

EMPLOYMENT IN TOURISM INDUSTRIES

The Bahamas Experience

RECOMMENDED METHODOLOGICAL FRAMEWORK – EMPLOYMENT IN TOURISM

Tourism Industries	Number of Establishments	Number of Job by status in employment	Number of Hours worked by status of employment	Number of Full- Time equivalent jobs by status in employment
Consistent with Tables 1-6	By Tourism Industries	Male /Female	Male /Female	Male /Female
		Employees/ Self -Employed	Employees/ Self -Employed	Employees/ Self -Employed

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• Currently the Bahamas' Table 7 shows only the Total number of Jobs by Tourism Industries (Male & Female).



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- Tourism Industries Represented are:
 - Accommodations
 - Food And Beverage Serving Industry
 - Passenger Transport (Road, Water, Air)
 - Travel Agencies
 - Sports and Recreation
 - Country Specific:
 - Real Estate
 - Casino
 - Straw Market
 - Other Business Services

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- The Labor Force Survey Results Employment by Industrial Classification is used for the following:
 - Accommodations
 - Food And Beverage Serving Industry
 - Passenger Transport (Road, Water, Air)
 - Travel Agencies
 - Sports and Recreation
 - Country Specific Tourism Industries:
 - Real Estate

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- For some of the Tourism Industries the Labor Force numbers are adjusted by the portion of that Industry that represents Tourism. These include:
 - Country Specific Tourism Industries
 - Straw Market
 - Other BusinessServices



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• For Casinos – Country Specific Tourism Industry we use the data directly from the Gaming Board. These individuals work at the hotel but are employed by a separate entity that is overseen by the a Government Regulated Board.



FUTURE PLANS

- Number of Establishments in Tourism Industries
 - Business Establishment Register- Expansion to separate number of employees by Male and Female
 - Number of Employees for the Industries currently calculated using Labor Force Survey can be extracted using the Business Establishment Register adjusted for Male and Female using the LFS ratios.