

2023 - 2019 : 10-1 : **Table 10.1 : FLOW OF TOURISTS BY NATIONALITY, 2019 - 2023**

Country of Nationality	عدد السياح					النسبة المئوية					التغير عن العام السابق					ملاحظات
	No. of Tourists					Percentage Share					% change over previous year					
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	
Total	1,702,887	555,494	1,321,937	1,675,303	1,878,543	100	100	100	100	100	14.7	-67.4	(*)	26.7	12.1	
Europe	833,939	348,349	772,460	1,022,725	1,054,709	49.0	62.7	58.4	61.0	56.1	14.8	-58.2	(*)	32.4	3.1	
Austria	21,839	8,103	17,128	25,056	24,930	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.5	1.3	7.1	-62.9	(*)	46.3	-0.5	
Belgium	7,305	2,921	4,844	6,745	6,881	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	12.5	-60.0	65.8	39.2	2.0	
Czech Republic	13,423	7,282	18,692	17,308	21,729	0.8	1.3	1.4	1.0	1.2	1.5	-45.7	(*)	-7.4	25.5	
Denmark	10,621	3,938	6,106	13,344	10,010	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.8	0.5	-4.6	-62.9	55.1	(*)	-25.0	
Finland	5,315	2,128	1,724	3,126	3,632	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.2	-6.5	-60.0	-19.0	81.3	16.2	
France	59,738	28,031	30,068	48,341	49,201	3.5	5.0	2.3	2.9	2.6	18.3	-53.1	7.3	60.8	1.8	
Germany	131,561	36,435	95,358	133,432	135,091	7.7	6.6	7.2	8.0	7.2	11.9	-72.3	(*)	39.9	1.2	
Greece	2,805	871	2,454	3,406	3,936	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	17.0	-68.9	(*)	38.8	15.6	
Hungary	10,025	5,813	12,582	15,224	15,575	0.6	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.8	28.8	-42.0	(*)	21.0	2.3	
Ireland	4,287	1,688	2,931	6,691	5,743	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3	1.2	-60.6	73.6	(*)	-14.2	
Israel	10,424	1,782	12,175	15,748	10,966	0.6	0.3	0.9	0.9	0.6	34.5	-82.9	(*)	29.3	-30.4	
Italy	136,343	46,690	27,309	97,627	118,525	8.0	8.4	2.1	5.8	6.3	29.5	-65.8	-41.5	(*)	21.4	
Netherlands	12,261	3,258	5,100	10,452	12,977	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.7	-11.4	-73.4	56.5	(*)	24.2	
Norway	5,641	1,624	1,549	5,336	4,330	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.2	1.0	-71.2	-4.6	(*)	-18.9	
Poland	20,961	7,108	23,596	23,590	28,394	1.2	1.3	1.8	1.4	1.5	74.3	-66.1	(*)	0.0	20.4	
Portugal	11,428	3,206	15,743	13,377	11,950	0.7	0.6	1.2	0.8	0.6	37.0	-71.9	(*)	-15.0	-10.7	
Russia	83,369	61,387	222,422	201,954	209,146	4.9	11.1	16.8	12.1	11.1	17.5	-26.4	(*)	-9.2	3.6	
Slovakia	6,910	4,498	7,637	9,170	10,651	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.6	5.0	-34.9	69.8	20.1	16.2	
Slovenia	3,693	1,561	2,922	4,373	5,822	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	16.6	-57.7	87.2	49.7	33.1	
Spain	36,064	6,778	37,354	42,123	40,461	2.1	1.2	2.8	2.5	2.2	13.5	-81.2	(*)	12.8	-3.9	
Sweden	13,245	5,613	7,746	12,141	11,194	0.8	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.6	-11.6	-57.6	38.0	56.7	-7.8	
Switzerland	33,829	12,517	24,951	34,614	37,258	2.0	2.3	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.6	-63.0	99.3	38.7	7.6	
Turkey	9,976	3,164	10,529	10,502	14,016	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.7	-1.5	-68.3	(*)	-0.3	33.5	
Ukraine	13,253	10,343	35,073	12,947	12,051	0.8	1.9	2.7	0.8	0.6	15.9	-22.0	(*)	-63.1	-6.9	
United Kingdom	126,199	52,720	62,777	179,309	155,994	7.4	9.5	4.7	10.7	8.3	10.1	-58.2	19.1	(*)	-13.0	
Other Europe	43,424	28,890	83,690	76,789	94,246	2.6	5.2	6.3	4.6	5.0	15.4	-33.5	(*)	-8.2	22.7	
Asia	661,000	134,279	336,546	396,261	570,376	38.8	24.2	25.5	23.7	30.4	13.8	-79.7	(*)	17.7	43.9	
Bangladesh	3,918	1,108	3,923	16,807	28,336	0.2	0.2	0.3	1.0	1.5	7.5	-71.7	(*)	(*)	68.6	
China	284,029	34,245	2,238	12,764	187,125	16.7	6.2	0.2	0.8	10.0	0.3	-87.9	-93.5	(*)	(*)	
