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ASIA															
<i>ASEAN</i>															
<i>BRUNEI</i>	702	953	1,096	650	771	946	659	533	781	636	793	8,520	0.13	7,772	9.62
<i>CAMBODIA</i>	306	278	314	384	461	299	329	283	353	463	443	3,913	0.06	4,328	-9.59
<i>INDONESIA</i>	6,464	5,756	7,773	6,466	6,093	8,451	5,505	5,317	6,186	6,642	6,552	71,205	1.11	57,509	23.82
<i>LAOS</i>	64	70	103	118	109	101	98	53	85	103	167	1,071	0.02	1,501	-28.65
<i>MALAYSIA</i>	12,012	12,322	12,756	11,771	12,179	12,623	11,035	11,577	13,211	11,490	12,649	133,625	2.07	132,007	1.23
<i>MYANMAR</i>	650	662	920	890	905	776	717	714	698	860	883	8,675	0.13	8,888	-2.40
<i>SINGAPORE</i>	13,627	14,490	16,281	15,493	15,971	15,874	13,144	12,612	13,182	13,427	13,910	158,011	2.45	153,791	2.74
<i>THAILAND</i>	4,359	4,732	4,985	7,126	6,339	4,612	4,975	4,199	4,304	4,816	5,032	55,479	0.86	45,116	22.97
<i>VIETNAM</i>	3,147	4,357	4,298	4,927	5,173	5,473	4,641	3,871	4,144	4,112	4,403	48,546	0.75	36,933	31.44
<i>SUB-TOTAL</i>	41,331	43,620	48,526	47,825	48,001	49,155	41,103	39,159	42,944	42,549	44,832	489,045	7.59	447,845	9.20
<i>EAST ASIA</i>															
<i>CHINA</i>	111,344	145,536	114,549	109,789	78,071	85,800	119,005	106,083	102,373	87,238	97,509	1,157,297	17.97	890,114	30.02
<i>HONGKONG</i>	9,284	13,636	13,857	10,324	10,308	12,546	9,533	7,457	7,411	8,591	7,093	110,040	1.71	102,088	7.79
<i>JAPAN</i>	57,038	60,262	63,878	49,021	45,744	40,117	50,589	65,130	53,342	45,107	47,767	577,995	8.98	535,809	7.87
<i>KOREA</i>	198,145	156,555	122,387	114,973	113,488	110,135	121,544	122,095	119,456	117,084	122,869	1,418,731	22.03	1,457,724	-2.67
<i>MACAU</i>	796	882	1,000	768	869	899	816	643	544	730	625	8,572	0.13	8,355	2.60
<i>TAIWAN</i>	18,948	21,908	19,021	22,950	18,545	19,168	22,053	20,533	22,152	19,498	16,589	221,365	3.44	221,866	-0.23
<i>SUB-TOTAL</i>	395,555	398,779	334,692	307,825	267,025	268,665	323,540	321,941	305,278	278,248	292,452	3,494,000	54.26	3,215,956	8.65
<i>SOUTH ASIA</i>															
<i>BANGLADESH</i>	463	434	387	403	435	441	432	454	578	531	573	5,131	0.08	4,184	22.63
<i>INDIA</i>	13,779	9,285	9,935	10,021	10,569	9,500	10,950	9,576	8,974	9,033	11,297	112,919	1.75	99,088	13.96
<i>IRAN</i>	216	169	470	146	207	189	151	153	157	195	194	2,247	0.03	2,418	-7.07
<i>NEPAL</i>	864	758	1,634	895	938	701	380	342	476	322	328	7,638	0.12	4,743	61.04
<i>PAKISTAN</i>	396	336	342	387	344	393	523	437	520	491	524	4,693	0.07	4,069	15.34
<i>SRI LANKA</i>	456	467	434	530	528	620	659	581	659	516	553	6,003	0.09	4,923	21.94
<i>SUB-TOTAL</i>	16,174	11,449	13,202	12,382	13,021	11,844	13,095	11,543	11,364	11,088	13,469	138,631	2.15	119,425	16.08
<i>MIDDLE EAST</i>															
<i>BAHRAIN</i>	312	253	370	306	221	372	486	325	237	258	283	3,423	0.05	3,540	-3.31
<i>EGYPT</i>	175	141	188	153	131	150	233	204	188	203	202	1,968	0.03	1,831	7.48
<i>JORDAN</i>	79	57	54	76	55	68	149	122	84	114	149	1,007	0.02	702	43.45
<i>KUWAIT</i>	695	521	526	561	372	670	712	639	375	502	507	6,080	0.09	7,589	-19.88
<i>OMAN****</i>	262	231	201	267	115	257	340	227	239	200	253	2,592	0.04	2,610	-0.69
<i>QATAR*</i>	435	396	458	399	247	417	308	324	188	209	180	3,561	0.06	3,852	-7.55
<i>SAUDI ARABIA</i>	4,532	3,609	3,745	3,763	1,832	5,830	6,499	4,851	3,211	3,451	3,548	44,871	0.70	52,649	-14.77
<i>UNITED ARAB EMIRATES</i>	1,282	1,369	2,200	1,440	1,288	1,338	1,726	1,208	678	790	995	14,314	0.22	14,973	-4.40
<i>SUB-TOTAL</i>	7,772	6,577	7,742	6,965	4,261	9,102	10,453	7,900	5,200	5,727	6,117	77,816	1.21	87,746	-11.32
AMERICA															
<i>NORTH AMERICA</i>															
<i>CANADA</i>	28,913	19,278	22,310	19,148	19,484	11,965	17,369	12,843	11,348	15,476	18,634	196,768	3.06	175,569	12.07
<i>MEXICO</i>	318	261	403	359	380	309	400	360	362	362	431	3,945	0.06	4,109	-3.99
<i>USA</i>	109,154	84,831	90,961	85,573	92,754	94,560	91,663	65,564	59,597	76,078	79,073	929,808	14.44	859,973	8.12
<i>SUB-TOTAL</i>	138,385	104,370	113,674	105,080	112,618	106,834	109,432	78,767	71,307	91,916	98,138	1,130,521	17.55	1,039,651	8.74

