

**Table 1225. National Park System—Summary: 1990 to 2006**

[For year ending September 30, except as noted. (986 represents \$986,000,000). Includes data for five areas in Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands, one area in American Samoa, and one area in Guam]

Item	1990	1995	2000	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Finances (mil. dol.): <sup>1</sup>								
Expenditures reported . . . . .	986	1,445	1,833	2,161	2,315	2,371	2,451	2,463
Salaries and wages . . . . .	459	633	799	876	934	956	984	998
Improvements, maintenance . . . . .	160	234	299	311	344	332	361	389
Construction . . . . .	109	192	215	296	293	354	381	300
Other . . . . .	259	386	520	678	744	729	725	776
Funds available . . . . .	1,506	2,225	3,316	3,940	4,099	4,087	4,218	4,242
Appropriations . . . . .	1,053	1,325	1,881	2,257	3,298	2,388	2,425	2,450
Other <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	453	900	1,435	1,683	1,801	1,699	1,793	1,792
Revenue from operations . . . . .	79	106	234	245	274	264	286	308
Recreation visits (millions): <sup>3</sup>								
All areas . . . . .	258.7	269.6	285.9	277.3	266.1	276.9	273.5	272.6
National parks <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	57.7	64.8	66.1	64.5	63.4	63.8	63.5	60.4
National monuments . . . . .	23.9	23.5	23.8	20.3	20.0	19.8	20.9	19.6
National historical, commemorative, archaeological <sup>5</sup> . . . . .	57.5	56.9	72.2	70.2	66.6	77.0	74.9	73.6
National parkways . . . . .	29.1	31.3	34.0	35.7	31.1	31.7	31.7	32.6
National recreation areas <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	47.2	53.7	50.0	48.2	47.7	46.6	46.8	47.8
National seashores and lakeshores . . . . .	23.3	22.5	22.5	23.3	22.6	21.3	21.7	19.6
National Capital Parks . . . . .	7.5	5.5	5.4	3.8	3.5	4.7	4.3	6.2
Recreation overnight stays (millions). . . . .	17.6	16.8	15.4	14.7	14.2	13.7	13.5	13.2
In commercial lodgings . . . . .	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.4
In Park Service campgrounds . . . . .	7.9	7.1	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.4	5.2	5.0
In backcountry . . . . .	1.7	2.2	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7
Other . . . . .	4.2	3.7	3.8	3.5	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.1
Land (1,000 acres): <sup>6, 7</sup>								
Total . . . . .	76,362	77,355	78,153	78,811	79,006	79,023	79,048	78,810
Parks . . . . .	46,089	49,307	49,785	49,639	49,823	49,892	49,910	49,912
Recreation areas . . . . .	3,344	3,353	3,388	3,390	3,391	3,391	3,391	3,391
Other . . . . .	26,929	24,695	24,980	25,782	25,792	25,740	25,747	25,507
Acquisition, net. . . . .	21	27	186	60	138	12	17	15

<sup>1</sup> Financial data are those associated with the National Park System. Certain other functions of the National Park Service (principally the activities absorbed from the former Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service in 1981) are excluded.

<sup>2</sup> Includes funds carried over from prior years. <sup>3</sup> For calendar year. Includes other areas, not shown separately. <sup>4</sup> For 1990, combined data for North Cascades National Park and two adjacent National Recreation Areas are included in National Parks total. <sup>5</sup> Includes military areas. <sup>6</sup> Federal land only, as of Dec. 31. Federal land acreages, in addition to National Park Service administered lands, also includes lands within national park system area boundaries but under the administration of other agencies. Year-to-year changes in the federal lands figures include changes in the acreages of these other lands and hence often differ from "net acquisition."

<sup>7</sup> The decrease in the 2006 land total reflects acreage administered by Bureau of Land Management and not by the National Park Service.

Source: U.S. National Park Service, *National Park Statistical Abstract*, annual; and unpublished data. See also <<http://www2.nature.nps.gov/stats/>>.