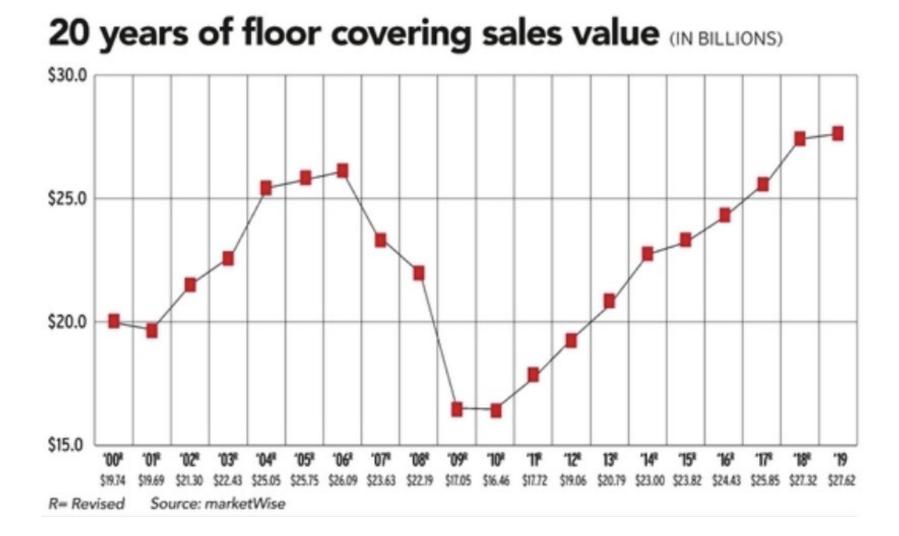
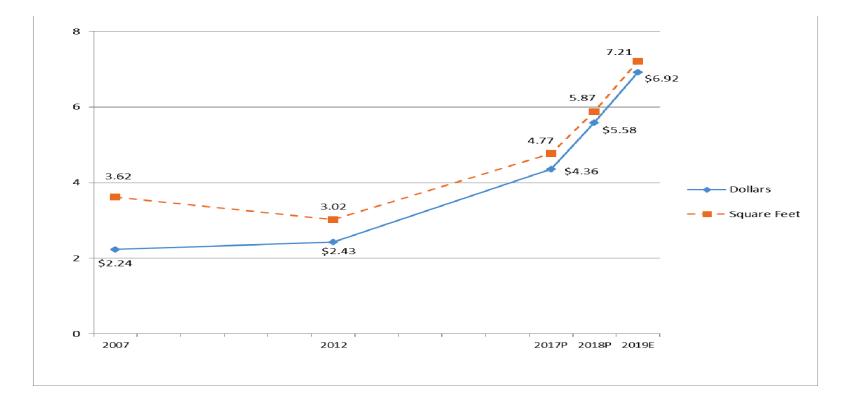


### FLOOR COVERING INDUSTRY





## RESILIENT FLOORING MARKET GROWTH



(in billions of square feet and manufacturers' dollars)

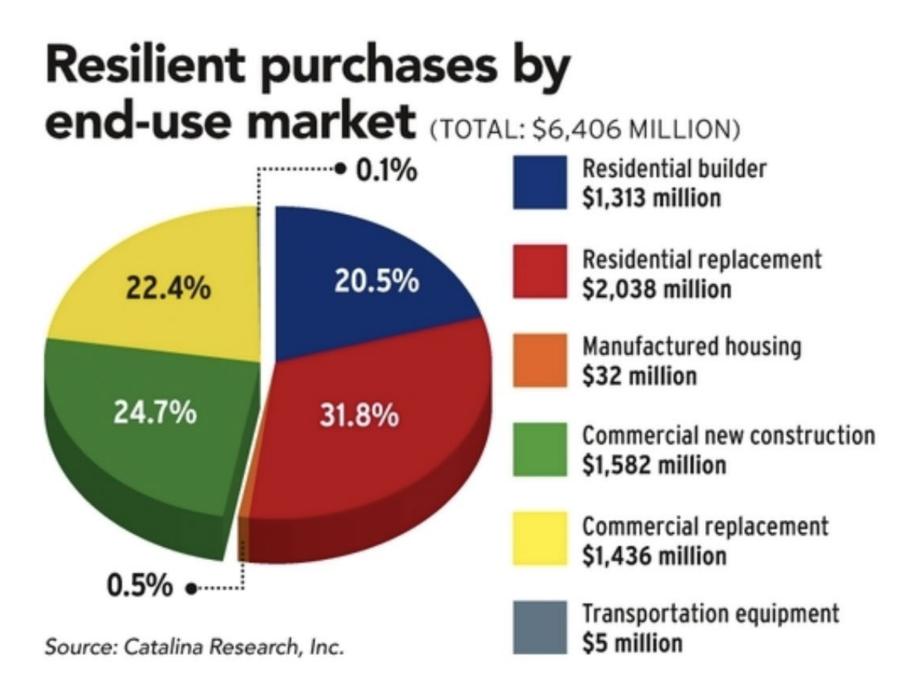
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## U.S. floor covering market sales value

