

Stay-Over Visitors and Cruise Ship Passenger Arrivals

June 2020 saw negative growth in visitor arrivals. Among stay-over visitors, arrivals decreased significantly to **494** from **50,160** in the year 2019 (Figure 1). There were no cruise arrivals for June 2020.

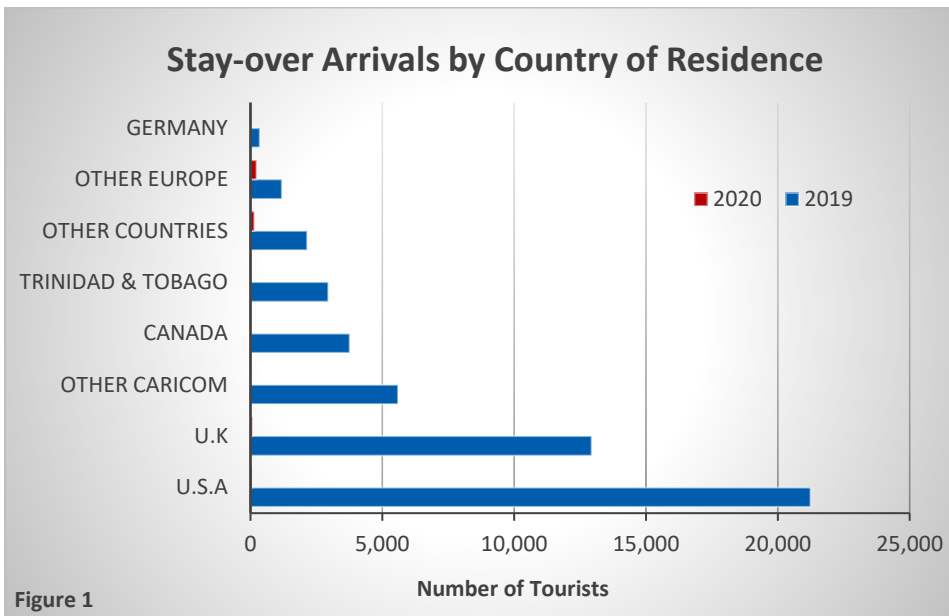


Figure 1



There were no stay-over arrivals from Germany (↓99.8%)

Other countries stay-over visitors totalled 143 for 2020 (↓93.3%)

Tourist arrivals from Other Europe totalled 224 (↓81.1%)

U.S.A tourist arrivals decreased to 54 (↓99.8%)

Cruise

Total cruise arrivals was recorded at 0 for 2020 as a direct of the Covid-19 pandemic

The number of cruise calls totalled 8 (↑33.3%)

