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As the Nation's principal conservation agency, the Department of the Interior has responsibility for most of our nationally owned public lands and natural resources. This includes fostering the wisest use of our land and water resources, protecting our fish and wildlife, preserving the environmental and cultural values of our national parks and historical places, and providing for the enjoyment of life through outdoor recreation. The Department assesses our energy and mineral resources and works to assure their development in the best interests of all our people. The Department also has a major responsibility for American Indian reservation communities and for people who live in island territories under U.S. administration.

The mission of the Department's Fish and Wildlife Service is to conserve, protect, and enhance fish and wildlife and their habitats for the continuing benefit of the American people. The Service is responsible for national programs of vital importance to our natural resources, including administration of the Federal Aid in Sport Fish Restoration and the Federal Aid of Wildlife Restoration Programs. These two grant programs provide financial assistance to the States for projects to enhance and protect fish and wildlife resources and to assure their availability to the public for recreational purposes. Multistate grants from these programs pay for the National Survey of Fishing, Hunting, and Wildlife-Associated Recreation.

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# **Foreword**

Fish and wildlife resources are part of our American culture. Whether we are fishing, hunting, watching wildlife or feeding backyard birds, Americans derive many hours of enjoyment from wildlife-related recreation. Wildlife recreation is the cornerstone of our Nation's great conservation ethic.

The 2001 National Survey of Fishing, Hunting, and Wildlife-Associated Recreation is a partnership effort with the States and national conservation organizations, and has become one of the most important sources of information on fish and wildlife recreation in the United States. It is a useful tool that quantifies the economic impact of wildlife-based recreation. Federal, State, and private organizations use this detailed information to manage wildlife, market products, and look for trends. The 2001 Survey is the tenth in a series that began in 1955.

More than 82 million U.S. residents fished, hunted, and watched wildlife in 2001. They spent over \$108 billion pursuing their recreational activities, contributing to millions of jobs in industries and businesses that support wildlife-related recreation. Furthermore, funds generated by licenses and taxes on hunting and fishing equipment pay for many of the conservation efforts in this country.

Wildlife recreationists are among the Nation's most ardent conservationists. They not only contribute financially to conservation efforts, but also spend time and effort to introduce children and other newcomers to the enjoyment of the outdoors and wildlife.

I appreciate the assistance of those who took time to participate in this valuable survey. We all can be grateful that America's great tradition of wildliferelated recreation remains strong.

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# Survey Background and Method

The National Survey of Fishing, Hunting, and Wildlife-Associated Recreation (Survey) has been conducted since 1955 and is one of the oldest and most comprehensive continuing recreation surveys. The purpose of the Survey is to gather information on the number of anglers, hunters, and wildlife-watching participants (formerly known as nonconsumptive wildlife-related participants) in the United States. Information also is collected on how often these recreationists participate and how much they spend on their activities.

Preparations for the 2001 Survey began in 1999 when the International Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies (IAFWA) asked us, the Fish and Wildlife Service, to conduct the tenth national survey of wildlife-related recreation. Funding came from the Multistate Conservation Grant Programs, authorized by Sport Fish and Wildlife Restoration Acts, as amended.

We consulted with State and Federal agencies and nongovernmental organizations such as the Wildlife Management Institute and American Sportfishing Association to determine survey content. Other sportspersons' organizations and conservation groups, industry representatives, and researchers also provided valuable advice.

Four regional technical committees were set up under the auspices of the IAFWA to ensure that State fish and wildlife agencies had an opportunity to participate in all phases of survey planning and

design. The committees were made up of agency representatives.

Data collection for the Survey was carried out in two phases by the U.S. Census Bureau. The first phase was the screen which began in April 2001. During the screening phase, the Census Bureau interviewed a sample of 80,000 households nationwide to determine who in the household had fished, hunted, or engaged in wildlife-watching activities in 2000, and who had engaged or planned to engage in those activities in 2001. In most cases, one adult household member provided information for all household members. The screen primarily covered 2000 activities while the next, more indepth phase covered 2001 activities. For more information on the 2000 data, refer to Appendix C.

The second phase of the data collection consisted of three detailed interview waves. The first wave began in April 2001, the second in September 2001, and the last in January 2002. Interviews were conducted with samples of likely anglers, hunters, and wildlife watchers who were identified in the initial screening phase. These interviews were conducted primarily by telephone, with in-person interviews for those respondents who could not be reached by telephone. Respondents in the second survey phase were limited to those at least 16 years old. Each respondent provided information pertaining only to his or her activities and expenditures. Sample sizes were designed to provide statistically reliable

results at the State level. Altogether, interviews were completed for 25,070 respondents from the sportspersons sample and 15,303 from the wildlife watchers sample. More detailed information on sampling procedures and response rates is found in Appendix D.

### Comparability With Previous Surveys

The 2001 Survey's questions and methodology were similar to those used in the 1996 and 1991 Surveys. Therefore, the estimates of all three surveys are comparable.

The methodology of the 2001, 1996, and 1991 Surveys did differ significantly from the 1985 and 1980 Surveys, so their estimates are not directly comparable to those earlier surveys. The changes in methodology included reducing the recall period over which respondents had to report their activities and expenditures. Previous Surveys used a 12-month recall period which resulted in greater reporting bias. Research found that the amount of activity and expenditures reported in 12month recall surveys was overestimated in comparison with that reported using shorter recall periods. See the Summary Section and Appendix B.

# Highlights



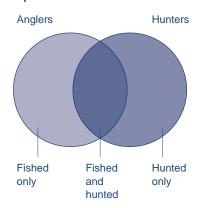
# Introduction

The National Survey of Fishing, Hunting, and Wildlife-Associated Recreation reports results from interviews with U.S. residents about their fishing, hunting, and other wildlife-related recreation. This report focuses on 2001 participation and expenditures of U.S. residents 16 years of age and older.

In addition to the 2001 numbers, we also provide 11-year trend data. The 2001 numbers reported can be compared with those in the 1991 and 1996 Survey reports because these three surveys used similar methodologies. However, the 2001 estimates should not be directly compared with the results from Surveys earlier than 1991 because of changes in methodology. These changes were made to improve accuracy in the information provided. Trend information from 1991 to 2001 is presented in Appendix B.

The report also provides information on participation in wildlife-related recreation in 2000, particularly of persons 6 to 15 years of age. The 2000 information is provided in Appendix C. Additional information about the scope and coverage of the Survey can be found in the Survey Background and Method section of this report. The remainder of this section defines important terms used in the Survey.

### **Sportspersons**



### Wildlife-Associated Recreation

Wildlife-associated recreation includes fishing, hunting, and wildlife-watching activities. These categories are not mutually exclusive because many individuals enjoyed fish and wildlife in several ways in 2001. Wildlife-associated recreation is reported in two major categories: (1) fishing and hunting and (2) wildlife watching (formerly nonconsumptive wildlife-related recreation). Wildlife watching includes observing, photographing, and feeding fish and wildlife.

# Fishing and Hunting

This Survey reports information about residents of the United States who fished or hunted in 2001, regardless of whether they were licensed. The fishing and hunting sections of this report are organized to report three groups: (1) sportspersons, (2) anglers, and (3) hunters.

### **Sportspersons**

Sportspersons are those who fished or hunted. Individuals who fished or hunted commercially in 2001 are reported as sportspersons only if they also fished or hunted for recreation. The sportspersons group is composed of the three subgroups in the diagram below: (1) those who fished and hunted, (2) those who only fished, and (3) those who only hunted. The total number of sportspersons is equal to the sum of people who only

fished, only hunted, and both hunted and fished. It is not the sum of all anglers and all hunters, because those people who both fished and hunted are included in both the angler and hunter population and would be incorrectly counted twice.

# **Anglers**

Anglers are sportspersons who only fished plus those who fished and hunted. Anglers include not only licensed hookand-line anglers, but also those who have no license and those who use special methods such as fishing with spears. Three types of fishing are reported: (1) freshwater, excluding the Great Lakes, (2) Great Lakes, and (3) saltwater. Since many anglers participated in more than one type of fishing, the total number of anglers is less than the sum of the three types of fishing.

### **Hunters**

Hunters are sportspersons who only hunted plus those who hunted and fished. Hunters include not only licensed hunters using common hunting practices, but also those who have no license and those who engaged in hunting with a bow and arrow, muzzleloader, other primitive firearms, or a pistol or handgun. Four types of hunting are reported: (1) big game, (2) small game, (3) migratory bird, and (4) other animals. Since many hunters participated in more than one type of hunting, the sum of hunters for big game, small game, migratory bird, and other animals exceeds the total number of hunters.

# Wildlife-Watching Activities (formerly Nonconsumptive Wildlife-Related Recreation)

Since 1980, the National Survey of Fishing, Hunting, and Wildlife-Associated Recreation has included information on wildlife-watching activities in addition to fishing and hunting. However, the 1991, 1996, and 2001 Surveys, unlike the 1980 and 1985 Surveys, collected data only for those activities where the primary purpose was wildlife watching (observing, photographing, or feeding wildlife). The Survey uses a strict definition of wildlife watching. Participants must either take a "special interest" in wildlife around their homes or take a trip for the "primary purpose" of wildlife watching. Secondary wildlife-watching activities such as incidentally observing wildlife while

pleasure driving were included in the 1980 and 1985 Surveys but not in the succeeding ones.

Two types of wildlife-watching activity are reported: (1) nonresidential and (2) residential. Because some people participate in more than one type of wildlife-watching activity, the sum of participants in each type will be greater than the total number of wildlife watchers. The two types of wildlife-watching activities are defined below.

### Nonresidential (away from the home)

This group included persons who took trips or outings of at least 1 mile for the primary purpose of observing, feeding, or photographing fish and wildlife. Trips to fish, hunt, or scout and trips to zoos,

circuses, aquariums, or museums were not considered wildlife-watching activities.

### Residential (around the home)

This group included those whose activities are within 1 mile of home and involve one or more of the following: (1) closely observing or trying to identify birds or other wildlife; (2) photographing wildlife; (3) feeding birds or other wildlife on a regular basis; (4) maintaining natural areas of at least onequarter acre where benefit to wildlife is the primary concern; (5) maintaining plantings (shrubs, agricultural crops, etc.) where benefit to wildlife is the primary concern; or (6) visiting public parks within 1 mile of home for the primary purpose of observing, feeding, or photographing wildlife.

# 2001 Tennessee Summary

(Participants 16 years old and older)

# Activities in the United States by Tennessee Residents

# Activities in Tennessee by U.S. Residents

<u>Fishing</u>	Fishing
Anglers	Anglers
Hunting	Hunting
Hunters	Hunters
Total wildlife-watching participants         .1,706,000           Nonresidential         .375,000           Residential         .1,655,000           Total expenditures         .\$337,864,000           Trip-related         .\$114,678,000           Equipment and other         .\$223,186,000           Average per participant         .\$198           Trip and equipment expenditures by         .\$77,649,000	Total wildlife-watching participants

# Wildlife-Associated Recreation

### Participation in Tennessee

The 2001 Survey revealed that 2.7 million Tennessee residents and nonresidents 16 years old and older fished, hunted, or wildlife watched in Tennessee. Of the total number of participants, 903 thousand fished, 359 thousand hunted, and 2.1 million participated in wildlife-watching activities, including observing, feeding, and photographing wildlife. The sum of anglers, hunters, and wildlife watchers exceeds the total number of participants in wildlife-related recreation because many individuals engaged in more than one wildlife activity.

# Participation by 6- to 15-year-old **Tennessee Residents**

The focus of this report is on the activity of participants 16 years old and older since they are the primary source of wildlife-associated expenditures. However, the activity of 6 to 15 year olds can be calculated using the screening data covering the year 2000. It is assumed for estimation purposes that the relative activity levels of 6- to 15-year-old

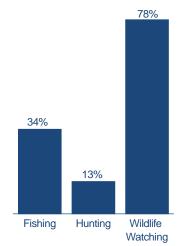
participants and participants 16 years old and older remained the same from 2000 to 2001. Based on this assumption, in addition to the 803,000 resident anglers 16 years old and older in Tennessee, there were 202,000 resident anglers 6 to 15 vears old. Also, there were 320,000 16year-old and older Tennesseans and 48,000 6- to 15-year-old Tennesseans who hunted. Finally, there were 1,706,000 Tennesseans 16 years old and older and 266,000 Tennesseans 6 to 15 years old who wildlife watched. Further information on 6 to 15 year olds is provided in Appendix C.

### **Expenditures in Tennessee**

In 2001, state residents and nonresidents spent \$1.7 billion on wildlife recreation in Tennessee. Of that total, trip-related expenditures were \$590 million and equipment purchases totaled \$975 million. The remaining \$151 million was spent on licenses, contributions, land ownership and leasing, and other items and services.

# Percent of Total Participation by Activity

(Total: 2.7 million participants)



# Participants in Wildlife-Associated Recreation in Tennessee—2001

(U.S. residents 16 years old and older)

2.7 million Total ..... **Sportspersons** 1.1 million

Total .....

903 thousand 359 thousand

Wildlife Watchers

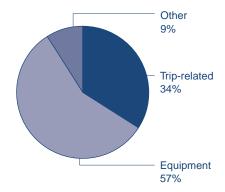
Total ..... 2.1 million Residential ..... 1.7 million 683 thousand

Source: Tables 3 24 40

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# Wildlife-Associated **Recreation Expenditures** in Tennessee

(Total: \$1.7 billion)



# Sportspersons

In 2001, 1.1 million state resident and nonresident sportspersons 16 years old and older fished or hunted in Tennessee. This group comprised 903 thousand anglers (85 percent of all sportspersons)

and 359 thousand hunters (34 percent of all sportspersons). Among the 1.1 million sportspersons who fished or hunted in the state, 702 thousand (66%) fished but did not hunt in Tennessee. Another 158

201 thousand

thousand (15%) hunted but did not fish there. The remaining 201 thousand (19%) fished and hunted in Tennessee in 2001.

# Sportspersons' Participation in Tennessee

(State residents and nonresidents 16 years old and older)

1.1 million **Sportspersons** (fished or hunted) ...... 903 thousand 702 thousand 201 thousand 359 thousand Hunted only ..... 158 thousand 

Source: Table 1.

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# Anglers

# Participants and Days of Fishing

In 2001, 903 thousand state residents and nonresidents 16 years old and older fished in Tennessee. Of this total, 709 thousand anglers (79%) were state residents and 194 thousand anglers (21%) were nonresidents. Anglers fished a total of 15 million days in Tennessee—an average of 17 days per angler. State residents fished 13.4 million days, 89 percent of all fishing days within Tennessee compared to nonresidents who fished 1.6 million

days—11 percent of all fishing days in the state.

There were 803 thousand Tennesseans 16 years old and older who fished in the United States in 2001. These anglers fished a total of 15.5 million days. Approximately 709 thousand resident anglers (88%) fished in Tennessee. They spent 13.4 million days, 87 percent of their total fishing days, fishing in their resident state.

803 thousand

2.0 million

Some state residents fished in other states as well as in Tennessee. In 2001, 207 thousand anglers fished in other states—26 percent of the resident angler total. They fished 2 million days as non-residents, representing 13 percent of all days fished by Tennessee residents. For further details about fishing in Tennessee, see Table 3.

# **Anglers in Tennessee**

(State residents and nonresidents 16 years old and older)

Anglers	903 thousand
Resident	709 thousand
Nonresident	194 thousand
Days of fishing	15.0 million
Resident	13.4 million

Source: Table 3.

### In-State/Out-of-State

(State residents 16 years old and older)

In Tennessee	
Days of fishing	15.5 million
In Tennessee	13.4 million

Source: Table 3.

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# Fishing Expenditures in Tennessee

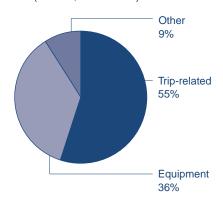
Anglers 16 years old and older spent \$480 million on fishing expenses in Tennessee in 2001. Trip-related expenditures including food and lodging, transportation, and other expenses totaled \$265 million—55 percent of all their fishing expenditures. They spent \$114 million on food and lodging and \$51 million on transportation. Other trip expenses such as equipment rental, bait, and cooking fuel totaled \$100 million. Each angler spent an average of \$293 on trip-related costs during 2001.

Anglers spent \$172 million on equipment in Tennessee in 2001, 36 percent of all fishing expenditures. Fishing equipment (rods, reels, line, etc.) totaled \$114 million—66 percent of the equipment total. Auxiliary equipment expenditures (tents, special fishing clothes, etc.) and special equipment expenditures (boats, pickups, etc.) amounted to \$58 million, 34 percent of the equipment total. Special and auxiliary equipment are items that were purchased for fishing, but could be used in activities other than fishing.

The purchase of other items such as magazines, membership dues, licenses, permits, stamps, and land leasing and ownership amounted to \$43 million—9 percent of all fishing expenditures. For more details about fishing expenditures in Tennessee, see Tables 19, 21-23.

# Fishing Expenditures in Tennessee (State residents and nonresidents 16 years old and older) Total \$480 million Trip-related \$265 million Equipment \$112 million Fishing \$114 million Auxiliary and special \$58 million Other \$43 million

# Fishing Expenditures in Tennessee (Total: \$480 million)



# **Hunters**

# Participants and Days of Hunting

In 2001, there were 359 thousand residents and nonresidents 16 years old and older who hunted in Tennessee. Resident hunters numbered 288 thousand accounting for 80 percent of the hunters in Tennessee. There were 71 thousand nonresidents who hunted in Tennessee—20 percent of the State's hunters. Residents and nonresidents hunted 6.7 million days in 2001, an average of 19 days per hunter. Residents hunted on 6.1

million days in Tennessee or 91 percent of all hunting days, while nonresidents spent 582 thousand days hunting in Tennessee, 9 percent of all hunting days.

There were 320 thousand Tennessee residents 16 years old and older who hunted in the United States in 2001. Of the total 7 million days of hunting by state residents, 6.1 million days (87 percent of the total) were spent pursuing game within Tennessee.

359 thousand

Some state residents hunted in other states as well as in Tennessee. Altogether, 92 thousand Tennessee hunters, 29 percent of the total, hunted as nonresidents in other states. Their 893 thousand days of hunting in other states represented 13 percent of all days Tennessee residents spent hunting in 2001. For more information on hunting activities by Tennessee residents, see Table 3.

### **Hunters in Tennessee**

(State residents and nonresidents 16 years old and older)

Resident	288 thousand
Nonresident	71 thousand
Days of hunting  Resident  Nonresident	6.1 million

Source: Table 3.

Hunters

# In-State/Out-of-State

(State residents 16 years old and older)

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Days of nunting.	• • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	7.0 million

Source: Table 3.

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# **Hunting Expenditures in Tennessee**

Hunters 16 years old and older spent \$589 million in Tennessee in 2001. Triprelated expenses such as food and lodging, transportation, and other trip costs totaled \$118 million, 20 percent of their total expenditures. They spent \$64 million on food and lodging and \$38 million on transportation. Other expenses such as equipment rental totaled \$16 million for the year. The average triprelated expenditure per hunter was \$329.

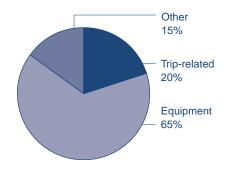
Hunters spent \$384 million on equipment—65 percent of all hunting expenditures. Hunting equipment (guns, ammunition, etc.) totaled \$138 million and comprised 36 percent of all equipment costs. Hunters spent \$246 million on auxiliary equipment (tents, special hunting clothes, etc.) and special equipment (boats, pickups, etc.), accounting for 64 percent of total equipment expenditures for hunting. Special and auxiliary equipment are

items that were purchased for hunting but could be used in activities other than hunting.

The purchase of other items such as magazines, membership dues, licenses, permits, and land leasing and ownership cost hunters \$86 million—15 percent of all hunting expenditures. For more details on hunting expenditures in Tennessee, see Tables 20-23.

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### Hunting Expenditures in Tennessee (Total: \$589 million)



# Wildlife-Watching Activities

# Participants and Days of Activity

In 2001, 2.1 million U.S. residents 16 years old and older fed, observed, or

photographed wildlife in Tennessee. Approximately 79 percent—1.7 million of the wildlife watchers—enjoyed their

6.1 million

Wildlife-Watching Participants in Tennessee

(State residents and nonresidents 16 years old and older)

Total	2.1 million	100%
Residential	1.7 million	79%
Nonresidential	683 thousand	33%

Source: Table 24.

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Nonresidential (away from home) Wildlife-Watching Participation in Tennessee

(State residents and nonresidents 16 years old and older)

Days, total .....

Participants, total	683 thousand
Observe wildlife	676 thousand
Photograph wildlife	380 thousand
Feed wildlife	140 thousand

Observe wildlife	5.5 million
Photograph wildlife	1.5 million
Feed wildlife	1.3 million

Source: Table 25.

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# Residential (around the home) Wildlife-Watching Participation in Tennessee

(State residents 16 years old and older)

Total	1.7 million
Feed wildlife	1.6 million
Observe wildlife	1.1 million
Photograph wildlife	336 thousand
Maintain natural areas	198 thousand
Maintain plantings	198 thousand
Visit public areas	111 thousand

Source: Table 28.

Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.

activities close to home and are called "residential" participants. Those persons who enjoyed wildlife at least 1 mile from home are called "nonresidential" participants. People participating in nonresidential activities in Tennessee in 2001 numbered 683 thousand—33 percent of all wildlife watchers in Tennessee. Of the 683 thousand, 301 thousand were state residents and 382 thousand were nonresidents.

Tennesseans 16 years old and older who enjoyed nonresidential wildlife watching within their state totaled 301 thousand. Of this group, 301 thousand participants observed wildlife and 118 thousand photographed wildlife. Since some individuals engaged in more than one nonresidential activities during the year, the sum of wildlife observers and photographers exceeds the total number of nonresidential participants.

Tennesseans spent more than 3.1 million days engaged in nonresidential wildlifewatching activities in their state. During 2001, they spent 2.9 million days observing wildlife and 575 thousand days photographing wildlife. The sum of days observing, feeding, and photographing wildlife exceeds the total days of wildlifewatching activity because individuals may have engaged in more than one activity on some days. For further details about nonresidential activities, see Table 25.

