

TABLE B - OCTOBER 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 OCT 2017 COMPARED WITH JAN TO OCT 2016

COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE	OCT 2016	OCT 2017	DIFFERENCE	%	JANUARY TO OCTOBER 2016	JANUARY TO OCTOBER 2017	DIFFERENCE	%
EUROPE:								
Austria	3 276	3 085	-191	-5,8%	20 877	22 582	1 705	8,2%
Belgium	5 871	5 755	-116	-2,0%	39 103	43 267	4 164	10,6%
Denmark	3 223	3 232	9	0,3%	22 235	23 497	1 262	5,7%
Finland	791	929	138	17,4%	6 642	7 180	538	8,1%
France	19 009	25 221	6 212	32,7%	120 743	159 447	38 704	32,1%
Germany	40 492	46 290	5 798	14,3%	237 740	271 093	33 353	14,0%
Ireland	2 906	2 862	-44	-1,5%	23 868	24 606	738	3,1%
Italy	5 181	5 659	478	9,2%	49 929	50 529	600	1,2%
The Netherlands	16 988	17 211	223	1,3%	117 261	128 187	10 926	9,3%
Norway	1 673	1 527	-146	-8,7%	14 821	14 589	-232	-1,6%
Poland	1 232	1 148	-84	-6,8%	10 311	10 900	589	5,7%
Portugal	3 255	2 895	-360	-11,1%	33 319	31 354	-1 965	-5,9%
Russian Federation	712	1 250	538	75,6%	6 147	8 955	2 808	45,7%
Spain	3 656	4 144	488	13,3%	29 788	33 800	4 012	13,5%
Sweden	4 883	4 773	-110	-2,3%	29 948	33 624	3 676	12,3%
Switzerland	7 880	7 651	-229	-2,9%	41 648	45 078	3 430	8,2%
Turkey	988	1 120	132	13,4%	13 317	11 855	-1 462	-11,0%
UK	39 696	38 350	-1 346	-3,4%	354 292	356 776	2 484	0,7%
Other	3 180	3 051	-129	-4,1%	25 320	27 253	1 933	7,6%
EUROPE*	165 828	176 969	11 141	6,7%	1 205 334	1 312 714	107 380	8,9%
NORTH AMERICA:								
Canada	5 835	6 949	1 114	19,1%	48 881	53 809	4 928	10,1%
USA	27 583	29 328	1 745	6,3%	286 857	310 458	23 601	8,2%
NORTH AMERICA	33 418	36 277	2 859	8,6%	335 738	364 267	28 529	8,5%
CENTRAL & SOUTH AMERICA:								
Argentina	1 029	1 214	185	18,0%	7 751	13 073	5 322	68,7%
Brazil	4 345	5 976	1 631	37,5%	27 819	54 219	26 400	94,9%
Chile	426	477	51	12,0%	2 706	5 299	2 593	95,8%
Mexico	320	414	94	29,4%	3 114	3 914	800	25,7%
Venezuela	88	98	10	11,4%	833	830	-3	-0,4%
Other	1 041	1 162	121	11,6%	8 852	10 834	1 982	22,4%
CENTRAL & SOUTH AMERICA*	7 249	9 341	2 092	28,9%	51 075	88 169	37 094	72,6%
AUSTRALASIA:								
Australia	8 422	9 060	638	7,6%	88 896	96 215	7 319	8,2%
New Zealand	1 846	1 618	-228	-12,4%	17 847	13 844	-4 003	-22,4%
Other	39	33	-6	-15,4%	199	298	99	49,7%
AUSTRALASIA*	10 307	10 711	404	3,9%	106 942	110 357	3 415	3,2%
ASIA:								
China (including Hong Kong)	9 663	9 088	-575	-6,0%	98 814	82 966	-15 848	-16,0%
India	7 527	8 306	779	10,3%	81 429	82 464	1 035	1,3%
Indonesia	262	280	18	6,9%	2 437	2 600	163	6,7%
Japan	3 305	3 891	586	17,7%	22 123	23 597	1 474	6,7%
South Korea	1 241	1 930	689	55,5%	15 502	18 676	3 174	20,5%
Malaysia	873	622	-251	-28,8%	7 139	7 583	444	6,2%
