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A total of 22,616 visitors arrived in Seychelles in September 2015. This represents an increase of 33% in visitor arrivals compared to September 2014. The average length of stay of the visitors was 9.3 nights and 92% of the visitors were on holiday.

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1. INTRODUCTION

This issue of the bulletin presents visitor arrivals and resident departures for the months of January to September 2015, and the classification used for this presentation is based on the recommendations of Tourism Statistics adopted by the World Tourism Organization (UNWTO)

Visitors are classified by their country of residence rather than country of birth / nationality.

2. RESULTS AND HIGHLIGHTS

Visitor Arrivals September 2015 (Table 2)

Twenty two thousand six hundred and sixteen visitors arrived in Seychelles during the month of September 2015, reflecting an increase of 33% compared to September 2014. This also included visitors in transit. The figure was 50% above the average for the same month of the last five years. The average length of stay of these visitors was 9.3 nights compared to 10.2 nights in September 2014.

January to September 2015 (Number of visitors)

Two hundred thousand two hundred and fifty nine visitors arrived during the period January to September 2015, which was 20% above the 2014 level.

Purpose of Visit (Table 3)

Ninety-two percent of visitors arriving during the first nine months of 2015 were on holiday, whilst 4% were on business or combining business with a holiday.

Country of Residence (Table 4a)

Overall, the number of visitors from Europe increased by 11% in 2015 compared to 2014. Increases were recorded in visitor arrivals from France (14%), Italy (10%), Austria (29%), Belgium & Luxembourg and the Netherlands with (20%), Scandinavia and Switzerland with (17%), Spain & Portugal (18%) and UK & Eire (31%). A decrease of (-13%) was recorded from Russia. Germany remained unchanged.

During 2015, the number of visitors from Africa increased by (34%) compared to the same period in 2014. Increases were also recorded in visitors from Asia (40%), Oceania (20%) and America (25%).

Leading Markets

The six leading markets for the nine months of 2015 are:

Country	No. of visitors
France	26,425
Germany	25,829
Italy	17,356
United Arab Emirates	15,894
UK & Eire	11,970
China	11,655

Mode of Transport (Table 5)

During the third quarter of 2015, all of the non-transit visitors arrived by air transport. Comparing quarter three of 2015 with the same period of 2014, non-transit visitors increased by 27% and transit¹ visitors increased by 235%.

Visitors Stay (Tables 6 & 7)

Tables 6(a-d) and 7(a-d) give a breakdown of visitors stay by location and accommodation respectively for 2014 and 2015. For the first nine months of 2015, 64% of visitors stayed on Mahe while 20% stayed on Praslin and 5% on La Digue. During that same period, 89% of visitors stayed in hotels while 4% stayed with friends.

Tourism earnings (Table 1)

Annual (2005 - 2014) and quarterly (2012 - 2014) earnings from tourism are shown in Table 1. Earnings from tourism totalled R1,148 million during the third quarter of 2015 compared to R1,251 million in the same period of 2014. This represents a decrease of 8%. (Note: Data for the third quarter of 2015 is provisional).

Resident departures (Tables 8 & 9)

For the period January to September 2015, 19% of residents went to Europe, 33% to Africa, 27% to Asia, 18% to the Middle East, 1% to Oceania and 2% to America. Sixty percent (60%) of residents were leaving for holiday, while 15% were leaving for business.

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 not 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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¹ Note that transit passengers exclude inbound passengers who connect directly on the next outbound flight and do not pass through immigration control.

VISITORS AND CRUISE SHIP PASSENGERS, 2005-2015

Table 1

YEAR	NUMBER OF VISITOR ARRIVALS	AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY (NIGHTS)	VISITOR NIGHTS (000) (1)	NUMBER OF CRUISE SHIP PASSENGERS (2)	TOURISM EXPENDITURE (Rm) (3)
2005	128,654	9.7	1,248	6,389	824
2006	140,627	9.8	1,378	9,527	885
2007	161,273	9.9	1,597	9,906	1,194
2008	158,952	10.1	1,605	14,466	1,236
2009	157,541	10.2	1,607	19,798	2,007
2010	174,529	10.4	1,815	15,634	2,451
2011	194,476	10.0	1,945	15,710	2,571
2012	208,034	9.9	2,060	7,643	4,260
2013	230,272	10.2	2,349	6,662	4,138
2014	232,667	10.2	2,373	6,131	5,042
2012					
Q1	49,577	9.9	491	4,932	1,039
Q2	48,836	9.7	474	-	1,266
Q3	51,744	10.1	523	-	970
Q4	57,877	10.1	561	2,711	985
2013					
Q1	59,080	10.2	603	5,466	1,000
Q2	53,429	10.2	545	-	1,166
Q3	56,486	10.8	610	-	954
Q4	61,277	9.7	594	1,196	1,018
2014					
Q1	57,489	10.0	575	2,333	1,403
Q2	53,381	10.3	550	561	1,196
Q3	56,566	10.6	600	-	1,251
Q4	65,231	10.1	659	3,237	1,192
2015					
Q1	65,916	10.2	672	8,560	1,316
Q2	62,082	10.0	621	593	1,245
Q3	72,261	10.3	744	-	1,148
Q4					

Source: National Bureau of Statistics & Central Bank of Seychelles

Notes:

(1) Visitor arrivals times average length of stay

(2) Not included as visitors

(3) Tourism earnings reported by banks cover only foreign exchange converted into domestic currency by tourism establishments. As such, they exclude foreign exchange earned but retained by authorised establishments to cover their various external commitments.

