



Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands  
 Visitor Arrival Statistics

Fiscal Year 2007 - 2008			
	2007	2008	% Change
<b>TOTAL TO DATE:</b>	<b>369,108</b>	<b>368,847</b>	<b>-0.07%</b>
October	34,203	27,238	-20.36%
November	30,961	31,618	2.12%
December **	35,556	35,849 **	0.82%
January	38,047	38,119	0.19%
February	37,990	40,222	5.88%
March **	33,606	32,352 **	-3.73%
April	26,286	31,800	20.98%
May	29,093	31,203	7.25%
June	29,989	30,936	3.16%
July	33,804	35,259	4.30%
<u>August</u>	<u>39,573</u>	<u>34,251</u>	<u>-13.45%</u>
September	26,252		
<b>YEAR TOTAL:</b>	<b>395,360</b>	<b>368,847</b>	

Calendar Year 2007 - 2008			
	2007	2008	% Change
<b>TOTAL TO DATE:</b>	<b>268,388</b>	<b>274,142</b>	<b>2.14%</b>
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September	26,252		
October	27,238		
November	31,618		
December **	35,849		
<b>YEAR TOTAL:</b>	<b>389,345</b>	<b>274,142</b>	

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MONTHLY VISITOR ARRIVALS BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE									
Fiscal Year	from JAPAN			from KOREA			from CHINA *		
	2007	2008	% Change	2007	2008	% Change	2007	2008	% Change
TOTAL TO DATE	202,402	184,805	-9%	89,798	110,013	23%	38,924	30,121	-23%
October	21,330	12,513	-41%	5,818	8,076	39%	3,630	3,861	6%
November	16,900	13,282	-21%	7,481	11,626	55%	3,239	2,821	-13%
December **	19,789	17,196 **	-13%	8,102	11,617	43%	3,976	3,470	-13%
January	21,302	20,078	-6%	9,953	11,227	13%	3,869	3,494	-10%
February	19,675	18,886	-4%	7,721	11,116	44%	7,298	5,913	-19%
March	21,685	18,135	-16%	6,271	7,169	14%	1,583	2,260	43%
April	14,445	15,743	9%	6,196	8,743	41%	2,062	1,641	-20%
May	15,610	16,433	5%	7,565	9,925	31%	2,450	1,608	-34%
June	15,446	15,904	3%	9,139	9,616	5%	1,629	1,142	-30%
July	15,529	19,012	22%	10,901	10,208	-6%	4,107	1,749	-57%
August	<u>20,691</u>	<u>17,623</u>	<u>-15%</u>	<u>10,651</u>	<u>10,690</u>	<u>0%</u>	<u>5,081</u>	<u>2,162</u>	<u>-57%</u>
September	12,794			8,605			2,100		
YEAR TOTAL	215,196	184,805		98,403	110,013		41,024	30,121	
Fiscal Year	from GUAM			from UNITED STATES			from PHILIPPINES		
	2007	2008	% Change	2007	2008	% Change	2007	2008	% Change
TOTAL TO DATE	17,944	18,449	3%	7,846	11,720	49%	5,688	1,836	-68%
October	1,794	1,502	-16%	778	576	-26%	463	189	-59%
November	1,818	1,775	-2%	620	1,353	118%	502	168	-67%
December **	1,892	1,711 **	-10%	811	713 **	-12%	452	203	-55%
January	1,261	1,473	17%	552	746	35%	307	114	-63%
February	1,366	1,817	33%	671	1,518	126%	516	110	-79%
March **	1,860	1,652 **	-11%	758	1,596 **	111%	769	146	-81%
April	1,545	1,531	-1%	691	1,572	127%	607	189	-69%
May	1,516	1,783	18%	861	585	-32%	680	210	-69%
June	1,883	1,935	3%	714	753	5%	553	211	-62%
July	1,490	1,756	18%	684	1,097	60%	516	171	-67%
August	<u>1,519</u>	<u>1,514</u>	<u>0%</u>	<u>706</u>	<u>1,211</u>	<u>72%</u>	<u>323</u>	<u>125</u>	<u>-61%</u>
September	1,466			700			194		
YEAR TOTAL	19,410	18,449		8,546	11,720		5,882	1,836	
Fiscal Year	from RUSSIA			from TAIWAN			from OTHER AREAS		
	2007	2008	% Change	2007	2008	% Change	2007	2008	% Change
TOTAL TO DATE	2,819	5,849	107%	445	273	-39%	3,242	5,781	78%
October	87	188	116%	31	7	-77%	272	326	20%
November	127	261	106%	10	20	100%	264	312	18%
December	252	646	156%	20	26	30%	262	267	2%
January	498	711	43%	45	43	-4%	260	233	-10%
February	172	346	101%	58	23	-60%	513	493	-4%
March **	304	691	127%	21	21	0%	355	682 **	92%
April	283	403	42%	185	9	-95%	272	1,969	624%
May	137	351	156%	26	34	31%	248	274	10%
June	323	834	158%	16	29	81%	286	512	79%
July	294	787	168%	22	50	127%	261	429	64%
August	<u>342</u>	<u>631</u>	<u>85%</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>0%</u>	<u>249</u>	<u>284</u>	<u>14%</u>
September	224			8			161		
YEAR TOTAL	3,043	5,849		453	273		3,403	5,781	

