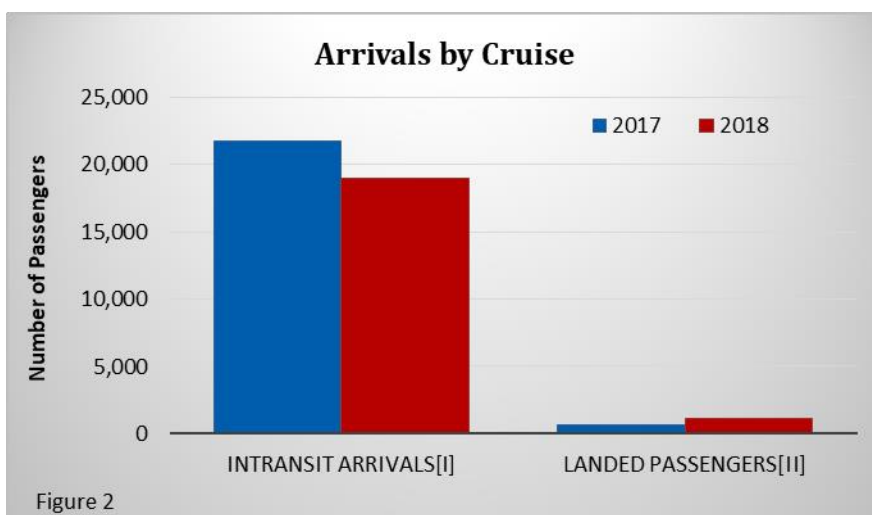
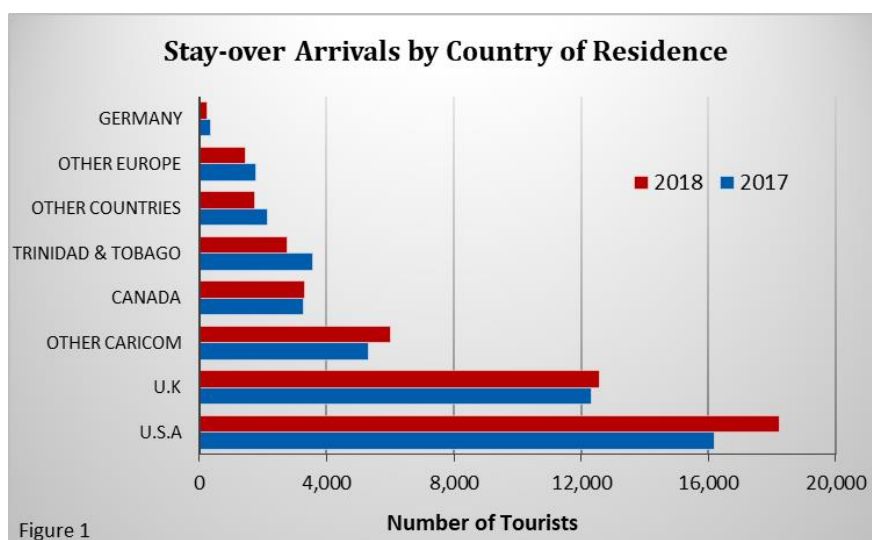


### Stay-Over Visitors and Cruise Ship Passenger Arrivals

June 2018 saw positive growth in visitor arrivals. Among stay-over visitors, arrivals increased by **1,377** tourists (or **3.1%**) to **46,334** compared to **44,957** in the year 2017 (**Figure 1**). Total cruise arrivals decreased by **10%** over the review period to **20,105** passengers.



A decrease was observed among stay-over arrivals from Germany (↓28.6%)

Tourist arrivals from Trinidad & Tobago totalled 2,758 (↓22.4%)

Tourists arrivals from Other Europe declined to 1,450 (↓18.1%)

U.S.A stay-over visitors totalled 18,223 (↑12.5%)

