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FOREWORD

The National Park Service, a bureau of the Department of the Interior, is responsible for administering and protecting Federally owned scenic, scientific, historic, and recreational areas of national significance that were established for the benefit and enjoyment of the people. Also administered are the National Capital Parks, a metropolitan park system comprising approximately 785 urban and rural parks located in and around Washington, D. C.

This monthly report contains data reflecting total use by the public of the national parks. Data are in thousands producing occasional inconsistencies because of rounding. Statistically, a "Visit" is the entry of any person into a national park such that he makes some use of services, conveniences, or facilities provided by the National Park Service. A "Visitor-Day" includes, in addition to the total of "Visits", the number of overnight stays in a park by persons not employed there.

TABLE 1 - CLASSES OF AREAS ADMINISTERED BY THE NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

CODE	CLASS OF AREA	NUMBER OF AREAS	
		Administered	Reporting Visits
NP	National Parks	30	30
NM	National Monuments	83	79
	National Historical Areas		
NB	National Battlefields	3	3
NBP	National Battlefield Parks	3	3
NHP	National Historical Parks	9	8
NMP	National Military Parks	12	12
NMemP	National Memorial Park	1	1
NBS	National Battlefield Sites	3	3
NHS	National Historic Sites	15	14
NMem	National Memorials	14	14
NC	National Cemeteries	10	10
	National Parkways	3	2
NRA	National Recreation Areas	4	3
NSRA	National Seashore Recreation Area	1	1
	National Capital Park System	1	1

TABLE 2a - COMPARATIVE SUMMARY OF PUBLIC USE BY CLASS OF AREA
(Thousands)

CLASS	VISITS			VISITOR DAYS		
	SEPT. 1962	SEPT 1961	Percent Change From 1961	SEPT 1962	SEPT 1961	Percent Change From 1961
ALL CLASSES - TOTAL ^{1/}	8,230.1	7,165.4	+14.9	9,071.3	7,928.5	+14.4
National Parks	3,291.1	2,818.9	+16.8	4,010.9	3,491.1	+14.9
National Monuments	1,033.9	956.3	+ 8.1	1,080.1	980.0	+ 8.2
National Historical Areas	2,265.7	2,078.8	+ 8.9	2,267.2	2,080.4	+ 9.0
National Parkways	1,158.0	934.7	+23.9	1,168.4	946.4	+23.1
National Recreation Areas	451.7	348.8	+29.5	533.7	402.4	+32.6
National Memorial Park	29.6	27.1	+ 9.2	31.1	28.2	+10.3
National Capital Park System	675.9	604.1	+11.9	690.9	616.5	+12.1

TABLE 2b - COMPARATIVE SUMMARY OF PUBLIC USE BY CLASS OF AREA, JANUARY -
(Thousands)

CLASS	VISITS			VISITOR DAYS		
	SEPT 1962	SEPT 1961	Percent Change From 1961	SEPT 1962	SEPT 1961	Percent Change From 1961
ALL CLASSES - TOTAL ^{1/}	75,550.4	66,785.4	+13.2	85,132.6	75,474.5	+12.8
National Parks	28,763.4	24,660.2	+16.8	36,886.1	32,163.8	+14.7
National Monuments	9,922.6	9,210.2	+ 7.7	10,366.7	9,591.1	+ 8.1
National Historical Areas	23,493.9	21,586.8	+ 8.8	23,506.8	21,596.5	+ 8.8
National Parkways	9,189.9	7,538.2	+21.9	9,334.9	7,664.8	+21.8
National Recreation Areas	3,957.7	3,564.4	+11.0	4,794.9	4,244.9	+13.0
National Memorial Park	222.9	205.6	+ 8.4	243.2	220.4	+10.3
National Capital Park System	7,918.8	6,853.2	+15.5	8,155.5	7,089.9	+15.0

1. Excludes National Capital Park System.

TABLE 3 - NUMBER OF VISITS AND VISITOR DAYS TO INDIVIDUAL AREAS
(Thousands)

