



CARIBBEAN TOURISM ORGANIZATION

LATEST STATISTICS 2009

November 4, 2009

Table 1: Tourist (Stop-over) Arrivals in 2009

Destination	Period	Tourist Arrivals	% Change		
			Overall	Winter#	Summer#
Anguilla	Jan-Feb	10,447	-21.4	-21.4	-
Antigua & Barbuda *	Jan-Sep	177,318	-13.1	-13.6	-12.5
Aruba ^P	Jan-Jul	475,236	-3.2	-6.8	2.1
Bahamas	Jan-Jul	875,108	-13.7	-14.2	-13.0
Barbados ^P	Jan-Sep	379,821	-11.4	-7.2	-15.4
Belize	Jan-Jul	152,958	-7.7	-7.3	-8.3
Bermuda	Jan-Jun	107,214	-17.0	-21.8	-12.1
Bonaire	Jan-May	28,829	-15.2	-16.3	-10.1
British Virgin Is.	Jan-Mar	85,964	-25.0	-25.0	-
Cancun (Mexico) **	Jan-Jul	1,177,943	-17.0	1.0	-42.2
Cayman Islands	Jan-Sep	208,761	-13.1	-12.5	-13.8
Cuba	Jan-Sep	1,856,774	3.3	1.9	5.2
Curacao ^P	Jan-Sep	267,542	0.5	-3.1	3.9
Dominica ^P	Jan-Jul	41,891	-3.5	3.0	-10.5
Dominican Republic *	Jan-Sep	3,069,794	-1.8	-4.8	1.3
Grenada ^P	Jan-Sep	87,580	-14.4	-11.4	-17.2
Guyana ^P	Jan-Sep	104,907	5.7	-1.9	11.3
Jamaica	Jan-Aug	1,319,704	4.1	2.0	6.2
Martinique ^P	Jan-Aug	336,059	-5.2	-10.3	1.0
Montserrat	Jan-Aug	3,786	-17.5	-11.4	-23.6
Puerto Rico**	Jan-Jul	805,145	-5.4	-7.7	-1.8
Saba	Jan-Aug	8,707	-3.4	1.4	-8.2
St. Eustatius	Jan-Apr	4,025	-2.6	-2.6	-
St. Lucia	Jan-Sep	210,348	-8.9	-8.8	-9.0
St. Maarten	Jan-Jun	235,677	-12.5	-13.7	-9.2
St. Vincent & the G'dines	Jan-Aug	52,199	-13.2	-8.1	-17.9
Trinidad & Tobago	Jan-Apr	143,351	-10.5	-10.5	-
U S Virgin Islands	Jan-Sep	507,296	-6.3	-10.0	-2.5

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Winter - Jan to Apr; Summer - May to Dec

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Table 2a: Tourist Arrivals by Month - 2009

