



Overview

For the quarter ending March 2022, total electronic card spending grew 5.5% in the Manawatū region compared to 3.9% across New Zealand.

The loyalty rate (i.e. percentage of share of Manawatū region resident spending at Manawatū retailers) remained high at 83.3% in the year ending March 2022 compared to 81.4% the year before.

Overall, visitors spending was \$376 million for year ending March 2022, up 12.1% from the previous year.

There was a \$128 million net gain in spending (i.e. visitor spending in the region exceeds local residents spending in other regions) for year ending March 2022, representing a 27.3 % increase over the same period last year.

The Manawatū Region Quarterly Retail Report is produced by Palmerston North City Council and CEDA using data sourced from MarketView.

March 2022 quarter

March quarter retail spending was \$396 million, increasing by 5.5% from the March 2021 quarter. (4.7% increase in Palmerston North City, and 9.5% increase in Manawatū District)

Visitor spending in the region was \$89.4 million in the quarter of March 2022 which accounted for 22.6% of spending. Visitor spending was down 6% from the same period last year.

The highest daily spend in the city center was \$ 6.0 million on Friday 11 March.

Visitor spending
\$376m
12.1% Increase
YE March 2022 v
YE March 2021

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Loyalty rate

YE March 2022

Highest daily spend

Friday 11 March

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Year ended March 2022

Annual electronic retail spending in the region was \$1.6 million, increased by 9.4% from previous year. Breakdown as follows:

- Palmerston North City \$1,359 million, increased by 8.9%,
- Manawatū District \$259 million, increased by 12.2%.

These compares to \$66,301 million, increased by 6.1% across New Zealand.

Key retail sectors

The largest sectors for spending in region in the year ending March 2022 were:

- Groceries and liquor \$570 million
- Home & recreational retail \$438 million
- Fuel and automotive \$268 million. *This sector has the highest annual increase (23%) compared to year before.*
- Care, restaurants, bars & takeaways \$189 million

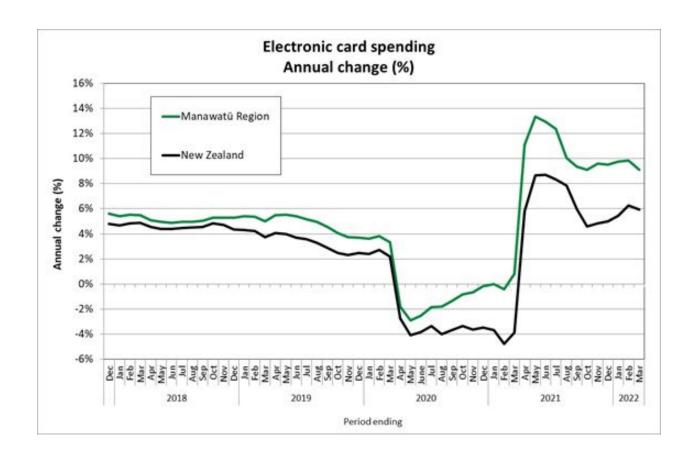
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Visitor spending accounted for 23.2% total electronic retail spending.

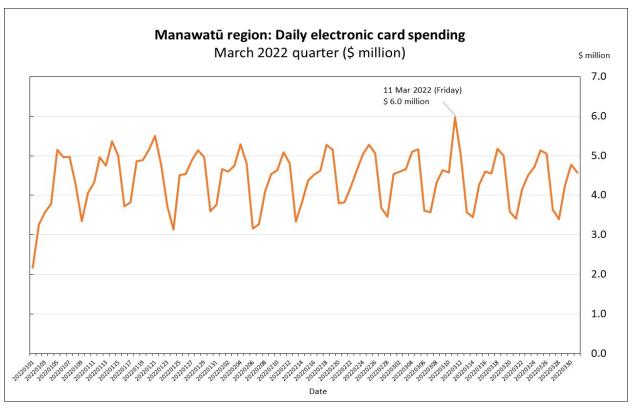


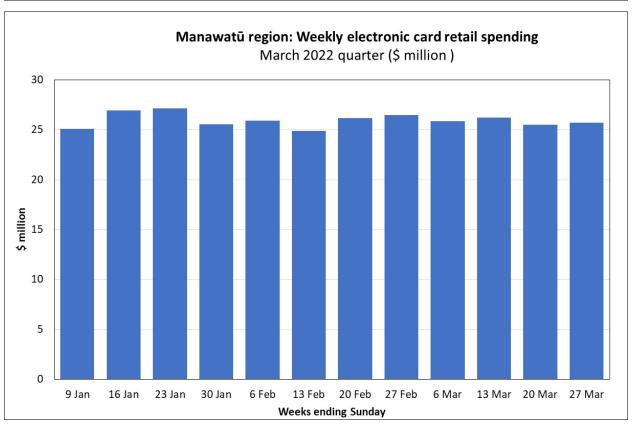
	March 2022 quarte		
Cardholder origin	Value of spending (\$m)	Change (from same quarter last year)	
Locals	307.0	7.5%	
Rest of Horizons region	45.7	-1.5%	
Rest of New Zealand	38.0	-7.8%	
International	5.7	123.8%	
Total spending at Manawatū region merchants	396.4	5.5%	
Total spending in New Zealand	16,748.2	3.9%	