#### Cruise

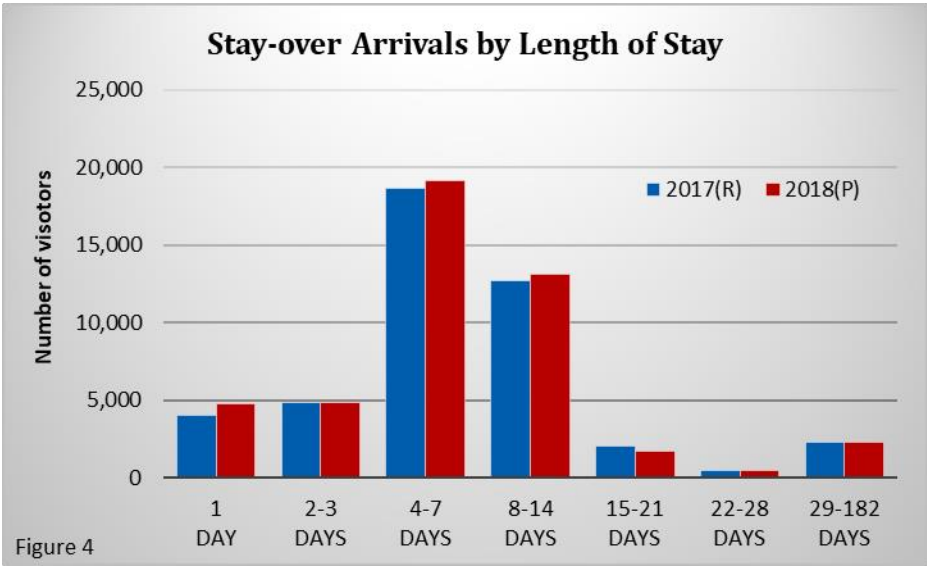
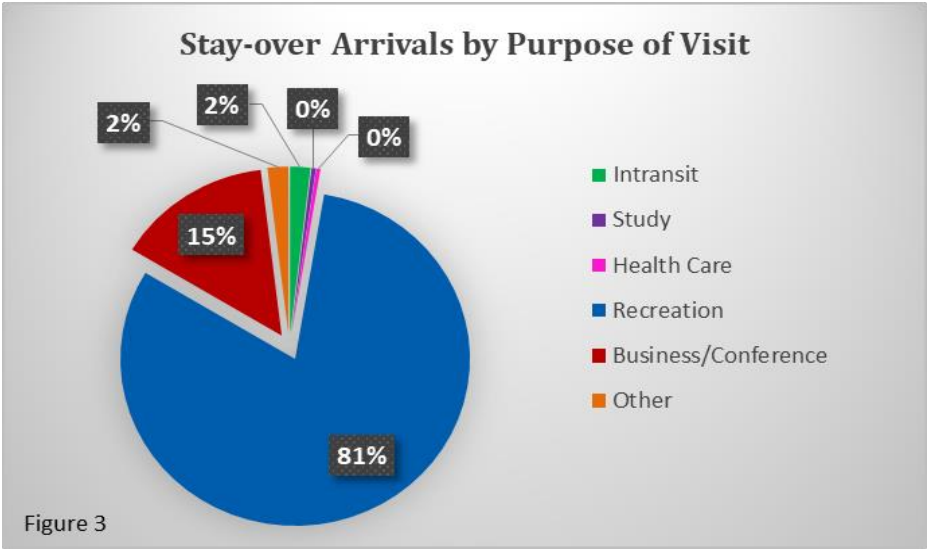
Landed passengers increased to 1,105 (↑69%)

Intransit cruise passengers numbered 19,000 (↓12.4%)

The number of cruise calls totalled 8 (↓27.3%)

Other Highlights:

Among the **46,334** stay-over arrivals recorded for this period, **37,519** (or 81%) visited for recreational purposes, predominantly for holiday (**32,854** tourists). This represents an increase of **2.7%** among all recreational visitors. The average number of days spent in Barbados among stay-over visitor arrivals was approximately **9.75** days over the review period.



Health care visits increased to 178 (↑54.8%)

Honeymoon / getting married visits totalled 930 (↑25.3%)

Visits for sports declined to 346 (↓23.6%)

Intransit arrivals rose to 867 (↑18.4%)

Visits for the purpose of visiting friends rose to 2,572 (↑17.2%)

Other recreation visits totalled 817 (↑16.4%)

