

# RETAIL'S IMPACT IN VIRGINIA - 2

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 Virginia. 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

**8,252** - RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS

**1,763** - DIRECT LABOR INCOME  
(\$MILLIONS)

**71,019** - DIRECT RETAIL EMPLOYMENT

**2,641** - DIRECT IMPACT ON GDP  
(\$MILLIONS)

**95,798** - TOTAL JOBS SUPPORTED

**5,175** - TOTAL IMPACT ON GDP  
(\$MILLIONS)

## DIRECT EMPLOYMENT AND GDP VALUE BY MAJOR INDUSTRY IN VA-2

INDUSTRY	EMPLOYMENT (JOBS)	GDP (\$MILLION)
Retail trade (including food services and drinking places)	71,019	\$2,641
Administrative and waste management services	21,481	\$936
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and related activities	2,994	\$197
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	6,725	\$186
Construction	17,407	\$1,083
Educational services	8,514	\$338
Finance and insurance	18,442	\$1,795
Health care and social assistance	37,972	\$2,162
Information	6,656	\$796
Management of companies and enterprises	4,325	\$463
Manufacturing	11,998	\$1,567
Mining	942	\$135
Other services, except public administration	20,983	\$602
Professional, scientific, and technical services	27,596	\$2,459
Real estate and rental and leasing	34,860	\$8,385
Transportation and warehousing	7,008	\$584
Utilities	297	\$165
Wholesale trade	8,206	\$1,107

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