

**Maine Revenue Services
Taxable Sales by Sector
In Thousands of Dollars**

	March'20	% Ch.	March'19	% Ch.	March'18	Average Last 3 Mos. Vs. Last Yr. % Change	Moving Total Last 12 Mos. Vs. Prior % Change	YTD Growth CY'20 vs. '19 Thru February % Change
Building Supply	\$218,886.7	19.8%	\$182,719.1	3.9%	\$175,813.3	14.1%	3.7%	14.1%
Food Store	\$217,252.9	12.6%	\$192,866.5	2.3%	\$188,493.1	8.5%	5.2%	8.5%
General Merchandise	\$257,040.0	-10.8%	\$288,151.5	5.4%	\$273,419.2	-0.6%	3.3%	-0.6%
Other Retail	\$329,240.3	36.6%	\$241,044.4	13.2%	\$212,947.1	38.9%	24.1%	38.9%
Auto/Transportation	\$321,884.5	-26.9%	\$440,412.3	6.8%	\$412,183.1	-3.9%	3.6%	-3.9%
Restaurant	\$142,259.8	-32.9%	\$212,099.9	6.9%	\$198,325.9	-6.7%	2.4%	-6.7%
Lodging	\$24,087.1	-45.5%	\$44,185.5	13.5%	\$38,914.8	-4.8%	8.2%	-4.8%
Consumer Sales	\$1,510,651.3	-5.7%	\$1,601,479.2	6.8%	\$1,500,096.5	6.4%	6.8%	6.4%
Business Operating	\$230,284.9	-0.7%	\$231,923.5	12.2%	\$206,701.0	0.3%	4.2%	0.3%
Total	\$1,740,936.3	-5.0%	\$1,833,402.8	7.4%	\$1,706,797.5	5.6%	6.5%	5.6%
Utilities	\$114,252.6	-10.1%	\$127,108.4	1.1%	\$125,777.8			
Total plus Utilities	\$1,855,188.9	-5.4%	\$1,960,511.2	7.0%	\$1,832,575.3			

Taxable sales for return processed by the 10th day of the second month following the end of the reporting period.
For example, March 2019 sales are the sales processed through May 10th 2019.