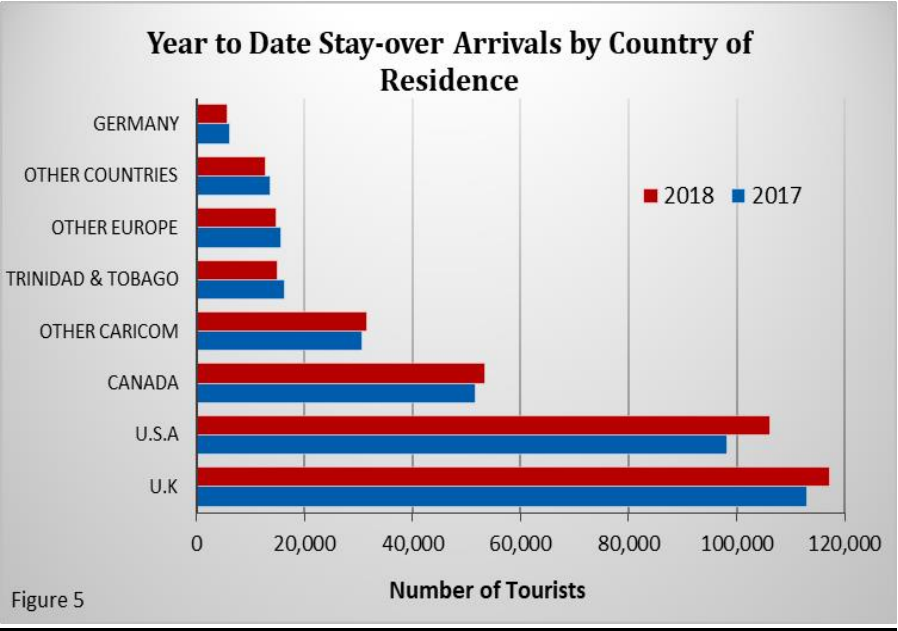
Length of stay

Visits of 1 day totalled 4,754 (↑17.6%)

Average length of stay was 9.75 days (↓2.7%)

# YEAR TO DATE

January – June 2018 saw positive growth in visitor arrivals. Among stay-over visitors, arrivals increased by **11,607** tourists (or **3.4%**) to **356,406** compared to **344,799** in the year 2017 (**Figure 5**). Total cruise arrivals decreased by **3.8%** over the review period to **489,516** passengers.



Trinidad & Tobago stay-over visitors totalled 14,907 (↓8.6%)

An increase was observed among stay-over arrivals from the U.S.A (↑8.2%)

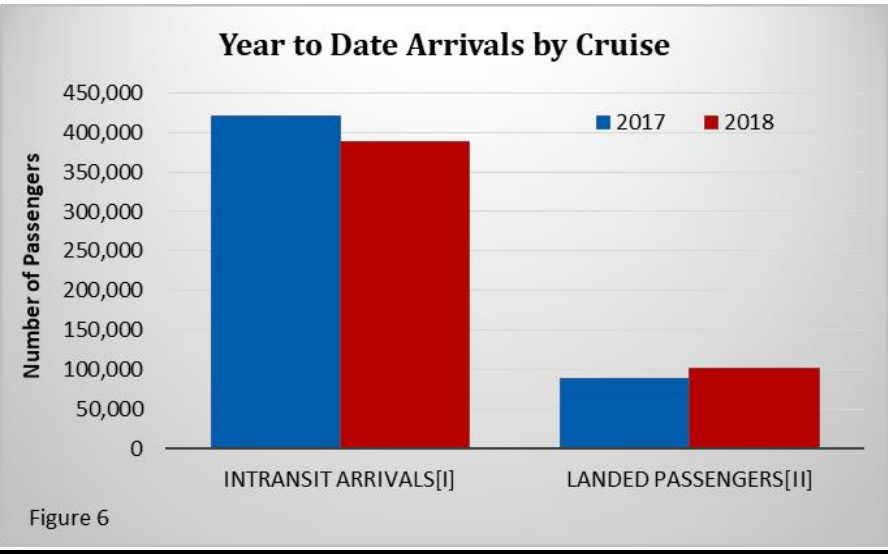
Tourist arrivals from Other Countries totalled 12,662 (↓7.5%)

## Cruise

Landed passengers grew to 101,881 (↑15.2%)