Tennessee residents also took an active interest in wildlife around their homes. In 2001, 1.7 million state residents enjoyed observing, feeding, and photographing wildlife within 1 mile of their homes. Among this residential group, 1.6 million fed wildlife, 1.1 million observed wildlife, and 336 thousand photographed wildlife around their homes. Another 198 thousand participants maintained natural areas of one-quarter acre or more for wildlife; 198 thousand participants maintained plantings for the benefit of wildlife; and 111 thousand residential participants visited public parks within a mile of home. Adding the participants in these six activities results in a sum that exceeds the total number of residential participants because many people participated in more than one type of

### Wild Bird Observers

Bird watching attracted many wildlife enthusiasts in Tennessee. In 2001, 1.4 million people observed birds around the home and on trips. The majority, 72 percent (1 million), observed wild birds around the home while 42 percent (595 thousand) took trips away from home to watch birds.

People bird watching in Tennessee varied in their ability to identify different bird species. Within Tennessee, 1.1 million of these 1.4 million birders (76 percent) could identify 1 to 20 different types of birds; 143 thousand birders (10 percent) could identify 21 to 40 types of birds; and 140 thousand birders (10 percent) could identify 41 or more types of birds.

Approximately 64 thousand wild bird enthusiasts kept birding life lists in 2001. Participants keeping these lists—a tally of bird species seen by a birder during his or

her lifetime—comprised 5 percent of all wild bird observers in Tennessee. For further details about birding in Tennessee, see Tables 30 and 31.

# Wildlife-Watching Expenditures in Tennessee

Participants 16 years old and older spent \$449 million on wildlife-watching activities in Tennessee in 2001. Trip-related expenditures, including food and lodging (\$149 million), transportation (\$55 million), and other trip expenses such as equipment rental (\$3 million) amounted to nearly \$207 million. This summation comprised 46 percent of all wildlife-watching expenditures by participants. The average trip-related expenditure for nonresidential participants was \$303 per person in 2001.

Wildlife-watching participants spent \$212 million on equipment—47 percent of all their expenditures. Specifically,

wildlife-watching equipment (binoculars, special clothing, etc.) totaled \$165 million, 78 percent of the equipment total. Auxiliary equipment expenditures (tents, backpacking equipment, etc.) and special equipment expenditures (campers, trucks, etc.) amounted to \$47 million—22 percent of all equipment costs. Special and auxiliary equipment are items that were purchased for wildlife-watching recreation but can be used in activities other than wildlife-watching activities.

Other items purchased by wildlife-watching participants such as magazines, membership dues and contributions, land leasing and ownership, and plantings totaled \$29 million—7 percent of all wildlife-watching expenditures. For more details about wildlife-watching expenditures in Tennessee, see Table 33.

### Wild Bird Observers in Tennessee

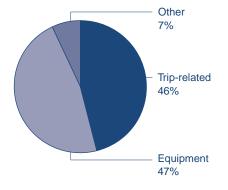
(State residents and nonresidents 16 years old and older)

Participants, total	1.4 million	100%
Residential (around the home)	1.0 million	72%
Nonresidential (away from home)	595 thousand	42%
Days, total	143 million	100%
Days, total	<b>143 million</b> 139 million	<b>100%</b> 97%

Source: Table 30.

Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.

# Wildlife-Watching Expenditures in Tennessee (Total: \$449 million)



### Wildlife-Watching Expenditures in Tennessee

(State residents and nonresidents 16 years old and older)

Total	\$449 million
Trip-related	\$207 million
Equipment	\$212 million
Wildlife-watching	\$165 million
Auxiliary and special	\$47 million
Other	\$29 million

Source: Table 33.

# 1991-2001 Survey Comparisons

Comparing the estimates from the 1991, 1996, and 2001 National Surveys provides a picture of wildlife-related recreation in the 1990s and early 2000s in Tennessee. Only the most general recreation comparisons are presented here.

The best way to compare estimates from surveys is to compare the confidence intervals around the estimates—not to compare the estimates themselves. A 90-percent confidence interval around an

estimate gives the range of estimates that 90 percent of all possible representative samples would supply. If the 90-percent confidence intervals of two survey's estimates overlap, it is not possible to say the two estimates are statistically different at the 10 percent level of significance.

The state resident estimates cover the participation and expenditure activity of Tennessee residents anywhere in the United States. The in-state estimates cover the participation, day, and

expenditure activity of U.S. residents in Tennessee.

The expenditure estimates were made comparable by adjusting the estimates for inflation—all dollar estimates are in 2001 dollars. Also, expenditure items that were not common to each survey were not included in the comparisons. Therefore, expenditure estimates used in the comparisons may not match the estimates presented elsewhere in this report.

# Tennessee 1991 and 2001 Comparison

	1991	2001	Percent change
Fishing (Numbers in thousands)			
Anglers in-state	996	903	*
Days in-state	13,690	15,035	*
In-state trip-related expenditures	\$336,685	\$263,252	*
State resident anglers	804	803	*
Total expenditures by state residents	\$641,126	\$467,108	*
Hunting (Numbers in thousands)			
Hunters in-state	361	359	*
Days in-state	7.316	6.651	*
In-state trip-related expenditures	\$100.391	\$113.886	*
State resident hunters	336	320	*
Total expenditures by state residents	\$405,238	\$654,682	+62
Nonresidential Wildlife Watching (Numbers in thousands)			
Participants in-state	957	683	-29
Days in-state	7.445	6.144	*
State resident participants	632	375	-41
Residential Wildlife Watching (Numbers in thousands)			
Total participants	1.649	1,655	*
Observers.	1.118	1.059	*
Feeders.	1,480	1,570	*
Wildlife-Watching Expenditures (Numbers in thousands)			
Trip-related expenditures by state residents.	\$163,798	\$112,065	*
Total expenditures by state residents	\$382,112	\$300,206	*

<sup>\*</sup>No significant difference at the 0.10 level of significance.

# Tennessee 1996 and 2001 Comparison

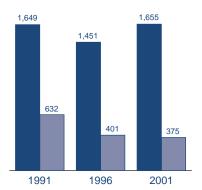
	1996	2001	Percent change
Fishing (Numbers in thousands)			
Anglers in-state	860	903	*
Days in-state	11,317	15,035	*
In-state trip-related expenditures	\$242,477	\$263,252	*
State resident anglers	704	803	*
Total expenditures by state residents	\$555,662	\$467,108	*
Hunting (Numbers in thousands)			
Hunters in-state	408	359	*
Days in-state	9,057	6,651	*
n-state trip-related expenditures	\$118,966	\$113,886	*
State resident hunters	380	320	*
Fotal expenditures by state residents	\$909,687	\$654,682	*
Nonresidential Wildlife Watching (Numbers in thousands)			
Participants in-state	655	683	*
Days in-state	4,452	6,144	*
State resident participants	401	375	*
Residential Wildlife Watching (Numbers in thousands)			
Fotal participants	1.451	1.655	+14
Dbservers	871	1.059	+22
Feeders.	1.397	1,570	*
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Wildlife-Watching Expenditures Numbers in thousands)			
Trip-related expenditures by state residents	\$148,345	\$112,065	*
Total expenditures by state residents	\$369,894	\$300,206	*





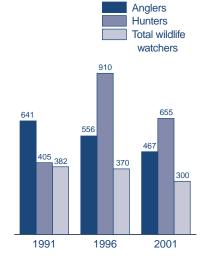
# Number of Tennessee Resident Wildlife Watchers: 1991-2001 (Thousands)

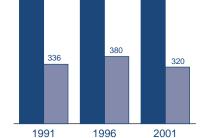




# Total Expenditures by Tennessee Residents: 1991-2001







# Guide to Statistical Tables

# **Purpose and Coverage of Tables**

The statistical tables of this report were designed to meet a wide range of needs for those interested in wildlife-related recreation. Special terms used in these tables are defined in Appendix A.

The tables are based on responses to the 2001 Survey which was designed to collect data about participation in wildlife-related recreation. To have taken part in the Survey, a respondent must have been a U.S. resident (a resident of one of the 50 states or the District of Columbia). No one residing outside the United States (including U.S. citizens) was eligible for interviewing. Therefore, reported state and national totals do not include participation by those who were not U.S. residents or who were residing outside the United States.

## **Comparability With Previous Surveys**

The numbers reported can be compared with those in the 1991 and 1996 Survey Reports. The methodology used in 2001 was similar to that used in 1996 and 1991. These results should not be directly compared to results from surveys earlier than 1991 since there were major changes in methodology. These changes were made to improve accuracy in the information provided.

# Coverage of an Individual Table

Since the Survey covers many activities in various places by participants of different ages, all table titles, headnotes, stubs, and footnotes are designed to identify and articulate each item being reported in the table. For example, the title of Table 2 shows that data about anglers and hunters, their days of participation, and their number of trips are being reported by type of activity. By contrast, the title of Table 7 indicates that it contains data on freshwater anglers and the days they fished for different species of fish.

### **Percentages Reported in the Tables**

Percentages are reported in the tables for the convenience of the user. When exclusive groups are being reported, the base of a percentage is apparent from its context because the percents add to 100 percent (plus or minus a rounding error). For example, if a table reports the number of trips taken by big game hunters (57 percent), those taken by small game hunters (23 percent), those taken by migratory bird hunters (12 percent), and those taken by sportspersons hunting other animals (8 percent), then these percentages would total 100 percent because they are exclusive categories.

Percents should not add to 100 when nonexclusive groups are being reported. Using Table 2 as an example, note that adding the percentages associated with total number of big game hunters, total small game hunters, total migratory bird hunters, and total hunters of other animals will not necessarily yield 100 percent because respondents could hunt for more than one type of game.

When the base of the percentage is not apparent in context, it is identified in a footnote. For example, Table 12 reports 3 percentages with different bases: one for the number of hunters, one for the number of trips, and one for days of hunting. Footnotes are used to clarify the bases of the reported percentages.

# Footnotes to the Tables

Footnotes are used to clarify the information or items that are being reported in a table. Symbols in the body of a table indicate important footnotes. These symbols are used in the tables to refer to the same footnote each time they appear:

- \* Estimate based on a small sample size.
- ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.
- W Less than .5 dollars.
- Z Less than .5 percent.
- X Not applicable.

NA Not available.

Estimates based upon fewer than 10 responses are regarded as being based on a sample size that is too small for reliable reporting. An estimate based upon at least 10 but fewer than 30 responses is treated as an estimate based on a small sample size. Other footnotes appear, as necessary, to qualify or clarify the estimates reported in the tables. In addition, these two important footnotes appear frequently:

- Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.
- Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse.

"Multiple responses" is a term used to reflect the fact that individuals or their characteristics fall into more than one category. Using Table 2 as an example, those who fished in saltwater and freshwater appear in both of these totals. Yet each angler is represented only once in the "Total, all fishing" row. Similarly, in Table 12 those who hunt for big game and small game are counted only once as a hunter in the "Total, all hunting" row. Therefore, totals may be smaller than the sum of subcategories when multiple responses exist.

"Nonresponse" exists because the survey questions were answered voluntarily and some respondents did not or could not answer all the questions. The effect of nonresponses is illustrated in Table 18 where the total for hunting expenditures may be greater than the sum for the different types of hunting expenditures. This occurs because some respondents did not specify the type of hunting as the primary purpose of the purchase. As a result, it is known that the expenditures were for hunting, but it is not known whether they were primarily for a particular type of hunting. In this case, totals are greater than the sum of subcategories when nonresponses have occurred.

Table 1. Fishing and Hunting in Tennessee by Resident and Nonresident Sportspersons: 2001

(Population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

	Total, residents and	state nonresidents	Resi	dents	Nonresidents		
Sportspersons	Number	Percent of sportspersons	Number	Percent of resident sportspersons	Number	Percent of nonresident sportspersons	
Total sportspersons (fished or hunted)	1,062	100	806	100	256	100	
Total anglers	903	85	709	88	194	76	
Fished only	702	66	518	64	184	72	
Fished and hunted	201	19	191	24			
Total hunters	359	34	288	36	71	28	
Hunted only	158	15	97	12	*62	*24	
Hunted and fished	201	19	191	24			

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.

Table 2. Anglers and Hunters, Days of Participation, and Trips in Tennessee by Type of Fishing and Hunting: 2001

(Population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

The of fighting and house	Partic	ipants	Days of pa	articipation	Trips	
Type of fishing and hunting	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
FISHING						
Total, all fishing	903	100	15,035	100	11,920	100
Total, all freshwater	903	100	15,035	100	11,920	100
Freshwater, except Great Lakes	903	100	15,035	100	11,920	100
Great Lakes						
Saltwater						
HUNTING						
Total, all hunting	359	100	6,651	100	6,868	100
Big game	262	73	4,112	62	3,805	55
Small game	157	44	2,267	34	1,536	22
Migratory bird	100	28	797	12	692	10
Other animals	*44	*12	*1,167	*18	*836	*12

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse.

Table 3. Anglers and Hunters, Trips, and Days of Participation: 2001

(Population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

	Activity in Tennessee					Activity by Tennessee residents in United States					es	
Anglers and hunters, trips, and days of participation	Total, residen nonres	ts and	State re	esidents	Nonresidents		Total, in state of residence and in other states		In state of residence		In other states	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
FISHING												
Total anglers	903	100	709	79	194	21	803	100	709	88	207	26
Total trips	11,920	100	10,756	90	1,164	10	12,016	100	10,756	90	1,260	10
Total days of fishing	15,035	100	13,409	89	1,627	11	15,451	100	13,409	87	2,042	13
Average days of fishing	17	(X)	19	(X)	8	(X)	19	(X)	19	(X)	10	(X)
HUNTING												
Total hunters	359	100	288	80	71	20	320	100	288	90	92	29
Total trips	6,868	100	6,448	94	420	6	7,059	100	6,448	91	611	9
Total days of hunting	6,651	100	6,069	91	582	9	6,962	100	6,069	87	893	13
Average days of hunting	19	(X)	21	(X)	8	(X)	22	(X)	21	(X)	10	(X)

<sup>(</sup>X) Not applicable.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.

Table 4. Tennessee Resident Anglers and Hunters by Place Fished or Hunted: 2001

(State population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

Place fished or hunted	Ang	glers	Hunters		
riace fished of fidited	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Total, all places	803	100	320	100	
In-state only	596	74	228	71	
In-state and other states	113	14	*60	*19	
In other states only	*94	*12	*32	*10	

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size.

Note: Detail may not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse.

Table 5. Tennessee Resident Anglers and Hunters, Days of Participation, and Trips in the United States by Type of Fishing and Hunting: 2001

(State population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

There of Calcing and Investiga	Partic	ipants	Days of pa	articipation	Trips	
Type of fishing and hunting	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
FISHING						
Total, all fishing	803	100	15,451	100	12,016	100
Total, all freshwater	763	95	14,859	96	11,737	98
Freshwater, except Great Lakes	763	95	14,806	96	11,728	98
Great Lakes						
Saltwater	*68	*8	*573	*4	*279	*2
HUNTING						
Total, all hunting	320	100	6,962	100	7,059	100
Big game	227	71	4,091	59	3,721	53
Small game	165	52	2,390	34	1,651	23
Migratory bird	110	34	1,112	16	855	12
Other animals	*44	*14	*1,143	*16	*832	*12

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse.

Table 6. Freshwater Anglers, Trips, Days of Fishing, and Type of Water Fished: 2001

(Population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

	Activity in Tennessee							
Anglers, trips, and days of fishing	Total, s residents and n		State re	esidents	Nonresidents			
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent		
Total anglers	903	100	709	79	194	21		
Total trips	11,920	100	10,756	90	1,164	10		
Total days of fishing	15,035	100	13,409	89	1,627	11		
Average days of fishing	17	(X)	19	(X)	8	(X)		
ANGLERS								
Total, all types of water.  Ponds, lakes or reservoirs  Rivers or streams.	<b>903</b> 737 391	100 100 100	<b>709</b> 603 323	<b>79</b> 82 82	<b>194</b> 134 69	21 18 18		
DAYS								
Total, all types of water.  Ponds, lakes or reservoirs	<b>15,035</b> 11,119	100 100	<b>13,409</b> 10,163	<b>89</b> 91	1,627 955	11 9		
Rivers or streams	5,375	100	4,578	85	798	15		

<sup>(</sup>X) Not applicable.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.

Table 7. Freshwater Anglers and Days of Fishing in Tennessee by Type of Fish: 2001

(Population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

	Activity in Tennessee							
Anglers and days of fishing	Total, sta		State resid	lents	Nonresidents			
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent		
ANGLERS								
Total, all types of fish	903	100	709	79	194	21		
Crappie	326	100	258	79	*67	*21		
Panfish	259	100	216	83	*43	*17		
White bass, striped bass, striped bass hybrids	168	100	137	82	*31	*18		
Black bass	460	100	386	84	*75	*16		
Catfish, bullheads	261	100	231	88	*31	*12		
Walleye, sauger	83	100	*66	*80				
Northern pike, pickerel, muskie, muskie hybrids								
Steelhead								
Trout	137	100	108	79	*29	*21		
Salmon								
Anything <sup>1</sup>	120	100	96	81	*23	*19		
Other freshwater fish								
DAYS								
Total, all types of fish	15,035	100	13,409	89	1,627	11		
Crappie	4,563	100	4,082	89	*481	*11		
Panfish	3,951	100	3,686	93	*265	*7		
White bass, striped bass, striped bass hybrids	2,761	100	2,588	94	*173	*6		
Black bass	7,250	100	6,494	90	*756	*10		
Catfish, bullheads	3,928	100	3,666	93	*263	*7		
Walleye, sauger	1,603	100	*1,348	*84				
Northern pike, pickerel, muskie, muskie hybrids								
Steelhead								
Trout	1,785	100	1,671	94	*114	*6		
Salmon								
Anything <sup>1</sup>	1,130	100	960	85	*170	*15		
Other freshwater fish								

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Respondent fished for no specific species and identified "Anything" from a list of categories of fish.

# Table 8. Great Lakes Anglers, Trips, and Days of Fishing in Tennessee: 2001

This table does not apply to this state.

# Table 9. Great Lakes Anglers and Days of Fishing in Tennessee by Type of Fish: 2001

This table does not apply to this state.

# Table 10. Saltwater Anglers, Trips, and Days of Fishing in Tennessee: 2001

This table does not apply to this state.

# Table 11. Saltwater Anglers and Days of Fishing in Tennessee by Type of Fish: 2001

This table does not apply to this state.

Table 12. Hunters, Trips, and Days of Hunting in Tennessee by Type of Hunting: 2001

(Population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

			Activity is	Tennessee		
Hunters, trips, and days of hunting	Total, residents and		State re	esidents	Nonresidents	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
HUNTERS						
Total, all hunting Big game Small game. Migratory bird Other animals.	359 262 157 100 *44	100 100 100 100 *100	288 208 147 92 *38	80 79 94 92 *85	<b>71</b> *54  	20 *21  
TRIPS						
Total, all hunting  Big game  Small game  Migratory bird  Other animals	<b>6,868</b> 3,805 1,536 692 *836	100 100 100 100 *100	<b>6,448</b> 3,442 1,507 684 *816	94 90 98 99 *98	*363  	*10  
DAYS						
Total, all hunting  Big game  Small game.  Migratory bird  Other animals.	<b>6,651</b> 4,112 2,267 797 *1,167	100 100 100 100 *100	6,069 3,635 2,232 773 *1,112	91 88 98 97 *95	*477 	*12  

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.

Table 13. Hunters and Days of Hunting in Tennessee by Type of Game: 2001

(Population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

Type of game	Hunters, residents and ne		Days of hunting		
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Total, all types of game	359	100	6,651	100	
Big game, total	<b>262</b> 228	<b>73</b> 63	<b>4,112</b> 3,665	<b>62</b> 55	
Elk					
Wild turkey	86	24	700	11	
Other big game					
Small game, total	<b>157</b> *67	<b>44</b> *19	<b>2,267</b> *825	<b>34</b> *12	
QuailGrouse/prairie chicken	*28	*8	*272	*4	
Squirrel	112	31	1,681	25	
Pheasant					
Migratory birds, total	100	28	797	12	
Geese	*54	*15	 *522	*8	
DoveOther migratory bird	*69	*19	*316	*5	
Other animals, total <sup>1</sup>	*44	*12	*1,167	*18	

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.

Table 14. Hunters and Days of Hunting in Tennessee by Type of Land: 2001

(Population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

Hunters and days of hunting	Total, residents and		State re	esidents	Nonresidents	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
HUNTERS						
Total, all types of land	359	100	288	100	71	100
Public land, total	113	32	109	38	•••	•••
Public land onlyPublic and private land	102	28	100	35		
Private land, total	341	95	280	97	*62	*86
Private land only	240 102	67 28	180 100	62 35	*60	*84
DAYS						
Total, all types of land	<b>6,651</b> 1,537 6,475	100 23 97	<b>6,069</b> 1,516 6,003	100 25 99	<b>582</b> *472	100  *81

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes groundhog, raccoon, fox, coyote, crow, prairie dog, etc.

Days of hunting on public land includes both days spent solely on public land and those spent on public and private land.
 Days of hunting on private land includes both days spent solely on private land and those spent on private and public land.

