

# THE BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM

## JANUARY 2023 PRELIMINARY

### FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY

|                           | YEAR TO DATE   |                |              |                |                |              |
|---------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|
|                           | JAN '23        | JAN '22        | % Chg        | YTD JAN '23    | YTD JAN '22    | % CHG        |
| <b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>     |                |                |              |                |                |              |
| <b>Air</b>                | 102,256        | 55,193         | 85.3         | 102,256        | 55,193         | 85.3         |
| <b>Sea</b>                | 305,427        | 109,272        | 179.5        | 305,427        | 109,272        | 179.5        |
| <b>Total</b>              | <b>407,683</b> | <b>164,465</b> | <b>147.9</b> | <b>407,683</b> | <b>164,465</b> | <b>147.9</b> |
| <br><b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>   |                |                |              |                |                |              |
| <b>Air</b>                | 4,593          | 1,935          | 137.4        | 4,593          | 1,935          | 137.4        |
| <b>Sea</b>                | 41,755         | 8,021          | 420.6        | 41,755         | 8,021          | 420.6        |
| <b>Total</b>              | <b>46,348</b>  | <b>9,956</b>   | <b>365.5</b> | <b>46,348</b>  | <b>9,956</b>   | <b>365.5</b> |
| <br><b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b> |                |                |              |                |                |              |
| <b>Air</b>                | 25,677         | 16,941         | 51.6         | 25,677         | 16,941         | 51.6         |
| <b>Sea</b>                | 366,886        | 126,981        | 188.9        | 366,886        | 126,981        | 188.9        |
| <b>Total</b>              | <b>392,563</b> | <b>143,922</b> | <b>172.8</b> | <b>392,563</b> | <b>143,922</b> | <b>172.8</b> |
| <br><b>ALL BAHAMAS</b>    |                |                |              |                |                |              |
| <b>Air</b>                | 132,526        | 74,069         | 78.9         | 132,526        | 74,069         | 78.9         |
| <b>Sea</b>                | 714,068        | 244,274        | 192.3        | 714,068        | 244,274        | 192.3        |
| <b>Total</b>              | <b>846,594</b> | <b>318,343</b> | <b>165.9</b> | <b>846,594</b> | <b>318,343</b> | <b>165.9</b> |

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BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY  
JANUARY 2023**

| ISLAND                  | YEAR TO DATE   |               |                |                |               |                |
|-------------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
|                         | JAN '23        | JAN '22       | % Chg          | YTD JAN '23    | YTD JAN '22   | % CHG          |
| <b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>   | <b>102,256</b> | <b>55,193</b> | <b>85.3</b>    | <b>102,256</b> | <b>55,193</b> | <b>85.3</b>    |
| Nassau                  | 102,256        | 55,193        | 85.3           | 102,256        | 55,193        | 85.3           |
| Paradise Island         | 0              | 0             | 0.0            | -              | -             | 0.0            |
| <b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>     | <b>4,593</b>   | <b>1,935</b>  | <b>137.4</b>   | <b>4,593</b>   | <b>1,935</b>  | <b>137.4</b>   |
| Freeport                | 4,570          | 1,906         | 139.8          | 4,570          | 1,906         | 139.8          |
| West End                | 23             | 29            | -20.7          | 23             | 29            | -20.7          |
| <b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>   | <b>25,677</b>  | <b>16,941</b> | <b>51.6</b>    | <b>25,677</b>  | <b>16,941</b> | <b>51.6</b>    |
| <b>ABACO</b>            | <b>5,746</b>   | <b>3,553</b>  | <b>61.7</b>    | <b>5,746</b>   | <b>3,553</b>  | <b>61.7</b>    |
| Marsh Harbour           | 5,312          | 3,235         | 64.2           | 5,312          | 3,235         | 64.2           |
| Treasure Cay            | 417            | 304           | 37.2           | 417            | 304           | 37.2           |
| Spanish Cay             | 4              | 7             | -42.9          | 4              | 7             | -42.9          |
| Walker's Cay            | 13             | 7             | 85.7           | 13             | 7             | 85.7           |
| <b>ANDROS</b>           | <b>1,265</b>   | <b>996</b>    | <b>27.0</b>    | <b>1,265</b>   | <b>996</b>    | <b>27.0</b>    |
| Andros Town             | 451            | 431           | 4.6            | 451            | 431           | 4.6            |
| Congo Town              | 469            | 373           | 25.7           | 469            | 373           | 25.7           |
| San Andros              | 345            | 192           | 79.7           | 345            | 192           | 79.7           |
| <b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>    | <b>637</b>     | <b>558</b>    | <b>14.2</b>    | <b>637</b>     | <b>558</b>    | <b>14.2</b>    |
| Chub Cay                | 337            | 277           | 21.7           | 337            | 277           | 21.7           |
| Gt. Harbour Cay         | 300            | 281           | 6.8            | 300            | 281           | 6.8            |
| <b>BIMINI</b>           | <b>1,065</b>   | <b>546</b>    | <b>95.1</b>    | <b>1,065</b>   | <b>546</b>    | <b>95.1</b>    |
| <b>CAT CAY</b>          | <b>250</b>     | <b>160</b>    | <b>56.3</b>    | <b>250</b>     | <b>160</b>    | <b>56.3</b>    |
| <b>CAT ISLAND</b>       | <b>168</b>     | <b>160</b>    | <b>5.0</b>     | <b>168</b>     | <b>160</b>    | <b>5.0</b>     |
| <b>ELEUTHERA</b>        | <b>7,225</b>   | <b>5,280</b>  | <b>36.8</b>    | <b>7,225</b>   | <b>5,280</b>  | <b>36.8</b>    |
| Governor's Hrbr.        | 269            | 143           | 88.1           | 269            | 143           | 88.1           |
| North Eleuthera         | 6,818          | 5,007         | 36.2           | 6,818          | 5,007         | 36.2           |
| Rock Sound              | 138            | 130           | 6.2            | 138            | 130           | 6.2            |
| <b>EXUMA</b>            | <b>7,323</b>   | <b>5,507</b>  | <b>33.0</b>    | <b>7,323</b>   | <b>5,507</b>  | <b>33.0</b>    |
| <b>INAGUA</b>           | <b>28</b>      | <b>32</b>     | <b>-12.5</b>   | <b>28</b>      | <b>32</b>     | <b>-12.5</b>   |
| <b>LONG ISLAND</b>      | <b>229</b>     | <b>136</b>    | <b>68.4</b>    | <b>229</b>     | <b>136</b>    | <b>68.4</b>    |
| <b>SAN SALVADOR</b>     | <b>1,741</b>   | <b>11</b>     | <b>15727.3</b> | <b>1,741</b>   | <b>11</b>     | <b>15727.3</b> |
| <b>OTHER OUT ISLAND</b> | <b>0</b>       | <b>2</b>      | <b>-100.0</b>  | <b>0</b>       | <b>2</b>      | <b>-100.0</b>  |
| <b>TOTAL</b>            | <b>132,526</b> | <b>74,069</b> | <b>78.9</b>    | <b>132,526</b> | <b>74,069</b> | <b>78.9</b>    |

