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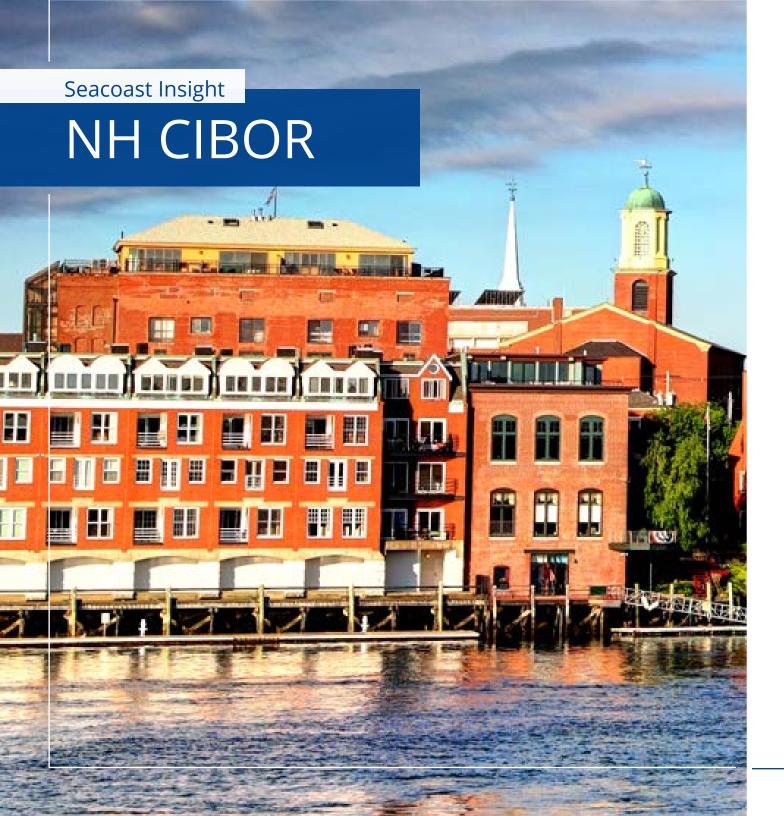
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Seacoast Marketing Meetings

- Third Friday of the month from 8:30 to 9:45 am
- Held in-person at 750
 Lafayette Road, Portsmouth (Keller Williams office)
- NHCIBOR website: <u>www.nhcibor.com</u>



