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## SUMMARY

### Hotel Statistics (Tables1 - 8)

#### October 2009

1. In October 2009, licensed accommodation establishments sold **93970** bed nights and **49120** room nights. The figure was **1%** more for both beds and rooms compared to the same month of 2008. The percentage occupancy rate in October 2009 was **59%** for beds and **63%** for rooms compared to **60%** for beds and **64%** for rooms in October 2008.
2. The highest bed occupancy rate in October 2009 was for Hotels and Self Catering on Praslin (**63%**). Hotels on Mahe recorded **62%**, Other islands **60%** and La Digue **51%** occupancy. The highest bed occupancy for Guest and Private Houses was on Other Islands (**56%**) and the lowest was on La Digue (**44%**).
3. On average, there were **160** more beds available in **October** 2009 than in the same month of 2008.
4. Of the **93970** bed nights sold in October 2009, visitors occupied **92850**. This indicates that (**63%**) of visitor nights (*calculated as the number of visitor arrivals times average length of stay*) in October 2009 were spent in licensed accommodation establishments.

#### January - October

5. A total of **818740** bed nights and **414610** room nights were sold during this period of 2009 compared to **850620** bed nights and **439150** room nights during the same period in 2008. For the ten months of 2009, visitors occupied **806130** of bed nights sold. This indicates that **62%** of visitor nights were spent in licensed accommodation establishments.
6. The percentage occupancy rates to date have been **54%** for beds and **55%** for rooms, compared to **58%** for beds and **61%** for rooms for the same period of 2008.

**BED AND ROOM OCCUPANCY RATES BY TYPE OF ACCOMMODATION AND LOCATION, 2009**

**Table 1**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
<b><u>BED OCCUPANCY (%)</u></b>	46	51	52	56	52	51	54	57	58	59			
<b>Hotels and Self catering</b>	48	51	54	58	54	53	57	60	60	62			
Mahe	51	52	51	55	49	47	52	57	58	62			
Praslin	48	54	59	63	59	59	63	65	65	63			
La Digue	33	38	47	48	42	45	49	50	49	51			
Other Islands	42	51	52	62	63	59	64	64	62	60			
<b>Guest and Private houses</b>	42	47	49	48	47	45	44	50	50	49			
Mahe	40	45	47	46	46	46	44	50	51	47			
Praslin	42	51	52	49	48	45	46	47	49	52			
La Digue	38	47	49	48	47	44	48	46	49	44			
Other Islands	48	50	48	52	51	47	40	57	54	56			
<b><u>ROOM OCCUPANCY (%)</u></b>	49	53	54	57	54	53	55	56	59	63			
<b>Hotels and Self catering</b>	51	54	55	60	55	54	58	59	62	67			
Mahe	57	58	56	60	54	53	55	56	60	67			
Praslin	47	54	59	61	57	58	62	65	66	71			
La Digue	32	37	46	47	43	44	48	44	48	50			
Other Islands	41	48	51	60	62	56	64	61	63	61			
<b>Guest and Private houses</b>	44	49	50	49	49	46	44	48	50	48			
Mahe	42	47	49	48	47	47	44	48	49	46			
Praslin	43	52	51	50	51	46	42	45	50	52			
La Digue	39	48	51	49	49	45	46	45	48	45			
Other Islands	54	50	50	53	53	48	42	55	55	53			

Source: National Statistics Bureau (Hotel returns).

