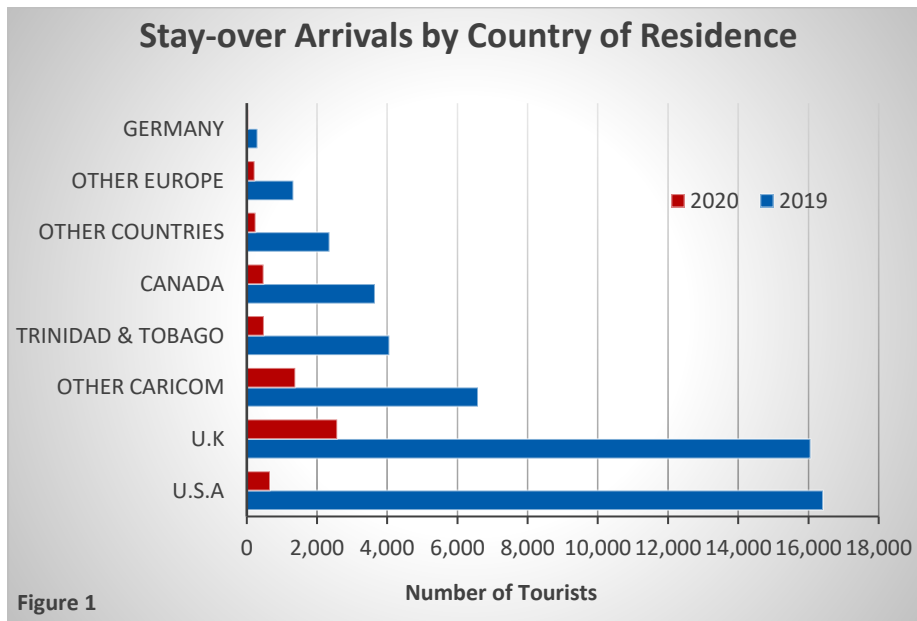


Stay-Over Visitors and Cruise Ship Passenger Arrivals

August 2020 saw a decline in visitor arrivals. Among stay-over visitors, arrivals decreased by tourists to **6,102** compared to **50,757** in the year 2019 (**Figure 1**). Total cruise arrivals decreased to **0** passengers, over the review period.



A decrease was observed among stay-over arrivals from Other Europe (↓82.9%)

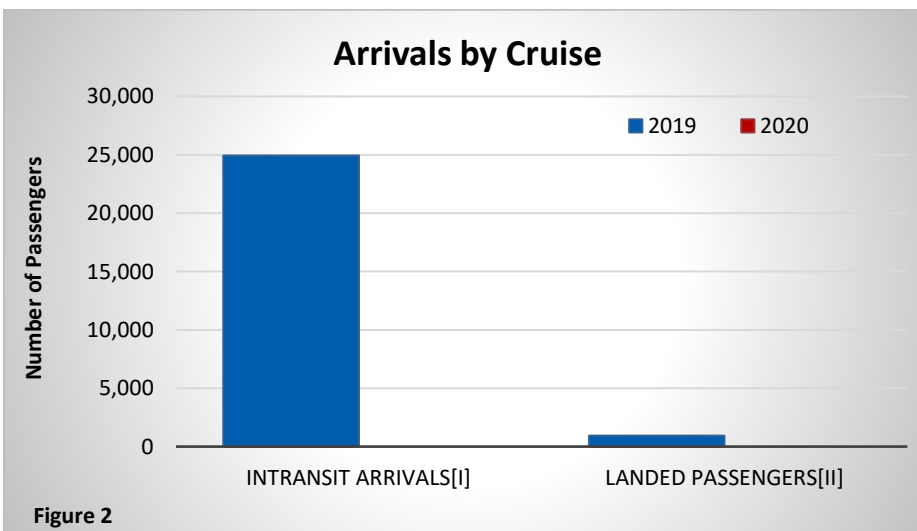
Trinidad & Tobago stay-over visitors totalled 491 (↓87.9%)

Tourist arrivals from Other CARICOM totalled 1,382 (↓79.0%)

