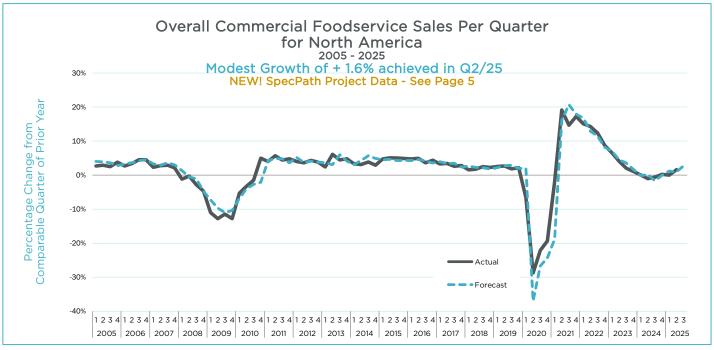
Q2/2025 Foodservice Business Barometer



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Modest Growth of + 1.6% achieved in Q2/25; Tariff Impact Still a Threat

Q2/25 sales showed a slight gain of +1.6% versus 0% last quarter and the largest, albeit modest, gain in 18 months. Over this period, quarterly sales changes were 0.0%,-1.0%,-0.6%, +0.2%, and 0.0%. On Wall Street this movement is referred to as "dead cat bounce."

By product, Equipment was up +1.7%, Tabletop and Furniture up +1.6% and Supply -0.7%.

By region, Northeast gained +2.9%, The West +2.7%, Midwest +2.0%, The South +1.1%, while Canada declined by -0.6%.

Quoting activity increased while, paradoxically, Consultant activity shrank.

The forecast for the third quarter 2025 is for an increase of +2.7%, in line with our 2025 Annual Forecast number.

Sluggish growth, at this point, seems to be the best case scenario. The temperature of the market can also now be measured by the change in activity in MAFSI'S SpecPath Report which tracked 1,859 projects in Q1 and Q2 2024 versus 1,895 projects in Q1 and Q2 2025 for an increase of 1.9%. See page 5 for our new SpecPath report. The disruptive effect of tariffs on the foodservice industry has not yet been fully realized and makes forecasting a nearly impossible task.

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Qtrly Sales Forecast for North America Q3/25 vs. Q3/24 2.7%

Yearly Sales Forecast for North America 2025 vs. 2024

2.7%

Quoting Activity for Q2/25 vs. Q1/25

More Less No Change
35% 24% 41%

Consultant Activity for Q2/25 vs. Q1/25

More Less No Change
15% 22% 63%

Jan San Sales for Q2/25 vs. Q2/24
Equipment Supplies Disposables
1.5% 1.0% 2.0%

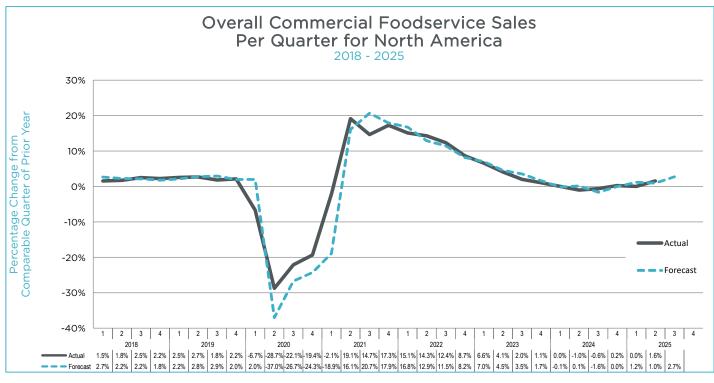
2nd Quarter 2025 Overall Sales for North America Q2/2025 vs. Q2/2024 (Apr 1 - Jun 30) 10% PERCENTAGE CHANGE 5% 1.7% 1.6% 1.3% 13% 0.7% 0% -5% -10% Equipment Supply Tabletop Furniture Overall

