

OREGON

	1997	1998	1999
Number of Retail Establishments	20,459	20,697	n.a.
Retail Sales (Millions)	\$35,062	\$37,591	n.a.
Food Stores	5,426	5,719	n.a.
Eating & Drinking Establishments	2,932	3,145	n.a.
General Merchandise Stores	5,871	6,463	n.a.
Apparel & Accessory Stores	1,371	1,433	n.a.
Furniture & Home Furnishing Stores	1,835	1,990	n.a.
Auto Dealers & Service Stations	11,001	11,840	n.a.
Building Materials & Garden Supplies	2,538	2,752	n.a.
Miscellaneous Retail Stores	4,088	4,249	n.a.
Contributions to Local Economy			
Total Retail Employment (Thousands)	284	288	294
Eating & Drinking Establishments	104	104	104
Other	180	184	190
Share of Total Non-Agricultural Employment	18.6%	18.5%	18.7%
Retail Compensation (Millions)	\$4,604.9	\$4,859.7	\$5,128.6
Sales Tax* Revenues Collected (Millions)	\$673.8	\$671.3	n.a.
Demographics			
Population (Thousands)	3,249	3,267	3,301
Total Non-Ag. Employment (Thousands)	1,526	1,557	1,572
Unemployment Rate	5.8%	5.6%	5.7%
Total Number of Households-1999 (Thousands)		1,285.2	
Households by Income-1999 (Thousands)			Percent of Total
Under \$15,000		252.8	19.7%
\$15,000-\$24,999		230.5	17.9
\$25,000-\$49,999		450.9	35.1
\$50,000-\$74,999		225.4	17.5
\$75,000-\$99,999		76.3	5.9
\$100,000-\$149,999		31.5	2.5
\$150,000 and Over		17.8	1.4

n.a. = 1999 data not available

* = General sales, alcoholic beverage, motor fuel, tobacco, and other selective sales taxes

Sources: Market Statistics, *Demographics U.S.A., County Edition, 1999*, Bill Communications Inc., New York, 1999 (and previous editions); U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.