

Table 1: International and Caribbean Tourist Arrivals: 1970-2004 (millions)

All Countries			Caribbean		
Year	Tourists	% Change	Year	Tourists	% Change
1970	165.8	-	1970	4.2	-
1971	172.2	3.9	1971	4.6	9.5
1972	181.9	5.6	1972	5.1	10.9
1973	190.6	4.8	1973	5.4	5.9
1974	197.1	3.4	1974	5.7	5.6
1975	214.4	8.8	1975	5.5	-3.5
1976	220.7	2.9	1976	5.8	5.5
1977	239.1	8.3	1977	6.2	6.9
1978	257.4	7.7	1978	6.6	6.5
1979	274.0	6.4	1979	6.8	3.0
1980 ⁿ	278.2	-	1980	6.9	1.5
1981	278.6	0.1	1981	6.7	-2.9
1982	277.1	-0.5	1982	6.9	3.0
1983	282.1	1.8	1983	7.3	5.8
1984	306.9	8.8	1984	7.6	4.1
1985	320.2	4.3	1985	8.0	5.3
1986	330.5	3.2	1986 ⁿ	9.6	-
1987	359.8	8.9	1987	10.9	13.5
1988	385.5	7.1	1988	11.3	3.7
1989	410.2	6.4	1989	12.0	6.2
1990	441.0	7.5	1990	12.8	6.7
1991	443.9	0.7	1991	13.0	1.6
1992	481.4	8.4	1992	14.0	7.7
1993	494.7	2.8	1993	15.0	6.9
1994	519.5	5.0	1994	15.7	4.9
1995	538.1	3.6	1995	16.2	3.2
1996	569.6	5.9	1996	16.7	3.2
1997	592.5	4.0	1997	17.9	7.0
1998	611.6	3.2	1998	18.3	2.0
1999	634.1	3.7	1999	19.1	4.7
2000 ^r	680.6	7.3	2000	20.3	6.3
2001 ^r	680.4	0.0	2001 ^r	19.5	-3.9
2002	700.4	2.9	2002	19.0	-2.7
2003	689.7	-1.5	2003	20.4	7.2
2004	763.2	10.7	2004	21.8	7.1
	Percentage Increase			Percentage Increase	
Period	Total	Average	Period	Total	Average
1994 -2004	46.9	3.9	1994-2004	38.9	3.3
1999-2004	20.4	3.8	1999-2004	14.0	2.7

ⁿ New Series: (Includes tourist arrivals in Cancun and Cozumel) ^r Revised estimates

Sources: World Tourism Organization; Caribbean Tourism Organization