Cruise

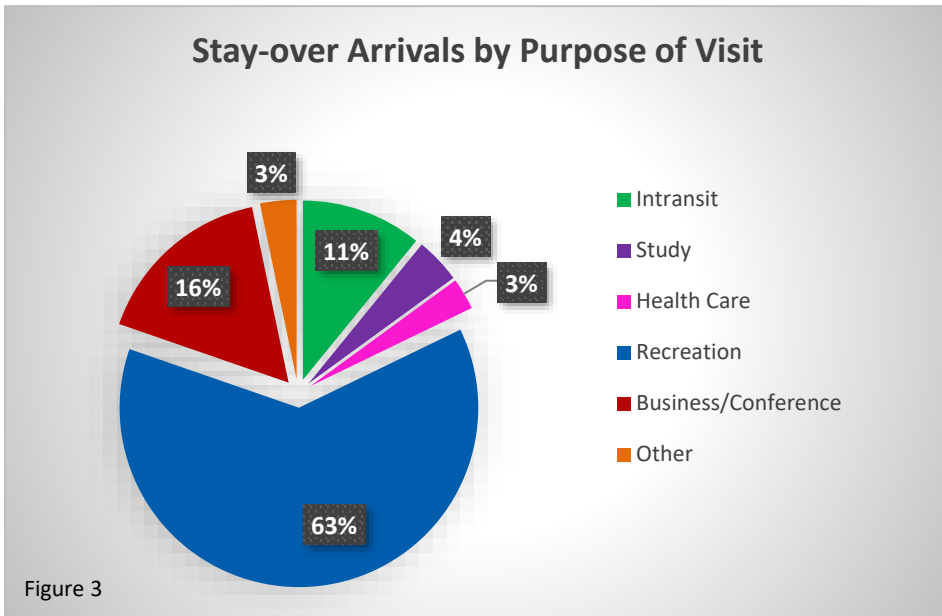
There were no tourist cruise passenger arrivals

The number of cruise calls declined to 1 (↓87.5%)



Other Highlights:

Among the **6,102** stay-over arrivals recorded for this period, **3,812** visited for recreational purposes, predominantly for holiday (**2,323** tourists). This represents a decrease of **91.1%** among all recreational visitors. The average number of days spent in Barbados among stay-over visitor arrivals was approximately **12.53** days over the review period.



Study visits decreased to 250 (↓84.9%)

Visits for sports decreased to 14 (↓97.0%)

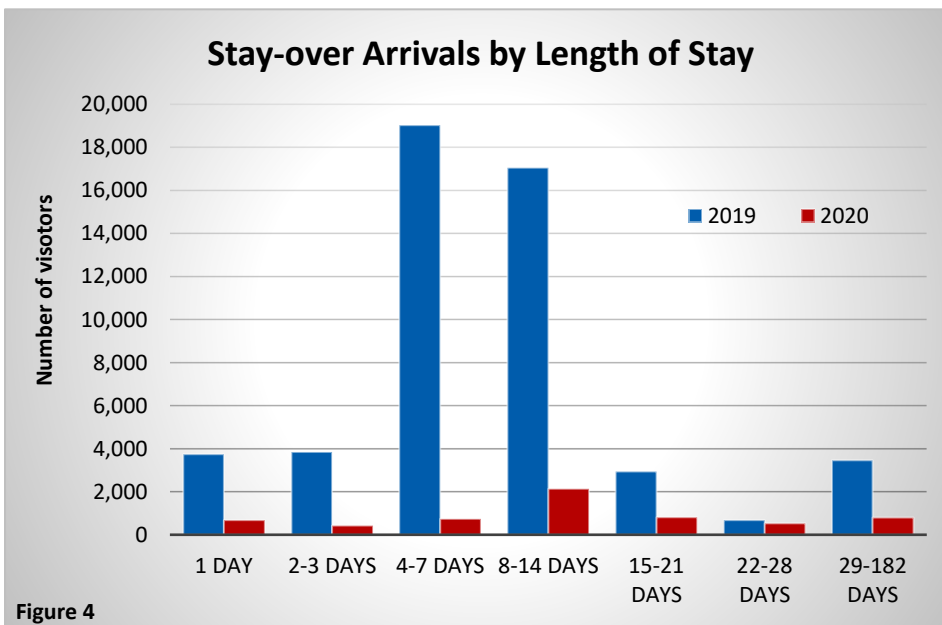
Other purposes of visit totalled 200 (↓66.9%)

