Table 10.9: TOURIST ARRIVALS,AND TOURIST BED-NIGHTS BY MONTH, 2017 - 2022

Month	Tourist Bed-nights*						Tourist Arrivals						% change same month of previous year		% change from previous month	
													Tourist Bed-nights*	Tourist Arrivals	Tourist Bed-nights*	Tourist Arrivals
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2021 - 2022		2022	
Total	**8,593,284**	**9,478,094**	**10,688,387**	**3,984,712**	**10,073,404**	**12,260,108**	**1,389,542**	**1,484,274**	**1,702,887**	**555,494**	**1,321,937**	**1,675,303**	21.7	26.7	_	_
January	800,126	941,497	998,457	1,142,718	835,150	1,150,713	125,336	142,351	151,552	173,347	92,103	131,765	37.8	43.1	-1.8	-19.8
February	772,413	925,585	1,019,637	1,020,310	762,506	1,100,759	121,052	144,286	168,583	149,785	96,882	149,011	44.4	53.8	-4.3	13.1
March	750,432	873,729	1,006,770	562,302	870,255	1,137,972	112,665	133,466	162,843	59,630	109,585	150,748	30.8	37.6	3.4	1.2
April	742,498	796,840	981,769	8,844	745,954	1,074,532	119,774	119,713	163,114	13	91,200	145,282	44.0	59.3	-5.6	-3.6
May	601,496	641,544	717,992	4,777	600,186	860,191	93,491	92,913	103,022	41	64,613	125,528	43.3	94.3	-19.9	-13.6
June	480,890	544,550	714,607	2,326	466,725	780,786	85,222	93,786	113,475	1	56,166	110,885	67.3	97.4	-9.2	-11.7
July	688,021	743,514	776,708	24,673	768,789	993,898	113,175	122,332	132,144	1,752	101,818	133,561	29.3	31.2	27.3	20.5
August	746,618	822,923	910,643	71,371	1,013,740	1,061,929	121,310	123,992	139,338	7,636	143,599	131,863	4.8	-8.2	6.8	-1.3
September	604,175	648,411	708,842	75,368	740,309	807,036	105,984	107,620	117,619	9,605	114,896	111,986	9.0	-2.5	-24.0	-15.1
October	793,474	820,687	916,411	169,709	1,021,099	1,078,513	127,986	127,393	141,928	21,515	142,066	153,737	5.6	8.2	33.6	37.3
November	750,052	809,164	887,046	279,030	1,076,875	1,063,274	120,506	125,604	137,921	35,757	144,725	146,886	-1.3	1.5	-1.4	-4.5
December	863,088	909,651	1,049,504	623,284	1,171,815	1,150,505	143,041	150,818	171,348	96,412	164,284	184,051	-1.8	12.0	8.2	25.3

*Note: * Tourist Bed night figures include resorts/hotels/safaris & guesthouses*

Source: Ministry of Tourism

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.

(*) - Indicates if the percentage change is greater than 100.