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TOURISM SPENDING REBOUNDS IN THE THIRD QUARTER 2009

Real spending on travel and tourism increased at an annual rate of 6.4 percent in 2009:3 after increasing 0.2 percent (revised) in 2009:2. By comparison, real gross domestic product (GDP) increased 2.8 percent (second estimate) in 2009:3 after decreasing 0.7 percent in 2009:2. Despite the rebound, real travel and tourism spending was still below its 2007:3 peak. Travel and tourism prices increased 6.7 percent in 2009:3 after decreasing 3.7 percent (revised) in 2009:2. Transportation was the largest contributor to growth in travel and tourism spending in 2009:3.

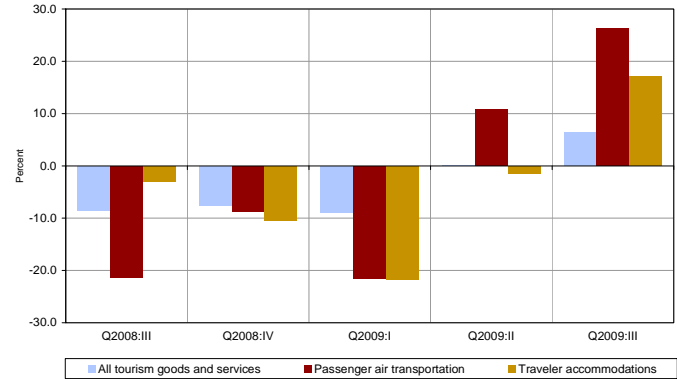
- Passenger air transportation spending accelerated — increasing 26.3 percent at an annual rate in 2009:3 after increasing 10.7 percent (revised) in 2009:2. This marked recovering business travel on both domestic and international routes.
- Spending on accommodations turned up — increasing 17.0 percent in 2009:3 after decreasing 1.5 percent (revised) in 2009:2. The turnaround reflected increased occupancy rates (primarily leisure travelers) and declines in accommodations prices.
- The largest contributor to price change this quarter was gasoline purchased by auto travelers, which spiked in 2009:3. Prices for passenger air transportation reversed their downward trend, increasing 2.1 percent in 2009:3 after decreasing 29.8 percent (revised) in 2009:2. Accommodations prices continued to decline, decreasing 4.7 percent in 2009:3 after falling 6.8 percent in 2009:2 (revised).



Direct tourism-related employment fell 1.7 percent in 2009:3, compared to the 4.8 percent (revised) decline in 2009:2. By comparison, overall U.S. employment decreased 2.7 percent in 2009:3 and decreased 4.5 percent (revised) in 2009:2. Almost all travel and tourism industries reduced employment. Only recreation and entertainment experienced growth, 0.8 percent in 2009:3.

Real Tourism Spending. Spending on passenger air transportation accelerated strongly, increasing 26.3 percent in 2009:3, after increasing 10.7 percent in 2009:2. Traveler accommodations turned up, rising 17.0 percent after a decline of 1.5 percent (revised) in the previous quarter. Airlines experienced improved business demand as companies began easing restrictions on travel, and accommodations saw increased demand from both business and leisure travel.

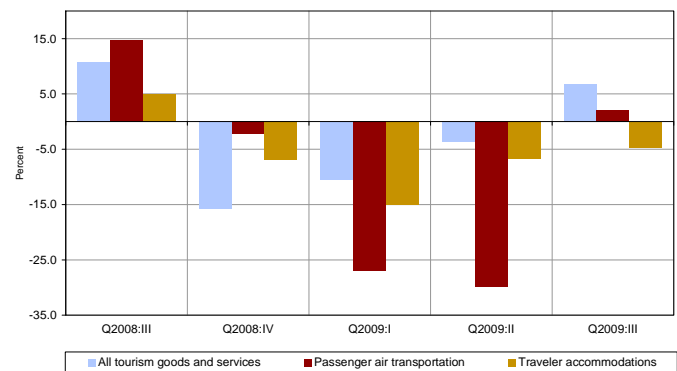
Chart 2. Quarterly Growth in Real Tourism Spending



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Tourism Prices. Prices for passenger air transportation reversed their trend of the last three quarters — rising 2.1 percent in 2009:3 following a decrease of 29.8 percent (revised) in 2009:2. Prices for domestic flights increased this quarter, while prices for international flights continued to decline. Prices for accommodations decreased 4.7 percent after falling 6.8 percent in the previous quarter. Occupancy increased as leisure travelers responded to lower room rates.