Visits for the purpose of visiting friends continued to decline to 2,289 (↓46.0%)

Length of stay

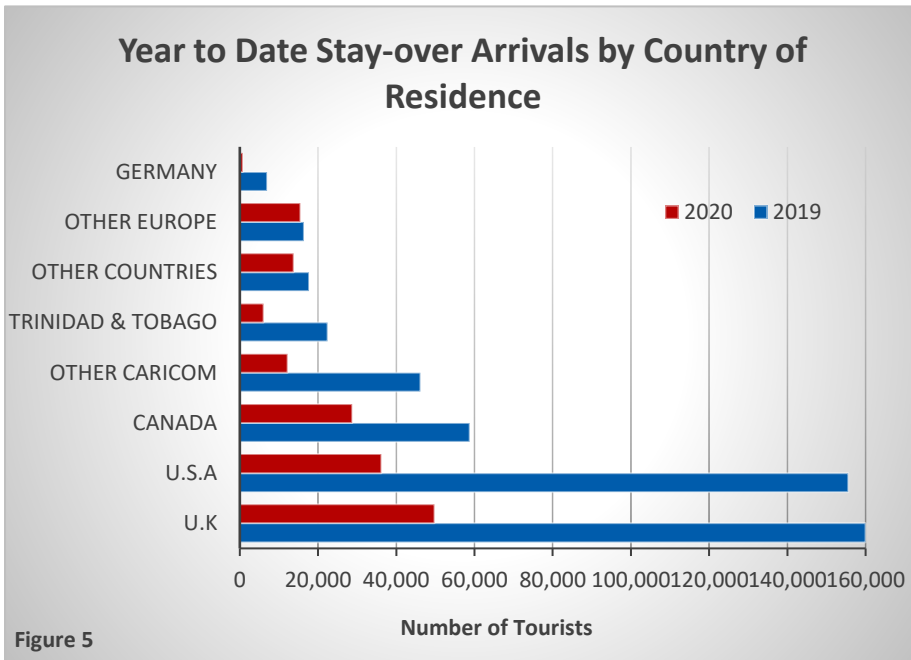
Visits of 28-182 day totalled 3,457 (↑48.6%)

Average length of stay was 13.1 days (↑21.4%)



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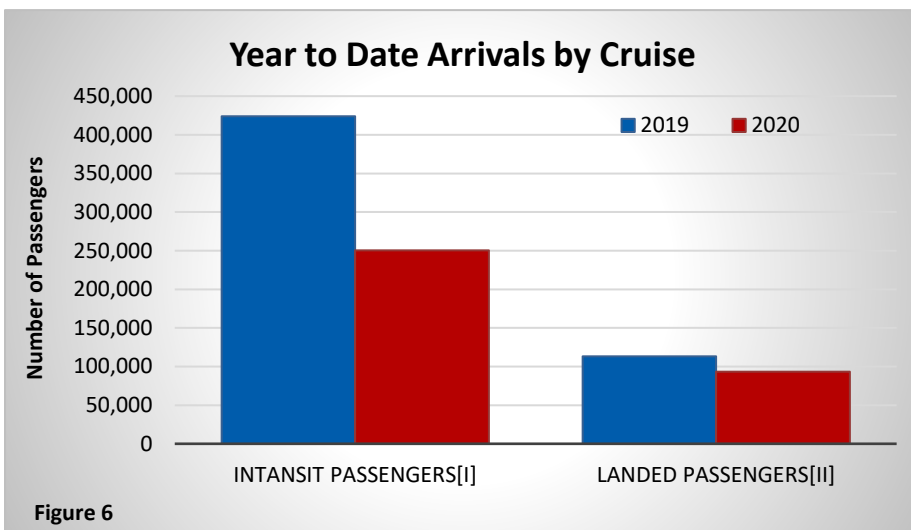
January – August 2020 continued on the downward trajectory in stay-over arrivals. Among stay-over visitors, arrivals decreased by **321,038** tourists (or **66.3%**) to **162,982** compared to **484,020** in the year 2019 (Figure 5). Total cruise arrivals contracted by **36.0%** over the review period to **343,765** passengers.



