

Retail's Impact in Washington

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.

24%

of jobs in the state are supported by the retail industry

BY THE NUMBERS

\$145.4B total impact on GDP

\$32B direct labor income

86.5K retail establishments

689.7K direct retail employment

1.2M total jobs supported

\$65.1B direct impact on GDP

DIRECT EMPLOYMENT AND GDP VALUE BY MAJOR INDUSTRY IN WASHINGTON

| Industry | Employment (Jobs) | GDP (\$Millions) |
|--|-------------------|------------------|
| Retail trade (including food services and drinking places) | 689,650 | \$65,146 |
| Accommodation | 37,010 | \$5,011 |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services | 236,800 | \$20,502 |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and related activities | 131,760 | \$10,151 |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation | 100,350 | \$6,224 |
| Construction | 293,060 | \$31,904 |
| Educational services | 82,240 | \$3,814 |
| Finance and insurance | 211,250 | \$26,861 |
| Health care and social assistance | 511,230 | \$42,334 |
| Information | 193,800 | \$117,591 |
| Management of companies and enterprises | 110,780 | \$25,895 |
| Manufacturing | 284,970 | \$64,955 |
| Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction | 6,350 | \$554 |
| Other services (except government and government enterprises) | 218,670 | \$13,812 |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services | 391,690 | \$56,127 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing | 258,440 | \$95,782 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 252,420 | \$22,143 |
| Utilities | 6,230 | \$6,595 |
| Wholesale trade | 151,030 | \$37,966 |