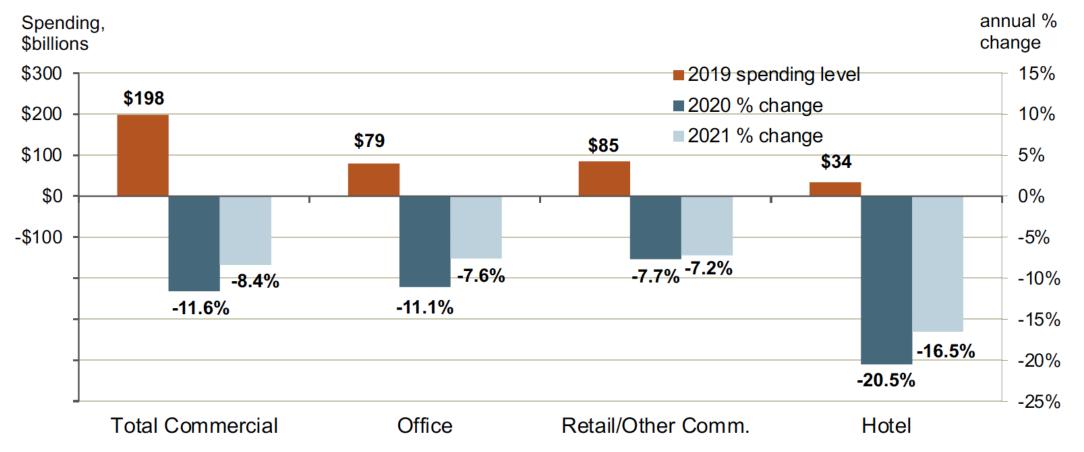
(IN MILLIONS OF MANUFACTURERS' DOLLARS)

Product Sector	2015	2016	2017 <sup>R</sup>	2018 <sup>R</sup>	2019 <sup>⊳</sup>	Percent Change
Carpet & area rugs	\$11,291	\$11,125	\$11,579	\$11,718	\$11,315	-3.4%
Hardwood flooring	4,091	3,816	3,758	3,780	3,577	-5.4%
Ceramic floor & wall tile	3,066	3,399	3,638	3,867	3,893	0.7%
Laminate flooring	950	958	988	941	898	-4.6%
Luxury vinyl tile (LVT) <sup>1</sup>	1,405	1,969 <sup>®</sup>	2,597	3,712	4,804	29.4%
Vinyl sheet & floor tile <sup>2</sup>	1,427	1,470 <sup>R</sup>	1,527	1,464	1,320	-9.8%
Other resilient flooring <sup>3</sup>	275	290	304	306	282	-7.8%
Stone flooring⁴	1,310	1,398	1,462	1,527	1,528	0.1%
Total Sales	\$23,815	\$24,425	\$25,853	\$27,315	\$27,617	1.1%



## Commercial Facilities Projected to see the Steepest Declines this Year and Next

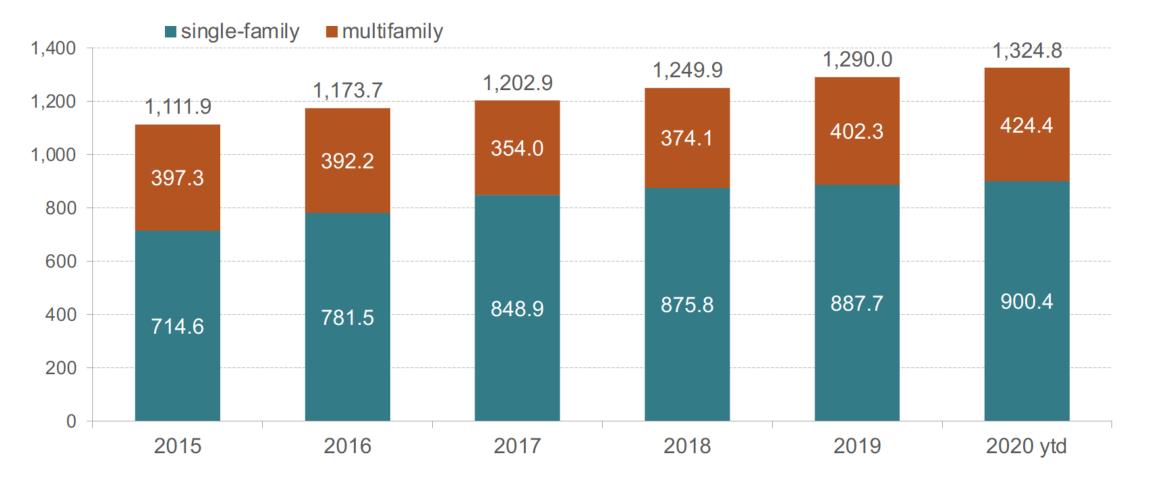
Billions \$ / % change - construction spending on nonresidential buildings