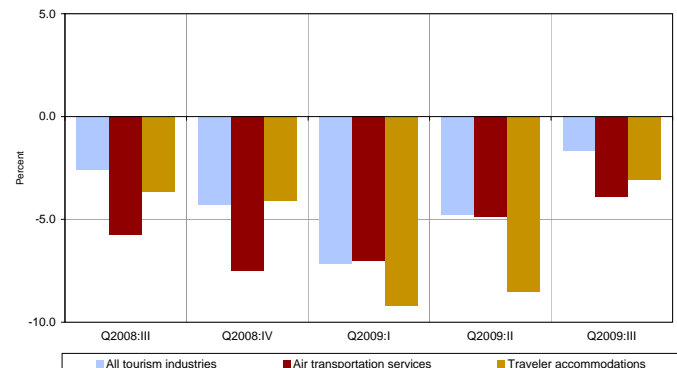
Chart 3. Quarterly Growth in Tourism Prices



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Tourism Employment. Employment in air transportation services decreased 3.9 percent in 2009:3 after decreasing 4.9 percent in 2009:2. Employment in accommodations services decreased 3.1 percent in 2009:3 after decreasing 8.5 percent in the prior quarter. Both airlines and accommodations reduced employment during the downturn in order to reduce costs.

Chart 4. Quarterly Growth in Tourism Employment



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Total Tourism-Related Spending. The U.S. production generated by tourism spending not only includes the goods and services that are purchased directly, but also the inputs used to produce these goods and services — indirect tourism-related spending. In 2009:3, total current-dollar tourism-related spending was \$1.3 trillion and consisted of \$716.2 billion (57 percent) of direct tourism spending — goods and services sold directly to visitors — and \$549.8 billion (43 percent) of indirect tourism-related spending — goods and services used to produce what visitors buy.

Total Tourism-Related Employment. In 2009:3, total tourism-related employment was 8.2 million and consisted of 5.6 million (69 percent) direct tourism jobs — jobs where workers produce goods and services sold directly to visitors — and 2.6 million (31 percent) indirect tourism-related jobs — jobs where workers produce goods and services used to produce what visitors buy.

Definitions

Tourism spending. Tourism spending comprises all goods and services purchased by tourists (defined as people who travel for any reason). In the following tables, tourism spending is referred to as direct tourism output.

Indirect tourism-related spending. Indirect tourism-related spending comprises all output used as inputs in the process of producing direct tourism output (e.g., toiletries for hotel guests and the plastic used to produce souvenir key chains).

Total tourism-related spending. Total tourism-related spending is the sum of direct tourism spending and indirect tourism-related spending.

Direct tourism employment. Direct tourism employment comprises all jobs where the workers are engaged in the production of direct tourism output (such as hotel staff, airline pilots, and souvenir sellers).

Indirect tourism-related employment. Indirect tourism-related employment comprises all jobs where the workers are engaged in the production of indirect tourism-related output (e.g., employees of companies that produce toiletries for hotel guests and the plastic used to produce souvenir key chains).

Total tourism-related employment. Total tourism-related employment is the sum of direct tourism employment and indirect tourism-related employment.

These statistics are from BEA's Travel and Tourism Satellite Accounts (TTSA's), which are supported by funding from the Office of Travel and Tourism Industries, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce. The current-price statistics of direct tourism output were derived from BEA's annual TTSA's (revised in June 2009) and from current-price quarterly statistics of personal consumption expenditures from the National Income and Product Accounts (NIPAs). The real statistics of direct tourism output were developed using price indexes from the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) and real quarterly statistics of personal consumption expenditures from the NIPAs. The statistics of direct tourism employment were derived from the annual TTSA's (revised in June 2009) from BEA, the Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), and Current Employment Statistics (CES) from BLS.

