



## Input-Output Accounts Gross Domestic Product by Industry Satellite Accounts

The Bureau of Economic Analysis prepares and publishes a variety of economic statistics on industries. Specifically, it prepares the input-output accounts, the series on gross domestic product by industry, and two satellite accounts—one for travel and tourism and one for transportation.

### Input-output accounts

The input-output accounts for the United States show how industries interact; specifically, they show how industries provide input to, and use output from, each other to produce gross domestic product. These accounts provide detailed information on the flows of the goods and services that make up the production processes of industries.

The Bureau prepares both benchmark and annual input-output accounts. The benchmark accounts are based on detailed data from the economic censuses that are conducted every 5 years by the Bureau of the Census. The annual accounts are prepared for selected years between the benchmarks; these accounts are based on less comprehensive data than the data from the censuses.

### Gross domestic product by industry

Gross domestic product (GDP) by industry is a measure of the contribution of private industry and government to the Nation's GDP. It is defined as an industry's gross output less its purchases of intermediate inputs.

The estimates of GDP by industry are presented in current dollars and in real, chained dollars for 62 industries and for 4 government categories. The current-dollar estimates also present detail on the composition of GDP by industry—compensation of

employees, indirect business taxes, and property-type income.

### Satellite accounts

Satellite accounts are statistical frameworks that are designed to expand the analytical capacity of the national income and product accounts and the input-output accounts and to supplement these accounts by focusing on a particular aspect of economic activity. Two sets of satellite accounts that are based on the input-output accounts have been prepared: The travel and tourism satellite accounts and the transportation satellite accounts.

The travel and tourism satellite accounts show a detailed picture of the travel and tourism industries and their role in the U.S. economy. These accounts were developed by the Bureau of Economic Analysis, with the support of the Tourism Industries Office of the International Trade Administration in the U.S. Department of Commerce.

The transportation satellite accounts present estimates of all the transportation activities in the United States. These accounts were developed jointly by the Bureau of Economic Analysis and by the Bureau of Transportation Statistics in the U.S. Department of Transportation.

### For more information

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