Year ending March 2022		
Value of spending (\$m)	Change (from last year)	% share of spending
1,241.3	8.6%	76.8%
197.3	9.3%	12.2%
160.4	10.3%	9.9%
18.3	93.3%	1.1%
1,617.3	9.4%	100.0%
66,301.2	6.1%	



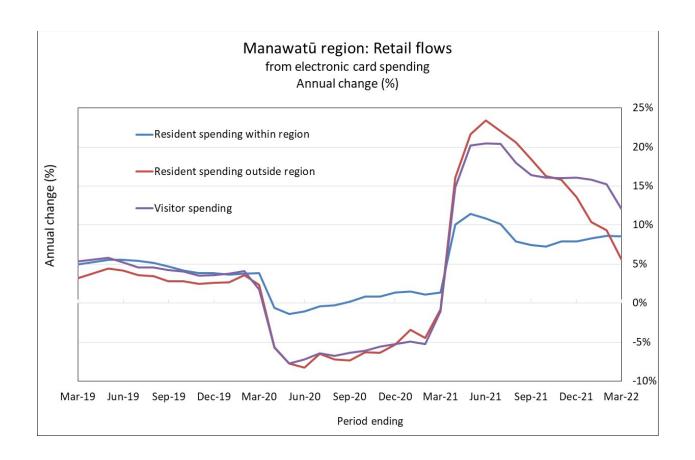
The busiest day for the region is Friday, and the busiest week this quarter was the week ending Sunday 23 January. The fastest growth category in the quarter was fuel and automotive products at 21.2% mainly due to increasing petrol prices. The day with the highest spend was Friday 11 March, with spending of \$6.0 million compared to the lowest of \$2.2 million on New Year's Day.







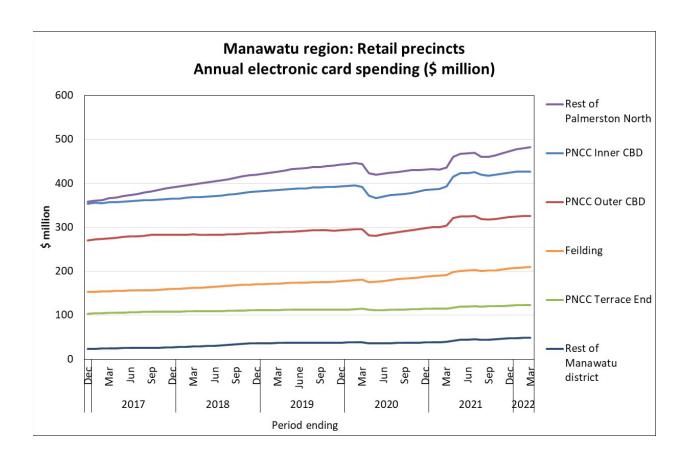
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Cardholder origin	Value of spending (\$m)	Change (from same quarter last year)		Value of spending (\$m)	Change (from last year)
Resident spending locally	307.0	7.5%		1,241.3	8.6%
Resident spending outside region	66.0	-9.5%		248.5	5.6%
Total resident spending	373.0	4.0%		1,489.9	8.1%
Visitor spending	89.4	-0.9%		376.0	12.1%
Net gain in spending for region	23.5	35.6%		127.5	27.3%
Total spending at Manawatū region merchants	396.4	5.5%		1,617.3	9.4%
Manawatū region loyalty rate	82.3%			83.3%	
% share of Manawatū region resident spending at Manawatū retailers					
Visitor share of Manawatū region spending	22.6%			23.2%	





	March 2022 quarter		
Cardholder origin	Value of spending (\$m)	Change (from same quarter last year)	
Palmerston North Inner CBD	99.3	1.9%	
Palmerston North Outer CBD	79.4	3.5%	
PNCC Terrace End	29.6	3.2%	
Rest of Palmerston North	122.0	8.3%	
Total Palmerston North	330.3	4.7%	
Feilding	52.8	8.0%	
Rest of Manawatū District	13.4	16.1%	
Total Manawatū district	66.2	9.5%	
Total Manawatū region	396.4	5.5%	

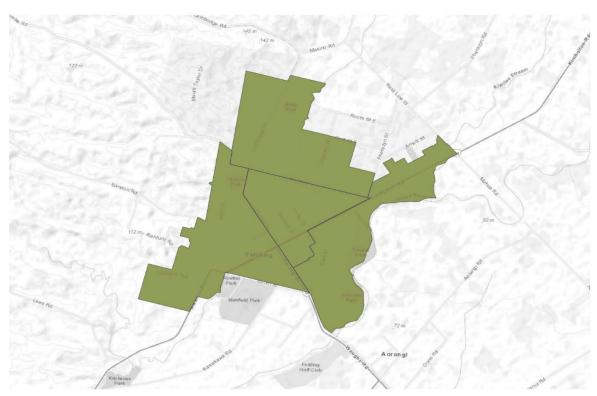
Year ending March 2022			
Value of spending (\$m)	Change (from last year)	Precinct % share	
426.9	8.7%	26.4%	
326.2	7.3%	20.2%	
122.8	6.9%	7.6%	
482.6	10.6%	29.8%	
1,358.5	8.9%		
209.8	9.9%	13.0%	
49.0	23.4%	3.0%	
258.9	12.2%		
1,617.3	9.4%	100.0%	