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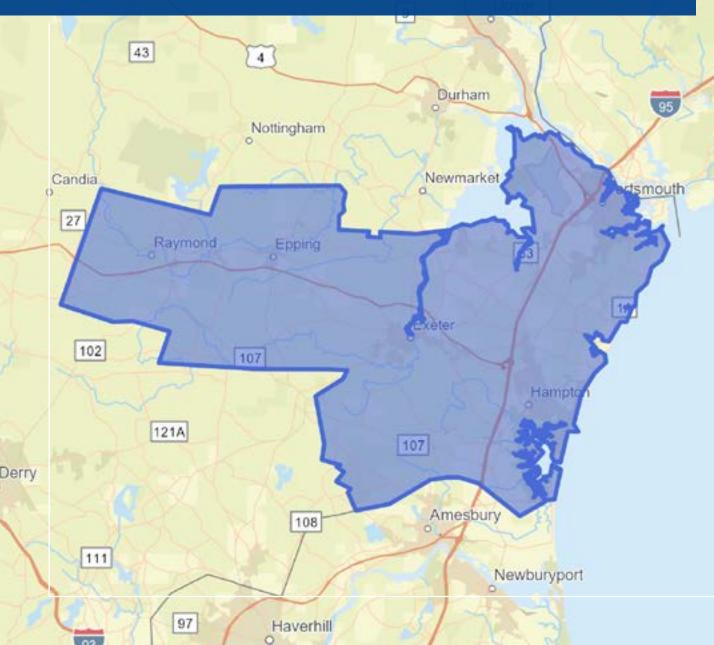
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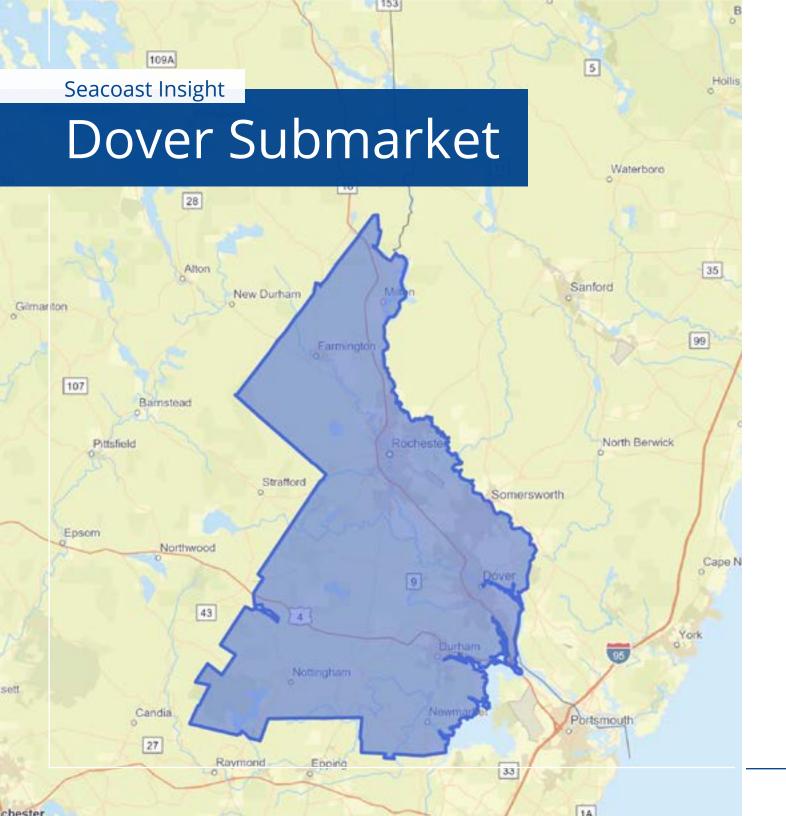
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Seacoast Insight Office Market

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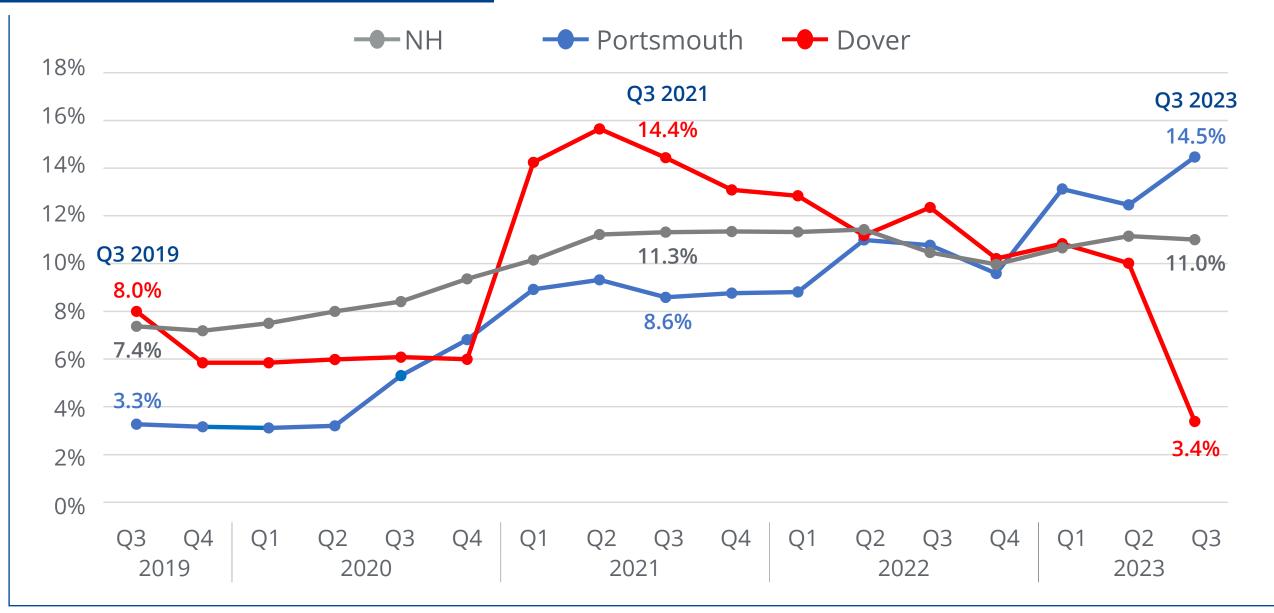




