

# 1997 NATIONAL COLLEGE BASKETBALL ATTENDANCE

(For All NCAA Men's Varsity Teams)

	Total Teams	Games Or Sessions	1997 Attendance	Avg. PG Or Sess.		Change In Total		Change In Avg
Home Attendance, NCAA Div. I	*305	4,013	20,927,278	5,215	Down	277,457	Down	89
NCAA Championship Tournament		34	634,584	18,664	Down	8,706	Down	256
Other Div. I Neutral-Site Attendance		181	1,628,994	9,000	Down	65,633	Down	363
<b>NCAA DIVISION I TOTALS</b>	<b>*305</b>	<b>4,228</b>	<b>23,190,856</b>	<b>5,485</b>	<b>Down</b>	<b>351,796</b>	<b>Down</b>	<b>103</b>
Home Attendance, NCAA Division II	242	3,140	2,873,311	915	Down	45,491	Down	23
Home Attendance, NCAA Division III	318	3,663	1,626,240	444	Down	104,117	Down	28
Neutral-Site Attendance for Divisions II & III		11	16,826	1,530	--	--	--	--
NCAA Division II Tournament Neutral Sites		15	25,026	1,668	--	--	--	--
NCAA Division III Tournament Neutral Sites		3	6,025	2,008	--	--	--	--
<b>NATIONAL TOTALS FOR 1997</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>*11,060</b>	<b>27,738,284</b>	<b>2,508</b>	<b>Down</b>	<b>487,068</b>	<b>Down</b>	<b>55</b>

\* Record high. NOTES: The neutral-site attendance for Division II and III does not include any tournaments. The total attendances for the Division II Tournament was 66,626 for a 2,380 average over 28 sessions and the Division III Tournament was 70,647 for a 1,218 average over 58 sessions.

## 1997 NCAA DIVISION I MEN'S BASKETBALL ATTENDANCE TEAM LEADERS

Rk	School	G/S	Attendance	Avg.	Change in Avg.
1	Kentucky	13	309,457	23,804	Down 91
2	Syracuse	16	346,748	21,672	Down 1,056
3	North Caro.	12	246,926	20,577	Down 335
4	Louisville	14	274,272	19,591	Up 37
5	Arkansas	17	309,332	18,196	Down 1,065
6	New Mexico	18	309,122	17,173	Up 1,147
7	Brigham Young	14	236,523	16,895	Down 1,066
8	Kansas	15	242,100	16,140	Up 409
9	Indiana	14	221,915	15,851	Down 896
10	Iowa	16	233,370	14,586	Down 830
11	Tennessee	16	228,710	14,294	Down 83
12	Arizona	14	199,899	14,279	Up 25
13	Minnesota	15	210,806	14,054	Down 86
14	Utah	14	196,660	14,047	Down 234
15	Purdue	12	168,521	14,043	Down 40
16	Illinois	15	208,695	13,913	Down 879
17	Texas	13	180,845	13,911	Up 1,478
18	St. Louis	17	233,448	13,732	Down 3,254
19	Wake Forest	14	191,936	13,710	Up 916
20	Missouri	16	212,800	13,300	Up 549
21	Cincinnati	15	197,363	13,158	Up 439
22	Penn St.	15	197,179	13,145	Up 2,228
23	Michigan St.	17	222,858	13,109	Down 202
24	Maryland	14	182,832	13,059	Down 265
25	Vanderbilt	16	207,771	12,986	Up 411
26	UNLV	19	244,635	12,876	Up 3,363
27	Connecticut	19	238,982	12,578	Down 333
28	Marquette	16	195,961	12,248	Down 506
29	Iowa St.	17	207,896	12,229	Up 218
30	Memphis	15	179,703	11,980	Down 2,255
31	Michigan	14	167,716	11,980	Down 1,300
32	Wisconsin	14	160,624	11,473	Up 230
33	Providence	15	165,447	11,030	Up 495
34	Nebraska	16	174,119	10,882	Up 368
35	Dayton	15	162,983	10,866	Down 476
36	Ohio St.	14	147,881	10,563	Down 1,150
37	UCLA	16	163,840	10,240	Down 1,632
38	Fresno St.	14	141,856	10,133	Up 185

