# **VOLUME**

## U.S. TRAVEL FORECAST — VOLUME

			ACT	UAL					ORECAST	Г	
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Total # of trips	2.40 B	1.60 B	2.04 B	2.30 B	2.37 B	2.43 B	2.47 B	2.52 B	2.58 B	2.65 B	2.71 B
Domestic person-trips	2.32 B	1.58 B	2.02 B	2.25 B	2.31 B	2.36 B	2.40 B	2.45 B	2.51 B	2.57 B	2.62 B
Leisure	1.85 B	1.40 B	1.77 B	1.88 B	1.89 B	1.92 B	1.96 B	2.00 B	2.05 B	2.09 B	2.14 B
Business	463.9 M	181.3 M	249.5 M	370.9 M	413.1 M	436.0 M	442.4 M	451.2 M	463.3 M	475.4 M	487.2 M
Auto	2.13 B	1.50 B	1.88 B	2.08 B	2.12 B	2.16 B	2.20 B	2.25 B	2.30 B	2.35 B	2.41 B
Air	188.9 M	78.6 M	140.4 M	174.6 M	190.7 M	200.2 M	199.8 M	203.4 M	208.8 M	213.9 M	219.1 M
International arrivals	79.4 M	19.2 M	22.3 M	50.8 M	66.3 M	72.4 M	67.9 M	70.4 M	74.4 M	78.1 M	81.9 M
Canada	20.7 M	4.8 M	2.5 M	14.4 M	20.5 M	20.2 M	15.7 M	16.8 M	17.9 M	19.0 M	20.1 M
Mexico	18.3 M	6.8 M	10.6 M	12.4 M	14.4 M	17.0 M	17.9 M	18.4 M	19.1 M	19.6 M	20.1 M
Overseas	40.4 M	7.6 M	9.2 M	24.0 M	31.5 M	35.2 M	34.2 M	35.2 M	37.4 M	39.5 M	41.7 M

# U.S. TRAVEL FORECAST - VOLUME, YOY % CHANGE

			ACTUAL			FORECAST						
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029		
Total # of trips	-33.2%	27.6%	12.7%	3.1%	2.4%	1.6%	2.0%	2.5%	2.4%	2.3%		
Domestic person-trips	-31.8%	27.8%	11.4%	2.5%	2.2%	1.9%	2.0%	2.4%	2.3%	2.2%		
Leisure	-24.5%	26.5%	6.2%	0.7%	1.5%	2.0%	1.9%	2.3%	2.3%	2.2%		
Business	-60.9%	37.6%	48.6%	11.4%	5.5%	1.5%	2.0%	2.7%	2.6%	2.5%		
Auto	-29.4%	25.1%	10.5%	1.9%	2.0%	2.1%	2.0%	2.4%	2.3%	2.2%		
Air	-58.4%	78.6%	24.3%	9.2%	5.0%	-0.2%	1.8%	2.7%	2.4%	2.5%		
International arrivals	-75.8%	16.0%	127.9%	30.7%	9.1%	-6.3%	3.7%	5.6%	5.0%	4.8%		
Canada	-76.8%	-47.4%	468.7%	42.6%	-1.3%	-22.2%	6.4%	6.7%	6.4%	5.6%		
Mexico	-62.9%	55.3%	17.6%	15.5%	18.3%	5.5%	2.7%	3.5%	2.8%	2.6%		
Overseas	-81.2%	20.8%	161.1%	31.4%	11.7%	-2.7%	3.0%	6.3%	5.5%	5.6%		

## U.S. TRAVEL FORECAST - VOLUME, % OF 2019 LEVELS

			ACTUAL					FORECAST		
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Total # of trips	67%	85%	96%	99%	101%	103%	105%	108%	110%	113%
Domestic person-trips	68%	87%	97%	100%	102%	104%	106%	108%	111%	113%
Leisure	76%	96%	101%	102%	104%	106%	108%	110%	113%	115%
Business	39%	54%	80%	89%	94%	95%	97%	100%	102%	105%
Auto	71%	88%	98%	99%	101%	103%	106%	108%	111%	113%
Air	42%	74%	92%	101%	106%	106%	108%	111%	113%	116%
International arrivals	24%	28%	64%	84%	91%	85%	89%	94%	98%	103%
Canada	23%	12%	69%	99%	98%	76%	81%	86%	92%	97%
Mexico	37%	58%	68%	78%	93%	98%	100%	104%	107%	110%
Overseas	19%	23%	59%	78%	87%	85%	87%	93%	98%	103%