- All buildings and condominiums 10,000+ SF
- Multitenant or single tenant
- Classified as Class A, B, or C
- Excludes medical space
- Rents are reported as modified gross (MG)
- All numbers are based on Q3 2023

Office Vacancy Rate





Office Market

- The NH average vacancy rate in the office market is relatively flat, hovering between 10% and 11% over the last 11 quarters.
- Some leases that were executed right before the pandemic expired this year, leading the Seacoast vacancy rate to climb. The rate may continue to rise as some of the longer-term leases are set to expire in 2024.
- The Portsmouth submarket is still a more active leasing market than the Dover submarket due to availability.

Portsmouth Submarket Historic Comparison

	Q3 22	Q2 23	Q3 23
Total Inventory (in thousands of SF)	4,469	4,574	4,574
New Supply (in thousands of SF)	-	42.0	-
Net Absorption (in thousands of SF)	(2.8)	25.1	(91.8)
Vacancy Rate	10.8%	12.5%	14.5%
Direct Asking Rent (MG)	\$24.16	\$25.07	\$25.99
Sublease Asking Rent (MG)	\$21.73	\$22.53	\$23.39



Office Market



- Many companies require employees to work in the office at least 3 days per week, leading to some parking lots appearing somewhat fuller. Traffic on the roads has returned to pre-pandemic levels in some communities.
- Where will all the businesses come from to fill the vacancies? Existing businesses are expanding (Northeast Credit Union/Novocure) or downsizing (Fedpoint/Liberty Mutual).
- Seacoast has a "desirability" factor that will continue to attract and retain companies ONLY IF housing availability and affordability can be addressed.
- Attracting employees continues to be a problem for some companies looking to keep pace or expand because of the high cost of housing. Although hiring may have slowed, many key professional positions remain unfilled.