39	Villanova	15	149,558	9,971	Up	657
40	North Caro. St.	18	179,427	9,968	Down	615

**1997 NCAA DIVISION I MEN'S BASKETBALL ATTENDANCE TEAM LEADERS - Continued**

		<b>G/S</b>	<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>Change in Avg.</b>	
41	Clemson	15	147,019	9,801	Up	435
42	Bradley	14	134,755	9,625	Down	47
43	Massachusetts	13	125,126	9,625	Up	132
44	Oregon	12	113,977	9,498	Up	1,801
45	Wichita St.	15	141,733	9,449	Up	3,921
46	Xavier (Ohio)	14	132,104	9,436	Up	565
47	Oklahoma	15	141,306	9,420	Up	138
48	Duke	17	158,338	9,314		0
49	Georgetown	14	130,077	9,291	Down	3,313
50	South Caro.	14	129,187	9,228	Up	296
51	St. John's (N. Y.)	13	119,664	9,205	Up	720
52	Notre Dame	18	160,206	8,900	Down	1,628
53	Tulsa	13	114,016	8,770	Up	2,029
54	Illinois St.	12	101,661	8,472	Up	725
55	Alabama	14	117,297	8,378	Up	577
56	Evansville	16	133,561	8,348	Down	2,109
57	Kansas St.	15	123,724	8,248	Up	1,038
58	Seton Hall	17	134,747	7,926	Down	1,863
59	West Va.	16	125,829	7,864	Up	239
60	Georgia Tech	13	102,134	7,856	Down	2,490
61	Texas Tech	12	94,231	7,853	Up	223
62	Southwest Mo. St.	14	108,106	7,722	Up	446
63	Virginia	14	108,045	7,718	Down	17
64	Hawaii	19	145,416	7,653	Up	741
65	Pittsburgh	15	112,904	7,527	Down	737
66	Georgia	14	105,232	7,517	Down	539
67	UTEP	15	112,479	7,499	Down	949
68	LSU	15	111,722	7,448	Down	1,758
69	Califomia	14	104,009	7,429	Down	1,485
70	Ohio	14	103,978	7,427	Up	260
71	New Mexico St.	14	102,748	7,339	Up	1,196
72	Boise St.	13	94,927	7,302	Up	502
73	Florida St.	16	112,876	7,055	Up	1,204
74	Oregon St.	13	90,469	6,959	Up	2,040
75	Boston College	13	89,021	6,848	Up	305
76	Utah St.	15	101,340	6,756	Down	782
77	Stanford	12	80,397	6,700	Up	1,266
78	Florida	14	89,614	6,401	Down	1,495
79	Nevada	14	84,957	6,068	Down	238
80	Washington	15	88,399	5,893	Up	748
81	Canisius	16	93,633	5,852	Up	3,666
82	Oklahoma St.	16	93,624	5,852	Down	80
83	Auburn	15	87,323	5,822	Down	1,050
84	Ball St.	14	81,495	5,821	Down	677
85	Colorado	14	80,949	5,782	Up	1,428
86	Toledo	15	85,929	5,729	Down	574
87	Tenn.-Chatt.	16	90,434	5,652	Down	491
88	Arkansas St.	14	79,090	5,649	Up	721
89	Rutgers	15	84,584	5,639	Down	17
90	DePaul	12	67,633	5,636	Down	1,609
91	Liberty	14	78,320	5,594	Up	535
92	Colorado St.	17	94,646	5,567	Down	1,137
93	N.C.-Charlotte	12	66,529	5,544	Up	2,005

**Division I All Games Attendance (Home, Road, Neutral)**

1	Kentucky	822,863	5	Indiana	508,407	7	Minnesota	493,384
2	North Caro.	623,317	6	Kansas	508,107	8	Arkansas	487,970
3	Syracuse	534,074				9	Arizona	479,714
4	Louisville	515,846				10	New Mexico	455,882

11	Connecticut	441,472	13	Iowa St.	422,632
12	Michigan	427,474	14	Cincinnati	417,719
			15	Missouri	410,141
			16	Wake Forest	409,902
			17	UCLA	405,013
			18	Texas	402,973