Other Europe stay-over visitors totalled 15,460 (↓5.6%)

A significant decrease was observed among stay-over arrivals from U.S.A (↓76.8%)

Tourist arrivals from U.K totalled 49,757 (↓68.9%)



Cruise

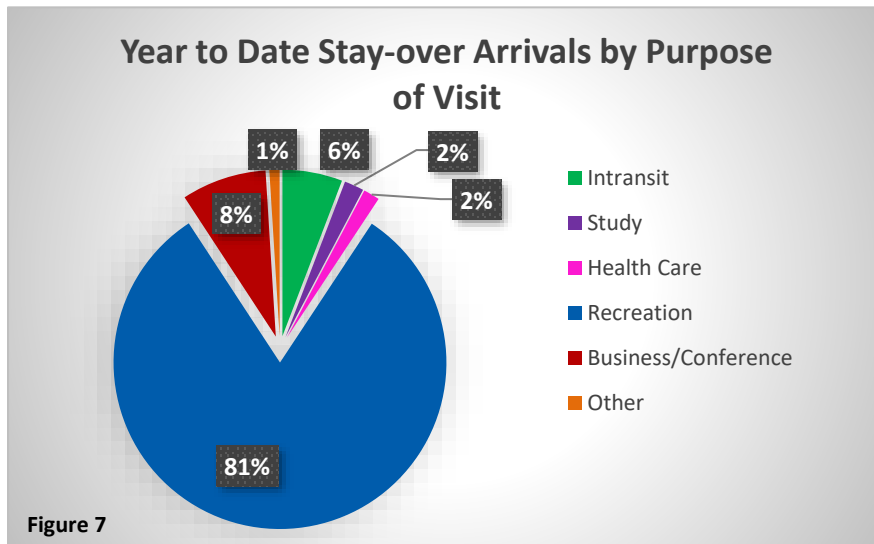
Landed passengers fell to 93,233 (↓17.6%)

Intransit cruise passengers numbered 250,532 (↓40.9%)

The number of cruise calls totalled 230 (↓15.1%)

Other Highlights:

Among the **162,982** stay-over arrivals recorded for this period, **132,779** visited for recreational purposes, predominantly for holiday (**95,414** tourists). The average number of days spent in Barbados among stay-over visitor arrivals was approximately **7.99** days over the review period.



Study visits totalled
6,517 (↑106.2%)

Other purposes of visit
decreased to 4,934 (↓31.8%)

Sporting Visits increased to
5,726 (↑25.8%)

Visits for honeymoon/getting
married totalled
5,249 (↑24.5%)

Length of stay

Stay overs for 29-182 days
totalled 26,091 (↑19.1%)

Average length of stay was
10.84 days (↑5.4%)

