



	International tourists				Inbound tourism expenditure				Outbound tourism expenditure			
	Inbound		Outbound		\$ millions		% of exports		\$ millions		% of imports	
	thousands		thousands									
	2012	2018	2012	2018	2012	2018	2012	2018	2012	2018	2012	2018
Afghanistan	..	..	..	..	167	50	7.2	3.1	110	226	1.1	2.8
Albania	3,156	5,340	3,959	5,415	1,623	2,306	45.6	48.2	1,374	1,750	23.5	25.5
Algeria	2,634	2,657	1,911	5,610	295	..	0.4	..	598	..	1.0	..
American Samoa	23	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Andorra	2,238	3,042	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Angola	528	218	..	..	711	557	1.0	1.3	288	762	0.6	2.9
Antigua and Barbuda	247	269	..	..	319	971	58.9	84.3	49	113	7.1	10.1
Argentina	6,497	6,942	7,266	11,130	5,665	5,999	6.0	7.8	8,466	13,092	10.2	15.1
Armenia	963	1,652	965	1,623	853	1,237	29.2	26.3	874	1,458	17.0	21.9
Aruba	904	1,082	..	..	1,412	2,024	44.8	79.6	294	358	10.2	16.0
Australia	6,032	9,246	8,212	11,403	34,137	47,327	10.9	14.5	35,226	42,351	10.6	13.7
Austria	24,151	30,816	10,960	11,883	18,931	25,411	8.7	10.0	9,987	14,256	4.8	6.0
Azerbaijan	1,986	2,633	2,829	3,919	2,634	2,830	7.2	11.1	2,617	2,453	15.0	13.9
Bahamas, The	1,422	1,633	..	..	2,333	3,383	63.5	77.2	384	536	7.8	10.4
Bahrain	8,062	12,045	..	2,868	1,752	3,834	5.6	12.7	975	4,023	3.8	14.8
Bangladesh	125	..	2,273	..	105	357	0.4	0.8	889	1,208	2.4	1.8
Barbados	536	680	..	..	947	1,125	44.7	..	84	..	3.8	..
Belarus	6,130	11,502	493	836	986	1,221	1.9	2.9	948	1,159	1.9	2.8
Belgium	7,560	9,119	9,576	13,098	13,704	10,381	3.4	2.3	22,357	20,830	5.4	4.6
Belize	277	489	..	..	298	487	28.8	45.2	39	50	3.8	4.4
Benin	220	295	..	..	174	..	9.3	..	96	..	3.7	..
Bermuda	232	282	..	..	448	583	32.0	36.9	327	340	18.2	16.0
Bhutan	105	274	..	..	93	121	12.8	15.5	69	79	5.7	6.3
Bolivia	798	1,142	788	1,060	631	970	5.1	9.4	502	1,081	5.1	8.7
Bosnia and Herzegovina	439	1,053	..	..	686	1,081	12.3	12.7	196	366	2.0	3.2
Botswana	1,614	..	..	..	516	575	7.1	7.8	332	269	3.4	3.7
Brazil	5,677	6,621	8,497	10,628	6,623	6,324	2.4	2.3	26,008	22,229	8.6	8.6
Brunei Darussalam	209	278	..	..	92	190	0.7	2.7	591	585	8.7	10.3