## 1997 NCAA DIVISION I MEN'S BASKETBALL CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE

		<b>Total Teams</b>	<b>Games or Sessions</b>	<b>1997 Attendance</b>	<b>Avg./Game Or Sess.</b>	<b>Change In Total</b>	<b>Change In Avg.</b>		
1	Big Ten	11	162	2,004,893	12,376	Down	101,917	Down	393
2	Atlantic Coast	9	138	1,540,723	11,165	Up	155,852	Up	261
3	Southeastern	12	183	1,937,270	10,586	Down	71,739	Down	513
4	Big East	13	207	*2,029,127	9,803	Up	123,011	Down	125
5	Big 12#	12	185	*1,787,284	*9,661	Up	261,064	Up	839
6	Conference USA#	12	174	1,534,873	8,821	Down	101,010	Down	802
7	Western Athletic#	16	243	*1,957,736	8,057	Up	46,626	Up	225
8	Pacific-10	10	138	1,042,585	7,555	Down	54,428	Down	452
9	Missouri Valley#	10	139	930,326	6,693	Up	95,535	Up	600
10	Atlantic 10	12	163	930,377	5,708	Up	114,751	Down	118
11	Big West#	12	161	660,662	4,103	Up	12,335	Down	53
12	Mid-American	10	132	541,461	4,102	Down	8,887	Up	25
13	Colonial	9	116	468,281	4,037	Down	639	Down	41
14	Midwestern	9	118	430,261	3,646	Up	17,986	Up	92
15	Big Sky#	8	109	325,795	2,989	Down	32,306	Down	389
16	Ohio Valley#	10	129	387,163	3,001	Up	16,779	Up	14
17	Sun Belt	10	137	391,478	2,858	Down	57,544	Down	493
18	Southern	10	133	371,315	2,792	Down	10,432	Down	238
19	Metro Atlantic	8	98	261,065	2,664	Up	64,446	Up	616
20	West Coast	8	100	218,129	2,181	Down	44,236	Down	342
21	Ivy	8	91	190,648	2,095	Up	47,551	Up	487
22	Mid-Continent#	9	114	224,421	1,969	Up	54,301	Up	408
23	Southwestern	8	93	180,097	1,937	Down	2,999	Down	120
24	Big South	8	97	177,593	*1,831	Up	2,791	Up	47
25	Mid-Eastern	10	114	211,114	1,852	Up	6,145	Up	5
26	Patriot	7	87	142,874	1,642	Up	13,506	Up	83
27	Trans America	12	155	227,259	1,466	Up	2,051	Up	22
28	American East	10	121	174,383	1,441	Down	6,665	Down	106
29	Northeast	10	123	173,999	1,415	Down	2,635	Down	21
30	Southland#	9	108	142,670	1,321	Down	20,942	Down	208
	Division I Independents#	3	38	121,403	3,195	--	--	--	--

\* Record high for that conference. # Different lineups in 1996.

NOTE: Includes conference tournaments.

