



New York sportsmen & women

2,109,000 hunters & anglers spent \$4.95 billion in 2011

**SPORTSMEN
BENEFIT
THE
STATE
ECONOMY**

2.11 million people (residents or non-residents) hunted or fished in New York in 2011, almost as much as the combined populations of the Buffalo/Niagara Falls and Rochester Metropolitan Statistical Areas (2.11 million vs. 2.19 million).

There are more resident sportsmen and women in New York than the combined total home attendance for all New York Giants, New York Jets and Buffalo Bills football games (1.98 million vs. 1.71 million combined attendance).

Sportsmen and women spent \$4.95 billion on hunting and fishing in New York in 2011, more than revenues for dairy products, the state's top agricultural commodity (\$4.95 billion vs. \$2.74 billion).

Hunters and anglers support more jobs in New York than the North Shore-LIJ Health System, the state's largest employer (56,014 vs. 37,000).

Spending by sportsmen and women in New York generated \$623 million in state and local taxes in 2011 - that's enough to support the average salaries of about 8,775 teachers.

**Every single state makes a contribution.
Here are the facts on New York's anglers and hunters.**

SEGMENT	PARTICIPANTS	DAYS	SPENDING	JOBS
Total Sportsmen *	2,109,000	30.8 million	\$4.95 billion	56,014
Total Anglers *	1,882,300	29.9 million	\$2.7 billion	32,317
Total Hunters *	823,400	927,000	\$2.25 billion	23,697

*Data includes both residents and non-residents age 16 and up, and is a snapshot of participation and spending for 2011. Total Sportsmen does not equal the sum of Anglers and Hunters as some individuals both hunt and fish.

**New York
Sportsmen & Women
Support**

Spending per Day
\$13.6 million

Salaries and Wages
\$2.7 billion

Federal Taxes
\$644 million

State and Local Taxes
\$623 million

Ripple Effect
\$8.12 billion

AN OUTDOOR NATION

Sportsmen and women spent \$90 billion in 2011, that's more than the combined global sales of Apple's iPhone® and iPad® the same year.



NATIONAL STATISTICS

PARTICIPANTS	SPENDING	JOBS	SALARIES / WAGES	TOTAL TAXES
Sportsmen: 37.4 million *	\$90.0 billion **	1.5 million	\$61.7 billion	\$26.7 billion
Anglers: 33.1 million	\$47.7 billion	828,000	\$35.3 billion	\$14.9 billion
Hunters: 13.7 million	\$38.3 billion	681,000	\$26.4 billion	\$11.8 billion

NEW YORK STATISTICS & NATIONAL RANK

2,109,000 #3	\$4.95 billion #2	56,014 #5	\$2.7 billion #2	\$1.3 billion #2
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 ** Total angling and hunting expenditures do not add to Total Sportsmen spending due to expenditures not categorized specifically for either pursuit.



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