

# IDAHO

	1997	1998	1999
<b>Number of Retail Establishments</b>	7,748	7,900	n.a.
<b>Retail Sales (Millions)</b>	\$12,307	\$13,129	n.a.
Food Stores	2,436	2,636	n.a.
Eating & Drinking Establishments	1,276	1,360	n.a.
General Merchandise Stores	1,406	1,498	n.a.
Apparel & Accessory Stores	343	346	n.a.
Furniture & Home Furnishing Stores	708	773	n.a.
Auto Dealers & Service Stations	4,002	4,228	n.a.
Building Materials & Garden Supplies	1,007	1,096	n.a.
Miscellaneous Retail Stores	1,129	1,192	n.a.
 <b>Contributions to Local Economy</b>			
Total Retail Employment (Thousands)	99	102	104
Eating & Drinking Establishments	35	36	36
Other	64	66	68
Share of Total Non-Agricultural Employment	19.4%	19.5%	19.3%
Retail Compensation (Millions)	\$1,385.7	\$1,434.7	\$1,485.4
Sales Tax* Revenues Collected (Millions)	\$924.0	\$952.7	n.a.
 <b>Demographics</b>			
Population (Thousands)	1,201	1,222	1,239
Total Non-Ag. Employment (Thousands)	510	522	540
Unemployment Rate	5.3%	5.0%	5.2%
 Total Number of Households-1999 (Thousands)		451.3	
Households by Income-1999 (Thousands)			Percent of Total
Under \$15,000		89.6	19.9%
\$15,000-\$24,999		86.2	19.1
\$25,000-\$49,999		159.4	35.3
\$50,000-\$74,999		74.4	16.5
\$75,000-\$99,999		25.6	5.7
\$100,000-\$149,999		10.1	2.2
\$150,000 and Over		5.9	1.3

n.a. = 1999 data not available

\* = General sales, alcoholic beverage, motor fuel, tobacco, and other selective sales taxes

Sources: Market Statistics, *Demographics U.S.A., County Edition, 1999*, Bill Communications Inc., New York, 1999 (and previous editions); U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.