

**VISITOR ARRIVALS TO THE PHILIPPINES BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE
APRIL 2021**

As of May 14, 2021

Country of Residence	APRIL 2021		APRIL 2020		% GROWTH RATE
	VOLUME	% SHARE	VOLUME	% SHARE	
AUSTRALASIA/PACIFIC					
<i>AUSTRALIA</i>	61	1.01	8	0.84	662.50
<i>GUAM</i>	14	0.23	-	0.00	-
<i>NAURU</i>	-	0.00	-	0.00	-
<i>NEW ZEALAND</i>	11	0.18	3	0.32	266.67
<i>PAPUA NEW GUINEA</i>	17	0.28	2	0.21	750.00
<i>SUB-TOTAL</i>	103	1.71	13	1.37	692.31
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<i>NIGERIA</i>	8	0.13	1	0.11	700.00
<i>SOUTH AFRICA</i>	46	0.76	12	1.27	283.33
<i>SUB-TOTAL</i>	54	0.89	13	1.37	315.38
OTHERS & UNSPECIFIED RESIDENCES					
	419	6.94	119	12.55	252.10
T O T A L	5,098	84.46	927	97.78	449.95
OVERSEAS FILIPINOS***	938	15.54	21	2.22	4366.67
GRAND TOTAL	6,036	100.00	948	100.00	536.71

Notes:

1. Per IATF Resolution, inbound travelers include those foreign spouses, minor children including children with special needs regardless of age travelling with Filipinos, as well as foreign parents of minor Filipino nationals, diplomats and crew members.
2. Report excludes sea arrivals from March 17, 2020 due to the following purposes of sea travel: 1) foreign repatriation, 2) change crew or joining, and 3) bunkering.
3. International arrivals from the exemption released by the Bureau of Immigration (29 May 2020) and changes in the travel restrictions stated in the IATF Resolution No. 60 (30 July 2020).
4. Based on UNWTO's Conceptual Guidance on Tourism Statistics in the Context of Covid-19.

* Philippine passport holders permanently residing abroad; excludes overseas Filipino workers

TOP 12 MARKETS BY VOLUME

Rank	Country	Apr 2021	% Share	Apr 2020	% Share	Growth Rate (%)
1	USA	911	15.09%	110	11.60%	728.18
2	JAPAN	824	13.65%	68	7.17%	1,111.76
3	TURKEY	331	5.48%	3	0.32%	10,933.33
4	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	313	5.19%	4	0.42%	7,725.00
5	INDIA	231	3.83%	82	8.65%	181.71
6	BAHRAIN	149	2.47%	19	2.00%	684.21
7	CHINA	134	2.22%	3	0.32%	4,366.67
8	KOREA	129	2.14%	79	8.33%	63.29
9	UNITED KINGDOM	127	2.10%	78	8.23%	62.82
10	QATAR	121	2.00%	56	5.91%	116.07
11	CIS	91	1.51%	16	1.69%	468.75
12	CANADA	87	1.44%	17	1.79%	411.76

Sources of Data: A/D Cards & Shipping Manifests

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