VISITOR ARRIVALS AND AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY BY MONTH 2009-2015

Table 2

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
	(Numbers)												
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	17,024	23,312	19,915	22,004	232,667
2015	17,415	23,372	25,129	25,038	20,180	16,864	24,252	25,393	22,616				200,259
	(Percentage change)												
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	1	4	9	7	1
15/14	5	14	23	8	32	13	28	24	33				
AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY	(Nights)												
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	10.2	9.3	10.3	10.8	10.2
2015	10.8	9.5	10.3	9.6	9.4	10.2	10.9	10.7	9.3				

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, 2012 - 2015

Table 3

Number of visitors

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
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	13	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	17,024	23,312	19,915	22,004	232,667
Holiday	15,015	18,662	18,926	21,171	14,035	13,280	18,076	19,536	15,688	21,813	18,108	20,924	215,234
Business	702	661	716	831	771	954	575	536	639	674	898	526	8,483
Holiday/Business	46	35	24	32	24	48	17	20	28	32	34	44	384
Transit	46	636	74	16	45	34	95	30	49	31	61	124	1,241
Other/not stated*	712	593	641	1,065	423	652	233	424	620	762	814	386	7,325
2015 - Total	17,415	23,372	25,129	25,038	20,180	16,864	24,252	25,393	22,616	-	-	-	200,259
Holiday	16,032	21,824	22,915	22,835	18,442	15,153	21,719	23,964	20,883				183,767
Business	580	703	904	749	1,034	848	808	551	1,138				7,315
Holiday/Business	34	39	34	41	65	36	33	22	51				355
Transit	175	272	255	165	157	187	217	261	101				1,790
Other/not stated*	594	534	1,021	1,248	482	640	1,475	595	443				7,032

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

Note: * Including crew

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE AND REGION - 2014/2015

(List as per the United Nations Country Grouping)

Table 4(a)

Country of Residence	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Total-15
GRAND TOTAL	23,312	19,915	22,004	17,415	23,372	25,129	25,038	20,180	16,864	24,252	25,393	22,616	200,259
EUROPE TOTAL	15,779	14,279	12,605	11,197	14,549	15,989	15,388	12,800	9,736	14,019	17,049	12,412	123,139
Eastern Europe	1,740	2,371	2,713	2,930	2,123	2,544	2,066	1,896	1,301	1,736	1,506	1,099	17,201
Belarus	29	44	63	34	30	59	32	34	24	40	18	24	295
Bulgaria	26	18	76	80	41	53	66	23	18	18	24	17	340
Czech Republic	255	328	222	270	299	312	196	120	119	189	152	85	1,742
Hungary	91	87	122	159	238	149	95	43	36	102	98	44	964
Poland	122	207	129	272	281	196	244	339	132	156	206	215	2,041
Republic of Moldova	6	7	10	12	29	4	12	7	9	7	1	2	83
Romania	61	107	60	81	41	82	88	44	72	92	56	137	693
Russia	1,047	1,414	1,798	1,678	832	1,382	1,166	1,132	752	926	823	442	9,133
Slovakia	61	73	92	88	224	162	64	37	27	70	64	64	800
Ukraine	42	86	141	256	108	145	103	117	112	136	64	69	1,110
Northern Europe	2,149	1,615	1,759	1,312	1,871	2,143	2,023	1,507	1,571	2,270	2,110	1,811	16,618
Aland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Channel Islands	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Denmark	157	52	65	121	163	161	49	52	39	214	73	40	912
Estonia	31	20	46	21	30	37	16	10	20	6	8	7	155
Faeroe Islands	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2
Finland	76	41	139	59	113	60	32	14	24	36	16	27	381
Guernsey	-	2	-	6	8	3	1	1	2	-	5	-	26
Iceland	2	1	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	5
Ireland	69	44	39	36	32	57	66	60	63	60	69	75	518
Isle of Man	14	2	-	-	1	2	2	-	2	-	1	1	9
Jersey	12	2	-	1	2	3	4	-	2	-	3	-	15
Latvia	20	21	34	24	28	23	22	8	5	5	12	6	133
Lithuania	9	12	63	33	10	56	29	20	21	15	13	6	203
Northern Ireland (1)	3	2	-	2	2	7	1	5	4	6	15	2	44
Norway	63	96	87	141	62	167	49	31	94	150	65	47	806
Sark	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Svalbard and Jan Mayen Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweden	262	236	382	191	332	224	227	68	114	176	61	88	1,481
United Kingdom of Great Britain	1,429	1,084	902	676	1,087	1,343	1,522	1,238	1,181	1,600	1,769	1,510	11,926
Southern Europe	1,800	1,420	1,957	1,424	1,582	2,325	2,666	1,502	2,015	2,391	4,662	2,619	21,186
Albania	6	-	4	1	-	10	-	5	-	3	5	3	27
Andorra	1	1	-	5	-	2	-	4	2	1	3	1	18
Bosnia & Herzegovina	1	1	1	-	7	5	17	4	4	6	7	1	51
Croatia	10	7	23	37	12	27	15	11	11	10	12	6	141
Gibraltar	2	-	-	-	1	5	2	-	-	4	6	-	18
Greece	17	26	44	19	15	26	47	25	21	40	45	24	262
Holy See (Vatican City)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	1,439	1,149	1,488	1,142	1,290	1,882	2,188	1,192	1,635	1,879	3,954	2,194	17,356
Kosovo	1	1	1	1	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	5
Malta	16	6	12	3	3	9	14	4	7	9	5	11	65
Macedonia	4	2	4	-	-	3	1	-	4	3	1	5	17
Montenegro	2	-	-	5	-	1	1	-	4	-	8	-	19
Portugal	36	22	76	24	29	43	69	33	40	62	64	40	404
San Marino	1	-	5	-	-	2	-	2	1	-	-	2	7
Serbia	20	12	43	29	19	23	33	13	33	46	47	14	257
Slovenia	24	14	26	25	66	31	60	22	22	26	15	15	282
Spain	220	179	230	133	140	254	219	186	231	301	490	303	2,257
Western Europe	10,090	8,873	6,176	5,531	8,973	8,977	8,633	7,895	4,849	7,622	8,771	6,883	68,134
Austria	393	457	487	442	648	590	380	347	311	516	561	376	4,171
Belgium	226	170	204	110	168	198	327	195	142	376	201	174	1,891
France	3,697	3,388	2,155	2,356	4,204	3,521	4,112	2,973	1,477	2,441	3,436	1,905	26,425
Germany	4,182	3,706	2,266	2,078	2,962	3,689	2,262	3,256	2,203	2,520	3,647	3,212	25,829
Liechtenstein	5	-	3	6	-	2	2	-	-	7	2	1	20
Luxembourg	21	35	25	17	35	17	73	37	22	38	134	39	412
Monaco	15	20	8	7	20	16	22	7	3	-	13	4	92
Netherlands	183	124	188	84	112	124	142	201	110	367	171	197	1,508
Switzerland	1,368	973	840	431	824	820	1,313	879	581	1,357	606	975	7,786

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE AND REGION - 2014/2015

(List as per the United Nations Country Grouping)

Table 4(a)

