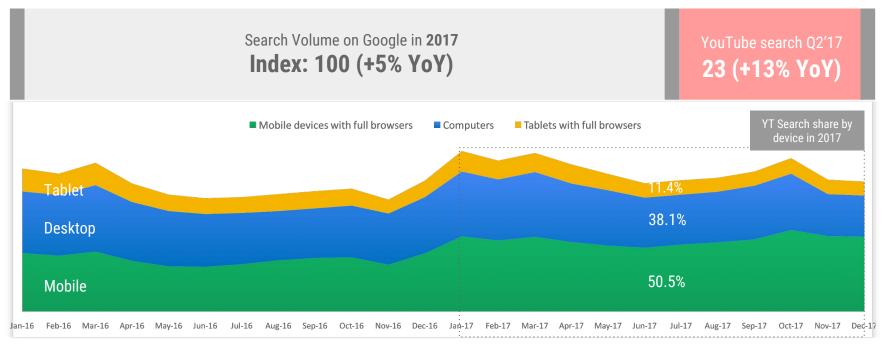


### AUTOMOTIVE TRENDS ON YOUTUBE

### I YouTube search in Automotive is huge and growing

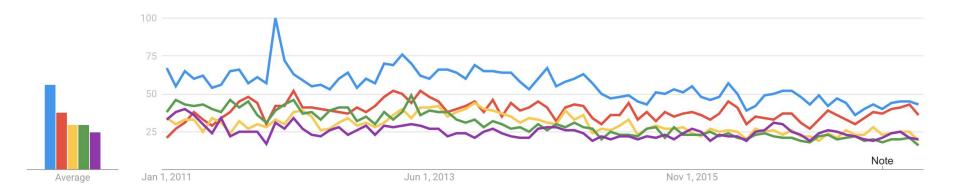
Mobile queries dominate - 51% of Automotive YT searches in 2017 appeared on mobile (+37% YoY)

Automotive search volume on YouTube



### I Toyota is leading the mass segment on YouTube search

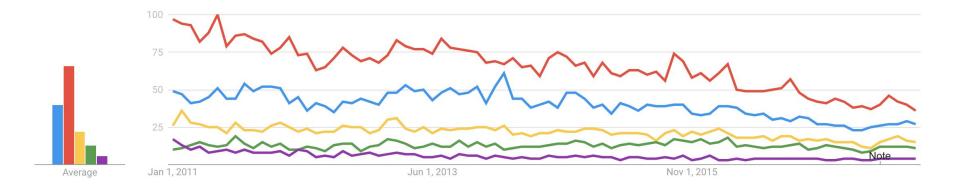






### I BMW is leading the premium segment on YouTube search







## 2017 overview



## organic views of automotive content in 2017

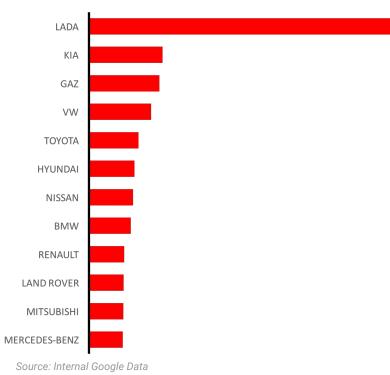
+41% yoy



Organic views only

### I Lada, KIA and GAZ are leading by number of views on YouTube in Russia in 2017

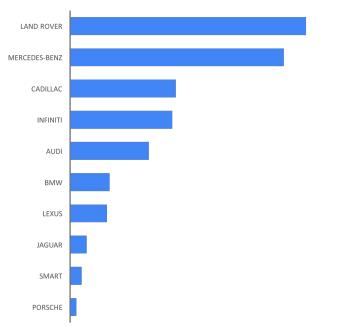
Top 10 automotive brands by views on YouTube, 2017 Blogger, User, and Brand generated content, Organic & Paid views



I Land Rover channel is the leader in premium segment by number of views, while VW is the leader among mass brands

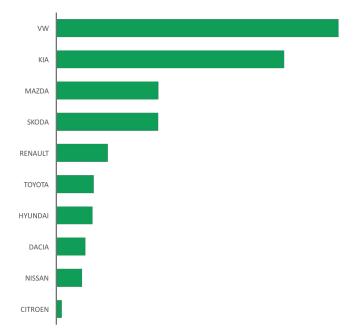
LEADING PREMIUM BRAND CHANNELS





LEADING MASS BRAND CHANNELS ON

YOUTUBE in 2017



### Benchmark for Automotive Brand Channels in Russia

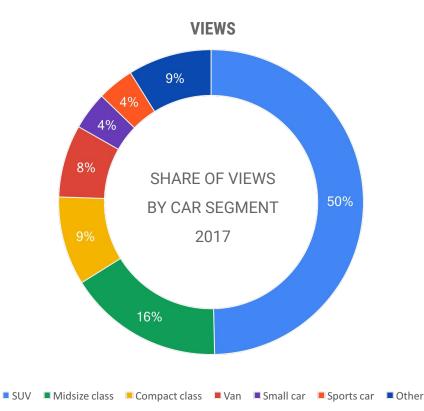
Total lifetime views and subscribers as of Nov 2, 2017

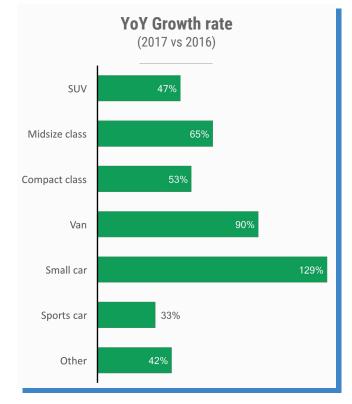
			Subscribers	Total uploaded video views
1	KIA	Kia Motors Russia	41 363	75 748 955
2		Volkswagen Russia	49 715	66 045 191
3	mazba	themazdarussia	25 520	49 718 484
4	SKODA	ŠKODA Russia	26 761	32 864 254
5	С названите и	BMW Russia	34 885	24 880 937
6	Audi Russia	AudiRussia	18 604	20 227 560
7	НУШПОЯ	HYUNDAI Russia	5 853	19 867 966
8	RENAULT	RENAULT POCCИЯ	7 734	19 564 784
9	Ø	ALL NEW LADA	16 567	19 379 067
10	DATSUN	Datsun Russia	7 589	18 321 248

		Subscribers	Total uploaded video views
11	Land Rover Russia	5 539	11 740 210
12	NISSAN RUSSIA	7 787	11 238 384
13		5 773	8 811 210
14	VolvoCarsRussia	1 660	8 491 527
15 Eude	🦉 Официальный канал Cadillac Russia	1 286	5 457 000
16	VolvoTrucksRussia	7 760	5 430 004
17	smart Russia	1 579	4 869 445
18		439	4 722 090
19	MINI_Russia	5 355	2 535 048
20	Lexus Russia	2 272	2 445 669
21	MitsubishiRussia	3 368	2 423 963
22 Comme	Citroën Russia	1 393	1 049 356
23 <b>Je</b> e	JEEPINRUSSIA	1 080	811 151
24	SEAT Россия	137	761 684
25	Suzuki Russia	264	574 474

Source: socialbakers.com

**I Small car** segment showed great growth YoY and became 5th largest segment by views. However, the leader is still **SUV** 





### THANK YOU!



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