Source: AIA Consensus Construction Forecast Panel, July 2020

# Even with Pandemic, Housing Starts have Continued to See Improvement this Year

Annual housing starts (000's)

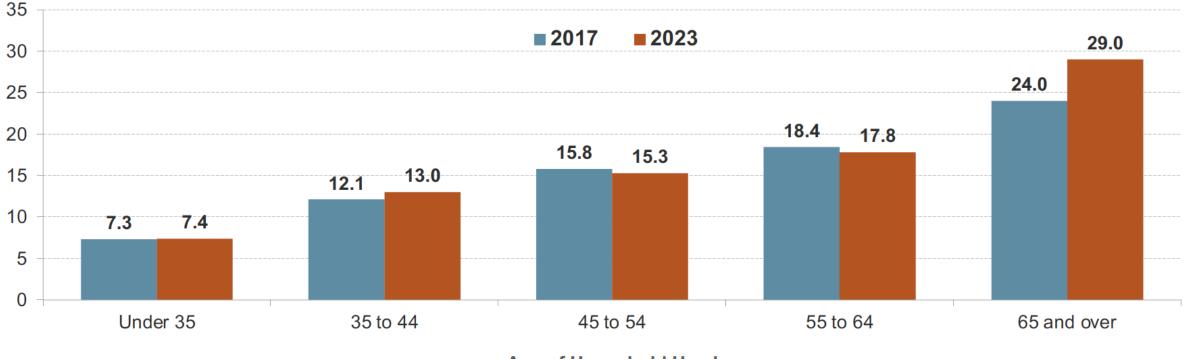


Source: U. S. Department of Commerce; annualized year-to-date figures through August 2020. 6 | © PRESIDENT AND FELLOWS OF HARVARD COLLEGE

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## Number of Owner Households is Projected to Grow by Almost Five Million by 2023, Virtually All to Come From 65+ Group

#### Number of homeowners (millions)



Age of Household Head

Sources: JCHS tabulations of HUD, American Housing Surveys; Daniel McCue, Updated Household Growth Projections: 2018-2028 and 2020-2038, December 2018; and Jonathan Spader, Tenure Projections of Homeowner and Renter Households for 2018-2038, March 2019.

## Potential Longer-Term Social/Economic/Housing Changes Resulting from Pandemic

#### I. Home design, and systems and products used in the home

- · Different use of spaces in home and property
- Growing concern with healthy home environment
- · Retrofits to facilitate independent living

#### II. Changing household demographics

- Multi-generational households
- Popularity of accessory dwelling units (ADUs)

#### III. Changing locational decisions

- De-urbanization of major cities
- Increase in telecommuting
- Avoidance of public transportation
- Declining rates of mobility







