

TABLE B - SEPTEMBER 2016

TOTAL TOURIST ARRIVALS EXCLUDING TRANSIT TOURISTS

A tourist is an overnight visitor taking a trip to a main destination outside his/her usual environment, for less than 1 year, for any reason (business, leisure or other personal purpose) other than to be employed by a resident entity in the country or place visited. As of 2014, Statistics SA is no longer able to provide statistics on Transit Tourists and therefore a new headline is now created.

JAN TO SEP 2016 COMPARED WITH JAN TO SEP 2015

COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE	SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER	DIFFERENCE	%	JANUARY TO SEPTEMBER		DIFFERENCE	%
	2016	2015			2016	2015		
EUROPE:								
Austria	1 940	1 363	577	42.3%	17 601	14 520	3 081	21.2%
Belgium	3 572	3 256	316	9.7%	33 232	28 667	4 565	15.9%
Denmark	1 699	1 363	336	24.7%	19 012	17 168	1 844	10.7%
Finland	505	523	-18	-3.4%	5 851	5 386	465	8.6%
France	8 673	8 214	459	5.6%	101 734	87 004	14 730	16.9%
Germany	23 085	18 375	4 710	25.6%	197 248	162 714	34 534	21.2%
Greece	542	546	-4	-0.7%	4 406	3 841	565	14.7%
Hungary	243	201	42	20.9%	2 683	2 166	517	23.9%
Ireland	2 025	1 910	115	6.0%	20 962	18 047	2 915	16.2%
Italy	4 669	4 693	-24	-0.5%	44 748	37 888	6 860	18.1%
Netherlands	11 808	9 168	2 640	28.8%	100 273	82 161	18 112	22.0%
Norway	1 016	992	24	2.4%	13 148	12 142	1 006	8.3%
Poland	1 148	862	286	33.2%	9 079	8 868	211	2.4%
Portugal	2 888	2 950	-62	-2.1%	30 064	28 630	1 434	5.0%
Russian Fed	647	515	132	25.6%	5 435	4 756	679	14.3%
Spain	3 622	2 764	858	31.0%	26 132	20 253	5 879	29.0%
Sweden	1 519	1 525	-6	-0.4%	25 065	21 442	3 623	16.9%
Switzerland	3 767	3 476	291	8.4%	33 768	30 023	3 745	12.5%
UK	29 366	26 438	2 928	11.1%	314 596	282 301	32 295	11.4%
Other	2 301	2 009	292	14.5%	20 704	17 239	3 465	20.1%
EUROPE	105 035	91 143	13 892	15.2%	1 025 741	885 216	140 525	15.9%
NORTH AMERICA:								
Canada	4 880	4 220	660	15.6%	43 046	37 783	5 263	13.9%
USA	29 947	25 191	4 756	18.9%	259 274	218 585	40 689	18.6%
Other	-	-	0	0.0%	-	-	0	-
NORTH AMERICA	34 827	29 411	5 416	18.4%	302 320	256 368	45 952	17.9%
CENTRAL & SOUTH AMERICA:								
Argentina	797	488	309	63.3%	6 722	4 011	2 711	67.6%
Brazil	3 425	2 519	906	36.0%	23 474	21 307	2 167	10.2%
Chile	320	209	111	53.1%	2 280	1 678	602	35.9%
Mexico	263	596	-333	-55.9%	2 794	2 514	280	11.1%
Venezuela	89	125	-36	-28.8%	745	742	3	0.4%
Other	1 012	860	152	17.7%	7 811	6 402	1 409	22.0%
CENTRAL & SOUTH AMERICA	5 906	4 797	1 109	23.1%	43 826	36 654	7 172	19.6%
AUSTRALASIA:								
Australia	12 511	10 086	2 425	24.0%	80 474	71 414	9 060	12.7%
New Zealand	2 320	1 736	584	33.6%	16 001	13 438	2 563	19.1%
Other	31	12	19	158.3%	208	185	23	12.4%
AUSTRALASIA	14 862	11 834	3 028	25.6%	96 683	85 037	11 646	13.7%
ASIA:								
China (including Hong Kong)	10 182	8 276	1 906	23.0%	89 151	56 412	32 739	58.0%
India	7 727	6 274	1 453	23.2%	73 902	58 373	15 529	26.6%
Indonesia	212	249	-37	-14.9%	2 175	1 464	711	48.6%