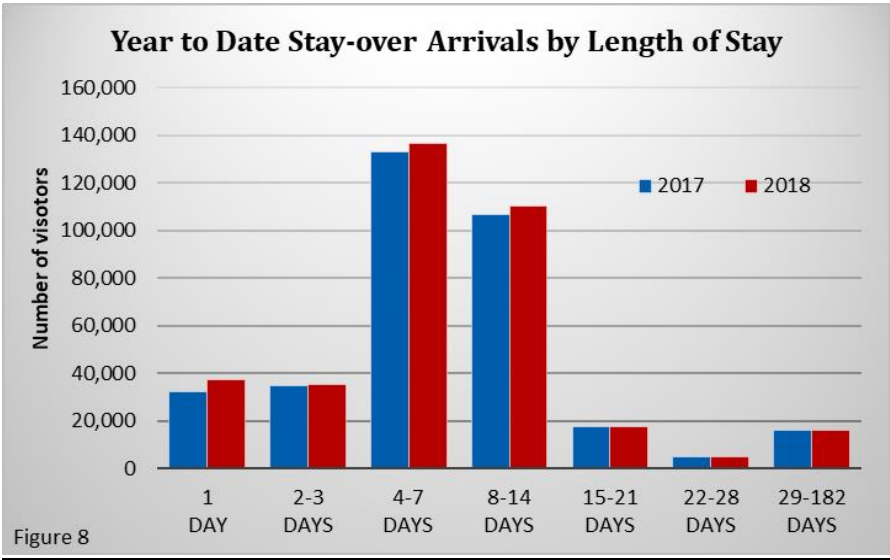
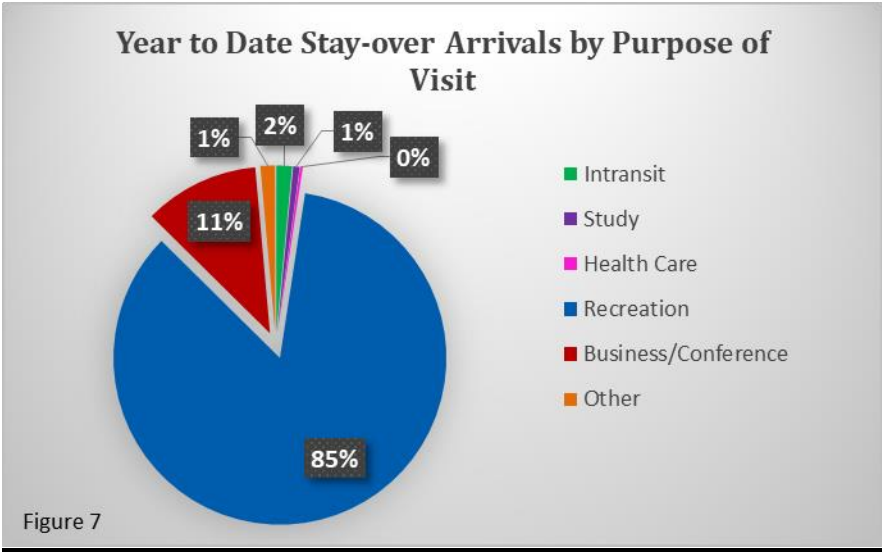
Intransit cruise passengers numbered 387,635(↓7.8%)

The number of cruise calls totalled 275 (↓11.3%)



**Other Highlights:**

Among the **356,974** stay-over arrivals recorded for this period, **303,328** (or 85%) visited for recreational purposes, predominantly for holiday (**282,484** tourists). This represents an increase of **5%** among all recreational visitors. The average number of days spent in Barbados among stay-over visitor arrivals was approximately **9.97** days over the review period.



Sports visits totalled 2,576 (↓**34.1%**)

Health care visits increased to 914 (↑**28.9%**)

Visits for the purpose of visiting friends declined to 12,320 (↓**13.3%**)

Study visits totalled 2,271 (↓**5.8%**)

Intransit arrivals fell to 5,449 (↓**5.7%**)

Recreation visits totalled 303,328 (↑**5%**)

**Length of stay**

One day stays totalled 37,145 (↑**15.2%**)

Average length of stay was 9.97 days (↓**1.7%**)

**Table 1**  
**Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Country of Residence; 2017 and 2018**

Country Of Residence	June		Actual Change	% Change
	2017 <sup>(R)</sup>	2018 <sup>(P)</sup>		
U.S.A	16,201	18,223	2,022	12.5
Canada	3,289	3,306	17	0.5
U.K	12,338	12,590	252	2.0
Germany	360	257	-103	-28.6
Other Europe	1,770	1,450	-320	-18.1
Trinidad & Tobago	3,552	2,758	-794	-22.4
Other CARICOM	5,305	5,995	690	13.0
Other Countries	2,142	1,755	-387	-18.1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>44,957</b>	<b>46,334</b>	<b>1,377</b>	<b>3.1</b>

