

Q3 2018 MonerisMetrics

Measuring Spending in Canada (YOY)



+3.4%

In the third quarter of 2018, credit and debit card spending in Canada grew 3.4 per cent with theatrical producers, courier services and bakeries posting some of the highest category increases.

Spending Breakdown



+4.1%

July



+4.5%

August



+2.7%

September

Contactless Spending



+33.3%

Volume Growth



+31.2%

Transaction Growth



43.4%

Total Share¹

What's Hot²



+22.4%

Theatrical Productions



+9.1%

Courier Services



+7.9%

Bakeries

Top Foreign Spending³



+12.3%

United States



+20.2%

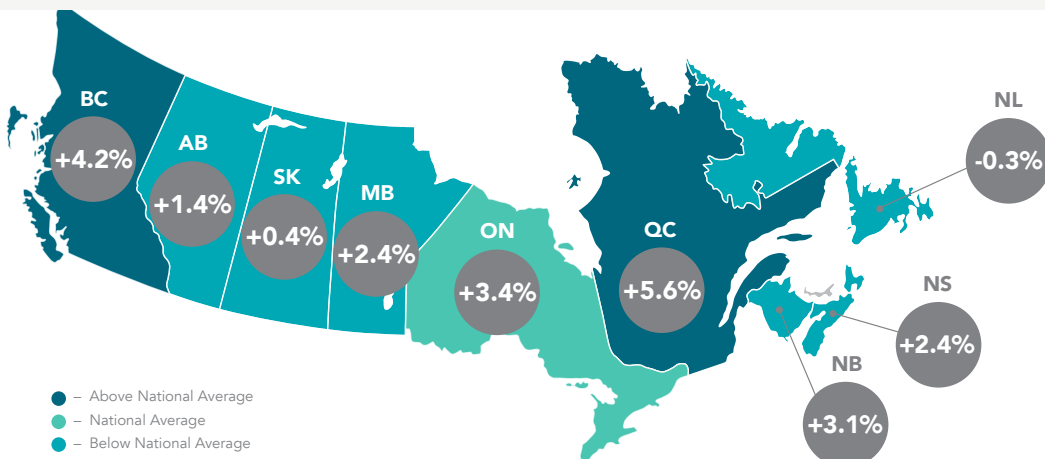
United Kingdom



+4.4%

China

Regional Spending (YOY)



MonerisMetrics Quarterly Report

MonerisMetrics is an insightful trends report that measures spending in Canada. It provides information on consumer spending activity in Canada across a range of categories by analyzing credit and debit card transaction data. The percentages cited are derived from actual sales numbers – the number of credit and debit card transactions being processed by Moneris merchants and volumes – the dollar values of credit and debit card transactions being processed by Moneris merchants – compared with sales transactions and volumes from the prior year.

Please note: Published statistics reflect aggregated and anonymized transaction data processed by Moneris merchants.

1 - Percentage of transactions in the quarter that were made using contactless payments
 2 - Biggest spending increases of Q3 2018 (YOY)
 3 - Countries with the highest contribution to foreign spending growth in Canada in Q3 2018 (YOY)