Bulgaria	6,541	9,273	3,758	6,699	3,975	5,072	12.2	11.7	1,096	2,247	3.2	5.4
Burkina Faso	237	144	..	..	128	..	3.9	..	146	..	3.8	..
Burundi	147	..	..	..	2	4	0.7	1.4	25	23	2.7	2.5
Cabo Verde	482	710	..	..	452	524	58.6	54.1	135	97	11.3	7.3
Cambodia	3,584	6,201	792	1,995	2,663	4,832	30.0	26.2	406	1,079	3.8	4.9
Cameroon	817	..	..	..	377	633	5.1	8.7	668	915	8.2	10.9
Canada	16,344	21,134	32,276	26,033	17,404	21,978	3.1	4.0	35,032	33,581	5.9	5.7
Cayman Islands	322	463	..	..	489	880	..	..	183	..	..	..
Central African Republic	71	..	..	..	15	..	..	..	69	..	..	..
Chad	86	..	79	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Channel Islands	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chile	3,554	5,723	2,837	3,825	3,158	3,972	3.5	4.6	2,400	3,086	2.7	3.6
China	57,725	62,900	83,182	149,720	50,028	40,386	2.3	1.5	101,977	277,345	5.2	10.9
Hong Kong SAR, China	23,770	29,263	85,276	92,214	37,098	41,870	6.5	6.1	20,077	26,498	3.6	3.9
Macao SAR, China	13,577	18,493	1,291	1,579	36,521	40,358	93.2	88.5	1,155	1,411	8.1	7.7
Colombia	2,179	3,904	3,169	4,368	4,363	6,617	6.4	12.2	4,363	5,625	6.3	8.9
Comoros	23	36	..	..	39	77	43.9	50.4	36	45	11.3	12.8
Congo, Dem. Rep.	167	..	..	..	7	61	0.1	0.4	108	115	1.0	0.6
Congo, Rep.	256	156	161	..	68	..	0.7	..	308	..	4.4	..
Costa Rica	2,343	3,017	773	1,079	2,773	3,995	18.3	19.4	647	1,162	3.9	5.9
Cote d'Ivoire	289	1,965	..	..	173	..	1.3	..	560	..	4.7	..
Croatia	10,369	16,645	2,680	2,058	8,912	12,075	38.1	39.3	962	1,737	4.1	5.5
Cuba	2,823	4,684	213	..	2,614	2,969	..	..	..	..	..	..
Curacao	421	432	..	..	676	605	28.8	31.5	357	535	11.4	18.9
Cyprus	2,465	3,939	1,194	1,446	2,603	3,449	18.9	18.9	1,318	1,551	9.2	8.6
Czech Republic	7,647	10,611	5,419	7,390	8,174	8,291	5.2	4.3	4,556	6,074	3.1	3.4
Denmark	8,443	12,749	7,843	7,475	6,135	9,097	3.4	4.6	9,600	10,485	6.0	5.9
Djibouti	60	..	..	..	21	57	4.5	1.2	30	22	4.1	0.5
Dominica	79	63	..	..	76	111	47.4	68.5	12	30	4.8	7.0
Dominican Republic	4,563	6,569	418	514	4,687	7,561	31.1	37.4	690	957	3.3	4.1
Ecuador	1,272	2,535	1,022	1,402	1,039	1,878	3.9	7.4	944	1,043	3.4	4.0



