## **Fact Of The Week**



## Open Skies Deliver US Economic Benefits And Jobs By Fueling Travel And Tourism

14.2

Million

American jobs created by the travel and tourism industry

9.4

Percent

Share of total US employment held by the travel and tourism industry

\$1.5
Trillion

Dollars contributed to US GDP(2016) by travel and tourism

Data sourced from: World Travel & Tourism Council: https://www.wttc.org/-/media/files/reports/economic-impact-research/countries-2017/unitedstates2017.pdf

<sup>\*</sup>Travel and tourism industry including wider effects from investment, the supply chain, and induced income impacts

<sup>\*\*</sup>Data for 2016