**U.S. Debt Collections Agencies Industry - Annual Receipts**

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|  | **Value of Receipts** | **Annual % Change** |
|  | **($ billions)** |  |
|  |  |  |
| 1987 (Census, actual) | $2.14 |  |
| 1992 (Census) | 3.70 | 14.6 avg. annual rate |
|  |  |  |
| 1995 (SAS, actual) | 4.38 | 4.8 (chg. From 1994) |
| 1996 (SAS) | 4.71 | 7.6 |
| 1997 (Census) | 5.08 | 7.8 |
| 1998 (SAS) | 5.37 | 5.6 |
| 1999 (SAS) | 6.25 | 16.5 \* |
| 2000 (SAS) | 7.10 | 13.6 |
| 2001 (SAS) | 7.87 | 10.8 |
| 2002 (Census) | 8.85 | 12.5 |
| 2003 (SAS) | 9.86 | 11.4 |
| 2004 (SAS) | 10.93 | 10.8 |
| 2005 (SAS) | 11.56 | 5.8 |
| 2006 (SAS) | 11.70 | 1.2 |
| 2007 (SAS) | 12.25 | 4.7 |
| 2008  | 11.98 | -2.2 |
|  |  |  |
| 2009  | 11.12 | -7.2 |
| 2010 | 11.74 | 5.6 |
| **2011 E** | **12.20** | **3.9** |

**2012 F 12.75 4.5**

**2016 Forecast 15.10 4.6 #**

# average annual rate of growth

Source: U.S. Bureau of The Census, Marketdata estimates & forecasts