



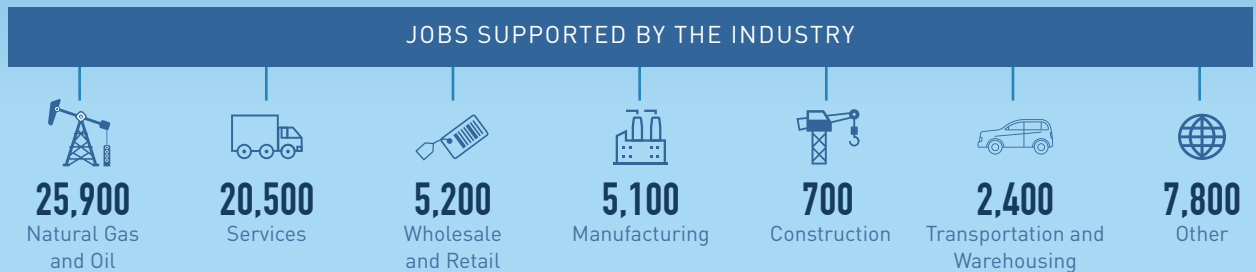
# NATURAL GAS AND OIL FUEL SOUTH CAROLINA

The natural gas and oil industry supports nearly 67,600 jobs, provides more than \$2.8 billion in wages and contributes more than \$5.2 billion to the state's economy.



## NEARLY 67,600 JOBS

Natural gas and oil activity support a wide-array of jobs. They include everything from petroleum engineers, environmental experts and rig hands to truck drivers, caterers and contractors that benefit from the industry's economic activity.



## MORE THAN \$2.8 BILLION IN WAGES

Good jobs mean community-supporting wages that are spent on homes, at local restaurants, car dealerships and boutiques among the whole spectrum of businesses that make up a state's economy.



## MORE THAN \$5.2 BILLION IN ECONOMIC IMPACT

*Value Added Economic Impact*

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