## 1997 NCAA DIVISION II AND III MEN'S BASKETBALL ATTENDANCE TEAM LEADERS

<b>Division II</b>		<b>G/S</b>	<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>Change in Avg.</b>	
1	South Dak. St.	16	70,763	4,423	Down	522
2	Ky. Wesleyan	15	55,500	3,700	Up	1,433
3	Norfolk St.	11	38,927	3,539	Down	223
4	Fort Hays St.	16	53,811	3,363	Up	541
5	North Dak. St.	16	51,766	3,235	Down	30
6	N.C. Central	13	41,646	3,204	Up	1,173
7	Winston-Salem	13	40,140	3,088	Up	1,311
8	Alabama A&M	15	44,168	2,945	Down	1,440
9	Neb.-Kearney	14	39,591	2,828	Up	752
10	Augustana (S.D.)	15	39,073	2,605	Up	32
11	South Dak.	14	36,455	2,604	Down	318
12	Southern Ind.	15	38,600	2,573	Down	321
13	Northern St.	16	40,900	2,556	Down	932
14	Cal St. Bakersfield	18	44,184	2,455	Down	114
15	Washburn	16	37,228	2,327	Up	985
<b>Division III</b>		<b>G/S</b>	<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>Change in Avg.</b>	
1	Calvin	10	28,206	2,821	Up	524
2	Hope	13	30,200	2,323	Down	86
3	Ill. Wesleyan	15	33,850	2,257	Up	178
4	Gust. Adolphus	13	24,755	1,904	Up	450
5	Wheaton (Ill.)	12	16,850	1,404	Down	446
6	Wis.-Platteville	16	22,014	1,376	Down	549
7	Scranton	11	14,500	1,318	Up	340
8	Williams	16	19,800	1,238	Up	498
9	Neb. Wesleyan	16	19,726	1,233	Up	435
10	Wis.-Eau Claire	14	17,025	1,216	Down	84
11	Wooster	15	18,061	1,204	Up	179
12	Hampden-Sydney	13	14,127	1,087	Up	479
13	Central (Iowa)	12	12,667	1,056	Up	327
14	Wilkes	14	14,750	1,054	Down	236
15	Wis.-Whitewater	15	15,555	1,037	Up	328

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<b>Division II</b>		<b>Total Teams</b>	<b>Games or Sessions</b>	<b>1997 Attendance</b>	<b>Avg./Game Or Sess.</b>	<b>Change@ In Avg.</b>	
1	North Central	10	148	319,703	2,160	Down	176
2	CIAA	13	145	241,693	1,667	Up	65
3	Mid-America	11	163	230,063	1,411	Down	54
4	SIAC	12	142	197,173	1,389	Down	259
5	Great Lakes Valley	12	166	227,524	1,371	Up	182
6	Northern Sun	7	88	100,801	1,145	Down	85
7	Rocky Mountain	15	194	219,109	1,129	Up	79
8	Pacific West	7	99	111,225	1,123	Up	200
9	California	7	94	82,906	882	Down	67
10	South Atlantic	8	91	78,111	858	Down	84
<b>Division III</b>		<b>Total Teams</b>	<b>Games or Sessions</b>	<b>1997 Attendance</b>	<b>Avg./Game Or Sess.</b>	<b>Change@ In Avg.</b>	
1	Michigan	7	75	81,370	1,085	Up	27
2	Illinois & Wisconsin	8	98	86,898	887	Down	103
3	Wisconsin State	9	122	93,229	764	Down	35
4	Iowa	9	107	80,716	754	Down	92
5	Indiana	7	89	58,307	655	Down	135
6	Ohio	10	119	77,064	648	Down	97
7	New England	11	135	81,856	606	Up	62
8	Old Dominion	10	113	67,566	598	Up	71
9	North Coast	9	110	64,887	590	Down	169
10	Minnesota	11	127	71,882	566	Down	3

@1996 figures used in this compilation reflect 1996 changes in conference lineups (i.e., 1997 lineups vs. same teams in 1996, whether members or not in 1996)