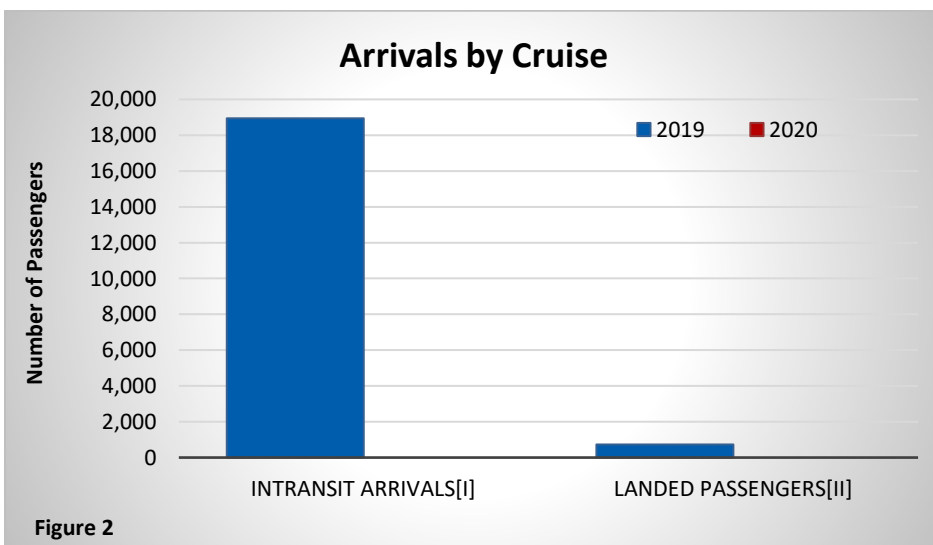
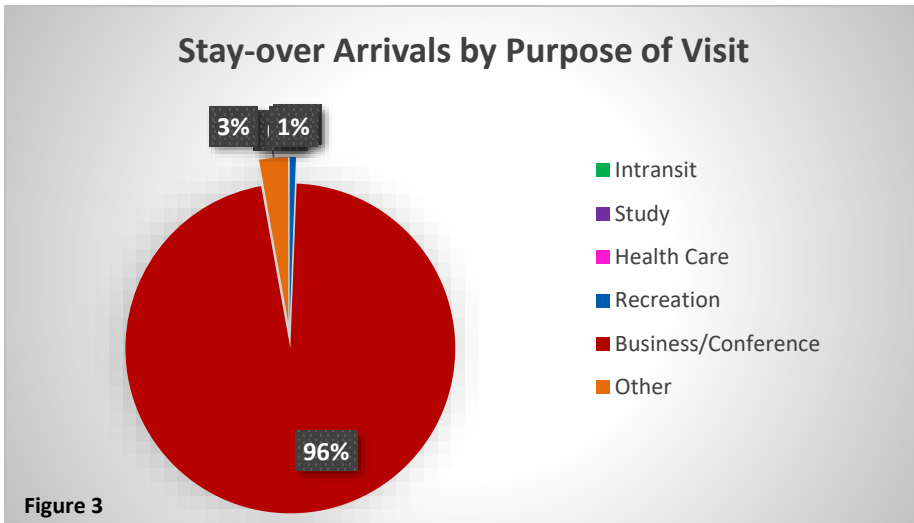


Figure 2

Other Highlights:

Among the **494** stay-over arrivals recorded for this period, **477** (or 96.6%) visited for business/conference; despite this representing a decrease of **92.3%** in the overall stay-over arrivals for 2020. The average number of days spent in Barbados among stay-over visitor arrivals was approximately **1.66** days over the review period.



Recreation visits were reported at 3

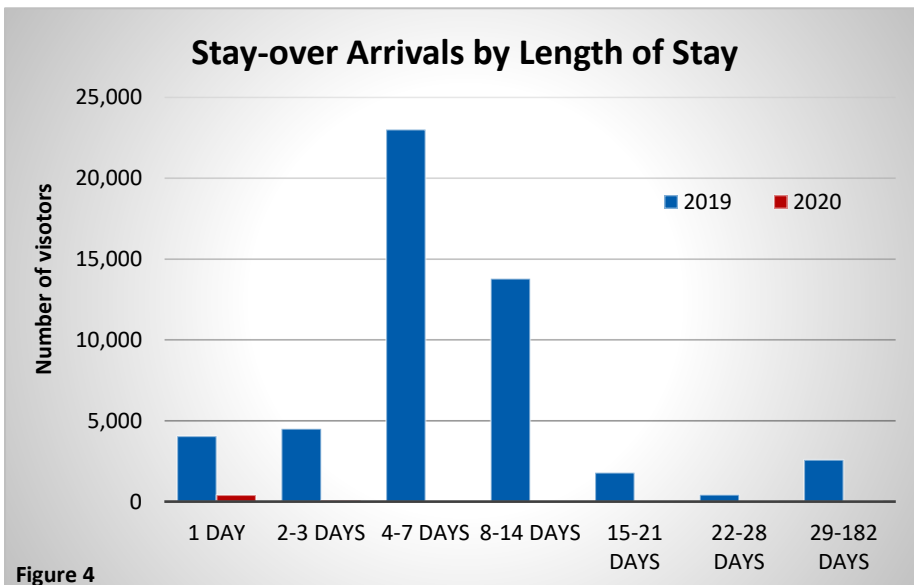
Business/Conference fell, though the highest reported figure to 477 (↓92.3%)

