

Foreign Exchange Earnings (in rupee and US \$ terms) through tourism in India in August 2018

Based on the credit data of Travel Head from Balance of Payments of RBI for the previous year, Ministry of Tourism estimates monthly Foreign Exchange Earnings (FEEs) through tourism in India, both in rupee and dollar terms.

The highlights of the estimates of FEEs from tourism in India for August 2018 are as below:

Foreign Exchange Earnings (FEEs) through tourism (in Rs. terms)

- FEEs during the month of August 2018 were Rs. 16,467 crore as compared to Rs. 13,811 crore in August 2017.
- The growth rate in FEEs in rupee terms in August 2018 over August 2017 was 19.2%
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- FEEs during the period January- August 2018 were Rs. 1,29,150 crore with a growth of 13.4%, in FEE over Rs. 1,13,912 crore in January-August 2017.

Foreign Exchange Earnings (FEEs) through tourism (in US \$ terms)

- FEEs in US\$ terms during the month of August 2018 were US\$ 2.367 billion as compared to FEEs of US\$ 2.158 billion during the month of August 2017.
- The growth rate in FEEs in US\$ terms in August 2018 over August 2017 was 9.7%.
- FEEs during the period January-August 2018 were US\$ 19.459 billion with a growth of 11.8% in FEE over US\$ 17.411 billion in January-August 2017.