Destination	January		February		March		April		May		June	
	Tourist	% ch	Tourist	% ch	Tourist	% ch	Tourist	% ch	Tourist	% ch	Tourist	% ch
Anguilla	4,958	-18.8	5,489	-23.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua & Barbuda *	22,657	-9.8	24,471	-14.5	23,272	-18.1	22,416	-11.3	17,048	-18.4	16,365	-12.2
Aruba ^P	69,225	-2.9	67,107	-8.1	67,456	-16.9	71,621	2.5	61,479	-3.4	63,117	2.8
Bahamas	93,679	-15.2	110,078	-14.7	143,441	-17.9	133,678	-8.6	122,363	-13.2	131,004	-14.5
Barbados ^P	45,455	-7.2	49,838	-8.1	50,237	-10.3	45,277	-2.3	38,665	-14.7	34,377	-21.0
Belize	22,580	-2.4	22,600	-12.4	26,499	-14.0	22,015	3.1	17,855	-11.6	20,118	-9.6
Bermuda	7,703	-17.3	10,013	-26.0	14,519	-23.1	18,810	-20.2	25,456	-18.2	30,713	-6.4
Bonaire	5,488	-15.0	6,266	-11.6	6,365	-12.7	5,409	-25.5	5,301	-10.1	-	-
British Virgin Is.	29,514	-13.8	22,570	-36.2	33,880	-24.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cancun (Mexico) **	212,323	12.2	216,449	6.8	223,945	-3.2	184,331	-10.3	63,606	-65.3	134,501	-32.9
Cayman Islands	23,404	-9.4	26,482	-12.8	31,194	-18.8	27,973	-6.7	21,438	-16.7	24,149	-13.7
Cuba	268,115	7.9	262,986	1.2	279,199	-2.4	236,300	1.6	164,651	3.7	164,938	7.3
Curacao	32,418	10.6	31,694	-5.8	30,018	-15.0	31,202 ^P	0.7	26,345 ^P	-1.0	27,771 ^P	6.3
Dominica ^P	6,008	8.0	6,853	32.9	4,405	-35.9	5,868	20.8	6,637	-6.2	3,916	-18.9
Dominican Rep.*	382,055	-2.4	387,487	-6.4	406,270	-6.8	342,398	-3.2	296,374	2.4	331,373	-0.2
Grenada ^P	12,987	-2.6	9,688	-19.6	9,949	-25.5	10,451	6.0	7,408	-22.8	7,094	-31.2
Guyana ^P	8,132	-10.3	8,400	-5.5	11,876	-5.9	13,507	11.3	8,941	7.9	11,012	19.1
Jamaica	148,886	4.2	160,282	2.2	175,929	-4.5	164,090	7.8	153,443	8.6	168,561	4.1
Martinique ^P	44,734	-8.0	43,919	-6.0	43,158	-19.2	43,027	-6.8	34,798	-7.4	29,098	0.0
Montserrat	468	-9.3	502	-13.6	617	-14.2	460	-7.1	395	-17.9	392	-29.4
Puerto Rico**	116,237	-4.1	117,197	-10.2	128,668	-12.9	118,894	-2.2	107,630	-0.1	105,505	-3.0
Saba	1,178	7.0	1,119	-1.1	1,193	0.0	1,115	0.1	1,013	-9.9	936	6.0
St. Eustatius	1,154	-4.8	862	-15.7	1,008	5.1	1,001	6.5	-	-	-	-
St. Lucia	23,051	-7.6	25,262	-13.2	25,938	-18.9	26,326	8.8	25,292	-9.0	19,706	-15.1
St. Maarten	44,647	-8.3	42,521	-14.1	41,878	-24.7	41,601	-5.4	33,566	-11.4	31,464	-6.7
St. Vincent & the G'dines	6,444	1.2	6,049	-24.2	7,065	-7.8	6,704	2.1	4,676	-23.7	6,137	-23.5
Trinidad & Tobago	30,620	-34.3	46,085	31.7	32,005	-21.5	34,641	-8.2	-	-	-	-
U S Virgin Islands	60,679	-5.8	62,225	-6.2	62,585	-23.0	65,738	-2.1	57,571	-2.2	58,110	-7.4

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Table 2b: Tourist Arrivals by Month – 2009

Destination	July		August		September		October		November		December	
	Tourist	% ch	Tourist	% ch	Tourist	% ch	Tourist	% ch	Tourist	% ch	Tourist	% ch
Anguilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua & Barbuda *	22,538	-5.6	17,410	-17.0	11,141	-8.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aruba ^P	75,231	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahamas	140,865	-11.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barbados ^P	48,046	-12.7	39,034	-13.8	28,892	-15.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belize	21,291	-3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bonaire	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Virgin Is.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cancun (Mexico) **	142,788	-30.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	25,775	-14.1	19,231	-11.1	9,115	-11.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	196,880	6.1	163,828	-2.4	119,877	15.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Curacao ^P	29,822	5.3	30,938	2.7	27,334	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominica ^P	8,204	-9.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Rep.*	393,452	1.7	325,863	-1.1	204,522	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grenada ^P	12,025	-9.5	12,287	-16.5	5,691	-2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana ^P	19,370	20.9	15,056	4.3	8,613	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jamaica	195,940	5.7	152,573	7.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Martinique ^P	43,984	4.5	53,341	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	557	-27.0	395	-17.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico**	111,014	-2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saba	1,267	-17.4	886	-4.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Eustatius	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Lucia	26,794	-7.9	23,304	-7.9	14,675	-3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Maarten	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent & the G'dines	8,454	-16.9	6,670	-8.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad & Tobago	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
U S Virgin Islands	61,144	-2.1	50,834	-5.9	28,410	16.4	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table 3: Tourist Arrivals by Main Market - 2009