Visits recorded as other totalled 14 (↓96.9%)

Length of stay

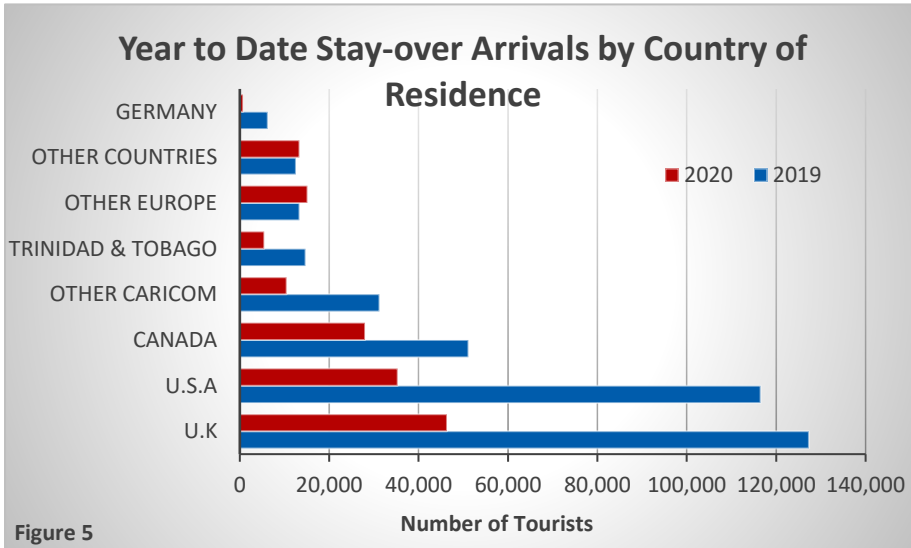
Visits of 2-3 day totalled 61 (↓98.6%)

Average length of stay was **1.66** days (↓83.2%)



YEAR TO DATE

During the period, January – June 2020, there was a significant fall off in the number of stay-over tourist arrivals to Barbados due to on-going global Covid-19 pandemic. Among stay-over visitors, arrivals decreased by **218,191** tourists (or **58.5%**) to **154,824** compared to **373,015** in the year 2019 (**Figure 5**). Total cruise arrivals contracted by **30.1%** over the review period to **343,765** passengers.



A decline was observed among stay-over arrivals from Germany (↓**88.2%**)

Other Europe stay-over visitors totalled 15,096 (↑**13.3%**)

Tourist arrivals from U.S.A decreased to 35,345 (↓**69.7%**)

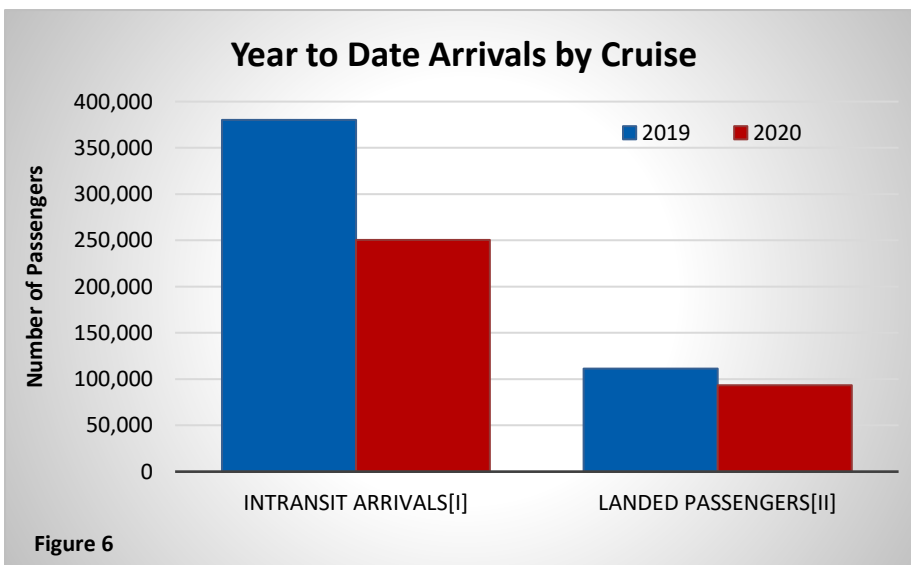
Stay-over tourist arrivals from other countries rose to 13,336 (↑**6.1%**)