Philippines	708	616	-92	-13,0%	5 783	6 044	261	4,5%
Singapore	615	682	67	10,9%	6 580	8 756	2 176	33,1%
Taiwan	893	650	-243	-27,2%	5 963	5 407	-556	-9,3%
Thailand	789	829	40	5,1%	6 010	5 957	-53	-0,9%
Other	2 926	2 619	-307	-10,5%	24 598	24 001	-597	-2,4%
ASIA*	28 802	29 513	711	2,5%	276 378	268 051	-8 327	-3,0%
AFRICA LAND:								
Botswana	50 515	54 029	3 514	7,0%	538 182	533 563	-4 619	-0,9%
Lesotho	146 591	144 151	-2 440	-1,7%	1 498 952	1 484 030	-14 922	-1,0%
Malawi	14 829	16 415	1 586	10,7%	125 900	144 601	18 701	14,9%
Mozambique	97 978	109 904	11 926	12,2%	1 069 730	1 114 087	44 357	4,1%
Namibia	17 498	17 799	301	1,7%	171 535	166 786	-4 749	-2,8%
Swaziland	76 511	73 529	-2 982	-3,9%	746 046	722 536	-23 510	-3,2%
Zambia	14 585	14 558	-27	-0,2%	142 865	141 961	-904	-0,6%
Zimbabwe	151 981	155 949	3 968	2,6%	1 675 214	1 676 751	1 537	0,1%
TOTAL AFRICA LAND	570 488	586 334	15 846	2,8%	5 968 424	5 984 315	15 891	0,3%
AFRICA AIR:								
Angola	3 413	3 407	-6	-0,2%	35 005	38 339	3 334	9,5%
DRC	2 000	2 104	104	5,2%	23 802	23 424	-378	-1,6%
Egypt	782	731	-51	-6,5%	7 284	6 944	-340	-4,7%
Ethiopia	763	807	44	5,8%	7 011	7 247	236	3,4%
Ghana	1 697	1 576	-121	-7,1%	13 922	14 437	515	3,7%
Kenya	2 670	2 105	-565	-21,2%	23 150	23 628	478	2,1%
Morocco	186	142	-44	-23,7%	1 369	1 390	21	1,5%
Nigeria	5 553	4 240	-1 313	-23,6%	55 662	42 551	-13 111	-23,6%
Senegal	253	300	47	18,6%	2 020	2 157	137	6,8%
Tanzania	3 552	2 971	-581	-16,4%	31 174	29 657	-1 517	-4,9%
Uganda	1 382	1 240	-142	-10,3%	11 110	11 439	329	3,0%
Other Africa	3 774	3 444	-330	-8,7%	36 407	35 120	-1 287	-3,5%
INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS:								
Mauritius	1 584	1 804	220	13,9%	15 466	15 361	-105	-0,7%
Reunion	10	15	5	50,0%	68	65	-3	-4,4%
Seychelles	1 073	615	-458	-42,7%	7 148	6 487	-661	-9,2%
TOTAL INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS	2 667	2 434	-233	-8,7%	22 682	21 913	-769	-3,4%
AFRICA AIR	28 692	25 501	-3 191	-11,1%	270 598	258 246	-12 352	-4,6%
MIDDLE EAST:								
Israel	3 520	2 554	-966	-27,4%	20 867	21 335	468	2,2%
Saudi Arabia	444	542	98	22,1%	10 025	10 257	232	2,3%
United Arab Emirates	123	89	-34	-27,6%	2 223	2 485	262	11,8%
Other	1 046	1 029	-17	-1,6%	12 723	13 965	1 242	9,8%
MIDDLE EAST*	5 133	4 214	-919	-17,9%	45 838	48 042	2 204	4,8%
Unspecified	1 039	1 308	269	25,9%	9 380	10 491	1 111	11,8%
GRAND TOTAL	850 956	880 168	29 212	3,4%	8 269 707	8 444 652	174 945	2,1%
OVERSEAS TOTAL	250 737	267 025	16 288	6,5%	2 021 305	2 191 600	170 295	8,4%
AFRICA TOTAL	599 180	611 835	12 655	2,1%	6 239 022	6 242 561	3 539	0,1%

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.

SOURCE: STATISTICS SA