- References:

 1. Workforce demographic, businesses, and economy data is from Infometrics and relates to 2022 unless noted
- 2. Education and training data is from TEC administrative data and relates to 2022.

WORKFORCE



1. Number of workers

The total workforce in Retail & Distribution Services is about 8.6% of the NZ total workforce.

Workforce change

The workforce in Retail & Distribution Services has has increased by 2.8% since 2021 and by 4.0% since 2019.

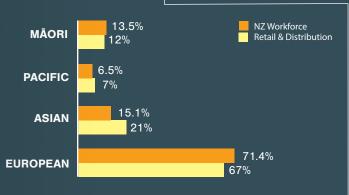
2. Proportion of rangatahi (aged 15 -24)

The percentage of rangatahi in Retail & Distribution Services is considerably higher than the 14% in the NZ workforce.



3. Participation

4. Ethnicity o-



5. Tāngata whaikaha

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2.50%

This is compared to 3.1% of tāngata whaikaha in the wider New Zealand workforce.

6. Average annual income

7. Average annual income growth \circ (2011 - 2022)



The average annual income in Retail & Distribution Services is much lower than New Zealand's \$65,800 in 2022.

8. Workforce by Region -



Auckland

40%



Wellington



14% Canterbury



BUSINESSES



1. Number

of businessesThe number of businesses in Retail & Distribution Services has been gradually increasing over the past few years, with growth of 3.9% since 2019.

2. Māori-owned ⊶ **business**

Approximately 5% of businesses are Māori-owned in 2022.



ECONOMY

In 2022, Retail & Distribution Services contributed \$21.6 billion to NZs Gross Domestic Product (GDP)

INDUSTRY



\$29 Billion

1. Retail Sales



2. Yearly retail sales growth past 5 years



70%

3. Biggest issues facing the retail industry - wage increases 66%



Labour shortages

41% 34% 31%

EDUCATION AND TRAINING



Distribution (level 3 and 4) 2. Proportion of workers with no post-school qualifications

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1. Number of Learners Retail (levels 2 to 4) 1,230

49%

Sales (level 2 to 4) 15