**Table 2**  
**Cruise Ship Arrivals; 2017 and 2018**

Details	June		Actual Change	% Change
	2017 <sup>(R)</sup>	2018 <sup>(P)</sup>		
<b>Total Cruise Arrivals</b>	<b>22,337</b>	<b>20,105</b>	<b>-2,232</b>	<b>-10.0</b>
Intransit Arrivals <sup>[i]</sup>	21,683	19,000	-2,683	-12.4
Landed Passengers <sup>[ii]</sup>	654	1,105	451	69.0
<b>No. of Cruise Calls</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>-3</b>	<b>-27.3</b>

**Table 3**  
**Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Purpose of Visit; 2017 and 2018**

Purpose of Visit	June		Actual Change	% Change
	2017 <sup>®</sup>	2018 <sup>(P)</sup>		
Intransit	732	867	135	18.4
Study	213	186	-27	-12.7
Health Care	115	178	63	54.8
Recreation	36,546	37,519	973	2.7
<i>Holiday</i>	32,454	32,854	400	1.2
<i>Visiting Friends etc.</i>	2,195	2,572	377	17.2
<i>Honeymoon/Get Married</i>	742	930	188	25.3
<i>Sports</i>	453	346	-107	-23.6
<i>Other Recreation</i>	702	817	115	16.4
Business/Conference	6,473	6,692	219	3.4
Other	878	892	14	1.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>44,957</b>	<b>46,334</b>	<b>1,377</b>	<b>3.1</b>

**Table 4**  
**Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Intended Length of Stay; 2017 and 2018**

Length of Stay	June		Actual Change	% Change
	2017 <sup>(R)</sup>	2018 <sup>(P)</sup>		
1 Day	4,041	4,754	713	17.6
2-3 Days	4,834	4,841	7	0.1
4-7 Days	18,654	19,128	474	2.5
8-14 Days	12,709	13,101	392	3.1
15-21 Days	2,021	1,754	-267	-13.2
22-28 Days	435	502	67	15.4
29-182 Days	2,263	2,254	-9	-0.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>44,957</b>	<b>46,334</b>	<b>1,377</b>	<b>3.1</b>
<b>Average</b>	<b>10.02</b>		<b>-10</b>	<b>-100.0</b>

**Table 5**  
**Year to date Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Country of Residence; 2017 and 2018**

Country Of Residence	Year-To-Date		Actual Change	% Change
	2017 <sup>(R)</sup>	2018 <sup>(P)</sup>		
U.S.A	98,139	106,792	8,084	8.2
Canada	51,603	53,285	1,682	3.3
U.K	112,922	117,247	4,325	3.8
Germany	6,047	5,672	-375	-6.2
Other Europe	15,562	14,842	-720	-4.6
Trinidad & Tobago	16,304	14,907	-1,397	-8.6
Other CARICOM	30,538	31,568	1,030	3.4
Other Countries	13,684	12,662	-1,022	-7.5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>344,799</b>	<b>356,406</b>	<b>11,607</b>	<b>3.4</b>

**Table 6**  
**Year to date Cruise Ship Arrivals; 2017 and 2018**

Details	Year-To-Date		Actual Change	% Change
	2017 <sup>(R)</sup>	2018 <sup>(P)</sup>		
<b>Total Cruise Arrivals</b>	<b>508,941</b>	<b>489,516</b>	<b>-19,425</b>	<b>-3.8</b>
<b>Intransit Arrivals<sup>[i]</sup></b>	420,534	387,635	-32,899	-7.8
<b>Landed Passengers<sup>[ii]</sup></b>	88,407	101,881	13,474	15.2
<b>No. of Cruise Calls</b>	310	275	-35	-11.3