Table 15. Selected Characteristics of Tennessee Resident Anglers and Hunters: 2001

(State population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

	Popul	ation		portsperson hed or hunt			Anglers		Hunters		
Characteristic	Number	Percent	Number	Percent who partici- pated	Percent of sports- persons	Number	Percent who partici- pated	Percent of anglers	Number	Percent who partici- pated	Percent of hunters
Total persons	4,317	100	903	21	100	803	19	100	320	7	100
Population Density of Residence Urban	2,381 1,936	55 45	360 543	15 28	40 60	336 468	14 24	42 58	105 215	4 11	33 67
Population Size of Residence Metropolitan statistical area (MSA) . 1,000,000 or more 250,000 to 999,999 50,000 to 249,999 Outside MSA	3,097 707 2,235 155 1,221	72 16 52 4 28	576 101 460  327	19 14 21  27	64 11 51  36	526 *91 419  278	17 *13 19  23	65 *11 52  35	183 *44 133 	6 *6 6 	57 *14 41 
Sex Male	2,069 2,248	48 52	686 217	33 10	76 24	586 217	28 10	73 27	301	15	94
Age         16 to 17 years         18 to 24 years         25 to 34 years         35 to 44 years         45 to 54 years         55 to 64 years         65 years and older	188 401 721 841 869 593 703	4 9 17 19 20 14	*49 *83 187 203 197 117 *67	*26 *21 26 24 23 20 *9	*5 *9 21 22 22 13 *7	*40 *80 179 170 172 99 *64	*21 *20 25 20 20 17 *9	*5 *10 22 21 21 12 *8	*33 *31 *59 *68 *72 *40	*17 *8 *8 *8 *8 *7	*10 *10 *18 *21 *22 *12
Ethnicity Hispanic Non-Hispanic	*68 4,249	*2 98	 896	 21	 99	 796	 19	 99	 317	 7	 99
Race White	3,712 561 *44	86 13 *1	845 *48 	23 *9 	94 *5 	752 *45	20 *8 	94 *6 	308	8	96 
Annual Household Income  Under \$10,000 .  \$10,000 to \$19,999  \$20,000 to \$29,999  \$30,000 to \$39,999  \$40,000 to \$49,999  \$50,000 to \$74,999  \$75,000 to \$99,999  \$100,000 or more.  Not reported	272 354 523 479 307 557 300 456 1,070	6 8 12 11 7 13 7 11 25	**64 128 128 **84 158 **71 136 107	*18 24 27 *27 28 *24 30 10	*7 14 14 *9 17 *8 15	*53 117 115 *81 127 *64 127 94	*15 22 24 *26 23 *21 28 9	*7 15 14 *10 16 *8 16	*45 *44  *72 *30 *43 *51	 *9 *9  *13 *10 *9	*14 *14 *14 *22 *9 *13 *16
Education 11 years or less 12 years 1 to 3 years college 4 years college or more	854 1,576 912 975	20 37 21 23	161 364 179 199	19 23 20 20	18 40 20 22	137 323 159 184	16 21 17 19	17 40 20 23	*77 117 *64 *63	*9 7 *7 *6	*24 36 *20 *20

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses. Percent who participated shows the percent of each row's population who participated in the activity named by the column (the percent of those living in urban areas who fished, etc.). Remaining percent columns show the percent of each column's participants who are described by the row heading (the percent of anglers who lived in urban areas, etc.).

Table 16. Summary of Expenditures in Tennessee by U.S. Residents for Fishing and Hunting: 2001

Expenditure item	Amount (thousands of dollars)	Spenders (thousands)	Average per spender (dollars)	Average per sportsperson (dollars)
FISHING AND HUNTING				
Total.  Food and lodging.  Transportation Other trip costs <sup>1</sup> .  Equipment (fishing, hunting) Auxiliary equipment <sup>2</sup> .  Special equipment <sup>3</sup> Magazines and books Membership dues and contributions	1,267,557 177,277 89,219 116,757 260,205 52,024 *450,635 7,632 11,626	1,139 822 857 756 701 254 *79 166 116	1,113 216 104 154 371 204 *5,727 46	1,065 167 84 110 236 43 *331 5
Other <sup>4</sup>	102,183	739	138	82
FISHING				
Total.  Food and lodging.  Transportation.  Other trip costs <sup>1</sup> .  Fishing equipment.  Auxiliary equipment <sup>2</sup> .  Special equipment <sup>3</sup> .  Magazines and books  Membership dues and contributions  Other <sup>4</sup> .	480,221 113,584 50,996 100,406 114,019 *14,842 *42,928 *2,856 *1,447 39,144	948 680 692 726 538 *89 *32 *86 *39 614	507 167 74 138 212 *167 *1,358 *33 *37 64	488 126 56 111 121 *15 *28 *3 *2 26
HUNTING				
Total.  Food and lodging.  Transportation.  Other trip costs¹.  Hunting equipment.  Auxiliary equipment².  Special equipment³.  Magazines and books  Membership dues and contributions  Other⁴.	588,691 63,694 38,223 *16,351 137,839 24,319 *222,108 *3,696 *6,816 75,646	395 282 298 *80 250 122 *28 *58 *65 278	1,491 226 128 *204 552 199 *8,030 *64 *106 272	1,338 177 106 *45 357 56 *362 *7 *18
UNSPECIFIED <sup>5</sup>				
Total  Auxiliary equipment <sup>2</sup> Special equipment <sup>3</sup> Magazines and books  Membership dues and contributions	<b>202,906</b> *12,863 *185,599	*71 *71 *28  	1,707 *182 *6,594 	*111 *170 

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse. See Tables 19-20 for a detailed listing of expenditure items.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes boating costs, equipment rental, guide fees, access fees, heating and cooking fuel, and ice and bait (for fishing only).
<sup>2</sup> Includes tents, special clothing, etc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Includes boats, campers, 4x4 vehicles, cabins, etc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Includes land leasing and ownership, licenses, stamps, tags, and permits.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Respondent could not specify whether expenditure was primarily for either fishing or hunting.

Table 17. Summary of Fishing Trip and Equipment Expenditures in Tennessee by U.S. Residents, by Type of Fishing: 2001

Expenditure item	Amount (thousands of dollars)	Spenders (thousands)	Average per spender (dollars)	Average per angler (dollars)
ALL FISHING				
Total	<b>436,774</b> 113,584 50,996 100,406 171,789	891 680 692 726 564	490 167 74 138 305	<b>458</b> 126 56 111 164
ALL FRESHWATER				
Food and lodging	<b>377,301</b> 113,584 50,996 100,406 112,315	864 680 692 726 516	437 167 74 138 218	414 126 56 111 121
FRESHWATER, EXCEPT GREAT LAKES				
Total	<b>376,802</b> 113,584 50,996 100,406 111,817	864 680 692 726 516	436 167 74 138 217	<b>414</b> 126 56 111 121
GREAT LAKES				
Total.  Food and lodging.  Transportation.  Other trip costs.  Equipment	  	  	  	  
SALTWATER				
Total  Food and lodging  Transportation  Other trip costs  Equipment	  	  		  

<sup>...</sup> Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse. See Table 19 for detailed listing of expenditure items.

Table 18. Summary of Hunting Trip and Equipment Expenditures in Tennessee by U.S. Residents, by Type of Hunting: 2001

Expenditure item	Amount (thousands of dollars)	Spenders (thousands)	Average per spender (dollars)	Average per hunter (dollars)
ALL HUNTING		,	· /	
Total  Food and lodging  Transportation.  Other trip costs.  Equipment.	<b>502,534</b> 63,694 38,223 *16,351 384,266	368 282 298 *80 264	1,366 226 128 *204 1,458	1,104 177 106 *45 775
BIG GAME				
Total  Food and lodging  Transportation.  Other trip costs.  Equipment.	<b>302,062</b> 47,949 25,844 *9,967 218,303	256 214 221 *66 145	1,180 224 117 *151 1,501	<b>1,061</b> 183 99 *38 741
SMALL GAME				
Total  Food and lodging  Transportation  Other trip costs  Equipment	53,722 8,111 6,684  38,552	154 107 103  99	349 76 65  388	407 132 109  161
MIGRATORY BIRD				
Total  Food and lodging  Transportation.  Other trip costs.  Equipment.	121,917 *6,466 *4,817  *104,775	109 *72 *66  *69	1,117 *90 *73  *1,526	1,272 *308 *229  *456
OTHER ANIMALS				
Food and lodging	*4,047  	*25  	*162  	*153   

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse. See Table 20 for detailed listing of expenditure items.

Table 19. Expenditures in Tennessee by U.S. Residents for Fishing: 2001

	Expend	litures	Spenders			
Expenditure item	Amount (thousands of dollars)	Average per angler (dollars)	Number (thousands)	Percent of anglers	Average per spender (dollars)	
Total, all items	480,221	488	948	105	507	
TRIP-RELATED EXPENDITURES						
Total trip-related	264,985	293	807	89	328	
Food and lodging, total	<b>113,584</b> 80,460 33,123	<b>126</b> 89 37	<b>680</b> 673 130	<b>75</b> 75 14	167 120 254	
Transportation	50,996	56	692	77	74	
Other trip costs, total  Privilege and other fees¹  Boating costs²  Bait.  Ice  Heating and cooking fuel	100,406 6,039 56,343 28,591 7,699 *1,733	111 7 62 32 9 *2	726 128 254 588 345 *47	80 14 28 65 38 *5	138 47 221 49 22 *37	
EQUIPMENT AND OTHER EXPENDITURES PRIMARILY FOR FISHING						
Fishing equipment, total.  Reels, rods, and rod making components Lines, hooks, sinkers, etc Artificial lures and flies Creels, stringers, fish bags, landing nets, and gaff hooks Minnow seines, traps, and bait containers Other fishing equipment <sup>3</sup>	114,019 44,429 18,817 21,832 *766 *567 27,610	121 47 20 24 *1 *1 28	538 266 422 351 *70 *63	60 29 47 39 *8 *7 16	212 167 45 62 *11 *9	
Auxiliary equipment <sup>4</sup>	*14,842 *42,928 43,447	*15 *28 31	*89 *32 644	*10 *3 71	*167 *1,358 67	

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse. Percent of anglers may be greater than 100 because spenders who did not fish in this state are included.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes boat or equipment rental and fees for guides, pack trip (party and charter boats, etc.), public land use, and private land use.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Includes boat launching, mooring, storage, maintenance, insurance, pumpout fees and fuel.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Includes electronic fishing devices (depth finders, fish finders, etc.), tackle boxes, ice fishing equipment, and other fishing equipment.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Includes tents, special fishing clothing, etc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Includes boats, campers, 4x4 vehicles, cabins, etc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Includes magazines and books, membership dues and contributions, land leasing and ownership, licenses, stamps, tags, and permits.

Table 20. Expenditures in Tennessee by U.S. Residents for Hunting: 2001

	Expen	ditures		Spenders	
Expenditure item	Amount (thousands of dollars)	Average per hunter (dollars)	Number (thousands)	Percent of hunters	Average per spender (dollars)
Total, all items	588,691	1,338	395	110	1,491
TRIP-RELATED EXPENDITURES					
Total trip-related	118,267	329	307	85	386
Food and lodging, total	<b>63,694</b> 49,115 *14,579	<b>177</b> 137 *41	<b>282</b> 282 *42	<b>78</b> 78 *12	<b>226</b> 174 *346
Transportation	38,223	106	298	83	128
Other trip costs, total  Privilege and other fees¹  Boating costs  Heating and cooking fuel	*16,351 *11,969 *2,914 *1,467	*45 *33 *8 *4	*80 *41 *31 *40	*22 *11 *9 *11	*204 *295 *93 *37
EQUIPMENT AND OTHER EXPENDITURES PRIMARILY FOR HUNTING					
Hunting equipment, total.  Guns and rifles  Ammunition.  Other hunting equipment <sup>2</sup> .  Auxiliary equipment <sup>3</sup> Special equipment <sup>4</sup>	137,839 74,855 13,477 49,507 24,319 *222,108	357 194 33 129 56 *362	250 97 214 144 122 *28	69 27 59 40 34 *8	552 768 63 344 199 *8,030
Other hunting costs <sup>5</sup>	86,158	234	294	82	294

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse. Percent of hunters may be greater than 100 percent because spenders who did not hunt in this state are included.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes guide fees, pack trip or package fees, public and private land use access fees, and rental of equipment such as boats and hunting or camping equipment.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Includes bows, arrows, archery equipment, telescopic sights, decoys and game calls, handloading equipment and components, hunting dogs and associated costs, hunting knives, and other hunting equipment.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Includes tents, special hunting clothing, etc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Includes boats, campers, 4x4 vehicles, cabins, etc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Includes magazines and books, membership dues and contributions, land leasing and ownership, licenses, stamps, and permits.

Table 21. Trip and Equipment Expenditures in Tennessee for Fishing and Hunting by Tennessee Residents and Nonresidents: 2001

Equipment item	Amount (thousands of dollars)	Spenders (thousands)	Average per spender (dollars)	Average per sportsperson (dollars)
STATE RESIDENTS AND NONRESIDENTS				
Trip and equipment expenditures for fishing and hunting, total	1,146,116	1,073	1,068	944
Trip and equipment expenditures for fishing, total  Food and lodging.  Transportation  Boating costs <sup>1</sup> Other trip costs <sup>2</sup> .  Equipment	<b>436,774</b> 113,584 50,996 56,343 44,063 171,789	891 680 692 254 688 564	490 167 74 221 64 305	458 126 56 62 49 164
Trip and equipment expenditures for hunting, total.  Food and lodging.  Transportation  Boating costs <sup>1</sup> Other trip costs <sup>2</sup> Equipment	<b>502,534</b> 63,694 38,223 *2,914 *13,436 384,266	368 282 298 *31 *65 264	1,366 226 128 *93 *206 1,458	1,104 177 106 *8 *37 775
Unspecified equipment <sup>3</sup>	206,809	125	1,648	181
STATE RESIDENTS				
Trip and equipment expenditures for fishing and hunting, total	969,345	802	1,209	1,069
Trip and equipment expenditures for fishing, total  Food and lodging.  Transportation  Boating costs¹  Other trip costs².  Equipment  Trip and equipment expenditures for hunting, total.  Food and lodging.  Transportation  Boating costs¹  Other trip costs².  Equipment	345,125 73,630 36,561 48,722 38,407 147,805 463,543 50,393 30,284 *2,914 *11,855 368,098	693 533 538 199 555 499 285 229 240 *31 *58 230	498 138 68 245 69 296 1,625 220 126 *93 *204 1,603	483 104 52 69 54 205 1,278 175 105 *10 *41 946
Unspecified equipment <sup>3</sup>	160,677	114	1,409	187
NONRESIDENTS				
Trip and equipment expenditures for fishing and hunting, total	176,771	271	652	548
Trip and equipment expenditures for fishing, total  Food and lodging.  Transportation  Boating costs <sup>1</sup> Other trip costs <sup>2</sup> Equipment	91,649 39,953 14,435 *7,621 5,656 *23,984	198 147 154 *55 133 *65	464 272 94 *138 43 *367	364 206 74 *39 29 *15
Trip and equipment expenditures for hunting, total.  Food and lodging.  Transportation  Boating costs <sup>1</sup> Other trip costs <sup>2</sup> .  Equipment	38,991 *13,301 *7,940  *16,169	<b>83</b> *53 *58 *34	*251 *138  *477	<b>401</b> *187 *111  *81
Unspecified equipment <sup>3</sup>	•••	•••	•••	•••

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes boat launching, mooring, storage, maintenance, insurance, pumpout fees, and fuel.
 <sup>2</sup> Includes equipment rental, guide and access fees, ice and bait for fishing, and heating and cooking oil.
 <sup>3</sup> Respondent could not specify whether item was for fishing or for hunting.

Table 22. Summary of Expenditures by Tennessee Residents in the United States for Fishing and Hunting: 2001

(State population 16 years old and older)

	Amount		Average per	Average per
Expenditure item	(thousands	Spenders	spender	sportsperson
	of dollars)	(thousands)	(dollars)	(dollars)
FISHING AND HUNTING				
Total	1,279,254	853	1,500	1,416
Food and lodging	192,204	699	275	213
Transportation	116,159	725	160	129
Other trip costs <sup>1</sup>	130,359	669	195	144
Equipment (fishing, hunting)	262,889	634	415	291
Auxiliary equipment <sup>2</sup>	51,794	237	219	57
Special equipment <sup>3</sup>	*400,359	*72	*5,598	*443
Magazines and books	8,129	170	48	9
Membership dues and contributions	11,593	108	107	13
Other <sup>4</sup>	105,766	610	173	117
FISHING				
Total	468,841	758	618	584
Food and lodging.	116,448	604	193	145
Transportation	64,261	606	106	80
Other trip costs <sup>1</sup>	101,481	640	158	126
Fishing equipment	115,887	499	232	144
Auxiliary equipment <sup>2</sup>	*15,159	*85	*179	*19
Special equipment <sup>3</sup>				
Magazines and books	*3,199	*93	*35	*4
Membership dues and contributions	*1,493	*39	*38	*2
Other <sup>4</sup>	25,316	517	49	32
HUNTING				
Total	659,063	307	2,145	2,058
Food and lodging.	75,757	257	294	237
Transportation	51.898	263	197	162
Other trip costs <sup>1</sup>	*28,879	*87	*330	*90
Hunting equipment	138,717	227	611	433
Auxiliary equipment <sup>2</sup>	24,004	114	211	75
Special equipment <sup>3</sup>				
Magazines and books	*3,612	*57	*63	*11
Membership dues and contributions	*6,860	*61	*113	*21
Other <sup>4</sup>	94,334	244	387	295
UNSPECIFIED <sup>5</sup>				
Total.	156,950	112	1,407	174
Auxiliary equipment <sup>2</sup>	*12,631	*68	*185	*14
Special equipment <sup>3</sup>				
Magazines and books				•••
Membership dues and contributions				•••
	***	•••	•••	

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse. See Tables 19-20 for a detailed listing of expenditure items.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes boating costs, equipment rental, guide fees, access fees, heating and cooking fuel, and ice and bait (for fishing only). <sup>2</sup> Includes tents, special clothing, etc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Includes boats, campers, 4x4 vehicles, cabins, etc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Includes land leasing and ownership, licenses, stamps, tags, and permits.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Respondent could not specify whether expenditure was primarily for either fishing or hunting.

## Table 23. Summary of Expenditures by Tennessee Residents in State and Out of State for Fishing and Hunting: 2001

(State population 16 years old and older)

Expenditure item	Amount (thousands of dollars)	Spenders (thousands)	Average per spender (dollars)	Average per sportsperson (dollars)
IN TENNESSEE				
Expenditures for fishing and hunting, total  Trip-related expenditures.  Equipment (fishing and hunting)  Auxiliary equipment <sup>1</sup> .  Special equipment <sup>2</sup> .  Other <sup>3</sup> .	1,065,106 292,766 246,732 50,173 *379,674 95,760	820 738 620 234 *68 604	1,299 397 398 214 *5,556 159	1,321 363 306 62 *471 119
Expenditures for fishing, total  Trip-related expenditures  Fishing equipment  Auxiliary equipment <sup>1</sup> Special equipment <sup>2</sup> Other <sup>3</sup>	<b>369,621</b> 197,321 107,667 *14,541 24,496	719 641 480 *82  514	514 308 224 *178  48	521 278 152 *20 
Expenditures for hunting, total  Trip-related expenditures.  Hunting equipment  Auxiliary equipment <sup>1</sup> .  Special equipment <sup>2</sup> .  Other <sup>3</sup> .	<b>542,275</b> 95,445 130,781 23,001  78,732	296 249 227 111  238	1,833 383 576 207  331	1,882 331 454 80  273
Unspecified expenditures for fishing and hunting, total <sup>4</sup> Auxiliary equipment <sup>1</sup> Special equipment <sup>2</sup> Other <sup>3</sup>	154,440 *10,411  *4,268	90 *53  *29	1,721 *198  *148	*13 *13  *5
OUT OF STATE				
Expenditures for fishing and hunting, total  Trip-related expenditures.  Equipment (fishing and hunting)  Auxiliary equipment <sup>1</sup> .  Special equipment <sup>2</sup> Other <sup>3</sup> .	213,950 145,957 *16,157   29,530	281 245 *60   143	762 596 *269   207	<b>825</b> 563 *62 114
Expenditures for fishing, total  Trip-related expenditures  Fishing equipment  Auxiliary equipment <sup>1</sup> Special equipment <sup>2</sup> Other <sup>3</sup>	99,219 84,869 *8,220  *5,513	208 177 *47  *98	476 480 *175  *56	517 442 *43  *29
Expenditures for hunting, total  Trip-related expenditures.  Hunting equipment  Auxiliary equipment <sup>1</sup> .  Special equipment <sup>2</sup> .  Other <sup>3</sup> .	116,788 *61,089    *26,075	107 *85    *68	1,088 *715    *383	1,272 *665    *284
Unspecified expenditures for fishing and hunting, total <sup>4</sup>		  	  	 

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes tents, special hunting or fishing clothing, etc.
 <sup>2</sup> Includes boats, campers, 4x4 vehicles, cabins, etc.
 <sup>3</sup> Includes magazines, books, membership dues, contributions, land leasing and ownership, stamps, tags, and licenses.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Respondent could not specify whether expenditure was primarily for either fishing or hunting.

Table 24. U.S. Residents Participating in Wildlife Watching in Tennessee: 2001

Participants	Number	Percent
Total participants.	2,084	100
Nonresidential (away from home)	683	33
Observe wildlife	676	32
Photograph wildlife	380	18
Feed wildlife	*140	*7
Residential (around the home)	1,655	79
Observe wildlife	1,059	51
Photograph wildlife	336	16
Feed wildlife	1,570	75
Visit public parks <sup>1</sup>	*111	*5
Maintain plantings or natural areas	273	13

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.

Table 25. Participants, Trips, and Days of Participation in Nonresidential (Away From Home)
Wildlife-Watching Activities in Tennessee: 2001

(Population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

	Activity in Tennessee								
Participants, trips, and days of participation	Total, state resid		State reside	nts	Nonresidents				
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent			
PARTICIPANTS									
Total participants	683 676 380 *140	100 99 56 *21	<b>301</b> 301 *118	100 100 *39 	382 375 262 *89	100 98 68 *23			
TRIPS									
Total trips	4,694 1	100 (X)	2,702 1	100 (X)	1,992	100 (X)			
DAYS									
Total days  Observing wildlife  Photographing wildlife.  Feeding wildlife	<b>6,144</b> 5,457 1,541 *1,288	100 89 25 *21	<b>3,138</b> 2,891 *575	100 92 *18 	<b>3,007</b> 2,566 966 *482	100 85 32 *16			
Average days per participant  Observing wildlife  Photographing wildlife  Feeding wildlife	9 8 4 *9	(X) (X) (X) (X)	10 10 *5 	(X) (X) (X) (X)	<b>8</b> 7 4 *5	(X) (X) (X) (X)			

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size.

(X) Not applicable.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes visits only to parks or publicly owned areas within 1 mile of home.

<sup>...</sup> Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Table 26. Nonresidential (Away From Home) Wildlife-Watching Participants Visiting Public Areas in Tennessee and Type of Site Visited: 2001

Participants and sites	Total, state res nonresid		State re	sidents	Nonresidents		
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Total participants	683	100	301	100	382	100	
Visited public areas	546	80	250	83	297	78	
Did not visit public areas	*137	*20	*51	*17	*86	*22	
Total, all sites	683	100	301	100	382	100	
Oceanside							
Lakes and streamsides	524	77	220	73	304	79	
Marsh, wetland, swamp	*137	*20	*83	*27			
Woodland	531	78	241	80	290	76	
Brush-covered areas	388	57	195	65	193	50	
Open field	398	58	206	69	192	50	
Man-made area	178	26	*81	*27	*97	*25	
Other	*75	*11			*40	*10	

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.