## 1997 NCAA DIVISION I TEAM-BY-TEAM BASKETBALL ATTENDANCE

Team	G	Total Att.	Avg.	Team	G	Total Att.	Avg.
Air Force	15	23,650	1,577	Delaware St.	10	18,449	1,845
Akron	13	41,964	3,228	DePaul	12	67,633	5,636
Alabama	14	117,297	8,378	Detroit	11	31,199	2,836
Alabama St.	12	13,817	1,151	Drake	12	52,225	4,352
UAB	14	65,414	4,672	Drexel	10	17,778	1,778
Alcorn St.	12	24,342	2,029	Duke	17	158,338	9,314
American	11	25,199	2,291	Duquesne	13	67,740	5,211
Appalachian St.	11	23,914	2,174	East Caro.	12	54,443	4,537
Arizona	14	199,899	14,279	East Tenn. St.	12	41,264	3,439
Arizona St.	18	86,790	4,822	Eastern Ill.	13	29,192	2,246
Arkansas	17	309,332	18,196	Eastern Ky.	12	18,940	1,578
Arkansas St.	14	79,090	5,649	Eastern Mich.	12	37,428	3,119
Ark.-Little Rock	16	50,470	3,154	Eastern Wash.	13	17,149	1,319
Army	13	13,405	1,031	Evansville	16	133,561	8,348
Auburn	15	87,323	5,822	Fairfield	11	21,573	1,961
Austin Peay	14	51,728	3,695	Fairleigh Dickinson	14	23,603	1,686
Ball St.	14	81,495	5,821	Fla. Atlantic	13	14,866	1,144
Baylor	17	72,860	4,286	Florida	14	89,614	6,401
Bethune-Cookman	11	17,809	1,619	Florida A&M	10	22,289	2,229
Boise St.	13	94,927	7,302	Florida Int'l	12	9,904	825
Boston College	13	89,021	6,848	Florida St.	16	112,876	7,055
Boston U.	10	12,290	1,229	Fordham	13	22,066	1,697
Bowling Green	13	46,416	3,570	Fresno St.	14	141,856	10,133
Bradley	14	134,755	9,625	Furman	13	13,850	1,065
Brigham Young	14	236,523	16,895	Ga. Southern	12	17,335	1,445
Brown	8	10,490	1,311	George Mason	15	47,876	3,192
Bucknell	12	21,881	1,823	Georgetown	14	130,077	9,291
Buffalo	13	53,364	4,105	Georgia	14	105,232	7,517
Butler	12	52,012	4,334	Georgia St.	12	12,477	1,040
Cal Poly SLO	15	43,513	2,901	Georgia Tech	13	102,134	7,856
Cal St. Fullerton	13	16,450	1,265	Geo. Washington	13	56,751	4,365
Cal St. Northridge	13	9,198	708	Gonzaga	12	37,460	3,122
Cal St. Sacramento	11	10,554	959	Grambling	11	16,097	1,463
California	14	104,009	7,429	Hampton	12	27,427	2,286
Campbell	11	7,665	697	Hartford	12	9,653	804
Canisius	16	93,633	5,852	Harvard	12	11,124	927
Centenary (La.)	13	15,098	1,161	Hawaii	19	145,416	7,653
Central Conn. St.	11	8,633	785	Hofstra	10	12,248	1,225
Central Fla.	13	12,236	941	Holy Cross	11	12,562	1,142
Central Mich.	11	25,685	2,335	Houston	14	46,714	3,337
Charleston So.	12	11,177	931	Howard	13	22,920	1,763
Charleston (S.C.)	17	53,924	3,172	Idaho	14	39,345	2,810
Chicago St.	10	5,398	540	Idaho St.	13	43,476	3,344
Cincinnati	15	197,363	13,158	Illinois	15	208,695	13,913
Citadel	15	26,856	1,790	Illinois St.	12	101,661	8,472
Clemson	15	147,019	9,801	Ill.-Chicago	12	45,157	3,763
Cleveland St.	12	55,070	4,589	Indiana	14	221,915	15,851
Coastal Caro.	12	9,957	830	Indiana St.	13	63,641	4,895
Colgate	11	25,000	2,273	Iona	13	33,313	2,563
Colorado	14	80,949	5,782	Iowa	16	233,370	14,586
Colorado St.	17	94,646	5,567	Iowa St.	17	207,896	12,229
Columbia	11	11,349	1,032	Jackson St.	10	30,532	3,053
Connecticut	19	238,982	12,578	Jacksonville	12	17,860	1,488
Coppin St.	10	19,310	1,931	Jacksonville St.	14	19,985	1,428
Cornell	12	17,385	1,449	James Madison	15	71,100	4,740
Creighton	14	67,944	4,853	Kansas	15	242,100	16,140
Dartmouth	11	18,612	1,692	Kansas St.	15	123,724	8,248
Davidson	14	31,095	2,221	Kent	13	23,503	1,808
Dayton	15	162,983	10,866	Kentucky	13	309,457	23,804
Delaware	15	51,118	3,408	La Salle	12	25,878	2,157

