

# Retail's Impact in Alaska

Retail is the nation's largest private-sector employer, driving the U.S. economy and supporting **55 million jobs** in communities across the country. Here's a quick look at retail in your state.

For the full report, "The Economic Contribution of the U.S. Retail Industry," visit [nrf.com/retailsimpact](https://nrf.com/retailsimpact).

**23%**

of jobs in the state are supported by the retail industry

## BY THE NUMBERS

**\$9.6B** total impact on GDP

**\$2.9B** direct labor income

**9K** retail establishments

**66.7K** direct retail employment

**103.4K** total jobs supported

**\$4.3B** direct impact on GDP

## DIRECT EMPLOYMENT AND GDP VALUE BY MAJOR INDUSTRY IN ALASKA

| Industry   | Employment (Jobs) | GDP (\$Millions) |
|--|-------------------|------------------|
| <b>Retail trade (including food services and drinking places)</b>        | <b>66,660</b>     | <b>\$4,277</b>   |
| Accommodation  | 11,130            | \$904            |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services | 17,050            | \$1,145          |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and related activities                   | 11,670            | \$472            |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation                                      | 10,250            | \$379            |
| Construction   | 23,550            | \$2,801          |
| Educational services   | 5,720             | \$219            |
| Finance and insurance  | 13,060            | \$1,351          |
| Health care and social assistance  | 52,930            | \$5,061          |
| Information  | 6,410             | \$1,516          |
| Management of companies and enterprises                                  | 3,880             | \$434            |
| Manufacturing  | 14,640            | \$1,662          |
| Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction                            | 13,390            | \$11,604         |
| Other services (except government and government enterprises)            | 20,910            | \$1,112          |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services                         | 23,740            | \$2,039          |
| Real estate and rental and leasing                                       | 20,470            | \$6,455          |
| Transportation and warehousing   | 29,850            | \$9,668          |
| Utilities  | 2,640             | \$1,046          |
| Wholesale trade  | 7,360             | \$1,695          |