

# BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM

JANUARY 2001

## FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY

	YEAR TO DATE					
	JAN '01	JAN '00	% CHG	JAN '01	JAN '00	% CHG
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>						
<b>Air</b>	79,402	73,964	7.4	79,402	73,964	7.4
<b>Sea</b>	159,021	133,541	19.1	159,021	133,541	19.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>238,423</b>	<b>207,505</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>238,423</b>	<b>207,505</b>	<b>14.9</b>
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>						
<b>Air</b>	24,503	21,447	14.2	24,503	21,447	14.2
<b>Sea</b>	22,232	27,267	-18.5	22,232	27,267	-18.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>46,735</b>	<b>48,714</b>	<b>-4.1</b>	<b>46,735</b>	<b>48,714</b>	<b>-4.1</b>
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>						
<b>Air</b>	11,697	9,729	20.2	11,697	9,729	20.2
<b>Sea</b>	60,482	57,679	4.9	60,482	57,679	4.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>72,179</b>	<b>67,408</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>72,179</b>	<b>67,408</b>	<b>7.1</b>
<b>ALL BAHAMAS</b>						
<b>Air</b>	115,602	105,140	10.0	115,602	105,140	10.0
<b>Sea</b>	241,735	218,487	10.6	241,735	218,487	10.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>357,337</b>	<b>323,627</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>357,337</b>	<b>323,627</b>	<b>10.4</b>

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## FOREIGN AIR ARRIVALS TO THE BAHAMAS

**BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY  
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ISLAND	YEAR TO DATE					
	JAN '01	JAN '00	% Chg	JAN '01	JAN '00	% Chg
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>	<b>79,402</b>	<b>73,964</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>79,402</b>	<b>73,964</b>	<b>7.4</b>
Nassau	78,397	73,569	6.6	78,397	73,569	6.6
Paradise Island	1,005	395	154.4	1,005	395	154.4
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>	<b>24,503</b>	<b>21,447</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>24,503</b>	<b>21,447</b>	<b>14.2</b>
Freeport	24,503	21,447	14.2	24,503	21,447	14.2
West End	0	0	0.0	-	-	0.0
<b>THE OUT ISLANDS</b>	<b>11,697</b>	<b>9,729</b>	<b>20.2</b>	<b>11,697</b>	<b>9,729</b>	<b>20.2</b>
<b>ABACO</b>	<b>4,534</b>	<b>3,912</b>	<b>15.9</b>	<b>4,534</b>	<b>3,912</b>	<b>15.9</b>
Marsh Harbour	3,043	2,215	37.4	3,043	2,215	37.4
Treasure Cay	1,252	1,498	-16.4	1,252	1,498	-16.4
Walker's Cay	239	199	20.1	239	199	20.1
<b>ANDROS</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>11.1</b>
Andros Town	277	228	21.5	277	228	21.5
Congo Town	41	25	64.0	41	25	64.0
San Andros	181	196	-7.7	181	196	-7.7
<b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>52.7</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>52.7</b>
Chub Cay	270	183	47.5	270	183	47.5
Gt. Harbour Cay	321	204	57.4	321	204	57.4
<b>BIMINI</b>	<b>699</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>-13.8</b>	<b>699</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>-13.8</b>
<b>CAT CAY</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>10.6</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>10.6</b>
<b>CAT ISLAND</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>-17.9</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>-17.9</b>
<b>ELEUTHERA</b>	<b>2,755</b>	<b>1,876</b>	<b>46.9</b>	<b>2,755</b>	<b>1,876</b>	<b>46.9</b>
Governor's Hrbr.	886	881	0.6	886	881	0.6
N. Eleuthera	1,137	875	29.9	1,137	875	29.9
Rock Sound	732	120	510.0	732	120	510.0
<b>EXUMA</b>	<b>1,025</b>	<b>1,103</b>	<b>-7.1</b>	<b>1,025</b>	<b>1,103</b>	<b>-7.1</b>
<b>INAGUA</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-14.3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-14.3</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>-46.4</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>-46.4</b>
<b>SAN SALVADOR</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>733</b>	<b>65.8</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>733</b>	<b>65.8</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>115,602</b>	<b>105,140</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>115,602</b>	<b>105,140</b>	<b>10.0</b>

**THE BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**FEBRUARY 2001**

**VISITOR ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY**

	<b>FEB 01</b>	<b>FEB 00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>	<b>YTD FEB '01</b>	<b>YTD FEB '00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>						
<b>Air</b>	81,246	83,852	-3.1	160,648	157,816	1.8
<b>Sea</b>	147,777	132,227	11.8	306,798	265,768	15.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>229,023</b>	<b>216,079</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>467,446</b>	<b>423,584</b>	<b>10.4</b>
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>						
<b>Air</b>	26,965	25,245	6.8	51,468	46,692	10.2
<b>Sea</b>	24,568	32,147	-23.6	46,800	59,414	-21.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>51,533</b>	<b>57,392</b>	<b>-10.2</b>	<b>98,268</b>	<b>106,106</b>	<b>-7.4</b>
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>						
<b>Air</b>	14,368	13,476	6.6	26,065	23,205	12.3
<b>Sea</b>	70,484	68,137	3.4	130,966	125,816	4.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>84,852</b>	<b>81,613</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>157,031</b>	<b>149,021</b>	<b>5.4</b>
<b>ALL BAHAMAS</b>						
<b>Air</b>	122,579	122,573	0.0	238,181	227,713	4.6
<b>Sea</b>	242,829	232,511	4.4	484,564	450,998	7.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>365,408</b>	<b>355,084</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>722,745</b>	<b>678,711</b>	<b>6.5</b>