Palmerston North Retail Precincts



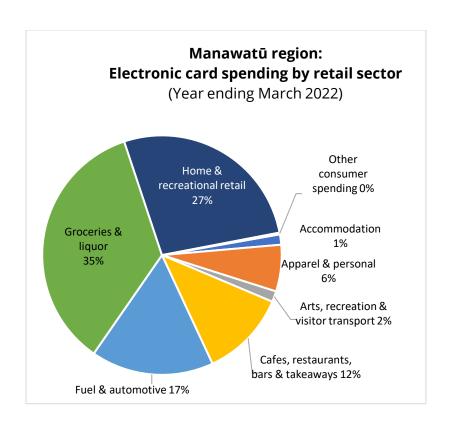
Manawatū District Retail Precincts





	Manawatū region		
Cardholder origin	Value of spending (\$m)	Change (from last year)	
Accommodation	22.4	8.9%	
Apparel & personal	101.8	7.4%	
Arts, recreation & visitor transport	23.5	17.4%	
Cafes, restaurants, bars & takeaways	189.4	10.0%	
Fuel & automotive	268.1	22.6%	
Groceries & liquor	570.0	6.9%	
Home & recreational retail	438.2	6.0%	
Other consumer spending	3.8	-32.0%	
Total	1,617.3	9.4%	

New Zealand		
Value of spending (\$m)	Change (from last year)	Manawatū region share of New Zealand
1,233.4	-2.1%	1.8%
3,745.2	1.0%	2.7%
1,341.7	0.0%	1.8%
8,600.4	2.0%	2.2%
10,627.0	19.3%	2.5%
24,581.4	5.1%	2.3%
15,838.3	4.9%	2.8%
333.7	-1.6%	1.1%
66,301.2	6.1%	2.4%





Accommodation

professionals

& facilities

operation

Apparel & personal

Clothing retailing
Footwear retailing
Watch & jewellery retailing
Other personal accessory retailing
Hairdressing & beauty services

Arts, recreation & visitor transport Interurban & rural bus transport Urban bus transport (including tramway) Taxi & other road transport Rail passenger transport Water passenger transport Air & space transport Scenic & sightseeing transport Passenger car rental & hiring Other motor vehicle & transport equipment rental & hire Travel agency & tour arrangement services Museum operation Zoological & botanical gardens operation Nature reserves & conservation parks operation Performing arts operation Creative artists, musicians, writers & performers Performing arts venue operation Health & fitness centres & gymnasia operation Sport & physical recreation clubs & sports

Sports & physical recreation venues, grounds

Sport & physical recreation admin. & track

Horse & dog racing administration & track operation
Other horse & dog racing activities
Amusement parks & centres operation
Amusement & other recreation activities n.e.c
Casino operation
Lottery operation
Other gambling activities

Cafes, restaurants, bars & takeaways

Cafes & restaurants
Takeaway food services
Catering services
Pubs, taverns & bars
Clubs (hospitality)
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Fuel & automotive
Motor vehicle parts retailing
Tyre retailing
Fuel retailing
Other automotive repair & maintenance

Groceries & liquor

Supermarket & grocery stores
Fresh meat, fish & poultry retailing
Fruit & vegetable retailing
Liquor retailing
Other specialised food retailing

Home & recreational retail

Sport & camping equipment
Entertainment media retailing
Toy & game retailing
Newspaper & book retailing
Marine equipment retailing
Department stores

Pharmaceutical, cosmetic & toiletry goods
Stationery goods retailing
Antique & used goods retailing
Flower retailing
Other store-based retailing n.e.c.
Furniture retailing
Floor coverings retailing
Houseware retailing
Manchester & other textile goods retailing
Electrical, electronic & gas appliance retailing

Computer & computer peripheral retailing
Other electrical & electronic goods retailing
Hardware & building supplies retailing
Garden supplies retailing

Other consumer spending

Car retailing
Motor cycle retailing
Trailer & other motor vehicle retailing
Retail commission based buying & selling



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Cardholder origin	Value of spending (\$m)	Change (from last year)
Locals	307.0	7.5%
Rangitikei District	12.2	2.7%
Ruapehu District	1.0	-17.9%
Whanganui District	5.2	-3.7%
Rest of Manawatū-Whanganui region*	27.4	-2.2%
Auckland Region	6.9	2.2%
Wellington Region	12.7	-1.5%
Rest of New Zealand	18.4	-14.6%
International	5.7	123.8%
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^{*}Horowhenua District and Tararua District