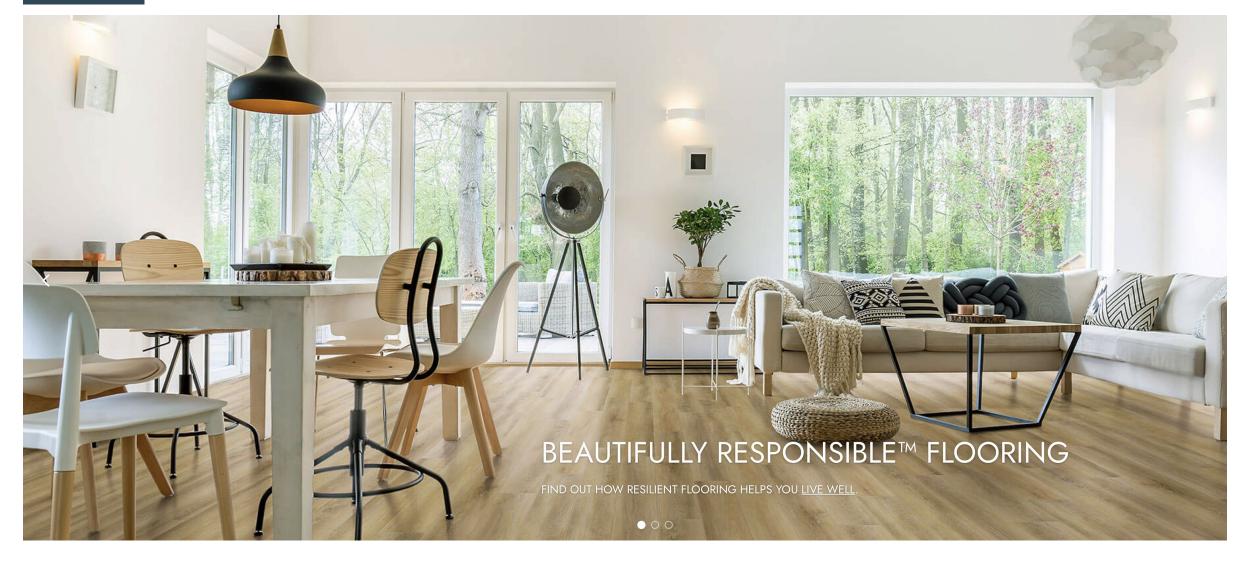
## SMART DURABLE RESPONSIBLE









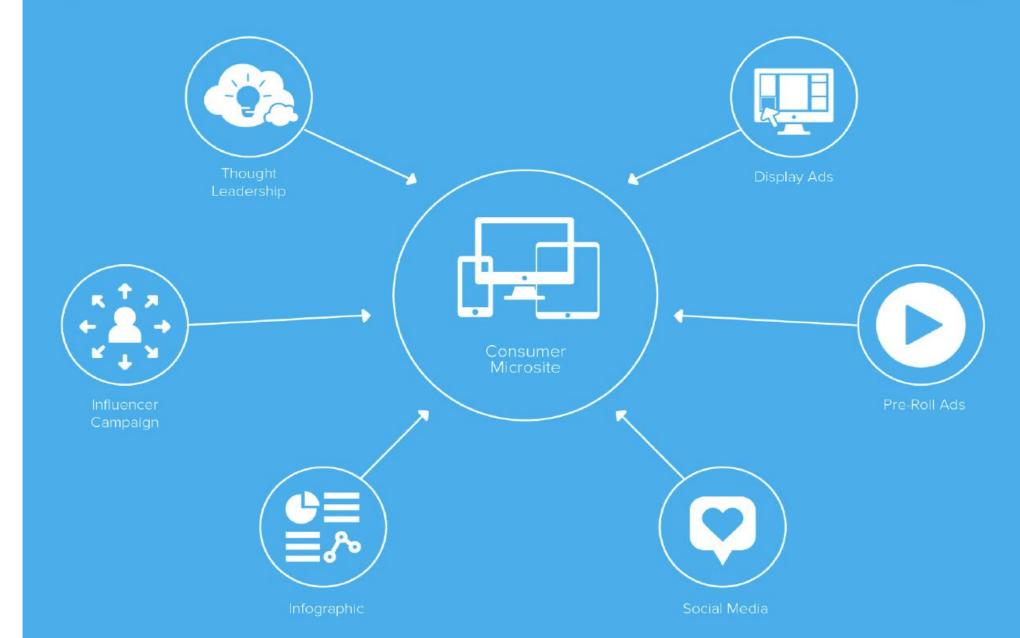


#### THE RESPONSIBLE LIFE OF RESILIENT FLOORING

From the manufacturing process to everyday use, resilient flooring brings together environmental sustainability, wellbeing, and durable performance. Explore the connected benefits:



## Driving Awareness and Engagement



## Key Benefits of the Plan

#### Industry Benefits

- Positions resilient flooring as a sustainable choice for consumers searching for flooring, and specifically eco-friendly flooring.
- Increases legitimate information and content available online, raising the positive profile of resilient flooring.
- Activates Beautifully Responsible<sup>™</sup> messaging to speak for the entire category of resilient flooring.

#### Member Benefits

- Activates Beautifully Responsible<sup>™</sup> messaging which echoes member messaging.
- Drives traffic from consumer microsite to member company websites for purchase.
- Establishes third-party endorsement of and social media reach for member company products.
- Provides a variety of content for member companies to use in their own channels.

