

# Kentucky

Alternative asset managers support retirees, endowments, nonprofit foundations, and businesses of all sizes across Kentucky.



**\$2.3 billion**

contributed by **private credit** to Kentucky's state GDP



**\$11 billion**

invested in **hedge funds** by pensions, foundations, and endowments

## Private credit impact includes:



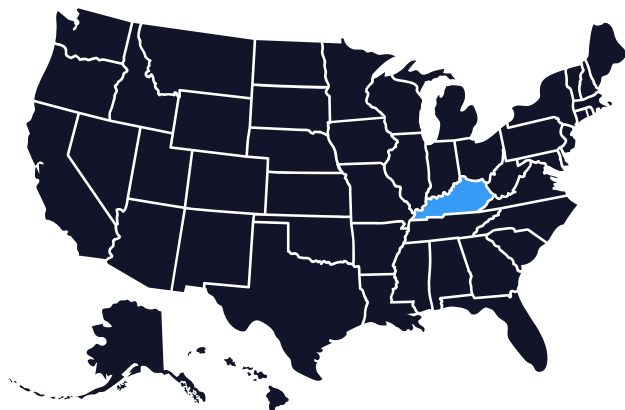
**\$653 million**

loaned to businesses of all sizes



**18.9k+**

jobs



## Hedge fund impact includes:



**\$6.3 billion**

supporting pension funds

Kentucky Retirement Systems

IBEW Local 150 Pension Plan

Brown-Forman Corporation Master Retirement Trust



**\$365 million**

supporting endowments

University of Kentucky Endowment

University of Louisville Foundation



**\$4.3 billion**

supporting nonprofit foundations

St Elizabeth Medical Center

Morehead State University Foundation

Asbury Theological Seminary

Private credit and hedge fund investment data is primarily sourced and licensed from Preqin's alternative asset database as of February 2026 or from publicly available federal datasets. Private credit GDP and job estimates are calculated using the IMPLAN 2025 Model Year for the United States.