Destination	Period	United States		Canada		Europe		Other	
		Tourists	% ch.	Tourists	% ch.	Tourists	% ch.	Tourists	% ch.
Anguilla	Jan-Feb	6,771	-21.8	513	-4.3	1,301	-20.4	1,862	-24.2
Antigua & Barbuda *	Jan-Sep	64,054	-4.0	9,009	-10.2	69,480	-14.8	34,775	-23.9
Aruba	Jan-Jul	325,131	-5.2	20,997	0.5	44,279	10.5	84,829	-2.6
Bahamas	Jan-Jul	716,084	-14.0	68,484	-11.0	47,791	-13.4	42,749	-12.8
Barbados ^P	Jan-Sep	85,219	-17.6	45,115	11.0	163,092	-12.6	86,395	-12.1
Belize	Jan-Jul	97,576	-6.9	11,924	-4.9	18,648	-10.3	24,810	-10.2
Bermuda	Jan-Jun	78,312	-16.8	12,297	-12.6	12,066	-20.4	4,539	-22.5
Bonaire	Jan-May	11,526	-20.3	956	-23.3	13,077	-9.0	3,270	-16.5
Cancun (Mexico) **	Jan-Jul	903,326	-16.7	90,654	-5.4	112,938	-18.4	71,025	-29.4
Cayman Islands	Jan-Sep	167,293	-13.6	12,546	-9.5	14,193	-10.9	14,729	-13.0
Curacao ^P	Jan-Sep	25,936	-25.9	4,186	-19.6	107,815	9.1	129,605	1.9
Cuba	Jan-Sep	-	-	729,860	15.2	634,336	-9.0	492,578	5.6
Dominica ^P	Jan-Jul	11,493	-9.7	1,647	-3.3	7,390	11.4	21,361	-4.5
Dom Republic *	Jan-Sep	912,068	2.6	512,797	3.1	954,305	-9.4	690,624	0.5
Grenada ^P	Jan-Sep	16,631	-0.6	4,749	-3.5	26,589	-23.1	39,611	-14.1
Guyana ^P	Jan-Sep	57,960	14.3	17,545	4.5	6,221	-7.1	23,181	-7.6
Jamaica	Jan-Aug	859,827	2.1	210,669	28.6	185,817	-4.9	63,391	-3.2
Montserrat	Jan-Aug	1,020	-22.2	225	-4.7	1,136	-14.9	1,405	-17.6
Puerto Rico **	Jan-Jul	729,410	-4.8	10,110	-8.3	18,273	2.9	47,352	-14.5
Saba	Jan-Aug	2,979	-14.8	713	22.1	4,271	6.7	744	-19.5
St. Eustatius	Jan-Apr	829	-16.3	91	-18.0	2,213	4.2	892	-1.9
St. Lucia	Jan-Sep	74,530	-16.1	21,999	14.8	63,952	-11.9	49,867	-0.6
St. Maarten	Jan-Jun	136,369	-12.3	18,454	-13.2	49,588	-5.5	31,266	-22.0
St. Vincent & the G'dines	Jan-Aug	13,860	-22.0	4,634	-4.2	13,230	-16.6	20,475	-5.6
Trinidad & Tobago	Jan-Apr	63,250	-4.7	17,870	-19.0	24,605	-0.8	37,626	-19.8
U S Virgin Islands**	Jan-Jul	467,444	4.9	6,738	26.0	10,668	13.0	20,400	0.4

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** Non-Resident Hotel registrations only

^P Preliminary figures

N.B U.S.V.I reported figures in this tables are Hotel Registrations whereas they reported Stay Over totals are Air Arrivals

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¹ USA total included in Other

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Table 4: Cruise Passenger Arrivals - 2009 & 2008

Destination	Period	2009	2008	% ch.
Antigua & Barbuda	Jan-Aug	482,887	406,713	18.7
Aruba	Jan-Jul	378,682	359,534	5.3
Bahamas	Jan-Jul	1,913,250	1,662,500	15.1
Barbados	Jan-Sep	443,257	430,664	2.9
Belize	Jan-Aug	445,734	403,226	10.5
Bermuda	Jan-Jun	124,553	132,143	-5.7
Bonaire	Jan-May	148,058	95,614	54.8
British Virgin Is.	Jan-Mar	265,370	295,952	-10.3
Cayman Islands	Jan-Sep	1,144,948	1,166,741	-1.9
Cozumel (Mexico)	Jan-Jul	1,269,121	1,605,908	-21.0
Curacao	Jan-Sep	280,123	226,905	23.5
Dominica	Jan-Jul	317,117	228,445	38.8
Dominican Republic	Jan-Aug	374,284	348,923	7.3
Grenada ^P	Jan-Sep	229,415	181,165	26.6
Jamaica	Jan-Aug	658,485	770,080	-14.5
Martinique	Jan-Aug	35,141	51,718	-32.1
Puerto Rico	Jan-May	618,857	755,289	-18.1
St Lucia	Jan-Sep	478,346	426,097	12.3
St. Maarten	Jan-Jun	781,063	772,533	1.1
St. Vincent & the Grenadines	Jan-Aug	101,615	67,434	50.7
U S Virgin Islands	Jan-Sep	1,118,701	1,302,911	-14.1

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