Top Office Deals



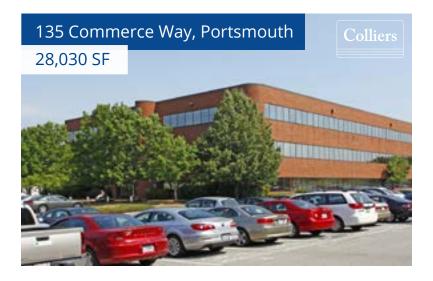












Industrial Market



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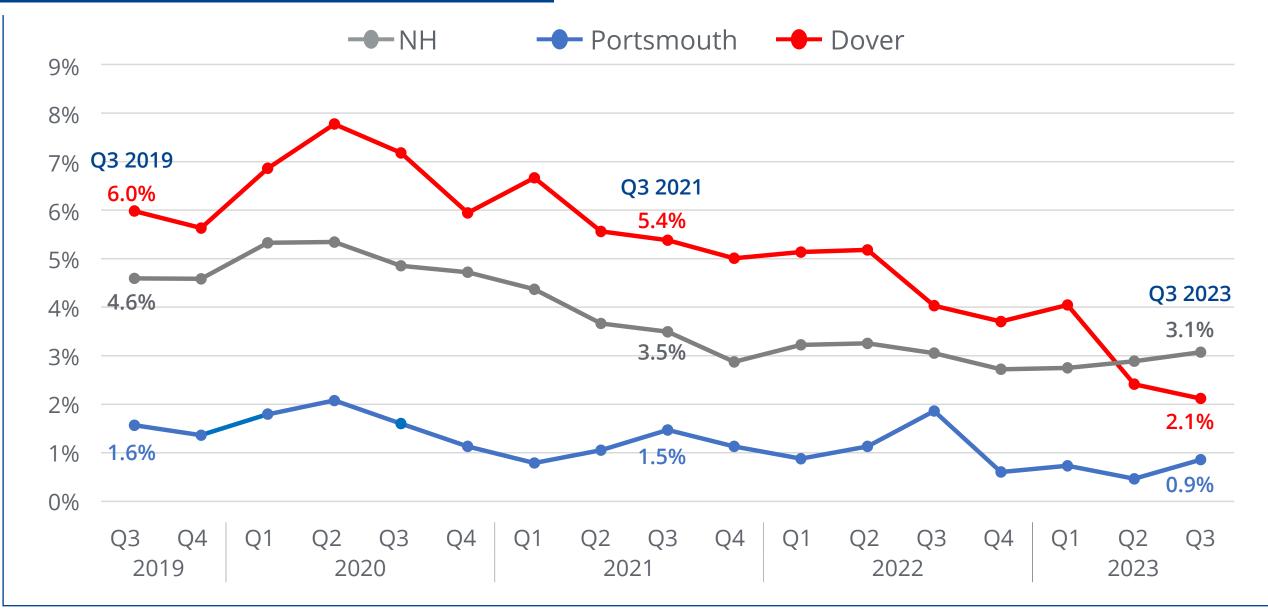
Seacoast Insight Industrial Criteria



- All buildings and condominiums 10,000+ SF
- Multitenant or single tenant
- Classified as manufacturing (mfg), flex/R&D (flex), or warehouse/distribution (W/D)
- Excludes medical space
- Rents are reported as NNN
- All numbers are based on Q3 2023

Industrial Vacancy Rate





Industrial Market

- The NH industrial market was flat over the last year, ending Q3 with a statewide vacancy rate of 3.1%.
- Next to the lack of employees, the shortage of industrial space of any size continues to be one of the biggest economic growth obstacles facing NH.
- Warehousing and distribution spaces are still in high demand but in short supply (especially for spaces under 10,000 SF).

Portsmouth Submarket Historic Comparison

	Q3 22	Q2 23	Q3 23
Total Inventory (in thousands of SF)	13,586	13,586	13,586
New Supply (in thousands of SF)	-	-	-
Net Absorption (in thousands of SF)	(100.1)	35.9	(53.3)
Overall Vacancy	1.9%	0.5%	0.9%
Direct Asking Rent (NNN)	\$10.72	\$8.85	\$11.82
Sublease Asking Rent (NNN)	\$12.19	-	\$10.63



Industrial Market



- Although there has been some new construction in the last several years, the cost of building (and supply chain issues) is still stalling new buildings. As a result, direct rents for existing buildings have jumped by 33.9% in the Portsmouth submarket and 67.9% in the Dover submarket since 2020.
- Any new manufacturing seems to be high-tech focused on small batch precision manufacturing, contract manufacturing for the electronic, aerospace and defense industries, and medical device manufacturing.