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	2012	2018	2012	2018	2012	2018	2012	2018	2012	2018	2012	2018
Egypt, Arab Rep.	11,196	11,196	5,678	..	10,823	12,704	22.3	24.6	3,037	2,897	4.4	3.8
El Salvador	1,255	1,677	1,163	1,260	900	1,370	14.7	18.2	287	490	2.7	3.9
Equatorial Guinea	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Eritrea	129	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Estonia	2,957	3,234	1,147	2,069	1,286	2,332	6.5	10.2	796	1,651	4.1	7.6
Ethiopia	597	849	..	..	1,980	3,548	33.0	46.5	181	613	1.3	3.1
Faroe Islands	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fiji	661	870	132	174	989	1,370	40.7	51.3	110	160	4.3	5.2
Finland	2,778	3,224	9,055	9,450	5,419	5,663	5.3	5.3	5,843	7,268	5.6	6.7
France	81,980	89,322	25,317	26,914	63,975	73,125	8.0	8.1	50,068	57,925	6.0	6.2
French Polynesia	169	216	83	47	720	..	63.5	..	300	..	13.6	..
Gabon	..	..	..	..	40	..	0.4	..	441	..	7.3	..
Gambia, The	157	552	..	..	104	168	37.9	48.3	13	10	3.3	1.7
Georgia	2,460	4,757	2,734	3,698	1,565	3,518	26.0	39.5	471	960	5.2	8.9
Germany	30,411	38,881	82,729	108,542	51,626	60,260	3.2	3.2	96,196	104,204	6.8	6.4
Ghana	903	..	..	..	1,154	996	6.9	4.4	976	1,329	4.4	5.7
Greece	15,518	30,123	4,681	7,961	14,665	21,594	23.2	26.4	3,005	3,910	4.3	4.6
Greenland	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grenada	125	185	..	..	122	548	59.1	84.3	11	41	2.8	6.4
Guam	1,308	1,549	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Guatemala	1,200	1,781	580	1,227	1,419	1,553	12.5	11.6	920	1,121	5.1	5.3
Guinea	96	..	..	..	2	8	0.1	0.2	41	416	1.3	9.9
Guinea-Bissau	35	..	..	..	7	20	4.4	5.3	25	75	9.6	16.3
Guyana	177	287	..	..	64	28	3.7	1.8	82	80	3.3	2.6
Haiti	349	447	..	..	447	620	33.7	34.9	473	599	11.3	10.6
Honduras	895	..	464	..	684	745	10.3	10.2	549	519	5.3	4.4
Hungary	10,353	17,552	4,881	8,649	6,149	9,595	5.6	7.1	2,457	3,280	2.4	2.6
Iceland	673	2,344	358	668	865	3,128	10.7	25.6	780	1,829	10.8	16.0
India	6,578	17,423	14,920	26,296	18,340	29,143	4.1	5.4	14,107	25,790	2.4	4.0
Indonesia	8,044	15,810	7,454	9,468	9,463	15,600	4.5	7.4	9,055	11,629	4.3	5.3
Iran, Islamic Rep.	3,834	7,295	..	7,243	2,483	..	..	..	8,435	..	..	..