India	166,030	62,960	291,787	241,382	209,193	9.7	11.3	22.1	14.4	11.1	83.5	-62.1	(*)	-17.3	-13.3	
Indonesia	4,646	857	953	1,958	2,783	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	-21.1	-81.6	11.2	(*)	42.1	
Japan	44,251	8,479	937	8,543	23,041	2.6	1.5	0.1	0.5	1.2	4.6	-80.8	-88.9	(*)	(*)	
Korea	37,073	5,895	6,849	35,948	36,324	2.2	1.1	0.5	2.1	1.9	7.8	-84.1	16.2	(*)	1.0	
Malaysia	21,605	2,946	703	8,479	13,551	1.3	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.7	-2.7	-86.4	-76.1	(*)	59.8	
Pakistan	6,095	2,882	13,764	9,736	7,248	0.4	0.5	1.0	0.6	0.4	14.1	-52.7	(*)	-29.3	-25.6	
Philippines	8,461	1,756	5,474	5,699	7,664	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	-23.3	-79.2	(*)	4.1	34.5	
Singapore	14,990	2,117	1,117	15,939	11,776	0.9	0.4	0.1	1.0	0.6	8.0	-85.9	-47.2	(*)	-26.1	
Sri Lanka	13,623	2,271	2,448	9,831	12,921	0.8	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.7	6.5	-83.3	7.8	(*)	31.4	
Taiwan	14,972	2,628	186	2,259	NA	0.9	0.5	0.0	0.1	NA	20.4	-82.4	NA	(*)	(*)	
Thailand	29,211	3,468	839	15,988	17,998	1.7	0.6	0.1	1.0	1.0	-9.9	-88.1	-75.8	(*)	12.6	
Other Asia	12,096	2,667	5,328	10,928	12,416	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.7	10.1	-78.0	99.8	(*)	13.6	
Africa	18,695	6,458	27,442	27,951	24,222	1.1	1.2	2.1	1.7	1.3	21.8	-65.5	(*)	1.9	-13.3	
South Africa	9,545	2,685	16,347	14,840	10,078	0.6	0.5	1.2	0.9	0.5	23.1	-71.9	(*)	-9.2	-32.1	
Other Africa	9,150	3,773	11,095	13,111	14,144	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	20.3	-58.8	(*)	18.2	7.9	
Americas	84,794	32,060	88,879	121,140	111,483	5.0	5.8	6.7	7.2	5.9	23.3	-62.2	(*)	36.3	-8.0	
Brazil	9,868	5,497	20,512	18,637	13,709	0.6	1.0	1.6	1.1	0.7	28.1	-44.3	(*)	-9.1	-26.4	
Canada	11,473	3,872	6,943	11,397	12,729	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.7	20.3	-66.3	79.3	64.2	11.7	
U.S.A	54,474	19,759	55,760	80,697	74,838	3.2	3.6	4.2	4.8	4.0	27.0	-63.7	(*)	44.7	-7.3	
Other Americas	8,979	2,932	5,664	10,409	10,207	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.5	4.2	-67.3	93.2	83.8	-1.9	
Oceania	44,140	7,964	4,880	27,094	36,966	2.6	1.4	0.4	1.6	2.0	9.0	-82.0	-38.7	(*)	36.4	
Australia	39,928	7,220	4,077	25,049	33,684	2.3	1.3	0.3	1.5	1.8	7.2	-81.9	-43.5	(*)	34.5	
New Zealand	4,082	719	685	1,888	2,912	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	27.6	-82.4	-4.7	(*)	54.2	
Other Oceania	130	25	118	157	370	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	132.1	-80.8	(*)	33.1	(*)	
Middle East	60,003	26,288	91,413	79,963	80,671	3.5	4.7	6.9	4.8	4.3	15.1	-56.2	(*)	-12.5	0.9	
Kuwait	5,420	2,816	4,731	7,934	8,647	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	18.9	-48.0	68.0	67.7	9.0	
Lebanon	1,940	1,049	3,632	2,701	2,998	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	2.2	-45.9	(*)	-25.6	11.0	
Saudi Arabia	25,865	7,578	40,014	32,384	29,963	1.5	1.4	3.0	1.9	1.6	9.9	-70.7	(*)	-19.1	-7.5	
United Arab Emirates	10,493	7,368	14,095	11,456	14,043	0.6	1.3	1.1	0.7	0.7	16.4	-29.8	91.3	-18.7	22.6	
Other Middle East	16,285	7,477	28,941	25,488	25,020	1.0	1.3	2.2	1.5	1.3	24.3	-54.1	(*)	-11.9	-1.8	
UN Passport Holders	138	33	27	27	23	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-14.8	
Not Stated	178	63	290	142	93	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-51.0	-34.5	

Source: Ministry of Tourism

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Note: Maldives border was closed for international visitors on 27th March 2020 due to global COVID-19 outbreak and was re-opened on 15th July 2020
 Due to COVID-19 pandemic, some tourists were unable to travel back to their home country.
 (*) - Indicates if the percentage change is greater than 100.