AREA	VISITS				VISITOR DAYS			
	SEPTEMBER		JAN-SEPT		SEPTEMBER		JAN-SEPT	
	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961
National Parks	3,291.1	2,818.9	28,763.4	24,660.2	4,010.9	3,491.1	36,886.1	32,163.8
Acadia, Maine	250.3	226.6	1,385.4	1,332.5	356.7	318.7	2,200.8	2,151.8
Big Bend, Tex.	9.5	9.3	74.8	72.5	14.1	14.0	117.1	115.4
Bryce Canyon, Utah	29.3	31.0	236.8	251.0	37.0	37.8	322.0	332.2
Carlsbad Caverns, N. Mex.	38.4	42.1	496.8	529.2	38.4	42.1	496.8	529.2
Crater Lake, Ore.	73.9	51.8	564.0	388.3	82.3	56.1	651.1	455.1
Everglades, Fla.	32.6	33.4	503.6	434.5	36.1	37.0	580.1	498.0
Glacier, Mont.	67.1	53.3	947.8	732.7	77.6	63.0	1,264.2	1,024.4
Grand Canyon, Ariz.	130.8	137.4	1,270.3	1,118.3	190.2	189.6	1,786.0	1,587.2
Grand Teton, Wyo.	168.6	164.0	1,710.5	1,409.1	197.9	186.3	2,140.7	1,788.2
Great Smoky Mountains, N. C.-Tenn.	439.1	415.6	4,482.1	4,066.2	476.4	447.9	4,970.3	4,399.5
Haleakala, Haw.	6.4	5.8	56.7	51.7	6.5	6.0	58.4	55.3
Hawaii, T. H.	27.7	72.8	328.8	580.6	31.0	78.6	368.3	621.9
Hot Springs, Ark. ^{b/}	146.7	88.8	1,611.6	744.9	147.6	131.0	1,629.8	1,150.4
Isle Royale, Mich.	0.2	0.4	5.4	6.3	1.2	1.5	25.5	27.1
Kings Canyon, Calif.	112.3	95.6	753.2	663.2	143.2	131.0	968.0	898.1
Lassen Volcanic, Calif.	51.0	53.6	374.8	432.2	63.0	64.3	502.3	562.8
Mammoth Cave, Ky.	48.2	50.6	496.0	447.4	53.1	56.8	592.4	534.9
Mesa Verde, Colo.	31.0	24.6	244.0	215.1	40.1	34.0	352.1	321.5
Mount McKinley, Alaska	0.8	1.2	16.5	18.3	1.8	2.4	38.9	44.7
Mount Rainier, Wash.	307.2	232.8	1,709.5	1,398.0	329.9	241.3	1,833.2	1,477.5
Olympic, Wash.	231.2	167.7	1,897.4	1,365.9	270.0	196.0	2,150.5	1,604.9
Platt, Okla.	90.0	89.6	1,106.6	1,065.1	96.0	95.4	1,197.6	1,150.4
Rocky Mountain, Colo.	185.1	106.6	1,691.0	1,481.7	199.5	116.0	1,907.2	1,700.0
Sequoia, Calif.	85.4	70.0	618.8	541.1	128.6	113.6	934.9	878.2
Shenandoah, Va.	221.1	209.5	1,590.8	1,498.3	257.5	232.2	1,798.8	1,647.5
Virgin Islands, V. I.	3.6	1.3	40.4	23.0	6.1	2.9	94.2	64.6

