While the global economy grew by 2.5%, Travel & Tourism grew significantly more at 3.5%.

1 in 4 net new jobs were created by Travel & Tourism over the last five years.

Global GDP impact by sector (2018 data). Share of total economy GDP:

- Mining: 0%
- Automotive: 5%
- Agriculture: 10%
- Travel & Tourism: 15%
- Retail: 10%
- Financial Services: 15%

Total T&T GDP = LYD3,235.6MN (USD2,319.0MN)

In visitor spend (0.2% of total exports) (USD83.6MN)

**LIBYA 2019 KEY DATA**

**CONTRIBUTION OF TRAVEL & TOURISM TO GDP**

3.1% OF TOTAL ECONOMY

Total T&T GDP = LYD3,235.6MN (USD2,319.0MN)

**CONTRIBUTION OF TRAVEL & TOURISM TO EMPLOYMENT**

70.0 JOBS (000’s)

(3.3% of total employment)

**INTERNATIONAL VISITOR IMPACT**

LYD116.7 MN

in visitor spend (0.2% of total exports)

**INBOUND ARRIVALS**

1. ALGERIA 43%
2. IRAQ 13%
3. ITALY 11%
4. UNITED KINGDOM 4%
5. FRANCE 4%
6. REST OF WORLD 25%

**OUTBOUND DEPARTURES**

1. TUNISIA 69%
2. EGYPT 17%
3. TURKEY 6%
4. SAUDI ARABIA 3%
5. JORDAN 1%
6. REST OF WORLD 4%

Note: Data are average shares over the 2016-2018 period
Source: Oxford Economics, national sources and UNWTO

**SECTOR CHARACTERISTICS (2019)**

- LEISURE SPENDING: 56%
- BUSINESS SPENDING: 44%
- DOMESTIC SPENDING: 95%
- INTERNATIONAL SPENDING: 5%

1All values are in constant 2019 prices & exchange rates
As reported in March 2020