Top Industrial Deals









121 Technology Dr, Durham









Industrial Projects















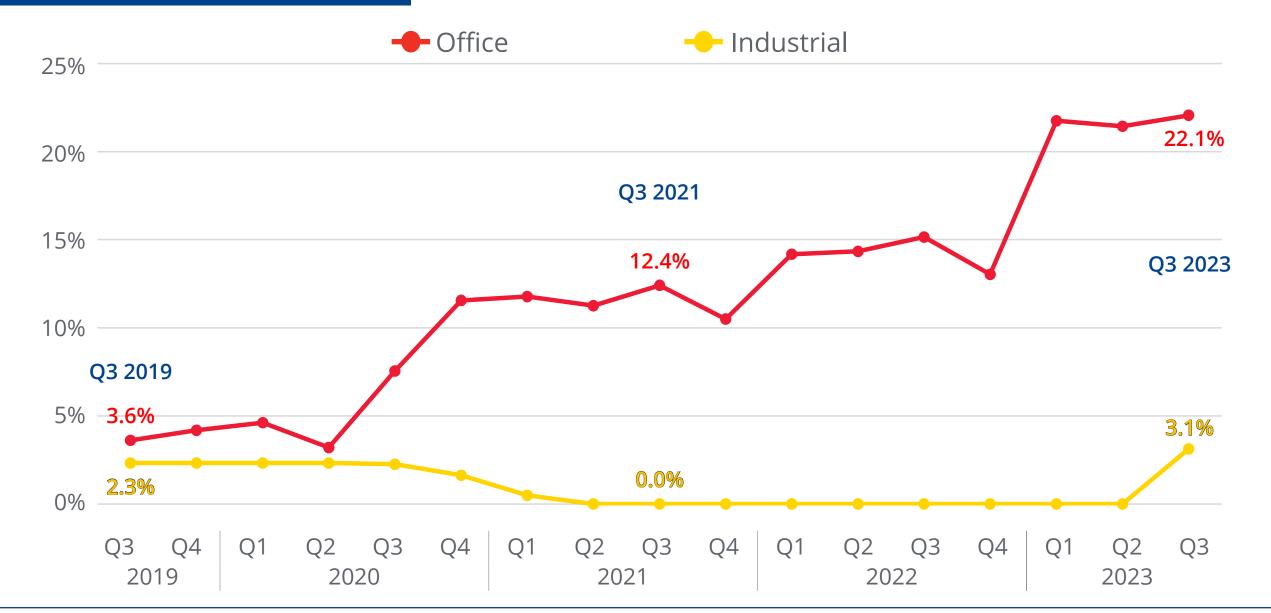
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