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Team	G	Total Att.	Avg.	Team	G	Total Att.	Avg.
Lafayette	12	14,763	1,230	Northern Iowa	12	32,503	2,709
Lamar	13	34,299	2,638	Northwestern	16	65,328	4,083
Lehigh	11	12,538	1,140	Northwestern St.	12	15,218	1,268
Liberty	14	78,320	5,594	Notre Dame	18	160,206	8,900
LIU-Brooklyn	12	17,750	1,479	N.C.-Asheville	9	13,250	1,472
Long Beach St.	12	40,899	3,408	N.C.-Charlotte	12	66,529	5,544
Louisiana Tech	12	21,536	1,795	N.C.-Greensboro	11	15,824	1,439
Louisville	14	274,272	19,591	N.C.-Wilmington	12	38,472	3,206
Loyola Marymount	16	20,777	1,299	Ohio	14	103,978	7,427
Loyola (Ill.)	13	41,885	3,222	Ohio St.	14	147,881	10,563
Loyola (Md.)	10	11,429	1,143	Oklahoma	15	141,306	9,420
LSU	15	111,722	7,448	Oklahoma St.	16	93,624	5,852
Maine	12	19,214	1,601	Old Dominion	12	61,632	5,136
Manhattan	11	14,373	1,307	Oral Roberts	14	71,225	5,088
Marist	13	28,897	2,223	Oregon	12	113,977	9,498
Marquette	16	195,961	12,248	Oregon St.	13	90,469	6,959
Marshall	12	60,453	5,038	Pacific (Cal.)	12	49,929	4,161
Maryland	14	182,832	13,059	Penn St.	15	197,179	13,145
Massachusetts	13	125,126	9,625	Pennsylvania	12	49,889	4,157
McNeese St.	12	18,500	1,542	Pepperdine	12	19,745	1,645
Md.-Balt. County	12	15,188	1,266	Pittsburgh	15	112,904	7,527
Md.-East. Shore	13	4,515	347	Portland	11	18,790	1,708
Memphis	15	179,703	11,980	Prairie View	10	29,140	2,914
Mercer	12	7,821	652	Princeton	13	58,369	4,490
Miami (Fla.)	15	60,517	4,034	Providence	15	165,447	11,030
Miami (Ohio)	12	48,067	4,006	Purdue	12	168,521	14,043
Michigan	14	167,716	11,980	Radford	12	21,300	1,775
Michigan St.	17	222,858	13,109	Rhode Island	13	60,463	4,651
Middle Tenn. St.	14	43,296	3,093	Rice	12	36,868	3,072
Minnesota	15	210,806	14,054	Richmond	12	63,234	5,270
Mississippi	15	71,625	4,775	Rider	12	16,522	1,377
Mississippi St.	14	74,275	5,305	Robert Morris	11	11,317	1,029
Mississippi Val.	10	23,943	2,394	Rutgers	15	84,584	5,639
Missouri	16	212,800	13,300	Sam Houston St.	10	5,669	567
Monmouth (N.J.)	12	25,013	2,084	Samford	11	24,832	2,257
Montana	15	71,804	4,787	San Diego	13	21,442	1,649
Montana St.	14	71,133	5,081	San Diego St.	14	37,379	2,670
Morehead St.	11	10,946	995	San Francisco	13	42,186	3,245
Morgan St.	10	14,189	1,419	San Jose St.	14	42,163	3,012
Mo.-Kansas City	14	41,861	2,990	Santa Clara	8	25,817	3,227
Mt. St. Mary's (Md.)	12	24,898	2,075	Seton Hall	17	134,747	7,926
Murray St.	14	44,608	3,186	Siena	12	39,451	3,288
Navy	14	32,998	2,357	South Ala.	15	22,642	1,509
Nebraska	16	174,119	10,882	South Caro.	14	129,187	9,228
Nevada	14	84,957	6,068	South Caro. St.	11	18,418	1,674
New Hampshire	12	10,817	901	South Fla.	15	70,564	4,704
New Mexico	18	309,122	17,173	Southeast Mo. St.	14	61,381	4,384
New Mexico St.	14	102,748	7,339	Southeastern La.	13	19,682	1,514
New Orleans	13	32,497	2,500	Southern Cal	13	57,030	4,387
Niagara	13	29,074	2,236	Southern Ill.	12	42,796	3,566
Nicholls St.	13	8,915	686	Southern Methodist	13	46,144	3,550
North Caro.	12	246,926	20,577	Southern Miss.	12	47,126	3,927
North Caro. A&T	9	33,947	3,772	Southern Utah	11	27,452	2,496
North Caro. St.	18	179,427	9,968	Southern U.	14	22,338	1,596
North Texas	12	23,280	1,940	Southwest Mo. St.	14	108,106	7,722
Northeast La.	12	21,860	1,822	Southwest Tex. St.	11	18,566	1,688
Northeastern	11	7,731	703	Southwestern La.	13	38,029	2,925
Northeastern Ill.	13	5,225	402	Stanford	12	80,397	6,700
Northern Ariz.	15	27,329	1,822	Stephen F. Austin	11	22,820	2,075
Northern Ill.	13	32,845	2,527	Stetson	14	28,769	2,055



