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**HYUNDAI SALES FOR SEPTEMBER SET ANOTHER RECORD**



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**September Marks 20<sup>th</sup> Consecutive Month of Record Sales**

**FOUNTAIN VALLEY, Calif., Oct. 1, 2002** -- Hyundai Motor America today announced that September sales set a record for the month. Hyundai Motor America sold 30,257 vehicles in September. "This is our 20<sup>th</sup> consecutive month of record-setting sales," said Hyundai's Vice President of Sales Robert Cosmai. "Compared to last year at this time, Hyundai sales are up 14.2 percent YTD," Cosmai said.

"Sales continue to be led by the Elantra and the Santa Fe sport utility vehicle. Buyers looking for styling, performance and value have given Hyundai tremendous sales momentum this year and we are working hard to make certain these strong sales continue," he added. Cosmai also noted that sales of the popular Santa Fe sport utility vehicle were up 28 percent compared to last year.

"Hyundai cars and sport utility vehicles are backed with America's Best Warranty, The Hyundai Advantage. Our customers have confidence knowing their Hyundai vehicles are covered by a 10-year/100,000-mile powertrain warranty, a 5-year/60,000-mile bumper-to-bumper warranty, 5-year/unlimited miles roadside assistance program and more," Cosmai explained.

Following is the sales breakdown for September 2002:

<b>CARLINE</b>	<b>Sept. 2002</b>	<b>Sept. 2001</b>	<b>CY2002</b>	<b>CY2001</b>
ACCENT	6,191	5,808	59,012	62,801
SONATA	5,349	6,695	53,576	43,755
ELANTRA	9,391	10,018	95,378	85,627
TIBURON	1,609	1,426	15,533	15,570
SANTA FE	6,243	4,874	60,415	39,451
XG350	1,474	1,345	13,422	13,268
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30,257</b>	<b>30,166</b>	<b>297,336</b>	<b>260,472</b>

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