Table 2: Recreation Visits by State for 1997

State	Visits	% Change[1]	State	Visits	% Change[1]
Alabama	588,299	-43.4%	Montana	3,723,762	-3.6%
Alaska	2,014,850	9.7%	Nebraska	191,686	3.5%
Arizona	12,226,578	-1.5%	Nevada	6,487,075	-8.6%
Arkansas	2,274,731	-7.8%	New Hampshire	35,369	-5.7%
California	35,059,287	1.4%	New Jersey	5,339,026	4.0%
Colorado	5,853,085	-0.3%	New Mexico	2,253,186	3.3%
Connecticut	9,069	-18.5%	New York	16,372,295	6.7%
District of Columbia	20,131,321	23.9%	North Carolina	20,198,570	7.0%
Florida	8,376,584	26.3%	North Dakota	439,459	-7.6%
Georgia	6,021,929	-14.4%	Ohio	3,783,725	1.3%
Guam	124,455	-6.6%	Oklahoma	1,572,079	1.3%
Hawaii	5,555,159	15.7%	Oregon	848,927	-3.0%
Idaho	557,479	-0.5%	Pennsylvania	9,045,609	0.5%
Illinois	442,514	7.3%	Puerto Rico	982,740	-6.5%
Indiana	1,836,880	2.5%	Rhode Island	52,006	5.0%
Iowa	287,309	-14.4%	South Carolina	903,326	4.5%
Kansas	91,986	-2.5%	South Dakota	3,687,858	-4.3%
Kentucky	3,976,853	12.3%	Tennessee	8,476,910	5.3%
Louisiana	852,674	0.4%	Texas	5,779,383	-3.7%
Maine	2,760,306	2.1%	Utah	8,996,930	-3.8%
Maryland	3,404,578	11.0%	Virgin Islands	754,945	19.2%
Massachusetts	9,838,800	1.2%	Virginia	22,402,314	2.8%
Michigan	1,592,960	4.9%	Washington	7,769,116	12.9%
Minnesota	592,888	-5.3%	West Virginia	2,001,244	6.1%
Mississippi	6,913,743	5.8%	Wisconsin	395,447	4.1%
Missouri	5,314,779	-3.4%	Wyoming	6,044,252	-4.6%
			TOTAL	275,236,335	3.6%

[1]Percent change from 1996

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