

Monitoring Consumption Switzerland is a joint initiative of the University of St. Gallen, the University of Lausanne–E4S, and Novalytica, supported by SIX, Worldline as well as the Swiss Payments Association.

We are using aggregated and anonymized payment data to shed light on consumer spending in Switzerland and how this is impacted by the COVID-19 crisis.

Dashboard: [Payment Card Transactions by Cardholder Origin](#)

Dataset: ACQ CountryOrigin.csv

The dataset contains daily data starting from January 1st, 2019.

The dataset covers transactions conducted in Switzerland by domestic and foreign cardholders.

Variables

- Date: Date of transaction.
- Cardholder.origin:
 - Domestic: Cards issued to Swiss residents.
 - Foreign: Cards issued to foreign residents.
- Cardholder.origin.detail:
 - CHE: Switzerland.
 - AUT: Austria.
 - CHN: People's Republic of China
 - DEU: Germany.
 - FRA: France.
 - GBR: United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
 - ITA: Italy.
 - LIE: Principality of Liechtenstein.
 - NLD: Netherlands.
 - RUS: Russian Federation.
 - USA: United States of America.
 - RoW: Rest of the world.
- Amount.CHF: Amount of transactions of specific type on a given day in CHF.
- Number.of.transactions: Number of transactions reported on a given day.