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<b>ISLAND</b>	<b>FEB '01</b>	<b>FEB '00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>	<b>YTD FEB '01</b>	<b>YTD FEB '00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>	<b>81,246</b>	<b>83,852</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	<b>160,648</b>	<b>157,816</b>	<b>1.8</b>
Nassau	80,221	83,341	-3.7	158,618	156,910	1.1
Paradise Island	1,025	511	100.6	2,030	906	124.1
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>	<b>26,965</b>	<b>25,245</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>51,468</b>	<b>46,692</b>	<b>10.2</b>
Freeport	26,950	25,245	6.8	51,453	46,692	10.2
West End	15	0	100.0	15	0	100.0
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>	<b>14,368</b>	<b>13,476</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>26,065</b>	<b>23,205</b>	<b>12.3</b>
<b>ABACO</b>	<b>6,525</b>	<b>5,944</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>11,059</b>	<b>9,856</b>	<b>12.2</b>
Marsh Harbour	4,913	3,535	39.0	7,956	5,750	38.4
Treasure Cay	1,172	1,993	-41.2	2,424	3,491	-30.6
Walker's Cay	440	416	5.8	679	615	10.4
<b>ANDROS</b>	<b>548</b>	<b>601</b>	<b>-8.8</b>	<b>1,047</b>	<b>1,050</b>	<b>-0.3</b>
Andros Town	365	382	-4.5	642	610	5.2
Congo Town	29	59	-50.8	70	84	-16.7
San Andros	154	160	-3.8	335	356	-5.9
<b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>	<b>671</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>1,262</b>	<b>1,001</b>	<b>26.1</b>
Chub Cay	370	220	68.2	640	403	58.8
Gt. Harbour Cay	301	394	-23.6	622	598	4.0
<b>BIMINI</b>	<b>955</b>	<b>903</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>1,654</b>	<b>1,714</b>	<b>-3.5</b>
<b>CAT CAY</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>-13.2</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>-3.7</b>
<b>CAT ISLAND</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>-0.8</b>
<b>ELEUTHERA</b>	<b>2,952</b>	<b>2,899</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>5,707</b>	<b>4,775</b>	<b>19.5</b>
Governor's Hrbr.	1,006	1,424	-29.4	1,892	2,305	-17.9
N. Eleuthera	1,404	1,279	9.8	2,541	2,154	18.0
Rock Sound	542	196	176.5	1,274	316	303.2
<b>EXUMA</b>	<b>1,339</b>	<b>1,234</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>2,364</b>	<b>2,337</b>	<b>1.2</b>
<b>INAGUA</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>-3.3</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>-31.7</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>-39.9</b>
<b>SAN SALVADOR</b>	<b>924</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>18.5</b>	<b>2,139</b>	<b>1,513</b>	<b>41.4</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>122,579</b>	<b>122,573</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>238,181</b>	<b>227,713</b>	<b>4.6</b>

# BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM

MARCH 2001

## FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY

	MAR 01	MAR 00	%CHG	YTD MAR '01	YTD MAR '00	%CHG
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>						
Air	110,443	106,411	3.8	271,091	264,227	2.6
Sea	189,134	143,972	31.4	495,932	409,740	21.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>299,577</b>	<b>250,383</b>	<b>19.6</b>	<b>767,023</b>	<b>673,967</b>	<b>13.8</b>
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>						
Air	34,377	31,084	10.6	85,845	77,776	10.4
Sea	31,167	46,595	-33.1	77,967	106,009	-26.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>65,544</b>	<b>77,679</b>	<b>-15.6</b>	<b>163,812</b>	<b>183,785</b>	<b>-10.9</b>
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>						
Air	20,947	21,487	-2.5	47,012	44,692	5.2
Sea	72,870	73,687	-1.1	203,836	199,503	2.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>93,817</b>	<b>95,174</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>250,848</b>	<b>244,195</b>	<b>2.7</b>
<b>THE BAHAMAS</b>						
Air	165,767	158,982	4.3	403,948	386,695	4.5
Sea	293,171	264,254	10.9	777,735	715,252	8.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>458,938</b>	<b>423,236</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>1,181,683</b>	<b>1,101,947</b>	<b>7.2</b>

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<b>ISLAND</b>	<b>MAR '01</b>	<b>MAR '00</b>	<b>%CHG</b>	<b>YTD MAR '01</b>	<b>YTD MAR '00</b>	<b>%CHG</b>
<b>NASSAU/PI</b>	<b>110,443</b>	<b>106,411</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>271,091</b>	<b>264,227</b>	<b>2.6</b>
Nassau	108,996	105,526	3.3	267,614	262,436	2.0
Paradise Island	1,447	885	63.5	3,477	1,791	94.1
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>	<b>34,377</b>	<b>31,084</b>	<b>10.6</b>	<b>85,845</b>	<b>77,776</b>	<b>10.4</b>
Freeport	34,377	31,084	10.6	85,830	77,776	10.4
West End	0	0	0.0	15	0	0.0
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>	<b>20,947</b>	<b>21,487</b>	<b>-2.5</b>	<b>47,012</b>	<b>44,692</b>	<b>5.2</b>
<b>ABACO</b>	<b>10,098</b>	<b>9,529</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>21,157</b>	<b>19,385</b>	<b>9.1</b>
Marsh Harbour	6,970	5,678	22.8	14,926	11,428	30.6
Treasure Cay	2,478	3,194	-22.4	4,902	6,685	-26.7
Walker's Cay	650	657	-1.1	1,329	1,272	4.5
<b>ANDROS</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>1,093</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>2,183</b>	<b>2,143</b>	<b>1.9</b>
Andros Town	687	635	8.2	1,329	1,245	6.7
Congo Town	89	100	-11.0	159	184	-13.6
San Andros	360	358	0.6	695	714	-2.7
<b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>	<b>1,031</b>	<b>1,146</b>	<b>-10.0</b>	<b>2,293</b>	<b>2,147</b>	<b>6.8</b>
Chub Cay	426	583	-26.9	1,066	986	8.1
Gt. Harbour Cay	605	563	7.5	1,227	1,161	5.7
<b>BIMINI</b>	<b>1,421</b>	<b>1,574</b>	<b>-9.7</b>	<b>3,075</b>	<b>3,288</b>	<b>-6.5</b>
<b>CAT CAY</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>738</b>	<b>718</b>	<b>2.8</b>
<b>CAT ISLAND</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>2.4</b>
<b>ELEUTHERA</b>	<b>3,474</b>	<b>4,015</b>	<b>-13.5</b>	<b>9,181</b>	<b>8,790</b>	<b>4.4</b>
Governor's Hrbr.	1,269	1,804	-29.7	3,161	4,109	-23.1
N. Eleuthera	1,718	1,959	-12.3	4,259	4,113	3.5
Rock Sound	487	252	93.3	1,761	568	210.0
<b>EXUMA</b>	<b>1,646</b>	<b>1,570</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>4,010</b>	<b>3,907</b>	<b>2.6</b>
<b>INAGUA</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>-33.3</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>-15.7</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>-28.5</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>422</b>	<b>-35.8</b>
<b>SAN SALVADOR</b>	<b>1,452</b>	<b>1,869</b>	<b>-22.3</b>	<b>3,591</b>	<b>3,382</b>	<b>6.2</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>165,767</b>	<b>158,982</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>403,948</b>	<b>386,695</b>	<b>4.5</b>

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APRIL 2001

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<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>						
Air	99,624	92,785	7.4	370,715	357,012	3.8
Sea	160,985	156,124	3.1	656,917	565,864	16.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>260,609</b>	<b>248,909</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>1,027,632</b>	<b>922,876</b>	<b>11.4</b>
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>						
Air	32,002	27,534	16.2	117,847	105,310	11.9
Sea	36,544	38,566	-5.2	114,511	144,575	-20.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>68,546</b>	<b>66,100</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>232,358</b>	<b>249,885</b>	<b>-7.0</b>
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>						
Air	20,397	21,377	-4.6	67,409	66,069	2.0
Sea	61,884	66,614	-7.1	265,720	266,117	-0.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>82,281</b>	<b>87,991</b>	<b>-6.5</b>	<b>333,129</b>	<b>332,186</b>	<b>0.3</b>
<b>THE BAHAMAS</b>						
Air	152,023	141,696	7.3	555,971	528,391	5.2
Sea	259,413	261,304	-0.7	1,037,148	976,556	6.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>411,436</b>	<b>403,000</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>1,593,119</b>	<b>1,504,947</b>	<b>5.9</b>

