

# Errata

## U.S. Travel and Tourism Satellite Accounts for 1996 and 1997

Table 1 in “U.S. Travel and Tourism Satellite Accounts for 1996 and 1997” in the July 2000 issue of the SURVEY OF CURRENT BUSINESS contained errors in the estimates for tourism final demand and its share of GDP. This table, with the corrected estimates, is shown below.

In addition, two corrections are made to the text of the article. In the first bullet on page 8, the text should

read “...(GDP) increased from 3.3 percent to 3.5 percent.” On page 9 (first paragraph under “Tourism demand”), the text should read “...Tourism final demand purchases in the United States increased from \$208.9 billion, or 3.3 percent of GDP, in 1992 to \$291.5 billion, or 3.5 percent of GDP, in 1997 (table 1).” 

**Table 1.—Key Indicators of Tourism Activity in 1992, 1996, and 1997**

	Tourism final demand (billions of dollars)	Tourism industry value added (billions of dollars)	Compensation (billions of dollars)	Employment (thousands)	Percent			
					Share of GDP		Share of	
					Tourism final demand	Tourism industry value added	Compensation	Employment
<b>1992.</b>								
Method 1 .....	199.3	120.5	81.3	3,749	3.2	1.9	2.2	3.2
Method 2 .....	208.9	124.5	84.5	3,933	3.3	2.0	2.3	3.3
Method 3 .....	244.3	135.7	91.5	4,353	3.9	2.2	2.5	3.7
<b>1996.</b>								
Method 1 .....	262.3	160.2	98.5	4,255	3.4	2.1	2.2	3.4
Method 2 .....	275.2	166.0	102.0	4,440	3.5	2.1	2.3	3.5
Method 3 .....	324.5	186.3	114.7	5,206	4.2	2.4	2.6	4.1
<b>1997.</b>								
Method 1 .....	277.8	172.3	102.9	4,302	3.3	2.1	2.2	3.3
Method 2 .....	291.5	178.7	106.6	4,491	3.5	2.2	2.3	3.5
Method 3 .....	342.9	200.6	119.9	5,263	4.1	2.4	2.6	4.0

Note.—See the section “Estimating Methods” for a discussion of the three methods.