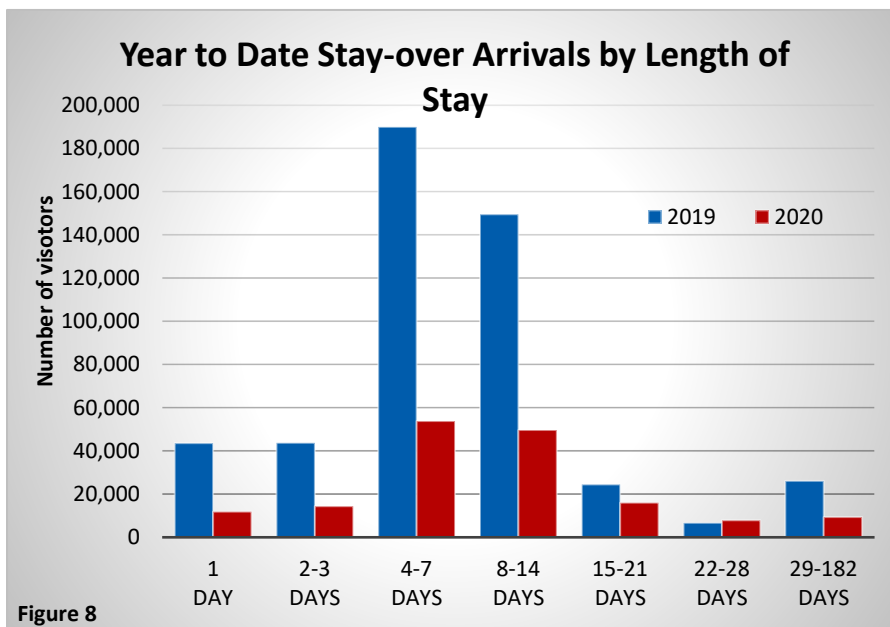


Table 1 - Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Country of Residence 2019 and 2020

Country Of Residence	August		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
U.S.A	16,417	660	(15,757)	(96.0)
U.K	16,056	2,573	(13,483)	(84.0)
Other CARICOM	6,585	1,382	(5,203)	(79.0)
Trinidad & Tobago	4,058	491	(3,567)	(87.9)
Canada	3,649	481	(3,168)	(86.8)
Other Countries	2,360	251	(2,109)	(89.4)
Other Europe	1,326	227	(1,099)	(82.9)
Germany	306	37	(269)	(87.9)
TOTAL	50,757	6,102	(44,655)	(693.8)

Table 2 - Cruise Ship Arrivals 2019 and 2020

Details	August		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
Total Cruise Arrivals	25,872	0	(25,872)	(100.0)
Intransit Arrivals^[i]	24,931	0	(24,931)	(100.0)
Landed Passengers^[ii]	941	0	(941)	(100.0)
No. of Cruise Calls	8	1	(7)	(87.5)

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

Purpose of Visit	August		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
Intransit	637	664	27	4.2
Study	1,654	250	(1,404)	(84.9)
Health Care	105	174	69	65.7
Recreation	42,679	3,812	(38,867)	(91.1)
<i>Holiday</i>	38,421	2,323	(36,098)	(94.0)
<i>Visiting Friends etc.</i>	2,289	1,237	(1,052)	(46.0)
<i>Honeymoon/Get Married</i>	798	57	(741)	(92.9)
<i>Sports</i>	473	14	(459)	(97.0)
<i>Other Recreation</i>	698	181	(517)	(74.1)
Business/Conference	5,078	1,002	(4,076)	(80.3)
Other	604	200	(404)	(66.9)
Total	50,757	6,102	(44,655)	(88.0)

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

Length of Stay	August		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
1 Day	3,750	679	(3,071)	(81.9)
2-3 Days	3,852	421	(3,431)	(89.1)
4-7 Days	19,034	732	(18,302)	(96.2)
8-14 Days	17,046	2,136	(14,910)	(87.5)
15-21 Days	2,934	810	(2,124)	(72.4)
22-28 Days	684	526	(158)	(23.1)
29-182 Days	3,457	798	(2,659)	(76.9)
Total	50,757	6,102	(44,655)	(88.0)
Average	13.12	12.53	(1)	(4.5)

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	159,964	49,757	(110,207)	(68.9)
U.S.A	155,598	36,164	(119,434)	(76.8)
Canada	58,797	28,769	(30,028)	(51.1)
Other CARICOM	46,143	12,208	(33,935)	(73.5)
Trinidad & Tobago	22,447	6,070	(16,377)	(73.0)
Other Countries	17,690	13,768	(3,922)	(22.2)
Other Europe	16,383	15,460	(923)	(5.6)
Germany	6,998	786	(6,212)	(88.8)
TOTAL	484,020	162,982	(321,038)	(66.3)