Country of Residence	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Total-15
ASIA TOTAL	3,872	2,566	4,001	2,601	6,396	5,244	4,559	4,117	4,107	6,297	5,288	6,251	44,860
Central Asia	10	29	81	111	61	90	26	33	58	45	60	37	521
Kazakhstan	8	28	66	100	49	88	23	32	57	42	55	33	479
Kyrgyzstan	-	1	1	5	8	2	2	-	-	2	1	-	20
Tajikistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turkmenistan	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Uzbekistan	2	-	14	6	-	-	1	1	1	1	4	4	18
Eastern Asia	1,203	801	969	829	4,133	784	844	1,227	1,019	1,612	1,688	1,440	13,576
China	1,033	652	688	677	3,939	605	664	976	795	1,396	1,455	1,148	11,655
Hong Kong	27	26	57	13	55	32	47	32	27	30	46	52	334
Macao	-	-	1	3	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	7
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	-	-	2	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	1	2	7
Japan	55	53	87	31	34	61	30	53	57	93	105	96	560
Mongolia	-	4	4	3	4	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	10
Republic of Korea	84	59	120	95	88	73	96	162	120	83	74	116	907
Taiwan	4	7	10	7	12	9	4	2	19	10	7	26	96
Southern Asia	317	438	749	375	608	1,100	450	809	1,056	699	871	732	6,700
Afghanistan	1	2	2	1	5	1	3	-	-	3	-	2	15
Bangladesh	8	23	27	8	14	15	21	8	18	18	21	34	157
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
India	195	170	570	245	434	797	312	683	905	523	708	553	5,160
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	5	7	29	6	28	154	5	12	15	29	26	25	300
Maldives	12	17	6	5	12	7	4	8	18	-	6	7	67
Nepal	5	3	2	-	2	14	1	4	2	1	-	8	32
Pakistan	25	32	21	49	29	39	22	33	14	28	44	27	285
Sri Lanka	66	184	92	61	84	73	82	61	84	96	66	76	683
South-Eastern Asia	53	94	109	55	109	118	189	73	97	130	81	80	932
Brunei Darussalam	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cambodia	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	-	-	-	-	-	27
Indonesia	6	8	11	7	16	18	46	8	3	14	10	1	123
Lao People's Democratic Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Malaysia	14	22	19	13	21	18	11	12	15	7	15	9	121
Myanmar	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
Philippines	6	21	20	10	37	28	29	12	17	36	11	29	209
Singapore	14	32	26	17	19	31	27	25	44	48	22	20	253
Thailand	12	11	30	6	11	22	41	15	13	22	22	16	168
Timor-Leste	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Viet Nam	-	-	3	2	5	-	8	1	1	3	1	-	21
Western Asia	2,289	1,204	2,093	1,231	1,485	3,152	3,050	1,975	1,877	3,811	2,588	3,962	23,131
Armenia	-	-	16	22	-	4	6	16	7	1	5	7	68
Azerbaijan	-	4	14	8	-	31	6	-	2	7	8	10	72
Bahrain	76	13	41	19	32	48	98	29	21	73	33	77	430
Cyprus	11	16	22	5	9	7	13	5	12	22	31	12	116
Georgia	1	2	2	3	-	3	4	3	2	7	4	3	29
Iraq	14	1	-	-	2	10	2	116	2	3	4	4	143
Israel	439	21	39	12	60	115	561	30	17	53	80	918	1,846
Jordan	5	2	9	4	4	11	20	16	7	17	11	15	105
Kuwait	50	27	40	25	64	47	39	43	30	64	57	76	445
Lebanon	15	15	25	20	28	24	45	16	38	39	45	57	312
Occupied Palestinian Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	3
Oman	20	29	13	7	16	10	16	16	13	41	18	20	157
Qatar	153	103	127	68	57	166	230	77	33	134	79	136	980
Saudi Arabia	135	86	131	242	210	426	112	124	94	320	161	304	1,993
Syrian Arab Republic	-	1	2	3	-	6	1	2	4	-	2	1	19
Turkey	56	11	30	61	51	86	46	40	63	37	58	56	498
United Arab Emirates	1,314	873	1,581	730	942	2,153	1,851	1,441	1,529	2,992	1,991	2,265	15,894
Yemen	-	-	1	2	10	5	-	-	1	1	1	1	21

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE AND REGION - 2014/2015

(List as per the United Nations Country Grouping)

Table 4(a)

Country of Residence	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Total-15
AMERICA TOTAL	615	663	540	688	627	749	794	630	656	597	601	718	6,060
Caribbean	10	12	5	5	9	8	6	4	9	7	-	2	50
Anguilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua and Barbuda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aruba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahamas	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	3
Barbados	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Bonaire, Saint Eustatius and Saba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cuba	3	4	4	2	4	3	3	3	5	4	-	1	25
Curacao	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominica	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Grenada	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	2
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Martinique	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	4
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Puerto Rico	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Saint-Barthelemy	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Saint Kitts and Nevis	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Saint Lucia	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Saint Martin (French part)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Saint Maarten (Dutch part)	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	4
Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United States Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Central America	4	9	11	12	14	21	20	14	15	7	8	10	121
Belize	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Costa Rica	-	-	1	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
El Salvador	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3	-	1	7
Guatemala	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	2	7
Honduras	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Mexico	4	6	7	11	11	15	10	13	15	4	8	7	94
Nicaragua	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Panama	-	1	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	4
South America	99	72	65	126	79	74	110	78	78	96	48	111	800
Argentina	3	8	13	33	23	35	17	22	11	15	1	18	175
Bolivia	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	5
Brazil	83	54	29	65	42	26	64	34	57	55	38	79	460
Chile	2	1	2	11	8	5	2	11	4	3	3	7	54
Colombia	4	-	-	5	3	2	2	7	1	17	2	5	44
Ecuador	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Paraguay	-	-	1	1	-	-	15	1	-	2	2	-	21
Peru	4	-	3	2	1	1	5	-	-	4	2	-	15
Suriname	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Uruguay	2	6	2	-	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	6
Venezuela	-	2	15	8	-	1	3	-	4	-	-	-	16
Northern America	502	570	459	545	525	646	658	534	554	487	545	595	5,089
Bermuda	-	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	5	-	2	9
Canada	98	53	95	102	93	95	109	73	70	60	76	64	742
Greenland	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United States of America	404	517	358	442	430	551	549	461	484	422	469	529	4,337

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

Notes:

(1) Forms part of UK

(2) Forms part of Mauritius

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY GEOGRAPHICAL REGION - 2015