Quarterly statistics are seasonally adjusted and expressed at annual rates, unless otherwise specified. Percent changes are calculated from unrounded data and annualized. Real values are in chained (2000) dollars. Price indexes are chain-type measures. Growth in overall U.S. employment is calculated using BLS total nonfarm employment from Current Employment Statistics, www.bls.gov/ces/home.htm#data.

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Table 1.a. Percent Change in Real Tourism Output
[Percent change from preceding period]

Tourism Goods and Services Group	Seasonally adjusted at annual rates																		
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Q2006:II	Q2006:III	Q2006:IV	Q2007:I	Q2007:II	Q2007:III	Q2007:IV	Q2008:I	Q2008:II	Q2008:III	Q2008:IV	Q2009:I	Q2009:II	Q2009:III
Traveler accommodations	3.6	3.1	4.1	3.1	1.6	-0.3	3.0	8.8	2.5	0.4	-1.3	10.1	-9.1	19.5	-3.1	-10.4	-21.8	-1.5	17.0
Transportation	6.7	2.4	1.6	1.1	-3.3	7.8	-0.9	3.2	0.4	4.2	2.6	-15.4	9.3	-4.3	-13.2	-6.7	-14.4	3.9	13.3
Passenger air transportation	10.6	2.2	0.6	2.1	-6.8	19.7	-7.6	7.5	-0.5	13.3	2.5	-26.8	21.6	-17.9	-21.4	-8.7	-21.5	10.7	26.3
All other transportation-related commodities	4.0	2.6	2.2	0.4	-1.1	0.9	3.5	0.7	0.9	-1.2	2.6	-7.7	2.6	4.8	-8.2	-5.5	-9.7	0.2	6.7
Food services and drinking places	5.5	5.0	3.6	0.9	-0.5	-1.9	0.9	3.7	-0.8	1.9	0.4	0.5	-1.2	3.9	-6.0	-5.9	0.8	-2.8	-3.8
Recreation, entertainment, and shopping	5.3	1.8	3.6	0.1	-1.8	1.8	1.8	4.1	-2.7	-1.6	0.7	-2.3	-2.5	3.3	-6.7	-7.9	2.2	-1.5	-0.9
Recreation and entertainment	6.3	0.7	2.0	0.6	-2.9	-2.6	2.5	9.3	-3.1	-2.3	2.8	-4.5	-6.1	1.4	-6.4	-2.8	3.2	-0.4	-4.0
Shopping	9.9	2.9	4.7	-0.4	-1.0	5.2	1.3	0.4	-2.4	-1.1	-0.8	-0.5	0.3	4.7	-6.9	-11.6	1.4	-2.3	1.5
All tourism goods and services	6.2	2.8	2.9	1.1	-1.6	3.1	0.8	4.5	-0.3	1.5	1.0	-5.1	0.9	2.9	-8.6	-7.6	-8.9	0.2	6.4

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Table 1.b. Real Tourism Output
[Millions of chained (2000) dollars]

