



# Utah sportsmen & women

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### SPORTSMEN BENEFIT THE STATE ECONOMY

493,000 people (resident and non-resident) hunted or fished in Utah in 2011, nearly as many as live in the Provo-Orem Metropolitan Statistical Area, the state's third largest metro area (493,000 vs. 540,000).

There are more resident sportsmen and women in Utah than attended the Utah State Fair (406,000 vs 300,000).

Sportsmen and women spent \$1.04 billion on hunting and fishing in Utah in 2011, which is almost the same as the total receipts for all livestock and livestock products in the state that year (\$1.04 billion vs. \$1.09 billion).

Hunters and anglers supported 19,677 jobs in Utah in 2011, almost as much as Intermountain Healthcare, one of the largest employers in the state (19,677 vs 20,000).

Utah's sportsmen and women generated \$112 million in state and local taxes in 2011 - that is enough to support the average salaries of more than 2,400 secondary school teachers in the state.

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

SEGMENT	PARTICIPANTS	DAYS	SPENDING	JOBS
Total Sportsmen *	493,000	8.7 million	\$1.04 billion	19,677
Total Anglers *	413,600	6 million	\$490 million	7,207
Total Hunters *	192,900	2.7 million	\$550 million	12,471

\*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.

### Utah Sportsmen & Women Support

Spending per Day  
**\$2.85 million**

Salaries and Wages  
**\$563 million**

Federal Taxes  
**\$127 million**

State and Local Taxes  
**\$112 million**

Ripple Effect  
**\$1.7 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
<b>Sportsmen:</b> 37.4 million *	\$90.0 billion **	1.5 million	\$61.7 billion	\$26.7 billion
<b>Anglers:</b> 33.1 million	\$47.7 billion	828,000	\$35.3 billion	\$14.9 billion
<b>Hunters:</b> 13.7 million	\$38.3 billion	681,000	\$26.4 billion	\$11.8 billion

## UTAH STATISTICS & NATIONAL RANK

493,000 <b>#34</b>	\$1.04 billion <b>#28</b>	19,677 <b>#24</b>	\$563 million <b>#26</b>	\$239 million <b>#28</b>
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\* Total Sportsmen are participants age 16 and up, does not equal the sum of Anglers and Hunters as some individuals both hunt and fish.  
 \*\* 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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