

**TOURIST ARRIVALS BY NATIONALITY, January - June 2015**

REGION / NATIONALITY	June				January - June			
	2014	2015	% Change	% Share 2015	2014	2015	% Change	% Share 2015
<b>EUROPE</b>	<b>26,284</b>	<b>24,274</b>	<b>-7.6</b>	<b>29.8</b>	<b>279,886</b>	<b>273,315</b>	<b>-2.3</b>	<b>44.9</b>
<b>CENTRAL / EASTERN EUROPE</b>	<b>6,143</b>	<b>4,319</b>	<b>-29.7</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>60,817</b>	<b>47,519</b>	<b>-21.9</b>	<b>7.8</b>
Belarus	111	75	-32.4	0.1	894	807	-9.7	0.1
Bulgaria	58	70	20.7	0.1	1,382	1,700	23.0	0.3
Czech Republic	221	270	22.2	0.3	3,347	4,332	29.4	0.7
Hungary	131	131	0.0	0.2	2,033	2,516	23.8	0.4
Kazakhstan	166	155	-6.6	0.2	1,666	1,652	-0.8	0.3
Poland	205	268	30.7	0.3	3,502	3,505	0.1	0.6
Romania	147	145	-1.4	0.2	1,432	1,902	32.8	0.3
Russia	4,312	2,500	-42.0	3.1	37,350	22,128	-40.8	3.6
Slovakia	129	131	1.6	0.2	1,836	2,380	29.6	0.4
Ukraine	422	331	-21.6	0.4	4,771	3,219	-32.5	0.5
Other Central / Eastern Europe	241	243	0.8	0.3	2,604	3,378	29.7	0.6
<b>NORTHERN EUROPE</b>	<b>6,514</b>	<b>7,277</b>	<b>11.7</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>54,979</b>	<b>59,747</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>9.8</b>
Denmark	179	228	27.4	0.3	2,488	4,548	82.8	0.7
Finland	76	106	39.5	0.1	902	1,118	23.9	0.2
Ireland	239	260	8.8	0.3	1,307	1,369	4.7	0.2
Norway	293	368	25.6	0.5	1,716	1,903	10.9	0.3
Sweden	312	389	24.7	0.5	3,263	3,993	22.4	0.7
United Kingdom	5,415	5,923	9.4	7.3	45,255	46,741	3.3	7.7
Other Northern Europe	0	3	100.0	0.0	48	75	56.3	0.0
<b>SOUTHERN EUROPE</b>	<b>3,781</b>	<b>4,168</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>43,084</b>	<b>47,576</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>7.8</b>
Greece	97	77	-20.6	0.1	830	754	-9.2	0.1
Italy	1,793	2,017	12.5	2.5	32,921	35,854	8.9	5.9
Portugal	408	446	9.3	0.5	2,096	2,178	3.9	0.4
Slovenia	60	86	43.3	0.1	674	818	21.4	0.1
Spain	1,232	1,314	6.7	1.6	4,907	5,880	19.8	1.0
Other Southern Europe	191	228	19.4	0.3	1,656	2,092	26.3	0.3
<b>WESTERN EUROPE</b>	<b>8,617</b>	<b>7,557</b>	<b>-12.3</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>114,540</b>	<b>112,123</b>	<b>-2.1</b>	<b>18.4</b>
Austria	478	490	2.5	0.6	10,124	10,364	2.4	1.7
Belgium	203	160	-21.2	0.2	2,616	2,601	-0.6	0.4
France	1,203	749	-37.7	0.9	31,970	26,193	-18.1	4.3
Germany	5,416	4,927	-9.0	6.0	48,604	51,861	6.7	8.5
Netherlands / Holland	496	516	4.0	0.6	3,417	3,545	3.7	0.6
Switzerland	796	695	-12.7	0.9	17,332	17,178	-0.9	2.8
Other Western Europe	25	20	-20.0	0.0	477	381	-20.1	0.1
<b>EAST MEDITERRANEAN EUROPE</b>	<b>1,229</b>	<b>953</b>	<b>-22.5</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>6,466</b>	<b>6,350</b>	<b>-1.8</b>	<b>1.0</b>
Israel	254	177	-30.3	0.2	1,932	1,220	-36.9	0.2
Turkey	945	748	-20.8	0.9	4,415	4,992	13.1	0.8
Other East Mediterranean Europe	30	28	-6.7	0.0	119	138	16.0	0.0
<b>ASIA &amp; THE PACIFIC</b>	<b>49,766</b>	<b>51,118</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>62.7</b>	<b>279,614</b>	<b>289,263</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>47.5</b>
<b>NORTH EAST ASIA</b>	<b>35,992</b>	<b>37,780</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>46.4</b>	<b>208,922</b>	<b>214,902</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>35.3</b>
