

**TABLE (31) : EXPENDITURE ON OUTBOUND TOURIST TRIPS
BY PURPOSE OF VISIT**

(Million Riyals)

Year	Holidays and Shopping	Visits To Relatives And Friends	Business and Conferences	Other Purposes	Total Expenditure	No. of Visitors (Thousands)
2002*	18,719	2,520	3,755	2,590	27,584	8,519
2003	8,806	1,252	4,321	1,218	15,597	4,845
2004	11,213	1,905	2,084	758	15,960	4,235
2005	10,148	1,344	1,986	668	14,146	5,009
2006	5,111	507	858	291	6,767	2,336
2007	14,336	1,621	1,329	1,055	18,340	4,817

* Tourist Trips In 2002 Include The Foundation And Earlier Period.

Source : General Commission For Tourism & Antiquities.