## 1997 NCAA DIVISION I TEAM-BY-TEAM BASKETBALL ATTENDANCE

Team	G	Total Att.	Avg.	Team	G	Total Att.	Avg.
St. Bonaventure	13	69,720	5,363	Wright St.	15	81,430	5,429
St. Francis (N.Y.)	12	3,550	296	Wyoming	11	59,045	5,368
St. Francis (Pa.)	12	13,012	1,084	Xavier (Ohio)	14	132,104	9,436
St. John's (N.Y.)	13	119,664	9,205	Yale	12	13,430	1,119
St. Joseph's (Pa.)	12	36,909	3,076	Youngstown St.	13	18,410	1,416
St. Louis	17	233,448	13,732				
St. Mary's (Cal.)	13	28,340	2,180				
St. Peter's	11	13,297	1,209				
Syracuse	16	346,748	21,672				
Temple	12	46,696	3,891				
Tennessee	16	228,710	14,294				
Tennessee St.	9	41,548	4,616				
Tennessee Tech	13	42,175	3,244				
Tenn.-Chatt.	16	90,434	5,652				
Tenn.-Martin	13	33,510	2,578				
Texas	13	180,845	13,911				
Texas A&M	13	50,400	3,877				
Texas Christian	17	82,038	4,826				
Texas Southern	10	9,612	961				
Texas Tech	12	94,231	7,853				
Texas-Arlington	12	6,884	574				
Texas-San Antonio	12	18,021	1,502				
Tex.-Pan American	12	21,701	1,808				
Toledo	15	85,929	5,729				
Towson St.	13	12,937	995				
Troy St.	11	7,468	679				
Tulane	14	44,362	3,169				
Tulsa	13	114,016	8,770				
UC Irvine	12	19,267	1,606				
UC Santa Barb.	14	40,558	2,897				
UCLA	16	163,840	10,240				
UNLV	19	244,635	12,876				
Utah	14	196,660	14,047				
Utah St.	15	101,340	6,756				
UTEP	15	112,479	7,499				
Valparaiso	13	47,124	3,625				
Vanderbilt	16	207,771	12,986				
Va. Commonwealth	10	45,361	4,536				
Va. Military	12	20,612	1,718				
Vermont	14	15,629	1,116				
Villanova	15	149,558	9,971				
Virginia	14	108,045	7,718				
Virginia Tech	14	66,800	4,771				
Wagner	13	9,437	726				
Wake Forest	14	191,936	13,710				
Washington	15	88,399	5,893				
Washington St.	11	57,775	5,252				
Weber St.	13	71,279	5,483				
West Va.	16	125,829	7,864				
Western Caro.	11	24,286	2,208				
Western Ill.	12	23,705	1,975				
Western Ky.	12	60,600	5,050				
Western Mich.	13	36,823	2,833				
Wichita St.	15	141,733	9,449				
William & Mary	12	34,268	2,856				
Winthrop	14	11,127	795				
Wisconsin	14	160,624	11,473				
Wis.-Green Bay	15	61,695	4,113				
Wis.-Milwaukee	11	12,797	1,163				
Wofford	13	22,726	1,748				