Tourism Goods and Services Group	Seasonally adjusted at annual rates																		
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Q2006:II	Q2006:III	Q2006:IV	Q2007:I	Q2007:II	Q2007:III	Q2007:IV	Q2008:I	Q2008:II	Q2008:III	Q2008:IV	Q2009:I	Q2009:II	Q2009:III
Traveler accommodations	97,377	100,356	104,473	107,721	109,420	103,517	104,275	106,499	107,168	107,262	106,925	109,531	106,948	111,827	110,959	107,944	101,517	101,140	105,190
Transportation	224,855	230,305	234,020	236,578	228,785	234,903	234,380	236,238	236,451	238,891	240,413	230,558	235,739	233,165	225,056	221,178	212,721	214,777	221,601
Passenger air transportation	99,431	101,613	102,255	104,413	97,298	103,948	101,919	103,767	103,627	106,918	107,585	99,523	104,510	99,474	93,662	91,547	86,170	88,391	93,705
All other transportation-related commodities	125,716	128,930	131,778	132,365	130,864	131,229	132,364	132,579	132,889	132,497	133,352	130,722	131,563	133,117	130,308	128,468	125,228	125,282	127,338
Food services and drinking places	91,462	96,015	99,492	100,399	99,921	99,036	99,256	100,165	99,969	100,433	100,536	100,659	100,348	101,321	99,767	98,249	98,456	97,768	96,830
Recreation, entertainment, and shopping	157,778	160,598	166,305	166,395	163,377	165,694	166,439	168,136	166,982	166,316	166,618	165,664	164,621	165,967	163,131	159,791	160,646	160,033	159,675
Recreation and entertainment	68,224	68,678	70,043	70,491	68,427	69,323	69,745	71,317	70,751	70,346	70,840	70,027	68,928	69,171	68,042	67,568	68,094	68,022	67,323
Shopping	94,132	96,877	101,472	101,080	100,101	101,600	101,937	102,042	101,425	101,153	100,938	100,804	100,884	102,056	100,254	97,211	97,554	96,981	97,347
All tourism goods and services	575,551	591,711	608,899	615,772	605,980	607,751	608,946	615,703	615,250	617,597	619,178	611,066	612,446	616,899	603,172	591,405	577,814	578,041	587,143

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Table 1.c. Percent Changes in Chain-Type Price Indexes for Direct Tourism Output
[Percent change from preceding period]

Tourism Goods and Services Group	Seasonally adjusted at annual rates																		
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Q2006:II	Q2006:III	Q2006:IV	Q2007:I	Q2007:II	Q2007:III	Q2007:IV	Q2008:I	Q2008:II	Q2008:III	Q2008:IV	Q2009:I	Q2009:II	Q2009:III
Traveler accommodations	5.7	5.7	3.7	4.8	0.2	2.5	0.9	5.0	3.9	8.8	9.3	-2.8	0.9	-6.5	5.0	-7.0	-15.1	-6.8	-4.7
Transportation	3.8	7.0	6.9	3.5	14.3	10.6	4.4	-14.0	5.6	11.7	5.8	15.6	8.3	14.3	18.8	-35.0	-22.1	-8.3	19.2
Passenger air transportation	-1.1	4.8	6.4	1.8	12.7	5.2	0.0	-5.6	2.7	1.9	8.4	8.4	5.3	22.3	14.8	-2.3	-27.1	-29.8	2.1
All other transportation-related commodities	7.2	8.4	7.3	4.5	15.3	14.2	7.2	-18.9	7.5	18.2	4.2	20.2	10.1	9.9	21.2	-49.0	-18.8	7.2	29.9
Food services and drinking places	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.7	4.6	3.3	3.2	2.8	4.1	3.4	5.0	4.0	4.0	4.4	5.9	5.1	3.5	2.3	1.1
Recreation, entertainment, and shopping	4.6	2.5	2.5	2.3	4.7	2.8	2.8	0.8	3.3	2.4	1.3	3.7	4.1	4.5	6.4	-0.6	1.0	0.3	2.6
Recreation and entertainment	1.5	3.4	3.3	2.6	4.4	3.4	4.0	1.3	3.3	3.2	0.2	4.0	3.4	3.9	6.2	-1.8	0.5	-2.4	4.8
Shopping	1.7	1.5	1.8	2.1	4.9	2.4	1.9	0.4	3.3	1.8	2.2	3.4	4.6	5.0	6.5	0.2	1.3	2.3	1.0
All tourism goods and services	3.6	4.8	4.5	3.4	7.3	5.8	3.1	-4.2	4.4	7.2	5.1	7.0	5.1	6.2	10.8	-15.9	-10.6	-3.7	6.7

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Table 1.d. Chain-Type Price Indexes for Direct Tourism Output
[Index numbers, 2000=100]