Iraq	1,111	..	..	..	1,640	1,986	1.7	2.2	2,363	7,855	3.7	13.8
Ireland	7,550	10,926	6,600	8,643	9,060	14,658	4.0	3.1	5,999	7,390	3.4	2.2
Isle of Man	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Israel	2,886	4,121	4,349	8,473	6,165	8,073	6.7	7.4	5,008	9,765	5.4	9.1
Italy	46,360	61,567	27,376	33,347	40,943	51,602	6.9	7.9	26,239	37,644	4.6	6.2
Jamaica	1,986	2,473	..	..	2,069	3,099	46.1	53.4	418	503	5.4	6.3
Japan	8,358	31,192	18,491	18,954	16,197	45,276	1.8	4.9	40,967	28,096	4.0	3.0
Jordan	4,162	4,150	1,567	1,501	5,123	6,221	35.8	41.3	1,257	1,493	5.5	6.6
Kazakhstan	6,163	8,789	8,875	..	2,154	2,651	2.3	3.9	3,609	2,852	5.9	6.2
Kenya	1,619	..	..	..	2,004	..	17.9	..	174	..	1.0	..
Kiribati	5	7	..	..	5	..	18.5	..	8	..	4.6	..
Korea, Dem. People's Rep.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Korea, Rep.	11,140	15,347	13,737	28,696	18,731	19,856	2.7	2.7	22,934	34,769	3.5	5.4
Kosovo	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kuwait	5,729	8,508	..	..	780	919	0.6	1.1	10,073	14,318	22.2	21.0
Kyrgyz Republic	348	423	3,621	6,839	486	487	13.9	17.8	529	453	8.2	7.7
Lao PDR	2,291	3,770	2,052	3,207	461	757	16.2	12.2	614	949	16.2	13.0
Latvia	1,435	1,946	1,398	1,368	744	1,057	4.3	5.0	680	778	3.7	3.7
Lebanon	1,366	1,964	..	..	7,361	8,694	36.6	45.4	4,511	6,395	14.1	19.5
Lesotho	423	1,173	..	..	22	24	2.2	1.9	252	339	9.3	14.0
Liberia	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	8	0.1	0.6
Libya	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,654	..	8.1	..
Liechtenstein	62	85	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lithuania	1,900	2,825	1,708	2,244	1,317	1,419	3.9	3.2	925	1,195	2.8	2.8
Luxembourg	950	1,018	1,580	1,989	5,395	5,537	5.2	4.1	3,094	3,290	3.6	3.0
North Macedonia	351	707	..	..	237	387	5.5	5.1	153	282	2.3	3.1
Madagascar	256	291	..	..	596	879	21.2	20.2	235	309	5.9	6.4
Malawi	770	871	..	..	35	43	2.5	3.8	96	136	3.8	4.6
Malaysia	25,033	25,832	..	..	21,711	21,774	8.7	8.8	13,165	13,248	6.1	6.0
Maldives	958	1,484	2,032	3,054	81.7	82.7	207	433	9.6	10.6
Mali	32	14	144	..	4.3	..	164	..	4.1	..
Malta	1,443	2,599	331	667	1,260	1,845	8.3	8.7	339	518	2.3	2.9