Wind Cave, S. Dak.	95.5	65.4	706.1	618.0	95.8	65.7	712.2	623.8
Yellowstone, Wyo.-Mont.-Idaho	183.8	127.2	1,889.5	1,501.8	231.4	156.0	3,229.7	2,560.5
Yosemite, Calif.	154.1	122.4	1,402.6	1,131.8	317.1	295.1	3,308.3	2,710.4
Zion, Utah	72.0	68.7	551.7	541.4	85.0	80.7	654.8	648.6
Related Areas	<u>4,939.0</u>	<u>4,346.4</u>	<u>46,787.0</u>	<u>42,105.2</u>	<u>5,060.4</u>	<u>4,437.4</u>	<u>48,246.5</u>	<u>43,310.7</u>
Abraham Lincoln Birthplace NHS, Ky.	28.9	31.8	287.2	268.2	28.9	31.8	287.2	268.2
Adams NHS, Mass	2.5	1.4	11.5	9.6	2.5	1.4	11.5	9.6
Andrew Johnson NM, Tenn.	4.4	4.9	39.2	40.3	4.4	4.9	39.2	40.3
Antietam NHS & NC, Md.	47.2	11.9	161.5	105.2	47.2	11.9	161.5	105.2
Appomattox Court House NHP, Va.	12.1	11.8	136.6	121.1	12.1	11.8	136.6	121.1
Arches NM, Utah	12.7	13.9	89.8	76.1	13.8	14.5	97.4	79.5
Aztec Ruins NM, N. Mex.	3.7	4.1	37.3	38.5	3.7	4.1	37.3	38.5
Badlands NM, S. Dak.	99.8	90.5	955.7	743.5	102.7	94.0	1,012.9	781.1
Bandelier NM, N. Mex.	7.9	8.7	88.4	83.3	9.2	10.1	108.2	102.5
Battleground NC, D. C.	0.3	0.3	2.2	2.2	0.3	0.3	2.2	2.2
Big Hole Battlefield NM, Mont.	2.3	1.1	13.1	9.3	2.3	1.1	13.1	9.3
Black Canyon of the Gunnison NM, Colo.	19.2	14.8	119.1	103.8	19.7	15.4	128.2	110.9
Blue Ridge Parkway, Va.-N. C.	638.0	605.9	5,338.9	4,752.2	648.3	617.5	5,483.3	4,871.5
Booker T. Washington NM, Va.	1.4	0.9	9.5	6.8	1.4	0.9	9.5	6.8
Brices Cross Roads NHS, Miss	0.1	0.1	1.8	2.8	0.1	0.1	1.8	2.8
Buck Island Reef NM, V.I. <u>a/</u>	0.2		5.6		0.2		5.6	
Cabrillo NM, Calif.	76.2	87.0	692.9	832.0	76.2	87.0	692.9	832.0
Canyon de Chelly NM, Ariz.	2.8	2.7	22.0	23.7	5.0	4.7	34.6	36.6
Cape Hatteras Nat'l Seashore NRA, N. C.	51.8	39.4	573.0	497.5	75.1	49.7	823.2	660.8
Capitol Reef NM, Utah	16.4	18.8	137.1	113.3	17.5	19.6	143.9	117.2
Capulin Mountain NM, N. Mex.	3.1	5.8	35.5	36.6	3.2	5.8	35.5	38.6