Table 4(b)

GEOGRAPHICAL REGION	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Total 15
GRAND TOTAL	23,312	19,915	22,004	17,415	23,372	25,129	25,038	20,180	16,864	24,252	25,393	22,616	200,259
													-
EUROPE TOTAL	15,779	14,279	12,605	11,197	14,549	15,989	15,388	12,800	9,736	14,019	17,049	12,412	123,139
													-
Eastern	1,740	2,371	2,713	2930	2123	2544	2066	1896	1,301	1,736	1,506	1,099	17,201
Northern	2,149	1,615	1,759	1312	1871	2143	2023	1507	1,571	2,270	2,110	1,811	16,618
Southern	1,800	1,420	1,957	1424	1582	2325	2666	1502	2,015	2,391	4,662	2,619	21,186
Western	10,090	8,873	6,176	5531	8973	8977	8633	7895	4,849	7,622	8,771	6,883	68,134
													-
AFRICA TOTAL	2,861	2,220	4,635	2,716	1,674	3,006	4,129	2,433	2,176	3,236	2,331	3,084	24,785
													-
Eastern	1,626	1,216	2,087	1676	905	1711	1628	1345	1,023	1,823	1,354	1,617	13,082
Middle	44	30	89	15	24	45	64	26	65	43	37	10	329
Northern	114	38	77	68	66	88	416	68	76	93	115	113	1,103
Southern	1,068	924	2,333	945	645	1132	1658	930	971	1,175	764	1,220	9,440
Western	9	12	49	12	34	30	363	64	41	102	61	124	831
													-
ASIA TOTAL	3,872	2,566	4,001	2,601	6,396	5,244	4,559	4,117	4,107	6,297	5,288	6,251	44,860
													-
Central	10	29	81	111	61	90	26	33	58	45	60	37	521
Eastern	1,203	801	969	829	4133	784	844	1227	1,019	1,612	1,688	1,440	13,576
Southern	317	438	749	375	608	1100	450	809	1,056	699	871	732	6,700
South-Eastern	53	94	109	55	109	118	189	73	97	130	81	80	932
Western	2,289	1,204	2,093	1231	1485	3152	3050	1975	1,877	3,811	2,588	3,962	23,131
													-
OCEANIA TOTAL	185	187	223	213	126	141	168	200	189	103	124	151	1,415
													-
Australia and New Zealand	185	173	223	213	126	141	165	200	183	100	124	149	1,401
Melanesia	-	4	-	-	-	-	3	0	3	3	-	2	11
Micronesia	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
Polynesia	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
													-
AMERICA TOTAL	615	663	540	688	627	749	794	630	656	597	601	718	6,060
													-
Caribbean	10	12	5	5	9	8	6	4	9	7	-	2	50
Central	4	9	11	12	14	21	20	14	15	7	8	10	121
South	99	72	65	126	79	74	110	78	78	96	48	111	800
Northern	502	570	459	545	525	646	658	534	554	487	545	595	5,089

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY TYPE AND BY MODE OF TRANSPORT, 2014 - 2015

Table 5

Number of visitors

<u>Year/Month</u>	TRANSIT			NON - TRANSIT			TOTAL VISITORS		
	Air	Sea	Total	Air	Sea	Total	Air	Sea	Total
2014									
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	49	-	49	16,868	107	16,975	16,917	107	17,024
October	31	-	31	23,231	50	23,281	23,262	50	23,312
November	38	23	61	19,794	60	19,854	19,832	83	19,915
December	111	13	124	21,868	12	21,880	21,979	25	22,004
Total	868	373	1,241	230,989	437	231,426	231,857	810	232,667
2015									
January	175	-	175	17,090	150	17,240	17,265	150	17,415
February	205	67	272	22,938	162	23,100	23,143	229	23,372
March	253	2	255	24,721	153	24,874	24,974	155	25,129
April	165	-	165	24,737	136	24,873	24,902	136	25,038
May	161	-	161	20,000	19	20,019	20,161	19	20,180
June	187	-	187	16,633	44	16,677	16,820	44	16,864
July	217	-	217	23,996	39	24,035	24,213	39	24,252
August	261	-	261	25,092	40	25,132	25,353	40	25,393
September	101	-	101	22,473	42	22,515	22,574	42	22,616
October	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	1,725	69	1,794	197,680	785	198,465	199,405	854	200,259

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

VISITORS STAY BY LOCATION - 2014

(Numbers)

Table 6(a)

	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	9,749	13,803	11,559	13,980	139,286
Praslin	3,434	4,295	4,747	5,084	3,485	3,301	4,373	4,858	4,272	4,996	4,540	3,931	51,316
La Digue	626	1,077	1,209	1,380	759	664	1,013	1,208	1,043	1,383	1,083	1,313	12,758
Other Islands	1,097	1,499	1,704	2,038	1,178	1,186	1,409	1,708	1,352	2,046	1,647	1,958	18,822
On Vessel (1)	766	1,547	1,104	1,197	741	518	511	501	608	1,084	1,086	822	10,485
Total	16,521	20,587	20,381	23,115	15,298	14,968	18,996	20,546	17,024	23,312	19,915	22,004	232,667

VISITORS STAY BY LOCATION - 2015

(Numbers)

Table 6(b)

	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Total
Mahe	11,065	14,467	15,452	15,527	12,667	11,106	16,114	16,081	14,858				127,337
Praslin	3,002	4,707	4,814	5,015	3,995	3,220	4,635	5,439	4,630				39,457
La Digue	783	1,156	1,416	1,145	929	742	1,109	1,289	1,003				9,572
Other Islands	1,377	1,949	2,363	2,008	1,642	1,311	1,887	1,878	1,542				15,957
On Vessel (1)	1,188	1,093	1,084	1,343	947	485	507	706	583				7,936
Total	17,415	23,372	25,129	25,038	20,180	16,864	24,252	25,393	22,616	-	-	-	200,259

VISITORS STAY BY LOCATION - 2014

(Percentage)

Table 6(c)

	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	57	59	58	64	60
Praslin	21	21	23	22	23	22	23	24	25	21	23	18	22
La Digue	4	5	6	6	5	4	5	6	6	6	5	6	5
Other Islands	7	7	8	9	8	8	7	8	8	9	8	9	8
On Vessel (1)	5	8	5	5	5	3	3	2	4	5	5	4	5
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

