

Table 1: TOURIST ARRIVALS BY NATIONALITY, January 2020 (By Air)

REGION / NATIONALITY	January				Market Ranking 2020
	2019	2020	% Change	% Share 2020	
<b>EUROPE</b>	<b>83,528</b>	<b>94,725</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>54.6</b>	
<b>CENTRAL / EASTERN EUROPE</b>	<b>22,079</b>	<b>28,280</b>	<b>28.1</b>	<b>16.3</b>	
Belarus	346	417	20.5	0.2	50
Bulgaria	910	941	3.4	0.5	30
Czech Republic	1,274	1,390	9.1	0.8	22
Hungary	1,824	2,225	22.0	1.3	17
Kazakhstan	749	1,756	134.4	1.0	20
Latvia	166	167	0.6	0.1	64
Lithuania	280	223	-20.4	0.1	63
Poland	2,048	2,429	18.6	1.4	16
Romania	1,461	2,026	38.7	1.2	18
Russia	9,668	12,531	29.6	7.2	4
Slovakia	795	934	17.5	0.5	32
Ukraine	1,883	2,434	29.3	1.4	15
Other Central / Eastern Europe	675	807	19.6	0.5	34
<b>NORTHERN EUROPE</b>	<b>14,867</b>	<b>15,264</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>8.8</b>	
Denmark	1,348	1,121	-16.8	0.6	26
Finland	689	771	11.9	0.4	36
Ireland	368	392	6.5	0.2	53
Norway	537	435	-19.0	0.3	47
Sweden	1,707	1,783	4.5	1.0	19
United Kingdom	10,175	10,734	5.5	6.2	5
Other Northern Europe	43	28	-34.9	0.0	79
<b>SOUTHERN EUROPE</b>	<b>20,372</b>	<b>24,902</b>	<b>22.2</b>	<b>14.4</b>	
Croatia	429	433	0.9	0.2	49
Greece	276	245	-11.2	0.1	60
Italy	16,768	20,766	23.8	12.0	2
Portugal	532	665	25.0	0.4	40
Serbia	305	396	29.8	0.2	52
Slovenia	356	405	13.8	0.2	51
Spain	1,385	1,557	12.4	0.9	21
Other Southern Europe	321	435	35.5	0.3	47
<b>WESTERN EUROPE</b>	<b>24,323</b>	<b>24,416</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>14.1</b>	
Austria	2,593	2,774	7.0	1.6	12
Belgium	676	695	2.8	0.4	38
France	7,153	6,955	-2.8	4.0	7
Germany	9,819	9,859	0.4	5.7	6
Netherlands / Holland	1,057	1,021	-3.4	0.6	28
Switzerland	2,966	3,036	2.4	1.8	10
Other Western Europe	59	76	28.8	0.0	75
<b>EAST MEDITERRANEAN EUROPE</b>	<b>1,887</b>	<b>1,863</b>	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>1.1</b>	
Israel	570	480	-15.8	0.3	45
Turkey	1,256	1,327	5.7	0.8	23
Other East Mediterranean Europe	61	56	-8.2	0.0	76
<b>ASIA &amp; THE PACIFIC</b>	<b>55,116</b>	<b>61,688</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>35.6</b>	
<b>NORTH EAST ASIA</b>	<b>33,201</b>	<b>38,543</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>22.2</b>	
China	25,804	31,744	23.0	18.3	1
Japan	3,126	2,808	-10.2	1.6	11
Korea	3,069	2,721	-11.3	1.6	13
Taiwan	1,141	1,226	7.4	0.7	24
Other North East Asia	61	44	-27.9	0.0	78
<b>SOUTH EAST ASIA</b>	<b>4,771</b>	<b>4,198</b>	<b>-12.0</b>	<b>2.4</b>	
Indonesia	292	292	0.0	0.2	58
Malaysia	1,476	908	-38.5	0.5	33
Myanmar	71	89	25.4	0.1	72
Philippines	578	483	-16.4	0.3	44
Singapore	846	692	-18.2	0.4	39
Thailand	1,130	939	-16.9	0.5	31
Viet Nam	261	744	185.1	0.4	37
Other South East Asia	117	51	-56.4	0.0	77
<b>SOUTH ASIA</b>	<b>13,641</b>	<b>16,021</b>	<b>17.4</b>	<b>9.2</b>	
Bangladesh	373	391	4.8	0.2	54
India	11,633	13,845	19.0	8.0	3
Iran	73	84	15.1	0.0	73
Pakistan	500	568	13.6	0.3	42
Sri Lanka	971	1,003	3.3	0.6	29
Other South Asia	91	130	42.9	0.1	66
<b>OCEANIA</b>	<b>3,503</b>	<b>2,926</b>	<b>-16.5</b>	<b>1.7</b>	
Australia	3,203	2,689	-16.0	1.6	14
New Zealand	288	227	-21.2	0.1	62
Other Oceania	12	10	-16.7	0.0	82
<b>AMERICAS</b>	<b>7,239</b>	<b>8,078</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>4.7</b>	
Argentina	434	350	-19.4	0.2	56
Brazil	800	1,036	29.5	0.6	27
Canada	1,151	1,140	-1.0	0.7	25
Mexico	99	111	12.1	0.1	68
U.S.A.	4,454	5,051	13.4	2.9	8
Other Americas	301	390	29.6	0.2	55
<b>MIDDLE EAST</b>	<b>4,200</b>	<b>7,297</b>	<b>73.7</b>	<b>4.2</b>	
Egypt	248	280	12.9	0.2	59
Jordan	128	114	-10.9	0.1	67
Kuwait	433	585	35.1	0.3	41
Lebanon	146	94	-35.6	0.1	71
Oman	160	103	-35.6	0.1	70
Qatar	180	239	32.8	0.1	61
Saudi Arabia	2,162	4,992	130.9	2.9	9
Syria	76	84	10.5	0.0	73
United Arab Emirates	485	506	4.3	0.3	43
Other Middle East	182	300	64.8	0.2	57
<b>AFRICA</b>	<b>1,453</b>	<b>1,536</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>0.9</b>	
Algeria	130	104	-20.0	0.1	69
Morocco	207	164	-20.8	0.1	65
South Africa	720	807	12.1	0.5	34
Other Africa	396	461	16.4	0.3	46
<b>OTHERS</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>43.8</b>	<b>0.0</b>	
UN Passport Holders	5	12	140.0	0.0	80
Other / Not Stated	11	11	0.0	0.0	81
<b>TOTAL TOURIST ARRIVALS</b>	<b>151,552</b>	<b>173,347</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	

