

TOURIST ARRIVALS BY NATIONALITY, January - February 2016

REGION / NATIONALITY	February				January - February			
	2015	2016	% Change	% Share 2016	2015	2016	% Change	% Share 2016
EUROPE	54,718	60,719	11.0	50.3	107,263	116,101	8.2	50.7
CENTRAL / EASTERN EUROPE	8,558	10,111	18.1	8.4	20,457	22,139	8.2	9.7
Belarus	169	166	-1.8	0.1	356	335	-5.9	0.1
Bulgaria	393	562	43.0	0.5	755	1,065	41.1	0.5
Czech Republic	1,162	1,395	20.1	1.2	1,833	2,308	25.9	1.0
Hungary	773	880	13.8	0.7	1,578	1,815	15.0	0.8
Kazakhstan	241	224	-7.1	0.2	754	655	-13.1	0.3
Poland	784	1,161	48.1	1.0	1,585	2,211	39.5	1.0
Romania	387	476	23.0	0.4	841	959	14.0	0.4
Russia	2,882	3,274	13.6	2.7	8,672	8,546	-1.5	3.7
Slovakia	616	725	17.7	0.6	1,105	1,168	5.7	0.5
Ukraine	518	608	17.4	0.5	1,511	1,629	7.8	0.7
Other Central / Eastern Europe	633	640	1.1	0.5	1,467	1,448	-1.3	0.6
NORTHERN EUROPE	12,160	14,455	18.9	12.0	22,171	25,670	15.8	11.2
Denmark	1,492	1,662	11.4	1.4	2,483	3,053	23.0	1.3
Finland	314	324	3.2	0.3	576	556	-3.5	0.2
Ireland	198	222	12.1	0.2	411	479	16.5	0.2
Norway	466	395	-15.2	0.3	790	655	-17.1	0.3
Sweden	924	1,239	34.1	1.0	1,959	2,570	31.2	1.1
United Kingdom	8,752	10,603	21.1	8.8	15,902	18,331	15.3	8.0
Other Northern Europe	14	10	-28.6	0.0	50	26	-48.0	0.0
SOUTHERN EUROPE	9,953	11,488	15.4	9.5	19,765	22,475	13.7	9.8
Greece	147	203	38.1	0.2	318	345	8.5	0.2
Italy	8,224	9,253	12.5	7.7	16,263	18,081	11.2	7.9
Portugal	276	343	24.3	0.3	520	609	17.1	0.3
Slovenia	207	260	25.6	0.2	353	382	8.2	0.2
Spain	737	953	29.3	0.8	1,436	2,117	47.4	0.9
Other Southern Europe	362	476	31.5	0.4	875	941	7.5	0.4
WESTERN EUROPE	23,060	23,633	2.5	19.6	42,515	43,401	2.1	18.9
Austria	2,509	2,474	-1.4	2.1	5,130	4,995	-2.6	2.2
Belgium	575	642	11.7	0.5	1,055	1,131	7.2	0.5
France	6,690	6,500	-2.8	5.4	12,384	11,627	-6.1	5.1
Germany	8,879	9,247	4.1	7.7	15,972	17,084	7.0	7.5
Netherlands / Holland	669	833	24.5	0.7	1,194	1,508	26.3	0.7
Switzerland	3,660	3,868	5.7	3.2	6,656	6,926	4.1	3.0
Other Western Europe	78	69	-11.5	0.1	124	130	4.8	0.1
EAST MEDITERRANEAN EUROPE	987	1,032	4.6	0.9	2,355	2,416	2.6	1.1
Israel	174	263	51.1	0.2	410	519	26.6	0.2
Turkey	789	744	-5.7	0.6	1,908	1,834	-3.9	0.8
Other East Mediterranean Europe	24	25	4.2	0.0	37	63	70.3	0.0
ASIA & THE PACIFIC	59,035	52,431	-11.2	43.5	95,346	96,100	0.8	42.0
NORTH EAST ASIA	49,233	40,514	-17.7	33.6	75,135	70,095	-6.7	30.6
China	43,349	34,330	-20.8	28.5	63,818	57,571	-9.8	25.1
Japan	3,336	3,385	1.5	2.8	5,966	6,878	15.3	3.0
Korea	1,648	1,706	3.5	1.4	3,781	3,602	-4.7	1.6
Taiwan	898	1,077	19.9	0.9	1,561	2,016	29.1	0.9
Other North East Asia	2	16	100.0	0.0	9	28	211.1	0.0
SOUTH EAST ASIA	3,011	3,990	32.5	3.3	5,948	7,093	19.3	3.1
Indonesia	152	297	95.4	0.2	292	564	93.2	0.2
Malaysia	579	957	65.3	0.8	1,368	1,608	17.5	0.7
Philippines	451	478	6.0	0.4	832	954	14.7	0.4
Singapore	948	877	-7.5	0.7	1,821	1,631	-10.4	0.7
Thailand	627	641	2.2	0.5	1,101	1,324	20.3	0.6
Other South East Asia	254	740	191.3	0.6	534	1,012	89.5	0.4
SOUTH ASIA	5,566	6,608	18.7	5.5	11,258	14,057	24.9	6.1
Bangladesh	150	355	136.7	0.3	439	709	61.5	0.3
India	4,235	4,650	9.8	3.9	8,157	9,832	20.5	4.3
Pakistan	184	296	60.9	0.2	523	839	60.4	0.4
Sri Lanka	872	1,138	30.5	0.9	1,867	2,326	24.6	1.0
Other South Asia	125	169	35.2	0.1	272	351	29.0	0.2
OCEANIA	1,225	1,319	7.7	1.1	3,005	4,855	61.6	2.1
Australia	1,077	1,206	12.0	1.0	2,730	4,516	65.4	2.0
New Zealand	143	113	-21.0	0.1	269	335	24.5	0.1
Other Oceania	5	0	-100.0	0.0	6	4	-33.3	0.0
AFRICA	395	595	50.6	0.5	1,000	1,253	25.3	0.5
South Africa	134	201	50.0	0.2	335	461	37.6	0.2
Other Africa	261	394	51.0	0.3	665	792	19.1	0.3
AMERICAS	3,782	4,111	8.7	3.4	7,471	8,429	12.8	3.7
Brazil	471	309	-34.4	0.3	947	659	-30.4	0.3
Canada	644	829	28.7	0.7	1,331	1,555	16.8	0.7
U.S.A.	2,282	2,540	11.3	2.1	4,411	5,331	20.9	2.3
Other Americas	385	433	12.5	0.4	782	884	13.0	0.4
MIDDLE EAST	2,510	2,734	8.9	2.3	6,395	7,073	10.6	3.1
Egypt	127	190	49.6	0.2	324	420	29.6	0.2
Kuwait	721	614	-14.8	0.5	1,299	1,130	-13.0	0.5
Lebanon	140	157	12.1	0.1	255	293	14.9	0.1
Qatar	226	255	12.8	0.2	478	544	13.8	0.2
Saudi Arabia	679	769	13.3	0.6	2,570	3,056	18.9	1.3
United Arab Emirates	268	312	16.4	0.3	701	679	-3.1	0.3
Other Middle East	349	437	25.2	0.4	768	951	23.8	0.4
UN Passport Holders	15	36	140.0	0.0	32	51	59.4	0.0
OTHERS / NOT STATED	13	13	0.0	0.0	34	28	-17.6	0.0
TOTAL TOURIST ARRIVALS	120,468	120,639	0.1	100.0	217,541	229,035	5.3	100.0