Table 27. Nonresidential (Away From Home) Wildlife-Watching Participants by Wildlife Observed, Photographed, or Fed in Tennessee: 2001

(Population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

Wildlife observed, photographed, or fed	Total, state re		State re	esidents	Nonresidents		
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Total all wildlife	683	100	301	44	382	56	
Total birds	595	100	255	43	340	57	
Songbirds	438	100	*179	*41	259	59	
Birds of prey	398	100	*188	*47	210	53	
Waterfowl	421	100	*182	*43	239	57	
Shorebirds	*137	*100	*87	*63			
Other birds	250	100	*119	*48	*131	*52	
Total land mammals	527	100	222	42	305	58	
Large land mammals	462	100	*185	*40	276	60	
Small land mammals	416	100	*177	*42	239	58	
Fish.	*160	*100			*111	*69	
Marine mammals	287	100	*115	*40	172	60	

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.

Table 28. Participation in Residential (Around the Home) Wildlife-Watching Activities in Tennessee: 2001

Deal doubled politicity	Partici	pants	Decidential entireity	Participants		
Residential activity	ial activity Residential activity Percent		Number	Percent		
Total residential participants	1,655	100	11 to 50 days	262	25	
Observe wildlife	1,059	64	51 to 200 days	295	28	
Visit public parks <sup>1</sup>	*111	*7	201 days or more	293	28	
Photograph wildlife	336	20				
Feed wildlife	1,570	95	Participants Visiting Public Parks <sup>1</sup>			
Maintain natural areas	198	12	Total, 1 day or more	*111	*100	
Maintain plantings	198	12	1 to 5 days			
			6 to 10 days			
Participants Observing Wildlife			11 days or more	*60	*54	
Total, all wildlife	1,059	100				
Birds	1,017	96	Participants Photographing Wildlife			
Land mammals	919	87	Total, 1 day or more	336	100	
Large mammals	497	47	1 to 3 days	*147	*44	
Small mammals	867	82	4 to 10 days	*91	*27	
Amphibians or reptiles	263	25	11 or more days	*68	*20	
Insects or spiders	285	27				
Fish and other wildlife	*159	*15	Participants Feeding Wildlife			
			Total, all wildlife	1,570	100	
Total, 1 day or more	1,059	100	Wild birds	1,549	99	
1 to 10 days	*138	*13	Other wildlife	548	35	

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse.

Table 29. Tennessee Residents Participating in Wildlife Watching in the United States: 2001

(State population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

Participants	Number	Percent of participants	Percent of population
Total participants	1,706	100	40
Nonresidential (away from home)	375	22	9
Residential (around home)	1,655	97	38
Observe wildlife	1,059	62	25
Photograph wildlife	336	20	8
Feed wild birds or other wildlife	1,570	92	36
Maintain plantings or natural areas	273	16	6
Visit public parks	*111	*7	*3

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses. The column showing percent of participants is based on total participants. The column showing percent of population is based on the state population 16 years old and older, including those who did not participate in wildlife watching.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes visits only to parks or publicly owned areas within 1 mile of home.

Table 30. Wild Bird Observers and Days of Observation in Tennessee: 2001

Observers and days of observation	Total, state residents and nonresidents		State re	esidents	Nonresidents		
·	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
OBSERVERS							
Total bird observers	<b>1,420</b> 1,017 595	100 72 42	<b>1,080</b> 1,017 255	100 94 24	<b>340</b> 340	<b>100</b> 100	
DAYS							
Total days observing birds	<b>143,476</b> 138,931 4,545	100 97 3	<b>141,102</b> 138,931 2,171	100 98 2	<b>2,374</b> 2,374	100  100	

<sup>...</sup> Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses.

Table 31. Wild Bird Observers in Tennessee Who Can Identify Wild Birds by Sight or Sound, and Who Keep Birding Life Lists: 2001

(State population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

Participants	Number	Percent
Total bird observers.	1,420	100
Observers who can identify: 1-20 bird species 21-40 bird species 41 or more species.	1,074 *143 *140	76 *10 *10
Observers who keep birding life lists	*64	*5

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size.

Table 32. Selected Characteristics of Tennessee Residents Participating in Wildlife Watching: 2001

							Participants				
	Popul	lation		Total		Nonresidential (away from home)		Residential (around the home)			
Characteristic	Number	Percent	Number	Percent who partici- pated	Percent	Number	Percent who partici- pated	Percent	Number	Percent who partici- pated	Percent
Total persons	4,317	100	1,706	40	100	375	9	100	1,655	38	100
<b>Population Density of Residence</b>											
Urban	2,381 1,936	55 45	759 947	32 49	44 56	*191 184	*8 10	*51 49	722 933	30 48	44 56
Population Size of Residence Metropolitan statistical area (MSA) 1,000,000 or more 250,000 to 999,999 50,000 to 249,999 Outside MSA	3,097 707 2,235 155 1,221	72 16 52 4 28	1,116 *124 956  591	36 *18 43  48	65 *7 56  35	238  *188  *137	8  *8  *11	63  *50  *37	1,083 *124 924  572	35 *18 41  47	65 *7 56  35
Sex Male Female	2,069 2,248	48 52	767 939	37 42	45 55	*200 *174	*10 *8	*53 *47	726 929	35 41	44 56
Age  16 to 17 years  18 to 24 years  25 to 34 years  35 to 44 years  45 to 54 years  55 to 64 years  65 years and older	188 401 721 841 869 593 703	4 9 17 19 20 14 16	 233 405 389 304 279	 32 48 45 51 40	 14 24 23 18 16	*100 *107 *66 	*14 *13 *8 	*27 *29 *18	*214 405 389 294 279	*30 48 45 50 40	*13 24 23 18
Ethnicity Hispanic	*68 4,249	*2 98	 1,701	 40	 100	 369	 9	 99	 1,649	 39	 100
Race White	3,712 561 *44	86 13 *1	1,659 	45 	97 	369 	10 	99 	1,608 	43	97 
Annual Household Income  Under \$10,000 \$10,000 to \$19,999 \$20,000 to \$29,999 \$30,000 to \$39,999 \$40,000 to \$49,999 \$50,000 to \$74,999 \$75,000 to \$99,999 \$100,000 or more. Not reported.	272 354 523 479 307 557 300 456 1,070	6 8 12 11 7 13 7 11 25	*95 *134 198 *192 *154 276 *162 245 251	*35 *38 38 *40 *50 50 *54 54 23	*6 *8 12 *11 *9 16 *9 14	   *84 *78 	   *15 *26 	  *23 *21	*95 *134 188 *183 *154 270 *135 245 251	*35 *38 36 *38 *50 49 *45 54 23	*6 *8 11 *11 *9 16 *8 15
Education 11 years or less 12 years 1 to 3 years college 4 years college or more.	854 1,576 912 975	20 37 21 23	305 681 337 383	36 43 37 39	18 40 20 22	*163  *122	*10  *13	*44  *33	283 662 337 373	33 42 37 38	17 40 20 23

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse. Percent who participated shows the percent of each row's population who participated in the activity named by the column (the percent of those living in urban areas who participated, etc.). Percent columns show the percent of each column's participants who are described by the row heading (the percent of those who participated who live in urban areas, etc.).

Table 33. Expenditures in Tennessee by U.S. Residents for Wildlife Watching: 2001

				Spenders	
Expenditure item	Expenditures (thousands of dollars)	Average per participant (dollars)	Number (thousands)	Percent of wildlife-watching participants <sup>1</sup>	Average per spender (dollars)
Total, all items	448,543	215	1,766	85	254
TRIP EXPENDITURES					
Total trip-related.  Food and lodging  Food.  Lodging.  Transportation.  Other trip costs <sup>2</sup>	206,729 148,601 85,769 62,832 55,118 *3,009	303 217 126 92 81 *4	618 544 540 296 582 *106	90 80 79 43 85 *16	335 273 159 213 95 *28
EQUIPMENT AND OTHER EXPENDITURES					
Total	241,814	116	1,323	64	183
Wildlife-watching equipment, total.  Binoculars, spotting scopes Film and developing.  Cameras, special lenses, videocameras, and other photographic equipment.  Day packs, carrying cases, and special clothing. Bird food.  Food for other wildlife.  Nest boxes, bird houses, bird feeders, and bird baths.  Other equipment (including field guides).	165,441 *8,292 15,114 *18,823  72,542 17,108 26,787 *3,730	79 *4 7 *9 35 8 13 *2	1,268 *87 224 *53  1,128 295 418 *57	61 *4 11 *3  54 14 20 *3	*95 68 *355  64 58 64 *65
Auxiliary equipment <sup>3</sup> Special equipment <sup>4</sup>	*5,730  *4,059 *7,407  17,442	*3  *2 *4 	*48  *124 *96  198	*2  *6 *5  12	*120  *33 *77  88

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

<sup>1</sup> Percent of wildlife-watching participants column for trip-related expenditures is based on nonresidential participants. For equipment and other expenditures, the percent of wildlife-watching participants column is based on total wildlife-watching participants.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Includes equipment rental and fees for guides, pack trips, public land use and private land use, boat fuel, other boating costs, and heating and cooking fuel.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Includes tents, tarps, frame packs and other backpacking equipment, other camping equipment, and other auxiliary equipment.

<sup>4</sup> Includes travel or tent trailers, off-the-road vehicles, pickups, campers or vans, motor homes, boats, and other special equipment.

Table 34. Trip and Equipment Expenditures in Tennessee for Wildlife Watching by Residents and Nonresidents: 2001

Expenditure item	Amount (thousands of dollars)	Spenders (thousands)	Average per spender (dollars)	Average per participant (dollars)
STATE RESIDENTS AND NONRESIDENTS				
Total.  Food and lodging Transportation Other trip costs <sup>1</sup> Equipment <sup>2</sup>	<b>419,180</b> 148,601 55,118 *3,009 212,452	1,743 544 582 *106 1,296	240 273 95 *28 164	<b>201</b> 217 81 *4 102
STATE RESIDENTS				
Total.  Food and lodging.  Transportation  Other trip costs <sup>1</sup> Equipment <sup>2</sup> .	229,837 *24,897 14,922  189,569	1,288 *181 242  1,202	178 *138 62  158	135 *83 50 
NONRESIDENTS				
Total.  Food and lodging.  Transportation  Other trip costs <sup>1</sup> Equipment <sup>2</sup> .	189,343 123,704 40,196 *2,560 *22,883	455 363 340 *71 *94	416 341 118 *36 *244	495 323 105 *7 *60

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse. See Table 33 for a detailed listing of expenditure items.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes equipment rental and fees for guides, pack trips, public land use, private land use, boat fuel, other boating costs, and heating and cooking fuel.
<sup>2</sup> Includes wildlife watching, auxiliary and special equipment.

Table 35. Expenditures in the United States by Tennessee Residents for Wildlife Watching: 2001

				Spenders	
Expenditure item	Expenditures (thousands of dollars)	Average per participant (dollars)	Number (thousands)	Percent of wildlife-watching participants <sup>1</sup>	Average per spender (dollars)
Total, all items	337,864	198	1,338	78	253
TRIP EXPENDITURES					
Total trip-related.  Food and lodging Food. Lodging.  Transportation. Other trip costs <sup>2</sup>	114,678 71,712 50,746  40,352	381 238 169  134	307 235 235  296	102 78 78  98	374 305 216  136
EQUIPMENT AND OTHER EXPENDITURES					
Total	223,186	131	1,246	73	179
Wildlife-watching equipment, total.  Binoculars, spotting scopes  Film and developing.  Cameras, special lenses, videocameras, and other photographic equipment.	<b>149,789</b> *8,443 15,397	<b>88</b> *5 9	1,222 *92 216	72 *5 13	123 *91 71
Day packs, carrying cases, and special clothing	73,219 17,148 26,283	43 10 15	1,135 303 404	67 18 24	65 57 65
Auxiliary equipment <sup>3</sup> .  Special equipment <sup>4</sup> .  Magazines and books.  Membership dues and contributions.  Land leasing and ownership.  Plantings.	 *4,836 *7,644  17,442	 *3 *4 	*165 *90  198	*10 *5 	 *29 *85  88

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

<sup>1</sup> Percent of wildlife-watching participants column for trip-related expenditures is based on nonresidential participants. For equipment and other expenditures, the percent of wildlife-watching participants column is based on total wildlife-watching participants.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Includes equipment rental and fees for guides, pack trips, public land use and private land use, boat fuel, other boating costs, and heating and cooking fuel.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Includes tents, tarps, frame packs and other backpacking equipment, other camping equipment, and other auxiliary equipment.

<sup>4</sup> Includes travel or tent trailers, off-the-road vehicles, pickups, campers or vans, motor homes, boats, and other special equipment.

Table 36. Summary of Expenditures by Tennessee Residents in State and Out of State for Wildlife Watching: 2001

(State population 16 years old and older)

Expenditure item	Amount (thousands of dollars)	Spenders (thousands)	Average per spender (dollars)	Average per participant (dollars)
IN TENNESSEE				
Expenditures for wildlife watching, total Trip-related expenditures. Wildlife-watching equipment Auxiliary equipment Special equipment Other.	258,840 40,269 147,217  11,561	1,307 247 1,192   192	198 163 124  60	152 134 86   7
OUT OF STATE				
Expenditures for wildlife watching, total Trip-related expenditures. Wildlife-watching equipment Auxiliary equipment Special equipment Other.	<b>78,655</b> *74,409 *2,572	209 *106 *83 	376 *699 *31 	*199 *2  

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: See Table 33 for detailed listing of expenditure items.

Table 37. Participation of Tennessee Resident Wildlife-Watching Participants in Fishing and Hunting: 2001

Participants	Т-	4-1	Wildlife-watching activity					
	To nonresidential	,		idential om home)	Residential (around the home)			
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent		
Total participants	1,706	100	375	100	1,655	100		
Wildlife-watching participants who: Did not fish or hunt Fished or hunted Fished Hunted	1,206 500 439 182	71 29 26 11	183 192 170 89	49 51 45 24	1,193 462 404 166	72 28 24 10		

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses and nonresponse.

Table 38. Participation of Tennessee Resident Sportspersons in Wildlife-Watching Activities: 2001

(State population 16 years old and older. Numbers in thousands)

Sportspersons	Sportspersons		Ang	glers	Hunters		
Sponspersons	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Total Sportspersons.	903	100	803	100	320	100	
Sportspersons who:							
Did not engage in wildlife-watching activities	403	45	364	45	138	43	
Engaged in wildlife-watching activities	500	55	439	55	182	57	
Nonresidential (away from home)	192	21	170	21	89	28	
Residential (around the home)	462	51	404	50	166	52	

Table 39. Participants in Wildlife-Associated Recreation by Participant's State of Residence: 2001

Dati da da Garia		Total partic	ipants	Sportsper	sons	Wildlife-wa participa	
Participant's state of residence	Population	Number	Percent of population	Number	Percent of population	Number	Percent of population
United States, total	212,298	82,302	39	37,805	18	66,105	31
Alabama	3,427	1,323	39	726	21	965	28
Alaska	454	320	70	205	45	241	53
Arizona	3,700	1,296	35	437	12	1,107	30
Arkansas	1,999	1,034	52	617	31	774	39
California	25,982	6,873	26	2,486	10	5,491	21
Colorado	3,215	1,518	47	679	21	1,213	38
Connecticut	2,536	999	39	332	13	885	35
Delaware	599	220	37	94	16	170	28
Florida	12,171	3,857	32	2,158	18	2,856	23
Georgia	6,096	1,932	32	1,136	19	1,326	22
Hawaii	916	195	21	114	12	126	14
Idaho	972	507	52	306	31	388	40
Illinois	9,244	3,154	34	1,507	16	2,498	27
Indiana	4,558	2,179	48	914	20	1,786	39
Iowa	2,201	1,206	55	580	26	977	44
Kansas	2,017	942	47	491	24	735	36
Kentucky	3,121	1,547	50	703	23	1,264	40
Louisiana	3,306	1,330	40	833	25	844	26
Maine	1,005	607	60	256	26	520	52
Maryland	4,078	1,546	38	571	14	1,311	32
Massachusetts	4,837	1,726	36	521	11	1,493	31
Michigan	7,587	2,950	39	1,325	17	2,424	32
Minnesota	3,688	2,388	65	1,437	39	1,993	54
Mississippi	2,111	851	40	533	25	579	27
Missouri	4,206	2,010	48	1,076	26	1,612	38
Montana	699	438	63	279	40	362	52
Nebraska	1,266	623	49	308	24	498	39
Nevada	1,454	439	30	194	13	334	23
New Hampshire	954	506	53	175	18	450	47
New Jersey	6,300	1,993	32	669	11	1,694	27
New Mexico	1,337	595	45	256	19	471	35
New York	14,201	3,987	28	1,492	11	3,522	25
North Carolina	5,918	2,330	39	982	17	1,884	32
North Dakota	483	228	47	170	35	135	28
Ohio	8,645	3,407	39	1,513	17	2,768	32
Oklahoma	2,587	1,308	51	730	28	1,042	40
Oregon	2,630	1,545	59	611	23	1,286	49
Pennsylvania	9,303	4,169	45	1,648	18	3,522	38
Rhode Island	765	280	37	96	13	242	32
South Carolina	3,080	1,375	45	674	22	1,079	35
South Dakota	559	326	58	176	31	251	45
Tennessee	4,317	2,109	49	903	21	1,706	40
Texas	15,445	4,515	29	2,745	18	3,088	20
Utah	1,554	736	47	468	30	572	37
Vermont	479	319	67	125	26	287	60
Virginia	5,471	2,535	46	970	18	2,168	40
Washington	4,516	2,537	56	932	21	2,234	49
West Virginia	1,447	694	48	353	24	517	36
Wisconsin	4,059	2,489	61	1,141	28	2,159	53
Wyoming	377	223	59	138	37	172	46

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses. U.S. totals include responses from participants residing in the District of Columbia, as described in the statistical accuracy appendix.

Table 40. Participants in Wildlife-Associated Recreation by State Where Activity Took Place: 2001

State whom estivity tools along	Total participa	ints	Sportsperson	ıs	Wildlife-watching pa	articipants
State where activity took place	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
United States, total	82,302	100	37,805	46	66,105	80
Alabama	1,557	100	1,021	66	1,016	65
Alaska	632	100	457	72	420	67
Arizona	1,720	100	486	28	1,465	85
Arkansas	1,369	100	960	70	841	61
California	7,231	100	2,556	35	5,720	79
Colorado	2,138	100	1,077	50	1,552	73
Connecticut	1,151	100	356	31	967	84
Delaware	321	100	157	49	232	72
Florida	4,860	100	3,158	65	3,240	67
Georgia	2,198	100	1,236	56	1,494	68
Hawaii	324	100	151	46	220	68
Idaho	868	100	486	56	643	74
Illinois.	3,390	100	1,366	40	2,627	77
Indiana	2,427	100	965	40	1,866	77
Iowa	1,334	100	645	48	1,022	77
Kansas	1,091	100	563	52	807	74
Kentucky	1,834	100	901	49	1,362	74
Louisiana	1,558	100	1,059	68	935	60
Maine	975	100	449	46	778	80
Maryland	1,911	100	752	39	1,524	80
Massachusetts	1,988	100	632	32	1,686	85
Michigan.	3,481	100	1,659	48	2,666	77
9			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		· ·	74
Minnesota	2,915	100	1,733	59	2,155	
Mississippi	1,017 2,494	100 100	720 1,382	71 55	631 1,826	62 73
		100	463	53	•	79
Montana	871				687	79
Nebraska	768	100	382	50	565	
Nevada	657	100	193	29	543	83
New Hampshire	892	100	295	33	766	86
New Jersey	2,345	100	855	36	1,895	81
New Mexico	884	100	379	43	671	76
New York	4,620	100	1,760	38	3,885	84
North Carolina	2,882	100	1,386	48	2,168	75
North Dakota	322	100	259	81	190	59
Ohio	3,658	100	1,540	42	2,897	79
Oklahoma	1,529	100	838	55	1,131	74
Oregon	2,051	100	761	37	1,680	82
Pennsylvania	4,570	100	1,783	39	3,794	83
Rhode Island	399	100	181	45	298	75
South Carolina	1,666	100	922	55	1,186	71
South Dakota	518	100	349	67	358	69
Tennessee	2,671	100	1,062	40	2,084	78
Texas	4,949	100	2,857	58	3,240	65
Utah	1,091	100	585	54	806	74
Vermont	569	100	211	37	496	87
Virginia	3,001	100	1,137	38	2,460	82
		100	1,024	34	2,496	84
Washington West Virginia	2,970 843	100	444	53	605	72
Wisconsin		100	1,611	51	2,442	77
	3,165	100		56	498	75
Wyoming	662	100	373	20	498	/5

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses. U.S. totals include responses from participants residing in the District of Columbia, as described in the statistical accuracy appendix.

