TABLE B - AUGUST 2017

TOURIST ARRIVALS ALIGNED TO STATSSA TOURISM & MIGRATION REPORTS

A tourist is an overnight visitor taking a trip to a main destination outside his/her usual environment, for less than a year, for any main purpose (business, leisure or other personal purpose) other than to be employed by a resident entity in the country or place visited

JAN TO AUG 2017 COMPARED WITH JAN TO AUG 2016

COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE	AUG 2016	AUG 2017	DIFFERENCE	%	JANUARY TO AUGUST 2016	JANUARY TO AUGUST 2017	DIFFERENCE	%
EUROPE:								
Austria	1 734	2 050	316	18.2%	15 661	17 749	2 088	13.3%
Belgium	4 095	4 345	250	6.1%	29 660	33 357	3 697	12.5%
Denmark	1 121	1 058	-63	-5.6%	17 313	18 450	1 137	6.6%
Finland	414	322	-92	-22.2%	5 346	5 776	430	8.0%
France	12 693	15 630	2 937	23.1%	93 061	121 124	28 063	30.2%
Germany	18 792	20 193	1 401	7.5%	174 163	198 521	24 358	14.0%
Ireland	1 970	2 087	117	5.9%	18 937	19 640	703	3.7%
Italy	11 198	11 410	212	1.9%	40 079	40 266	187	0.5%
The Netherlands	14 669	15 741	1 072	7.3%	88 465	98 730	10 265	11.6%
Norway	725	609	-116	-16.0%	12 132	12 123	-9	-0.1%
Poland	955	900	-55	-5.8%	7 931	8 895	964	12.2%
Portugal	3 420	3 155	-265	-7.7%	27 176	25 598	-1 578	-5.8%
Russian Federation	699	1 065	366	52.4%	4 788	6 783	1 995	41.7%
Spain	6 117	6 177	60	1.0%	22 510	25 718	3 208	14.3%
Sweden	1 186	1 098	-88	-7.4%	23 546	27 094	3 548	15.1%
Switzerland	2 391	2 324	-67	-2.8%	30 001	33 155	3 154	10.5%
Turkey	1 080	1 409	329	30.5%	10 423	9 688	-735	-7.1%
UK	31 351	30 483	-868	-2.8%	285 230	289 522	4 292	1.5%
Other	2 559	2 560	1	0.0%	19 655	21 746	2 091	10.6%
EUROPE*	**117 918**	**123 379**	**5 461**	**4.6%**	**932 381**	**1 020 597**	**88 216**	**9.5%**
NORTH AMERICA:								
Canada	3 951	4 373	422	10.7%	38 166	40 876	2 710	7.1%
USA	29 474	32 899	3 425	11.6%	229 327	248 579	19 252	8.4%
NORTH AMERICA	**33 425**	**37 272**	**3 847**	**11.5%**	**267 493**	**289 455**	**21 962**	**8.2%**
CENTRAL & SOUTH AMERICA:								
Argentina	541	724	183	33.8%	5 925	10 911	4 986	84.2%
Brazil	2 525	4 290	1 765	69.9%	20 049	42 750	22 701	113.2%
Chile	244	347	103	42.2%	1 960	4 258	2 298	117.2%
Mexico	276	389	113	40.9%	2 531	3 137	606	23.9%
Venezuela	84	86	2	2.4%	656	659	3	0.5%
Other	850	1 098	248	29.2%	6 799	8 548	1 749	25.7%
CENTRAL & SOUTH AMERICA*	**4 520**	**6 934**	**2 414**	**53.4%**	**37 920**	**70 263**	**32 343**	**85.3%**
AUSTRALASIA:								
Australia	9 518	10 754	1 236	13.0%	67 963	73 859	5 896	8.7%
New Zealand	1 836	1 424	-412	-22.4%	13 681	10 507	-3 174	-23.2%
Other	13	59	46	353.8%	131	249	118	90.1%
AUSTRALASIA*	**11 367**	**12 237**	**870**	**7.7%**	**81 775**	**84 615**	**2 840**	**3.5%**
ASIA:								
China (including Hong Kong)	11 933	8 279	-3 654	-30.6%	78 969	64 715	-14 254	-18.1%
India	7 299	7 325	26	0.4%	66 175	66 482	307	0.5%
Indonesia	202	208	6	3.0%	1 963	2 174	211	10.7%
Japan	2 471	2 842	371	15.0%	16 364	17 317	953	5.8%
South Korea	2 113	2 018	-95	-4.5%	12 648	15 055	2 407	19.0%
Malaysia	807	908	101	12.5%	5 238	5 829	591	11.3%
Philippines	646	682	36	5.6%	4 229	4 881	652	15.4%
Singapore	596	817	221	37.1%	5 227	7 241	2 014	38.5%
Taiwan	456	479	23	5.0%	4 309	4 097	-212	-4.9%
Thailand	786	681	-105	-13.4%	4 618	4 535	-83	-1.8%