Source: Ministry of Tourism (MoT)

Data provided by Department of Immigration and Emigration (DIE)

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TOURISM INDICATORS, 2015 - 2016

(At end February 2016)

	Year	January	February	Jan-Feb Total
TOURIST ARRIVALS				
FRONTIER ARRIVALS (by air)	2015	97,073	120,468	217,541
	2016	108,396	120,639	229,035
	Growth %	11.7	0.1	5.3
SURFACE ARRIVALS (by sea)	2015	0	0	0
	2016	0	0	0
	Growth %	0.0	0.0	0.0
REGISTERED CAPACITY 2016				
				Average
RESORTS	Nos.	116	116	116
	Beds	25,047	25,079	25,063
HOTELS	Nos.	17	17	17
	Beds	1,741	1,741	1,741
GUEST HOUSES	Nos.	323	333	328
	Beds	4,771	4,907	4,839
SAFARI VESSELS	Nos.	175	175	175
	Beds	2,984	2,984	2,984
TOTAL	Nos.	631	641	636
	Beds	34,543	34,711	34,627
OPERATIONAL CAPACITY				
				Average
RESORTS	Nos.	2015	106	106
		2016	108	109
	Beds	2015	23,447	23,507
		2016	23,986	24,076
HOTELS	Nos.	2015	15	15
		2016	14	14
	Beds	2015	1,508	1,508
		2016	1,444	1,456
GUEST HOUSES	Nos.	2015	107	105
		2016	76	88
	Beds	2015	1,569	1,567
		2016	1,178	1,360
SAFARI VESSELS	Nos.	2015	74	88
		2016	72	91
	Beds	2015	1,236	1,497
		2016	1,388	1,667
TOTAL	Nos.	2015	302	314
		2016	270	286
	Beds	2015	27,760	28,079
		2016	27,996	28,559
				Total
RESORTS	2015	582,562	626,746	1,209,308
	2016	560,633	621,566	1,182,199
	Growth %	-3.8	-0.8	-2.2
HOTELS	2015	20,422	22,847	43,269
	2016	18,692	19,320	38,012
	Growth %	-8.5	-15.4	-12.1
GUEST HOUSES	2015	13,726	13,265	26,991
	2016	11,743	17,408	29,151
	Growth %	-14.4	31.2	8.0
SAFARI VESSELS	2015	14,130	19,561	33,691
	2016	16,030	21,646	37,676
	Growth %	13.4	10.7	11.8
TOTAL	2015	630,840	682,419	1,313,259
	2016	607,098	679,940	1,287,038
	Growth %	-3.8	-0.4	-2.0
OCCUPANCY RATE (%)				
				Average
RESORTS	2015	80.1	91.9	86.0
	2016	75.4	92.2	83.8
	Change	-4.8	0.3	-2.2
HOTELS	2015	43.7	52.2	48.0
	2016	41.8	47.4	44.6
	Change	-1.9	-4.9	-3.4
GUEST HOUSES	2015	28.2	29.2	28.7
	2016	32.2	45.7	38.9
	Change	3.9	16.5	10.2
SAFARI VESSELS	2015	36.9	45.1	41.0
	2016	37.3	46.4	41.8
	Change	0.4	1.3	0.8
TOTAL	2015	73.3	86.8	80.1
	2016	70.0	85.0	77.5
	Change	-3.4	-1.8	-2.6
AVG. DURATION OF STAY (Days)	2015	6.5	5.7	6.0
	2016	5.6	5.6	5.6
	Change	-0.9	0.0	-0.4

Note:

Date: 24/03/2016

* Operational capacity for Guest House & Vessels based on number of establishments that submitted the data

Source: Statistics Section, Ministry of Tourism