



Wyoming sportsmen & women

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SPORTSMEN BENEFIT THE STATE ECONOMY

390,000 people (resident and non-resident) hunted or fished in Wyoming in 2011 - that is more than four times the population of Cheyenne, the state's largest Metropolitan Statistical Area (390,000 vs 93,000).

Wyoming's resident sportsmen and women could fill the Wyoming Cowboys' home football stadium more than four times (145,000 vs. 33,500).

Sportsmen and women spent \$778 million on hunting and fishing in Wyoming in 2011, more than twice the combined receipts for all crop products in the state that year (\$778 million vs. \$362 million).

Hunters and anglers supported 13,943 jobs in Wyoming in 2011 - that is five times more than the number of people employed by the University of Wyoming, the state's largest employer (13,943 vs. 2,800).

Sportsmen and women in Wyoming generated \$53 million in state and local taxes in 2011 - that is enough to support the average salaries of more than 1,500 teachers.

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

SEGMENT	PARTICIPANTS	DAYS	SPENDING	JOBS
Total Sportsmen *	390,000	7 million	\$778 million	13,943
Total Anglers *	302,800	5.3 million	\$477 million	9,008
Total Hunters *	140,100	1.7 million	\$301 million	4,934

*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.

Wyoming Sportsmen & Women Support

Spending per Day
\$2.1 million

Salaries and Wages
\$390 million

Federal Taxes
\$90 million

State and Local Taxes
\$53 million

Ripple Effect
\$1.07 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

WYOMING STATISTICS & NATIONAL RANK

390,000 #39	\$778 million #38	13,943 #34	\$390 million #35	\$143 million #42
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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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