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<b>NEW PROVIDENC</b>	<b>99,624</b>	<b>92,785</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>370,715</b>	<b>357,012</b>	<b>3.8</b>
Nassau	98,181	92,022	6.7	365,795	354,458	3.2
Paradise Island	1,443	763	89.1	4,920	2,554	92.6
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>	<b>32,002</b>	<b>27,534</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>117,847</b>	<b>105,310</b>	<b>11.9</b>
Freeport	32,002	27,534	16.2	117,832	105,310	11.9
West End	0	0	0.0	15	0	0.0
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>	<b>20,397</b>	<b>21,377</b>	<b>-4.6</b>	<b>67,409</b>	<b>66,069</b>	<b>2.0</b>
<b>ABACO</b>	<b>10,068</b>	<b>9,853</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>31,225</b>	<b>29,238</b>	<b>6.8</b>
Marsh Harbour	6,817	5,983	13.9	21,743	17,411	24.9
Treasure Cay	2,478	3,141	-21.1	7,380	9,826	-24.9
Walker's Cay	773	729	6.0	2,102	2,001	5.0
<b>ANDROS</b>	<b>1,173</b>	<b>937</b>	<b>25.2</b>	<b>3,356</b>	<b>3,080</b>	<b>9.0</b>
Andros Town	774	619	25.0	2,103	1,864	12.8
Congo Town	43	67	-35.8	202	251	-19.5
San Andros	356	251	41.8	1,051	965	8.9
<b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>	<b>1,150</b>	<b>1,126</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>3,443</b>	<b>3,273</b>	<b>5.2</b>
Chub Cay	555	550	0.9	1,621	1,536	5.5
Gt. Harbour Cay	595	576	3.3	1,822	1,737	4.9
<b>BIMINI</b>	<b>1,183</b>	<b>1,222</b>	<b>-3.2</b>	<b>4,258</b>	<b>4,510</b>	<b>-5.6</b>
<b>CAT CAY</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>1,178</b>	<b>1,132</b>	<b>4.1</b>
<b>CAT ISLAND</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>55.5</b>	<b>683</b>	<b>596</b>	<b>14.6</b>
<b>ELEUTHERA</b>	<b>3,454</b>	<b>4,021</b>	<b>-14.1</b>	<b>12,635</b>	<b>12,811</b>	<b>-1.4</b>
Governor's Hrbr.	1,094	1,650	-33.7	4,255	5,759	-26.1
N. Eleuthera	1,791	1,845	-2.9	6,050	5,958	1.5
Rock Sound	569	526	8.2	2,330	1,094	113.0
<b>EXUMA</b>	<b>1,438</b>	<b>1,375</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>5,448</b>	<b>5,282</b>	<b>3.1</b>
<b>INAGUA</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>-12.9</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>-26.1</b>
<b>SAN SALVADOR</b>	<b>1,141</b>	<b>2,166</b>	<b>-47.3</b>	<b>4,732</b>	<b>5,548</b>	<b>-14.7</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>152,023</b>	<b>141,696</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>555,971</b>	<b>528,391</b>	<b>5.2</b>



# BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM

MAY 2001

## FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY

	MAY 2001	MAY 2000	%CHG	YTD MAY '01	YTD MAY '00	%CHG
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>						
Air	89,567	91,772	-2.4%	460,282	448,784	2.6%
Sea	136,635	121,296	12.6%	793,552	687,160	15.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>226,202</b>	<b>213,068</b>	<b>6.2%</b>	<b>1,253,834</b>	<b>1,135,944</b>	<b>10.4%</b>
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>						
Air	26,271	24,863	5.7%	144,118	130,173	10.7%
Sea	35,617	42,097	-15.4%	150,128	186,672	-19.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>61,888</b>	<b>66,960</b>	<b>-7.6%</b>	<b>294,246</b>	<b>316,845</b>	<b>-7.1%</b>
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>						
Air	20,562	20,608	-0.2%	87,971	86,677	1.5%
Sea	39,729	41,073	-3.3%	305,449	307,190	-0.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>60,291</b>	<b>61,681</b>	<b>-2.3%</b>	<b>393,420</b>	<b>393,867</b>	<b>-0.1%</b>
<b>THE BAHAMAS</b>						
Air	136,400	137,243	-0.6%	692,371	665,634	4.0%
Sea	211,981	204,466	3.7%	1,249,129	1,181,022	5.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>348,381</b>	<b>341,709</b>	<b>2.0%</b>	<b>1,941,500</b>	<b>1,846,656</b>	<b>5.1%</b>

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**FOREIGN AIR ARRIVALS TO THE BAHAMAS  
BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY  
MAY 2001**

<b>ISLAND</b>	<b>MAY 01</b>	<b>MAY 00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>	<b>YTD MAY '01</b>	<b>YTD MAY '00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>
<b>NEW PROVIDENC</b>	<b>89,567</b>	<b>91,772</b>	<b>-2.4%</b>	<b>460,282</b>	<b>448,784</b>	<b>2.6%</b>
Nassau	88,040	91,030	-3.3%	453,835	445,488	1.9%
Paradise Island	1,527	742	105.8%	6,447	3,296	95.6%
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>	<b>26,271</b>	<b>24,863</b>	<b>5.7%</b>	<b>144,118</b>	<b>130,173</b>	<b>10.7%</b>
Freeport	26,271	24,863	5.7%	144,103	130,173	10.7%
West End	0	0	0.0%	15	0	100.0%
<b>THE OUT ISLAND</b>	<b>20,562</b>	<b>20,608</b>	<b>-0.2%</b>	<b>87,971</b>	<b>86,677</b>	<b>1.5%</b>
<b>ABACO</b>	<b>10,508</b>	<b>10,159</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>41,733</b>	<b>39,397</b>	<b>5.9%</b>
Marsh Harbour	7,380	6,529	13.0%	29,123	23,940	21.6%
Treasure Cay	2,627	3,006	-12.6%	10,007	12,832	-22.0%
Walker's Cay	501	624	-19.7%	2,603	2,625	-0.8%
<b>ANDROS</b>	<b>1,018</b>	<b>985</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>4,374</b>	<b>4,065</b>	<b>7.6%</b>
Andros Town	599	700	-14.4%	2,702	2,564	5.4%
Congo Town	61	39	56.4%	263	290	-9.3%
San Andros	358	246	45.5%	1,409	1,211	16.4%
<b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>	<b>1,057</b>	<b>1,241</b>	<b>-14.8%</b>	<b>4,500</b>	<b>4,514</b>	<b>-0.3%</b>
Chub Cay	540	668	-19.2%	2,161	2,204	-2.0%
Gt. Harbour Cay	517	573	-9.8%	2,339	2,310	1.3%
<b>BIMINI</b>	<b>1,620</b>	<b>1,256</b>	<b>29.0%</b>	<b>5,878</b>	<b>5,766</b>	<b>1.9%</b>
<b>CAT CAY</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>8.3%</b>	<b>1,519</b>	<b>1,447</b>	<b>5.0%</b>
<b>CAT ISLAND</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>-3.8%</b>	<b>887</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>9.8%</b>
<b>ELEUTHERA</b>	<b>3,474</b>	<b>3,915</b>	<b>-11.3%</b>	<b>16,109</b>	<b>16,726</b>	<b>-3.7%</b>
Governor's Hrbr.	967	1,450	-33.3%	5,222	7,209	-27.6%
N. Eleuthera	2,023	1,764	14.7%	8,073	7,722	4.5%
Rock Sound	484	701	-31.0%	2,814	1,795	56.8%
<b>EXUMA</b>	<b>1,035</b>	<b>1,139</b>	<b>-9.1%</b>	<b>6,483</b>	<b>6,421</b>	<b>1.0%</b>
<b>INAGUA</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>-41.2%</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>-19.0%</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>9.7%</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>-22.4%</b>
<b>SAN SALVADOR</b>	<b>1,227</b>	<b>1,307</b>	<b>-6.1%</b>	<b>5,959</b>	<b>6,855</b>	<b>-13.1%</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>136,400</b>	<b>137,243</b>	<b>-0.6%</b>	<b>692,371</b>	<b>665,634</b>	<b>4.0%</b>