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SOUTH AMERICA															
ARGENTINA	586	513	457	422	294	177	173	145	150	161	182	3,260	0.05	2,867	13.71
BRAZIL	776	709	701	723	539	420	456	469	475	477	601	6,346	0.10	5,427	16.93
COLOMBIA	152	154	167	185	187	161	221	238	228	242	224	2,159	0.03	1,504	43.55
PERU	82	82	104	84	59	58	69	107	87	112	87	931	0.01	649	43.45
VENEZUELA	37	18	36	33	24	25	35	26	34	61	50	379	0.01	235	61.28
SUB-TOTAL	1,633	1,476	1,465	1,447	1,103	841	954	985	974	1,053	1,144	13,075	0.20	10,682	22.40
EUROPE															
WESTERN EUROPE															
ANDORRA	38	25	35	30	44	50	47	2	-	2	-	273	0.00	322	-15.22
AUSTRIA	1,742	1,435	1,204	1,151	924	750	1,446	899	761	891	1,069	12,272	0.19	12,070	1.67
BELGIUM	1,493	1,353	1,575	1,554	1,223	1,474	2,241	1,097	953	1,181	1,392	15,536	0.24	13,967	11.23
FRANCE	8,438	9,737	8,489	8,628	5,561	3,339	5,253	4,555	3,397	4,577	5,637	67,611	1.05	58,706	15.17
GERMANY	8,822	9,826	10,161	7,551	6,532	4,827	6,413	6,127	5,484	6,731	7,888	80,362	1.25	76,598	4.91
LUXEMBOURG	84	81	98	95	72	51	90	97	34	47	63	812	0.01	651	24.73
NETHERLANDS	3,434	2,860	3,136	3,405	2,945	2,195	3,922	2,426	2,018	2,729	3,536	32,606	0.51	30,266	7.73
SWITZERLAND	3,397	3,298	3,404	3,311	2,220	1,386	2,662	1,366	1,609	2,046	2,395	27,094	0.42	26,244	3.24
SUB-TOTAL	27,448	28,615	28,102	25,725	19,521	14,072	22,074	16,569	14,256	18,204	21,980	236,566	3.67	218,824	8.11
NORTHERN EUROPE															
DENMARK	2,141	2,095	2,021	1,429	1,244	1,023	1,517	843	965	1,146	1,281	15,705	0.24	16,703	-5.97
FINLAND	998	771	660	532	445	444	320	288	383	535	692	6,068	0.09	6,039	0.48
IRELAND	1,614	1,209	1,873	1,452	1,574	2,324	2,273	1,378	1,144	1,332	1,393	17,566	0.27	16,088	9.19
NORWAY	2,389	2,055	2,166	1,460	1,299	2,834	3,178	1,134	1,328	1,552	2,052	20,552	0.32	19,321	6.37
SWEDEN	3,985	3,620	3,111	1,901	1,483	1,952	1,494	926	1,051	1,528	1,892	22,943	0.36	23,389	-1.91
UNITED KINGDOM	18,111	15,443	22,967	17,913	15,348	12,661	18,846	15,375	11,637	14,714	16,246	179,261	2.78	163,381	9.72
SUB-TOTAL	29,238	25,193	32,798	24,687	21,393	21,238	27,628	19,967	16,314	20,583	23,056	262,095	4.07	244,921	7.01
SOUTHERN EUROPE															
GREECE	304	336	324	234	296	239	198	223	238	272	424	3,088	0.05	2,790	10.68
ITALY	4,174	3,101	3,098	2,910	2,055	2,065	2,861	3,316	2,006	2,219	3,043	30,848	0.48	26,708	15.50
PORTUGAL	459	411	456	541	462	235	309	396	354	475	777	4,875	0.08	3,779	29.00
SPAIN	3,999	3,206	4,204	3,012	2,708	2,504	4,527	5,502	2,650	3,415	4,180	39,907	0.62	33,096	20.58
SUB-TOTAL	8,936	7,054	8,082	6,697	5,521	5,043	7,895	9,437	5,248	6,381	8,424	78,718	1.22	66,373	18.60
EASTERN EUROPE															
COMMONWEALTH OF INDEPENDENT STATES															
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	4,396	3,519	3,426	2,614	1,655	1,171	1,269	1,251	1,420	2,009	3,327	26,057	0.40	29,191	-10.74
TOTAL (CIS & RUSSIA)	5,771	4,648	4,888	3,471	2,593	1,928	1,864	1,895	2,183	2,754	4,314	36,309	0.56	38,940	-6.76
POLAND	2,078	1,564	1,274	1,100	683	464	572	471	655	835	1,585	11,281	0.18	9,808	15.02
SUB-TOTAL	7,849	6,212	6,162	4,571	3,276	2,392	2,436	2,366	2,838	3,589	5,899	47,590	0.74	48,748	-2.38
EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN EUROPE**															
ISRAEL	2,360	2,065	2,412	1,829	1,328	869	1,405	1,340	1,899	1,137	1,703	18,347	0.28	15,768	16.36
TURKEY	1,396	911	798	720	592	539	522	666	488	540	784	7,956	0.12	7,740	2.79
SUB-TOTAL	3,756	2,976	3,210	2,549	1,920	1,408	1,927	2,006	2,387	1,677	2,487	26,303	0.41	23,508	11.89