Tourism Goods and Services Group	Seasonally adjusted at annual rates																		
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Q2006:II	Q2006:III	Q2006:IV	Q2007:I	Q2007:II	Q2007:III	Q2007:IV	Q2008:I	Q2008:II	Q2008:III	Q2008:IV	Q2009:I	Q2009:II	Q2009:III
Traveler accommodations	108.7	114.8	119.1	124.8	125.0	118.8	119.0	120.5	121.7	124.2	127.0	126.1	126.4	124.3	125.8	123.6	118.6	116.6	115.2
Transportation	102.7	109.8	117.4	121.5	131.8	118.6	119.9	115.5	117.1	120.3	122.0	126.5	129.1	133.5	139.4	125.1	117.6	115.1	120.2
Passenger air transportation	92.2	96.6	102.8	104.6	114.8	103.5	103.5	102.0	102.7	103.2	105.3	107.4	108.8	114.4	118.4	117.7	108.8	99.6	100.1
All other transportation-related commodities	110.8	120.1	128.8	134.6	145.1	130.4	132.7	125.9	128.2	133.7	135.1	141.5	144.9	148.4	155.6	131.6	124.9	127.0	135.6
Food services and drinking places	111.5	115.0	118.6	122.9	128.4	118.1	119.1	119.9	121.1	122.2	123.6	124.9	126.1	127.5	129.3	130.9	132.0	132.8	133.2
Recreation, entertainment, and shopping	110.2	113.0	115.7	118.4	122.7	115.5	116.3	116.5	117.5	118.2	118.5	119.6	120.8	122.2	124.1	123.9	124.2	124.3	125.1
Recreation and entertainment	110.2	114.0	117.7	120.8	124.7	117.3	118.4	118.8	119.8	120.7	120.8	122.0	123.0	124.2	126.1	125.5	125.6	124.9	126.4
Shopping	104.9	106.5	108.4	110.7	115.1	108.3	108.8	108.9	109.8	110.3	110.9	111.9	113.1	114.5	116.3	116.4	116.8	117.5	117.8
All tourism goods and services	106.4	111.5	116.5	120.5	126.6	116.8	117.7	116.5	117.7	119.8	121.3	123.3	124.9	126.8	130.1	124.6	121.2	120.0	122.0

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Table 2. Direct Tourism Output
[Millions of dollars]

Tourism Goods and Services Group	Seasonally adjusted at annual rates																		
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Q2006:II	Q2006:III	Q2006:IV	Q2007:I	Q2007:II	Q2007:III	Q2007:IV	Q2008:I	Q2008:II	Q2008:III	Q2008:IV	Q2009:I	Q2009:II	Q2009:III
Traveler accommodations	105,840	115,253	124,405	134,400	136,813	122,934	124,100	128,315	130,370	133,258	135,820	138,151	135,200	139,028	139,625	133,399	120,420	117,884	121,142
Transportation	230,887	253,000	274,823	287,334	301,483	278,704	281,067	272,803	276,777	287,451	293,379	291,729	304,293	311,213	313,628	276,797	250,095	247,111	266,409
Passenger air transportation	91,644	98,162	105,101	109,203	111,545	107,563	105,461	105,830	106,386	110,293	113,249	106,884	113,692	113,793	110,911	107,785	93,754	88,019	93,788
All other transportation-related commodities	139,243	154,840	169,739	178,156	189,938	171,149	175,644	166,975	170,404	177,173	180,138	184,909	190,646	197,490	202,824	169,011	156,375	159,170	172,716
Food services and drinking places	101,947	110,389	117,974	123,440	128,329	117,001	118,187	120,102	121,082	122,679	124,309	125,691	126,547	129,143	129,005	128,623	129,994	129,828	128,933
Recreation, entertainment, and shopping	173,897	181,418	192,490	197,082	200,496	191,353	193,534	195,887	196,127	196,509	197,517	198,176	198,904	202,748	202,391	197,941	199,477	198,861	199,706
Recreation and entertainment	75,191	78,265	82,445	85,162	85,314	81,293	82,597	84,728	84,734	84,922	85,567	85,425	84,788	85,899	85,772	84,796	85,552	84,954	85,077
Shopping	98,706	103,155	110,045	111,922	115,181	110,059	110,937	111,162	111,395	111,589	111,952	112,752	114,116	116,846	116,617	113,145	113,926	113,906	114,628
All tourism goods and services	612,571	660,053	709,678	742,237	767,100	709,975	716,872	717,097	724,344	739,877	751,001	753,727	764,918	782,103	784,617	736,761	700,023	693,725	716,211
Percent change at annual rate	10.0	7.8	7.5	4.6	3.3	9.0	3.9	0.1	4.1	8.9	6.2	1.5	6.1	9.3	1.3	-22.3	-18.5	-3.6	13.6