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	SEPTEMBER		JAN-SEPT		SEPTEMBER		JAN-SEPT	
	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961
Casa Grande NM, Ariz.	4.1	5.2	69.4	70.1	4.1	5.2	69.4	70.1
Castillo de San Marcos NM, Fla.	18.1	17.7	360.8	325.3	18.1	17.7	360.8	325.3
Cedar Breaks NM, Utah	19.2	17.3	82.1	103.1	19.4	17.5	86.2	107.6
Chaco Canyon NM, N. Mex.	1.9	1.9	16.8	18.5	2.0	1.9	17.9	19.4
Chalmette NHP, La.	22.8	21.0	317.3	338.9	22.8	21.0	317.3	338.9
City of Refuge NHP, Haw. a/	3.2		30.3		3.3		31.5	
Chickamauga & Chattanooga NMP, Tenn.	85.1	83.6	906.0	883.0	85.1	83.6	906.0	883.0
Chiricahua NM, Ariz.	4.3	4.5	41.9	36.8	5.0	5.6	49.9	44.7
Colonial & Yorktown NHP & NC, Va.	551.9	601.5	4,737.0	4,483.8	551.9	601.5	4,737.0	4,483.8
Colorado NM, Colo.	33.1	21.5	230.4	190.3	34.2	22.8	242.4	199.9
Coronado NM, Ariz.	2.3	1.4	15.8	13.6	2.3	1.4	15.8	13.6
Christiansted NHS, V.I.	0.3	0.2	3.3	2.4	0.3	0.2	3.3	2.4
Coulee Dam NRA, Wash.	57.2	64.6	651.7	694.8	63.5	67.9	721.0	749.2
Cowpens NBS, S. C.	0.8	0.6	6.9	6.2	0.8	0.6	6.9	6.2
Craters of the Moon NM, Idaho	15.6	14.9	152.3	117.8	16.4	15.6	166.6	126.7
Cumberland Gap NHP, Ky.-Tenn.-Va.	13.7	14.0	130.6	122.8	14.0	14.0	133.0	122.8
Custer NM, Mont.	16.1	15.8	166.4	139.7	16.1	15.8	166.4	139.7
Custis-Lee Mansion NMem, Va.	30.3	19.4	399.8	281.4	30.3	19.4	399.8	281.4
Death Valley NM, Calif.-Nev.	18.6	20.4	242.3	283.8	19.5	21.8	351.1	390.2
De Soto NMem, Fla.	3.1	2.9	58.2	56.9	3.1	2.9	58.2	56.9
Devils Postpile NM, Calif.	13.4	5.2	63.2	48.5	14.4	6.2	72.8	56.7
Devils Tower NM, Wyo.	11.4	11.5	115.7	103.5	12.2	11.9	131.4	115.3
Dinosaur NM, Utah-Colo.	22.7	15.2	243.1	159.5	26.3	18.0	262.5	188.4
Edison Laboratory NM, N. J.	1.3	0.7	27.6	22.4	1.3	0.7	27.6	22.4
Effigy Mounds NM, Iowa	6.8	5.7	42.0	52.9	6.8	5.7	42.0	52.9
El Morro NM, N. Mex.	2.4	1.7	18.2	16.3	2.4	1.8	18.9	16.8
Federal Hall Memorial NMem, N. Y.	2.2	3.2	51.0	42.1	2.2	3.2	51.0	42.1