**SOURCES:** Tourism Economics and U.S. Travel Association

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# **SPENDING**

## **U.S. TRAVEL FORECAST — SPENDING** (ADJUSTED FOR INFLATION, 2024 DOLLARS)\*

			ACT	UAL					FORECAST		
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Total Travel Spending	\$1.405 T	\$880.4 B	\$1.113 T	\$1.242 T	\$1.302 T	\$1.335 T	\$1.350 T	\$1.380 T	\$1.419 T	\$1.456 T	\$1.493 T
Leisure	\$1.039 T	\$757.9 B	\$963.2 B	\$975.3 B	\$1.002 T	\$1.023 T	\$1.036 T	\$1.059 T	\$1.089 T	\$1.117 T	\$1.144 T
Business	\$366.3 B	\$122.4 B	\$149.8 B	\$266.8 B	\$300.3 B	\$311.9 B	\$314.5 B	\$320.6 B	\$329.9 B	\$339.4 B	\$348.8 B
Domestic	\$1.187 T	\$831.0 B	\$1.063 T	\$1.121 T	\$1.141 T	\$1.156 T	\$1.177 T	\$1.200 T	\$1.228 T	\$1.256 T	\$1.284 T
Leisure	\$864.8 B	\$718.2 B	\$921.9 B	\$875.8 B	\$870.9 B	\$877.4 B	\$894.5 B	\$911.7 B	\$932.4 B	\$953.2 B	\$973.6 B
Business	\$322.4 B	\$112.9 B	\$141.4 B	\$244.7 B	\$269.9 B	\$278.5 B	\$282.4 B	\$287.9 B	\$295.5 B	\$303.1 B	\$310.6 B
Transient	\$187.2 B	\$76.8 B	\$99.6 B	\$148.9 B	\$159.8 B	\$165.3 B	\$167.2 B	\$170.3 B	\$174.6 B	\$179.0 B	\$183.2 B
Group	\$135.2 B	\$36.1 B	\$41.7 B	\$95.8 B	\$110.1 B	\$113.2 B	\$115.2 B	\$117.6 B	\$120.8 B	\$124.1 B	\$127.3 B
International"	\$217.8 B	\$49.4 B	\$49.7 B	\$121.6 B	\$161.2 B	\$178.9 B	\$173.2 B	\$180.4 B	\$190.7 B	\$199.9 B	\$208.9 B
Leisure	\$173.9 B	\$39.8 B	\$41.3 B	\$99.5 B	\$130.9 B	\$145.6 B	\$141.1 B	\$147.7 B	\$156.2 B	\$163.7 B	\$170.7 B
Business	\$43.9 B	\$9.6 B	\$8.4 B	\$22.0 B	\$30.3 B	\$33.4 B	\$32.1 B	\$32.8 B	\$34.5 B	\$36.3 B	\$38.2 B
Transient	\$26.4 B	\$6.0 B	\$5.5 B	\$15.4 B	\$19.3 B	\$20.5 B	\$19.8 B	\$20.2 B	\$21.3 B	\$22.3 B	\$23.4 B
Group	\$17.5 B	\$3.5 B	\$2.9 B	\$6.7 B	\$11.1 B	\$12.9 B	\$12.3 B	\$12.5 B	\$13.2 B	\$13.9 B	\$14.8 B

#### U.S. TRAVEL FORECAST — SPENDING YOY % CHANGE (ADJUSTED FOR INFLATION)\*

			ACTUAL					FORECAST		
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Total Travel Spending	-37.3%	26.4%	11.6%	4.8%	2.5%	1.1%	2.2%	2.8%	2.7%	2.5%
Leisure	-27.0%	27.1%	1.3%	2.7%	2.1%	1.2%	2.3%	2.8%	2.6%	2.4%
Business	-66.6%	22.3%	78.1%	12.6%	3.9%	0.9%	1.9%	2.9%	2.9%	2.8%
Domestic	-30.0%	28.0%	5.4%	1.8%	1.3%	1.8%	1.9%	2.4%	2.3%	2.2%
Leisure	-17.0%	28.4%	-5.0%	-0.6%	0.7%	1.9%	1.9%	2.3%	2.2%	2.1%
Business	-65.0%	25.3%	73.1%	10.3%	3.2%	1.4%	1.9%	2.6%	2.6%	2.5%
Transient	-59.0%	29.8%	49.5%	7.3%	3.5%	1.1%	1.8%	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%
Group	-73.3%	15.6%	129.5%	14.9%	2.8%	1.8%	2.1%	2.8%	2.7%	2.6%
International"	-77.3%	0.6%	144.8%	32.6%	11.0%	-3.2%	4.1%	5.7%	4.8%	4.5%
Leisure	-77.1%	3.7%	141.2%	31.5%	11.2%	-3.1%	4.6%	5.8%	4.8%	4.3%
Business	-78.2%	-12.5%	162.8%	37.7%	10.0%	-3.7%	2.0%	5.3%	5.1%	5.4%
Transient	-77.1%	-8.7%	178.5%	25.4%	6.3%	-3.3%	2.1%	5.1%	4.9%	5.1%
Group	-79.8%	-18.9%	132.5%	66.3%	16.5%	-4.5%	1.7%	5.6%	5.5%	5.8%