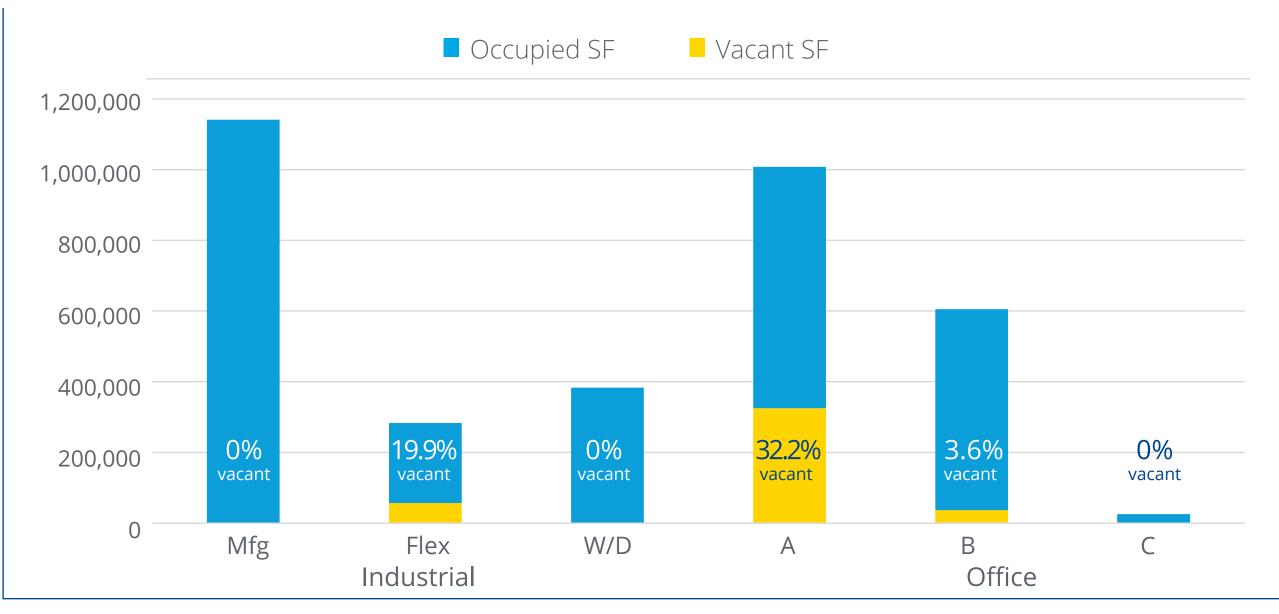
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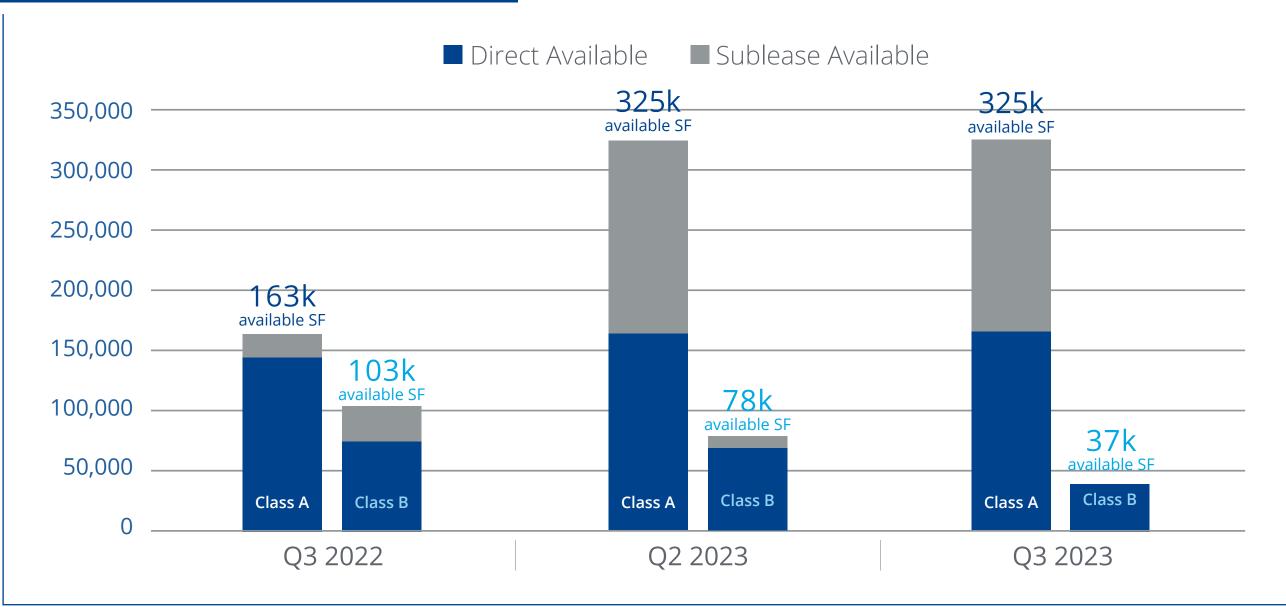
Q3 Vacancy Snapshot