**BEDS AVAILABLE AND BED-NIGHTS OCCUPIED BY TYPE OF ACCOMMODATION AND LOCATION, 2008 - 2009**

**Table 2**

		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
<b><u>AVE. NO OF BEDS AVAILABLE</u></b>	2008	5120	4920	4980	4890	4480	4230	4710	4980	4910	4980	4950	4880	4840
	<b>2009</b>	<b>4990</b>	<b>4910</b>	<b>4930</b>	<b>5010</b>	<b>4960</b>	<b>4880</b>	<b>5050</b>	<b>5140</b>	<b>5130</b>	<b>5140</b>			
Hotels and self catering	2008	3970	3790	3840	3770	3360	3160	3580	3840	3750	3790	3820	3790	3710
	<b>2009</b>	<b>3820</b>	<b>3790</b>	<b>3790</b>	<b>3850</b>	<b>3840</b>	<b>3810</b>	<b>3890</b>	<b>4040</b>	<b>4030</b>	<b>4050</b>			
Mahe	2008	2050	1810	1830	1820	1590	1530	1820	1840	1830	1840	1830	1840	1800
	<b>2009</b>	<b>1870</b>	<b>1840</b>	<b>1850</b>	<b>1860</b>	<b>1860</b>	<b>1860</b>	<b>1890</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2040</b>			
Other Islands	2008	1920	1980	2010	1940	1770	1640	1760	2000	1920	1950	1990	1950	1900
	<b>2009</b>	<b>1950</b>	<b>1940</b>	<b>1940</b>	<b>1980</b>	<b>1980</b>	<b>1950</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2010</b>			
Guest and Private houses	2008	1150	1120	1140	1120	1120	1060	1130	1150	1170	1190	1130	1080	1130
	<b>2009</b>	<b>1170</b>	<b>1130</b>	<b>1140</b>	<b>1170</b>	<b>1120</b>	<b>1070</b>	<b>1160</b>	<b>1100</b>	<b>1100</b>	<b>1090</b>			
Mahe	2008	450	440	430	440	430	390	480	460	460	460	460	460	450
	<b>2009</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>460</b>			
Other Islands	2008	700	690	700	690	690	670	650	690	710	730	670	620	680
	<b>2009</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>640</b>			
<b><u>BED-NIGHTS OCCUPIED</u></b> (000)	2008	86.9	81.4	96.4	90.6	78.0	64.3	81.4	100.2	78.6	92.9	80.3	76.2	1007
	<b>2009</b>	<b>71.7</b>	<b>69.5</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>84.0</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>74.6</b>	<b>84.1</b>	<b>91.5</b>	<b>89.2</b>	<b>94.0</b>			
Hotels and self catering	2008	72.6	66.1	79.6	74.9	63.3	53.0	65.6	82.5	64.1	75.2	64.8	58.6	820
	<b>2009</b>	<b>56.6</b>	<b>54.6</b>	<b>62.8</b>	<b>67.1</b>	<b>63.8</b>	<b>60.0</b>	<b>68.2</b>	<b>74.5</b>	<b>72.6</b>	<b>77.4</b>			
Mahe	2008	39.5	34.7	39.5	35.9	31.2	27.1	32.1	37.3	30.3	36.7	30.7	29.0	404
	<b>2009</b>	<b>29.4</b>	<b>26.7</b>	<b>29.5</b>	<b>30.9</b>	<b>28.5</b>	<b>26.4</b>	<b>30.1</b>	<b>35.4</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>39.4</b>			
Other Islands	2008	33.0	31.4	40.1	39.0	32.1	25.9	33.5	45.2	33.8	38.5	34.2	29.5	416
	<b>2009</b>	<b>27.2</b>	<b>27.9</b>	<b>33.4</b>	<b>36.3</b>	<b>35.3</b>	<b>33.6</b>	<b>38.1</b>	<b>39.2</b>	<b>37.6</b>	<b>37.9</b>			
Guest and Private houses	2008	14.3	15.3	16.8	15.7	14.7	11.3	15.8	17.7	14.5	17.6	15.5	17.6	187
	<b>2009</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>17.2</b>	<b>16.8</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>15.9</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>16.6</b>	<b>16.6</b>			
Mahe	2008	5.3	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.7	3.5	6.5	5.8	5.0	6.1	6.1	7.6	65
	<b>2009</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>6.6</b>			
Other Islands	2008	9.0	10.3	11.9	11.0	10.1	7.8	9.3	11.9	9.5	11.5	9.3	10.0	122
	<b>2009</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>10.0</b>			

Source: National Statistics Bureau (Hotel returns).