Fort Caroline NMem, Fla.	3.3	3.1	36.5	31.5	3.3	3.1	36.5	31.5
Fort Donelson NMP & NC, Tenn.	57.6	33.5	451.0	372.8	57.6	33.5	451.0	372.8
Fort Frederica NM, Ga.	10.0	11.0	116.1	116.4	10.0	11.0	116.1	116.4
Fort Jefferson NM, Fla.	0.2	0.7	7.0	10.4	0.6	0.9	13.4	16.0
Fort Laramie NHS, Wash.	4.7	4.4	56.9	45.7	4.7	4.4	56.9	45.7
Fort Clatsop NMem, Ore.	6.8	7.3	65.0	65.0	6.8	7.3	65.0	65.0
Fort Matanzas NM, Fla.	4.0	4.2	60.8	58.4	4.0	4.2	60.8	58.4
Fort McHenry NM, Md.	54.2	41.5	419.1	394.9	54.2	41.5	419.1	394.9
Fort Necessity NE, Pa.	17.1	16.7	144.6	131.9	17.1	16.7	144.6	131.9
Fort Pulaski NM, Ga.	11.7	9.9	138.4	101.9	11.7	9.9	138.4	101.9
Fort Raleigh NHS, N. C.	6.9	6.5	106.4	97.6	6.9	6.5	106.4	97.6
Fort Sumter NM, S. C.	3.9	3.8	53.8	60.5	3.9	3.8	53.8	60.5
Fort Union NM, N. Mex.	0.9	1.0	10.5	9.3	0.9	1.0	10.5	9.3
Fort Vancouver NHS, Wash.	3.2	2.3	42.6	26.4	3.2	2.3	42.6	26.4
Fredericksburg & Spotsylvania NMP-NC, Va.	47.5	30.9	415.4	349.6	47.5	30.9	415.4	349.6
George Washington Birthplace NM, Va.	10.0	6.8	107.9	78.0	10.0	6.8	107.9	78.0
General Grant NMem, N.Y.	23.0	27.4	221.9	239.8	23.0	27.4	221.9	239.8
George Washington Carver NM, Mo.	2.3	2.4	25.7	27.6	2.3	2.4	25.7	27.6
Gettysburg NMP & NC, Pa.	143.7	129.9	1,653.5	1,464.9	144.7	130.7	1,662.8	1,474.5
Gila Cliff Dwellings NM, N. Mex.	0.5	0.4	2.7	2.8	0.5	0.4	2.7	2.8
Glacier Bay NM, Alaska	0.1	0.1	1.0	1.1	0.1	0.1	1.4	4.0
Grand Canyon NM, Ariz.	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.7	0.1	0.1	1.0	0.9
Grand Portage NM, Minn.	6.5	4.7	30.9	26.7	6.5	4.7	30.9	26.7
Grand Quivira NM, N. Mex.	0.6	0.8	7.9	9.2	0.6	0.8	8.0	9.4
Great Sand Dunes NM, Colo.	10.2	5.4	85.9	57.9	11.2	6.0	97.6	67.4
Guilford Courthouse NMP, N. C.	36.6	37.7	378.5	369.7	36.6	37.7	378.5	369.7
Hampton NHS, Md.	1.5	0.4	10.3	9.0	1.5	0.4	10.3	9.0
Harpers Ferry NM, W. Va.	67.8	56.9	534.4	487.9	67.8	56.9	534.4	487.9
Home of Franklin D. Roosevelt NHS, N. Y.	25.0	24.5	195.5	191.5	25.0	24.5	195.5	191.5
Homestead NM, Nebr.	3.5	2.0	34.5	19.6	3.5	2.0	34.5	19.6
Hopewell Village NHS, Pa.	10.2	11.6	96.6	96.1	10.2	11.6	96.6	96.1
House Where Lincoln Died NMem, D. C.	8.7	8.4	146.6	136.6	8.7	8.4	146.6	136.6
Hovenweep NM, Utah-Colo.	0.5	0.3	3.5	3.1	0.5	0.3	4.0	3.3
Horseshoe Bend NMP, Ala.	1.9	1.1	10.5	13.1	1.9	1.1	10.5	13.1

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	SEPTEMBER		JAN-SEPT		SEPTEMBER		JAN-SEPT	
	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961
Independence NHP, Pa.	171.4	116.6	1,865.0	1,388.4	171.4	116.6	1,865.0	1,388.4
Jefferson Memorial NMem, D. C.	71.2	42.5	1,110.8	723.7	71.2	42.5	1,110.8	723.7
Jefferson Nat'l Expansion Mem. NHS, Mo.	12.9	5.8	67.6	47.7	12.9	5.8	67.6	47.7
Jewel Cave NM, S. Dak.	0.9	0.9	41.2	31.4	0.9	0.9	42.3	32.3
Joshua Tree NM, Calif.	18.2	15.8	239.5	229.1	19.4	17.5	269.3	261.0
Katmai NM, Alaska	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.1	1.3	1.5
Kennesaw Mountain NHP, Ga.	15.8	17.2	137.7	150.5	15.8	17.2	137.7	150.5
Kings Mountain NHP, S. C.	23.1	19.4	237.5	211.6	23.1	19.4	237.5	211.6
Lake Mead NRA, Ariz.-Nev.	257.5	179.8	2,120.3	1,809.5	306.9	216.5	2,587.5	2,225.6
Lava Beds NM, Calif.	8.4	8.0	57.2	53.9	9.0	8.7	61.7	57.2
Lehman Caves NM, Nev.	4.8	3.0	25.4	22.9	4.8	3.0	25.4	22.9
Lincoln Memorial NMem, D. C.	197.1	222.3	2,369.2	2,517.2	197.1	222.3	2,369.2	2,517.2
Lincoln Museum NMem, D. C.	14.3	13.8	231.8	220.3	14.3	13.8	231.8	220.3
Manassas NHP, Va.	18.8	17.6	169.9	339.7	18.8	17.6	169.9	339.7
Meriwether Lewis NM, Tenn. c/								
Montezuma Castle NM, Ariz.	19.8	20.6	184.8	172.2	19.8	20.6	184.8	172.2
Moore's Creek NHP, N. C.	2.5	1.8	21.4	17.1	2.5	1.8	21.4	17.1
Morristown NHP, N. J.	39.6	19.4	348.6	254.1	39.6	19.4	348.6	254.1
Mound City Group NM, Ohio	3.4	5.8	25.5	25.6	3.4	5.8	25.5	25.6
Mount Rushmore NMem, S. Dak.	110.1	75.9	1,158.5	991.8	110.1	75.9	1,158.5	991.8
Muir Woods NM, Calif.	51.4	51.8	447.1	439.3	51.4	51.8	447.1	439.3
Natchez Trace Parkway, Miss.-Ala.-Tenn.	520.0	328.8	3,851.0	2,804.3	520.0	328.8	3,851.7	2,804.6
Natural Bridges NM, Utah	1.5	1.3	8.4	6.1	1.6	1.5	9.5	7.1
Navajo NM, Ariz.	0.7	0.8	3.8	3.2	1.0	1.0	5.8	5.3
Ocmulgee NM, Ga.	5.0	6.5	55.5	69.8	5.0	6.5	55.5	69.8