# U.S. TRAVEL FORECAST — SPENDING % OF 2019 LEVELS (ADJUSTED FOR INFLATION)\*

			ACTUAL					FORECAST		
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Total Travel Spending	63%	79%	88%	93%	95%	96%	98%	101%	104%	106%
Leisure	73%	93%	94%	96%	98%	100%	102%	105%	108%	110%
Business	33%	41%	73%	82%	85%	86%	88%	90%	93%	95%
Domestic	70%	90%	94%	96%	97%	99%	101%	103%	106%	108%
Leisure	83%	107%	101%	101%	101%	103%	105%	108%	110%	113%
Business	35%	44%	76%	84%	86%	88%	89%	92%	94%	96%
Transient	41%	53%	80%	85%	88%	89%	91%	93%	96%	98%
Group	27%	31%	71%	81%	84%	85%	87%	89%	92%	94%
International"	23%	23%	56%	74%	82%	80%	83%	88%	92%	96%
Leisure	23%	24%	57%	75%	84%	81%	85%	90%	94%	98%
Business	22%	19%	50%	69%	76%	73%	75%	79%	83%	87%
Transient	23%	21%	58%	73%	78%	75%	77%	81%	85%	89%
Group	20%	16%	38%	63%	74%	70%	72%	76%	80%	84%

<sup>\*</sup>Spending data is cited in "real" 2024 \$, adjustments based on the Travel Price Index

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<sup>\*\*</sup>Includes general travel spending and passenger fares (does not include education/health/worker spending)

# **TRAVEL PRICE INDEX**

## U.S. TRAVEL FORECAST — TRAVEL PRICE INDEX

			ACT	UAL				ŀ	ORECAS"	Г	
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Travel Price Index	292	275	300	341	349	352	357	362	369	378	387
Food Away from Home	284	294	307	331	354	369	383	393	399	407	416
Lodging Away from Home	344	265	322	387	403	410	414	418	423	432	441
Motor Fuel	233	195	265	350	313	297	279	271	288	297	303
Public Transportation	259	227	231	277	268	263	262	269	280	292	302
Consumer Price Index	256	259	271	293	305	314	323	331	339	347	355

## U.S. TRAVEL FORECAST — TRAVEL PRICE INDEX YOY % CHANGE

			ACTUAL			FORECAST						
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029		
Travel Price Index	-5.8%	9.0%	13.7%	2.5%	0.9%	1.3%	1.3%	2.2%	2.4%	2.3%		
Food Away from Home	3.4%	4.5%	7.7%	7.1%	4.1%	3.8%	2.5%	1.6%	2.1%	2.1%		
Lodging Away from Home	-22.9%	21.6%	20.0%	4.2%	1.8%	0.8%	1.0%	1.3%	2.0%	2.1%		
Motor Fuel	-16.3%	35.8%	32.1%	-10.6%	-5.3%	-5.9%	-3.0%	6.5%	3.1%	1.9%		
Public Transportation	-12.3%	1.7%	19.9%	-3.5%	-1.8%	-0.4%	3.0%	4.0%	4.1%	3.5%		
Consumer Price Index	1.2%	4.7%	8.0%	4.1%	2.9%	2.9%	2.7%	2.3%	2.5%	2.3%		

## U.S. TRAVEL FORECAST— TRAVEL PRICE INDEX % OF 2019 LEVELS

			ACTUAL			FORECAST					
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	
Travel Price Index	94%	103%	117%	120%	121%	122%	124%	127%	130%	132%	
Food Away from Home	103%	108%	116%	125%	130%	135%	138%	140%	143%	146%	
Lodging Away from Home	77%	94%	112%	117%	119%	120%	121%	123%	126%	128%	
Motor Fuel	84%	114%	150%	134%	127%	120%	116%	124%	128%	130%	
Public Transportation	88%	89%	107%	103%	101%	101%	104%	108%	112%	116%	
Consumer Price Index	101%	106%	114%	119%	123%	126%	130%	133%	136%	139%	

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