# THE BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM

JUNE 2001

## FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY

	JUN 2001	JUN 2000	% CHG	YTD JUN '01	YTD JUN '00	% CHG
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>						
Air	95,974	96,235	-0.3%	556,256	545,019	2.1%
Sea	142,142	146,213	-2.8%	935,694	833,373	12.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>238,116</b>	<b>242,448</b>	<b>-1.8%</b>	<b>1,491,950</b>	<b>1,378,392</b>	<b>8.2%</b>
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>						
Air	28,284	25,517	10.8%	172,402	155,690	10.7%
Sea	35,005	42,842	-18.3%	185,133	229,514	-19.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>63,289</b>	<b>68,359</b>	<b>-7.4%</b>	<b>357,535</b>	<b>385,204</b>	<b>-7.2%</b>
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>						
Air	24,051	22,003	9.3%	112,022	108,680	3.1%
Sea	58,494	37,250	57.0%	363,943	344,440	5.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>82,545</b>	<b>59,253</b>	<b>39.3%</b>	<b>475,965</b>	<b>453,120</b>	<b>5.0%</b>
<b>THE BAHAMAS</b>						
Air	148,309	143,755	3.2%	840,680	809,389	3.9%
Sea	235,641	226,305	4.1%	1,484,770	1,407,327	5.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>383,950</b>	<b>370,060</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>2,325,450</b>	<b>2,216,716</b>	<b>4.9%</b>

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**FOREIGN AIR ARRIVALS TO THE ISLANDS OF THE BAHAMAS  
BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY  
JUNE 2001**

<b>ISLAND</b>	<b>JUN '01</b>	<b>JUN '00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>	<b>YTD JUN '01</b>	<b>YTD JUN '00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>
<b>NEW PROVIDENC</b>	95,974	96,235	-0.3%	<b>556,256</b>	<b>545,019</b>	2.1%
Nassau	94,020	95,363	-1.4%	547,855	540,851	1.3%
Paradise Island	1,954	872	#####	8,401	4,168	#####
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>	<b>28,284</b>	<b>25,517</b>	<b>10.8%</b>	<b>172,402</b>	<b>155,690</b>	<b>10.7%</b>
Freeport	28,284	25,517	10.8%	172,387	155,690	10.7%
West End	-	-	0.0%	15	0	#####
<b>THE OUT ISLANDS</b>	<b>24,051</b>	<b>22,003</b>	<b>9.3%</b>	<b>112,022</b>	<b>108,680</b>	<b>3.1%</b>
<b>ABACO</b>	<b>13,298</b>	<b>12,230</b>	<b>8.7%</b>	<b>55,031</b>	<b>51,627</b>	<b>6.6%</b>
Marsh Harbour	9,467	7,717	22.7%	38,590	31,657	21.9%
Treasure Cay	3,100	3,855	-19.6%	13,107	16,687	-21.5%
Walker's Cay	731	658	11.1%	3,334	3,283	1.6%
<b>ANDROS</b>	<b>1,058</b>	<b>1,102</b>	<b>-4.0%</b>	<b>5,432</b>	<b>5,167</b>	<b>5.1%</b>
Andros Town	558	723	-22.8%	3,260	3,287	-0.8%
Congo Town	76	58	31.0%	339	348	-2.6%
San Andros	424	321	32.1%	1,833	1,532	19.6%
<b>Berry Islands</b>	<b>1,240</b>	<b>1,144</b>	<b>8.4%</b>	<b>5,740</b>	<b>5,658</b>	<b>1.4%</b>
Chub Cay	595	646	-7.9%	2,756	2,850	-3.3%
Great Harbour Cay	645	498	29.5%	2,984	2,808	6.3%
<b>BIMINI</b>	<b>1,533</b>	<b>1,418</b>	<b>8.1%</b>	<b>7,411</b>	<b>7,184</b>	<b>3.2%</b>
<b>CAT CAY</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>18.4%</b>	<b>1,802</b>	<b>1,686</b>	<b>6.9%</b>
<b>CAT ISLAND</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>18.1%</b>	<b>1,076</b>	<b>968</b>	<b>11.2%</b>
<b>ELEUTHERA</b>	<b>3,712</b>	<b>3,441</b>	<b>7.9%</b>	<b>19,821</b>	<b>20,167</b>	<b>-1.7%</b>
Governor's Harbou	1,093	1,365	-19.9%	6,315	8,574	-26.3%
North Eleuthera	2,255	1,655	36.3%	10,328	9,377	10.1%
Rock Sound	364	421	-13.5%	3,178	2,216	43.4%
<b>EXUMA</b>	<b>993</b>	<b>851</b>	<b>16.7%</b>	<b>7,476</b>	<b>7,272</b>	<b>2.8%</b>
<b>INAGUA</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>-16.5%</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>21.4%</b>	<b>590</b>	<b>702</b>	<b>-16.0%</b>
<b>SAN SALVADOR</b>	<b>1,608</b>	<b>1,303</b>	<b>23.4%</b>	<b>7,567</b>	<b>8,158</b>	<b>-7.2%</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>148,309</b>	<b>143,755</b>	<b>3.2%</b>	<b>840,680</b>	<b>809,389</b>	<b>3.9%</b>

# BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM

JULY 2001

## FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY

	JUL 2001	JUL 2000	% CHG	YTD JUL '01	YTD JUL '00	% CHG
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>						
Air	99,276	99,960	-0.7	655,532	644,979	1.6
Sea	147,842	162,504	-9.0	1,083,536	995,877	8.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>247,118</b>	<b>262,464</b>	<b>-5.8</b>	<b>1,739,068</b>	<b>1,640,856</b>	<b>6.0</b>
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>						
Air	29,461	27,210	8.3	201,863	182,900	10.4
Sea	39,005	49,055	-20.5	224,138	278,569	-19.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>68,466</b>	<b>76,265</b>	<b>-10.2</b>	<b>426,001</b>	<b>461,469</b>	<b>-7.7</b>
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>						
Air	21,499	21,898	-1.8	133,521	130,578	2.3
Sea	48,852	34,738	40.6	412,795	379,178	8.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>70,351</b>	<b>56,636</b>	<b>24.2</b>	<b>546,316</b>	<b>509,756</b>	<b>7.2</b>
<b>THE BAHAMAS</b>						
Air	150,236	149,068	0.8	990,916	958,457	3.4
Sea	235,699	246,297	-4.3	1,720,469	1,653,624	4.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>385,935</b>	<b>395,365</b>	<b>-2.4</b>	<b>2,711,385</b>	<b>2,612,081</b>	<b>3.8</b>

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## FOREIGN AIR ARRIVALS TO THE BAHAMAS

**BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY  
JULY 2001**

<b>ISLAND</b>	<b>JUL '01</b>	<b>JUL '00</b>	<b>% Chg.</b>	<b>YTD 2001</b>	<b>YTD 2000</b>	<b>% Chg.</b>
<b>NEW PROVIDENC</b>	<b>99,276</b>	<b>99,960</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>655,532</b>	<b>644,979</b>	<b>1.6</b>
Nassau	97,696	98,816	-1.1	645,551	639,667	0.9
Paradise Island	1,580	1,144	38.1	9,981	5,312	87.9
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>	<b>29,461</b>	<b>27,210</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>201,863</b>	<b>182,900</b>	<b>10.4</b>
Freeport	29,461	27,210	8.3	201,848	182,900	10.4
West End	0	0	0.0	15	0	100.0
<b>THE OUT ISLAND:</b>	<b>21,499</b>	<b>21,898</b>	<b>-1.8</b>	<b>133,521</b>	<b>130,578</b>	<b>2.3</b>
<b>ABACO</b>	<b>11,878</b>	<b>12,359</b>	<b>-3.9</b>	<b>66,909</b>	<b>63,986</b>	<b>4.6</b>
Marsh Harbour	8,186	7,620	7.4	46,776	39,277	19.1
Treasure Cay	3,031	3,902	-22.3	16,138	20,589	-21.6
Walker's Cay	661	837	-21.0	3,995	4,120	-3.0
<b>ANDROS</b>	<b>1,020</b>	<b>949</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>6,452</b>	<b>6,116</b>	<b>5.5</b>
Andros Town	660	585	12.8	3,920	3,872	1.2
Congo Town	22	18	22.2	361	366	-1.4
San Andros	338	346	-2.3	2,171	1,878	15.6
<b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>	<b>1,170</b>	<b>992</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>6,910</b>	<b>6,650</b>	<b>3.9</b>
Chub Cay	630	411	53.3	3,386	3,261	3.8
Gt. Harbour Cay	540	581	-7.1	3,524	3,389	4.0
<b>BIMINI</b>	<b>1,471</b>	<b>1,450</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>8,882</b>	<b>8,634</b>	<b>2.9</b>
<b>CAT CAY</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>-13.2</b>	<b>2,064</b>	<b>1,988</b>	<b>3.8</b>
<b>CAT ISLAND</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>108.5</b>	<b>1,224</b>	<b>1,039</b>	<b>17.8</b>
<b>ELEUTHERA</b>	<b>3,326</b>	<b>3,212</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>23,147</b>	<b>23,379</b>	<b>-1.0</b>
Governor's Hrbr.	955	1,357	-29.6	7,270	9,931	-26.8
N. Eleuthera	1,899	1,437	32.2	12,227	10,814	13.1
Rock Sound	472	418	12.9	3,650	2,634	38.6
<b>EXUMA</b>	<b>947</b>	<b>831</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>8,423</b>	<b>8,103</b>	<b>3.9</b>
<b>INAGUA</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>-71.4</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>-23.8</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>-25.4</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>761</b>	<b>-16.7</b>
<b>SAN SALVADOR</b>	<b>1,229</b>	<b>1,659</b>	<b>-25.9</b>	<b>8,796</b>	<b>9,817</b>	<b>-10.4</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>150,236</b>	<b>149,068</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>990,916</b>	<b>958,457</b>	<b>3.4</b>

**THE BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**AUGUST 2001**

**FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY**

	Year to Date					
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>	<b>AUG '01</b>	<b>AUG '00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>% CHG</b>
Air	93,065	76,873	21.1	748,597	721,852	3.7
Sea	139,016	127,559	9.0	1,222,552	1,123,436	8.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>232,081</b>	<b>204,432</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>1,971,149</b>	<b>1,845,288</b>	<b>6.8</b>
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>						
Air	26,576	24,493	8.5	228,439	207,393	10.1
Sea	33,670	37,113	-9.3	257,808	315,682	-18.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>60,246</b>	<b>61,606</b>	<b>-2.2</b>	<b>486,247</b>	<b>523,075</b>	<b>-7.0</b>
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>						
Air	15,008	14,066	6.7	148,529	144,644	2.7
Sea	46,768	29,309	59.6	459,563	408,487	12.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>61,776</b>	<b>43,375</b>	<b>42.4</b>	<b>608,092</b>	<b>553,131</b>	<b>9.9</b>
<b>THE BAHAMAS</b>						
Air	134,649	115,432	16.6	1,125,565	1,073,889	4.8
Sea	219,454	193,981	13.1	1,939,923	1,847,605	5.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>354,103</b>	<b>309,413</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>3,065,488</b>	<b>2,921,494</b>	<b>4.9</b>

Note Arrivals from Long Island for 2001 are unavailable.

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**FOREIGN AIR ARRIVALS TO THE BAHAMAS  
BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY  
AUGUST 2001**