Cruise

Landed passengers contracted to 93,233 (↓**16.3%**)

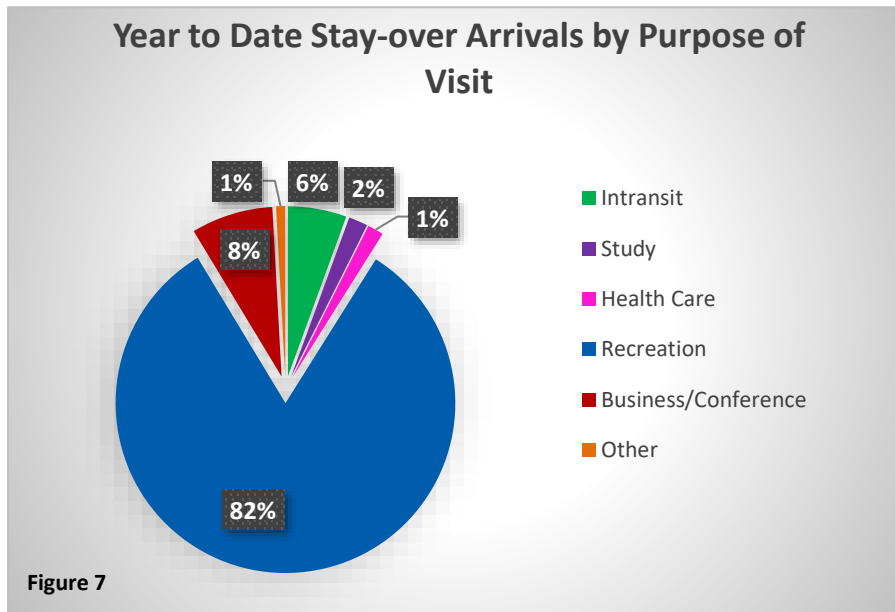
Intransit cruise passengers numbered 250,532 (↓**34.1%**)

The number of cruise calls totalled 224 (↓**12.5%**)



Other Highlights:

Among the **154,824** stay-over arrivals recorded for this period, **127,602** (or 82.4%) visited for recreational purposes, predominantly for holiday (**92,304** tourists). The average number of days spent in Barbados among stay-over visitor arrivals was approximately **6.17** days over the review period.



Study visits totalled 2,823 (↓38.0%)

Visits for the purpose of sports decreased to 1,029 (↓75.3%)

Intransit visits totalled 8,634 (↑102.5%)

Other purposes of visit declined to 1,346 (↓64.0%)

Length of stay

Visits for 29-182 days fell to 8,069 (↓64.0%)

Average length of stay was 6.17 days (↓41.2%)

