Table 1216. Selected Recreational Activities: 1990 to 2006

[41 represents 41,000,000]

| Activity | Unit | 1990 | 1995 | 2000 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 |
|---|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Softball, amateur: ¹ Total participants ² Youth participants Adult teams ³ Youth teams ³ Golf facilities ⁴ | 1,000 1,000 1,000 | 41 1,100 188 46 12,846 | 42 1,350 187 74 14,074 | 31 1,370 155 81 15,489 | 31 1,365 143 80 15,827 | 30 1,351 119 79 15,899 | 28 1,356 132 80 16,057 | 27 1,447 128 85 16,052 | 25 1,459 127 86 15,990 |
| Tennis players ⁵ | 1,000 Number 1,000 | 21,000 7,611 6,588 | 17,820 7,049 4,925 | 22,900 6,247 3,756 | 23,200 5,973 3,382 | 24,100 5,811 3,246 | 24,000 5,761 3,112 | 24,720 5,818 2,896 | 24,720 5,566 2,728 |
| Skiing: ⁸ Skier visits ⁹ . Operating resorts Motion picture screens ¹⁰ Receipts, box office Attendance | Number 1,000 | 50.0 591 24 5,022 1,189 | 52.7 520 28 5,494 1,263 | 52.2 503 37 7,468 1,385 | 54.4 493 35 9,272 1,596 | 57.6 490 36 9,165 1,520 | 57.1 494 37 9,215 1,484 | 56.9 492 39 8,832 1,378 | 58.9 478 39 9,137 1,395 |
| Boating: ¹¹ People participating in recreational boating ^{12, 13} . Retail expenditures on boating ¹⁴ | Million | 67.5 13,731 | 70.3 17,226 | 64.4 27,065 | 67.1 31,563 | 65.0 30,283 | 65.4 32,953 | 67.5 37,317 | 72.6 39,493 |
| by boat type 15 Outboard. Inboard Sterndrive Personal watercraft Sailboats. Other | Million Million Million Million Million Million Million Million Million | 16.0 (NA) (NA) (NA) (NA) (NA) (NA) | 15.4 (NA) (NA) (NA) (NA) (NA) (NA) | 16.8 8.3 1.0 1.6 1.2 1.6 3.1 | 17.2 8.3 1.1 1.5 1.2 1.6 3.4 | 17.2 8.4 1.1 1.6 1.2 1.6 3.4 | 17.4 8.4 1.1 1.7 1.3 1.6 3.4 | 17.7 8.5 1.1 1.7 1.2 1.6 3.6 | 17.7 8.5 1.1 1.7 1.2 1.6 3.6 |

¹ Source: Amateur Softball Association, Oklahoma City, OK. ² Amateur Softball Association teams and NA Not available. other amateur softball teams. 3 Amateur Softball Association teams only. 4 Source: National Golf Foundation, Jupiter, FL. Source: Tennis Industry Association, Hilton Head, SC. Players for persons 12 years old and over who played at least once. ⁶ Source: United States Bowling Congress, Greendale, WI. ⁷ Membership totals are for U.S., Canada, and for U.S. military ⁸ Source: National Ski Areas Association, Kottke National End of Season Survey 2005/06—final report personnel worldwide. 9 Represents one person visiting a ski area for all or any part of a day or night, and includes full-and half-day, night, (copyright). complimentary, adult, child, season, and other types of tickets. Data are estimated and are for the season ending in the year Source: Motion Picture Association of America, Inc., Encino, CA. Source: National Marine Manufacturers Association, Chicago, IL. (copyright). People participating is now measured as adults 18 years and older. 1990-2005 have been revised, see report. ¹⁴ Represents estimated expenditures for new and used boats, motors and engines, accessories, safety equipment, fuel, insurance, docking, maintenance, launching, storage, repairs, and other expenses. data are estimated.

Source: Compiled from sources listed in footnotes.