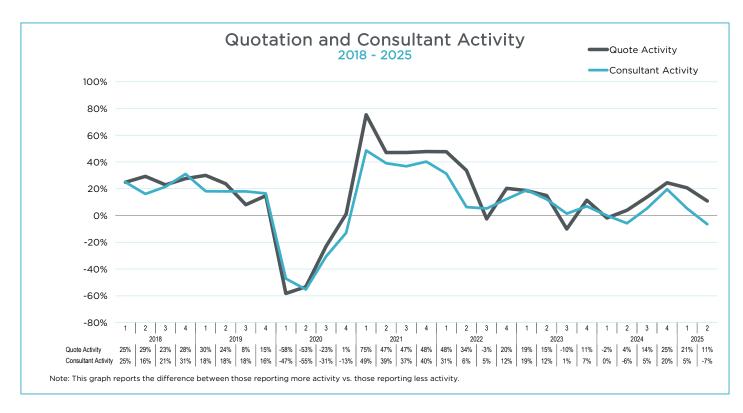
2025 vs. 2024 Sales Forecast by Product Category				
Equipment	Supply	Tabletop	Furniture	
2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	1.3%	

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Q3/25 vs. Q3/24 Sales Percentage Change Forecast by Region

3rd Quarter 2025 compared to 3rd Quarter 2024 (Jul 1 - Sep 30)

Northeast 3.2%

South 2.2% Midwest 3.7%

West 4.3% Canada 0.6%

2025 vs. 2024 Overall Sales Forecast by Region

Compared to Overall Sales for 2024

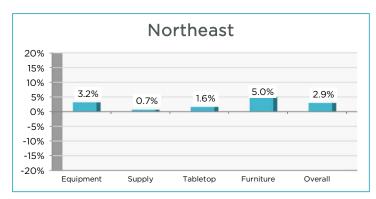
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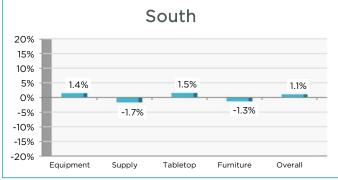
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West 2.4% Canada 5.1%

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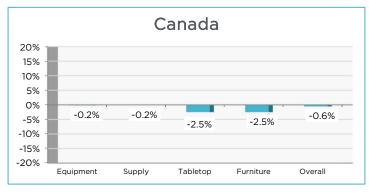
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NORTHEAST includes the states:

CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, VA, VT

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AL, AR, FL, GA, LA, MS, NC, OK, SC, TN, TX

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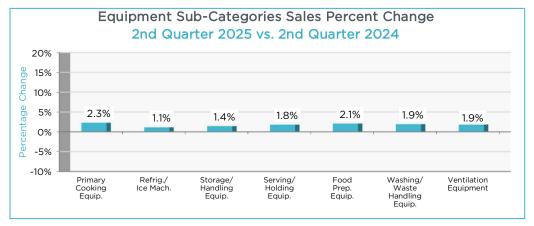
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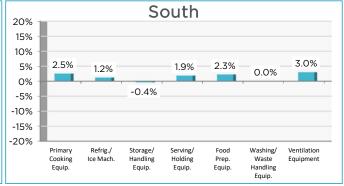
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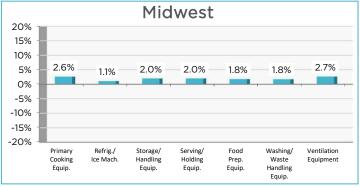


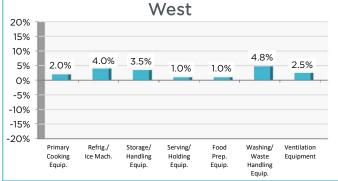
Equipment Sub-Categories Sales Percent Change by Region

2nd Quarter 2025 compared to 2nd Quarter 2024 (Apr 1 - Jun 30)









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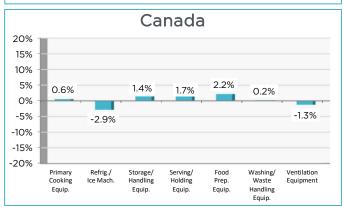
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SPECPATH CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