VISITORS STAY BY LOCATION - 2015

(Percentage)

Table 6 (d)

	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Total
Mahe	64	62	61	62	63	66	66	63	66				64
Praslin	17	20	19	20	20	19	19	21	20				20
La Digue	4	5	6	5	5	4	5	5	4				5
Other Islands	8	8	9	8	8	8	8	7	7				8
On Vessel (1)	7	5	4	5	5	3	2	3	3				4
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	0	0	0	100

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

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

VISITORS STAY BY ACCOMMODATION - 2014

(Numbers)

Table 7 (a)

	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	15,271	20,532	17,532	18,725	203,788
Friends	686	820	802	1,020	643	652	1,056	786	616	920	682	1,398	10,081
Yachts	746	930	1,052	1,182	720	461	506	492	593	1,079	1,006	790	9,557
Cruise Ships	4	611	42	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	72	28	759
Vessel	16	6	10	13	21	57	5	9	15	5	8	4	169
Others	595	625	611	992	439	622	746	704	529	776	615	1,059	8,313
Total	16,521	20,587	20,381	23,115	15,298	14,968	18,996	20,546	17,024	23,312	19,915	22,004	232,667

VISITORS STAY BY ACCOMMODATION - 2015

(Numbers)

Table 7 (b)

	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Total
Hotels(1)	14,857	20,887	22,418	21,732	17,860	14,945	21,847	22,611	20,810				177,967
Friends	770	794	836	958	747	781	1,162	1,088	679				7,815
Yachts	758	836	1,026	1,186	947	483	500	698	581				7,015
Cruise Ships	423	255	49	139	-	-	-	-	-				866
Vessel	7	2	9	18	-	2	7	8	2				55
Others	600	598	791	1,005	626	653	736	988	544				6,541
Total	17,415	23,372	25,129	25,038	20,180	16,864	24,252	25,393	22,616	-	-	-	200,259

VISITORS STAY BY ACCOMMODATION - 2014

(Percentage)

Table 7 (c)

	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	90	88	88	85	88
Friends	4	4	4	4	4	4	6	4	4	4	3	6	4
Yachts	5	5	5	5	5	3	3	2	3	5	5	4	4
Cruise Ships	0	3	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	3	3	4	3	4	4	3	3	3	3	5	4
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

VISITORS STAY BY ACCOMMODATION - 2015

(Percentage)

Table 7 (d)

	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Total
Hotels(1)	85	89	89	87	89	89	90	89	92				89
Friends	4	3	3	4	4	5	5	4	3				4
Yachts	4	4	4	5	5	3	2	3	3				4
Cruise Ships	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0				0
Vessel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Others	3	3	3	4	3	4	3	4	2				3
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	0	0	0	100

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

(1) Includes guest houses & self-catering establishments

RESIDENT DEPARTURES BY PURPOSE OF VISIT - 2015

Table 8

PERMANENT DEPARTURE OF SEYCHELLOIS AND NON-SEYCHELLOIS (More than 1 year)

Purpose of Visit	Holiday		Emigration		Business		Education		Med. Treatment		Employment		End of Cont.		Others/ Sport		Total		Grand Total
	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	
January	32	1	293	149	5	-	66	1	-	-	32	1	-	471	3	-	431	623	1,054
February	5	-	79	39	2	-	29	1	-	-	11	-	-	351	1	-	127	391	518
March	3	-	81	43	5	-	19	1	-	-	10	-	-	514	2	-	120	558	678
April	4	-	132	53	4	-	6	1	-	-	14	1	-	390	1	-	161	445	606
May	-	1	111	45	5	2	16	-	-	-	10	-	-	480	-	-	142	528	670
June	2	-	80	47	3	-	25	-	-	-	12	-	-	475	-	-	122	522	644
July	7	-	128	79	1	-	38	1	-	-	18	-	-	472	2	-	194	552	746
August	5	-	268	175	2	-	66	3	-	-	26	-	-	511	1	-	368	689	1,057
September	2	-	118	45	-	-	90	-	-	-	11	-	-	422	-	-	221	467	688
October																	-	-	-
November																	-	-	-
December																	-	-	-
Total	60	2	1,290	675	27	2	355	8	-	-	144	2	-	4,086	10	-	1,886	4,775	6,661

TEMPORARY DEPARTURE OF SEYCHELLOIS AND NON-SEYCHELLOIS (Less than 1 year)

Purpose of Visit	Holiday		Emigration		Business		Education		Med. Treatment		Employment		End of Cont.		Others/ Sport		Crew		Total		Grand Total
	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	
January	1,974	944	2	2	411	202	153	12	69	17	14	-	-	23	168	11	36	-	2,827	1,211	4,038
February	1,527	722	3	-	483	230	69	3	88	8	9	-	-	11	209	17	32	1	2,420	992	3,412
March	1,731	1,051	-	-	622	251	75	6	102	21	4	-	-	13	198	19	46	-	2,778	1,361	4,139
April	2,205	1,224	6	3	532	219	58	5	105	10	8	-	-	18	190	17	31	-	3,135	1,496	4,631
May	1,757	1,200	-	-	634	248	83	5	84	13	2	-	-	14	417	6	50	1	3,027	1,487	4,514
June	1,841	1,011	-	-	567	249	54	9	83	14	1	-	-	1	309	21	42	-	2,897	1,305	4,202
July	2,066	1,334	-	-	610	223	104	8	96	16	2	-	-	7	643	16	50	1	3,571	1,605	5,176
August	3,082	1,213	2	-	552	207	137	11	89	17	7	-	-	4	212	6	41		4,122	1,458	5,580
September	1,910	927	15	1	637	213	159	4	85	10	4	1	-	28	191	8	38	8	3,039	1,200	4,239
October																			-	-	-
November																			-	-	-
December																			-	-	-
Total	18,093	9,626	28	6	5,048	2,042	892	63	801	126	51	1	-	119	2,537	121	366	11	27,816	12,115	39,931
Grand Total	18,153	9,628	1,318	681	5,075	2,044	1,247	71	801	126	195	3	-	4,205	2,547	121	366	11	29,702	16,890	46,592

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

RESIDENT DEPARTURES BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION - 2015

Table 9(a)