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Table 3. Total Tourism-Related Output
[Millions of dollars]

Tourism Goods and Services Group	Seasonally adjusted at annual rates																		
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Q2006:II	Q2006:III	Q2006:IV	Q2007:I	Q2007:II	Q2007:III	Q2007:IV	Q2008:I	Q2008:II	Q2008:III	Q2008:IV	Q2009:I	Q2009:II	Q2009:III
Traveler accommodations	163,073	177,575	191,675	207,075	210,793	189,409	191,207	197,700	200,866	205,316	209,263	212,855	208,309	214,206	215,125	205,534	185,536	181,628	186,649
Transportation	396,507	435,460	473,728	495,580	520,699	480,553	485,128	469,654	476,872	495,897	505,874	503,679	525,881	538,017	542,642	476,256	429,585	424,762	458,715
Passenger air transportation	155,450	166,506	178,276	185,234	189,207	182,453	178,887	179,512	180,455	187,083	192,097	181,301	192,849	193,020	188,130	182,828	159,028	149,301	159,087
All other transportation-related commodities	241,058	268,960	295,487	310,395	331,596	298,119	306,312	290,148	296,442	308,845	313,796	322,495	333,120	345,129	354,708	293,427	270,613	275,595	299,794
Food services and drinking places	191,651	207,522	221,780	232,056	241,247	219,951	222,180	225,780	227,624	230,625	233,690	236,287	237,896	242,776	242,517	241,799	244,376	244,065	242,382
Recreation, entertainment, and shopping	328,856	343,093	364,240	372,574	379,644	362,421	366,354	370,271	370,777	371,497	373,306	374,715	376,561	384,063	383,336	374,614	377,557	376,582	378,254
Recreation and entertainment	123,995	129,006	135,846	140,294	140,583	133,990	136,107	139,570	139,591	139,907	140,967	140,709	139,714	141,542	141,291	139,786	141,111	140,173	140,344
Shopping	204,861	214,094	228,395	232,290	239,054	228,423	230,244	230,711	231,195	231,599	232,352	234,013	236,842	242,510	242,034	234,828	236,449	236,407	237,905
All tourism goods and services	1,080,087	1,163,628	1,251,382	1,307,275	1,352,316	1,252,254	1,264,788	1,263,420	1,276,151	1,303,310	1,322,101	1,327,536	1,348,545	1,378,963	1,383,511	1,298,244	1,237,125	1,227,099	1,265,983
Percent change at annual rate	10.2	7.7	7.5	4.5	3.4	9.2	4.1	-0.4	4.1	8.8	5.9	1.7	6.5	9.3	1.3	-22.5	-17.5	-3.2	13.3

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Table 4. Percent Change in Direct Tourism Employment
[Percent change from preceding period]