**BED AND ROOM OCCUPANCY RATES BY TYPE OF ACCOMMODATION AND LOCATION, 2008-2009**

**Table 3**

		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
<b><u>BED OCCUPANCY (%)</u></b>	2008	55	57	62	62	56	51	56	65	53	60	54	50	57
	<b>2009</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>59</b>			
<u>Hotels and self catering</u>	2008	59	60	67	66	61	56	59	69	57	64	57	50	60
	<b>2009</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>62</b>			
Mahe	2008	62	66	69	66	63	59	57	65	55	64	56	51	61
	<b>2009</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>62</b>			
Other Islands	2008	55	55	65	67	59	53	61	73	59	64	57	49	60
	<b>2009</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>61</b>			
<u>Guest and Private houses</u>	2008	40	47	48	47	42	35	45	50	41	48	46	53	45
	<b>2009</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>49</b>			
Mahe	2008	38	40	37	36	35	30	43	41	36	42	45	53	40
	<b>2009</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>47</b>			
Other Islands	2008	42	52	54	54	47	39	46	56	44	51	46	52	49
	<b>2009</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>51</b>			
<b><u>ROOM OCCUPANCY(%)</u></b>	2008	57	62	65	65	60	54	58	68	58	64	58	53	60
	<b>2009</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>63</b>			
<u>Hotels and self catering</u>	2008	61	66	71	70	65	59	61	73	63	69	61	53	64
	<b>2009</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>67</b>			
Mahe	2008	69	76	77	74	71	65	62	71	62	73	64	55	68
	<b>2009</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>67</b>			
Other Islands	2008	52	56	66	67	59	54	60	76	63	65	59	50	61
	<b>2009</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>66</b>			
<u>Guest and Private houses</u>	2008	42	50	46	47	43	38	47	51	43	50	48	54	47
	<b>2009</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>48</b>			
Mahe	2008	40	45	34	38	38	37	47	44	40	47	47	56	43
	<b>2009</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>46</b>			
Other Islands	2008	44	52	54	52	46	38	47	56	45	52	48	53	49
	<b>2009</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>50</b>			

Source: National Statistics Bureau (Hotel returns).

**BED-NIGHTS OCCUPIED AND BED-OCCUPANCY RATES BY SIZE OF ESTABLISHMENT  
MAHE AND OTHER ISLANDS, 2008 - 2009**

**Table 4**

<u>AVERAGE NO OF BEDS</u>	<u>HOTELS ON MAHE</u>				<u>HOTELS</u>	
	<u>LARGE HOTELS (1)</u>		<u>OTHER</u>		<u>OTHER ISLANDS</u>	
<u>AVAILABLE</u>	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
	1470	1530	790	850	2580	2640
<u>BED-NIGHTS OCCUPIED</u> ( '000)						
January	34.9	24.7	9.9	10.6	42.1	36.4
February	30.3	22.2	9.5	10.3	41.7	37.0
March	34.5	24.3	9.9	11.9	52.0	43.9
April	31.4	25.4	9.2	12.1	50.0	46.5
May	27.0	24.0	8.8	11.3	42.2	45.0
June	23.5	22.5	7.1	10.0	33.7	42.1
July	27.7	25.5	10.9	11.1	42.8	47.5
August	31.9	29.7	11.2	12.8	57.2	49.0
September	26.3	29.8	9.0	12.1	43.3	47.3
October	32.5	34.1	10.3	11.9	50.1	47.9
November	26.5		10.3		43.5	
December	24.7		12.0		39.5	
<b>YEAR</b>	351		118		538	
<u>BED-OCCUPANCY RATES (%)</u>						
January	66	53	41	41	52	44
February	71	54	42	44	54	51
March	75	53	41	46	62	54
April	71	57	39	47	63	58
May	70	52	37	42	55	55
June	64	51	34	41	49	54
July	60	56	43	41	57	57
August	68	59	45	48	69	59
September	59	62	38	47	55	59
October	70	67	41	45	60	58
November	59		43		54	
December	53		48		50	
<b>YEAR</b>	65		41.1		57	

Source: National Statistics Bureau

Notes:(1) Hotels on Mahe with 50 or more beds

**BEDS, BED-NIGHTS OCCUPIED AND BED-OCCUPANCY RATES, 2005-2009**

**Table 5**

	<b>2005</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>
<b><u>AVERAGE NO OF BEDS</u></b>					
<b><u>AVAILABLE</u></b>	<b>4920</b>	<b>5150</b>	<b>5450</b>	<b>4840</b>	
<b><u>BED-NIGHTS OCCUPIED</u></b>					
<b>(‘000)</b>					
January	69.8	76.8	87.4	86.9	71.7
February	58.5	73.3	87.8	81.4	69.5
March	77.2	76.7	102.4	96.3	80.0
April	61.4	75.5	97.4	90.6	84.0
May	56.5	62.9	80.4	78.0	80.2
June	52.6	64.8	75.6	64.3	74.6
July	65.9	82.7	97.9	81.4	84.1
August	89.8	102.1	110.9	100.2	91.5
September	70.1	82.2	90.1	78.6	89.2
October	79.5	93.2	107.5	92.9	94.0
November	76.9	84.8	95.7	80.3	
December	63.6	75.2	82.7	76.2	
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>822</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>1116</b>	<b>1007</b>	
<b><u>BED-OCCUPANCY RATES</u></b>					
January	47	48	51	55	46
February	44	51	57	57	51
March	52	48	60	62	52
April	43	49	59	62	56
May	39	40	48	56	52
June	37	44	48	51	51
July	44	53	58	56	54
August	56	63	65	65	57
September	45	52	55	53	58
October	49	58	63	60	59
November	50	55	59	54	
December	41	47	48	50	
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>57</b>	

**Source: National Statistics Bureau (Hotel returns)**

## HOTEL STATISTICS: ANALYSIS BY OCCUPANCY AND BY VISITORS

Table 6

Period	Rooms Available	Room	Beds Available	Bed	Room	Room	Bed	Visitor Nights			
		Nights		Nights	Nights	Nights	Occupied	Occupied	Visitors	Residents	TOTAL
		Capacity		Capacity	Sold	(%)	(%)				
1996	2,200	806,350	4,480	1,638,940	506,340	63%	57%	932,400	6,180	<b>938,580</b>	
1997	2,280	830,800	4,600	1,678,430	503,390	61%	56%	937,750	6,810	<b>944,560</b>	
1998	2,350	856,440	4,730	1,727,430	488,750	57%	53%	910,040	9,170	<b>919,210</b>	
1999	2,380	866,950	4,780	1,743,690	480,530	55%	53%	904,380	10,530	<b>914,910</b>	
2000	2,470	904,630	5,000	1,828,610	493,020	54%	52%	933,140	12,310	<b>945,450</b>	
2001	2,440	892,080	4,940	1,803,060	483,880	54%	51%	913,410	12,190	<b>925,600</b>	
2002	2,360	860,850	4,780	1,746,400	465,500	54%	51%	883,090	13,760	<b>896,850</b>	
2003	2,440	888,880	4,930	1,798,080	432,060	49%	46%	824,550	8,440	<b>832,990</b>	
2004	2,480	906,510	5,030	1,840,320	417,110	46%	44%	797,910	10,080	<b>807,990</b>	
2005	2,420	883,000	4,920	1,796,290	424,550	48%	46%	809,330	12,290	<b>821,620</b>	
2006	2,530	923,070	5,140	1,874,390	494,140	54%	51%	931,900	18,300	<b>950,200</b>	
2007	2,710	990,300	5,460	1,993,810	578,770	58%	56%	1,095,480	20,460	<b>1,115,940</b>	
2008	2,360	863,970	4,840	1,769,920	520,740	60%	57%	990,430	16,690	<b>1,007,120</b>	
<b>Quarterly</b>											
<b>2007</b>	Q1	2,740	246,600	5,530	497,750	144,800	59%	56%	274,060	3,520	<b>277,580</b>
	Q2	2,690	244,300	5,390	490,360	131,630	54%	52%	246,990	6,490	<b>253,480</b>
	Q3	2,710	249,160	5,460	502,400	151,490	61%	60%	293,360	5,690	<b>299,050</b>
	Q4	2,720	250,230	5,470	503,310	150,900	60%	57%	281,080	4,750	<b>285,830</b>
<b>2008</b>	Q1	2,430	220,930	5,010	455,580	135,540	61%	58%	260,290	4,380	<b>264,670</b>
	Q2	2,220	201,970	4,530	412,430	120,640	60%	57%	228,320	4,570	<b>232,890</b>
	Q3	2,380	218,940	4,870	447,790	134,540	61%	58%	255,940	4,250	<b>260,190</b>
	Q4	2,410	222,130	4,940	454,120	130,020	59%	55%	245,880	3,490	<b>249,370</b>
<b>2009</b>	Q1	<b>2,440</b>	<b>219,120</b>	<b>4,940</b>	<b>444,930</b>	<b>113,690</b>	<b>52%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>217,570</b>	<b>3,680</b>	<b>221,250</b>
	Q2	2,440	221,910	4,960	451,070	120,840	54%	53%	234,700	3,960	<b>238,660</b>
	Q3	2,510	230,800	5,110	469,660	130,790	57%	56%	260,580	3,850	<b>264,430</b>
<b>Year on year percentage change</b>											
1997	3.6%	3.0%	2.7%	2.4%	-0.6%	-3.5%	-1.8%	0.6%	10.2%	<b>0.6%</b>	
1998	3.1%	3.1%	2.8%	2.9%	-2.9%	-5.8%	-5.4%	-3.0%	34.7%	<b>-2.7%</b>	
1999	1.3%	1.2%	1.1%	0.9%	-1.7%	-2.9%	0.0%	-0.6%	14.8%	<b>-0.5%</b>	
2000	3.8%	4.3%	4.6%	4.9%	2.6%	-1.7%	-1.9%	3.2%	16.9%	<b>3.3%</b>	
2001	-1.2%	-1.4%	-1.2%	-1.4%	-1.9%	-0.5%	-1.9%	-2.1%	-1.0%	<b>-2.1%</b>	
2002	-3.3%	-3.5%	-3.2%	-3.1%	-3.8%	-0.3%	0.0%	-3.3%	12.9%	<b>-3.1%</b>	
2003	3.4%	3.3%	3.1%	3.0%	-7.2%	-10.1%	-9.8%	-6.6%	-38.7%	<b>-7.1%</b>	
2004	1.6%	2.0%	2.0%	2.3%	-3.5%	-5.3%	-4.3%	-3.2%	19.4%	<b>-3.0%</b>	
2005	-2.4%	-2.6%	-2.2%	-2.4%	1.8%	4.5%	4.5%	1.4%	21.9%	<b>1.7%</b>	
2006	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.3%	16.4%	11.3%	10.9%	15.1%	48.9%	<b>15.6%</b>	
2007	7.1%	7.3%	6.2%	6.4%	17.1%	9.2%	9.8%	17.6%	11.8%	<b>17.4%</b>	
2008	-12.9%	-12.8%	-11.4%	-11.2%	-10.0%	3.1%	1.8%	-9.6%	-18.4%	<b>-9.8%</b>	
<b>Quarter on quarter percentage change</b>											
<b>2008</b>	Q1	-11.3%	-10.4%	-9.4%	-8.5%	-6.4%	4.5%	3.6%	-5.0%	24.4%	<b>-4.7%</b>
	Q2	-17.5%	-17.3%	-16.0%	-15.9%	-8.3%	10.9%	9.6%	-7.6%	-29.6%	<b>-8.1%</b>
	Q3	-12.2%	-12.1%	-10.8%	-10.9%	-11.2%	1.1%	-3.3%	-12.8%	-25.3%	<b>-13.0%</b>
	Q4	-11.4%	-11.2%	-9.7%	-9.8%	-13.8%	-2.9%	-3.5%	-12.5%	-26.5%	<b>-12.8%</b>
<b>2009</b>	Q1	0.4%	-0.8%	-1.4%	-2.3%	-16.1%	-15.4%	-13.8%	-16.4%	-16.0%	<b>-16.4%</b>
	Q2	9.9%	9.9%	9.5%	9.4%	0.2%	-8.8%	-7.0%	2.8%	-13.3%	<b>2.5%</b>
	Q3	5.5%	5.4%	4.9%	4.9%	-2.8%	-7.8%	-3.4%	1.8%	-9.4%	<b>1.6%</b>

Source: National Statistics Bureau



**BED-NIGHTS OCCUPIED BY TYPE OF ACCOMMODATION AND LOCATION, 2005 - 2009**

**Table 7**

	<b>YEAR</b>	<b>Jan</b>	<b>Feb</b>	<b>Mar</b>	<b>Apr</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Jul</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>Oct</b>	<b>Nov</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>Year</b>
<b><u>BED-NIGHTS OCCUPIED</u></b>														
<b>(000)</b>	2005	69.8	58.5	77.2	61.4	56.5	52.6	65.9	89.8	70.1	79.5	76.9	63.6	822
	2006	76.7	73.3	76.7	74.5	62.9	64.8	82.7	102.1	82.1	93.2	84.8	75.2	950
	2007	87.4	87.8	102.4	97.4	80.4	75.6	97.9	110.9	90.1	107.5	95.7	82.7	1116
	2008	86.9	81.4	96.4	90.6	78.0	64.3	81.4	100.2	78.6	92.9	80.3	76.2	1007
	<b>2009</b>	<b>71.7</b>	<b>69.5</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>84.0</b>	<b>80.2</b>	<b>74.6</b>	<b>84.1</b>	<b>91.5</b>	<b>89.2</b>	<b>94.0</b>			
<b><u>Hotels and self catering</u></b>	2005	55.9	44.2	59.8	46.7	43.6	43.4	51.9	72.1	57.0	63.8	60.9	51.0	650
	2006	62.2	59.1	60.5	61.0	51.9	55.5	68.0	82.6	68.6	77.5	69.3	61.8	778
	2007	72.7	71.9	83.4	80.5	67.0	64.9	81.2	90.7	74.3	90.0	78.1	68.2	923
	2008	72.6	66.1	79.6	74.9	63.3	53.0	65.6	82.5	64.1	75.2	64.8	58.6	820
	<b>2009</b>	<b>56.6</b>	<b>54.6</b>	<b>62.8</b>	<b>67.1</b>	<b>63.8</b>	<b>60.0</b>	<b>68.2</b>	<b>74.5</b>	<b>72.6</b>	<b>77.4</b>			
Mahe	2005	34.1	23.5	33.4	25.2	25.2	20.8	26.1	37.2	29.6	34.3	36.5	30.9	354
	2006	36.5	33.1	32.5	34.7	27.3	29.8	36.8	44.7	38.0	44.6	40.5	38.1	437
	2007	43.3	38.8	45.5	43.5	33.4	32.4	39.9	44.5	38.0	49.2	42.3	40.5	491
	2008	39.5	34.7	39.5	35.9	31.2	27.1	32.1	37.3	30.3	36.7	30.7	29.0	404
	<b>2009</b>	<b>29.4</b>	<b>26.7</b>	<b>29.5</b>	<b>30.9</b>	<b>28.5</b>	<b>26.4</b>	<b>30.1</b>	<b>35.4</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>39.4</b>			
Other Islands	2005	21.8	20.7	26.4	21.5	21.5	22.6	25.8	35.0	27.4	29.5	24.4	20.1	296
	2006	25.8	26.0	27.9	26.3	24.6	25.7	31.2	47.5	30.7	32.9	28.7	23.7	341
	2007	29.5	33.1	37.9	36.9	36.9	32.5	41.4	46.2	36.3	40.5	35.9	27.7	430
	2008	33.0	31.4	40.1	39.0	32.1	25.9	33.5	45.2	33.8	38.5	34.2	29.5	416
	<b>2009</b>	<b>27.2</b>	<b>27.9</b>	<b>33.4</b>	<b>36.3</b>	<b>35.3</b>	<b>33.6</b>	<b>38.1</b>	<b>39.2</b>	<b>37.6</b>	<b>37.9</b>			
<b><u>Guest and Private houses</u></b>	2005	13.9	14.3	17.3	14.7	14.7	9.3	14.0	17.7	13.1	15.8	16.0	12.6	171
	2006	14.5	14.2	16.2	14.4	10.4	9.3	14.7	19.5	13.5	15.7	15.6	13.4	171
	2007	14.7	15.8	19.0	17.0	13.5	10.7	16.7	20.2	15.9	16.2	17.5	14.4	193
	2008	14.3	15.3	16.8	15.7	14.7	11.3	15.8	17.7	14.5	17.6	15.5	17.6	187
	<b>2009</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>17.2</b>	<b>16.8</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>15.9</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>16.6</b>	<b>16.6</b>			
Mahe	2005	5.2	5.5	6.9	5.4	5.4	2.6	4.8	6.3	4.6	5.3	5.3	5.1	61
	2006	5.9	5.6	6.0	4.8	3.4	2.1	4.7	6.2	4.7	4.9	4.9	5.4	59
	2007	5.4	6.2	6.3	5.4	4.3	2.6	4.8	5.8	5.1	5.9	6.1	5.3	63
	2008	5.3	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.7	3.5	6.5	5.8	5.0	6.1	6.1	7.6	65
	<b>2009</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>6.6</b>			
Other Islands	2005	8.7	8.8	10.5	9.3	8.4	6.7	9.2	11.4	8.5	10.5	10.7	7.5	110
	2006	8.6	8.6	10.2	9.6	7.0	7.2	10.0	13.3	8.8	10.8	10.6	8.0	113
	2007	9.2	9.7	12.7	11.5	9.1	8.1	11.9	14.4	10.8	11.9	11.5	9.2	130
	2008	9.0	10.3	11.9	11.0	10.1	7.8	9.3	11.9	9.5	11.5	9.3	10.0	122
	<b>2009</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>10.0</b>			

**SOURCE: National Statistics Bureau (Hotel Returns).**

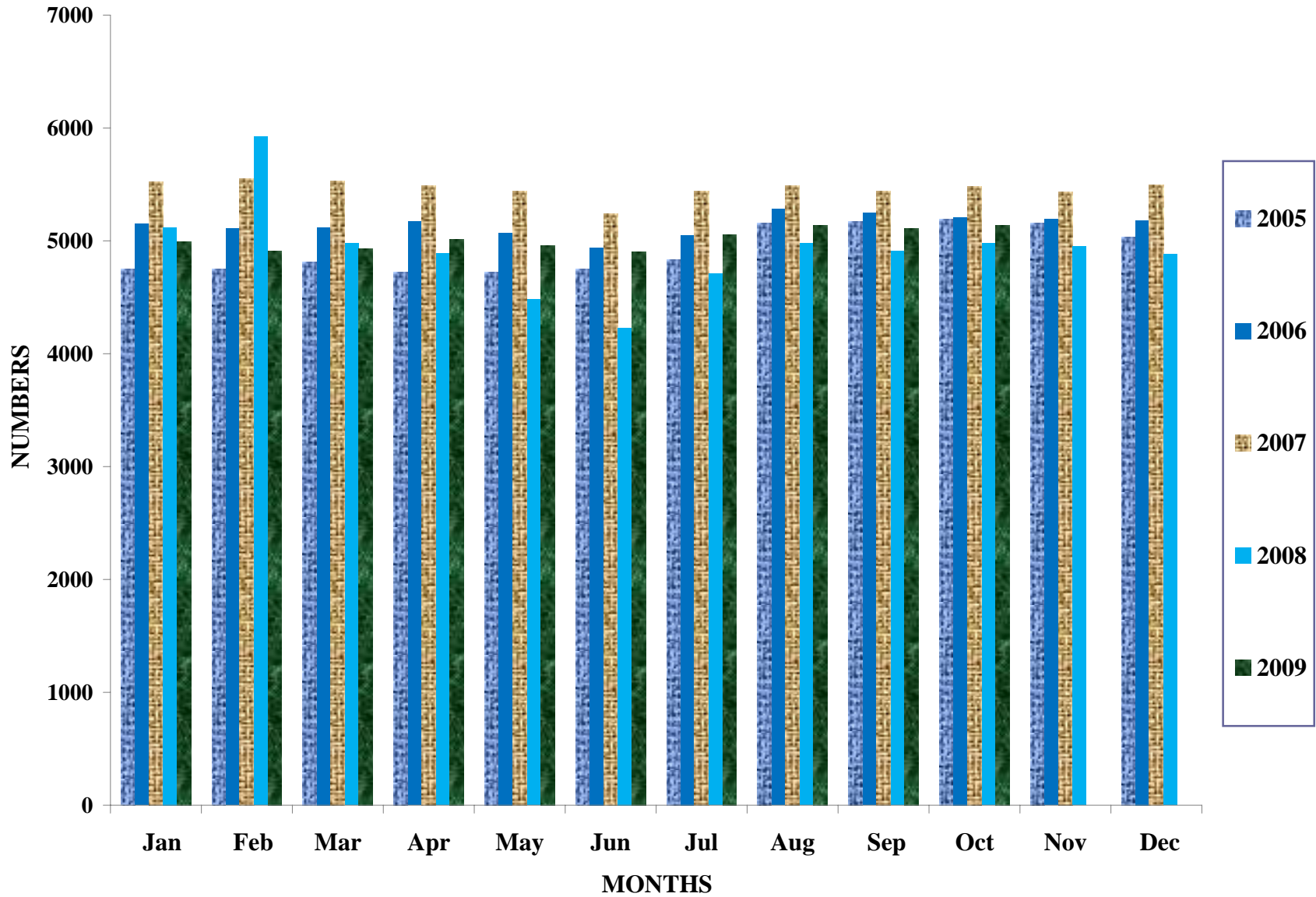
**BEDS AVAILABLE BY TYPE OF ACCOMMODATION AND LOCATION, 2005 - 2009**

**Table 8**

	<b>YEAR</b>	<b>Jan</b>	<b>Feb</b>	<b>Mar</b>	<b>Apr</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Jul</b>	<b>Aug</b>	<b>Sep</b>	<b>Oct</b>	<b>Nov</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>Year</b>
<b><u>AVE. NO OF BEDS AVAILABLE</u></b>	2005	4750	4750	4810	4720	4720	4750	4830	5160	5170	5190	5160	5030	4920
	2006	5150	5110	5120	5170	5070	4940	5050	5280	5250	5210	5190	5180	5140
	2007	5520	5550	5530	5490	5440	5240	5440	5490	5440	5480	5430	5500	5460
	2008	5120	4920	4980	4890	4480	4230	4710	4980	4910	4980	4950	4880	4840
	<b>2009</b>	<b>4990</b>	<b>4910</b>	<b>4930</b>	<b>5010</b>	<b>4960</b>	<b>4880</b>	<b>5050</b>	<b>5140</b>	<b>5130</b>	<b>5140</b>			
<b><u>Hotels and self catering</u></b>	2005	3500	3490	3560	3510	3490	3640	3680	3940	3940	3990	3850	3850	3720
	2006	3950	3910	3930	3980	3890	3800	3850	4020	4050	4010	4000	4000	3950
	2007	4330	4370	4370	4350	4310	4240	4290	4360	4300	4330	4310	4410	4330
	2008	3970	3790	3840	3770	3360	3160	3580	3840	3750	3790	3820	3790	3710
	<b>2009</b>	<b>3820</b>	<b>3790</b>	<b>3790</b>	<b>3850</b>	<b>3840</b>	<b>3890</b>	<b>4040</b>	<b>4040</b>	<b>4030</b>	<b>4050</b>			
Mahe	2005	3500	3490	3560	3510	3490	3640	3680	3940	3940	3990	3850	3850	3720
	2006	3950	3910	3930	3980	3890	3800	3850	4020	4050	4010	4000	4000	3950
	2007	4330	4370	4370	4350	4310	4240	4290	4360	4300	4330	4310	4410	4330
	2008	3970	3790	3840	3770	3360	3160	3580	3840	3750	3790	3820	3790	3710
	<b>2009</b>	<b>1870</b>	<b>1840</b>	<b>1850</b>	<b>1860</b>	<b>1860</b>	<b>1860</b>	<b>1890</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2040</b>			
Other Islands	2005	1980	1980	1980	1980	1970	1970	1990	1990	2240	2240	2240	2250	2090
	2006	2260	2220	2240	2260	2240	2210	2230	2320	2390	2370	2380	2380	2290
	2007	2400	2430	2400	2420	2410	2360	2390	2440	2410	2450	2430	2450	2410
	2008	2050	1810	1830	1820	1590	1530	1820	1840	1830	1840	1830	1840	1800
	<b>2009</b>	<b>1950</b>	<b>1940</b>	<b>1940</b>	<b>1980</b>	<b>1980</b>	<b>1950</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2010</b>			
<b><u>Guest and Private houses</u></b>	2005	1530	1510	1580	1540	1530	1670	1690	1700	1710	1750	1700	1610	1630
	2006	1690	1690	1690	1720	1660	1590	1620	1700	1670	1640	1620	1620	1660
	2007	1930	1940	1970	1930	1900	1880	1900	1920	1890	1880	1880	1960	1920
	2008	1920	1980	2010	1940	1770	1640	1760	2000	1920	1950	1990	1950	1900
	<b>2009</b>	<b>1170</b>	<b>1130</b>	<b>1140</b>	<b>1170</b>	<b>1120</b>	<b>1070</b>	<b>1160</b>	<b>1100</b>	<b>1100</b>	<b>1090</b>			
Mahe	2005	520	530	530	510	510	420	480	510	520	510	500	500	500
	2006	510	510	500	510	510	440	480	510	500	500	500	490	500
	2007	500	500	450	430	340	330	430	410	430	430	430	440	440
	2008	450	440	430	440	430	390	480	460	460	460	460	460	450
	<b>2009</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>460</b>			
Other Islands	2005	730	690	720	700	710	690	670	710	710	700	710	680	700
	2006	700	690	690	680	670	710	730	760	700	700	690	680	700
	2007	700	680	710	690	710	670	720	730	720	720	700	650	700
	2008	700	690	700	690	690	670	650	690	710	730	670	620	680
	<b>2009</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>640</b>			

Source: National Statistics Bureau (Hotel Returns)

# AVERAGE NUMBER OF BEDS AVAILABLE, 2005 - 2009



# BEDNIGHTS OCCUPIED, 2005-2009