Table 41. Anglers and Hunters by State Where Fishing or Hunting Took Place: 2001

			Ang	lers					Hur	nters		
State where fishing or hunting took place	Total ar residen nonresi	ts and	Resid	lents	Nonres	idents	Total h residen	nts and	Resid	lents	Nonre	sidents
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
United States, total	34,071	100	31,218	92	7,880	23	13,034	100	12,377	95	2,027	16
Alabama	851	100	610	72	241	28	423	100	307	73	116	27
Alaska	421	100	183	43	239	57	93	100	72	77	*21	*23
Arizona	419	100	351	84	68	16	148	100	119	81	*28	*19
Arkansas	782	100	539	69	243	31	431	100	303	70	128	30
California	2,444	100	2,288	94	156	6	274	100	261	95	*12	*5
Colorado	915	100	560	61	357	39	281	100	159	57	121	43
Connecticut	346	100	271	78	75	22	45	100	*35	*77		
Delaware	148	100	71	47	*78	*53	16	100	13	81		•••
Florida	3,104	100	2,057	66	1,047	34	226	100	191	84	*35	*16
	1,086	100	947	87	139	13	417	100	355	85	*62	*15
Georgia											702	. 13
Hawaii	150	100	109	73	*41	*27	17	100	17	100		
Idaho	416	100	251	60	165	40	197	100	150	76	47	24
Illinois	1,237	100	1,157	94	80	6	310	100	246	79	*64	*21
Indiana	874	100	784	90	90	10	290	100	269	93		
Iowa	542	100	471	87	70	13	243	100	195	80	*48	*20
Kansas	404	100	357	88	*47	*12	291	100	189	65	103	35
Kentucky	780	100	590	76	190	24	323	100	269	83	*54	*17
Louisiana	970	100	757	78	213	22	333	100	295	89	*38	*11
Maine	376	100	212	56	165	44	164	100	123	75	41	25
Maryland	701	100	457	65	243	35	145	100	115	80	*30	*20
Massachusetts	615	100	425	69	191	31	66	100	64	97		
Michigan	1,354	100	1,002	74	352	26	754	100	705	94	*48	*6
Minnesota	1,624	100	1,002	80	331	20	597	100	568	95	*29	*5
Mississippi	586	100	450	77	136	23	357	100	245	69	111	31
Missouri	1,215	100	942	78	272	22	489	100	405	83	84	17
Montana	349	100	212	61	138	39	229	100	170	74	59	26
Nebraska	296	100	241	81	55	19	173	100	124	72	*49	*28
Nevada	172	100	119	69	*53	*31	47	100	42	90		**22
New Hampshire	267	100	147	55	119	45	78	100	52	67	*26	*33
New Jersey	806	100	531	66	275	34	135	100	108	80		
New Mexico	314	100	197	63	*116	*37	130	100	105	80	*26	*20
New York	1,550	100	1,243	80	307	20	714	100	635	89	79	11
North Carolina	1,287	100	831	65	456	35	295	100	272	92	*23	*8
North Dakota	179	100	119	67	*59	*33	139	100	87	63	*52	*37
Ohio	1,371	100	1,225	89	146	11	490	100	452	92	*38	*8
Oklahoma	774	100	648	84	126	16	261	100	241	92	*20	*8
Oregon	687	100	513	75	174	25	248	100	234	94	*15	*6
Pennsylvania	1,266	100	1,032	82	234	18	1,000	100	858	86	142	14
Rhode Island	179	100	86	48	93	52	*9	*100	*7	*83		
South Carolina	812	100	571	70	241	30	265	100	221	83	*44	*17
		100	1.40	<i></i>		25	200	100		42	110	-7
South Dakota	214	100	140	65	75	35	209	100	90	43	119	57
Tennessee	903	100	709	79	194	21	359	100	288	80	71	20
Texas	2,372	100	2,151	91	221	9	1,201	100	1,101	92	100	*11
Utah	517 171	100 100	388 96	75 56	129 75	25 44	198 100	100 100	177 74	89 74	*22 *26	*11 *26
	1/1	100	90	30	13	44	100	100	/4	/4	"20	26
Virginia	1,010	100	761	75	248	25	355	100	279	79	*75	*21
Washington	938	100	808	86	130	14	227	100	210	92		
West Virginia	318	100	250	79	*67	*21	284	100	229	81	*55	*19
Wisconsin	1,412	100	941	67	471	33	660	100	588	89	*72	*11
Wyoming	293	100	117	40	176	60	133	100	65	49	68	51

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses. U.S. totals include responses from participants residing in the District of Columbia, as described in the statistical accuracy appendix.

## Appendix A



## Appendix A. Definitions

**Annual household income**—Total 2001 income of household members before taxes and other deductions.

Auxiliary equipment—Equipment owned primarily for wildlife-associated recreation. These include for the sportspersons section—camping bags, packs, duffel bags and tents, binoculars, field glasses, telescopes, special fishing and hunting clothing, foul weather gear, boots, waders, and processing and taxidermy costs; and for the wildlifewatching section—tents, tarps, frame packs, backpacking equipment and other camping equipment.

**Big game**—Antelope, bear, deer, elk, moose, wild turkey, and similar large animals which are hunted.

**Birding life list**—A tally of bird species seen during a birder's lifetime.

#### **Census Divisions**

### **East North Central**

Illinois Indiana Michigan Ohio Wisconsin

## **East South Central**

Alabama Kentucky Mississippi Tennessee

## **Middle Atlantic**

New Jersey New York Pennsylvania

## Mountain

Arizona Colorado Idaho Montana Nevada New Mexico Utah Wyoming

## **New England**

Connecticut Maine Massachusetts New Hampshire Rhode Island Vermont

#### Pacific

Alaska California Hawaii Oregon Washington

#### **South Atlantic**

Delaware
District of Columbia
Florida
Georgia
Maryland
North Carolina
South Carolina
Virginia
West Virginia

## **West North Central**

Kansas Iowa Minnesota Missouri Nebraska North Dakota South Dakota

### **West South Central**

Arkansas Louisiana Oklahoma Texas

**Day**—Any part of a day spent in a given activity. For example, if someone hunted 2 hours 1 day and 3 hours another day, it would be recorded as 2 days of hunting. If someone hunted 2 hours in the morning and 3 hours in the evening of the same

day, it would be considered 1 day of hunting.

**Education**—The highest completed grade of school or year of college.

Expenditures—Money spent in 2001 for wildlife-related recreation trips in the United States and wildlife-related recreational equipment purchased in the United States. Expenditures include both money spent by participants for themselves and the value of gifts they received.

**Federal land**—Public land owned by the federal government such as National Forests and National Wildlife Refuges.

Fishing—The sport of catching or attempting to catch fish with a hook, line, bow and arrow, or spear; it also includes catching or gathering shellfish (clams, crabs, etc.); and the noncommercial seining or netting of fish, unless the fish are for use as bait. For example, seining for smelt is fishing, but seining for bait minnows is not included as fishing.

**Fishing equipment**—Items owned primarily for fishing. These items are listed in Table 19.

**Freshwater**—Reservoirs, lakes, ponds, and the nontidal portions of rivers and streams.

Great Lakes fishing—Fishing in Lakes Superior, Michigan, Huron, St. Clair, Erie, and Ontario, their connecting waters such as the St. Marys River system, Detroit River, St. Clair River, and the Niagara River, and the St. Lawrence River south of the bridge at Cornwall, New York. Great Lakes fishing includes fishing in tributaries of the Great Lakes for smelt, steelhead, and salmon.

**Home**—The starting point of a wildliferelated recreational trip. It may be a permanent residence or a temporary or seasonal residence such as a cabin.

**Hunting**—The sport of shooting or attempting to shoot wildlife with firearms or archery equipment.

**Hunting equipment**—Items owned primarily for hunting. These items are listed in Table 20.

**Local land**—Public land owned by local government such as county parks or municipal watersheds.

Maintain natural areas—To set aside one-quarter acre or more of natural environment such as wood lots or open fields for the primary purpose of benefiting wildlife.

**Maintain plantings**—To introduce or encourage the growth of food and cover plants for the primary purpose of benefiting wildlife.

## Metropolitan statistical area (MSA)—

Except in the New England States, an MSA is a county or group of contiguous counties containing at least one city of 50,000 or more inhabitants or twin cities (i.e., cities with contiguous boundaries and constituting, for general social and economic purposes, a single community) with a combined population of at least 50,000. Also included in an MSA are contiguous counties that are socially and economically integrated with the central city. In the New England States, an MSA consists of towns and cities instead of counties. Each MSA must include at least one central city.

Migratory birds—Birds that regularly migrate from one region or climate to another. The survey focuses on migratory birds which may be hunted, including bandtailed pigeons, coots, ducks, doves, gallinules, geese, rails, and woodcocks.

Multiple responses—The term used to reflect the fact that individuals or their characteristics fall into more than one reporting category. An example of a big game hunter who hunted for deer and elk demonstrates the effect of multiple responses. In this case, adding the number of deer hunters (1) and elk hunters (1) would over state the number of big game hunters (1) because deer and elk hunters are not mutually exclusive

categories. In contrast, total participants is the sum of male and female participants, because male and female are mutually exclusive categories.

Nonresidential activity (away from home)—Trips or outings at least 1 mile from home for the primary purpose of observing, photographing, or feeding wildlife. Trips to zoos, circuses, aquariums, and museums are not included.

Nonresidents—Individuals who do not live in the state being reported. For example, a person living in Texas who watches whales in California is a nonresident participant in California.

Nonresponse—Nonresponse is a term used to reflect the fact that some survey respondents provide incomplete sets of information. For example, a survey respondent may have been unable to identify the primary type of hunting for which a gun was bought. Hunting expenditures will reflect the gun purchase, but it will not appear as spending for big game or any other type of hunting. Nonresponses result in reported totals that are greater than the sum of their parts.

**Observe**—To take special interest in or try to identify birds, fish, or other wildlife.

Other animals—Coyotes, crows, foxes, groundhogs, prairie dogs, raccoons, and similar animals that are often regarded as varmints or pests. Other animals may be classified as unprotected or nongame animals by the state in which they are hunted.

**Participants**—Individuals who engaged in fishing, hunting, or a wildlifewatching activity.

**Primary purpose**—The principal motivation for an activity, trip, or expenditure.

**Public areas**—Public lands owned by local, state, or federal governments.

**Public land**—Land that is owned by the local, state, or federal government.

**Private land**—Land that is owned by a private individual, group of individuals, or nongovernmental organization.

Residential activity (around the home)—Activity within 1 mile of home with a primary purpose: (1) closely observing or trying to identify birds or other wildlife, (2) photographing wildlife, (3) feeding birds or other wildlife, (4) maintaining natural areas of at least one-quarter acre primarily for the benefit to wildlife, (5) maintaining plantings (shrubs, agricultural crops, etc.) primarily for the benefit of wildlife, or (6) visiting public parks within 1 mile of home to observe, photograph, or feed

**Residents**—Individuals who lived in the state being reported. For example, persons who live in California and watch whales in California are resident participants in California.

**Rural**—Respondent lived in a rural nonfarm, or rural farm area, as determined by Census.

wildlife.

**Saltwater**—Oceans, tidal bays and sounds, and the tidal portions of rivers and streams.

Screening interviews—The first survey contact with a household. Screening interviews with a household representative in each household to identify respondents who are eligible for indepth interviews. Screening interviews gather data about the individuals in the households, such as their age and sex. Screening interviews are discussed in the Survey Background and Method section of this report.

**Small game**—Grouse, partridge, pheasants, quail, rabbits, squirrels, and similar small animals and birds for which many states have small game seasons and bag limits.

**Special equipment**—Items of equipment that are owned primarily for wildliferelated recreation. These include for the sportsmen section bass boat and other types of motor boat; canoe and other types of nonmotor boat; boat motor, boat trailer/hitch, and other boat accessories; pickup, camper, van, travel or tent trailer, motor home, house trailer, RV, cabin; and trail bike, dune buggy, 4x4 vehicle, four-wheeler, and snowmobile. For the wildlife-watching section these include off-the-road vehicles such as snowmobiles, four-wheeler, 4x4 vehicle, trail bike, dune buggy, travel or tent trailer, motor home, pickup, camper, van,

house trailer, RV, boat and boat accessories, and cabin.

**Spenders**—Individuals who reported an expenditure value for fishing, hunting, or wildlife-watching activities or equipment.

**Sportspersons**—Individuals who engaged in fishing, hunting, or both.

**State land**—Public land owned by a state such as state parks or state wildlife management areas.

**Trip**—An outing involving fishing, hunting, or wildlife-watching activities. In the context of this survey, a trip may begin from an individual's principal residence or from another place, such as a vacation home or the home of a

relative. A trip may last an hour, a day, or many days.

**Type of fishing**—Three types of fishing are reported: fishing in (1) freshwater except Great Lakes, (2) Great Lakes, and (3) saltwater.

**Type of hunting**—Four types of hunting are reported: hunting for (1) big game, (2) small game, (3) migratory bird, and (4) other animals.

**Urban**—Respondent lived in an urban area, as determined by the U.S. Census Bureau.

Wildlife—Animals such as birds, fish, insects, mammals, amphibians, and reptiles that are living in natural or wild environments. Wildlife does not include

animals living in aquariums, zoos, and other artificial surroundings or domestic animals such as farm animals or pets.

Wildlife-associated recreation— Recreational fishing, hunting, or wildlife watching.

Wildlife-watching activity—An activity engaged in primarily for the purpose of feeding, photographing, or observing fish or other wildlife. In previous years, this was termed nonconsumptive activity. (See also residential and nonresidential activities.)

Wildlife-watching equipment—Items owned primarily for observing, photographing, or feeding wildlife. These items are listed in Table 33.

## Appendix B



# Appendix B. National and Regional 1991-2001 Comparisons

Appendix B provides national and regional trend information based on the 1991, 1996, and 2001 Surveys. Since all three surveys used similar methodologies, their published information is directly comparable.

## Fishing and Hunting

Comparing national hunting and fishing estimates for the 1991, 1996, and 2001 Surveys found participation declined over that 10-year time period. In 1991 and 1996, the number of people who hunted and fished remained essentially unchanged. In 2001, the overall number of people who hunted and fished declined from their 1991/1996 levels. In 1991, there were 35.6 million anglers and 14.1 million hunters. In 1996, there were 35.2 million anglers and 14.0 million hunters. In 2001, there were 34.1 million anglers—a 4 percent drop from its 1991 level, and 13.0 million hunters—a 7 percent drop from 1991.

The amount of time people spent fishing and hunting fluctuated between 1991 and 2001. The number of days spent fishing rose 22 percent between 1991 and 1996 and then fell 11 percent between 1996 and 2001. Days of hunting followed a similar pattern. Between 1991 and 1996, hunting days increased 9 percent but then fell 11 percent between 1996 and 2001.

The amount of money spent for fishing and hunting trips and equipment rose from 1991 to 1996 and fell from 1996 to 2001. Total fishing expenditures rose 37 percent from \$31.2 billion in 1991 to \$42.7 billion in 1996; and, then fell 17 percent to \$35.6 billion in 2001. Likewise, hunting expenditures increased from \$16.0 billion in 1991 to \$23.3 billion in 1996—45 percent increase—and then fell 12 percent to \$20.6 billion in 2001.

## Wildlife Watching

Comparing the results from the last three surveys finds different trends for various

types of wildlife watching. The number of wildlife watchers decreased 17 percent from 1991 to 1996 and increased 5 percent from 1996 to 2001—with 76.1 million participants in 1991, 62.9 million in 1996, and 66.1 million in 2001. Residential wildlife watching, the preeminent type of wildlife watching, lead this trend with an 18 percent drop from 1991 to 1996 and a 4 percent increase from 1996 to 2001. Unlike residential wildlife watching, nonresidential wildlife watching dropped throughout the '90s and early '00s with a 21 percent drop from 1991 to 1996 and an 8 percent drop from 1996 to 2001. Days afield by participants tended upward, counter to the trend in participation, although the increase is not statistically significant. Total expenditures for wildlife watching increased 21 percent from 1991 to 1996 and 16 percent from 1996 to 2001, making an overall increase of 41 percent from 1991 to 2001.

## Differences in the 1991, 1996, and 2001 Surveys

The 1996 and 2001 Surveys underwent a number of changes in order to improve data collection, lower costs, and meet the data needs of its users. The most significant design differences in the three surveys are as follows:

- 1. The 1991 Survey data was collected by interviewers filling out paper questionnaires. The data entries were keyed in a separate operation after the interview. The 1996 and 2001 survey data were collected by the use of computer-assisted interviews. The questionnaires were programmed into computers, and interviewers keyed in the responses at the time of the interview.
- The 1991 Survey screening phase was conducted in January and February of 1991, when the sample households were contacted and a household respondent was

- interviewed on behalf of the entire household. The 1991 screening interview consisted primarily of sociodemographic questions and wildlife-related recreation questions concerning activity in the year 1990 and intentions for the year 1991. The screening interviews for the 1996 and 2001 Surveys were conducted April through June of their survey years in conjunction with the first wave of the detailed interviews. The screening interviews consisted primarily of sociodemographic questions and wildlife-related recreation questions concerning activity in the previous year (1995 or 2000) and intentions for the survey year (1996 or 2001).
- 3. In the 1991 Survey, an attempt was made to contact every sample person in all three detailed interview waves. In 1996 and 2001, respondents who were interviewed in the first detailed interview wave were not contacted again until the third wave. Also, all interviews in the second wave were conducted by telephone. In-person interviews were only conducted in the first and third waves.

## Important instrument differences in the 1991, 1996, and 2001 Surveys

- The 1991 Survey collected information on all wildlife-related recreation purchases made by participants without reference to where the purchase was made. The 1996 and 2001 Surveys asked in which state the purchase was made.
- 2. In 1991, respondents were asked what kind of fishing they did, i.e., Great Lakes, other freshwater, or saltwater, and then were asked in what states they fished. In 1996 and 2001, respondents were asked in which states they fished and then were asked the pertinent kind of fishing questions. This method had the advantage of not asking about,

for example, saltwater fishing when they only fished in a noncoastal state. In 1991, respondents were asked how many days they "actually" hunted or fished for a particular type of game or fish and then how many days they "chiefly" hunted or fished for the same type of game or fish rather than another type of game or fish. To get total days of hunting or fishing for a particular type of game or fish, the "actually" day response was used, while to get the sum of all days of hunting or fishing, the "chiefly" days were summed. In 1996 and 2001, respondents were asked their total days of hunting or fishing in the United States and each state, then how many days they hunted or fished for a particular type of game or fish.

Trip-related and equipment expenditure categories were not the same for all Surveys. "Guide fee" and "Pack trip or package fee" were two separate trip-related expenditure items in 1991, while they were combined into one category in the 1996 and 2001 Surveys. "Boating costs" was added to the 1996 and 2001 hunting and wildlife-watching trip-related expenditure sections. "Heating and cooking fuel" was added to all of the trip-related expenditure sections. "Spearfishing equipment" was moved from a separate category to the "Other" list. "Rods" and "Reels" were two separate categories in 1991 but were combined in 1996 and 2001. "Lines, hooks, sinkers, etc." was one category in 1991 but split into "Lines" and "Hooks, sinkers, etc." in 1996 and 2001. "Food used to feed other wildlife" was added to the wildlife-watching equipment section, "Boats" and "Cabins" were added to the wildlife-watching special equipment section, and "Land leasing and ownership" was added to the wildlife-watching expenditures section.

5. Questions asking sportspersons if they participated as much as they wanted were added in 1996 and 2001. If the sportspersons said no, they were asked why not.

- 6. The 1991 Survey included questions about participation in organized fishing competitions; anglers using bows and arrows, nets or seines, or spearfishing; hunters using pistols or handguns and target shooting in preparation for hunting. These questions were not asked in 1996 and 2001.
- 7. The 1996 Survey included questions about catch and release fishing and persons with disabilities participating in wildlife-related recreation. These questions were not part of the 1991 Survey. The 2001 Survey included questions about persons with disabilities participating in wildlife-related recreation but not about catch and release fishing.
- 8. The 1991 Survey included questions about average distance traveled to recreation sites. These questions were not included in the 1996 and 2001 Surveys.
- The 1996 Survey included questions about the last trip the respondent took. Included were questions about the type of trip, where the activity took place, and the distance and direction to the site visited. These questions were not asked in 2001.
- 10. The 1991 Survey collected data on hunting, fishing, and wildlife watching by U.S. residents in Canada. The 1996 and 2001 Surveys collected data on fishing and wildlife-watching by U.S. residents in Canada.

## Important instrument changes in the 2001 Survey

1. The 1991 and 1996 single race category "Asian or Pacific Islander" was changed to two categories "Asian" and "Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander." In 1991 and 1996, the respondent was required to pick only one category, while in 2001 the respondent could pick any combination of categories. The next question stipulated that the respondent could only be identified with one category and then asked what that category was.

- 2. The 1991 and 1996 land leasing and ownership sections asked the respondent to combine the two types of land use into one and give total acreage and expenditures. In 2001, the two types of land use were explored separately.
- 3. The 1991 and 1996 wildlife watching sections included questions on birdwatching for residential users only. The 2001 Survey added a question on birdwatching for nonresidential users. Also, questions on the use of birding life lists and how many species the respondent can identify were added in 2001.
- 4. "Recreational vehicles" was added to the sportspersons and wildlife watchers special equipment section in 2001. "House trailer" was added to the sportspersons special equipment section.
- Total personal income was asked in the detailed phase of the 1996 Survey. This was changed to total household income in the 2001 Survey.
- 6. A question was added to the triprelated expenditures section in the 2001 Survey to ascertain how much of the total was spent in the respondent's state of residence when the respondent participated in hunting, fishing, or wildlife watching out-of-state.
- Boating questions were added to the 2001 Surveys fishing section. The respondent was asked about the extent of boat usage for the three types of fishing.
- 8. The 1996 Survey included questions about the months residential wildlife watchers fed birds. These questions were not repeated in the 2001 Survey.
- The contingent valuation sections of the three types of wildlife-related recreation were altered, using an open-ended question format instead of 1996's dichotomous choice format.

Table B-1. Comparison of Wildlife-Related Recreation in the United States: 1991 to 2001

Participants, days, and expenditures	1991 (Number)	2001 (Number)	1991-2001 (Percent change)	1996 (Number)	2001 (Number)	1996-2001 (Percent change)
Hunting Hunters, total		13,034	_7 	13,975	13,034	_ <del>7</del>
Hunting days, total	235,806 \$16,031,197	228,368 \$20,611,025	-3* 29	256,676 \$23,293,156	228,368 \$20,611,025	-11 -12*
Fishing Anglers, total Fishing days, total Fishing expenditures, total (2001 dollars) 1		34,067 557,394 \$35,632,132	-4 9 14	35,246 625,893 \$42,710,679	34,067 557,394 \$35,632,132	-3 -11 -17
Wildlife Watching Total wildlife watching Residential Nonresidential Days, nonresidential. Wildlife-watching expenditures, total (2001 dollars) 1.	76,111 73,904 29,999 342,406 \$24,002,990	66,105 62,928 21,823 372,006 \$33,730,868	-13 -15 -27 9* 41	62,868 60,751 23,652 313,790 \$29,062,524	66,105 62,928 21,823 372,006 \$33,730,868	5 4 -8 19 16

<sup>\*</sup> Not different from zero at the 5 percent confidence level.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>All 2001 and 1996 expenditure categories are adjusted to make them comparable to 1991.