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

Details	Year-To-Date		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
Total Cruise Arrivals	537,235	343,765	(193,470)	(36.0)
Intansit Passengers ^[i]	424,051	250,532	(173,519)	(40.9)
Landed Passengers ^[ii]	113,184	93,233	(19,951)	(17.6)
No. of Cruise Calls	271	230	(41)	(15.1)

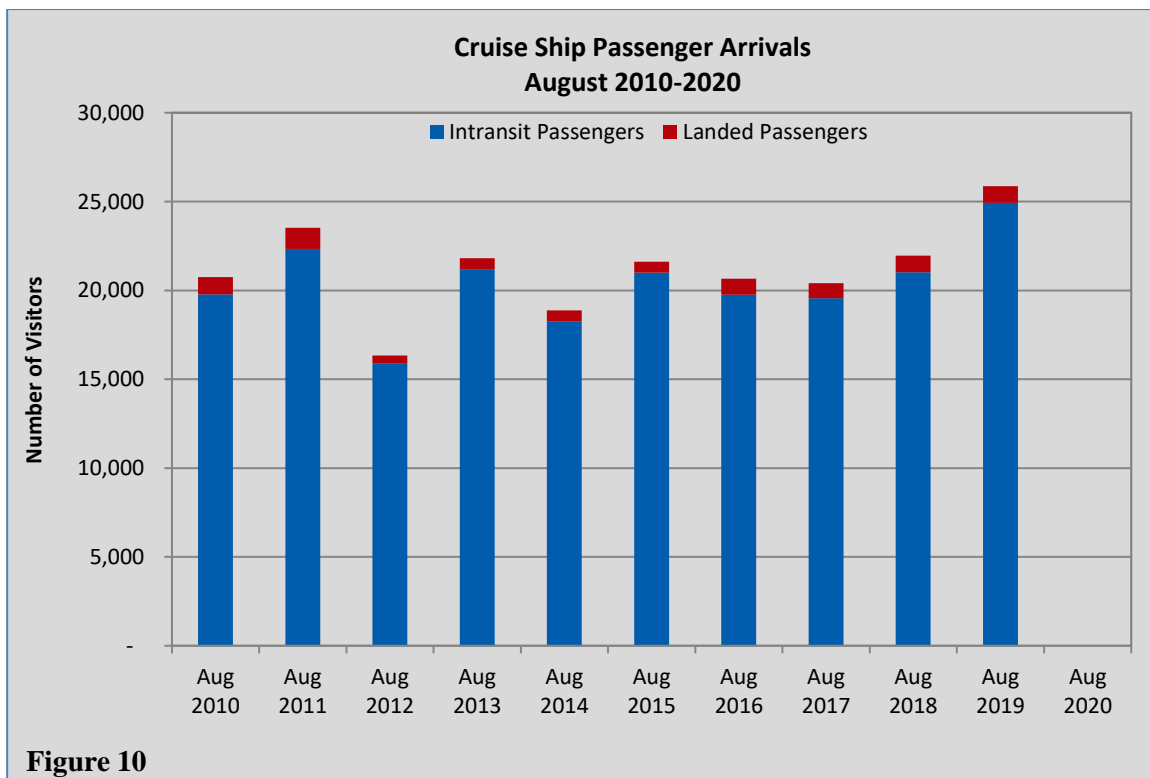
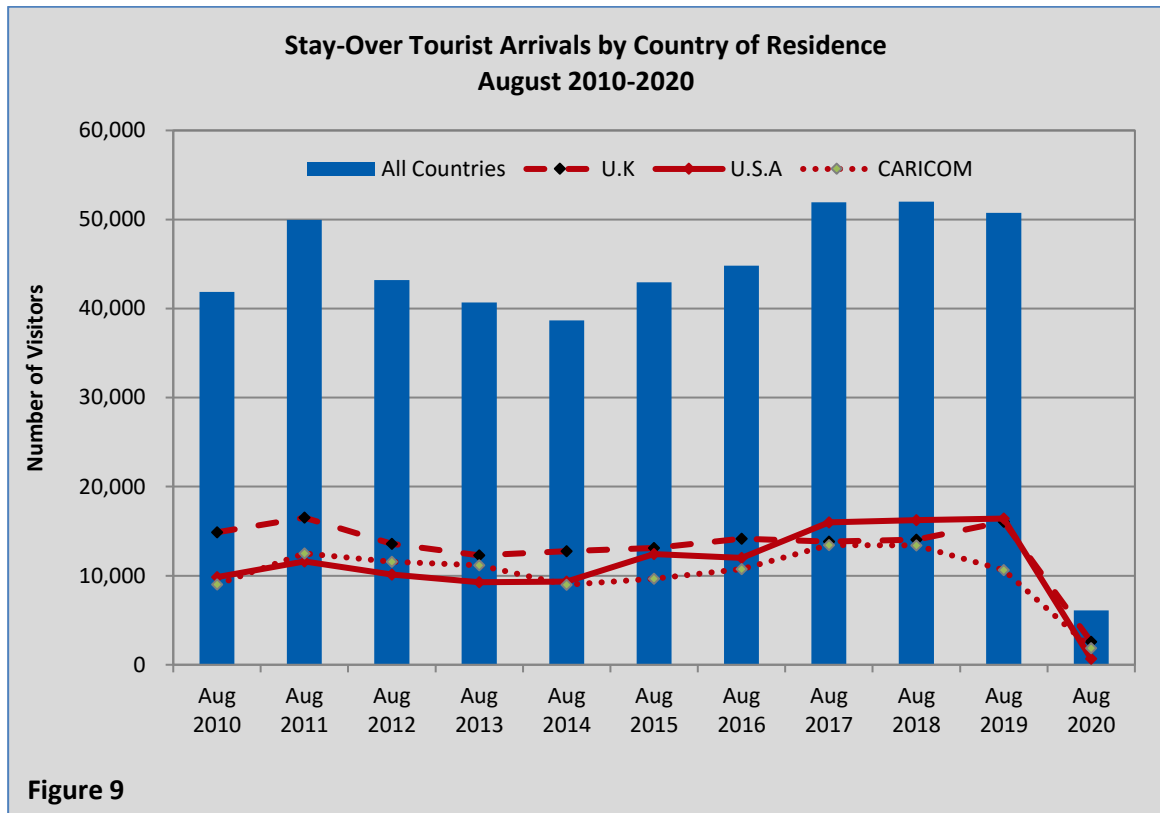
Table 7 - Year to Date Stay-Over Tourist Arrivals by Purpose of Visit 2019 and 2020