ISLAND	AUG '01	AUG '00	% CHG	YEAR TO DATE		
				2001	2000	% CHG
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>	<b>93,065</b>	<b>76,873</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>748,597</b>	<b>721,852</b>	<b>3.7</b>
Nassau	91,382	75,622	20.8	736,933	715,289	3.0
Paradise Island	1,683	1,251	34.5	11,664	6,563	77.7
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>	<b>26,576</b>	<b>24,493</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>228,439</b>	<b>207,393</b>	<b>10.1</b>
Freeport	26,576	24,493	8.5	228,424	207,393	10.1
West End	-	-		15	0	
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>	<b>15,008</b>	<b>14,066</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>148,529</b>	<b>144,644</b>	<b>2.7</b>
<b>ABACO</b>	<b>7,661</b>	<b>6,977</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>74,570</b>	<b>70,963</b>	<b>5.1</b>
Marsh Harbour	4,677	4,229	10.6	51,453	43,506	18.3
Treasure Cay	2,432	2,229	9.1	18,570	22,818	-18.6
Walker's Cay	552	519	6.4	4,547	4,639	-2.0
<b>ANDROS</b>	<b>691</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>53.9</b>	<b>7,143</b>	<b>6,565</b>	<b>8.8</b>
Andros Town	443	253	75.1	4,363	4,125	5.8
Congo Town	37	30	23.3	398	396	0.5
San Andros	211	166	27.1	2,382	2,044	16.5
<b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>	<b>774</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>-12.9</b>	<b>7,684</b>	<b>7,539</b>	<b>1.9</b>
Chub Cay	244	316	-22.8	3,630	3,577	1.5
Great Harbour Cay	530	573	-7.5	4,054	3,962	2.3
<b>BIMINI</b>	<b>1,227</b>	<b>1,040</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>10,109</b>	<b>9,674</b>	<b>4.5</b>
<b>CAT CAY</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>2,351</b>	<b>2,263</b>	<b>3.9</b>
<b>CAT ISLAND</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>-2.7</b>	<b>1,331</b>	<b>1,149</b>	<b>15.8</b>
<b>ELEUTHERA</b>	<b>2,552</b>	<b>2,368</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>25,699</b>	<b>25,747</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
Governor's Harbour	642	841	-23.7	7,912	10,772	-26.6
North Eleuthera	1,404	1,073	30.8	13,631	11,887	14.7
Rock Sound	506	454	11.5	4,156	3,088	34.6
<b>EXUMA</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>9,020</b>	<b>8,652</b>	<b>4.3</b>
<b>INAGUA</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>-12.9</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>-21.3</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>####</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>-22.6</b>
<b>SAN SALVADOR</b>	<b>1,085</b>	<b>1,320</b>	<b>-17.8</b>	<b>9,881</b>	<b>11,137</b>	<b>-11.3</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>134,649</b>	<b>115,432</b>	<b>16.6</b>	<b>1,125,565</b>	<b>1,073,889</b>	<b>4.8</b>



# THE BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM

## SEPTEMBER 2001

### FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY

Year to Date

<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>	<b>SEP '01</b>	<b>SEP '00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>% CHG</b>
Air	35,533	60,877	-41.6	784,130	782,729	0.2
Sea	103,493	104,100	-0.6	1,326,045	1,227,536	8.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>139,026</b>	<b>164,977</b>	<b>-15.7</b>	<b>2,110,175</b>	<b>2,010,265</b>	<b>5.0</b>
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>						
Air	11,886	15,609	-23.9	240,325	223,002	7.8
Sea	17,770	9,626	84.6	275,578	325,308	-15.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>29,656</b>	<b>25,235</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>515,903</b>	<b>548,310</b>	<b>-5.9</b>
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>						
Air	4,576	6,495	-29.5	153,105	151,139	1.3
Sea	19,381	47,161	-58.9	478,944	455,648	5.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>23,957</b>	<b>53,656</b>	<b>-55.4</b>	<b>632,049</b>	<b>606,787</b>	<b>4.2</b>
<b>THE BAHAMAS</b>						
Air	51,995	82,981	-37.3	1,177,560	1,156,870	1.8
Sea	140,644	160,887	-12.6	2,080,567	2,008,492	3.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>192,639</b>	<b>243,868</b>	<b>-21.0</b>	<b>3,258,127</b>	<b>3,165,362</b>	<b>2.9</b>

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### FOREIGN AIR ARRIVALS TO THE BAHAMAS

**BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY  
SEPTEMBER 2001**

ISLAND	SEP '01	SEP '00	% CHG	YEAR TO DATE		
				2001	2000	% CHG
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>	<b>35,533</b>	<b>60,877</b>	<b>-41.6</b>	<b>784,130</b>	<b>782,729</b>	<b>0.2</b>
Nassau	34,979	59,817	-41.5	771,912	775,106	-0.4
Paradise Island	554	1,060	-47.7	12,218	7,623	60.3
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>	<b>11,886</b>	<b>15,609</b>	<b>-23.9</b>	<b>240,325</b>	<b>223,002</b>	<b>7.8</b>
Freeport	11,886	15,609	-23.9	240,310	223,002	7.8
West End	-	-	0.0	15	0	0.0
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>	<b>4,576</b>	<b>6,495</b>	<b>-29.5</b>	<b>153,105</b>	<b>151,139</b>	<b>1.3</b>
<b>ABACO</b>	<b>2,069</b>	<b>2,919</b>	<b>-29.1</b>	<b>76,639</b>	<b>73,882</b>	<b>3.7</b>
Marsh Harbour	1,390	1,686	-17.6	52,843	45,192	16.9
Treasure Cay	516	964	-46.5	19,086	23,782	-19.7
Walker's Cay	163	269	-39.4	4,710	4,908	-4.0
<b>ANDROS</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>-10.3</b>	<b>7,412</b>	<b>6,865</b>	<b>8.0</b>
Andros Town	164	208	-21.2	4,527	4,333	4.5
Congo Town	6	5	20.0	404	401	0.7
San Andros	99	87	13.8	2,481	2,131	16.4
<b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>587</b>	<b>-53.0</b>	<b>7,960</b>	<b>8,126</b>	<b>-2.0</b>
Chub Cay	107	226	-52.7	3,737	3,803	-1.7
Great Harbour Cay	169	361	-53.2	4,223	4,323	-2.3
<b>BIMINI</b>	<b>516</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>-18.2</b>	<b>10,625</b>	<b>10,305</b>	<b>3.1</b>
<b>CAT CAY</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>-23.9</b>	<b>2,472</b>	<b>2,422</b>	<b>2.1</b>
<b>CAT ISLAND</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>-18.5</b>	<b>1,375</b>	<b>1,203</b>	<b>14.3</b>
<b>ELEUTHERA</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>1,201</b>	<b>-32.6</b>	<b>26,509</b>	<b>26,948</b>	<b>-1.6</b>
Governor's Harbour	231	493	-53.1	8,143	11,265	-27.7
North Eleuthera	359	315	14.0	13,990	12,202	14.7
Rock Sound	220	393	-44.0	4,376	3,481	25.7
<b>EXUMA</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>-31.3</b>	<b>9,253</b>	<b>8,991</b>	<b>2.9</b>
<b>INAGUA</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1600.0</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>-9.5</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>-35.5</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>-23.1</b>
<b>SAN SALVADOR</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>-26.4</b>	<b>10,082</b>	<b>11,410</b>	<b>-11.6</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>51,995</b>	<b>82,981</b>	<b>-37.3</b>	<b>1,177,560</b>	<b>1,156,870</b>	<b>1.8</b>