## 1997 NCAA DIVISION I MEN'S BASKETBALL CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE

		<b>Total Teams</b>	<b>Games or Sessions</b>	<b>1997 Attendance</b>	<b>Avg./Game Or Sess.</b>	<b>Change In Total</b>	<b>Change In Avg.</b>		
1	Big Ten	11	162	2,004,893	12,376	Down	101,917	Down	393
2	Atlantic Coast	9	138	1,540,723	11,165	Up	155,852	Up	261
3	Southeastern	12	183	1,937,270	10,586	Down	71,739	Down	513
4	Big East	13	207	*2,029,127	9,803	Up	123,011	Down	125
5	Big 12#	12	185	*1,787,284	*9,661	Up	261,064	Up	839
6	Conference USA#	12	174	1,534,873	8,821	Down	101,010	Down	802
7	Western Athletic#	16	243	*1,957,736	8,057	Up	46,626	Up	225
8	Pacific-10	10	138	1,042,585	7,555	Down	54,428	Down	452
9	Missouri Valley#	10	139	930,326	6,693	Up	95,535	Up	600
10	Atlantic 10	12	163	930,377	5,708	Up	114,751	Down	118
11	Big West#	12	161	660,662	4,103	Up	12,335	Down	53
12	Mid-American	10	132	541,461	4,102	Down	8,887	Up	25
13	Colonial	9	116	468,281	4,037	Down	639	Down	41
14	Midwestern	9	118	430,261	3,646	Up	17,986	Up	92
15	Big Sky#	8	109	325,795	2,989	Down	32,306	Down	389
16	Ohio Valley#	10	129	387,163	3,001	Up	16,779	Up	14
17	Sun Belt	10	137	391,478	2,858	Down	57,544	Down	493
18	Southern	10	133	371,315	2,792	Down	10,432	Down	238
19	Metro Atlantic	8	98	261,065	2,664	Up	64,446	Up	616
20	West Coast	8	100	218,129	2,181	Down	44,236	Down	342
21	Ivy	8	91	190,648	2,095	Up	47,551	Up	487
22	Mid-Continent#	9	114	224,421	1,969	Up	54,301	Up	408
23	Southwestern	8	93	180,097	1,937	Down	2,999	Down	120
24	Big South	8	97	177,593	*1,831	Up	2,791	Up	47
25	Mid-Eastern	10	114	211,114	1,852	Up	6,145	Up	5
26	Patriot	7	87	142,874	1,642	Up	13,506	Up	83
27	Trans America	12	155	227,259	1,466	Up	2,051	Up	22
28	American East	10	121	174,383	1,441	Down	6,665	Down	106
29	Northeast	10	123	173,999	1,415	Down	2,635	Down	21
30	Southland#	9	108	142,670	1,321	Down	20,942	Down	208
	Division I Independents#	3	38	121,403	3,195	--	--	--	--

\* Record high for that conference. # Different lineups in 1996.

NOTE: Includes conference tournaments.

## 1997 Men's Division I Basketball Conference Tournament Attendance

<b>Conference</b>	<b>Sessions</b>	<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Average</b>
American East	5	13,446	2,689
Atlantic Coast	5	111,190	22,238
Atlantic 10	6	57,141	9,524
Big East	6	110,843	18,474
Big Sky	3	8,330	2,777
Big South	4	24,267	6,067
Big 12	6	112,430	18,738
Big West	4	27,819	6,955
Colonial	5	26,696	5,339
Conference USA	4	45,784	11,446
Metro Atlantic	4	29,902	7,476
Mid-American	6	27,645	4,608
Mid-Continent	4	13,233	3,308
Mid-Eastern	5	11,841	2,368
Midwestern	5	20,016	4,003
Missouri Valley	5	51,401	10,280
Northeast	7	13,415	1,916
Ohio Valley	6	24,330	4,055
Patriot	3	9,727	3,242
Southeastern	6	95,725	15,954
Southern	5	21,216	4,243
Southland	3	6,217	2,072
Southwestern	4	10,276	2,569
Sun Belt	5	12,754	2,551
Trans America	3	10,260	3,420
West Coast	4	7,997	1,999
Western Athletic	6	52,658	8,776
Totals	129	956,559	7,415