Office Availabilities



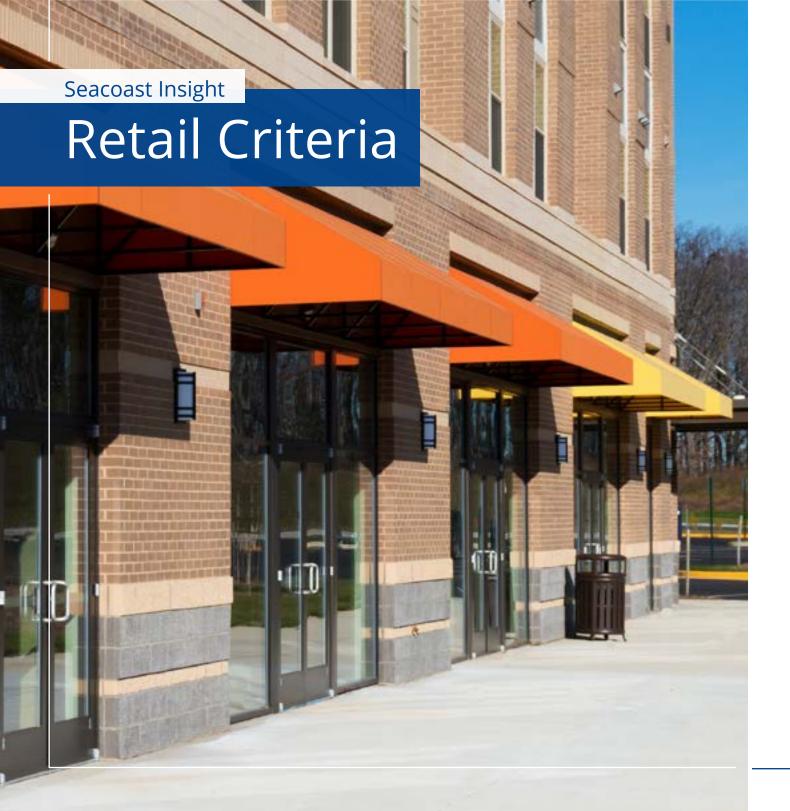


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Seacoast Insight Retail Market

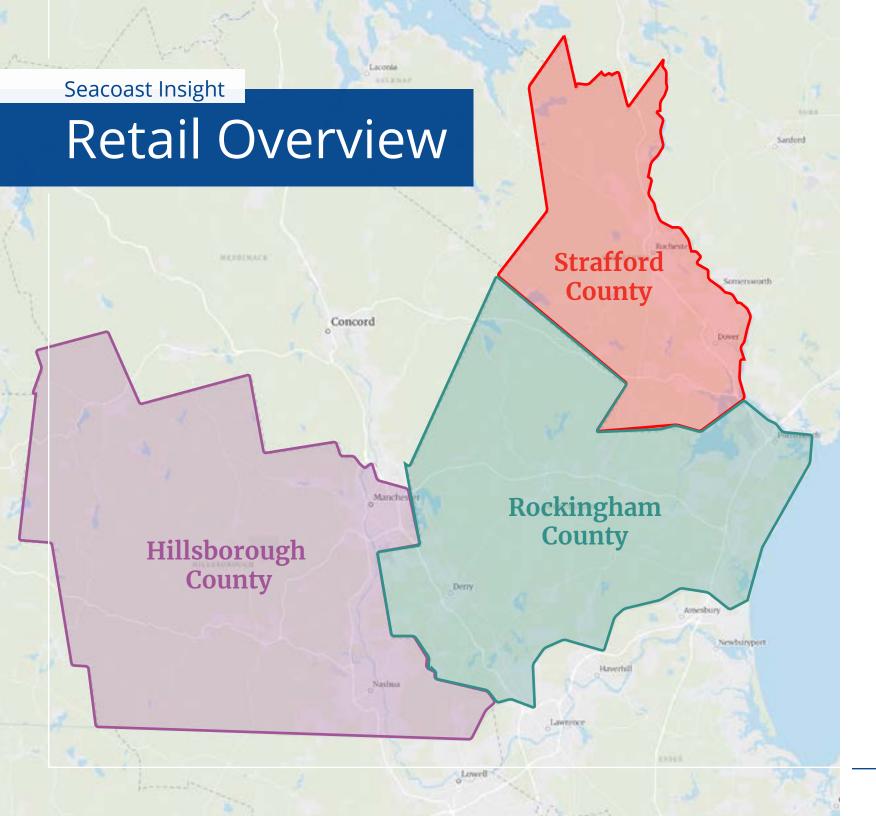
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- All data is from CoStar
- Data divided by counties, focusing on Rockingham and Strafford
- Rents are reported as gross
- All numbers are based on Q3 2022