Japan	2 454	1 891	563	29.8%	18 818	14 090	4 728	33.6%
Rep of Korea	1 613	1 292	321	24.8%	14 261	9 939	4 322	43.5%
Malaysia	1 028	718	310	43.2%	6 266	4 797	1 469	30.6%
Philippines	846	470	376	80.0%	5 075	3 856	1 219	31.6%
Singapore	738	607	131	21.6%	5 965	4 183	1 782	42.6%
Rep of China (Taiwan)	761	511	250	48.9%	5 070	3 917	1 153	29.4%
Thailand	603	518	85	16.4%	5 221	3 813	1 408	36.9%
Other	2 377	1 998	379	19.0%	21 772	17 169	4 603	26.8%
ASIA	28 541	22 804	5 737	25.2%	247 676	178 013	69 663	39.1%
AFRICA:								
AFRICA LAND:								
Botswana	65 440	56 983	8 457	14.8%	487 667	413 993	73 674	17.8%
Lesotho	137 932	107 998	29 934	27.7%	1 352 361	1 053 343	299 018	28.4%
Malawi	14 457	12 136	2 321	19.1%	111 071	99 406	11 665	11.7%
Mozambique	94 207	99 730	-5 523	-5.5%	971 752	906 926	64 826	7.1%
Namibia	16 636	16 590	46	0.3%	154 037	151 638	2 399	1.6%
Swaziland	75 374	66 065	9 309	14.1%	669 535	622 756	46 779	7.5%
Zambia	14 634	13 043	1 591	12.2%	128 280	118 870	9 410	7.9%
Zimbabwe	152 264	151 454	810	0.5%	1 523 233	1 403 191	120 042	8.6%
TOTAL AFRICA LAND	570 944	523 999	46 945	9.0%	5 397 936	4 770 123	627 813	13.2%
AFRICA AIR:								
Angola	3 231	3 898	-667	-17.1%	31 592	36 729	-5 137	-14.0%
Dem Rep of Congo	2 142	2 058	84	4.1%	21 802	20 164	1 638	8.1%
Egypt	769	612	157	25.7%	6 502	5 347	1 155	21.6%
Ethiopia	858	613	245	40.0%	6 248	5 239	1 009	19.3%
Ghana	1 565	1 195	370	31.0%	12 225	11 879	346	2.9%
Kenya	2 485	2 469	16	0.6%	20 480	19 560	920	4.7%
Morocco	114	135	-21	-15.6%	1 183	1 055	128	12.1%
Nigeria	4 673	5 427	-754	-13.9%	50 109	44 692	5 417	12.1%
Tanzania	2 900	3 088	-188	-6.1%	27 622	25 951	1 671	6.4%
Uganda	1 233	968	265	27.4%	9 728	8 449	1 279	15.1%
Other	3 777	3 639	138	3.8%	34 400	31 916	2 484	7.8%
AFRICA AIR	23 747	24 102	-355	-1.5%	221 891	210 981	10 910	5.2%
MIDDLE EAST:								
Israel	2 234	2 526	-292	-11.6%	17 347	13 946	3 401	24.4%
Saudi Arabia	919	897	22	2.5%	9 581	5 930	3 651	61.6%
Turkey	1 906	1 281	625	48.8%	12 329	8 972	3 357	37.4%
United Arab Emirates	192	181	11	6.1%	2 100	1 574	526	33.4%
Other	1 676	1 179	497	42.2%	12 965	9 586	3 379	35.2%
MIDDLE EAST	6 927	6 064	863	14.2%	54 322	40 008	14 314	35.8%
INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS:								
Mauritius	1 237	1 113	124	11.1%	13 882	12 556	1 326	10.6%
Reunion	-	2	-2	-100.0%	58	38	20	52.6%
Seychelles	620	409	211	51.6%	6 075	3 824	2 251	58.9%
TOTAL INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS	1 857	1 524	333	21.9%	20 015	16 418	3 597	21.9%
Unspecified	964	1 072	-108	-10.1%	8 341	9 296	-955	-10.3%
GRAND TOTAL	793 610	716 750	76 860	10.7%	7 418 751	6 488 114	930 637	14.3%
OVERSEAS TOTAL	196 098	166 053	30 045	18.1%	1 770 568	1 481 296	289 272	19.5%
AFRICA MAINLAND TOTAL	594 691	548 101	46 590	8.5%	5 619 827	4 981 104	638 723	12.8%

NOTES:

OVERSEAS TOTAL IS CALCULATED BY SUBTRACTING TOTAL MAINLAND AFRICA AND UNSPECIFIED FROM THE GRAND TOTAL

AFRICA AIR TOTAL EXCLUDES INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS AND MIDDLE EAST

SOURCE: STATISTICS SA