Purpose of Visit	Year-To-Date		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
Intransit	5,743	9,491	3,748	65.3
Study	6,517	3,085	(3,432)	(52.7)
Health Care	966	2,578	1,612	166.9
Recreation	408,999	132,779	(276,220)	(67.5)
<i>Holiday</i>	373,005	95,414	(277,591)	(74.4)
<i>Visiting Friends etc.</i>	19,856	28,818	8,962	45.1
<i>Honeymoon/Get Married</i>	5,249	2,494	(2,755)	(52.5)
<i>Sports</i>	5,726	1,062	(4,664)	(81.5)
<i>Other Recreation</i>	5,163	4,991	(172)	(3.3)
Business/Conference	56,860	13,439	(43,421)	(76.4)
Other	4,934	1,610	(3,324)	(67.4)
Total	484,019	162,982	(321,037)	(66.3)

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

Intended Length of Stay	Year-To-Date		Actual Change	% Change
	2019	2020		
1 Day	43,587	11,843	(31,744)	(72.8)
2-3 Days	43,748	14,451	(29,297)	(67.0)
4-7 Days	189,966	53,740	(136,226)	(71.7)
8-14 Days	149,564	49,619	(99,945)	(66.8)
15-21 Days	24,413	16,080	(8,333)	(34.1)
22-28 Days	6,651	7,908	1,257	18.9
29-182 Days	26,091	9,341	(16,750)	(64.2)
Total	484,020	162,982	(321,038)	(66.3)
Average	10.84	7.99	(2.85)	(26.3)

Annual Time Series



Year to Date Time Series