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	2012	2018	2012	2018	2012	2018	2012	2018	2012	2018	2012	2018
Marshall Islands	5	7	4	20	3.5	15.6	26	31	13.7	18.0
Mauritania	..	..	..	..	50	6	1.8	0.3	101	38	2.4	1.2
Mauritius	965	1,399	237	296	1,778	2,161	29.4	38.9	394	723	5.2	9.6
Mexico	23,403	41,313	15,581	19,748	13,320	23,802	3.4	5.0	10,735	14,073	2.7	2.8
Micronesia, Fed. Sts.	38	19	..	..	22	..	18.7	..	30	..	11.4	..
Moldova	89	160	147	264	279	500	10.3	14.5	396	438	7.0	6.9
Monaco	292	347	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mongolia	476	529	..	..	215	526	4.8	6.8	558	822	6.3	9.7
Montenegro	1,264	2,077	..	..	860	1,224	50.6	52.2	67	73	2.5	2.0
Morocco	9,375	12,289	2,323	1,923	8,491	9,523	26.3	22.0	2,095	3,018	4.5	5.4
Mozambique	2,113	2,743	..	..	224	331	4.8	5.5	247	135	2.0	1.3
Myanmar	1,059	3,551	..	..	550	1,670	5.8	10.6	265	118	2.9	0.6
Namibia	1,079	..	..	..	635	488	12.5	9.9	53	69	0.8	1.1
Nepal	803	1,173	862	..	379	744	19.7	27.8	562	918	8.2	6.3
Netherlands	11,680	18,780	18,628	22,115	17,675	25,850	2.6	3.4	20,094	25,952	3.4	3.9
New Caledonia	112	120	121	139	288	..	14.8	..	336	..	7.5	..
New Zealand	2,473	3,686	2,172	3,038	7,142	10,961	14.1	19.1	3,715	4,603	7.4	8.0
Nicaragua	1,180	1,256	979	974	421	544	8.4	9.9	241	349	3.4	5.2
Niger	94	157	..	..	51	..	3.4	..	132	..	4.8	..
Nigeria	4,673	..	..	..	638	1,977	0.6	2.9	9,240	13,218	11.4	18.5
Northern Mariana Islands	399	517	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Norway	4,538	5,688	9,250	8,110	6,784	7,096	3.3	4.3	18,131	18,592	12.9	13.2
Oman	1,241	2,301	2,888	3,350	1,723	2,975	3.1	6.4	1,644	3,210	4.8	9.1
Pakistan	966	..	..	..	1,014	818	3.2	2.7	1,851	2,899	3.8	4.2
Palau	120	106	..	..	109	..	82.8	..	19	..	10.5	..
Panama	1,606	1,785	447	681	4,585	5,615	14.7	19.7	591	1,307	1.8	4.5
Papua New Guinea	168	140	..	..	2	..	0.0	..	203	..	2.4	..
Paraguay	579	1,181	400	1,266	291	393	2.4	2.7	363	549	3.0	4.0
Peru	2,846	4,419	2,296	3,078	3,074	4,894	6.0	8.7	1,900	3,417	4.0	6.6
Philippines	4,273	7,168	..	..	4,963	9,730	7.4	10.8	7,140	12,474	9.0	9.6
Poland	14,840	19,622	9,300	12,800	11,889	15,748	5.3	4.8	9,129	10,608	4.1	3.5
Portugal	7,503	16,186	1,361	2,486	14,578	24,105	17.7	22.8	4,482	6,524	5.4	6.3
Puerto Rico	3,069	3,068	876	..	3,193	3,282	..	..	1,162	893	..	..
Qatar	2,324	1,819	..	..	7,220	15,239	5.1	14.9	10,702	11,754	19.6	17.9
Romania	7,937	11,720	11,149	21,039	1,904	3,261	3.0	3.2	2,108	5,088	2.9	4.7
Russian Federation	28,177	24,551	47,813	41,964	17,876	18,670	3.0	3.7	48,096	38,791	10.8	11.3
Rwanda	815	..	..	..	337	528	30.4	25.8	133	377	5.6	12.0
Samoa	126	164	56	64	148	191	66.7	62.6	22	4	5.6	1.0
San Marino	139	84	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sao Tome and Principe	..	33	..	..	15	72	45.5	73.2	3	18	2.2	8.9
Saudi Arabia	16,332	15,334	18,671	21,866	8,400	16,975	2.1	5.4	17,986	17,932	8.4	8.6
Senegal	962	..	..	..	469	..	11.8	..	248	..	3.6	..
Serbia	810	1,711	..	..	1,080	1,921	7.3	7.7	1,188	1,837	5.4	6.2
Seychelles	208	362	45	72	429	611	34.8	36.4	58	102	4.1	5.5
Sierra Leone	60	57	104	112	47	39	3.8	5.2	32	61	1.3	3.8
Singapore	11,098	14,673	8,048	9,889	18,795	20,416	3.2	3.1	23,139	25,346	4.5	4.6
Sint Maarten (Dutch part)	457	178	..	..	854	468	73.0	57.8	120	105	11.6	8.5
Slovak Republic	1,528	2,256	2,689	..	2,365	3,318	2.8	3.3	2,309	2,823	2.8	2.8
Slovenia	2,377	4,425	2,474	3,188	2,793	3,378	8.2	7.3	1,508	1,755	4.6	4.2
Solomon Islands	24	28	..	..	65	92	10.6	13.5	68	53	10.7	7.1
Somalia	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Africa	9,188	10,472	..	..	11,202	9,789	9.5	8.9	7,145	6,348	5.8	5.8
South Sudan	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	0.4	..	513	..	14.4
Spain	57,464	82,773	12,422	19,116	62,936	81,250	15.1	16.3	15,395	26,670	4.0	5.8
Sri Lanka	1,006	2,334	1,269	1,476	1,756	5,608	12.9	27.7	1,219	2,487	5.6	9.3
St. Kitts and Nevis	104	125	..	..	95	367	36.9	60.6	15	59	4.3	9.9
St. Lucia	307	395	..	..	337	989	55.8	81.3	45	87	5.9	8.7
St. Martin (French part)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	74	80	94	241	49.9	76.3	14	48	3.4	10.6
Sudan	575	836	772	1,043	15.1	20.9	699	13	6.8	0.2