Tourism Industry Group						Seasonally adjusted at annual rates														
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Q2006:II	Q2006:III	Q2006:IV	Q2007:I	Q2007:II	Q2007:III	Q2007:IV	Q2008:I	Q2008:II	Q2008:III	Q2008:IV	Q2009:I	Q2009:II	Q2009:III	
Traveler accommodations	0.9	1.3	0.4	1.0	0.0	0.2	0.8	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	4.3	0.5	-1.1	-3.6	-4.1	-9.2	-8.5	-3.1	
Transportation	-1.5	-0.5	0.6	1.2	-0.1	0.0	1.1	1.4	0.5	1.4	1.5	3.1	1.9	-2.0	-4.4	-6.8	-9.8	-7.1	-3.1	
Air transportation services	-1.3	-3.1	-1.2	1.0	0.5	-1.4	0.8	1.5	-0.8	2.7	1.5	4.1	4.5	-2.4	-5.8	-7.5	-7.0	-4.9	-3.9	
All other transportation-related industries	-1.6	1.3	1.8	1.3	-0.5	0.9	1.3	1.3	1.4	0.6	1.5	2.5	0.1	-1.7	-3.5	-6.3	-11.6	-8.6	-2.6	
Food services and drinking places	4.7	4.7	2.6	1.7	0.2	0.9	1.9	2.6	1.9	0.5	1.4	2.0	0.5	-0.8	-1.3	-3.2	-3.9	-1.2	-0.2	
Recreation, entertainment, and shopping	2.0	-0.7	0.8	-0.1	-0.3	0.4	-0.4	0.9	-0.7	-0.9	-0.3	2.3	1.0	-1.8	-2.0	-3.8	-6.9	-3.2	-1.0	
Recreation and entertainment	2.7	1.7	1.0	2.2	1.2	0.9	1.0	2.9	4.2	0.3	1.1	4.4	2.6	-1.0	-1.3	-1.8	-5.8	-1.7	0.8	
Shopping	1.4	-3.3	0.6	-2.7	-1.9	-0.3	-1.9	-1.3	-6.0	-2.4	-1.9	-0.2	-0.9	-2.9	-2.7	-6.2	-8.3	-4.9	-3.2	
All other industries	0.6	0.3	4.0	1.7	-0.7	4.3	3.2	3.2	0.0	1.4	0.8	1.6	-1.3	-1.7	-2.2	-4.3	-10.3	-8.9	-3.0	
All tourism industries	1.8	1.5	1.4	1.0	0.0	0.6	1.1	2.1	0.6	0.3	0.8	2.8	0.8	-1.4	-2.6	-4.3	-7.2	-4.8	-1.7	

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Table 5. Direct Tourism Employment
[Thousands]

Tourism Industry Group						Seasonally adjusted at annual rates														
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Q2006:II	Q2006:III	Q2006:IV	Q2007:I	Q2007:II	Q2007:III	Q2007:IV	Q2008:I	Q2008:II	Q2008:III	Q2008:IV	Q2009:I	Q2009:II	Q2009:III	
Traveler accommodations	1,339.9	1,357.8	1,362.8	1,375.8	1,375.8	1,359.1	1,361.8	1,371.8	1,371.9	1,371.8	1,372.5	1,387.1	1,388.8	1,384.7	1,372.0	1,357.6	1,325.3	1,296.1	1,286.1	
Transportation	1,116.7	1,111.0	1,117.3	1,130.5	1,129.8	1,114.8	1,117.9	1,121.7	1,123.2	1,127.2	1,131.4	1,140.2	1,145.5	1,139.7	1,126.9	1,107.3	1,079.1	1,059.4	1,051.0	
Air transportation services	466.9	452.4	447.0	451.6	454.0	445.7	446.6	448.2	447.4	450.3	452.0	456.6	461.7	458.9	452.1	443.4	435.3	429.9	425.7	
All other transportation-related industries	649.8	658.5	670.4	679.0	675.9	669.2	671.4	673.5	675.9	676.9	679.4	683.6	683.8	680.9	674.8	663.9	643.8	629.5	625.3	
Food services and drinking places	1,776.5	1,859.2	1,908.3	1,939.9	1,943.6	1,901.8	1,910.8	1,922.9	1,932.2	1,934.6	1,941.4	1,951.2	1,953.5	1,949.8	1,943.6	1,927.6	1,908.7	1,902.9	1,902.1	
Recreation, entertainment, and shopping	1,197.4	1,189.1	1,198.7	1,197.7	1,194.6	1,198.9	1,197.8	1,200.6	1,198.5	1,195.7	1,194.9	1,201.7	1,204.6	1,199.1	1,193.2	1,181.7	1,160.7	1,151.4	1,148.5	
Recreation and entertainment	619.5	630.1	636.6	650.8	658.3	635.0	636.6	641.2	647.7	648.2	650.0	657.1	661.3	659.7	657.5	654.6	644.9	642.1	643.4	
Shopping	577.8	559.0	562.2	547.0	536.4	563.9	561.2	559.5	550.9	547.5	544.9	544.6	543.4	539.4	535.7	527.2	515.9	509.4	505.3	
All other industries	248.9	249.6	259.6	264.1	262.3	258.8	260.8	262.9	262.9	263.8	264.4	265.4	264.6	263.4	262.0	259.1	252.2	246.3	244.5	
All tourism industries	5,679.4	5,766.6	5,846.8	5,908.1	5,906.2	5,833.4	5,849.2	5,880.0	5,888.8	5,893.3	5,904.6	5,945.6	5,956.9	5,936.7	5,897.6	5,833.4	5,726.1	5,656.3	5,632.3	