**THE BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**OCTOBER 2001**

**FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY**

	Year to Date					
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>	<b>OCT '01</b>	<b>OCT '00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>% CHG</b>
Air	52,102	65,274	-20.2	836,232	848,003	-1.4
Sea	123,493	128,728	-4.1	1,449,538	1,356,264	6.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>175,595</b>	<b>194,002</b>	<b>-9.5</b>	<b>2,285,770</b>	<b>2,204,267</b>	<b>3.7</b>
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>						
Air	13,247	17,054	-22.3	253,572	240,056	5.6
Sea	22,750	22,387	1.6	298,328	347,695	-14.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>35,997</b>	<b>39,441</b>	<b>-8.7</b>	<b>551,900</b>	<b>587,751</b>	<b>-6.1</b>
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>						
Air	5,908	7,434	-20.5	159,013	158,573	0.3
Sea	44,369	44,248	0.3	523,313	499,896	4.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>50,277</b>	<b>51,682</b>	<b>-2.7</b>	<b>682,326</b>	<b>658,469</b>	<b>3.6</b>
<b>THE BAHAMAS</b>						
Air	71,257	89,762	-20.6	1,248,817	1,246,632	0.2
Sea	190,612	195,363	-2.4	2,271,179	2,203,855	3.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>261,869</b>	<b>285,125</b>	<b>-8.2</b>	<b>3,519,996</b>	<b>3,450,487</b>	<b>2.0</b>

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**FOREIGN AIR ARRIVALS TO THE BAHAMAS**

**BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY  
OCTOBER 2001**

ISLAND	OCT '01	OCT '00	% CHG	YEAR TO DATE		
				2001	2000	% CHG
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>	<b>52,102</b>	<b>65,274</b>	<b>-20.2</b>	<b>836,232</b>	<b>848,003</b>	<b>-1.4</b>
Nassau	51,317	64,461	-20.4	823,229	839,567	-1.9
Paradise Island	785	813	-3.4	13,003	8,436	54.1
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>	<b>13,247</b>	<b>17,054</b>	<b>-22.3</b>	<b>253,572</b>	<b>240,056</b>	<b>5.6</b>
Freeport	13,247	17,054	-22.3	253,557	240,056	5.6
West End	-	-		15	0	
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>	<b>5,908</b>	<b>7,434</b>	<b>-20.5</b>	<b>159,013</b>	<b>158,573</b>	<b>0.3</b>
<b>ABACO</b>	<b>2,970</b>	<b>3,226</b>	<b>-7.9</b>	<b>79,609</b>	<b>77,108</b>	<b>3.2</b>
Marsh Harbour	1,919	1,827	5.0	54,762	47,019	16.5
Treasure Cay	858	1,148	-25.3	19,944	24,930	-20.0
Walker's Cay	193	251	-23.1	4,903	5,159	-5.0
<b>ANDROS</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>7,865</b>	<b>7,313</b>	<b>7.5</b>
Andros Town	262	297	-11.8	4,789	4,630	3.4
Congo Town	44	41	7.3	448	442	1.4
San Andros	147	110	33.6	2,628	2,241	17.3
<b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>-42.8</b>	<b>8,229</b>	<b>8,596</b>	<b>-4.3</b>
Chub Cay	112	214	100.0	3,849	4,017	-4.2
Great Harbour Cay	157	256	-38.7	4,380	4,579	-4.3
<b>BIMINI</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>-20.6</b>	<b>11,165</b>	<b>10,985</b>	<b>1.6</b>
<b>CAT CAY</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>-23.8</b>	<b>2,581</b>	<b>2,565</b>	<b>0.6</b>
<b>CAT ISLAND</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>-10.0</b>	<b>1,402</b>	<b>1,233</b>	<b>13.7</b>
<b>ELEUTHERA</b>	<b>876</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>-35.0</b>	<b>27,385</b>	<b>28,295</b>	<b>-3.2</b>
Governor's Harbour	360	677	-46.8	8,503	11,942	-28.8
North Eleuthera	444	366	21.3	14,434	12,568	14.8
Rock Sound	72	304	-76.3	4,448	3,785	17.5
<b>EXUMA</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>-3.4</b>	<b>9,645</b>	<b>9,397</b>	<b>2.6</b>
<b>INAGUA</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>23.9</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>-1.1</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>328.6</b>	<b>714</b>	<b>864</b>	<b>-17.4</b>
<b>SAN SALVADOR</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>-75.2</b>	<b>10,237</b>	<b>12,034</b>	<b>-14.9</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>71,257</b>	<b>89,762</b>	<b>-20.6</b>	<b>1,248,817</b>	<b>1,246,632</b>	<b>0.2</b>

## THE BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM

**NOVEMBER 2001**

### FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY

Year to Date

<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>	<b>NOV '01</b>	<b>NOV '00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>% CHG</b>
Air	59,894	80,607	-25.7	896,126	928,610	-3.5
Sea	144,898	147,254	-1.6	1,594,436	1,503,518	6.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>204,792</b>	<b>227,861</b>	<b>-10.1</b>	<b>2,490,562</b>	<b>2,432,128</b>	<b>2.4</b>
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>						
Air	14,217	20,691	-31.3	267,789	260,747	2.7
Sea	27,672	19,748	40.1	326,000	367,443	-11.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>41,889</b>	<b>40,439</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>593,789</b>	<b>628,190</b>	<b>-5.5</b>
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>						
Air	9,176	11,688	-21.5	168,189	170,261	-1.2
Sea	41,653	67,459	-38.3	564,966	567,355	-0.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>50,829</b>	<b>79,147</b>	<b>-35.8</b>	<b>733,155</b>	<b>737,616</b>	<b>-0.6</b>
<b>THE BAHAMAS</b>						
Air	83,287	112,986	-26.3	1,332,104	1,359,618	-2.0
Sea	214,223	234,461	-8.6	2,485,402	2,438,316	1.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>297,510</b>	<b>347,447</b>	<b>-14.4</b>	<b>3,817,506</b>	<b>3,797,934</b>	<b>0.5</b>

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### FOREIGN AIR ARRIVALS TO THE BAHAMAS

**BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY  
NOVEMBER 2001**

ISLAND	NOV '01	NOV '00	% CHG	YEAR TO DATE		
				2001	2000	% CHG
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>	<b>59,894</b>	<b>80,607</b>	<b>-25.7</b>	<b>896,126</b>	<b>928,610</b>	<b>-3.5</b>
Nassau	59,093	79,732	-25.9	882,322	919,299	-4.0
Paradise Island	801	875	-8.5	13,804	9,311	48.3
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>	<b>14,217</b>	<b>20,691</b>	<b>-31.3</b>	<b>267,789</b>	<b>260,747</b>	<b>2.7</b>
Freeport	14,217	20,691	-31.3	267,774	260,747	2.7
West End	-	-	0.0	15	0	100.0
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>	<b>9,176</b>	<b>11,688</b>	<b>-21.5</b>	<b>168,189</b>	<b>170,261</b>	<b>-1.2</b>
<b>ABACO</b>	<b>4,214</b>	<b>5,157</b>	<b>-18.3</b>	<b>83,823</b>	<b>82,265</b>	<b>1.9</b>
Marsh Harbour	2,733	3,258	-16.1	57,495	50,277	14.4
Treasure Cay	1,220	1,603	-23.9	21,164	26,533	-20.2
Walker's Cay	261	296	-11.8	5,164	5,455	-5.3
<b>ANDROS</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>659</b>	<b>-16.2</b>	<b>8,417</b>	<b>7,972</b>	<b>5.6</b>
Andros Town	361	437	-17.4	5,150	5,067	1.6
Congo Town	37	42	-11.9	485	484	0.2
San Andros	154	180	-14.4	2,782	2,421	14.9
<b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>	<b>673</b>	<b>696</b>	<b>-3.3</b>	<b>8,902</b>	<b>9,292</b>	<b>-4.2</b>
Chub Cay	322	265	21.5	4,171	4,282	-2.6
Great Harbour Cay	351	431	-18.6	4,731	5,010	-5.6
<b>BIMINI</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>921</b>	<b>-26.5</b>	<b>11,842</b>	<b>11,906</b>	<b>-0.5</b>
<b>CAT CAY</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>86.6</b>	<b>2,859</b>	<b>2,714</b>	<b>5.3</b>
<b>CAT ISLAND</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>32.2</b>	<b>1,521</b>	<b>1,323</b>	<b>15.0</b>
<b>ELEUTHERA</b>	<b>1,667</b>	<b>2,859</b>	<b>-41.7</b>	<b>29,052</b>	<b>31,154</b>	<b>-6.7</b>
Governor's Harbour	493	1,079	-54.3	8,996	13,021	-30.9
North Eleuthera	1,004	1,141	-12.0	15,438	13,709	12.6
Rock Sound	170	639	-73.4	4,618	4,424	4.4
<b>EXUMA</b>	<b>861</b>	<b>747</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>10,506</b>	<b>10,144</b>	<b>3.6</b>
<b>INAGUA</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>####</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>15.8</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>-37.0</b>	<b>743</b>	<b>910</b>	<b>-18.4</b>
<b>SAN SALVADOR</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>-79.6</b>	<b>10,311</b>	<b>12,397</b>	<b>-16.8</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>83,287</b>	<b>112,986</b>	<b>-26.3</b>	<b>1,332,104</b>	<b>1,359,618</b>	<b>-2.0</b>

Note Arrivals from Congo Town for 2001 are unavailable.

**THE BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**DECEMBER 2001**

**FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY**

Year to Date

<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>	<b>DEC '01</b>	<b>DEC '00</b>	<b>% CHG</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>% CHG</b>
Air	64,004	83,257	-23.1	960,130	1,011,867	-5.1
Sea	157,285	170,434	-7.7	1,751,721	1,673,952	4.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>221,289</b>	<b>253,691</b>	<b>-12.8</b>	<b>2,711,851</b>	<b>2,685,819</b>	<b>1.0</b>
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>						
Air	18,739	22,906	-18.2	286,528	283,653	1.0
Sea	21,104	25,002	-15.6	347,104	392,445	-11.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>39,843</b>	<b>47,908</b>	<b>-16.8</b>	<b>633,632</b>	<b>676,098</b>	<b>-6.3</b>
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>						
Air	13,362	15,711	-15.0	181,551	185,972	-2.4
Sea	90,756	88,590	2.4	655,722	655,945	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>104,118</b>	<b>104,301</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>837,273</b>	<b>841,917</b>	<b>-0.6</b>
<b>THE BAHAMAS</b>						
Air	96,105	121,874	-21.1	1,428,209	1,481,492	-3.6
Sea	269,145	284,026	-5.2	2,754,547	2,722,342	1.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>365,250</b>	<b>405,900</b>	<b>-10.0</b>	<b>4,182,756</b>	<b>4,203,834</b>	<b>-0.5</b>

These statistics provided by the Immigration Department are a head count of all foreign visitors at arrivals to The Bahamas excluding ship crews, diplomatic personnel and returning residents. The account of multiple entries made by the same visitors at different ports in The Islands of The Bah; and do not necessarily indicate the place of stay of visitors.

**FOREIGN AIR ARRIVALS TO THE BAHAMAS**

**BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY  
DECEMBER 2001**

ISLAND	DEC '01	DEC '00	% CHG	YEAR TO DATE		
				2001	2000	% CHG
<b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>	<b>64,004</b>	<b>83,257</b>	<b>-23.1</b>	<b>960,130</b>	<b>1,011,867</b>	<b>-5.1</b>
Nassau	62,893	82,124	-23.4	945,215	1,001,423	-5.6
Paradise Island	1,111	1,133	-1.9	14,915	10,444	42.8
<b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>	<b>18,739</b>	<b>22,906</b>	<b>-18.2</b>	<b>286,528</b>	<b>283,653</b>	<b>1.0</b>
Freeport	18,739	22,906	-18.2	286,513	283,653	1.0
West End	-	-	0.0	15	0	100.0
<b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>	<b>13,362</b>	<b>15,711</b>	<b>-15.0</b>	<b>181,551</b>	<b>185,972</b>	<b>-2.4</b>
<b>ABACO</b>	<b>6,530</b>	<b>7,089</b>	<b>-7.9</b>	<b>90,353</b>	<b>89,354</b>	<b>1.1</b>
Marsh Harbour	4,267	4,517	-5.5	61,762	54,794	12.7
Treasure Cay	1,902	2,184	-12.9	23,066	28,717	-19.7
Walker's Cay	361	388	-7.0	5,525	5,843	-5.4
<b>ANDROS</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>-18.4</b>	<b>9,051</b>	<b>8,749</b>	<b>3.5</b>
Andros Town	353	533	-33.8	5,503	5,600	-1.7
Congo Town	48	33	45.5	533	517	3.1
San Andros	233	211	10.4	3,015	2,632	14.6
<b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>	<b>905</b>	<b>717</b>	<b>26.2</b>	<b>9,807</b>	<b>10,009</b>	<b>-2.0</b>
Chub Cay	506	466	8.6	4,677	4,748	-1.5
Great Harbour Cay	399	251	59.0	5,130	5,261	-2.5
<b>BIMINI</b>	<b>856</b>	<b>988</b>	<b>-13.4</b>	<b>12,698</b>	<b>12,894</b>	<b>-1.5</b>
<b>CAT CAY</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>3,206</b>	<b>2,985</b>	<b>7.4</b>
<b>CAT ISLAND</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>50.4</b>	<b>1,706</b>	<b>1,446</b>	<b>18.0</b>
<b>ELEUTHERA</b>	<b>2,480</b>	<b>3,357</b>	<b>-26.1</b>	<b>31,532</b>	<b>34,511</b>	<b>-8.6</b>
Governor's Harbour	872	1,548	-43.7	9,868	14,569	-32.3
North Eleuthera	1,422	1,382	2.9	16,860	15,091	11.7
Rock Sound	186	427	-56.4	4,804	4,851	-1.0
<b>EXUMA</b>	<b>1,184</b>	<b>1,112</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>11,690</b>	<b>11,256</b>	<b>3.9</b>
<b>INAGUA</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>750.0</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>31.4</b>
<b>LONG ISLAND</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>25.4</b>	<b>827</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>-15.4</b>
<b>SAN SALVADOR</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>1,206</b>	<b>-89.8</b>	<b>10,434</b>	<b>13,603</b>	<b>-23.3</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>96,105</b>	<b>121,874</b>	<b>-21.1</b>	<b>1,428,209</b>	<b>1,481,492</b>	<b>-3.6</b>