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Suriname	240	79	73	2.8	3.2	58	104	2.2	4.9
Eswatini	888	782	1,403	1,717	29	16	1.6	0.9	53	43	2.7	2.1
Sweden	5,146	7,440	15,548	..	10,104	14,926	4.1	5.9	13,954	18,056	6.3	7.4
Switzerland	8,566	10,362	12,098	15,285	19,594	20,276	4.4	4.4	17,980	20,722	4.7	5.4
Syrian Arab Republic	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tajikistan	244	1,035	15	31	287	171	21.8	15.3	37	24	0.7	0.8
Tanzania	1,043	1,378	..	..	1,754	2,465	20.2	29.4	1,003	818	7.9	8.3
Thailand	22,354	38,178	5,721	9,966	34,565	65,242	12.6	19.9	8,095	14,675	3.0	5.2
Timor-Leste	58	75	..	..	21	78	20.4	64.0	92	131	5.5	12.4
Togo	235	573	..	..	206	..	11.8	..	46	..	2.0	..
Tonga	47	54	..	..	40	48	49.8	45.9	29	41	10.0	12.8
Trinidad and Tobago	455	375	..	..	852	541	4.8	4.8	223	149	1.9	1.6
Tunisia	6,999	8,299	2,897	2,515	2,931	2,320	13.2	11.9	673	954	2.6	3.9
Turkey	35,698	45,768	5,803	8,383	31,566	37,140	15.4	15.6	4,585	4,993	1.8	2.0
Turkmenistan	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Turks and Caicos Islands	292	441	..	..	..	787	..	95.2	..	4	..	0.8
Tuvalu	1	3	..	..	3	..	10.8	..	12	..	23.1	..
Uganda	1,197	..	469	..	1,157	1,044	23.4	18.5	642	334	8.3	3.9
Ukraine	23,013	14,104	21,433	27,811	5,988	2,269	6.9	3.8	5,536	8,287	5.5	11.8
United Arab Emirates	..	21,286	..	18,904	10,924	21,390	..	..	15,072	17,999	..	..
United Kingdom	29,282	36,316	54,604	70,386	40,927	48,515	5.0	5.5	61,323	68,888	7.3	7.5
United States	66,967	79,746	60,697	92,564	200,997	256,145	9.1	10.2	129,902	186,508	4.7	6.0
Uruguay	2,695	3,469	1,816	1,947	2,439	2,439	13.5	14.9	1,043	1,309	6.3	10.0
Uzbekistan	1,895	5,346	..	..	..	1,314	..	9.3	..	2,722	..	11.6
Vanuatu	108	116	23	29	268	325	75.2	62.8	43	21	10.8	4.6
Venezuela, RB	988	..	1,734	..	904	..	0.9	..	4,592	..	5.4	..
Vietnam	6,848	15,498	..	..	6,850	10,080	5.5	3.9	1,856	5,910	1.6	2.4
Virgin Islands (U.S.)	619	381	..	..	1,210	1,046	..	..	..	..	..	..
West Bank and Gaza	490	606	..	..	469	245	25.1	8.4	646	755	10.3	8.6
Yemen, Rep.	874	..	..	..	1,005	..	10.7	..	148	..	1.1	..
Zambia	859	1,072	..	..	518	742	4.9	7.4	303	478	3.3	4.7
Zimbabwe	1,794	2,580	720	2,987	174	..	4.0	..	387	..	4.6	..
World	1,070,183	1,441,953	1,179,078	1,563,556	1,275,118	1,649,264	5.6	6.6	1,160,710	1,575,316	5.2	6.4
East Asia & Pacific	221,489	320,268	285,484	415,030	317,716	417,699	4.7	5.4	304,682	525,418	4.7	7.2
Europe & Central Asia	541,182	712,592	492,713	618,356	526,241	651,746	5.7	6.3	485,137	562,371	5.7	5.9
Latin America & Caribbean	79,170	113,348	53,212	70,174	75,997	103,820	5.3	7.6	70,187	80,394	5.2	5.8
Middle East & North Africa	89,091	110,564	..	..	81,019	121,535	5.5	9.6	89,148	117,682	7.5	10.4
North America	83,543	101,162	92,991	118,619	218,849	278,706	7.9	9.1	165,261	220,429	4.9	5.9
South Asia	10,725	26,701	22,014	35,959	23,886	39,895	4.6	6.2	19,014	34,040	2.7	4.1
Sub-Saharan Africa	39,172	..	..	..	31,387	35,667	6.3	8.4	27,490	33,969	5.4	7.6
Low income	..	..	..	..	..	..	12.2	14.0	5,100	..	3.1	3.8
Lower middle income	104,683	143,896	97,448	150,489	79,301	109,076	6.0	7.4	60,477	96,922	3.9	5.5
Upper middle income	291,432	384,264	237,478	338,851	265,406	333,760	4.9	5.6	287,597	484,705	5.6	8.6
High income	647,742	879,719	641,184	814,281	919,329	1,192,664	5.8	6.8	807,118	987,624	5.3	5.8