Q1/2022 to Q2/2025

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AFS Anderson Foodservice Solutions	Gabriel Group LLC	Premier Foodservice Group
Agences Hamilton Agencies	Greenwald Sales & Marketing, LLC	Premier Foodservice Solutions
Bob Waite & Associates	Hanna-Young & Associates - Region 18	Premier Marketing Group, Inc.
Burlis-Lawson Group	Hollander Company	Pro Reps West
Celco Inc.	HRI, Inc.	Pro-Quip Foodservice Equipmen & Supplies Incorporated
Chrane Foodservice Solutions	Kain McArthur	R. Henry & Associates
CMA Foodservice Solutions	Kaufmann & Associates	Schmid-Dewland Associates
Collis Group, Inc.	KLH Marketing, Inc.	Schmid-Wilson Group
Copperfield Agencies Limited	MAC Sales & Marketing LTD.	The Daly & DeRoma Group, Inc.
DJ Marketing & Associates	MarkeTeam Foodservice	The Pantano and Pinilla Agency, Inc.
Eaton Marketing Associates, Inc.	Mid-West Associates	Thormann Associates
Elevate Foodservice Group	ONE SOURCE REPS	Total Tabletop Plus
Equipment Preference, Inc. (E.P.I.)	PB & J Commercial Agents	Vader & Landgraf, Inc.
FOCUS Hospitality Sales	PBAC & Associates LTD	Viola Group
Food Equipment Representatives	Pecinka Ferri Associates	W. D. Colledge Co., Ltd.
Food Service Solutions Inc.	Permul Ltd.	