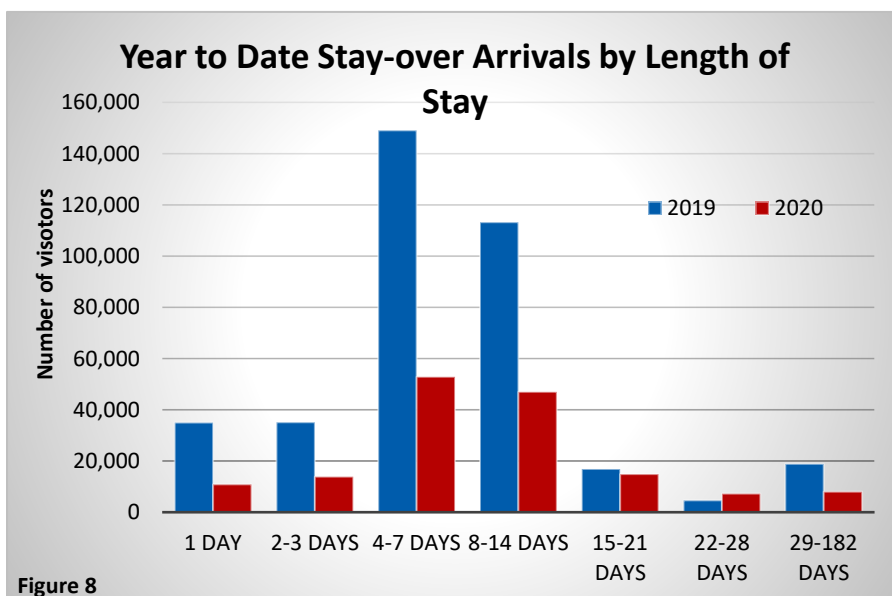


Table 1 - Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Country of Residence 2019 and 2020

Country Of Residence	June		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
U.S.A	21,239	54	(21,185)	(99.75)
U.K	12,938	72	(12,866)	(99.44)
Other CARICOM	5,594	1	(5,593)	(99.98)
Canada	3,760	0	(3,760)	(100.00)
Trinidad & Tobago	2,952	0	(2,952)	(100.00)
Other Countries	2,145	143	(2,002)	(93.33)
Other Europe	1,184	224	(960)	(81.08)
Germany	348	0	(348)	(100.00)
TOTAL	50,160	494	(49,666)	(99.02)

Table 2 - Cruise Ship Arrivals 2019 and 2020

Details	June		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
Total Cruise Arrivals	19,675	0	(19,675)	(100.0)
Intransit Arrivals ^[i]	18,950	0	(18,950)	(100.0)
Landed Passengers ^[ii]	725	0	(725)	(100.0)
No. of Cruise Calls	6	8	2	33.3

Table 3 - Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Purpose of Visit 2019 and 2020

Purpose of Visit	June		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
Intransit	562	0	(562)	(100.0)
Study	451	0	(451)	(100.0)
Health Care	116	0	(116)	(100.0)
Recreation	42,360	3	(42,357)	(100.0)
<i>Holiday</i>	37,717	1	(37,716)	(100.0)
<i>Visiting Friends etc.</i>	2,095	1	(2,094)	(100.0)
<i>Honeymoon/Get Married</i>	1,001	0	(1,001)	(100.0)
<i>Sports</i>	776	0	(776)	(100.0)
<i>Other Recreation</i>	771	1	(770)	(99.9)
Business/Conference	6,219	477	(5,742)	(92.3)
Other	452	14	(438)	(96.9)
Total	50,160	494	(49,666)	(99.0)

Table 4 - Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Intended Length of Stay 2019 and 2020

Length of Stay	June		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
1 Day	4,057	412	(3,645)	(89.8)
2-3 Days	4,510	61	(4,449)	(98.6)
4-7 Days	23,010	7	(23,003)	(100.0)
8-14 Days	13,785	3	(13,782)	(100.0)
15-21 Days	1,792	9	(1,783)	(99.5)
22-28 Days	432	1	(431)	(99.8)
29-182 Days	2,574	1	(2,573)	(100.0)
Total	50,160	494	(49,666)	(99.0)
Average	9.89	1.66	(8)	(83.2)

Table 5 - Year to date Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Country of Residence 2019 and 2020

Country Of Residence	Year-To-Date		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
U.K	127,298	46,318	(80,980)	(63.6)
U.S.A	116,497	35,345	(81,152)	(69.7)
Canada	51,112	28,035	(23,077)	(45.1)
Other CARICOM	31,257	10,464	(20,793)	(66.5)
Trinidad & Tobago	14,670	5,490	(9,180)	(62.6)
Other Europe	13,326	15,096	1,770	13.3
Other Countries	12,574	13,336	762	6.1
Germany	6,281	740	(5,541)	(88.2)
TOTAL	373,015	154,824	(218,191)	(58.5)