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AUSTRALASIA/PACIFIC															
<i>AUSTRALIA</i>	30,924	19,480	23,623	25,292	21,279	19,662	20,817	17,578	20,546	21,166	22,460	242,827	3.77	227,712	6.64
<i>GUAM</i>	2,901	2,509	3,190	2,691	3,286	4,040	3,528	1,775	1,728	2,088	2,164	29,900	0.46	33,337	-10.31
<i>NAURU</i>	1	-	-	13	2	2	1	5	2	7	2	35	0.00	16	118.75
<i>NEW ZEALAND</i>	3,549	1,904	2,503	2,828	2,596	2,544	2,720	2,333	2,335	2,487	2,779	28,578	0.44	25,076	13.97
<i>PAPUA NEW GUINEA</i>	814	427	594	698	665	857	671	613	730	802	802	7,673	0.12	7,323	4.78
<i>SUB-TOTAL</i>	38,189	24,320	29,910	31,522	27,828	27,105	27,737	22,304	25,341	26,550	28,207	309,013	4.80	293,464	5.30
AFRICA															
<i>NIGERIA</i>	171	136	188	141	348	204	165	125	138	187	168	1,971	0.03	1,467	34.36
<i>SOUTH AFRICA</i>	703	640	674	655	477	603	542	432	497	527	560	6,310	0.10	5,441	15.97
<i>SUB-TOTAL</i>	874	776	862	796	825	807	707	557	635	714	728	8,281	0.13	6,908	19.88
OTHERS & UNSPECIFIED RESIDENCES															
	7,446	7,213	7,058	5,925	4,862	4,740	5,375	4,447	4,287	5,301	7,423	64,077	0.99	53,184	20.48
TOTAL	724,586	668,630	635,485	583,996	531,175	523,246	594,356	537,948	508,373	513,580	554,356	6,375,731	99.00	5,877,235	8.48
OVERSEAS FILIPINOS***	7,920	5,201	7,272	7,141	6,568	5,501	6,966	4,302	3,867	4,782	4,701	64,221	1.00	130,301	-50.71
2018 MONTHLY TOTAL	732,506	673,831	642,757	591,137	537,743	528,747	601,322	542,250	512,240	518,362	559,057	6,439,952	100.00	6,007,536	7.20
2017 MONTHLY TOTAL	631,639	579,178	574,065	565,098	532,757	474,854	568,035	545,254	479,803	523,627	533,226				
Monthly Growth Rate (%)	15.97	16.34	11.97	4.61	0.94	11.35	5.86	(0.55)	6.76	(1.01)	4.84				

*Prior to 2009, statistics from this country were lumped under "Others"

**Grouping from UNWTO; prior to 2009, statistics from Israel were lumped under "Middle East" and statistics from Turkey were lumped under "Others"

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

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