China	30,000	31,965	6.6	39.2	171,249	178,114	4.0	29.2
Japan	2,267	2,228	-1.7	2.7	17,075	16,483	-3.5	2.7
Korea	3,142	2,734	-13.0	3.4	17,158	15,749	-8.2	2.6
Taiwan	580	850	46.6	1.0	3,400	4,507	32.6	0.7
Other North East Asia	3	3	0.0	0.0	40	49	22.5	0.0
<b>SOUTH EAST ASIA</b>	<b>6,132</b>	<b>5,330</b>	<b>-13.1</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>28,163</b>	<b>27,689</b>	<b>-1.7</b>	<b>4.5</b>
Indonesia	339	216	-36.3	0.3	1,570	1,370	-12.7	0.2
Malaysia	1,312	1,136	-13.4	1.4	7,021	5,912	-15.8	1.0
Philippines	438	613	40.0	0.8	2,605	3,361	29.0	0.6
Singapore	2,755	1,986	-27.9	2.4	9,106	7,791	-14.4	1.3
Thailand	1,018	1,085	6.6	1.3	6,326	7,333	15.9	1.2
Other South East Asia	270	294	8.9	0.4	1,535	1,922	25.2	0.3
<b>SOUTH ASIA</b>	<b>5,814</b>	<b>5,991</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>32,360</b>	<b>35,961</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>5.9</b>
Bangladesh	154	153	-0.6	0.2	741	1,328	79.2	0.2
India	3,847	4,390	14.1	5.4	22,183	25,338	14.2	4.2
Pakistan	406	329	-19.0	0.4	1,429	1,649	15.4	0.3
Sri Lanka	1,289	987	-23.4	1.2	6,769	5,981	-11.6	1.0
Other South Asia	118	132	11.9	0.2	1,238	1,665	34.5	0.3
<b>OCEANIA</b>	<b>1,828</b>	<b>2,017</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>10,169</b>	<b>10,711</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>
Australia	1,704	1,839	7.9	2.3	9,258	9,741	5.2	1.6
New Zealand	123	173	40.7	0.2	900	936	4.0	0.2
Other Oceania	1	5	400.0	0.0	11	34	209.1	0.0
<b>AFRICA</b>	<b>712</b>	<b>754</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>3,788</b>	<b>4,144</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>0.7</b>
South Africa	373	512	37.3	0.6	1,805	1,936	7.3	0.3
Other Africa	339	242	-28.6	0.3	1,983	2,208	11.3	0.4
<b>AMERICAS</b>	<b>2,788</b>	<b>3,004</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>20,257</b>	<b>23,212</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>3.8</b>
Brazil	202	349	72.8	0.4	2,159	2,644	22.5	0.4
Canada	488	413	-15.4	0.5	3,820	3,965	3.8	0.7
U.S.A.	1,846	1,938	5.0	2.4	12,329	14,289	15.9	2.3
Other Americas	252	304	20.6	0.4	1,949	2,314	18.7	0.4
<b>MIDDLE EAST</b>	<b>3,776</b>	<b>2,341</b>	<b>-38.0</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>17,786</b>	<b>19,004</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>3.1</b>
Egypt *	165	112	-32.1	0.1	816	1,091	33.7	0.2
Kuwait	399	199	-50.1	0.2	2,937	2,444	-16.8	0.4
Lebanon	180	129	-28.3	0.2	919	938	2.1	0.2
Qatar *	359	229	-36.2	0.3	1,578	1,579	0.1	0.3
Saudi Arabia	1,412	908	-35.7	1.1	6,240	7,097	13.7	1.2
United Arab Emirates	792	420	-47.0	0.5	3,114	3,403	9.3	0.6
Other Middle East	469	344	-26.7	0.4	2,182	2,452	12.4	0.4
<b>UN Passport Holders</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>-26.7</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>-19.7</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>OTHERS / NOT STATED</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-33.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>TOTAL TOURIST ARRIVALS</b>	<b>83,347</b>	<b>81,506</b>	<b>-2.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>601,513</b>	<b>609,105</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: Ministry of Tourism (MoT)

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Note: \* New markets