



# ORR OUTDOOR RECREATION ROUNDTABLE

## The Economic Impact of Outdoor Recreation

### A LEADING INDUSTRY

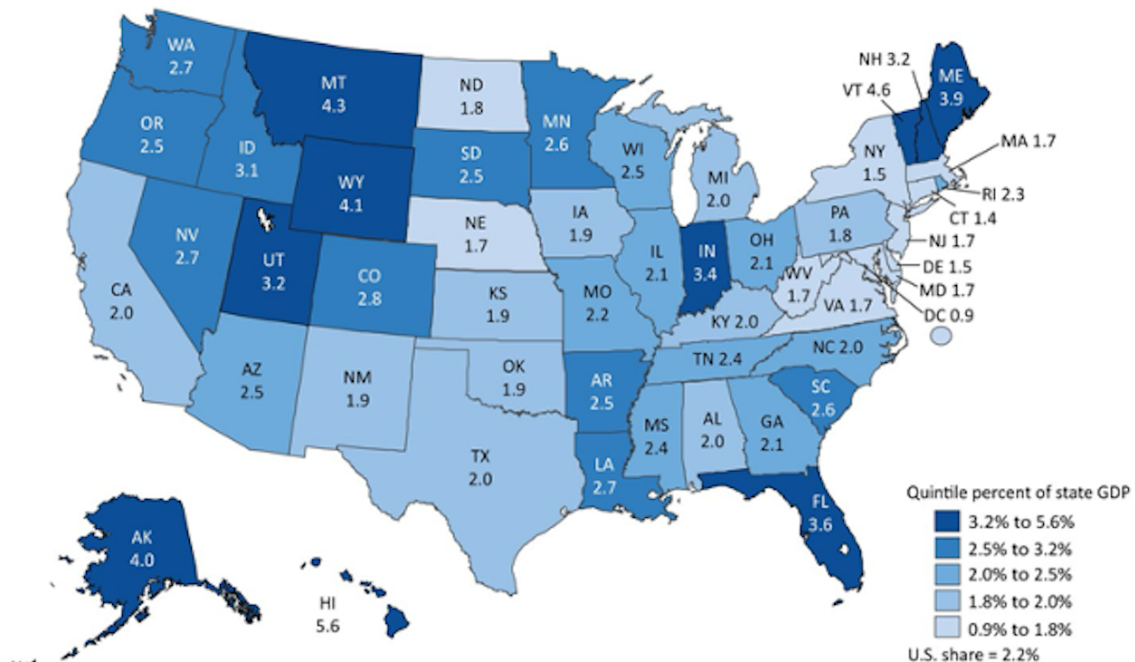
According to the Bureau of Economic Analysis, outdoor recreation's annual economic impact is:

# \$1.1 trillion

nationally and accounts for:

# 2.2% of U.S. GDP

State Outdoor Recreation Value Added as a Percent of State GDP, 2022



Outdoor recreation **generates:**


**\$20 billion in  
Washington**

**DRIVER OF JOB CREATION**

Outdoor recreation **accounts for:**

**121,000 jobs in  
Washington**      **3.2%**  
of all employees  
in the state

Top industries **include:**

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- Boating/Fishing
  - RVing
  - Snow Activities
  - Hunting/Fishing/Trapping
  - Climbing/Hiking/Tent Camping

ORR is the nation's leading coalition of outdoor recreation associations representing the more than 110,000 outdoor businesses in the recreation economy and the full spectrum of outdoor-related activities.

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