Source: Ministry of Tourism (MoT)

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Data provided by Maldives Immigration

**Table 2: SUMMARY OF KEY INDICATORS, 2019 - 2020  
(at end January 2020)**

	Jan	Jan
<b>TOURIST ARRIVALS (by Air)</b>		<b>Total</b>
2019 Male	72,654	72,654
Female	78,898	78,898
<b>Total</b>	<b>151,552</b>	<b>151,552</b>
2020 Male	82,485	82,485
Female	90,862	90,862
<b>Total</b>	<b>173,347</b>	<b>173,347</b>
% Change (2019/2020)	14.4	14.4
<b>TOURIST ARRIVALS (by Sea)</b>		<b>Total</b>
2019 Male	-	-
Female	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,417</b>	<b>3,417</b>
2020 Male	1,932	1,932
Female	1,861	1,861
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,793</b>	<b>3,793</b>
% Change (2019/2020)	11.0	11.0
<b>BED-NIGHTS (Estimated) <sup>-1</sup></b>		<b>Total</b>
2019	998,457	998,457
2020	1,097,148	1,097,148
% Change (2019/2020)	9.9	9.9
<b>TOURIST ACCOMMODATION CAPACITY (Registered)</b>		
2019 No. of Establishments	835	-
Beds	45,565	-
2020 No. of Establishments	953	-
Beds	51,958	-
% Change (2019/2020)	14.0	-
<b>TOURIST ACCOMMODATION CAPACITY (Operational)</b>		<b>Average</b>
2019 No. of Establishments	824	824
Beds	44,266	44,266
2020 No. of Establishments	939	939
Beds	50,500	50,500
% Change (2019/2020)	14.1	14.1
<b>OCCUPANCY RATE (%) <sup>-2</sup></b>		<b>Average</b>
2019	72.8	72.8
2020	70.1	70.1
Change	-2.7	-2.7
<b>AVERAGE DURATION OF STAY (Days)</b>		<b>Average</b>
2019	6.6	6.6
2020	6.3	6.3
Change	-0.3	-0.3

Source: Ministry of Tourism

Date: 13/2/2020

Note: <sup>-1</sup> includes estimates for missing data

Note: <sup>-2</sup> Calculated based on bed-nights

**Table 3: NUMBER OF TOURIST ESTABLISHMENTS BY TYPE, 2020**

	Number of Establishments (Registered)					Number of Establishments (In operation)				
	Total	Resorts / Marinas	Hotels	Guest Houses	Safari Vessels	Total	Resorts / Marinas	Hotels	Guest Houses	Safari Vessels
January	953	166	13	616	158	939	154	13	614	158
Average for the Period	953	166	13	616	158	939	154	13	614	158

Source: Ministry of Tourism

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**Table 4: TOURIST BED CAPACITY BY TYPE, 2020**

	No. of Beds (Registered)					No. of Beds (In operation)					Bed Capacity in Operation (%)				
	Total	Resorts / Marinas	Hotels	Guest Houses	Safari Vessels	Total	Resorts / Marinas	Hotels	Guest Houses	Safari Vessels	Total	Resorts / Marinas	Hotels	Guest Houses	Safari Vessels
January	51,958	37,394	1,698	9,899	2,967	50,500	35,934	1,698	9,881	2,987	97.2	96.1	100.0	99.8	100.7
Average for the Period	51,958	37,394	1,698	9,899	2,967	50,500	35,934	1,698	9,881	2,987	97.2	96.1	100.0	99.8	100.7

Source: Ministry of Tourism

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**Table 5: TOURIST BED NIGHTS AND CAPACITY UTILIZATION, 2020**

	Bed Nights (numbers) <sup>-1</sup>					Share of Bed Nights (%)				Occupancy Rate (%)				
	Total	Resorts / Marinas	Hotels	Guest Houses	Safari Vessels	Resorts / Marinas	Hotels	Guest Houses	Safari Vessels	Average	Resorts / Marinas	Hotels	Guest Houses	Safari Vessels
January	1,097,148	885,410	31,376	150,963	29,398	80.7	2.9	13.8	2.7	70.1	79.5	59.6	49.3	31.7
End Period	1,097,148	885,410	31,376	150,963	29,398	80.7	2.9	13.8	2.7	70.1	79.5	59.6	49.3	31.7

Note: <sup>-1</sup> Including estimates for missing data

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