Other	2 433	2 189	-244	-10.0%	19 308	19 129	-179	-0.9%
ASIA*	**29 742**	**26 428**	**-3 314**	**-11.1%**	**219 048**	**211 455**	**-7 593**	**-3.5%**
AFRICA LAND:								
Botswana	47 875	51 541	3 666	7.7%	422 227	408 608	-13 619	-3.2%
Lesotho	137 465	121 114	-16 351	-11.9%	1 214 429	1 203 241	-11 188	-0.9%
Malawi	14 410	17 395	2 985	20.7%	96 614	112 313	15 699	16.2%
Mozambique	98 537	116 232	17 695	18.0%	877 545	894 107	16 562	1.9%
Namibia	17 334	17 417	83	0.5%	137 401	132 729	-4 672	-3.4%
Swaziland	80 598	79 104	-1 494	-1.9%	594 161	571 766	-22 395	-3.8%
Zambia	14 317	15 464	1 147	8.0%	113 646	112 740	-906	-0.8%
Zimbabwe	188 750	192 180	3 430	1.8%	1 370 969	1 365 027	-5 942	-0.4%
TOTAL AFRICA LAND	**599 286**	**610 447**	**11 161**	**1.9%**	**4 826 992**	**4 800 531**	**-26 461**	**-0.5%**
AFRICA AIR:								
Angola	3 733	3 816	83	2.2%	28 361	31 503	3 142	11.1%
DRC	3 567	3 458	-109	-3.1%	19 660	19 061	-599	-3.0%
Egypt	677	565	-112	-16.5%	5 733	5 633	-100	-1.7%
Ethiopia	819	690	-129	-15.8%	5 390	5 591	201	3.7%
Ghana	1 462	1 515	53	3.6%	10 660	11 263	603	5.7%
Kenya	2 276	2 327	51	2.2%	17 995	18 961	966	5.4%
Morocco	115	126	11	9.6%	1 069	1 070	1	0.1%
Nigeria	6 494	4 477	-2 017	-31.1%	45 436	34 056	-11 380	-25.0%
Senegal	188	214	26	13.8%	1 587	1 669	82	5.2%
Tanzania	3 037	2 995	-42	-1.4%	24 722	23 763	-959	-3.9%
Uganda	980	1 039	59	6.0%	8 495	8 878	383	4.5%
Other Africa	4 676	4 257	-419	-9.0%	29 036	27 957	-1 079	-3.7%
INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS:								
Mauritius	1 418	1 590	172	12.1%	12 645	12 235	-410	-3.2%
Reunion	-	-	0	N/A	58	48	-10	-17.2%
Seychelles	620	484	-136	-21.9%	5 455	5 447	-8	-0.1%
TOTAL INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS	**2 038**	**2 074**	**36**	**1.8%**	**18 158**	**17 730**	**-428**	**-2.4%**
AFRICA AIR	**30 062**	**27 553**	**-2 509**	**-8.3%**	**216 302**	**207 135**	**-9 167**	**-4.2%**
MIDDLE EAST:								
Israel	2 435	2 633	198	8.1%	15 113	16 429	1 316	8.7%
Saudi Arabia	2 286	2 478	192	8.4%	8 662	9 167	505	5.8%
United Arab Emirates	369	544	175	47.4%	1 908	2 245	337	17.7%
Other	1 359	1 389	30	2.2%	10 170	11 629	1 459	14.3%
MIDDLE EAST*	**6 449**	**7 044**	**595**	**9.2%**	**35 853**	**39 470**	**3 617**	**10.1%**
Unspecified	869	1 045	176	20.3%	7 377	7 885	508	6.9%
GRAND TOTAL	**833 638**	**852 339**	**18 701**	**2.2%**	**6 625 141**	**6 731 406**	**106 265**	**1.6%**
OVERSEAS TOTAL	**203 421**	**213 294**	**9 873**	**4.9%**	**1 574 470**	**1 715 855**	**141 385**	**9.0%**
AFRICA TOTAL	**629 348**	**638 000**	**8 652**	**1.4%**	**5 043 294**	**5 007 666**	**-35 628**	**-0.7%**

NOTES:
OVERSEAS TOTAL IS CALCULATED BY SUBTRACTING TOTAL MAINLAND AFRICA, INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS AND UNSPECIFIED FROM THE GRAND TOTAL
AFRICA AIR TOTAL EXCLUDES INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS AND MIDDLE EAST
* = TABLE B REGIONS HAVE BEEN ALIGNED TO STATSSA TOURISM AND MIGRATION REPORT REGIONS FROM APRIL 2017. (E.G. TURKEY & CYPRUS ARE NOW ANALYSED AS EUROPE AS PER STATSSA & UNWTO)
NB: REGIONS PUBLISHED IN PREVIOUS TABLE B REPORTS WILL NOT MATCH THESE FIGURES AS SUCH THIS TABLE IS THE BEGINNING OF A NEW SERIES.

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