# **RETAIL TRADE INDUSTRY SNAPSHOT 2020**

### THE WORKFORCE

This industry covers a wide range of activities, separated into fourteen groups:

Motor Vehicle Retailing

Motor Vehicle Parts and Tyre Retailing

Fuel Retailing

Supermarket and Grocery Stores

Specialised Food Retailing

Furniture, Floor Coverings, Houseware Retailing and Textile Goods Retailing

Electrical and Electronic Goods Retailing

Recreational Goods Retailing

Hardware, Building and Garden Supplies Retailing

Clothing, Footwear and Personal Accessory Retailing

Department Stores

Pharmaceutical and Other Store-Based

Non-Store Retailing

Retail Commission-Based Buying and/or Selling

of the total 10% **Tasmanian** workforce

workers are under 25 years of age

# THE INJURIES

injuries across the industry in 2020

**o** lower serious injuries per million hours worked



# HE PEOPLE



of serious injuries occurred in Supermarket and Grocery Stores Occupations with the highest percentage of serious injuries





Sales Assistants and Salespersons

Storepersons

## **CAUSES**

The most common causes of injury across the industry



**Body stressing** 





Being hit by moving objects

### TION AREAS

Priority conditions and causes identified in the WorkSafe Strategic Plan 2018-2023 relevant to the industry



Musculoskeletal disorders



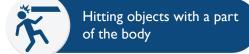
Hazardous manual tasks



Slips, trips and falls



Safe movement of vehicles and plant



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