**Table 7**  
**Year to Date Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Purpose of Visit; 2017 and 2018**

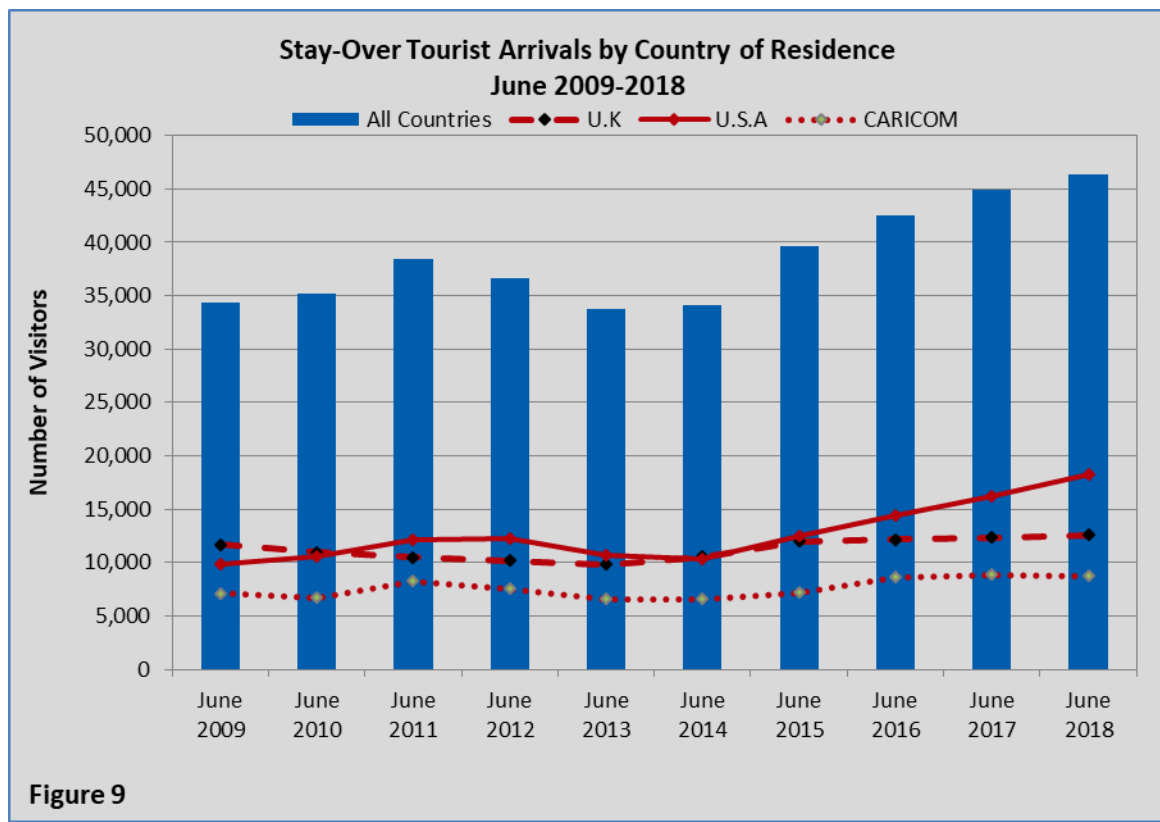
Purpose of Visit	Year-To-Date		Actual Change	% Change
	2017 <sup>(R)</sup>	2018 <sup>(P)</sup>		
Intransit	5,776	5,449	-327	-5.7
Study	2,410	2,271	-139	-5.8
Health Care	709	914	205	28.9
Recreation	288,836	303,328	14,492	5.0
<i>Holiday</i>	<i>264,537</i>	<i>282,484</i>	<i>17,947</i>	<i>6.8</i>
<i>Visiting Friends etc.</i>	<i>14,212</i>	<i>12,320</i>	<i>-1,892</i>	<i>-13.3</i>
<i>Honeymoon/Get Married</i>	<i>2,866</i>	<i>2,715</i>	<i>-151</i>	<i>-5.3</i>
<i>Sports</i>	<i>3,908</i>	<i>2,576</i>	<i>-1,332</i>	<i>-34.1</i>
<i>Other Recreation</i>	<i>3,313</i>	<i>3,233</i>	<i>-80</i>	<i>-2.4</i>
Business/Conference	41,729	39,935	-1,794	-4.3
Other	5,339	5,077	-262	-4.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>344,799</b>	<b>356,974</b>	<b>12,175</b>	<b>3.5</b>

**Table 8**  
**Year to Date Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Intended Length of Stay; 2017 and 2018**

Length of Stay	Year-To-Date		Actual Change	% Change
	2017 <sup>(R)</sup>	2018 <sup>(P)</sup>		
<b>1 Day</b>	32,250	37,145	4,895	15.2
<b>2-3 Days</b>	34,525	35,221	696	2.0
<b>4-7 Days</b>	133,209	136,459	3,250	2.4
<b>8-14 Days</b>	106,870	110,041	3,171	3.0
<b>15-21 Days</b>	17,379	17,489	110	0.6
<b>22-28 Days</b>	4,805	4,805	0	0.0
<b>29-182 Days</b>	15,761	15,815	54	0.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>344,799</b>	<b>356,975</b>	<b>12,176</b>	<b>3.5</b>
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