Table 6 - Year to date Cruise Ship Arrivals 2019 and 2020

Details	Year-To-Date		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
Total Cruise Arrivals	491,547	343,765	(147,782)	(30.1)
Intransit Arrivals ^[i]	380,124	250,532	(129,592)	(34.1)
Landed Passengers ^[ii]	111,423	93,233	(18,190)	(16.3)
No. of Cruise Calls	256	224	(32)	(12.5)

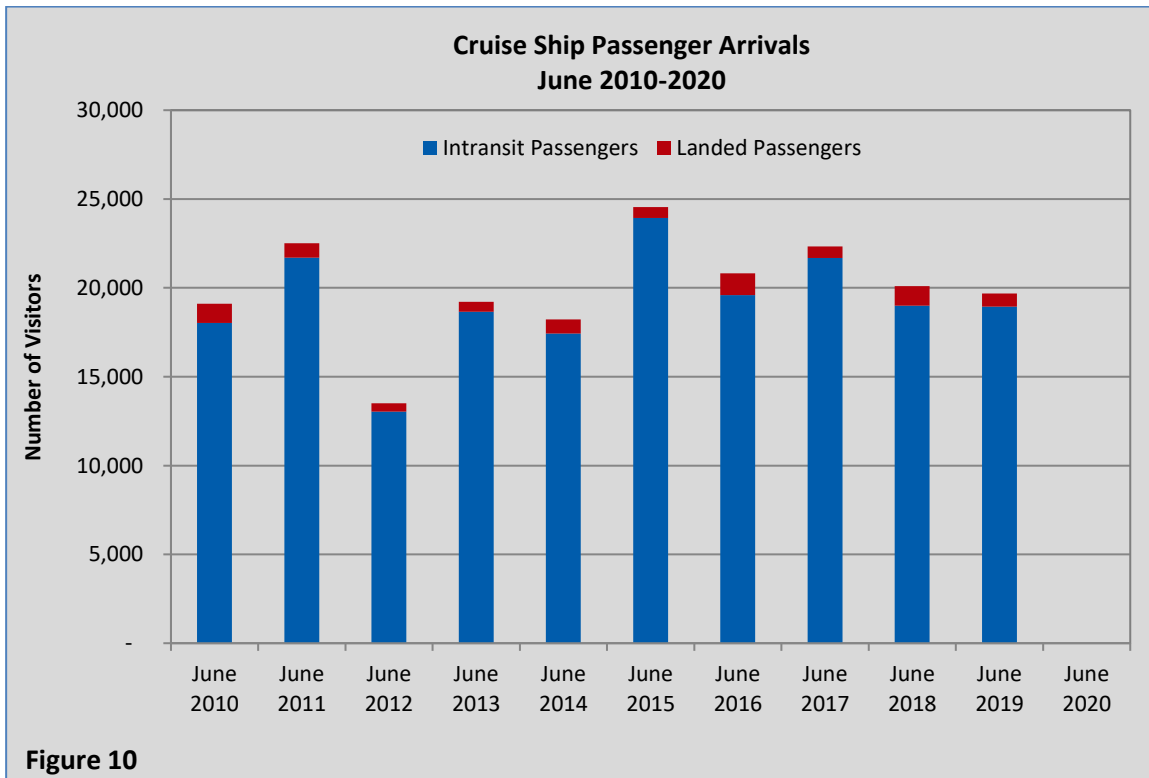
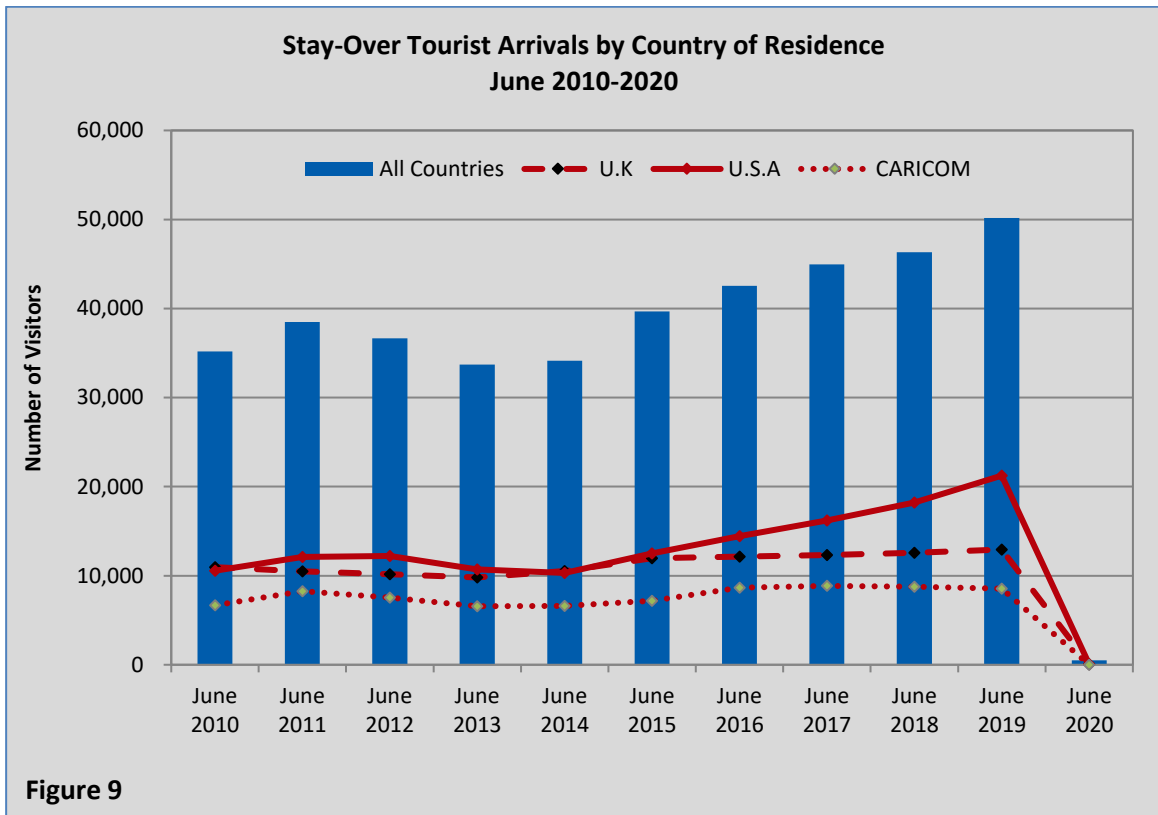
Table 7 - Year to Date Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Purpose of Visit 2019 and 2020

