

YEAR	TRAVEL SPENDING	STATE AND LOCAL TAX RECEIPTS	JOBS	TRAVEL INDUSTRY EMPLOYMENT RANKING
2019	\$10.5 Billion	\$793 Million	88,800	7
2020	\$7.4 Billion	\$690 Million	74,300	9
2021	\$11.0 Billion	\$774 Million	77,500	8
2022*	\$11.7 Billion			

SOURCE: U.S. Travel Association and Tourism Economics *Preliminary

Travel plays an essential role in stimulating economic growth, cultivating vibrant communities, creating quality job opportunities and inspiring new businesses, and it is indispensable to our nation's global competitiveness.

Travel is a significant economic driver for Utah—and matters to our communities, jobs and public funding.

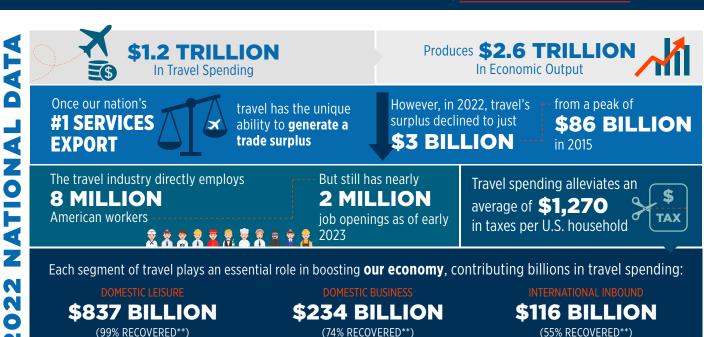
• Domestic and international travelers spent an estimated \$11.7 billion while visiting Utah.

• Travel spending was 11.2% above 2019 levels and 6.3.% above 2021.

The travel industry fuels businesses, jobs and investment beyond travel—creating a ripple effect within our communities, including Utah.

- Travel spending directly supported 88,800 jobs, and was the state's 7th largest sector in terms of employment.
- Travel spending generated \$793 million in taxes to state and local governments.
 - · Rather than taxing constituents, travel brings money into our communities, which helps fund public programs such as police, firefighters, teachers, road improvements and community revitalization projects.

WHEN THE TRAVEL INDUSTRY THRIVES, AMERICA THRIVES.



**Percent recovered is adjusted for inflation

(55% RECOVERED**)

