# ECONOMIC IMPACT: HUNTING

## HUNTING ANNUAL EXPENDITURES

annual expenditures

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$1.1 BILLION retail sales
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\$1.3 BILLION

**\$220 MILLION** trip-related expenses

## **TOTAL IMPACT**

ODWC fosters a hunting and fishing industry that annually generates over \$4.1 billion in retail sales and over \$906 million in trip-related expenses.



#### **HOW WE ARE FUNDED**

The Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation does not receive any state or local tax dollars. License sales and federal Wildlife and Sportfish Restoration Program grant revenues are the main funding sources.

#### **HUNTING PARTICIPATION**

305,815 hunters spent an average of 11 days hunting in Oklahoma.

### **MOST POPULAR SEASON**

Deer season is the most popular hunting season in Oklahoma. 80% of active hunters (those who hunted at all in 2022) hunted deer during 2022.