

# RETAIL'S IMPACT IN ILLINOIS - 14

Retail is the nation's largest private sector employer driving the U.S. economy and creating jobs in communities around the country. Retail is everywhere — especially in Illinois. Here is a quick look at retail in your district, visit [NRF.com/retailsimpact](http://NRF.com/retailsimpact) for more information and to download the full report, The Economic Impact of the U.S. Retail Industry.



## BY THE NUMBERS

**9,856** - RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS

**2,019** - DIRECT LABOR INCOME  
(\$MILLIONS)

**73,462** - DIRECT RETAIL EMPLOYMENT

**3,236** - DIRECT IMPACT ON GDP  
(\$MILLIONS)

**102,803** - TOTAL JOBS SUPPORTED

**6,292** - TOTAL IMPACT ON GDP  
(\$MILLIONS)

## DIRECT EMPLOYMENT AND GDP VALUE BY MAJOR INDUSTRY IN IL-14

INDUSTRY	EMPLOYMENT (JOBS)	GDP (\$MILLION)
Retail trade (including food services and drinking places)	73,462	\$3,236
Administrative and waste management services	26,525	\$1,304
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and related activities	3,784	\$259
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	9,648	\$433
Construction	23,097	\$1,650
Educational services	7,010	\$243
Finance and insurance	17,359	\$1,821
Health care and social assistance	35,341	\$2,111
Information	3,694	\$667
Management of companies and enterprises	4,190	\$636
Manufacturing	41,657	\$6,385
Mining	674	\$91
Other services, except public administration	25,819	\$878
Professional, scientific, and technical services	29,804	\$2,244
Real estate and rental and leasing	15,315	\$5,026
Transportation and warehousing	11,594	\$723
Utilities	1,372	\$494
Wholesale trade	19,774	\$3,265

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PwC conducted this study based on 2012 data from the U.S. Census and other sources.