Table B-2. Anglers and Hunters by Census Division: 1991, 1996, and 2001

Snortanarsons	1991		1996		2001		
Sportspersons	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
UNITED STATES							
Total population	189,964	100	201,472	100	212,298	100	
Sportspersons	39,979	21	39,694	20	37,805	18	
Anglers	35,578	19	35,246	17	34,067	16	
Hunters	14,063	7	13,975	7	13,034	6	
New England							
Total population	10,180	100	10,306	100	10,575	100	
Sportspersons	1,658	16	1,673	16	1,504	14	
Anglers	1,545	15	1,520	15	1,402	13	
Hunters	444	4	465	5	386	4	
Middle Atlantic							
Total population	29,216	100	29,371	100	29,806	100	
Sportspersons	4,508	15	4,192	14	3,810	13	
Anglers	3,871	13	3,627	12	3,250	11	
Hunters	1,746	6	1,453	5	1,633	5	
East North Central							
Total population	32,188	100	33,121	100	34,082	100	
Sportspersons	7,202	22	6,912	21	6,400	19	
Anglers	6,264	19	6,006	18	5,655	17	
Hunters	2,789	9	2,712	8	2,421	7	
West North Central							
Total population	13,504	100	13,875	100	14,430	100	
Sportspersons	4,143	31	3,977	29	4,239	29	
Anglers	3,647	27	3,416	25	3,836	27	
Hunters	1,709	13	1,917	14	1,710	12	
South Atlantic							
Total population	33,682	100	36,776	100	39,286	100	
Sportspersons	6,996	21	7,282	20	6,957	18	
Anglers	6,441	19	6,636	18	6,451	16	
Hunters	2,083	6	2,050	6	1,875	5	
East South Central							
Total population	11,667	100	12,459	100	12,976	100	
Sportspersons	2,984	26	2,907	23	2,865	22	
Anglers	2,635	23	2,514	20	2,543	20	
Hunters	1,279	11	1,301	10	1,164	9	
West South Central							
Total population	19,926	100	21,811	100	23,337	100	
Sportspersons	5,125	26	5,093	23	4,924	21	
Anglers	4,592	23	4,616	21	4,375	19	
Hunters	1,843	9	1,812	8	1,988	9	
Mountain							
Total population	10,092	100	11,966	100	13,308	100	
Sportspersons	2,488	25	2,761	23	2,757	21	
Anglers	2,079	21	2,411	20	2,443	18	
Hunters	1,069	11	1,061	9	1,020	8	
Pacific							
Total population	29,508	100	31,787	100	34,498	100	
Sportspersons	4,875	17	4,897	15	4,349	13	
Anglers	4,505	15	4,501	14	4,111	12	
Hunters	1,101	4	1,203	4	837	2	

Table B-3. Wildlife-Watching (Nonconsumptive) Participants by Census Division: 1991, 1996, and 2001

Wildlife watching	1991		1996		2001		
withing watching	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percen	
UNITED STATES							
Total population	189,964	100	201,472	100	212,298	100	
Wildlife-watching participants	76,111	40	62,868	31	66,105	31	
Nonresidential	29,999	16	23,652	12	21,823	10	
Residential	73,904	39	60,751	30	62,928	30	
New England							
Fotal population	10,180	100	10,306	100	10,575	100	
Vildlife-watching participants	4,598	45	3,710	36	3,875	37	
Nonresidential	1,856	18	1,443	14	1,155	11	
Residential	4,544	45	3,586	35	3,765	36	
Middle Atlantic							
Total population	29,216	100	29,371	100	29,806	100	
Wildlife-watching participants	10,556	36	8,185	28	8,740	29	
Nonresidential	4,166	14	2,960	10	2,849	10	
Residential	10,282	35	8,023	27	8,452	28	
East North Central							
Total population	32,188	100	33,121	100	34,082	100	
Wildlife-watching participants	14,511	45	11,731	35	11,631	34	
Nonresidential	5,572	17	4,501	14	3,571	10	
Residential	14,175	44	11,297	34	11,196	33	
West North Central							
Cotal population	13,504	100	13,875	100	14,430	100	
Vildlife-watching participants	6,924	51	5,089	37	6,206	43	
Nonresidential	2,654	20	1,927	14	2,059	14	
Residential	6,722	50	4,900	35	5,938	41	
South Atlantic							
Total population	33,682	100	36,776	100	39,286	100	
Vildlife-watching participants	13,047	39	11,252	31	11,395	29	
Nonresidential	4,450	13	3,992	11	3,469	9	
Residential	12,813	38	10,964	30	10,911	28	
East South Central							
Fotal population	11,667	100	12,459	100	12,976	100	
Wildlife-watching participants	4,864	42	3,904	31	4,514	35	
Nonresidential	1,592	14	1,118	9	1,086	8	
Residential	4,765	41	3,795	30	4,390	34	
West South Central							
Total population	19,926	100	21,811	100	23,337	100	
Wildlife-watching participants	7,035	35	5,933	27	5,747	25	
Nonresidential	2,459	12	2,096	10	1,822	8	
Residential	6,817	34	5,773	26	5,490	24	
Mountain							
Fotal population	10,092	100	11,966	100	13,308	100	
Wildlife-watching participants	4,437	44	4,099	34	4,619	35	
Nonresidential	2,215	22	1,967	16	2,019	15	
Residential	4,145	41	3,855	32	4,282	32	
Pacific							
Total population	29,508	100	31,787	100	34,498	100	
Wildlife-watching participants	10,139	34	8,966	28	9,377	27	
Nonresidential	5,035	17	3,648	11	3,793	11	
Residential	9,641	33	8,558	27	8,504	25	

## Appendix C



## Appendix C. Participants 6 to 15 Years Old

The 2001 National Survey of Fishing, Hunting, and Wildlife-Associated Recreation was carried out in two phases. The first (or screening) phase began in April 2001. The main purpose of this phase was to collect information about persons 16 years old and older in order to develop a sample of potential sportsmen and wildlife-watching participants for the second (or detailed) phase. Information was also collected on the number of persons 6 to 15 years old who participated in wildlife-related recreation activities in 2000. These data are reported here in order to include the recreation activity of 6- to 15-year-olds in this report.

It is important to emphasize that the information reported here from the 2001 screening questionnaires relates to activity only up to and including 2000.

Also, these data were based on long-term recall (at least 12-month recall was required for most of these tables) and were reported, in most cases, by one household respondent speaking for all household members rather than the shorter term recall of the actual participant, as in the case of the 2001 detailed phase.

Tables C-1 to C-3 report data on participants 6 to 15 years old in 2000. Detailed expenditures and recreational activity data were not gathered for the 6-to 15-year-old participants.

Because of the difference in methodologies of the screening phase and the detailed phase of the 2001 Survey, the data are not comparable. Only participants 16 years old and older were eligible for the detailed phase. The

detailed phase was a series of three interviews conducted at 4-month intervals. The screening interviews were 1-year recall. The shorter recall period of the detailed phase had better data accuracy. It has been found in survey studies that in many cases longer recall periods result in over-estimating participation in and expenditures on wildlife-related recreation activities.

Table C-1. Tennessee Residents 6 to 15 Years Old Participating in Fishing and Hunting: 2000

(State population 6 to 15 years old. Numbers in thousands)

	Sportspersons 6 to 15 years old				
Sportspersons	Number	Percent of sports-persons	Percent of population		
Total sportspersons	265	100	34		
Total anglers	<b>258</b> 217 *41	<b>97</b> 82 *16	33 27 *5		
Total hunters.  Hunted only .  Hunted and fished .	*49  *41	* <b>18</b>  *16	*6  *5		

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses. Column showing percent of sportspersons is based on the "Total sportspersons" row. Column showing percent of population is based on the state population 6 to 15 years old, including those who did not fish or hunt. Data reported on this table are from screening interviews in which one adult household member responded for household members 6 to 15 years old. The screening interview required the respondent to recall 12 months worth of activity. Includes state residents who fished or hunted only in other countries.

Table C-2. Selected Characteristics of Tennessee Resident Anglers and Hunters 6 to 15 Years Old: 2000

(State population 6 to 15 years old. Numbers in thousands)

Number   Percent   Number   Percent   Percen		Population		Sportspersons (fished or hunted)		Anglers		Hunters				
Population Density of Residence   Urban	Characteristic	Number	Percent	Number	who partici-	of sports-	Number	who partici-	of	Number	who partici-	Percent of hunters
Residence	Total persons	790	100	265	34	100	258	33	100	*49	*6	*100
Rural   399   51   164   41   62   159   40   62   *41   *10   *	Residence											
Metropolitan statistical areas (MSA)         519 1,000,000 or more         66 150 19         149 19         29 10         56 149 126 126 126         149 29         29 56 56 149 126         58 36 36 36 36 36 36 36 36 36 36 36 36 36												*84
1,000,000 or more.												
250,000 to 999,999				149	29	56	149	29	58			
Solution   Solution												•••
Outside MSA.			-	-								
Male       432       55       164       38       62       157       36       61       *43       *10       *8         Female       358       45       101       28       38       101       28       39												*60
Female         358         45         101         28         38         101         28         39             Age         6 to 8 years         180         23         *58         *32         *22         *58         *32         *22	Sex											
Age         6 to 8 years         180         23         *58         *32         *22         *58         *32         *22 <th< td=""><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td>*43</td><td>*10</td><td>*89</td></th<>										*43	*10	*89
6 to 8 years	Female	358	45	101	28	38	101	28	39			
9 to 11 years		100	22	**50	**22	**22	*50	#22	***			
12 to 15 years								_				
Ethnicity       Hispanic												*74
Hispanic	ř	370	47	120	34	40	117	32	40	30	10	74
Non-Hispanic       776       98       265       34       100       258       33       100       *49       *6       *1         Race       White       614       78       249       40       94       241       39       94       *49       *8       *1         Black       164       21	•											
White       614       78       249       40       94       241       39       94       *49       *8       *1         Black       164       21 </td <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>34</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>*49</td> <td></td> <td>*100</td>					34					*49		*100
Black	_											
All others	White	614	78	249	40	94	241	39	94	*49	*8	*100
Annual Household Income     *40     *5   <		164	21									
Less than \$10,000	All others											
\$10,000 to \$19,999												
\$20,000 to \$29,999			-									
\$30,000 to \$39,999				-								
\$40,000 to \$49,999								_				
\$50,000 to \$74,999 118			-	_								
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\$\psi_15,000 \text{ of more } \frac{177}{22}  \text{ of }   of			-									
Not reported	· ·											

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size. ... Sample size too small to report data reliably.

Note: Percent who participated shows the percent of each row's population who participated in the activity named by the column (the percent of those living in urban areas who fished, etc.). Remaining percent columns show the percent of each column's participants who are described by the row heading (the percent of anglers who lived in urban areas, etc.). Data reported on this table are from screening interviews in which one adult household member responded for 6 to 15 year olds. The screening interview required the respondent to recall 12 months worth of activity. Includes state residents who fished or hunted only in other countries.

Table C-3. Tennessee Residents 6 to 15 Years Old Participating in Wildlife Watching: 2000

(State population 6 to 15 years old. Numbers in thousands)

Participants	Number	Percent of participants	Percent of population	
Total participants	290	100	37	
Nonresidential	104	36	13	
Residential	274	95	35	
Observe wildlife	205	71	26	
Photograph wildlife	*47	*16	*6	
Feed wild birds or other wildlife		69	25	
Maintain plantings or natural areas	*35	*12	*4	

<sup>\*</sup> Estimate based on a small sample size.

Note: Detail does not add to total because of multiple responses. The column showing percent of participants is based on total participants. The column showing percent of population is based on the state population 6 to 15 years old, including those who did not participate in wildlife watching. Data reported on this table are from screening interviews in which one adult household member responded for household members 6 to 15 years old. The screening interview required the respondent to recall 12 months worth of activity.

## Appendix D



## Appendix D. Sample Design and Statistical Accuracy

This Appendix is presented in two parts. The first part is the U.S. Census Bureau Source and Accuracy Statement. This statement describes the sampling design for the 2001 Survey and highlights the steps taken to produce estimates from the completed questionnaires. The statement explains the use of standard errors and confidence intervals. It also provides comprehensive information about errors characteristic of surveys, and formulas and parameters to calculate an approximate standard error or confidence interval for each number published in this report. The second part reports approximate standard errors (S.E.s) for selected measures of participation and expenditures for wildlife-related recreation. Tables D-1 to D-3 show common estimates by state with their estimated standard errors. Tables D-4 to D-9 provide parameters for computing S.E.s.

Source and Accuracy Statement for the Tennessee State Report of the 2001 National Survey of Fishing, Hunting, and Wildlife-Associated Recreation

#### Source of Data

The estimates in this report are based on data collected in the 2001 National Survey of Fishing, Hunting, and Wildlife-Associated Recreation (FHWAR).

The 2001 FHWAR Survey was designed to provide state-level estimates of the number of participants in recreational hunting and fishing, and in wildlifewatching activities (e.g., wildlife observation). Information was collected on the number of participants, where and how often they participated, the type of wildlife encountered, and the amounts of money spent on wildlife-related recreation.

The survey was conducted in two stages: an initial screening of households to

identify likely sportspersons and wildlifewatching participants, and a series of follow-up interviews of selected persons to collect detailed data about their wildlife-related recreation during 2001.

The 2001 FHWAR state samples were selected from expired samples of the Current Population Survey (CPS).

## Sample Design

## A. CPS - Current Population Survey

The expired CPS samples used for the 2001 FHWAR had been selected initially from 1990 decennial census files with coverage in all 50 states and the District of Columbia. The samples, while active, had been continually updated to reflect new construction. The sample addresses were located in 754 geographic areas consisting of a county or several contiguous counties.

## B. The FHWAR Screening Sample

The screening sample consisted of households identified from the above sources. In Tennessee, 1,298 household interviews were assigned to be interviewed. Of these, 9.9 percent were found to be vacant or otherwise not enumerated. Of the remaining households, about 12.9 percent could not be enumerated because the occupants were not found at home after repeated calls or were unavailable for some other reason.

Overall, **1,004** completed household interviews were obtained for a state response rate of **87.1** percent. The field representatives asked screening questions for all household members 6 years old and older. Interviewing for the screen was conducted during April, May, and June of 2001.

Data for the FHWAR sportspersons sample and wildlife-watchers sample were collected in three waves. The first wave started in April 2001, the second in September 2001, and the third in January 2002. In the sportspersons sample, all persons who hunted or fished in 2001 by the time of the screening interview were interviewed in the first wave. The remaining sportspersons sample were interviewed in the second wave. All sample persons (from both the first and second waves) were interviewed in the third wave.

The reference period was the preceding 4 months for waves 1 and 2. In wave 3, the reference period was either 4 or 8 months depending on when the sample person was first interviewed.

## C. The Detailed Samples

Two independent detailed samples were chosen from the FHWAR screening sample. One consisted of sportspersons (people who hunt or fish) and the other of wildlife watchers (people who observe, photograph, or feed wildlife).

## 1. Sportspersons

The Census Bureau selected the state detailed samples based on information reported during the screening phase. Every person 16 years old and older in the FHWAR screening sample was assigned to a sportspersons stratum based on time devoted to hunting/fishing in the past and time expected to be devoted to hunting/fishing in the future.

The four sportspersons categories were:

Active - a person who had already participated in hunting/fishing in 2001 at the time of the screener interview.

Likely - a person who had not participated in 2001 at the time of the screener but had participated in 2000 OR said they were likely to participate in 2001.

*Inactive* - a person who had not participated in 2000 or 2001 AND said they were somewhat unlikely to participate in 2001.

Nonparticipant - a person who had not participated in 2000 or 2001 AND said they were very unlikely to participate in 2001.

Persons were selected for the detailed phase based on these groupings.

Active sportspersons were given the detailed interview twice—at the same time of the screening interview (April-June 2001) and again in January/February 2002. Likely sportspersons and a subsample of the inactive sportspersons were also interviewed twice—first in September/October 2001, then in January/February 2002. If Census field representatives were not able to obtain the first interview, they attempted to interview the person in the final interviewing period with the reference period being the entire year. Persons in the nonparticipant group were not eligible for a detailed interview.

About **586** persons were designated for interviews in Tennessee. Overall, **496** detailed sportspersons interviews were completed for a response rate of **84.6** percent.

## 2. Wildlife Watchers

The wildlife-watching state detailed sample also was selected based on information reported during the screening phase. Every person 16 years of age and older was assigned to a category based on time devoted to wildlife-watching activities in previous years, participation in 2001 by the time of the screening interview, and intentions to participate in activities during the remainder of 2001.

Each person was placed into one of the following five groups based on their past participation:

*Active* - a person who had already participated in 2001 at the time of the screening interview.

Avid - a person who had not yet participated in 2001 but in 2000 had taken trips to participate in wildlife-watching activities for 21 or more days or had spent \$300 or more.

Average - a person who had not yet participated in 2001 but in 2000 had taken trips to wildlifewatch for less than 21 days and had spent less than \$300 OR had not participated in wildlifewatching activities but said they were very likely to in the remainder of 2001.

Infrequent - a person who had not participated in 2000 or 2001 but said they were somewhat likely or somewhat unlikely to participate in the remainder of 2001.

Nonparticipant - a person who had not participated in 2000 or 2001 and said they were very unlikely to participate during the remainder of 2001.

Persons were selected for the detailed phase based on these groupings. Persons in the nonparticipant group were not eligible for a detailed interview. A subsample of each of the other groups was selected to receive a detailed interview with the chance of being selected diminishing as the likelihood of participation diminished.

Wildlife-watching participants were given the detailed interview twice. Some received their first detailed interview at the same time as the screening interview (April-June 2001). The rest received their first detailed interview in September/October 2001. All wildlife-watching participants received their second interview in January/February 2002. If Census field representatives were not able to obtain the first interview, they attempted to interview the person in the final interviewing period with the reference period being the entire year.

About **340** persons were designated for interviews in Tennessee. Overall, **299** detailed wildlife-watching participant interviews were completed for a response rate of **87.9** percent.

## **Estimation Procedure**

Several stages of adjustments were used to derive the final 2001 FHWAR person weights. A brief description of the major components of the weights is given below.

All statistics for the population 6 to 15 years of age were derived from the screening interview. Statistics for the population 16 and over came from both the screening and detailed interviews. Estimates which came from the screening sample are presented in Appendix C.

### A. Screening Sample

Every interviewed person in the screening sample received a weight that was the product of the following factors:

- 1. *Base Weight*. The base weight is the inverse of the household's probability of selection.
- 2. Household Noninterview
  Adjustment. The noninterview
  adjustment inflated the weight
  assigned to interviewed
  households to account for
  households eligible for interview
  but for which no interview was
  obtained.
- 3. First-Stage Adjustment. The 754 areas designated for our samples were selected from over 2,000 such areas of the United States.

Some sample areas represent only themselves and are referred to as self-representing. The remaining areas represent other areas similar in selected characteristics and are thus designated nonself-representing. The first-stage factor reduces the component of variation arising from sampling the nonself-representing areas.

4. Second-Stage Adjustment. This adjustment brings the estimates of the total population in each state into agreement with census-based estimates of the civilian noninstitutional and nonbarrack military populations for each state.

## **B.** Sportspersons Sample

Every interviewed person in the sportspersons detailed sample received a weight that was the product of the following factors:

- 1. *Screening Weight*. This is the individual's final weight from the screening sample.
- 2. Sportspersons Stratum
  Adjustment. This factor inflated
  the weights of persons selected
  for the detailed sample to account
  for the subsampling done within
  each sportsperson's stratum.
- 3. Sportspersons Noninterview
  Adjustment. This factor adjusts
  the weights of the interviewed
  sportspersons to account for
  sportspersons selected for the
  detailed sample for whom no
  interview was obtained. A person
  was considered a noninterview if
  he/she were not interviewed in
  the third wave of interviewing.
- 4. Sportspersons Ratio Adjustment Factor. This is a ratio adjustment of the detailed sample to the screening sample within sportspersons sampling stratum. This adjustment brings the population estimates of persons age 16 years old or older from the detailed sample into agreement with the same estimates from the screening sample, which was a much larger sample.

### C. Wildlife-Watchers Sample

Every interviewed person in the wildlife-watchers detailed sample received a weight that was the product of the following factors:

- 1. *Screening Weight*. This is the individual's final weight from the screening sample.
- 2. Wildlife-Watchers Stratum
  Adjustment. This factor inflated
  the weights of persons selected
  for the detailed sample to account
  for the subsampling done within
  each wildlife-watcher stratum.
- 3. Wildlife-Watchers Noninterview Adjustment. This factor adjusts the weights of the interviewed wildlife-watching participants to account for wildlife watchers selected for the detailed sample for which no interview was obtained. A person was considered a noninterview if he/she were not interviewed in the third wave of interviewing.
- 4. Wildlife-Watchers Ratio
  Adjustment Factor. This is a
  ratio adjustment of the detailed
  sample to the screening sample
  within wildlife-watchers
  sampling strata. This adjustment
  brings the population estimates of
  persons age 16 years old or older
  from the detailed sample into
  agreement with the same
  estimates from the screening
  sample, which was a much larger
  sample.

## **Accuracy of the Estimates**

Since the 2001 estimates came from a sample, they may differ from figures from a complete census using the same questionnaires, instructions, and enumerators. A sample survey estimate has two possible types of errorsampling and nonsampling. The accuracy of an estimate depends on both types of error, but the full extent of the nonsampling error is unknown. Consequently, one should be particularly careful when interpreting results based on a relatively small number of cases or on small differences between estimates. The standard errors for the 2001 FHWAR estimates primarily indicate the magnitude of sampling error. They also partially measure the effect of some

nonsampling errors in responses and enumeration, but do not measure systematic biases in the data. (Bias is the average over all possible samples of the differences between the sample estimate and the actual value.)

## **Nonsampling Variability**

Let us suppose that a comparable complete enumeration was conducted. That is, an interview is attempted for every person 16 years old and older in the United States. Chances are we will not correctly estimate every parameter under consideration (for example, the proportion of people who fished). In this instance, the difference is due solely to nonsampling errors. Nonsampling errors also occur in sample surveys and can be attributed to several sources including the following:

- The inability to obtain information about all cases in the sample.
- Definitional difficulties.
- Differences in the interpretation of questions.
- Respondents' inability or unwillingness to provide correct information.
- Respondents' inability to recall information.
- Errors made in data collection such as in recording or coding the data.
- Errors made in the processing of data.
- Errors made in estimating values for missing data.
- Failure to represent all units with the sample (undercoverage).

Overall CPS undercoverage is estimated to be about 8 percent. Generally, undercoverage is larger for males than for females and larger for Blacks and other races combined than for Whites. Ratio estimation to independent population controls, as described previously, partially corrects for the bias due to survey undercoverage. However, biases exist in the estimates to the extent that missed persons in missed households or missed persons in interviewed households have different

characteristics from those of interviewed persons in the same age group.

Comparability of Data. Data obtained from the 2001 FHWAR and other sources are not entirely comparable. This results from differences in field interviewer training and experience and in differing survey processes. This is an

example of nonsampling variability not reflected in the standard errors. Use caution when comparing results from different sources (See Appendix B).

