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: 5%

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

ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA 2019 KEY DATA

CONTRIBUTION OF TRAVEL & TOURISM TO GDP
42.7% OF TOTAL ECONOMY
Total T&T GDP = XCD3,867.8MN (USD1,432.5MN)

+7.6%
2019 Travel & Tourism GDP growth vs +2.3% real economy GDP growth

CONTRIBUTION OF TRAVEL & TOURISM TO EMPLOYMENT
33.8 JOBS (000's)
(90.7% of total employment)

INTERNATIONAL VISITOR IMPACT
XCD2,895.7MN in visitor spend (47.5% of total exports)
(USD1,072.5MN)

INBOUND ARRIVALS
1. UNITED STATES 40%
2. UNITED KINGDOM 28%
3. CANADA 11%
4. ITALY 3%
5. DOMINICA 2%
REST OF WORLD 16%

OUTBOUND DEPARTURES
1. UNITED STATES 27%
2. FRANCE 16%
3. ST KITTS AND NEVIS 12%
4. BARBADOS 10%
5. DOMINICA 5%
REST OF WORLD 30%

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

SECTOR CHARACTERISTICS (2019)

LEISURE SPENDING 96%
BUSINESS SPENDING 4%
DOMESTIC SPENDING 6%
INTERNATIONAL SPENDING 94%

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