Destination	PERMANENT DEPARTURES OF SEYCHELLOIS AND NON-SEYCHELLOIS (More than 1 year)																								Total		Grand Total
	January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		October		November		December		Sey	Non-Sey	
	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey			
Europe	181	97	45	70	44	100	80	107	67	107	49	120	78	166	196	277	126	105	-	-	-	-	-	-	866	1,149	2,015
France	17	19	5	26	3	41	13	27	7	20	3	26	16	77	34	32	10	13							108	281	389
U.K & Eire	89	48	20	16	22	30	45	33	37	24	31	33	37	36	109	107	72	20							462	347	809
Germany	9	3	2	6	5	5	3	9	4	8	5	11	5	8	6	12	7	11							46	73	119
Italy	37	4	9	4	10	7	10	7	9	7	9	6	4	8	9	25	9	26	5						140	56	196
Scandinavia	2	2	-	4	-	1	1	4	1	2	1	7	3	1	-	1	-	3							8	25	33
Other Europe	27	21	9	14	4	16	8	27	9	46	3	39	9	35	22	116	11	53							102	367	469
Africa	55	85	17	68	16	117	23	80	20	103	14	89	41	110	35	102	18	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	239	834	1,073
South Africa	23	23	8	22	5	21	7	26	9	25	5	28	14	24	4	25	2	21							77	215	292
Kenya	-	4	1	6	3	5	5	6	5	15	1	6	2	13	4	23	6	4							27	82	109
Reunion	6	2	2	1	-	6	1	6	2	3	2	1	2	22	3	3	-	2							18	46	64
Mauritius	14	41	4	29	7	58	4	25	3	47	4	39	10	37	17	32	7	30							70	338	408
Madagascar	1	2	-	5	1	9	-	7	-	6	1	8	3	5	-	2	1	5							7	49	56
Other Africa	11	13	2	5	-	18	6	10	1	7	1	7	10	9	7	17	2	18							40	104	144
Middle East	76	4	30	2	26	2	26	5	32	13	28	4	34	11	81	15	29	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	362	61	423
UAE (Dubai)	51	-	20	-	19	1	18	2	27	3	24	1	19	3	60	6	20	4							258	20	278
Qatar	11	1	3	1	1	1	3	-	2	1	-	-	1	1	13	2	1	-							35	7	42
Other Middle East	14	3	7	1	6	-	5	3	3	9	4	3	14	7	8	7	8	1							69	34	103
Asia	29	359	9	223	17	322	7	229	13	280	14	291	13	220	15	256	27	263	-	-	-	-	-	-	144	2,443	2,587
India	10	266	-	160	5	209	4	147	6	165	7	186	4	125	9	157	1	134							46	1,549	1,595
Other Indian Sub Continent	6	59	1	37	1	63	-	56	1	75	3	65	3	66	-	49	1	66							16	536	552
Singapore	4	3	1	2	-	1	-	1	-	3	-	6	4	-	-	-	-	6							9	22	31
Other Far East	9	31	7	24	11	49	3	25	6	37	4	34	2	29	6	50	25	57							73	336	409
Oceania	65	61	19	17	5	8	13	15	4	13	13	9	11	21	10	17	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	149	170	319
Australia	63	61	19	17	5	8	13	13	4	12	12	8	10	21	7	17	9	9							142	166	308
Other Oceania	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	1	1	1	-	3	-	-	-							7	4	11
America	25	17	7	11	12	9	12	9	6	12	4	9	17	24	31	22	12	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	126	118	244
Canada	14	5	4	4	8	3	8	2	5	2	2	2	11	9	15	8	5	2							72	37	109
Other America	11	12	3	7	4	6	4	7	1	10	2	7	6	15	16	14	7	3							54	81	135
Total	431	623	127	391	120	558	161	445	142	528	122	522	194	552	368	689	221	467	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,886	4,775	6,661
		1,054		518		678		606		670		644		746		1,057		688	-	-	-	-	-	-			

Table 9(b)

Destination	TEMPORARY OF DEPARTURES OF SEYCHELLOIS AND NON-SEYCHELLOIS (Less than 1 year)																								Total		Grand		
	January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		October		November		December		Sey	Non-Sey	Total		
	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Sey	Non-Sey	Total
Europe	293	227	207	175	316	306	355	290	434	318	461	307	742	485	793	320	555	233	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,156	2,661	6,817		
France	56	40	40	39	49	56	58	51	123	58	99	69	289	164	172	64	153	53							1,039	594	1,633		
U.K & Eire	105	60	52	45	114	74	142	71	139	88	163	63	211	92	376	71	194	50							1,496	614	2,110		
Germany	31	19	17	19	46	33	32	24	22	21	32	24	39	29	34	15	37	15							290	199	489		
Italy	52	24	29	15	37	24	53	21	52	32	65	24	107	48	88	26	63	36							546	250	796		
Scandinavia	5	4	3	4	6	4	4	6	10	1	9	4	11	5	8	4	18	2							74	34	108		
Other Europe	44	80	66	53	64	115	66	117	88	118	93	123	85	147	115	140	90	77							711	970	1,681		
Africa	1,030	304	1,213	277	1,232	319	1,203	391	1,233	398	1,026	397	1,452	397	1,403	402	1,136	326	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,928	3,211	14,139		
South Africa	328	98	665	84	615	115	423	76	422	118	209	73	378	124	411	101	402	82							3,853	871	4,724		
Kenya	55	41	44	48	60	42	60	54	109	48	78	46	68	42	89	68	60	41							623	430	1,053		
Reunion	20	12	45	6	15	7	40	17	44	16	69	30	438	12	50	7	45	10							766	117	883		
Mauritius	501	87	297	81	370	105	518	129	498	118	440	112	367	126	618	115	396	90							4,005	963	4,968		
Madagascar	52	33	30	15	40	24	69	46	47	49	83	100	107	42	62	73	41	54							531	436	967		
Other Africa	74	33	132	43	132	26	93	69	113	49	147	36	94	51	173	38	192	49							1,150	394	1,544		
Middle East	841	37	570	60	732	63	953	85	769	53	788	53	757	45	1,188	60	806	82	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,404	538	7,942		
UAE (Dubai)	786	26	544	43	694	42	901	66	743	42	757	40	705	33	1,127	48	767	70							7,024	410	7,434		
Qatar	32	-	13	5	17	-	22	-	14	-	14	-	16	2	14	1	13	2							155	10	165		
Other Middle East	23	11	13	12	21	21	30	19	12	11	17	13	36	10	47	11	26	10							225	118	343		
Asia	605	608	388	449	464	630	584	677	540	685	553	512	534	609	666	626	492	542	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,826	5,338	10,164		
India	192	369	129	274	174	357	156	396	161	395	128	281	173	346	227	343	127	276							1,467	3,037	4,504		
Other Indian Sub Continent	181	138	130	102	114	126	180	165	147	168	179	112	152	144	196	178	148	151							1,427	1,284	2,711		
Singapore	50	3	17	1	53	7	45	5	46	4	26	13	46	3	51	8	47	12							381	56	437		
Other Far East	182	98	112	72	123	140	203	111	186	118	220	106	163	116	192	97	170	103							1,551	961	2,512		
Oceania	37	21	26	18	14	14	16	16	14	18	28	20	42	21	23	26	15	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	215	159	374		
Australia	34	18	25	18	12	12	15	15	13	17	24	16	40	21	14	24	15	5							192	146	338		
Other Oceania	3	3	1	-	2	2	1	1	1	1	4	4	2	-	9	2	-	-							23	13	36		
America	21	14	16	13	20	29	24	37	37	15	41	16	44	48	49	24	35	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	287	208	495		
Canada	2	4	5	2	4	10	9	10	5	4	6	3	9	1	8	10	4	2							52	46	98		
Other America	19	10	11	11	16	19	15	27	32	11	35	13	35	47	41	14	31	10							235	162	397		
Total	2,827	1,211	2,420	992	2,778	1,361	3,135	1,496	3,027	1,487	2,897	1,305	3,571	1,605	4,122	1,458	3,039	1,200	-	-	-	-	-	-	27,816	12,115	39,931		
			4,038		3,412		4,139		4,631		4,514		4,202		5,176		5,580		4,239		-	-	-	-					
Grand Total			5,092		3,930		4,817		5,237		5,184		4,846		5,922		6,637		4,927		-	-	-	-	29,702	16,890	46,592		