Oregon Caves NM, Ore.	13.6	10.3	124.9	99.3	14.4	10.8	132.1	105.6
Organ Pipe Cactus NM, Ariz.	20.8	16.6	222.9	187.1	21.2	16.8	246.9	207.3
Perry's Victory NM, Ohio	6.0	6.8	68.8	60.8	6.0	6.8	68.8	60.8
Petersburg & Poplar Grove NMP-NC, Va.	68.7	63.2	627.3	610.4	68.7	63.2	627.3	610.4
Petrified Forest NM, Ariz.	57.4	61.5	633.5	613.1	57.4	61.5	633.5	613.1
Pea Ridge NMP, Ark.	2.8	4.2	32.3	44.3	2.8	4.2	32.3	44.3
Pinnacles NM, Calif.	6.3	4.8	66.5	63.3	8.1	5.9	82.9	78.2
Pipe Spring NM, Ariz.	2.2	1.3	15.9	10.3	2.3	1.4	17.4	11.0
Pipestone NM, Minn.	11.6	11.5	149.2	155.1	11.6	11.5	149.2	155.1
Richmond NBP, Va.	18.3	22.5	192.0	184.2	18.3	22.5	192.0	184.2
Saguaro NM, Ariz.	7.8	9.3	112.2	117.5	7.8	9.3	112.2	117.5
Russell Cave NM, Ala. <u>a/</u>	1.0		4.3		1.0		4.3	
Salem Maritime NHS, Mass.	13.2	4.8	95.0	52.2	13.2	4.8	95.0	52.2
San Juan NHS, P. R.	9.0	12.8	151.0	140.8	9.0	12.8	151.0	140.8
Saratoga NHP, N. Y.	11.6	7.6	69.6	55.7	11.6	7.6	69.6	55.7
Scotts Bluff NM, Nebr.	8.0	7.8	79.7	73.7	8.0	7.8	79.7	73.7
Shadow Mountain NRA, Colo.	85.3	65.0	612.6	562.7	88.2	68.3	663.2	609.3
Shiloh NMP & NC, Tenn. <u>b/</u>	64.6	61.1	607.8	713.6	64.6	61.1	607.8	713.6
Sitka NM, Alaska	1.0	1.2	11.7	14.0	1.0	1.2	11.7	14.0
Statue of Liberty NM, N. Y.	66.3	60.7	761.8	657.1	66.3	60.7	761.8	657.1
Stones River NB & NC, Tenn.	3.2	3.6	41.0	40.3	3.2	3.6	41.0	40.3
Sunset Crater NM, Ariz.	11.4	11.4	96.5	85.8	11.4	11.4	96.5	85.8
Theodore Roosevelt NMP, N. Dak.	29.6	27.1	222.9	205.6	31.1	28.2	243.2	220.4
Timpanogos Cave NM, Utah	19.4	13.7	121.3	107.9	20.1	14.2	128.8	115.3
Tonto NM, Ariz.	3.5	3.1	43.1	42.8	3.5	3.1	43.1	42.8
Tumacacori NM, Ariz.	3.0	3.2	42.7	43.4	3.0	3.2	42.7	43.4
Tupelo NHS, Miss.	*	0.1	0.7	0.8	*	0.1	0.7	0.8
Tuzigoot NM, Ariz.	2.9	3.6	27.9	28.6	2.9	3.6	27.9	28.6
Vanderbilt Mansion NHS, N. Y.	19.6	13.2	136.5	109.5	19.6	13.2	136.5	109.5
Vicksburg NMP & NC, Miss.	70.9	76.0	762.3	768.8	70.9	76.0	762.3	768.8
Walnut Canyon NM, Ariz.	7.2	6.9	66.9	66.6	7.2	6.9	66.9	66.6