Most Recent Value (MRV) if data for the specified year or full period are not available; or growth rate is calculated for less than the full period.

About the Data

International tourism, number of arrivals

Long definition

International inbound tourists (overnight visitors) are the number of tourists who travel to a country other than that in which they have their usual residence, but outside their usual environment, for a period not exceeding 12 months and whose main purpose in visiting is other than an activity remunerated from within the country visited. When data on number of tourists are not available, the number of visitors, which includes tourists, same-day visitors, cruise passengers, and crew members, is shown instead. Sources and collection



methods for arrivals differ across countries. In some cases data are from border statistics (police, immigration, and the like) and supplemented by border surveys. In other cases data are from tourism accommodation establishments. For some countries number of arrivals is limited to arrivals by air and for others to arrivals staying in hotels. Some countries include arrivals of nationals residing abroad while others do not. Caution should thus be used in comparing arrivals across countries. The data on inbound tourists refer to the number of arrivals, not to the number of people traveling. Thus a person who makes several trips to a country during a given period is counted each time as a new arrival.

Source

World Tourism Organization, Yearbook of Tourism Statistics, Compendium of Tourism Statistics and data files.

International tourism, number of departures

Long definition

International outbound tourists are the number of departures that people make from their country of usual residence to any other country for any purpose other than a remunerated activity in the country visited. The data on outbound tourists refer to the number of departures, not to the number of people traveling. Thus a person who makes several trips from a country during a given period is counted each time as a new departure.

Source

World Tourism Organization, Yearbook of Tourism Statistics, Compendium of Tourism Statistics and data files.

International tourism, receipts (current US\$)

Long definition

International tourism receipts are expenditures by international inbound visitors, including payments to national carriers for international transport. These receipts include any other prepayment made for goods or services received in the destination country. They also may include receipts from same-day visitors, except when these are important enough to justify separate classification. For some countries they do not include receipts for passenger transport items. Data are in current U.S. dollars.

Source

World Tourism Organization, Yearbook of Tourism Statistics, Compendium of Tourism Statistics and data files.

International tourism, receipts (% of total exports)

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International tourism receipts are expenditures by international inbound visitors, including payments to national carriers for international transport. These receipts include any other prepayment made for goods or services received in the destination country. They also may include receipts from same-day visitors, except when these are important enough to justify separate classification. For some countries they do not include receipts for passenger transport items. Their share in exports is calculated as a ratio to exports of goods and services, which comprise all transactions between residents of a country and the rest of the world involving a change of ownership from residents to nonresidents of general merchandise, goods sent for processing and repairs, nonmonetary gold, and services.

Source

World Tourism Organization, Yearbook of Tourism Statistics, Compendium of Tourism Statistics and data files, and IMF and World Bank exports estimates.

International tourism, expenditures (current US\$)

Long definition

International tourism expenditures are expenditures of international outbound visitors in other countries, including payments to foreign carriers for international transport. These expenditures may include those by residents traveling abroad as same-day visitors, except in cases where these are important enough to justify separate classification. For some countries they do not include expenditures for passenger transport items. Data are in current U.S. dollars.

Source

World Tourism Organization, Yearbook of Tourism Statistics, Compendium of Tourism Statistics and data files.

International tourism, expenditures (% of total imports)

Long definition

International tourism expenditures are expenditures of international outbound visitors in other countries, including payments to foreign carriers for international transport. These expenditures may include those by residents traveling abroad as same-day visitors, except in cases where these are important enough to justify separate classification. For some countries they do not include expenditures for passenger transport items. Their share in imports is calculated as a ratio to imports of goods and services, which comprise all transactions between residents of a country and the rest of the world involving a change of ownership from nonresidents to residents of general merchandise, goods sent for processing and repairs, nonmonetary gold, and services.

Source

World Tourism Organization, Yearbook of Tourism Statistics, Compendium of Tourism Statistics and data files, and IMF and World Bank imports estimates.

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