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from disembarkation cards

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY TYPE OF CARRIER - 2015

TABLE 10

MONTH	TYPE OF CARRIER							TOTAL
	Scheduled Flight	Private Plane	Chartered Plane	Vessel	Yacht	Cruise Ship ⁽¹⁾	Other / Non-Scheduled	
January	16,342	291	332	8	5	137	300	17,415
February	22,444	206	493	-	18	211	-	23,372
March	23,823	933	218	-	119	36	-	25,129
April	23,599	716	587	16	13	107	-	25,038
May	19,824	337	-	-	19	-	-	20,180
June	16,302	518	-	2	42	-	-	16,864
July	23,695	517	1	2	37	-	-	24,252
August	25,192	159	2	-	40	-	-	25,393
September	21,366	160	1,048	-	42	-	-	22,616
October								-
November								-
December								-
Cumulative TOTAL	192,587	3,837	2,681	28	335	491	300	200,259

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from Disembarkation cards

Notes:

⁽¹⁾ Excludes day trippers

⁽²⁾ Diverted flight due to bad weather in country of destination

MONTHLY CRUISE SHIP PASSENGERS - 2008 - 2015

Table 11

Ships calling (Numbers)	Month												Total
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
Year													
2008	6	10	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	6	34
2009	9	8	7	9	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	39
2010	3	3	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	20
2011	3	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	16	28
2012	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	12
2013	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	10
2014	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	11
2015	6	4	3	2	0	0	0	0	0				15
Transit Passengers /Day trippers (Numbers)													
2008	2,784	2,063	1,554	1,599	0	0	0	0	0	583	1,019	4,412	14,014
2009	5,238	2,758	2,846	3,607	1,968	0	0	0	462	315	554	2,050	19,798
2010	3,159	2,951	3,870	1,177	306	0	0	0	0	0	480	3,691	15,634
2011	4,319	2,944	2,797	1,670	1,939	0	0	0	0	0	33	2,008	15,710
2012	3,111	1,415	406	0	0	0	0	0	0	997	1,409	641	7,979
2013	1,530	2,798	1,138	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	545	651	6,662
2014	666	668	999	561	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,202	2,035	6,131
2015	3,768	3,506	1,286	593	0	0	0	0	0				9,153
Passengers disembarking													
2008	1909	271	853	226	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	130	3,397
2009	407	494	8	128	6	0	0	0	1	5	2	5	1,056
2010	13	12	12	8	36	0	0	0	0	0	227	127	435
2011	15	248	12	33	5	0	0	0	0	0	117	2087	2,517
2012	18	674	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	25	1	738
2013	328	13	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	58	1	410
2014	2	319	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	5	348
2015	39	30	59	70	0	0	0	0	0				198
Passengers embarking													
2008	370	905	73	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	179	17	1,544
2009	527	546	78	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	1,158
2010	6	11	2	22	3	0	0	0	0	0	221	164	429
2011	8	239	11	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	127	80	475
2012	9	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	4	5	26
2013	275	9	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	320
2014	1	323	36	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	108	4	476
2015	792	38	58	78	0	0	0	0	0				966

Source: National Bureau of Statistics from Seychelles Ports Authority records

Chart 1: Visitor Arrivals, January - September (2013 - 2015)

