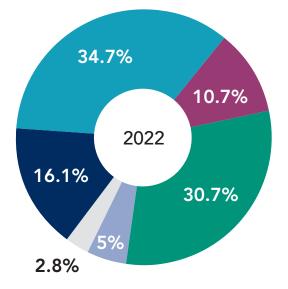
DSGF THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF DIRECT SELLING ACTIVITY IN THE UNITED STATES IN 2022

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irect selling is a business model that offers entrepreneurial opportunities to individuals who, as independent contractors, market products and services to consumers, typically outside of a fixed retail establishment through one-to-one selling, in-home product demonstrations, or online. Direct sellers are called distributors, representatives, consultants, associates, or various other titles. They may participate in direct selling in various ways, including selling products and services themselves or through their sales organizations, providing training and leadership to their sales organizations, referring customers to their company, and purchasing products and services for personal use. Compensation is ultimately based on sales and may be earned through personal sales and/or the sales of others in their sales organization.

PERCENTAGE OF DIRECT SELLING (RETAIL) SALES



■ SERVICES & OTHER

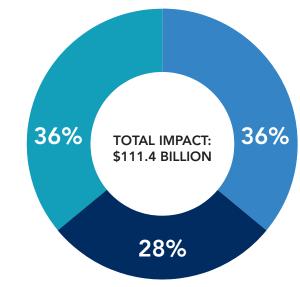
CLOTHING & ACCESSORIES

■ LEISURE & EDUCATIONAL

■ HOME & FAMILY CARE/ HOME DURABLES

- **WELLNESS**
- PERSONAL CARE

2022 ECONOMIC IMPACT ESTIMATES

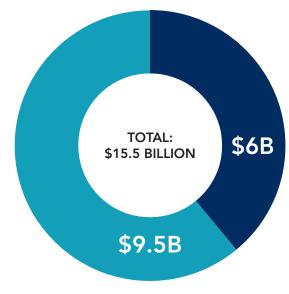


DIRECT EFFECT (RETAIL SALES): \$40.5 BILLION

INDUCED EFFECT (HOUSEHOLD): \$39.9 BILLION

INDIRECT EFFECT (SUPPLY CHAIN): \$31.0 BILLION

2022 FISCAL IMPACT



FEDERAL TAX REVENUE (IN BILLIONS)

STATE/LOCAL TAX REVENUE (IN BILLIONS)