Note When Using Small Estimates. Because of the large standard errors involved, summary measures (such as medians and percentage distributions) would probably not reveal useful information when computed on a base smaller than 100,000. Take care in the interpretation of small differences. For instance, even a small amount of nonsampling error can cause a borderline difference to appear significant or not, thus distorting a seemingly valid hypothesis test.

## Sampling Variability

The particular sample used for the 2001 FHWAR Survey is one of a large number of all possible samples of the same size that could have been selected using the same sample design. Estimates derived from the different samples would differ from each other. This sample-to-sample variability is referred to as sampling variability and is generally measured by the standard error. The exact sampling error is unknown. However, guides to the potential size of the sampling error are provided by the standard error of the estimate.

Since the standard error of a survey estimate attempts to provide a measure of the variation among the estimates from the possible samples, it is a measure of the precision with which an estimate from a particular sample approximates the average result of all possible samples. Standard errors, as calculated by methods described next in "Standard Errors and Their Use," are primarily measures of sampling variability, although they may include some nonsampling error.

The sample estimate and its standard error enable one to construct a confidence interval, a range that would include the average result of all possible samples with a known probability. For example, if all possible samples were surveyed under essentially the same general conditions and using the same sample design, and if an estimate and its standard error were calculated from each sample, then approximately 90 percent of the intervals from 1.645 standard errors below the estimate to 1.645 standard errors above the estimate would include the average result of all possible samples.

A particular confidence interval may or may not contain the average estimate derived from all possible samples. However, one can say with specified confidence that the interval includes the average estimate calculated from all possible samples.

Standard errors may also be used to perform hypothesis testing—a procedure for distinguishing between population parameters using sample estimates. One common type of hypothesis is that the population parameters are different. An example would be comparing the proportion of anglers to the proportion of hunters.

Tests may be performed at various levels of significance where a significance level is the probability of concluding that the characteristics are different when, in fact, they are the same. To conclude that two characteristics are different at the 0.10 level of significance, the absolute value of the estimated difference between characteristics must be greater than or equal to 1.645 times the standard error of the difference.

This report uses 90-percent confidence intervals and 0.10 levels of significance to determine statistical validity. Consult standard statistical textbooks for alternative criteria.

Standard Errors and Their Use. A number of approximations are required to derive, at a moderate cost, standard errors applicable to all the estimates in this report. Instead of providing an individual standard error for each estimate, parameters are provided to calculate standard errors for each type of characteristic. These parameters are listed in tables D-4 to D-9. Methods for using the parameters to calculate standard errors of various estimates are given in the next sections.

Standard Errors of Estimated Numbers. The approximate standard error,  $s_X$ , of an estimated number shown in this report can be obtained using the following formulas. Formula (1) is used to calculate the standard errors of levels of sportspersons, anglers, and wildlife watchers.

$$s_x = \sqrt{ax^2 + bx} \tag{1}$$

Here, x is the size of the estimate and a and b are the parameters in the tables associated with the particular characteristic.

Formula (2) is used for standard errors of aggregates, i.e., trips, days, and expenditures.

$$s_x = \sqrt{ax^2 + bx + \frac{cx^2}{y}} \tag{2}$$

Here, x is again the size of the estimate; y is the base of the estimate; and a, b, and c are the parameters in the tables associated with the particular characteristic.

Illustration of the Computation of the Standard Error of an Estimated Number

Suppose that a table shows that 37,805,000 persons 16+ either fished or hunted in the United States in 2001. Using formula (1) with the parameters a= -0.000020 and b= 4,289 from table D-5, the approximate standard error of the estimates number of 37,805,000 sportspersons 16+ is

$$s_x = \sqrt{(-0.000020)(37,805,000)^2 + (4,289)(37,805,000)} = 365,500$$

The 90-percent confidence interval for the estimated number of sportspersons 16+ is from 37,203,800 to 38,406,200, i.e.,  $37,805,000 \pm 1.645 \times 365,500$ . Therefore, a conclusion that the average estimate derived from all possible samples lies within a range computed in this way would be correct for roughly 90 percent of all possible samples.

Suppose that another table shows that 13,034,300 hunters 16+ engaged in 228,367,800 days of participation in 2001 in the United States. Using formula (2) with the parameters a = 0.000168, b = -11,904, and c = 12,496 from table D-7, the approximate standard error on 228,367,800 estimated days on an estimated base of 13,034,300 hunters is

$$s_x = \sqrt{0.000168x228,367,800^2 + (-11,904)x228,367,800 + \frac{12,496x228,367,800^2}{13,034,300}} = 7,486,100$$

The 90-percent confidence interval on the estimate of 228,367,800 days is from 216,053,200 to 240,682,400, i.e.,  $228,367,800 \pm 1.645 \times 7,486,100$ . Again, a conclusion that the average estimate derived from all possible samples lies within a range computed in this way would be correct for roughly 90 percent of all possible samples.

Standard Errors of Estimated Percentages. The reliability of an estimated percentage, computed using sample data for both numerator and denominator, depends on the size of the percentage and its base. Estimated percentages are relatively more reliable than the corresponding estimates of the numerators of the percentages, particularly if the percentages are 50 percent or more. When the numerator and the denominator of the percentage are in different categories, use the parameter in the tables indicated by the numerator.

The approximate standard error, s<sub>x,p</sub>, can be obtained by use of the formula

$$s_{x,p} = \sqrt{\frac{bp(100-p)}{x}}$$
(3)

Here, x is the total number of sportspersons, hunters, etc., which is the base of the percentage; p is the percentage ( $0 \le p \le 100$ ); and b is the parameter in the tables associated with the characteristic in the numerator of the percentage.

Illustration of the Computation of the Standard Error of an Estimated Percentage

Suppose that a table shows that of the 13,034,300 hunters 16+ in the United States, 22.7 percent hunted migratory birds. From table D-5, the appropriate b parameter is 3,793. Using formula (3), the approximate standard error on the estimate of 22.7 percent is

$$s_{x,p} = \sqrt{\frac{3,793x22.7x(100-22.7)}{13,034,300}} = 0.71$$

Consequently, the 90-percent confidence interval for the estimate percentage of migratory bird hunters 16+ is from 21.5 percent to 23.9 percent, i.e.  $22.7 \pm 1.645 \times 0.71$ .

Standard Error of a Difference. The standard error of the difference between two sample estimates is approximately equal to

$$\mathbf{s}_{\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y}} = \sqrt{\mathbf{s}_{\mathbf{x}}^2 + \mathbf{s}_{\mathbf{y}}^2} \tag{4}$$

where  $s_x$  and  $s_y$  are the standard errors of the estimates x and y. The estimates can be numbers, percentages, ratios, etc. This will represent the actual standard error quite accurately for the difference between estimates of the same characteristic in two different areas, or for the difference between separate and uncorrelated characteristics in the same area. However, if there is a high positive (negative) correlation between the two characteristics, the formula will overestimate (underestimate) the true standard error.

Illustration of the Computation of the Standard Error of a Difference

Suppose that a table shows that of the 13,034,300 hunters in the United States, 9,985,100 were licensed hunters, and 1,689,300 were exempt from a hunting license. The corresponding percentages are 76.6 percent and 13.0 percent, respectively. The apparent difference between the percent of licensed hunters and hunters who are exempt from a license is 63.6 percent. Using formula (3) and the appropriate b parameter from Table D-5, the approximate standard errors of 76.6 percent and 13.0 percent are 0.83 and 1.59, respectively. Using formula (4), the approximate standard error of the estimated difference of 63.6 percent is

$$s_{x-y} = \sqrt{0.72^2 + 0.57^2} = 0.92$$

The 90-percent confidence interval on the difference between licensed hunters and those who were exempt from a hunting license is from 62.1 to 65.1 percent, i.e.,  $63.6 \pm 1.645 \times 0.92$ . Since the interval does not contain zero, we can conclude with 90 percent confidence that the percentage of licensed hunters is greater than the percentage of hunters who are exempt from a hunting license.

Standard Errors of Estimated Averages. Certain mean values for sportspersons, anglers, etc., shown in the report were calculated as the ratio of two numbers. For example, average days per angler is calculated as:

Standard errors for these averages may be approximated by the use of formula (5) below.

$$s_{x,y} = \frac{x}{y} \sqrt{\left[\frac{s_x}{x}\right]^2 + \left[\frac{s_y}{y}\right]^2 - 2r\frac{s_x s_y}{xy}}$$
(5)

In formula (5), r represents the correlation coefficient between the numerator and the denominator of the estimate. In the above formula, use 0.7 as an estimate of r.

Illustration of the Computation of the Standard Error of an Estimated Average

Suppose that a table shows that the average days per angler 16 years old or older for all fishing was 16.4 days. Using formulas (1) and (2) above, we compute the standard error on total days, 557,393,900, and total anglers, 34,071,100, to be 8,726,000 and 350,600, respectively. The approximate standard error on the estimated average of 16.4 days is

$$s_{x,y} = \frac{557,393,900}{34,071,100} \sqrt{\left[\frac{8,726,000}{557,393,900}\right]^2 + \left[\frac{350,600}{34,071,100}\right]^2 - 2x0.7x \frac{8,726,000x350,600}{557,393,900x34,071,100} = 0.18}$$

therefore, the 90-percent confidence interval on the estimated average of 16.4 days is from 16.1 to 16.7, i.e.,  $16.4 \pm 1.645 \times 0.18$ .

Table D-1. Approximate Standard Errors of Resident Anglers, Days of Fishing by State Residents, and Expenditures for Fishing by State Residents

(Numbers in thousands)

Stata	Particip	ation	Da	nys	Expenditures in dollars		
State	Estimate	Standard error	Estimate	Standard error	Estimate	Standard error	
Alabama	634	28	10,841	452	\$600,364	\$83,099	
Alaska	185	8	2,445	262	\$213,781	\$18,009	
Arizona	394	23	4,327	510	\$326,068	\$59,815	
Arkansas	546	31	11,776	1,296	\$386,164	\$50,245	
California	2,389	124	27,878	3,138	\$2,162,620	\$362,896	
Colorado	626	31	7,639	638	\$772,537	\$105,782	
Connecticut	324	17	5,496	631	\$327,787	\$33,697	
Delaware	89	5	1,341	213	\$92,474	\$20,799	
Florida	2,109	91	43,439	4,318	\$3,426,795	\$420,930	
Georgia	1,043	52	15,559	1,799	\$612,414	\$87,929	
Hawaii	113	7	2,662	554	\$97,707	\$18,656	
Idaho	261	15	3,097	330	\$230,006	\$25,225	
Illinois	1,415	73	21,603	1,814	\$1,147,325	\$186,223	
Indiana	833	41	15,537	1,865	\$469,379	\$80,663	
Iowa	524	28	8,534	672	\$319,087	\$37,612	
Kansas	431	21	6,426	907	\$331,195	\$46,971	
Kentucky	630	36	12,135	1,041	\$551,378	\$64,270	
Louisiana	763	44	12,130	1,412	\$648,285	\$61,451	
Maine	216	13	3,449	397	\$158,533	\$25,580	
Maryland	531	31	7,112	1,027	\$495,458	\$63,380	
Massachusetts	500	23	8,387	789	\$460,207	\$71,626	
Michigan	1,039	66	18,869	3,090	\$960,469	\$172,980	
Minnesota	1,345	59	29,344	3,270	\$1,251,828	\$159,542	
Mississippi	475	28	9,325	1,652	\$317,408	\$47,936	
Missouri	982	46	12,396	859	\$757,928	\$93,775	
Montana	221	11	3,656	468	\$202,751	\$25,563	
Nebraska	265	13	3,378	281	\$179,878	\$27,770	
Nevada	180	12	2,230	387	\$235,599	\$39,457	
New Hampshire	164	8	2,974	305	\$186,436	\$29,039	
New Jersey	639	30	10,973	1,632	\$712,797	\$90,138	
New Mexico	215	13	2,407	358	\$196,661	\$30,674	
New York	1,340	79	23,167	2,932	\$921,777	\$169,508	
North Carolina	894	45	14,615	1,280	\$924,937	\$105,704	
North Dakota	142	6	2,584	217	\$182,746	\$19,235	
Ohio	1,390	65	22,014	1,944	\$905,650	\$97,445	
Oklahoma	685	35	13,228	1,554	\$493,616	\$62,689	
Oregon	551	27	8,720	1,081	\$590,738	\$64,749	
Pennsylvania	1,270	80	21,417	2,271	\$762,242	\$69,554	
Rhode Island	95	5	1,638	179	\$117,842	\$15,812	
South Carolina	604	28	10,321	946	\$496,974	\$58,949	
South Dakota	146	8	2,414	289	\$101,893	\$15,767	
Tennessee	803	40	15,451	1,519	\$468,841	\$92,443	
Texas	2,381	137	34,148	5,143	\$2,129,921	\$258,534	
Utah	424	17	5,346	344	\$400,214	\$36,948	
Vermont	104	7	1,969	212	\$72,326	\$10,954	
Virginia	888	47	14,774	1,198	\$688,844	\$103,105	
Washington	873	37	13,520	1,142	\$966,874	\$89,559	
West Virginia	273	16	4,346	349	\$146,288	\$19,717	
Wisconsin	981	56	19,360	2,175	\$844,539	\$115,997	
Wyoming	121	6	1,901	220	\$135,280	\$20,747	

Table D-2. Approximate Standard Errors of Resident Hunters, Days of Hunting by State Residents, and Expenditures for Hunting by State Residents

(Numbers in thousands)

State	Particip	ation	Da	nys	Expenditures in dollars		
State	Estimate	Standard error	Estimate	Standard error	Estimate	Standard error	
Alabama	316	22	7,262	1,047	\$652,845	\$132,117	
Alaska	74	5	982	174	\$111,678	\$18,869	
Arizona	124	13	1,649	345	\$225,651	\$74,606	
Arkansas	306	28	7,075	1,140	\$387,489	\$69,954	
California	278	43	3,695	1,076	\$368,701	\$136,459	
Colorado	168	18	1,982	338	\$185,277	\$39,453	
Connecticut	45	7	824	199	\$69,359	\$24,196	
Delaware	16	2	279	85	\$18,424	\$6,513	
Florida	270	39	5,865	1,370	\$545,627	\$130,063	
Georgia	377	32	7,882	1,023	\$505,894	\$88,503	
Hawaii	18	4	322	92	\$17,266	\$6,678	
Idaho	151	12	1,784	252	\$168,088	\$32,796	
Illinois	340	44	5,842	2,234	\$527,776	\$181,913	
Indiana	284	28	5,016	939	\$279,670	\$70,406	
Iowa	203	16	4,086	725	\$185,082	\$38,141	
Kansas	202	17	3,424	443	\$223,192	\$41,908	
Kentucky	271	23	4,538	482	\$384,751	\$59,977	
Louisiana	316	28	7,325	1,565	\$528,155	\$98,836	
Maine	123	10	2,169	366	\$119,144	\$23,982	
Maryland	124	14	1,992	352	\$143,143	\$33,553	
Massachusetts	79	10	1,727	406	\$113,461	\$24,955	
Michigan	725	54	8,784	1,080	\$556,880	\$131,109	
Minnesota	582	40	8,673	930	\$601,497	\$97,084	
Mississippi	257	23	6,977	1,283	\$306,157	\$74,399	
Missouri	413	37	6,715	1,184	\$490,761	\$115,416	
Montana	171	11	2,112	240	\$161,239	\$25,032	
Nebraska	128	10	1,963	203	\$135,092	\$28,074	
Nevada	49	6	558	104	\$149,292	\$38,530	
New Hampshire	53	5	1,300	169	\$55,775	\$11,739	
New Jersey	125	15	3,000	641	\$156,786	\$48,877	
New Mexico	114	13	1,594	371	\$171,811	\$39,225	
New York	642	51	13,124	1,611	\$975,691	\$202,696	
North Carolina	313	33	8,372	1,717	\$566,504	\$124,764	
North Dakota	92	7	1,417	232	\$78,745	\$11,192	
Ohio	481	39	11,077	2,011	\$645,875	\$157,380	
Oklahoma	241	24	5,965	1,012	\$323,215	\$66,265	
Oregon	236	18	2,917	481	\$432,628	\$104,547	
Pennsylvania	867	68	14,091	1,656	\$901,173	\$144,957	
Rhode Island	11	2	193	61	\$15,214	\$6,679	
South Carolina	232	21	4,657	810	\$280,030	\$52,190	
South Dakota	90	7	1,347	215	\$112,448	\$25,400	
Tennessee	320	31	6,962	1,248	\$659,063	\$122,182	
Texas	1,126	108	15,186	3,248	\$1,467,034	\$244,695	
Utah	178	13	2,512	386	\$308,510	\$53,000	
Vermont	75	6	1,460	195	\$53,805	\$8,476	
Virginia	308	32	5,819	866	\$340,273	\$64,904	
Washington	231	17	3,311	352	\$339,470	\$81,858	
West Virginia	235	16	4,791	637	\$201,282	\$39,066	
Wisconsin	591	41	9,305	1,151	\$634,413	\$119,195	
Wyoming	65	6	870	100	\$62,958	\$13,319	

Table D-3. Approximate Standard Errors of Resident Nonresidential Participants, Days of Nonresidential Participation by State Residents, and Trip-Related Expenditures for Nonresidential Activities by State Residents

(Numbers in thousands)

State	Particip	ation	Da	ays	Expenditures in dollars		
State	Estimate	Standard error	Estimate	Standard error	Estimate	Standard error	
Alabama	280	40	3,782	746	\$109,926	\$24,800	
Alaska	118	12	1,766	316	\$49,035	\$11,646	
Arizona	329	45	3,537	571	\$174,237	\$34,239	
Arkansas	190	43	1,545	407	\$70,811	\$24,515	
California	2,191	254	25,134	4,024	\$894,746	\$175,803	
Camorina	2,171	254	23,134	4,024	φορτ, 1το	φ175,005	
Colorado	531	61	6,555	1,258	\$183,470	\$45,064	
Connecticut	248	34	6,770	1,596	\$82,766	\$16,616	
Delaware	43	8	595	135	\$15,727	\$4,444	
Florida	1,279	171	20,371	4,477	\$508,519	\$118,715	
Georgia	302	67	5,175	1,581	\$174,269	\$55,270	
Hawaii	50	9	1,099	282	\$32,319	\$10,688	
Idaho.	214	43	2,540	558	\$58,842	\$15,651	
Illinois.	683	81	9,208	2,307	\$254,698	\$57,633	
Indiana	484	67	12,319	3,071	\$140,460	\$34,864	
Iowa	354	41	6,960	1,751	\$77,012	\$19,264	
Kansas	286	34	2,470	347	\$81,231	\$15,404	
Kentucky	329	40	6,365	2,093	\$93,187	\$24,333	
Louisiana	250	39	2,364	562	\$53,259	\$18,104	
Maine	174	21	3,384	614	\$64,202	\$16,036	
Maryland	413	53	5,959	1,226	\$188,565	\$47,258	
Massachusetts	427	59	10,992	2,658	\$145,764	\$30.650	
Michigan	747	122	13,192	2,762	\$332,609	\$90.218	
Minnesota	562	82	13,406	4,473	\$124,187	\$25,145	
Mississippi	103	22	3,466	1,449	\$32,803	\$13,539	
Missouri	581	129	12,028	3,251	\$130,720	\$32,074	
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Montana	195	22	2,975	631	\$75,050	\$20,978	
Nebraska	150	21	1,853	405	\$34,077	\$7,859	
Nevada	128	20	1,108	199	\$50,162	\$13,058	
New Hampshire	139	21	1,641	371	\$47,666	\$11,395	
New Jersey	564	66	10,772	2,207	\$230,096	\$41,929	
New Mexico	205	26	5,375	1,059	\$69,803	\$29,473	
New York	1,112	138	21,423	4,045	\$471,293	\$128,063	
North Carolina	367	62	5,458	1,857	\$121,730	\$30,272	
North Dakota	48	8	450	97	\$6,946	\$2,453	
Ohio	887	94	20,687	5,732	\$266,849	\$54,800	
Oklahoma	340	55	3,834	1,079	\$42,413	\$9,434	
	561	68	*	981	\$175,678	\$25,285	
Oregon	1,173	148	7,288		\$175,678 \$445,924	\$108,522	
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Rhode Island	282	56	4,458	1,374	\$9,876 \$79,258	\$2,638 \$21,827	
South Caronna	202	30	7,750	1,574	Ψ17,230	Ψ21,027	
South Dakota	77	14	1,762	518	\$14,195	\$3,862	
Tennessee	375	57	3,601	663	\$114,678	\$29,348	
Texas	1,043	240	11,956	2,858	\$689,729	\$188,701	
Utah	323	35	3,651	1,162	\$93,928	\$24,813	
Vermont	109	17	2,081	526	\$30,384	\$6,397	
Virginia	581	84	9,599	2,345	\$225,247	\$59,484	
Washington	874	90	12,238	1,311	\$433,951	\$77,714	
West Virginia	166	22	2,494	599	\$62,283	\$16,816	
Wisconsin	769	85	14,215	3,348	\$268,911	\$43,219	
Wyoming	95	10	1,778	411	\$27,150	\$9,198	
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Table D-4. Parameters a and b for Calculating Approximate Standard Errors of Sportspersons, Anglers, Hunters, and Wildlife-Watching Participants

(These parameters are to be used only to calculate estimates of standard errors for characteristics developed from the screening sample)

