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Natural Gas and Oil Fuels North Dakota's Economy and Workforce

Access to natural gas and oil development will be a key driver of the post-pandemic recovery in North Dakota. **The industry supported over 87,000 North Dakota jobs, provided over \$6.6 billion in wages and contributed more than \$13.4 billion to the state's economy in 2019**, according to a study conducted by PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC) that compiles the latest available government data.



JOBS OVERVIEW

From petroleum engineers and truck drivers to contractors and manufacturers, the natural gas and oil industry supports a wide range of jobs across the North Dakota economy. Research shows that every direct job in the natural gas and oil industry generates an additional 1.4 jobs in North Dakota.

JOBS SUPPORTED BY THE INDUSTRY



36,970

Natural Gas and Oil



23,500

Exploration
and Production



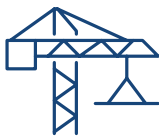
25,450

Services



6,250

Wholesale and Retail



2,610

Construction



3,010

Transportation
and Warehousing



1,430

Manufacturing



11,660

Other



OVER \$6.6 BILLION IN WAGES

Good jobs mean community-supporting wages that are spent on homes, at local restaurants, car dealerships and small businesses.



MORE THAN \$13.4 BILLION IN ECONOMIC IMPACT

Industry activity boosts manufacturing, logistics, banking and construction among dozens of other economic sectors.

Resource: "Impacts of the Natural Gas and Oil Industry on the U.S. Economy in 2019," prepared for the American Petroleum Institute by PwC in July 2021.

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