Table 10.11 : MONTHLY DISTRIBUTION OF TOURIST ARRIVALS BY NATIONALITY, 2020

Country of Nationality	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Total	**555,494**	**173,347**	**149,785**	**59,630**	**13**	**41**	**1**	**1,752**	**7,636**	**9,605**	**21,515**	**35,757**	**96,412**
Europe	**348,349**	**94,725**	**102,348**	**42,015**	**-**	**37**	**1**	**1,044**	**3,828**	**5,519**	**14,823**	**20,522**	**63,487**
Central/Eastern Europe	120,383	28,280	23,141	12,233	-	23	-	240	1,197	2,929	8,581	12,697	31,062
Northern Europe	67,822	15,264	21,059	8,978	-	-	1	307	795	728	2,216	2,469	16,005
Southern Europe	63,150	24,902	24,809	5,700	-	1	-	153	939	786	1,219	1,209	3,432
Western Europe	91,696	24,416	32,016	14,672	-	13	-	298	771	831	2,490	3,907	12,282
East/Mediterranean Europe	5,298	1,863	1,323	432	-	-	-	46	126	245	317	240	706
Asia	**134,279**	**58,762**	**31,785**	**10,953**	**12**	**4**	**-**	**122**	**545**	**712**	**2,127**	**8,558**	**20,699**
North East Asia	51,319	38,543	9,652	2,383	-	-	-	27	56	63	90	133	372
South East Asia	12,746	4,198	4,901	2,482	-	-	-	33	117	74	150	260	531
South Asia	70,214	16,021	17,232	6,088	12	4	-	62	372	575	1,887	8,165	19,796
Oceania	**7,964**	**2,926**	**2,260**	**1,468**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**29**	**62**	**66**	**189**	**236**	**728**
Africa	**6,458**	**1,536**	**1,118**	**658**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**55**	**163**	**159**	**270**	**503**	**1,996**
America	**32,060**	**8,078**	**7,460**	**3,183**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**255**	**970**	**1,519**	**2,276**	**3,390**	**4,929**
Middle East	**26,286**	**7,297**	**4,793**	**1,346**	**1**	**-**	**-**	**247**	**2,066**	**1,627**	**1,822**	**2,530**	**4,557**
UN Passport Holders	**21**	**11**	**5**	**3**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**1**	**1**	**-**
Others/Not Stated	**77**	**12**	**16**	**4**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**2**	**3**	**7**	**17**	**16**

Source: Ministry of Tourism
Maldives Immigration

Note: Maldives border was closed for international visitirs on 27th March 2020 due to global COVID-19 outbreak and was re-opened on 15th July 2020
Due to COVIC-19 pandamic, some tourists were unable to travel back to their home country.

Figure 10.17: Monthly tourist arrivals by European Market, 2020

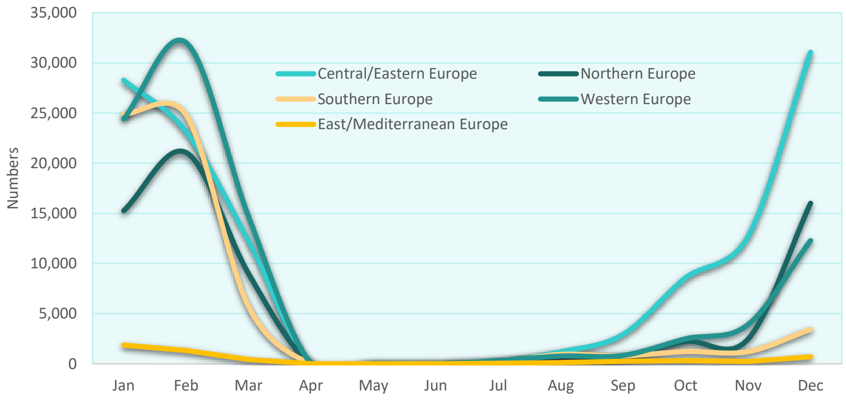
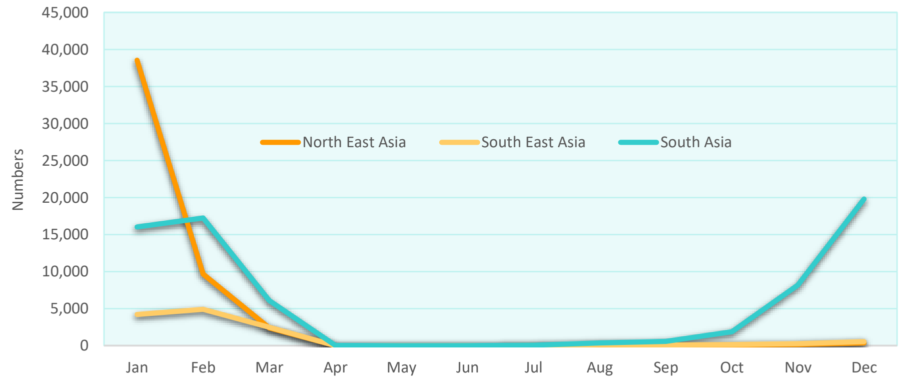
Figure 10.18: Monthly tourist arrivals by Asian Market, 2020