Purpose of Visit	Year-To-Date		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
Intransit	4,264	8,634	4,370	102.5
Study	4,553	2,823	(1,730)	(38.0)
Health Care	763	2,370	1,607	210.6
Recreation	314,824	127,602	(187,222)	(59.5)
<i>Holiday</i>	288,533	92,304	(196,229)	(68.0)
<i>Visiting Friends etc.</i>	14,740	27,158	12,418	84.2
<i>Honeymoon/Get Married</i>	3,572	2,404	(1,168)	(32.7)
<i>Sports</i>	4,172	1,029	(3,143)	(75.3)
<i>Other Recreation</i>	3,807	4,707	900	23.6
Business/Conference	44,875	12,049	(32,826)	(73.1)
Other	3,735	1,346	(2,389)	(64.0)
Total	373,014	154,824	(218,190)	(58.5)

Table 8 - Year to Date Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Intended Length of Stay 2019 and 2020

Length of Stay	Year-To-Date		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
1 Day	35,033	10,883	(24,150)	(68.9)
2-3 Days	35,141	13,852	(21,289)	(60.6)
4-7 Days	149,083	52,836	(96,247)	(64.6)
8-14 Days	113,273	47,035	(66,238)	(58.5)
15-21 Days	16,922	14,937	(1,985)	(11.7)
22-28 Days	4,668	7,212	2,544	54.5
29-182 Days	18,895	8,069	(10,826)	(57.3)
Total	373,015	154,824	(218,191)	(58.5)
Average	10.5	6.17	(4.3)	(41.2)

Annual Time Series



Year to Date Time Series