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Table 6. Total Tourism-Related Employment
[Thousands]

Tourism Industry Group						Seasonally adjusted at annual rates														
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Q2006:II	Q2006:III	Q2006:IV	Q2007:I	Q2007:II	Q2007:III	Q2007:IV	Q2008:I	Q2008:II	Q2008:III	Q2008:IV	Q2009:I	Q2009:II	Q2009:III	
Traveler accommodations	1,647.0	1,687.1	1,694.3	1,712.4	1,712.0	1,689.5	1,693.2	1,705.9	1,707.2	1,707.4	1,708.5	1,726.6	1,728.2	1,723.2	1,707.2	1,689.3	1,649.3	1,613.1	1,600.6	
Transportation	1,961.8	1,954.9	1,968.3	1,989.9	1,990.6	1,963.8	1,969.7	1,975.8	1,977.4	1,984.1	1,991.3	2,006.7	2,017.4	2,007.9	1,985.5	1,951.6	1,899.2	1,862.4	1,845.8	
Air transportation services	827.4	801.7	792.0	800.2	804.5	789.8	791.4	794.3	792.7	798.0	801.0	809.2	818.1	813.1	801.1	785.6	771.4	761.8	754.3	
All other transportation-related industries	1,134.4	1,153.2	1,176.4	1,189.8	1,186.2	1,174.1	1,178.4	1,181.7	1,184.8	1,186.2	1,190.4	1,197.7	1,199.4	1,194.8	1,184.5	1,166.1	1,127.9	1,100.7	1,091.6	
Food services and drinking places	2,375.7	2,486.2	2,551.9	2,594.1	2,599.2	2,543.2	2,555.3	2,571.5	2,583.9	2,587.1	2,596.2	2,609.2	2,612.4	2,607.4	2,599.1	2,577.8	2,552.5	2,544.7	2,543.6	
Recreation, entertainment, and shopping	1,888.8	1,864.5	1,873.2	1,864.5	1,856.7	1,874.2	1,871.2	1,873.2	1,867.4	1,861.9	1,859.8	1,868.8	1,872.2	1,863.3	1,853.9	1,837.2	1,802.7	1,785.8	1,780.1	
Recreation and entertainment	911.5	925.1	932.9	952.1	962.7	930.7	932.6	939.1	948.0	948.6	951.1	960.9	967.0	964.7	961.4	957.5	943.3	939.1	941.2	
Shopping	977.3	939.4	940.4	912.4	894.1	943.5	938.6	934.2	919.5	913.3	908.8	908.0	905.3	898.7	892.6	879.9	859.5	846.9	839.1	
All other industries	420.4	422.6	439.1	447.1	444.2	437.6	441.0	444.6	444.8	446.6	447.5	449.3	448.0	446.2	443.7	438.8	427.4	417.6	414.5	
All tourism industries	8,293.7	8,415.4	8,526.8	8,608.0	8,602.7	8,508.4	8,530.4	8,571.1	8,580.7	8,587.1	8,603.4	8,660.7	8,678.3	8,647.9	8,589.5	8,494.9	8,331.2	8,223.9	8,184.9	
Percent change at annual rate	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.0	-0.1	0.5	1.0	1.9	0.5	0.3	0.8	2.7	0.8	-1.4	-2.7	-4.3	-7.5	-5.1	-1.9	

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis