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A total of 20,546 visitors arrived in Seychelles in August 2014. This represents a decrease of 5% in visitor arrivals compared to August 2013 (21,677). The average length of stay of these visitors was 11.0 nights and 95% of the visitors were on holiday.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Twenty thousand five hundred and forty six visitors arrived in Seychelles during the month of August 2014, reflecting a decrease of 5% compared to August 2013. This also included visitors in transit. The figure was 16% above the average for the same month of the last five years. The average length of stay of these visitors was 11.0 nights compared to 11.2 nights in August 2013.

2. RESULTS AND HIGHLIGHTS

One hundred and fifty thousand four hundred and twelve visitors arrived during the period January to August 2014, which was 1% below the 2013 level.

Purpose of Visit (Table 2)

(95%) of visitors arriving in August 2014 were on holiday, whilst 3% were on business or combining business with a holiday (Table 2). (69%) of visitors were from Europe, 9% from Africa, 19% from Asia and 2% from America (Table 3).

Country of Residence (Table 3a)

Compared to the same period in 2013, the number of visitors from Europe decreased by 6%. Increases were recorded in visitor arrivals from Germany (2%), Russia (1%) and Spain & Portugal (4%). Decreases were recorded from Austria (-4%), Belgium & Luxembourg (-7%), France (-13%), Italy (-10%), the Netherlands (-12%), Scandinavia (-5%), and UK & Eire (-6%). Visitors coming from Switzerland remained unchanged.

During the first eight months of 2014, the number of visitors from Africa remained at the 2013 level. Increases were recorded in visitors from Asia (17%), Oceania (13%) and America (11%).

Leading Markets

The six leading markets for the first eight months of 2014 are:

Country	No. of visitors
Germany	22,397
France	21,416
Italy	13,892
Russia	9,821
China	9,800
United Arab Emirates	9,226

Mode of Transport (Table 4)

During August 2014, all of the non-transit visitors arrived by air transport only. Comparing August 2014 with the same period of 2013, non-transit visitors decreased by 5% below the 2013 level and transit visitors decreased by 60%.

Visitors Stay (Tables 5 & 6)

Tables 5(a-d) and 6(a-d) give a breakdown of visitors stay by location and accommodation respectively for 2013 and 2014. In August 2014, 60% of visitors stayed on Mahe while 24% stayed on Praslin and 6% on La Digue. During that same period, (90%) of visitors stayed in hotels while 4% stayed with friends.

3. CONCEPTS SOURCES AND METHODS

For statistical purposes the term "international visitor" describes "any person who travels to a country other than that which s/he has his/her usual residence but outside his/her usual environment for a period net exceeding twelve months and whose main purpose of visit is other than the exercise or an activity remunerated from within the country visited."

4. NEXT RELEASE

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VISITOR ARRIVALS AND AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY BY MONTH 2008-2014

Table 1

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	(Numbers)												
2008	12,799	14,863	16,481	15,063	11,200	9,546	13,128	14,139	11,410	14,189	12,815	13,319	158,952
2009	11,256	12,552	14,056	14,444	11,746	10,725	12,689	14,192	12,236	15,115	14,279	14,251	157,541
2010	12,771	14,894	17,442	13,830	14,176	11,753	14,373	14,529	12,514	17,536	15,323	15,388	174,529
2011	13,800	14,868	16,906	19,182	14,059	13,145	16,588	19,262	13,244	19,065	16,359	17,998	194,476
2012	13,673	16,117	19,787	20,049	14,869	13,918	17,395	18,887	15,462	21,023	16,245	20,609	208,034
2013	15,774	19,570	23,736	21,039	16,815	15,575	17,887	21,677	16,922	22,460	18,240	20,577	230,272
2014	16,521	20,587	20,381	23,115	15,298	14,968	18,996	20,546					150,412
	(Percentage change)												
09/08	-12	-16	-15	-4	5	12	-3	0	7	7	11	7	-1
10/09	13	19	24	-4	21	10	13	2	2	16	7	8	11
11/10	8	0	-3	39	-1	12	15	33	6	9	7	17	11
12/11	-1	8	17	5	6	6	5	-2	17	10	-1	15	7
13/12	15	21	20	5	13	12	3	15	9	7	12	0	11
14/13	5	5	-14	10	-9	-4	6	-5					
AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY	(Nights)												
2008	9.5	9.2	10.3	10.0	10.2	10.3	10.6	11.3	10.7	9.9	10.0	9.8	10.1
2009	10.5	9.5	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.8	10.5	11.6	10.4	9.8	10.0	9.9	10.2
2010	11.4	10.0	9.9	10.5	10.2	10.1	10.6	11.8	10.3	9.8	9.7	9.8	10.4
2011	10.9	10.0	10.0	9.6	9.6	9.8	9.9	11.6	9.8	9.6	9.4	9.6	10.0
2012	10.3	9.9	9.5	9.6	9.3	9.4	9.9	10.5	9.9	9.7	11.1	9.6	9.9
2013	10.0	11.0	9.4	10.8	9.9	9.6	10.1	11.2	10.9	9.3	10.0	9.9	10.2
2014	10.9	9.0	10.0	10.9	10.7	9.7	10.4	11.0					

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

Note: (1) Length of stay is calculated from immigration records from departing visitors

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY PURPOSE OF VISIT, 2011 - 2014

Table 2

Number of visitors

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
2011 - Total	13,800	14,868	16,906	19,182	14,059	13,145	16,588	19,262	13,244	19,065	16,359	17,998	194,476
Holiday	12,400	13,549	15,199	17,702	12,785	11,422	15,418	16,714	11,998	17,552	14,618	16,576	175,933
Business	538	660	744	494	531	472	477	306	540	672	633	387	6,454
Holiday/Business	51	45	44	30	28	25	30	11	22	43	30	22	381
Transit	124	43	31	35	34	42	57	42	107	212	296	353	1,376
Other/not stated	687	571	888	921	681	1,184	606	2,189	577	586	782	660	10,332
2012 - Total	13,673	16,117	19,787	20,049	14,869	13,918	17,395	18,887	15,462	21,023	16,245	20,609	208,034
Holiday	12,160	14,595	17,866	18,809	13,639	12,734	16,122	17,458	14,306	19,492	15,010	19,443	191,634
Business	371	526	413	443	784	448	588	479	355	637	540	511	6,095
Holiday/Business	21	17	20	12	30	13	18	11	11	10	19	13	195
Transit	362	22	460	82	29	44	22	38	53	92	42	73	1,319
Other/not stated	759	957	1,028	703	387	679	645	901	737	792	634	569	8,791
2013 - Total	15,774	19,570	23,736	21,039	16,815	15,575	17,887	21,677	16,922	22,460	18,240	20,577	230,272
Holiday	13,630	17,951	22,234	19,522	15,539	14,419	16,916	20,387	15,684	20,757	16,654	19,343	213,036
Business	500	721	607	637	572	736	599	519	799	926	924	487	8,027
Holiday/Business	11	15	19	10	12	16	18	30	18	39	26	8	222
Transit	605	54	96	38	31	28	68	75	21	50	35	76	1,177
Other/not stated*	1,028	829	780	832	661	376	286	666	400	688	601	663	7,810
2014 - Total	16,521	20,587	20,381	23,115	15,298	14,968	18,996	20,546					150,412
Holiday	15,015	18,662	18,926	21,171	14,035	13,280	18,076	19,536					138,701
Business	702	661	716	831	771	954	575	536					5,746
Holiday/Business	46	35	24	32	24	48	17	20					246
Transit	46	636	74	16	45	34	95	30					976
Other/not stated*	712	593	641	1,065	423	652	233	424					4,743

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

Note: * Including crew

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE AND REGION - 2013/2014

(List as per the United Nations Country Grouping)

Table 3(a)

Country of Residence	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Jan-14	Feb-14	Mar-14	Apr-14	May-14	Jun-14	Jul-14	Aug-14
GRAND TOTAL	16,922	22,460	18,240	20,577	16,521	20,587	20,381	23,115	15,298	14,968	18,996	20,546
EUROPE TOTAL	11,550	15,441	13,246	12,139	10,207	14,062	14,616	15,824	10,188	8,971	11,441	14,104
Eastern Europe	1,012	1,788	2,166	2,851	3,335	2,536	2,656	1,947	1,452	956	1,276	1,490
Belarus	9	42	31	30	35	41	52	16	15	10	20	22
Bulgaria	16	11	31	65	38	100	30	19	20	4	17	21
Czech Republic	90	175	341	270	113	294	277	180	99	84	121	81
Hungary	38	91	51	100	144	221	102	67	48	45	63	80
Poland	119	232	301	113	171	292	166	128	68	86	146	115
Republic of Moldova	5	2	1	6	4	4	11	2	-	5	4	3
Romania	44	38	31	64	84	54	49	36	24	41	72	55
Russia	598	1,025	1,156	1,868	2,317	1,193	1,679	1,306	1,044	577	732	973
Slovakia	37	43	60	71	55	146	113	67	33	26	43	22
Ukraine	56	129	163	264	374	191	177	126	101	78	58	118
Northern Europe	1,520	2,070	1,645	1,788	972	1,556	1,514	1,810	1,152	1,382	1,671	1,434
Aland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Channel Islands	-	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Denmark	91	123	66	44	131	122	60	84	55	41	94	74
Estonia	11	53	27	48	26	41	38	5	6	2	-	8
Faeroe Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Finland	53	80	61	83	55	78	51	70	16	17	27	12
Guernsey	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	7	-	-	-	-
Iceland	-	9	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	-
Ireland	59	43	55	42	28	48	51	45	60	52	83	62
Isle of Man	-	1	1	-	2	2	3	2	-	-	-	-
Jersey	3	2	-	-	1	1	6	5	3	4	7	2
Latvia	10	17	9	32	21	20	18	6	3	10	6	4
Lithuania	48	9	23	23	17	22	15	11	18	22	13	12
Northern Ireland (1)	3	6	5	1	-	2	8	-	6	7	11	4
Norway	54	77	55	102	30	99	32	55	21	85	121	27
Sark	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Svalbard and Jan Mayen Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweden	94	418	318	519	219	275	262	234	55	156	114	41
United Kingdom of Great Britain	1,094	1,229	1,019	893	442	845	967	1,286	909	985	1,195	1,188
Southern Europe	2,590	1,987	1,480	1,728	1,124	1,475	1,731	2,906	1,385	1,953	2,242	3,918
Albania	1	-	-	-	6	-	3	-	2	-	-	4
Andorra	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	4	-	4	2	-
Bosnia & Herzegovina	2	2	-	5	-	-	-	1	-	4	2	1
Croatia	2	6	5	22	27	14	17	30	7	8	22	22
Gibraltar	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1
Greece	28	46	17	48	25	12	20	16	13	20	23	30
Holy See (Vatican City)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	2,221	1,642	1,242	1,298	893	1,216	1,462	2,448	1,169	1,579	1,731	3,394
Kosovo	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malta	13	1	5	11	5	7	7	3	7	-	8	7
Macedonia	-	2	-	-	3	-	5	-	-	2	12	1
Montenegro	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	1	1	1
Portugal	37	37	27	54	11	29	48	59	20	21	53	55
San Marino	1	3	-	9	-	2	-	2	-	3	-	-
Serbia	13	10	8	26	61	34	18	34	25	10	39	8
Slovenia	3	18	12	35	12	30	27	36	4	27	46	8
Spain	269	219	163	219	74	131	124	272	138	272	303	386
Western Europe	6,428	9,596	7,955	5,772	4,776	8,495	8,715	9,161	6,199	4,680	6,252	7,262
Austria	355	442	352	419	289	637	406	424	220	209	431	351
Belgium	160	280	184	161	82	133	222	323	167	86	278	176
France	1,752	3,858	3,223	2,274	2,216	3,280	3,965	3,663	2,462	1,364	1,847	2,619
Germany	3,031	3,503	3,129	1,913	1,628	3,381	3,278	3,313	2,530	2,436	2,470	3,361
Liechtenstein	2	10	2	2	2	4	6	9	4	-	2	4
Luxembourg	27	29	29	26	8	51	30	74	25	27	32	46
Monaco	6	9	13	22	10	22	21	31	12	13	1	9
Netherlands	220	145	114	162	71	142	88	149	152	97	201	173
Switzerland	875	1,320	909	793	470	845	699	1,175	627	448	990	523

Table 3(a)

Country of Residence	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Jan-14	Feb-14	Mar-14	Apr-14	May-14	Jun-14	Jul-14	Aug-14
AFRICA TOTAL	2,061	2,305	1,957	4,302	1,642	1,801	1,971	2,814	1,487	2,175	2,962	1,903
Eastern Africa	711	958	871	1,215	731	793	757	1,086	692	1,000	1,702	1,004
Agalega (2)	-	-	-	1	20	5	-	-	-	-	1	-
Burundi	5	6	2	12	-	3	1	6	2	4	3	2
Comoros	6	4	8	2	9	4	1	3	10	7	7	3
Djibouti	6	3	3	8	-	5	-	15	7	8	6	9
Eritrea	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	2	-
Ethiopia	118	70	60	45	77	136	25	38	23	21	33	19
Kenya	135	133	105	356	99	106	167	243	169	161	167	153
Madagascar	23	23	21	21	36	96	19	43	25	23	20	17
Malawi	5	7	10	23	4	2	8	10	4	-	11	5
Mauritius	275	262	375	309	218	236	216	389	242	312	287	240
Mayotte	-	2	3	9	1	-	3	12	3	7	9	3
Mozambique	10	14	12	30	31	10	7	37	8	9	13	9
Reunion	50	261	189	106	179	77	194	97	77	300	1,022	424
Rodrigue (2)	2	14	1	5	9	-	-	13	3	1	6	2
Rwanda	9	13	-	29	-	6	6	25	9	14	13	11
Somalia	2	3	1	1	1	3	-	9	-	5	4	-
Uganda	26	42	26	103	15	54	20	70	40	49	31	44
United Republic of Tanzania	25	51	20	60	23	26	33	14	32	23	10	19
Zambia	9	36	15	57	5	5	18	46	16	10	46	23
Zimbabwe	5	14	20	38	4	16	39	16	22	46	11	21
Middle Africa	22	27	22	130	8	71	56	34	36	26	35	42
Angola	2	17	9	95	2	53	20	15	14	8	22	21
Cameroon	9	2	6	9	3	10	7	9	6	7	3	1
Central African Republic	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chad	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	4	-	2	2
Congo (Brazzaville)	5	2	4	3	-	-	3	1	7	1	2	4
Democratic Republic of the Congo	5	2	2	21	1	4	19	3	3	9	6	11
Equatorial Guinea	1	-	-	1	-	-	5	-	-	1	-	-
Gabon	-	1	-	-	2	4	2	5	2	-	-	3
Sao Tome and Principe	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Africa	59	120	54	74	83	83	59	107	54	44	53	122
Algeria	7	5	3	16	7	3	4	26	-	-	1	22
Egypt	11	26	16	18	32	16	12	23	13	8	11	18
Libya	5	6	5	6	2	3	7	1	3	4	2	6
Morocco	8	33	11	17	27	37	7	14	16	9	11	45
South Sudan	5	4	2	3	3	9	5	1	2	4	4	3
Sudan	8	31	9	13	5	13	10	1	14	3	16	9
Tunisia	15	15	8	1	7	2	14	41	6	16	8	19
Western Sahara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southern Africa	1,206	1,137	953	2,743	781	802	1,043	1,523	639	1,018	1,099	701
Botswana	24	14	7	45	7	8	10	40	14	14	19	13
Lesotho	4	2	2	3	4	-	-	7	-	2	-	5
Namibia	15	5	20	42	10	7	7	11	2	14	10	4
South Africa	1,163	1,116	924	2,648	758	787	1,015	1,453	623	981	1,064	679
Swaziland	-	-	-	5	2	-	11	12	-	7	6	-
Western Africa	63	63	57	140	39	52	56	64	66	87	73	34
Benin	-	-	-	2	3	1	-	-	1	-	2	-
Burkina Faso	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Cape Verde	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	22	-
Cote D'Ivoire	-	2	3	3	-	8	1	3	-	1	9	6
Gambia	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-
Ghana	-	4	11	5	-	3	3	8	9	6	6	4
Guinea	3	-	4	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	-	-	-	3	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	1
Mali	-	3	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	1	-	1
Mauritania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
Niger	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nigeria	53	50	34	123	30	31	47	45	44	48	32	22
Saint Helena	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Senegal	2	-	5	1	2	5	3	6	6	3	-	-
Sierra Leone	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
Togo	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 3(a)

Country of Residence	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Jan-14	Feb-14	Mar-14	Apr-14	May-14	Jun-14	Jul-14	Aug-14
ASIA TOTAL	2,617	3,717	2,415	3,305	4,004	4,148	3,097	3,730	3,064	3,157	3,870	3,917
Central Asia	22	32	22	101	108	70	96	42	32	27	30	35
Kazakhstan	19	31	21	85	85	67	91	40	25	25	30	32
Kyrgyzstan	-	1	-	4	1	1	-	1	5	2	-	-
Tajikistan	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turkmenistan	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Uzbekistan	1	-	1	11	21	1	2	1	2	-	-	3
Eastern Asia	1,070	1,245	601	746	2,275	2,507	895	917	1,050	916	1,469	1,427
China	797	997	431	500	2,086	2,299	699	691	825	723	1,303	1,174
Hong Kong	50	69	40	67	58	50	41	61	45	22	44	39
Macao	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	1
Democratic People's Republic of Kor	4	5	-	2	-	-	7	-	-	-	1	2
Japan	110	46	43	62	17	52	39	47	57	75	46	111
Mongolia	-	-	1	3	9	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Republic of Korea	103	108	83	102	101	96	92	114	112	88	61	62
Taiwan	6	20	3	10	4	10	15	4	9	8	12	38
Southern Asia	189	273	363	559	378	395	399	373	357	470	343	317
Afghanistan	2	3	2	4	-	1	1	-	-	-	3	-
Bangladesh	2	7	2	11	20	2	10	48	3	9	8	11
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-
India	121	212	210	339	224	259	188	191	239	204	193	140
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	11	6	12	27	5	10	90	3	5	12	13	9
Madives	-	3	36	15	1	6	6	1	8	9	7	11
Nepal	3	-	3	3	1	-	5	10	4	4	14	2
Pakistan	19	14	18	36	29	17	37	23	20	40	36	27
Sri Lanka	31	28	80	124	98	100	62	92	78	192	69	117
South-Eastern Asia	58	102	88	99	101	77	84	126	79	61	77	84
Brunei Darussalam	1	-	-	5	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Cambodia	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1	-
Indonesia	-	9	12	18	36	15	4	40	3	3	11	4
Lao People's Democratic Republic	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	8	16	4	3	8	9	8	6	6	6	10	9
Myanmar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Philippines	20	34	22	33	10	19	10	28	12	20	11	12
Singapore	20	28	39	21	25	22	44	28	37	19	31	34
Thailand	8	14	11	18	9	8	18	19	19	13	12	23
Timor-Leste	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Viet Nam	1	1	-	1	9	3	-	2	1	-	-	2
Western Asia	1,278	2,065	1,341	1,800	1,142	1,099	1,623	2,272	1,546	1,683	1,951	2,054
Armenia	2	1	28	16	12	6	-	-	1	2	7	-
Azerbaijan	2	12	-	28	13	3	71	5	2	9	8	5
Bahrain	18	63	33	39	20	28	35	164	25	27	37	34
Cyprus	9	10	6	12	7	12	10	16	11	4	7	7
Georgia	1	2	-	3	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-
Iraq	-	1	1	3	6	2	1	-	1	10	6	-
Israel	302	31	66	35	18	79	14	323	15	10	13	9
Jordan	8	9	5	5	3	1	1	13	3	5	6	11
Kuwait	13	65	18	56	14	64	20	82	41	27	34	53
Lebanon	28	23	26	24	21	19	36	33	12	19	36	23
Occupied Palestinian Territory	-	-	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Oman	4	21	6	7	7	15	9	14	19	7	31	22
Qatar	38	152	62	68	81	70	150	159	48	64	100	56
Saudi Arabia	105	256	80	122	264	122	223	67	148	176	132	179
Syrian Arab Republic	4	4	1	2	4	-	2	1	2	7	-	-
Turkey	29	106	64	43	74	37	16	29	24	40	35	19
United Arab Emirates	714	1,303	943	1,333	595	639	1,032	1,362	1,191	1,275	1,499	1,633
Yemen	1	6	1	2	3	2	2	2	2	-	-	3

Table 3(a)

Country of Residence	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Jan-14	Feb-14	Mar-14	Apr-14	May-14	Jun-14	Jul-14	Aug-14
AMERICA TOTAL	532	643	530	598	547	447	606	563	463	543	579	502
Caribbean	8	4	23	4	2	3	11	5	8	4	5	4
Anguilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua and Barbuda	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Aruba	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Bahamas	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bonaire, Saint Eustatius and Saba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	1	-	5	2	2	-	4	1	6	2	1	1
Curacao	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominica	3	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-
Grenada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	-
Haiti	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jamaica	-	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Martinique	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-
Saint-Barthelemy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saint Kitts and Nevis	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1
Saint Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saint Martin (French part)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saint Maarten (Dutch part)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United States Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central America	16	19	16	11	16	12	14	26	6	9	25	9
Belize	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-
Costa Rica	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	5	-
El Salvador	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Honduras	-	-	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	13	18	14	9	14	6	13	22	5	9	18	4
Nicaragua	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Panama	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	-	2	-
South America	78	106	49	107	150	76	90	133	83	49	70	73
Argentina	22	21	18	19	64	27	22	27	15	6	2	11
Bolivia	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brazil	40	65	24	84	70	43	53	72	52	35	41	46
Chile	2	2	4	2	5	-	8	12	11	-	2	7
Colombia	1	2	-	1	2	-	2	5	2	3	7	1
Ecuador	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Paraguay	-	-	-	-	5	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
Peru	4	5	2	-	3	1	-	4	-	3	7	4
Suriname	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Uruguay	6	6	-	-	-	1	2	12	2	-	-	-
Venezuela	3	1	1	1	-	2	2	-	1	2	11	2
Northern America	430	514	442	476	379	356	491	399	366	481	479	416
Bermuda	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Canada	72	90	81	111	67	91	64	65	73	72	68	28
Greenland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	2
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United States of America	358	424	359	365	312	265	426	334	293	405	406	386

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

Notes:

(1) Forms part of UK

(2) Forms part of Mauritius

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY GEOGRAPHICAL REGION - 2013/2014

Table 3(b)

GEOGRAPHICAL REGION	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Jan-14	Feb-14	Mar-14	Apr-14	May-14	Jun-14	Jul-14	Aug-14
GRAND TOTAL	16,922	22,460	18,240	20,577	16,521	20,587	20,381	23,115	15,298	14,968	18,996	20,546
EUROPE TOTAL	11,550	15,441	13,246	12,139	10,207	14,062	14,616	15,824	10,188	8,971	11,441	14,104
Eastern	1,012	1,788	2,166	2,851	3335	2,536	2,656	1,947	1,452	956	1,276	1,490
Northern	1,520	2,070	1,645	1,788	972	1,556	1,514	1,810	1,152	1,382	1,671	1,434
Southern	2,590	1,987	1,480	1,728	1124	1,475	1,731	2,906	1,385	1,953	2,242	3,918
Western	6,428	9,596	7,955	5,772	4776	8,495	8,715	9,161	6,199	4,680	6,252	7,262
AFRICA TOTAL	2,061	2,305	1,957	4,302	1,642	1,801	1,971	2,814	1,487	2,175	2,962	1,903
Eastern	711	958	871	1,215	731	793	757	1,086	692	1,000	1,702	1,004
Middle	22	27	22	130	8	71	56	34	36	26	35	42
Northern	59	120	54	74	83	83	59	107	54	44	53	122
Southern	1,206	1,137	953	2,743	781	802	1,043	1,523	639	1,018	1,099	701
Western	63	63	57	140	39	52	56	64	66	87	73	34
ASIA TOTAL	2,617	3,717	2,415	3,305	4,004	4,148	3,097	3,730	3,064	3,157	3,870	3,917
Central	22	32	22	101	108	70	96	42	32	27	30	35
Eastern	1,070	1,245	601	746	2275	2,507	895	917	1,050	916	1,469	1,427
Southern	189	273	363	559	378	395	399	373	357	470	343	317
South-Eastern	58	102	88	99	101	77	84	126	79	61	77	84
Western	1,278	2,065	1,341	1,800	1142	1,099	1,623	2,272	1,546	1,683	1,951	2,054
OCEANIA TOTAL	162	354	92	233	121	129	91	184	96	122	144	120
Australia and New Zealand	141	351	90	230	119	129	90	184	96	120	144	118
Melanesia	2	1	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	1	-	2
Micronesia	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Polynesia	18	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
AMERICA TOTAL	532	643	530	598	547	447	606	563	463	543	579	502
Caribbean	8	4	23	4	2	3	11	5	8	4	5	4
Central	16	19	16	11	16	12	14	26	6	9	25	9
South	78	106	49	107	150	76	90	133	83	49	70	73
Northern	430	514	442	476	379	356	491	399	366	481	479	416

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY TYPE AND BY MODE OF TRANSPORT, 2013 - 2014

Table 4

Number of visitors

<u>Year/Month</u>	TRANSIT			NON - TRANSIT			TOTAL VISITORS		
	Air	Sea	Total	Air	Sea	Total	Air	Sea	Total
<u>2013</u>									
January	487	118	605	14,957	212	15,169	15,444	330	15,774
February	56	-	56	19,477	37	19,514	19,533	37	19,570
March	85	11	96	23,636	4	23,640	23,721	15	23,736
April	38	-	38	20,989	12	21,001	21,027	12	21,039
May	31	-	31	16,777	7	16,784	16,808	7	16,815
June	28	-	28	15,539	8	15,547	15,567	8	15,575
July	68	-	68	17,808	11	17,819	17,876	11	17,887
August	75	-	75	21,597	5	21,602	21,672	5	21,677
September	21	-	21	16,880	21	16,901	16,901	21	16,922
October	50	-	50	22,377	33	22,410	22,427	33	22,460
November	22	13	35	18,082	123	18,205	18,104	136	18,240
December	76	-	76	20,453	48	20,501	20,529	48	20,577
Total	1,037	142	1,179	228,572	521	229,093	229,609	663	230,272
<u>2014</u>									
January	46	-	46	16,463	12	16,475	16,509	12	16,521
February	311	325	636	19,922	29	19,951	20,233	354	20,587
March	62	12	74	20,260	47	20,307	20,322	59	20,381
April	16	-	16	23,075	24	23,099	23,091	24	23,115
May	46	-	46	15,236	16	15,252	15,282	16	15,298
June	34	-	34	14,908	26	14,934	14,942	26	14,968
July	94	-	94	18,859	43	18,902	18,953	43	18,996
August	30	-	30	20,505	11	20,516	20,535	11	20,546
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	639	337	976	149,228	208	149,436	149,867	545	150,412

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

VISITORS STAY BY LOCATION - 2013
(Numbers)

Table 5(a)

	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	May-13	Jun-13	Jul-13	Aug-13	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Total
Mahe	9,415	11,873	13,089	12,244	9,988	9,847	10,935	13,382	10,075	13,214	10,660	13,146	137,868
Praslin	3,074	4,100	5,685	4,949	3,867	3,494	4,130	4,923	4,087	5,268	4,263	3,716	51,556
La Digue	605	1,020	1,525	1,206	879	623	878	1,262	930	1,246	938	1,127	12,239
Other Islands	1,220	1,688	2,271	1,680	1,307	1,245	1,444	1,621	1,321	1,870	1,344	1,716	18,727
On Vessel (1)	1,460	889	1,166	960	774	366	500	489	509	862	1,035	872	9,882
Total	15,774	19,570	23,736	21,039	16,815	15,575	17,887	21,677	16,922	22,460	18,240	20,577	230,272

VISITORS STAY BY LOCATION - 2014
(Numbers)

Table 5(b)

	Jan-14	Feb-14	Mar-14	Apr-14	May-14	Jun-14	Jul-14	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Total
Mahe	10,598	12,169	11,617	13,416	9,135	9,299	11,690	12,271					90,195
Praslin	3,434	4,295	4,747	5,084	3,485	3,301	4,373	4,858					33,577
La Digue	626	1,077	1,209	1,380	759	664	1,013	1,208					7,936
Other Islands	1,097	1,499	1,704	2,038	1,178	1,186	1,409	1,708					11,819
On Vessel (1)	766	1,547	1,104	1,197	741	518	511	501					6,885
Total	16,521	20,587	20,381	23,115	15,298	14,968	18,996	20,546					150,412

VISITORS STAY BY LOCATION - 2013
(Percentage)

Table 5(c)

	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	May-13	Jun-13	Jul-13	Aug-13	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Total
Mahe	60	61	55	58	59	63	61	62	60	59	58	64	60
Praslin	19	21	24	24	23	22	23	23	24	23	23	18	22
La Digue	4	5	6	6	5	4	5	6	5	6	5	5	5
Other Islands	8	9	10	8	8	8	8	7	8	8	7	8	8
On Vessel (1)	9	5	5	5	5	2	3	2	3	4	6	4	4
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

VISITORS STAY BY LOCATION - 2014
(Percentage)

Table 5 (d)

	Jan-14	Feb-14	Mar-14	Apr-14	May-14	Jun-14	Jul-14	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Total
Mahe	64	59	57	58	60	62	62	60					60
Praslin	21	21	23	22	23	22	23	24					22
La Digue	4	5	6	6	5	4	5	6					5
Other Islands	7	7	8	9	8	8	7	8					8
On Vessel (1)	5	8	5	5	5	3	3	2					5
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100					100

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

(1) Includes yachts, cruise ship and sea bound vessels

VISITORS STAY BY ACCOMMODATION - 2013
(Numbers)

Table 6 (a)

	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	May-13	Jun-13	Jul-13	Aug-13	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Total
Hotels(1)	12,939	17,208	20,507	18,240	14,825	13,854	15,729	19,435	15,400	20,141	15,843	17,181	201,302
Friends	717	707	923	882	610	591	940	952	500	865	730	1,351	9,768
Yachts	893	838	1,121	951	760	364	487	474	493	833	986	848	9,048
Cruise Ships	562	46	39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	651
Vessel	5	5	6	9	14	2	13	15	16	29	45	24	183
Others	658	766	1,140	957	606	764	718	801	513	592	632	1,173	9,320
Total	15,774	19,570	23,736	21,039	16,815	15,575	17,887	21,677	16,922	22,460	18,240	20,577	230,272

VISITORS STAY BY ACCOMMODATION - 2014
(Numbers)

Table 6 (b)

	Jan-14	Feb-14	Mar-14	Apr-14	May-14	Jun-14	Jul-14	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Total
Hotels(1)	14,474	17,595	17,864	19,906	13,475	13,176	16,683	18,555					131,728
Friends	686	820	802	1,020	643	652	1,056	786					6,465
Yachts	746	930	1,052	1,182	720	461	506	492					6,089
Cruise Ships	4	611	42	2	-	-	-	-					659
Vessel	16	6	10	13	21	57	5	9					137
Others	595	625	611	992	439	622	746	704					5,334
Total	16,521	20,587	20,381	23,115	15,298	14,968	18,996	20,546					150,412

VISITORS STAY BY ACCOMMODATION - 2013
(Percentage)

Table 6 (c)

	Jan-13	Feb-13	Mar-13	Apr-13	May-13	Jun-13	Jul-13	Aug-13	Sep-13	Oct-13	Nov-13	Dec-13	Total
Hotels(1)	82	88	86	87	88	89	88	90	91	90	87	83	87
Friends	5	4	4	4	4	4	5	4	3	4	4	7	4
Yachts	6	4	5	5	5	2	3	2	3	4	5	4	4
Cruise Ships	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vessel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Others	4	4	5	5	4	5	4	4	3	3	3	6	4
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

VISITORS STAY BY ACCOMMODATION - 2014
(Percentage)

Table 6 (d)

	Jan-14	Feb-14	Mar-14	Apr-14	May-14	Jun-14	Jul-14	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Total
Hotels(1)	88	85	88	86	88	88	88	90					88
Friends	4	4	4	4	4	4	6	4					4
Yachts	5	5	5	5	5	3	3	2					4
Cruise Ships	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0					0
Vessel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0
Others	4	3	3	4	3	4	4	3					4
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100					100

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

(1) Includes guest houses & self-catering establishments

Chart 1: Visitor Arrivals, January - August (2012 - 2014)

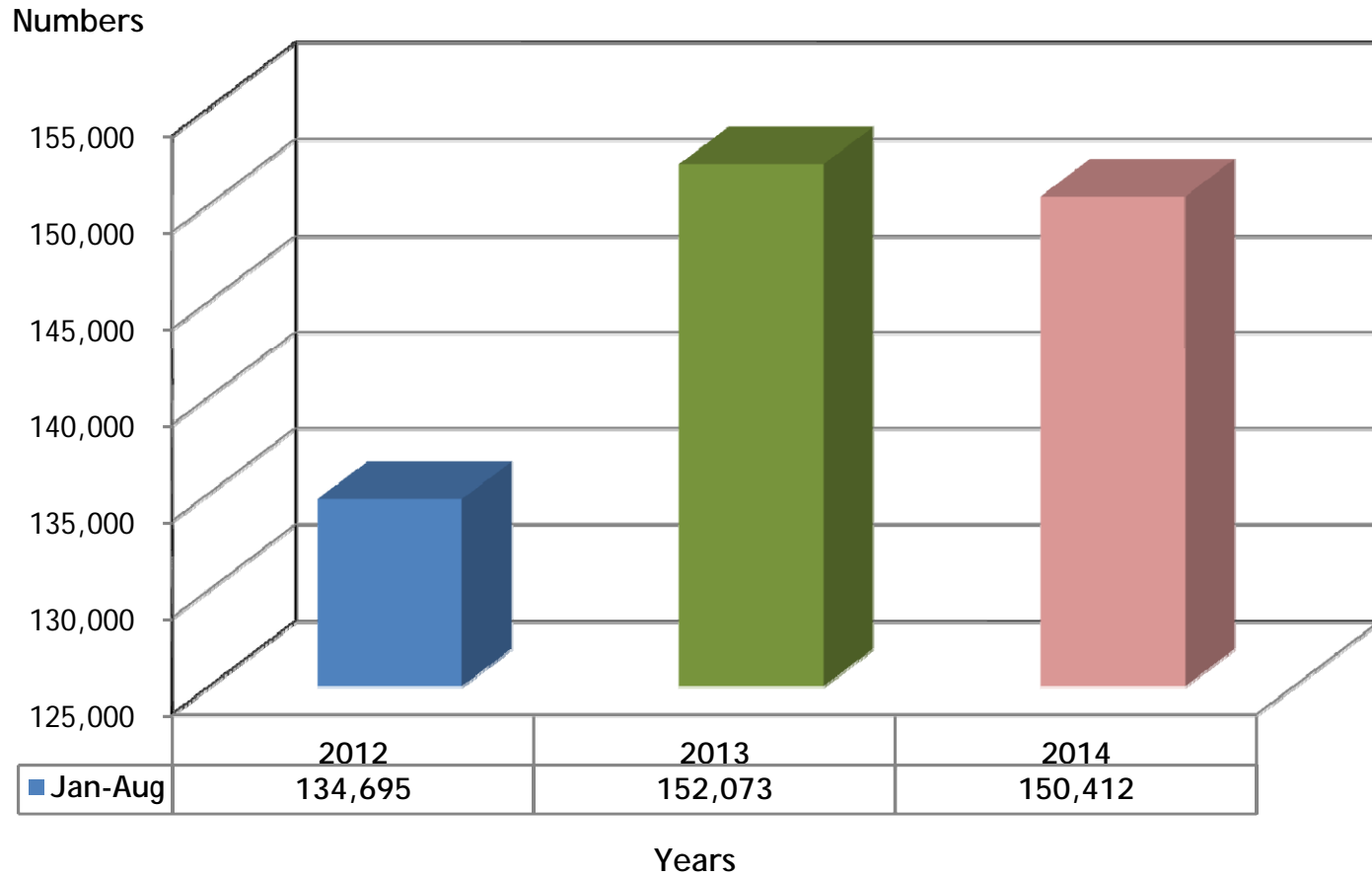


Chart 2: Visitor Arrivals by Leading Markets January - August 2013 v/s 2014

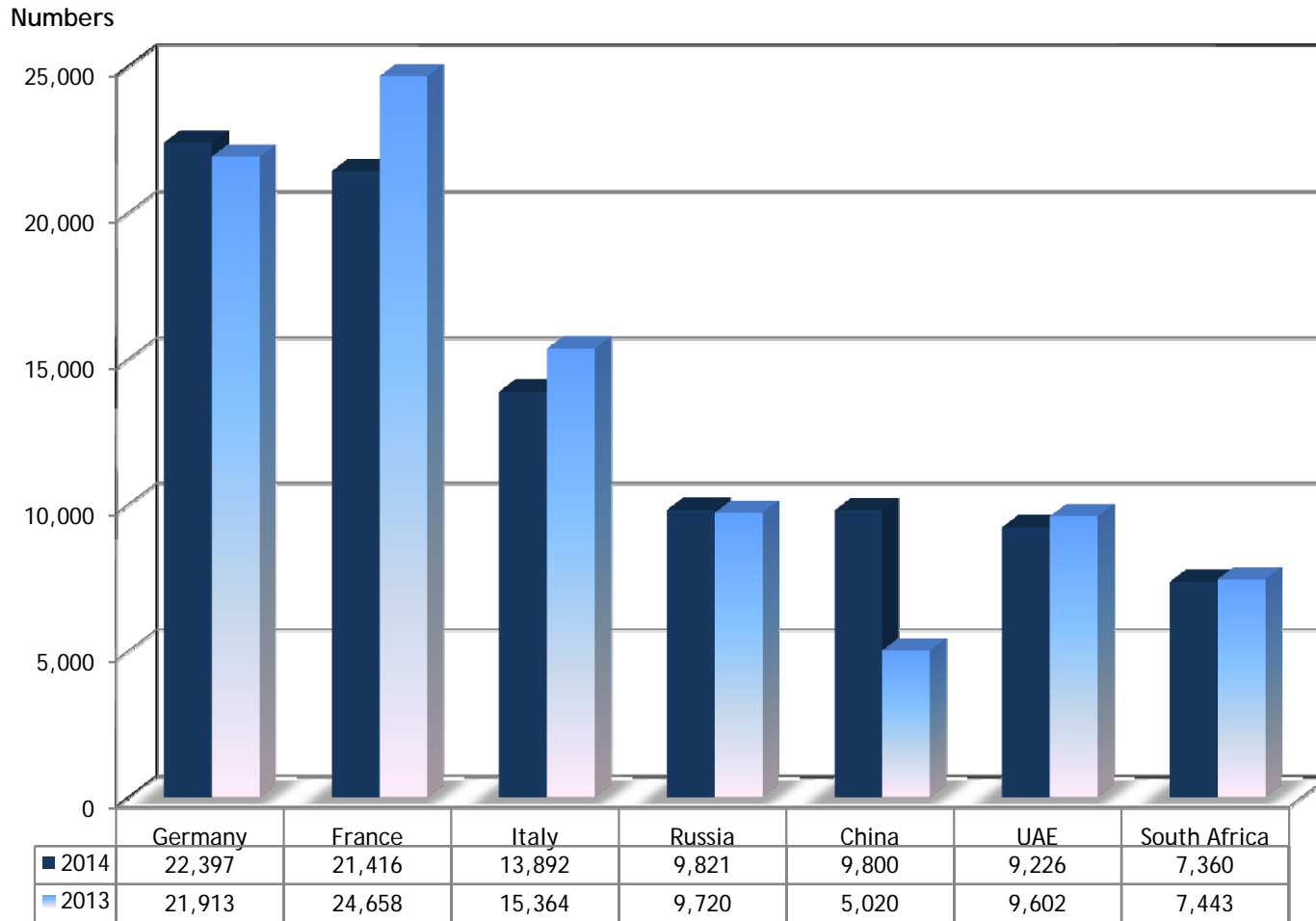


Chart 3: Visitors Stay by Location January-August 2014