State	6 years old and	d over	6-15 year olds only		
State	a	b	a	b	
United States.	-0.000017	4,191	-0.000103	4,052	
Alabama	-0.000380	1,493	-0.002270	1,417	
Alaska	-0.000948	512	-0.004485	489	
Arizona	-0.000399	1,559	-0.001931	1,303	
Arkansas	-0.001069	2,456	-0.006381	2,444	
California	-0.000221	6,329	-0.001083	5,240	
Colorado	-0.000521	1,819	-0.002707	1,551	
Connecticut	-0.000336	996	-0.002227	1,007	
Delaware	-0.000428	283	-0.002753	284	
Florida	-0.000427	5,619	-0.002768	5,390	
Georgia	-0.000506	3,361	-0.002856	3,156	
Hawaii	-0.000659	705	-0.003146	538	
Idaho	-0.001285	1,393	-0.006911	1,424	
Illinois	-0.000427	4,572	-0.002310	4,043	
Indiana	-0.000578	3,064	-0.003388	2,867	
Iowa	-0.000803	2,084	-0.004015	1,702	
Kansas	-0.000659	1,528	-0.004453	1,804	
Kentucky	-0.000493	1,760	-0.002857	1,623	
Louisiana	-0.000874	3,461	-0.004231	3,101	
Maine	-0.000903	1,035	-0.005933	1,086	
Maryland	-0.000463	2,151	-0.002684	1,973	
Massachusetts	-0.000193	1,065	-0.001155	928	
Michigan	-0.000606	5,281	-0.003588	5,206	
Minnesota	-0.001004	4,226	-0.006232	4,574	
Mississippi	-0.000955	2,368	-0.005090	2,275	
Missouri	-0.000681	3,305	-0.004295	3,440	
Montana	-0.001327	1,085	-0.008909	1,292	
Nebraska	-0.000479	714	-0.002742	713	
Nevada	-0.000588	845	-0.003740	838	
New Hampshire	-0.000455	482	-0.002565	446	
New Jersey	-0.000220	1,591	-0.001309	1,434	
New Mexico	-0.000887	1,389	-0.004190	1,228	
New York	-0.000298	4,907	-0.001768	4,458	
North Carolina	-0.000506	3,353	-0.004040	4,161	
North Dakota	-0.000994	581	-0.007996 0.002543	816	
Ohio	-0.000402	4,091	-0.002543	4,199	
Oklahoma	-0.000774	2,323	-0.003822	2,007	
Oregon	-0.000429	1,261	-0.002347	1,105	
Pennsylvania	-0.000563	6,176	-0.004018	6,755	
Rhode Island	-0.000327 -0.000542	291 1,838	-0.002062 -0.002857	276 1,566	
				1,500	
South Dakota	-0.000788	522	-0.005465 0.005230	667 3 054	
Tennessee	-0.000798 0.000674	3,887	-0.005230	3,954	
Texas	$ \begin{array}{c c} -0.000674 \\ -0.000532 \end{array} $	11,571 948	-0.003386 -0.001723	10,479 667	
Vermont	-0.000332 -0.001116	605	-0.001723 -0.008013	697	
Virginia	-0.000636	3,870	-0.003336	3,090	
Washington	-0.000190	956	-0.003330	889	
West Virginia	-0.000190	1,344	-0.001070	1,323	
Wisconsin	-0.000986	4,628	-0.005562	4,461	
	2.000700	.,020	-0.007708	647	

Table D-5. Parameters a and b for Calculating Approximate Standard Errors of Levels for the Detailed Sportspersons Sample

Stata	Sportspersons and a	inglers 16+	Hunters 16+		
State	a	b	a	b	
United States	-0.000020	4,289	-0.000018	3,793	
Alabama	-0.000459	1,570	-0.000489	1,672	
Alaska	-0.001213	535	-0.000986	435	
Arizona	-0.000405	1,492	-0.000389	1,431	
Arkansas	-0.001229	2,452	-0.001529	3,050	
California	-0.000275	7,111	-0.000265	6,859	
Colorado	-0.000602	1,924	-0.000649	2,075	
Connecticut	-0.000385	976	-0.000429	1,086	
Delaware	-0.000483	288	-0.000658	392	
Florida	-0.000395	4,789	-0.000478	5,788	
Georgia	-0.000512	3,106	-0.000472	2,858	
Hawaii	-0.000509	454	-0.001043	930	
Idaho	-0.001216	1,176	-0.001263	1,221	
Illinois	-0.000487	4,492	-0.000648	5,979	
Indiana	-0.000549	2,501	-0.000654	2,982	
Iowa	-0.000888	1,953	-0.000659	1,450	
Kansas	-0.000642	1,292	-0.000832	1,673	
Kentucky	-0.000835	2,592	-0.000679	2,110	
Louisiana	-0.000991	3,270	-0.000831	2,743	
Maine	-0.000954	959	-0.000937	942	
Maryland	-0.000516	2,087	-0.000397	1,605	
Massachusetts	-0.000252	1,221	-0.000278	1,344	
Michigan	-0.000643	4,874	-0.000592	4,491	
Minnesota	-0.001114	4,105	-0.000889	3,278	
Mississippi	-0.001033	2,169	-0.001124	2,360	
Missouri	-0.000678	2,843	-0.000857	3,597	
Montana	-0.001195	832	-0.001299	904	
Nebraska	-0.000676	851	-0.000707	890	
Nevada	-0.000617	893	-0.000576	833	
New Hampshire	-0.000501	478	-0.000547	522	
New Jersey	-0.000252	1,588	-0.000305	1,918	
New Mexico	-0.000711	944	-0.001259	1,672	
New York	-0.000364	5,159	-0.000301	4,277	
North Carolina	-0.000451	2,646	-0.000616	3,618	
North Dakota	-0.000814	389	-0.001295	619	
Ohio	-0.000421	3,638	-0.000381	3,292	
Oklahoma	-0.000954	2,454	-0.001042	2,679	
Oregon	-0.000652	1,715	-0.000558	1,468	
Pennsylvania	-0.000635	5,902	-0.000628	5,840	
Rhode Island	-0.000423	322	-0.000510	389	
South Carolina	-0.000527	1,616	-0.000696	2,133	
South Dakota	-0.001088	605	-0.001013	563	
Tennessee	-0.000577	2,490	-0.000749	3,232	
Texas	-0.000603	9,273	-0.000733	11,259	
Utah	-0.000616	955	-0.000714	1,106	
Vermont	-0.001086	520	-0.001184	567	
Virginia	-0.000546	2,930	-0.000658	3,529	
Washington	-0.000427	1,913	-0.000305	1,368	
West Virginia	-0.000781	1,133	-0.000891	1,288	
Wisconsin	-0.001026	4,165	-0.000832	3,378	
Wyoming	-0.001209	452	-0.001693	633	

Table D-6. Parameters a, b, and c for Calculating Approximate Standard Errors for Expenditures for the Detailed Sportspersons Sample

State	Sportspe	rsons and anglers	16+		Hunters 16+	
State	a	b	С	a	b	С
United States	0.000209	-81,938	16,935	0.000849	-338,404	16,347
Alabama	0.009175	-61,525	5,860	0.024164	-1,049	5,155
Alaska	-0.006112	-16,312	2,378	0.021402	39,475	489
Arizona	0.026819	-7,817	2,578	0.092593	-90,851	2,072
Arkansas	0.004633	-23,748	6,426	0.014405	-62,820	5,523
California	0.021384	-70,276	15,458	0.113785	-136,283	6,339
Colorado	0.009864	-19,578	5,293	0.022718	-94,581	3,887
Connecticut	0.001877	-16,928	2,684	0.079125	-34,580	1,895
Delaware	0.040550	-7,042	809	0.105687	-2,637	311
Florida	0.007654	20,508	14,478	0.023874	-155,743	8,973
Georgia	0.014008	-36,268	6,059	0.008831	-95,649	7,863
Hawaii	0.025846	-5,658	1,067	0.097125	-938	788
Idaho	-0.002875	-29,463	3,878	0.016379	-64,453	3,289
Illinois	0.019572	10,051	8,854	0.085878	-549,762	11,311
Indiana	0.022696	-22,961	5,102	0.033251	-103,911	8,051
Iowa	0.005064	-20,998	4,528	0.016656	-138,890	5,392
Kansas	0.015860	18,185	1,730	0.021785	-50,528	2,671
Kentucky	0.004591	-41,799	5,443	0.008079	-58,497	4,208
Louisiana	-0.00040	-65,739	6,880	0.019445	-21.541	4,669
Maine	0.017717	-5,998	1,713	0.025284	-13,157	1,841
Maryland	0.008904	-8,843	3,522	0.032998	-11,255	2,731
Massachusetts	0.016262	-12,678	3,571	0.024064	-1,953	1,922
Michigan	0.019792	-127,849	11,921	0.040148	-65,705	9,671
Minnesota	0.008800	-47,947	9,688	0.014048	-30,492	6,738
Mississippi	0.016340	-3,615	2,838	0.048203	-12,376	2,679
Missouri	0.010252	-14,938	4,700	0.044792	-43,432	4,274
Montana	0.006249	2,944	2,023	0.012939	-22,671	1,865
Nebraska	0.017333	-3,651	1,663	0.027267	-39,668	2,043
Nevada	0.018933	-14,263	1,569	0.031588	-38,184	1,658
New Hampshire	0.018219	-2,158	896	0.019369	-16,561	1,337
New Jersey	0.008872	-21,461	4,161	0.074090	-47,814	2,925
New Mexico	0.009851	-15,340	3,013	0.038148	4,904	1,576
New York	0.026625	-55,537	8,963	0.021960	-65,942	13,270
North Carolina	0.002898	-52,854	8,564	0.027058	-70,174	6,255
North Dakota	0.005072	-1,310	842	0.013476	10,740	593
Ohio	0.006294	-16,259	6,658	0.032819	-343,279	12,406
Oklahoma	0.004660	-37,618	7,562	0.020499	-34,984	4,891
Oregon	0.003145	-20,997	4,657	0.039506	-209,288	4,495
Pennsylvania	-0.001615	-16,424	12,085	0.015010	-45,176	9,408
Rhode Island	0.008233	-3,065	823	0.163731	1,552	318
South Carolina	0.006577	-24,715	4,435	0.014150	-45,230	4,751
South Dakota	0.016156	-6,396	1,099	0.041242	13,567	850
Tennessee	0.033971	-0,390 -12,176	3,739	0.041242	25,879	2,858
Texas.	0.002571	-12,176 -181,509	27,582	0.023020	228,353	16,609
Utah	0.002371	-2,243	3,125	0.012311	-63,829	3,240
Vermont	0.011747	-4,625	1,103	0.008540	-5,531	1,212
Virginia	0.016382	-12,594	5,152	0.014967	-57,318	6,583
Virginia	0.016382	-12,394 -21,018	4,033	0.014967	-37,518 -137,577	2,616
West Virginia	0.003760	-21,018 -9,550	2,878	0.047027	-157,377 -15,338	1,413
Wisconsin	0.006720	-9,330 -19,300	6,202	0.031204	-13,338 -96,808	6,607
Wyoming	0.012407	-19,300 -9,179	1,344	0.024311	-90,808 -20,666	1,350
wyoming	0.012293	-7,1/7	1,344	0.024311	-20,000	1,330

Table D-7. Parameters a, b, and c for Calculating Approximate Standard Errors for Days or Trips for the Detailed Sportspersons Sample

G	Sportsper	sons and anglers 10	5+	Hunters 16+		
State	a	b	С	a	b	c
United States	-0.000359	-10,379	21,216	0.000168	-11,904	12,496
Alabama	-0.014899	-1,645	10,642	0.010257	-3,745	3,494
Alaska	0.004232	-2,284	1,514	0.017337	-1,630	1,174
Arizona	0.009813	-504	1,658	0.025859	-2,427	2,408
Arkansas	-0.000591	-4,532	7,151	0.005331	-5,600	6,560
California	0.005829	-32,577	19,133	0.046419	-14,455	11,763
Colorado	-0.002514	-4,440	6,304	0.005304	-3,344	4,269
Connecticut	0.004894	-1,905	2,797	0.032365	-208	1,179
Delaware	0.019930	-260	493	0.042659	-901	837
Florida	0.004327	-8,388	12,123	0.023712	-8,026	8,704
Georgia	0.006853	-15,975	7,865	0.000498	-4,557	6,375
Hawaii	0.024692	-3,126	2,236	-0.011390	-629	1,71
daho	-0.003745	-3,875	4,263	0.007761	-1,392	1,950
llinois	-0.001740	-10,299	13,115	0.116103	-25,870	11,750
ndiana	0.005471	-5,800	7,756	0.015379	-6,119	5,928
owa	-0.002638	-1,789	4,745	0.013073	-5,442	4,003
Kansas	0.016223	-605	1,633	-0.005996	-2,318	4,722
Kentucky	-0.001146	-3,831	5,559	-0.008903	-1,883	5,581
Louisiana	0.005167	-9,551	6,990	0.031739	-9,447	4,809
Maine	-0.001145	-2,421	3,262	0.012469	-2,544	2,12
Maryland	0.015009	-1,757	3,235	-0.000817	-3,341	4,179
Massachusetts	0.001279	-5,091	4,088	0.028210	-2,953	2,268
dichigan	0.014345	-13,184	13,688	0.005369	-5,906	7,564
/innesota	0.003565	-17,781	12,718	-0.002763	-5,610	8,67
dississippi	0.019493	-15,942	6,461	0.014162	-6,098	5,274
Missouri	-0.002128	-5,253	7,226	0.018480	-8,909	5,740
Montana	0.000449	-2,600	3,680	0.000401	-1,984	2,302
lebraska	-0.001914	-1,750	2,477	-0.000535	-295	1,450
Nevada	0.021810	-2,046	1,649	-0.001816	-1,230	1,883
New Hampshire	0.002071	-1,578	1,470	0.000312	-511	902
New Jersey	0.011720	-5,526	6,959	0.022081	-3,488	3,096
New Mexico	0.001275	-6,683	5,081	0.035962	-4,491	2,409
New York	0.006773	-19,672	13,519	-0.006261	-6,261	14,00
North Carolina	-0.003764	-7,850	10,700	0.005307	-10,202	11,887
North Dakota	-0.000254	-1,046	1,099	0.013638	-2,072	1,354
Ohio	-0.002277	-12,642	14,807	0.014951	-10,264	9,11
Oklahoma	0.002908	-8,589	7,908	-0.012896	-7,384	10,343
Oregon	-0.004964	-10,252	11,849	0.014008	-4,387	3,460
ennsylvania	-0.000351	-9,506	15,294	0.001946	-7,227	10,734
Rhode Island	0.003515	-532	829	0.036010	-680	752
South Carolina	0.001822	-4,530	4,244	0.016996	-2,924	3,220
South Dakota	0.006727	-857	1,163	0.014473	-561	1,029
Tennessee	-0.003393	-8,542	10,929	0.014450	-5,875	5,933
Texas	0.008771	-62,115	37,457	0.026724	-40,596	24,438
Jtah	-0.000945	-159	2,170	0.009900	-3,490	2,684
/ermont	-0.003874	-1,213	1,671	0.001720	-943	1,254
/irginia	-0.003305	-6,179	9,142	0.003533	-4,262	5,955
Vashington	0.001423	-4,085	5,250	-0.000778	-1,826	2,912
West Virginia	-0.003294	-831	2,712	0.003483	-2,510	3,463
Visconsin	-0.000821	-11,365	13,762	0.002687	-8,025	7,969
Wyoming	0.001824	-978	1,466	0.000207	3,198	606

Table D-8. Parameters a and b for Calculating Approximate Standard Errors of Levels of Wildlife-Watching Participants for the Detailed Wildlife-Watching Sample

G	Nonresident	ial users	Wildlife-watching participants <sup>1</sup>			
State	a	b	a	b		
United States.	-0.000076	15,974	-0.000040	8,555		
Alabama	-0.001806	6,172	-0.000996	3,406		
Alaska	-0.003984	1,757	-0.003102	1,368		
Arizona	-0.001862	6,858	-0.001138	4,191		
Arkansas	-0.005383	10,740	-0.003708	7,397		
California	-0.001245	32,229	-0.000675	17,485		
Colorado	-0.002666	8,521	-0.001570	5,017		
Connecticut	-0.002028	5,136	-0.001170	2,963		
Delaware	-0.003015	1,797	-0.001488	887		
Florida	-0.002113	25,612	-0.001029	12,478		
Georgia	-0.002607	15,802	-0.001239	7,512		
Hawaii	-0.001747	1,558	-0.001508	1,345		
Idaho	-0.011466	11,088	-0.002755	2,664		
Illinois	-0.001118	10,311	-0.001182	10,900		
Indiana	-0.002301	10,485	-0.001294	5,899		
Iowa	-0.002614	5,750	-0.002397	5,274		
Kansas	-0.002324	4,676	-0.001200	2,414		
Kentucky	-0.001720	5,341	-0.001519	4,717		
Louisiana	-0.002007	6,621	-0.001352	4,459		
Maine	-0.003051	3,066	-0.002046	2,056		
Maryland	-0.001879	7,604	-0.001100	4,449		
Massachusetts	-0.001845	8,924	-0.000791	3,824		
Michigan	-0.002911	22,083	-0.001385	10,506		
Minnesota	-0.003859	14,226	-0.002710	9,989		
Mississippi	-0.002421	5,085	-0.002331	4,896		
Missouri	-0.007940	33,309	-0.002372	9,949		
Montana	-0.005126	3,568	-0.003963	2,758		
Nebraska	-0.002615	3,292	-0.001558	1,961		
Nevada	-0.002376	3,438	-0.001641	2,375		
New Hampshire	-0.003949	3,767	-0.001860	1,774		
New Jersey	-0.001349	8,490	-0.000839	5,282		
New Mexico.	-0.003029	4,023	-0.001796	2,385		
New York	-0.001303	18,488	-0.000811	11,505		
North Carolina	-0.001908	11,203	-0.001382	8,114		
North Dakota	-0.003144	1,503	-0.002659	1,271		
Ohio	-0.001298	11,210	-0.000884	7,638		
Oklahoma	-0.004011	10,317	-0.002253	5,796		
Oregon	-0.003939	10,356	-0.001506	3,958		
Pennsylvania	-0.002310	21,485	-0.001198	11,142		
Rhode Island	-0.001581	1,205	-0.001226	934		
South Carolina	-0.004009	12,288	-0.001840	5,460		
South Dakota	-0.005473	3,043	-0.002845	1,582		
Tennessee	-0.002163	9,330	-0.001206	5,202		
Texas	-0.003860	59,315	-0.001142	17,541		
Utah	-0.003023	4,685	-0.002427	3,762		
Vermont	-0.007125	3,413	-0.003296	1,579		
Virginia	-0.002550	13,684	-0.001540	8,266		
Washington	-0.002590	11,601	-0.000842	3,773		
West Virginia	-0.002233	3,226	-0.001979	2,859		
Wisconsin	-0.002881	11,690	-0.002288	9,283		
	-0.004150	1,552	-0.004075	1,524		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Use these parameters for total wildlife-watching participants and residential participants.

Table D-9. Parameters a, b, and c for Calculating Approximate Standard Errors for Expenditures and Days or Trips for Detailed Wildlife-Watching Sample

9		Expenditures			Days or trips	
State	a	b	С	a	b	С
United States	-0.000286	-65,186	37,635	0.000052	543,738	10,948
Alabama	0.030708	-4,434	4,714	-0.022833	-34,485	19,838
Alaska	0.041800	-4,269	1,514	-0.029715	-14,349	8,241
Arizona	0.015564	-88,920	7,092	-0.006753	8,600	9,994
Arkansas	0.010470	-232,312	19,942	-0.016982	-55,327	23,242
California	0.018066	-66,438	36,961	0.012283	199,721	11,847
Colorado	0.038817	-215,098	11,070	-0.052385	-41,128	50,721
Connecticut	0.009671	-39,324	6,004	-0.041089	-115,012	28,194
Delaware	0.048255	793	1,135	-0.017715	-10,761	3,753
Florida	0.037237	246,936	15,955	-0.011904	368,712	53,853
Georgia	0.049562	-47,365	13,337	-0.012828	-66,122	35,936
Hawaii	0.073902	-7,392	1,428	-0.107474	-50,423	10,960
Idaho	0.049578	3,816	4,179	-0.012767	26,870	10,809
Illinois	0.023791	-91,738	15,163	0.017880	-26,735	32,660
Indiana	0.031176	-6,949	11,644	-0.031304	-137,397	50,618
Iowa	0.027387	-151,677	10,811	-0.043626	-36,375	39,705
Kansas	0.014086	-26,411	5,617	-0.020112	-42,505	16,304
Kentucky	0.034724	-14,328	9,748	-0.100682	-143,695	76,120
Louisiana	0.077714	-11,409	5,935	-0.079705	-145,421	49,422
Maine	0.023033	-44,469	5,406	-0.017174	-7,365	9,098
Maryland	0.043571	-70,123	6,923	-0.033325	-216,192	46,228
Massachusetts	0.006810	-178,680	12,400	-0.031568	-234,200	47,548
Michigan	0.040492	-319,042	19,607	-0.018833	-31,270	48,594
Minnesota	0.014246	-14,209	13,809	-0.095678	-560,553	139,828
Mississippi	0.124078	18,562	3,885	-0.030843	-100,539	24,176
Missouri	0.034639	-25,636	11,799	-0.010269	219,841	37,795
Montana	0.057903	-22,171	3,776	-0.012332	5,559	10,812
Nebraska	0.024994	-4,237	3,539	-0.038650	-12,323	13,951
Nevada	0.034440	22,068	4,012	-0.005101	-34,384	8,741
New Hampshire	0.035666	-13,208	2,568	0.022014	-23,662	6,038
New Jersey	0.013039	-52,984	9,831	-0.011200	215,547	18,712
New Mexico	0.160478	-37,219	3,245	-0.041133	-40,922	17,946
New York	0.055761	-88,911	14,702	-0.018354	-352,468	78,358
North Carolina	0.016613	-38,392	14,073	-0.014391	-150,974	57,926
North Dakota	0.083798	-1,532	1,564	0.000482	-16,359	3,936
Ohio	0.013567	-190,802	23,398	0.054816	-205,827	28,294
Oklahoma	0.016264	-32,772	9,957	0.012938	93,047	14,288
Oregon	0.006779	-12,633	7,354	-0.034862	-36,621	32,540
Pennsylvania	0.029900	-197,526	29,144	0.024902	969,419	-33,184
Rhode Island	0.030265	-1,717	1,486	-0.069322	-95,835	12,964
South Carolina	0.053921	14,141	5,196	-0.019706	-230,401	46,919
South Dakota	0.057120	7,343	999	-0.031149	-123,874	14,456
Tennessee	0.037696	-9,299	8,559	0.000581	38,507	8,480
Texas	0.038651	-443,322	33,784	0.005378	354,179	23,102
Utah	0.056421	9,481	4,059	0.045711	-66,098	23,779
Vermont	0.013746	-43,820	3,010	0.010618	-34,930	7,630
Virginia	0.036266	-105,349	16,055	-0.016136	-231,865	58,093
Washington	0.018752	-46,218	10,365	-0.015432	-108,529	31,269
West Virginia	0.051192	-2,708 25,200	2,632	-0.035244	-80,788	20,819
Wisconsin	-0.001127	-25,290	18,720	-0.064163	-592,681	124,050
Wyoming	0.097425	-2,122	1,550	-0.093805	-13,385	14,702

## Notes