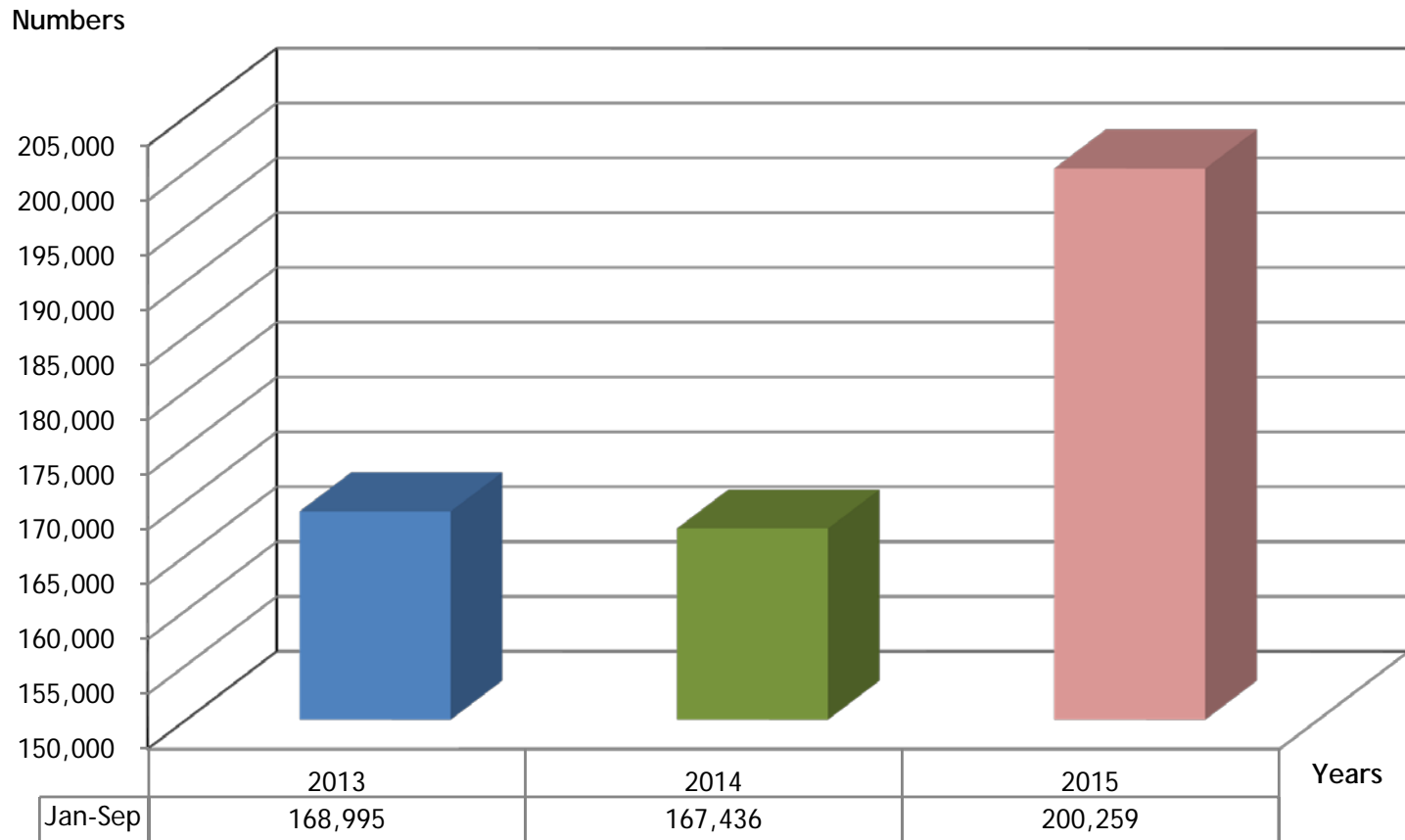


Chart 2: Visitor Arrivals by Leading Markets (January - September) 2015 v/s 2014

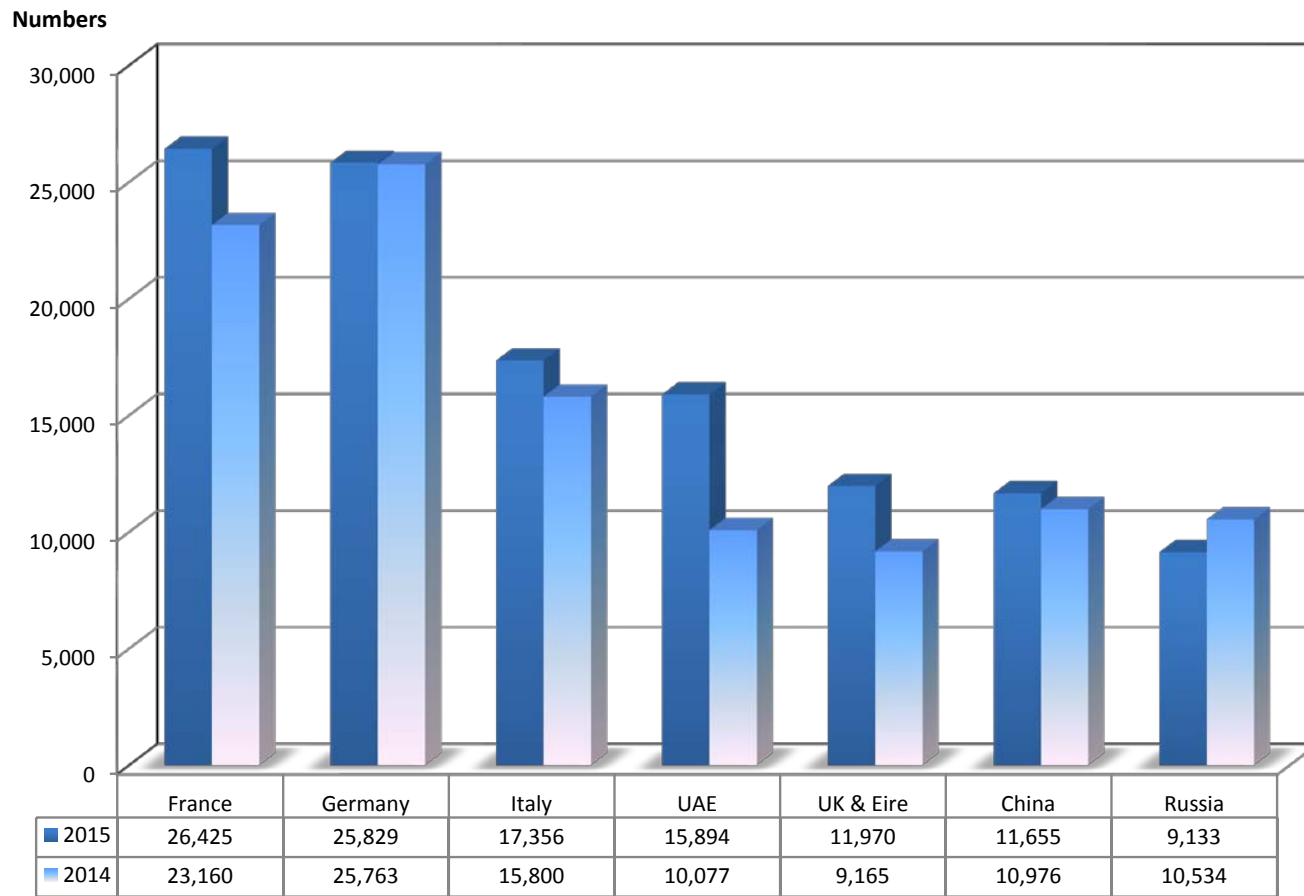


Chart 3: Visitors Stay by Location - January - September 2015

