

Recreation Program Statistics

Statistics as of March 2014

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The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) recreation program provides quality outdoor public recreation experiences to serve the needs of present and future generations and contribute to the quality of American life, while managing and conserving natural resources consistent with ecosystem management principles.

USACE rank among federal providers of outdoor recreation: #1

• Visits per year: 370 million

Percentage of U.S population that visits a USACE project at least

once a year: 10%

Number of recreation sites: 4,057 at 404 USACE Projects
(2,224 USACE-operated; 1,833 operated by others)

 Percentage of USACE lakes/rivers with recreation sites within 50 miles of a metropolitan area: 90%

Land and water used for recreation: 12 million acres

• Miles of Shoreline: **55,390**

Number of camp sites: 90,773

Miles of trails: 9,506

Number of boat launch ramps: 3,671

Share of all U.S. freshwater fishing: 33%

Fishing tournaments per year: 20,000

Money spent by visitors at USACE projects: \$16 billion

Total jobs supported by visitor spending: 270,000

Concession areas on USACE projects: 585 marinas

Gross fixed assets: \$1 billion

Volunteers at USACE projects: 51,195 worked more that 1.6 million hours providing
\$35 million value of service

For more on USACE recreation sites and opportunities, visit us at www.CorpsLakes.us