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## VISITOR ARRIVALS TO SAIPAN - AUGUST 2008

ARRIVALS BY MODE OF TRANSPORTATION	<u>Aug-07</u>	<u>Aug-08</u>	% CHANGE
Air Arrivals	38,921	32,644	-16%
Sea Arrivals	216	602	179%
<b>TOTAL ARRIVALS</b>	<b>39,137</b>	<b>33,246</b>	<b>-15%</b>
<b>AIR ARRIVALS BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE</b>			
<b>JAPAN</b>	<b>20,437</b>	<b>16,792</b>	<b>-18%</b>
Kanto (Tokyo)	10,672	8,958	-16%
Kinki (Osaka)	4,614	3,581	-22%
Tokai (Nagoya)	3,254	2,629	-19%
Tohoku (Sendai)	615	546	-11%
Kyushu (Fukuoka)	181	156	-14%
Hokkaido (Sapporo)	66	73	11%
Chugoku (Hiroshima)	282	258	-9%
Shikoku	275	180	-35%
Okinawa	5	11	120%
Others	427	391	-8%
Not Specified	46	9	-80%
<b>KOREA</b>	<b>10,648</b>	<b>10,685</b>	<b>0%</b>
Seoul	6,324	5,686	-10%
Pusan	299	1,282	329%
Taegu	372	423	14%
Inchon	573	541	-6%
Others	2,872	2,750	-4%
Not Specified	208	3	-99%
<b>CHINA, P.R.C. *</b>	<b>5,081</b>	<b>2,161</b>	<b>-57%</b>
<b>GUAM</b>	<b>1,364</b>	<b>1,377</b>	<b>1%</b>
<b>UNITED STATES</b>	<b>468</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>24%</b>
<b>PHILIPPINES</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>-62%</b>
<b>RUSSIA</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>85%</b>
<b>TAIWAN</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>OTHERS</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>14%</b>

ARRIVALS BY MONTH	FY 2007	FY 2008	% CHANGE
<b>TOTAL TO DATE</b>	<b>364,117</b>	<b>362,428</b>	<b>0%</b>
October	33,581	26,833	-20%
November	30,495	31,017	2%
December	35,155	35,427	1%
January	37,620	37,755	0%
February	37,608	39,731	6%
March	33,134	31,899	-4%
April	25,856	31,174	21%
May	28,655	30,613	7%
June	29,515	30,409	3%
July	33,361	34,324	3%
<u>August</u>	<u>39,137</u>	<u>33,246</u>	<u>-15%</u>
September	25,828		
<b>YEAR TOTAL</b>	<b>389,945</b>	<b>362,428</b>	

Source: CNMI Customs Declaration Form

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### Sea Arrivals : Aug-08

Military Ship: USS Mustin - 320 pax (Aug 18-22)  
 USS Stethem - 282 crew (Aug 22-26)

Cruise Ship:

<b>VISITOR ARRIVALS TO ROTA - AUGUST 2008</b>			
	<u>Aug-07</u>	<u>Aug-08</u>	<u>% CHANGE</u>
<b>TOTAL ARRIVALS</b>	<b>913</b>	<b>1,374</b>	<b>50%</b>
<b>ARRIVALS FROM GUAM</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>998</b>	<b>129%</b>
JAPAN	254	831	227%
KOREA	3	5	67%
CHINA, P.R.C. *	0	1	----
GUAM	155	137	-12%
UNITED STATES	22	20	-9%
PHILIPPINES	0	1	----
RUSSIA	0	0	----
TAIWAN	0	0	----
OTHERS	2	3	50%
<b><u>INTERISLAND ARRIVALS</u></b>	<b>477</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>-21%</b>
JAPAN	169	206	22%
KOREA	13	21	62%
CHINA, P.R.C. *	0	0	----
UNITED STATES (INCLUDING GUAM)	128	70	-45%
PHILIPPINES	120	61	-49%
OTHERS	47	18	-62%
<b>ARRIVALS BY MONTH</b>	<b>FY 2007</b>	<b>FY 2008</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>
<b>TOTAL TO DATE</b>	<b>10,303</b>	<b>11,254</b>	<b>9%</b>
October	1,050	818	-22%
November	994	1,030	4%
December **	970	866 **	-11%
January	886	841 **	-5%
February	920	906	-2%
March **	934	974 **	4%
April	852	1,124	32%
May **	884	1,009 **	14%
June	952	953	0%
July	948	1,359	43%
<u>August</u>	<u>913</u>	<u>1,374</u>	<u>50%</u>
September	887		
<b>YEAR TOTAL</b>	<b>11,190</b>	<b>11,254</b>	

Source: Department of Labor and Immigration (Rota)

NOTE: Rota and Tinian reflect only those passengers who traveled directly from Guam and whose initial point of entry are those islands. Interisland arrivals include passengers who came to Tinian and Rota via Saipan.

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## VISITOR ARRIVALS TO TINIAN - AUGUST 2008

	<u>Aug-07</u>	<u>Aug-08</u>	% CHANGE
<b>TOTAL ARRIVALS</b>	<b>6,456</b>	<b>3,614</b>	<b>-44%</b>
<b>ARRIVALS FROM GUAM</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-----</b>
JAPAN	0	0	-----
KOREA	0	0	-----
CHINA, P.R.C. *	0	0	-----
GUAM	0	0	-----
UNITED STATES	0	7	-----
PHILIPPINES	0	0	-----
RUSSIA	0	0	-----
TAIWAN	0	0	-----
OTHERS	0	0	-----
<i>No Arrivals</i>			
<b><u>INTERISLAND ARRIVALS</u></b>			
<b>OVERNIGHT VISITORS:</b>	<b>6,090</b>	<b>3,234</b>	<b>-47%</b>
JAPAN	699	666	-5%
KOREA	270	272	1%
CHINA, P.R.C. *	4,861	1,937	-60%
GUAM	15	59	293%
UNITED STATES	20	64	220%
PHILIPPINES	0	0	-----
TAIWAN	0	0	-----
SAIPAN	221	234	6%
OTHERS	4	2	-50%
<b>DAY VISITORS:</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>2%</b>
<b><u>ARRIVALS BY MONTH</u></b>			
	<b>FY 2007</b>	<b>FY 2008</b>	<b>% CHANGE</b>
<b>TOTAL TO DATE</b>	<b>49,218</b>	<b>43,928</b>	<b>-11%</b>
October	4,508	4,304	-5%
November	5,011	3,822	-24%
December	4,780	4,839	1%
January	4,124	5,225	27%
February	5,771	6,409	11%
March	3,225	3,430	6%
April	3,539	3,006	-15%
May	4,027	3,327	-17%
June **	3,179	3,173 **	0%
July **	4,598	2,779 **	-40%
<u>August</u>	<u>6,456</u>	<u>3,614</u>	<u>-44%</u>
September	3,551		
<b>YEAR TOTAL</b>	<b>52,769</b>	<b>43,928</b>	

Source: Department of Labor and Immigration (Tinian) & Division of Statistics (Tinian)

NOTE: Tinian and Rota reflect only those passengers who traveled directly from Guam and whose initial point of entry are those islands. Interisland arrivals include passengers who came to Tinian and Rota via Saipan.

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