TABLE 3 - continued

AREA	VISITS				VISITOR DAYS			
	SEPTEMBER		JAN-SEPT		SEPTEMBER		JAN-SEPT	
	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961
Washington Monument NMem, D. C.	84.9	88.6	1,560.7	1,400.9	84.9	88.6	1,560.7	1,400.9
White Sands NM, N. Mex.	31.0	29.5	318.0	329.6	31.0	29.5	318.0	329.6
Whitman NM, Wash.	5.7	5.0	47.9	40.0	5.7	5.0	47.9	40.0
Wright Brothers NMem, N. C.	17.8	18.7	210.6	242.1	17.8	18.7	210.6	242.1
Wupatki NM, Ariz.	7.6	9.0	59.7	57.3	7.6	9.0	59.7	57.3
Yucca House NM, Colo.	*	*	0.1	0.1	*	*	0.1	0.1

* Less than 50 visits or visitor days.

a. New series of data are effective January 1962 for City of Refuge NHP, Buck Island Reef NM, and Russell Cave NM.

b. Revised series are effective January 1962 for Hot Springs NP and Shiloh NMP.

c. Data for the disestablished Meriwether Lewis NM are now included with those for Natchez Trace Parkway.

TABLE 4 - NUMBER OF VISITS TO AREAS OF THE NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK SYSTEM
(Thousands)

AREA	VISITS ^{1/}				VISITOR DAYS ^{1/}			
	SEPTEMBER		JAN-SEPT		SEPTEMBER		JAN-SEPT	
	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961
NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK SYSTEM ^{2/}	<u>675.9</u>	<u>604.1</u>	<u>7,918.8</u>	<u>6,853.2</u>	<u>690.9</u>	<u>616.5</u>	<u>8,155.5</u>	<u>7,089.9</u>
Cactoctin Mountain Park, Md.	16.2	14.0	129.2	106.4	20.9	15.2	160.6	133.6
Chesapeake & Ohio Canal, D. C. - Md.	10.0	5.5	77.2	45.9	10.0	5.5	77.2	45.9
Fort Washington, Md.	3.1	1.6	51.7	16.6	3.1	1.6	51.7	16.6
National Capital Parks, D. C.	631.0	568.5	7,500.8	6,527.7	637.9	574.4	7,631.1	6,657.3
Old Stone House, D.C.	0.8	0.6	6.1	6.0	0.8	0.6	6.1	6.0
Pierce Mill, D. C.	*	0.3	1.1	1.4	*	0.3	1.1	1.4
Prince William Forest, Va.	14.9	15.6	152.6	149.3	18.2	19.0	227.6	229.2

1. Reported totals may not agree exactly with totals computed from the tables because of rounding
2. Estimate of number of participants and spectators of such activities as athletic events, memorial programs, concerts, interpretive programs, bicycling, boating, swimming, tennis picnicking.

* Less than 50 visits or visitor days

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