Business Barometer Category Product List

MAIN CATEGORIES		
Equipment Please note: as of Q315, "Thermometers and Temperature Monitoring Devices" (previously in Food Preparation Equipment) are now in Supplies.	Food Preparation Equipment, Janitorial & Sanitation Equipment, Primary Cooking Equipment, Refrigeration & Ice Machines, Serving & Holding Equipment, Storage & Handling Equipment, Ventilation, Warewashing, Waste Handling Equipment	
Supplies Please note: as of Q315, "Menu and Message Boards" (previously calculated in Supplies) are now in Furniture.	Barware, Bakeware, Bins, Bus/Tote Boxes, Buckets (Ice & Wine), Buffetware, Can Openers, Chef Apparel/Shoes, Cleaning Tools, Colanders, Cookware/Pans/Pots, Cutting Boards, Knives/Cutlery Blocks/Sharpeners, Mixing Bowls, Storage Containers, Thermometers/Temperature Measurement/Food Safety, Textiles (Kitchen), Utensils/Tools (Kitchen)	
Tabletop	Baskets, Beverage Pitchers/Servers, Candle Holders/Lamps, Candle & Chafing Fuel, Carafes/Decanters, Chafers, Covers, Dinnerware, Drinkware, Flatware, Glassware/Stemware, Linens (Napkins & Tablecloths/Covers), Menu Covers, Salt & Pepper Shakers, Serving Bowls/Plates, Servingware, Trays, Tra Stands	
Furniture	Bars (Stationary & Mobile), Benches, Booths, Cabinets (Decor), Chairs, Coat Racks, Drive -Thru/Pass-Thru Windows, Heaters (Patio/Outdoor), Hostess Stands, Menu/Message Boards, Railings & Railings Fittings, Signs/Signage, Stools, Tables, Table Bases, Table Tops, Umbrellas	
SUB-CATEGORIES		
Primary Cooking Equipment	Braising Pans, Broilers, Charbroilers, Cook-Chill Systems, Fryers, Griddles, Grills, Hot Dog Grills/Rollers, Microwaves, Oil Filtration Systems, Ovens, Panini Grills, Pasta Cookers, Ranges, Rice Cookers, Smokers, Steam Jacketed Kettles, Steamers, Tilting Skillets, Toasters, Waffle Bakers/Crepe Equipment	
Refrigeration & Ice Machines	Air Curtains, Blast Chillers, Compressors, Condensers & Evaporators, Coolers, Doors (Walk-In/Insulated), Drop-In Pan Chillers, Freezers, Ice Cream Cabinets, Ice Machines, Refrigeration, Slush/Smoothie Machines, Soft-Serve Ice Cream/Yogurt Machines, Water Filter Systems	
Storage & Handling Equipment	Cabinets, Carts, Conveyor Systems, Covers, Dispensers (non-food), Dollies (Can, Dish, Rack), Food & Ingredient Canisters & Containers, Hand Trucks/Utility Trucks, Meal Delivery Systems, Racks, Receiving Scales, Shelving, Work Tables (Bakers, Cooks, Makeup, Prep, etc.)	
Serving & Holding Equipment	Beer Systems, Beverage Dispensers, Carving Stations, Coffee Equipment, Display/Merchandisers, Food Dispensers, Food Shields, Heat Lamps, Kiosks/Mobile Serving Units, Salad/Food Bars, Serving/Buffet Line Serving Carts, Soda Fountains, Soup Kettles/Servers, Steam Tables/Hot-Food Tables/Bain Marie, Tea Brewers, Warmers	
Food Preparation Equipment	Blenders, Breaders, Bread Slicers, Choppers (Dicers, Graters, Peelers, Non-Bread Slicers), Dough Preparation Equipment, Food Processors, Juice Extractors/Juicing Equipment, Meat Saws, Meat Tenderizers/Marinators, Mixers, Mixer Stands & Tables, Pasta Makers, Popcorn Carts/Machines, Salad/Vegetable Washers & Dryers, Scales, Slicers, Timers, Vacuum-Pack Machines	
Warewashing & Waste Handling Equipment Please Note, as of Q416, Sanitation Equipment is included under Janitorial and Sanitation Equipment.	Booster Heaters, Can & Bottle Crushers, Can Washers, Drainboards, Faucets/Spray Units/Washers/Hoses, Flatware-Handling/Recovery Systems, Floor Troughs & Drains, Mats (Anti-Fatigues, Bar, Rubber, etc.), Pulpers & De-Water Equipment, Racks (Warewashing/Dishwashing Racks), Sinks, Tables (Dish), Warewashing/Dishwashing Machines, Waste Bins/Recycling, Waste Compactors, Waste Disposal Systems	
Ventilation	Appliance Connectors, Grease/Exhaust Filters, Grease Interceptors, Fire Suppression Systems/Fire Extinguishers, HVAC - Exhaust Systems, Fans, Utility Distribution Systems, Ventilation & Hoods	
Janitorial & Sanitation Lines		
Janitorial & Sanitation Equipment	Air Blowers/Carpet Dryers, Air Filtration Equipment, Bathroom Faucets and Faucet Systems, Bathroom Stall Doors, Dehumidifying Equipment, Eye Wash Stations, Pressure Washing Systems, Restroom Partitions/Stalls, Floor Scrubbers, Sinks, Toilets, Toilet Flushing Systems, Urinals	
Janitorial & Sanitation Supplies	Baby Changing Stations, Brooms, Dusts Mops, etc., Brushes (Equipment Cleaning Brushes, Scouring Pads, etc.), Carpet Sweepers, Vacuums, Floor & Carpet Care Products, Carts (Janitorial), Cloths Microfiber, Hand Dryers, Mops, Buckets & Pails, Odor Control Chemicals & Devices, Paper Towel Dispensers, Soaps and Hand Sanitizers, Soap Dispensers, Stall Storage Systems, Toilet Paper and Sanitary Dispensers	
Disposables	Disposable: Catering Trays and Serving Ware, Cloths Non-Woven, Concession Food Bags, Eco-Friendly Cups, Bowls, Flatware, Lids and Plates, Deli Food Safety Labels, Food Trays & Lids, Foam Food Cups, Bowls and Plates, Gloves, Garbage Bags, Paper Napkins, Paper Cups, Lids and Plates, Placemats (Disposable), Plastic Barware, Plastic Cups, Plates and Lids, Plastic Flatware, Take-Out Containers, Trash Can Liners	

