

Table 1251. National Park System—Summary: 1990 to 2008

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

Item	1990	1995	2000	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Finances (mil. dol.): ¹								
Expenditures reported	986	1,445	1,833	2,371	2,451	2,463	2,412	2,614
Salaries and wages	459	633	799	956	984	998	1,005	1,066
Improvements, maintenance	160	234	299	332	361	389	381	428
Construction	109	192	215	354	381	300	280	303
Other	259	386	520	729	725	776	746	817
Funds available	1,506	2,225	3,316	4,087	4,218	4,242	4,266	4,537
Appropriations	1,053	1,325	1,881	2,388	2,425	2,450	2,484	2,636
Other ²	453	900	1,435	1,699	1,793	1,792	1,782	1,901
Revenue from operations	79	106	234	264	286	308	346	404
Recreation visits (millions): ³								
All areas	258.7	269.6	285.9	276.9	273.5	272.6	275.6	274.9
National parks ⁴	57.7	64.8	66.1	63.8	63.5	60.4	62.3	61.2
National monuments	23.9	23.5	23.8	19.8	20.9	19.6	19.7	20.2
National historical, commemorative, archaeological ⁵	57.5	56.9	72.2	77.0	74.9	73.6	75.1	76.2
National parkways	29.1	31.3	34.0	31.7	31.7	32.6	31.1	30.2
National recreation areas ⁴	47.2	53.7	50.0	46.6	46.8	47.8	48.9	49.6
National seashores and lakeshores	23.3	22.5	22.5	21.3	21.7	19.6	19.9	19.3
National Capital Parks	7.5	5.5	5.4	4.7	4.3	6.2	4.9	5.1
Recreation overnight stays (millions).	17.6	16.8	15.4	13.7	13.5	13.2	13.8	13.7
In commercial lodgings	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.6
In Park Service campgrounds	7.9	7.1	5.9	5.4	5.2	5.0	5.1	5.0
In backcountry	1.7	2.2	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8
Other	4.2	3.7	3.8	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.4	3.3
Land (1,000 acres): ^{6,7}								
Total	76,362	77,355	78,153	79,023	79,048	78,810	78,845	78,859
Parks	46,089	49,307	49,785	49,892	49,910	49,912	49,911	49,916
Recreation areas	3,344	3,353	3,388	3,391	3,391	3,391	3,413	3,413
Other	26,929	24,695	24,980	25,740	25,747	25,507	25,521	25,530
Acquisition, net	21	27	186	12	17	16	23	7

¹ Financial data are those associated with the National Park System. Certain other functions of the National Park Service (principally the activities absorbed from the former Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service in 1981) are excluded.
² Includes funds carried over from prior years. ³ For calendar year. Includes other areas, not shown separately. ⁴ For 1990, combined data for North Cascades National Park and two adjacent National Recreation Areas are included in National Parks total.
⁵ Includes military areas. ⁶ Federal land only, as of Dec. 31. Federal land acreages, in addition to National Park Service administered lands, also include lands within national park system area boundaries but under the administration of other agencies.
Year-to-year changes in the federal lands figures includes changes in the acreages of these other lands and hence often differ from "net acquisition."⁷ The decrease in the 2006 land total reflects corrected acreage by the Bureau of Land Management, and not by the National Park Service lands.

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

Table 1252. State Parks and Recreation Areas by State: 2007

[For year ending June 30 (13,922 represents 13,922,000). Data are shown as reported by state park directors. In some states, park agency has forests, fish and wildlife areas, and/or other areas under its control. In other states, park agency is responsible for state parks only]

State	Revenue		Percent of operating expenditures	State	Revenue		Percent of operating expenditures		
	Acreage (1,000)	Visitors (1,000) ¹			Total (\$1,000)	Acreage (1,000)		Visitors (1,000) ¹	Total (\$1,000)
United States . . .	13,922	747,964	935,005	40.1					
Alabama	48	5,142	22,567	57.0	Missouri	204	15,142	8,095	27.5
Alaska	3,361	4,977	2,791	35.2	Montana	55	5,333	4,952	55.3
Arizona	64	2,348	9,639	38.9	Nebraska	135	10,236	16,681	84.7
Arkansas	54	8,399	22,332	48.3	Nevada	139	3,132	2,748	18.3
California	1,566	79,854	90,672	21.3	New Hampshire	233	1,626	4,324	58.7
Colorado	420	11,834	25,811	66.9	New Jersey	426	18,543	10,388	26.9
Connecticut	206	7,504	5,104	29.9	New Mexico	93	4,604	3,904	14.0
Delaware	26	5,022	12,397	53.6	New York	1,348	61,771	88,000	43.2
Florida	700	20,737	42,779	54.8	North Carolina	202	12,868	5,317	13.8
Georgia	86	10,351	35,272	56.2	North Dakota	18	879	1,585	47.0
Hawaii	34	10,182	2,206	20.5	Ohio	174	49,659	27,530	37.3
Idaho	46	4,031	3,608	20.9	Oklahoma	72	13,485	36,368	78.7
Illinois	486	45,159	6,804	11.9	Oregon	99	42,605	17,187	36.1
Indiana	179	18,043	41,379	78.1	Pennsylvania	292	33,210	17,176	20.6
Iowa	69	13,382	3,864	25.1	Rhode Island	9	6,217	4,322	47.6
Kansas	33	6,875	5,998	57.1	South Carolina	84	7,050	21,116	77.9
Kentucky	49	7,082	54,983	61.1	South Dakota	103	7,375	11,530	82.0
Louisiana	43	1,679	7,669	24.6	Tennessee	174	32,264	37,770	44.6
Maine	100	2,124	3,027	34.4	Texas	602	7,142	38,172	43.8
Maryland	133	11,330	16,694	49.4	Utah	151	4,554	10,694	34.3
Massachusetts	341	31,635	11,299	14.6	Vermont	69	698	6,124	79.9
Michigan	273	19,309	38,639	86.7	Virginia	68	7,040	14,214	45.5
Minnesota	279	8,380	15,694	44.9	Washington	117	41,590	17,881	25.7
Mississippi	24	1,212	8,926	63.0	West Virginia	177	7,324	20,390	57.7
					Wisconsin	139	14,516	17,011	80.4
					Wyoming	122	2,511	1,371	19.0

¹ Includes overnight visitors.
Source: The National Association of State Park Directors, Raleigh, NC, 2007–2008 Annual Information Exchange, February 2009. See <<http://www.naspd.org/>>.