Strafford County

Inventory SF	7.7 million
Vacancy Rate	3.0%
Avg Rent	\$15.08

Rockingham County

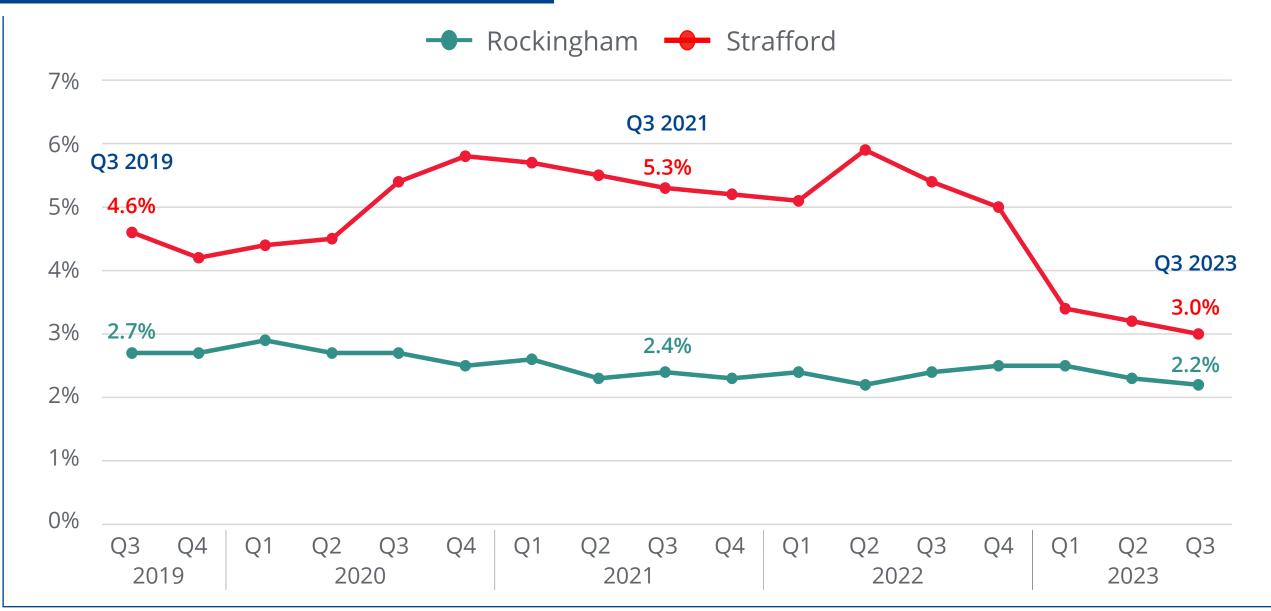
Inventory SF	27.4 million
Vacancy Rate	2.2%
Avg Rent	\$21.28

Hillsborough County

Inventory SF	27.9 million
Vacancy Rate	2.7%
Avg Rent	\$19.08

Retail Vacancy Rate





Retail Market



Rockingham County

27.4M SF	233k SF	2.2%	90.3k SF	\$21.28
Inventory	Under Construction	Vacancy Rate	Yearly Absorption	Rents

- Retail vacancy in the Rockingham submarket is at 2.1%, decreasing by 0.3% over the past 12 months. In the same time period, 100,000 SF has been absorbed and 19,000 SF has been delivered.
- Rents are around \$21.00 PSF, which is a 2.8% increase from where they were a year ago. In the past three years, rents have increased a cumulative 11.9%.
- In2023, 50 sales have taken place. Sales have averaged \$185 PSF, and the estimated value for the submarket as a whole is \$170 PSF.

Retail Market



Strafford County

7.7M SF	70k SF	3.0%	189.8k SF	\$15.08
Inventory	Under Construction	Vacancy Rate	Yearly Absorption	Rents

- Vacancy in the Strafford County submarket is at 3.2%, falling by 2.0% yearover-year. During this time, 160,000 SF has been absorbed and 3,100 SF has delivered.
- Rents are around \$15.00 PSF, which is a 3.8% increase from where they were a year ago. In the past three years, rents have increased a cumulative 16.4%.
- In the past 12 months, 25 sales have taken place. Sales have averaged \$175 PSF, and the estimated value for the submarket as a whole is \$165 PSF.

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Market Information



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