

# RETAIL'S IMPACT IN VIRGINIA - 7

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

**8,808** - RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS

**2,085** - DIRECT LABOR INCOME  
(\$MILLIONS)

**77,327** - DIRECT RETAIL EMPLOYMENT

**3,141** - DIRECT IMPACT ON GDP  
(\$MILLIONS)

**110,982** - TOTAL JOBS SUPPORTED

**6,944** - TOTAL IMPACT ON GDP  
(\$MILLIONS)

## DIRECT EMPLOYMENT AND GDP VALUE BY MAJOR INDUSTRY IN VA-7

INDUSTRY	EMPLOYMENT (JOBS)	GDP (\$MILLION)
Retail trade (including food services and drinking places)	77,327	\$3,141
Administrative and waste management services	30,616	\$1,271
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and related activities	5,311	\$153
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	10,609	\$225
Construction	26,628	\$1,574
Educational services	9,433	\$316
Finance and insurance	41,613	\$2,978
Health care and social assistance	53,470	\$3,197
Information	5,506	\$1,027
Management of companies and enterprises	11,020	\$1,547
Manufacturing	14,130	\$5,788
Mining	962	\$122
Other services, except public administration	26,656	\$891
Professional, scientific, and technical services	32,729	\$2,996
Real estate and rental and leasing	22,767	\$6,109
Transportation and warehousing	8,706	\$627
Utilities	1,697	\$1,023
Wholesale trade	16,474	\$2,331

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