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
- Automotive
- Agriculture
- Travel & Tourism
- Retail
- Financial Services

Jobs globally (1 in 10 jobs):
- Saudi Arabia: 27%
- India: 21%
- Pakistan: 5%
- Kuwait: 5%
- United Kingdom: 4%
- Rest of World: 38%

Total T&T GDP = BHD1,998.4MN (USD5,314.9MN)

2019 Travel & Tourism GDP growth (15.0% of total employment) vs +1.5% real economy GDP growth.

98.7 jobs (000's) (15.0% of total employment)

BHD1,804.6MN in visitor spend (16.1% of total exports) (USD4,799.4MN)

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