Marsh Harbour arrivals include Cherokee Sound and North Eleuthera numbers include White Crown.

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**FEBRUARY 2023 PRELIMINARY (REVISED)**

**FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY**

|                       | <b>FEB 23</b>  | <b>FEB 22</b>  | <b>% CHG</b> | <b>YTD FEB '23</b> | <b>YTD FEB '22</b> | <b>% CHG</b> |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| <b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b> |                |                |              |                    |                    |              |
| <b>Air</b>            | 112,360        | 79,496         | 41.3         | 214,616            | 134,689            | 59.3         |
| <b>Sea</b>            | 264,919        | 123,715        | 114.1        | 570,346            | 232,987            | 144.8        |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>377,279</b> | <b>203,211</b> | <b>85.7</b>  | <b>784,962</b>     | <b>367,676</b>     | <b>113.5</b> |
| <b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>   |                |                |              |                    |                    |              |
| <b>Air</b>            | 4,927          | 2,172          | 126.8        | 9,520              | 4,107              | 131.8        |
| <b>Sea</b>            | 34,540         | 11,058         | 212.4        | 76,295             | 19,079             | 299.9        |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>39,467</b>  | <b>13,230</b>  | <b>198.3</b> | <b>85,815</b>      | <b>23,186</b>      | <b>270.1</b> |
| <b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b> |                |                |              |                    |                    |              |
| <b>Air</b>            | 30,143         | 22,786         | 32.3         | 55,820             | 39,727             | 40.5         |
| <b>Sea</b>            | 370,443        | 175,318        | 111.3        | 737,329            | 302,299            | 143.9        |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>400,586</b> | <b>198,104</b> | <b>102.2</b> | <b>793,149</b>     | <b>342,026</b>     | <b>131.9</b> |
| <b>ALL BAHAMAS</b>    |                |                |              |                    |                    |              |
| <b>Air</b>            | 147,430        | 104,454        | 41.1         | 279,956            | 178,523            | 56.8         |
| <b>Sea</b>            | 669,902        | 310,091        | 116.0        | 1,383,970          | 554,365            | 149.6        |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>817,332</b> | <b>414,545</b> | <b>97.2</b>  | <b>1,663,926</b>   | <b>732,888</b>     | <b>127.0</b> |

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| ISLAND                  | FEB 23         | FEB 22         | % CHG          | YTD FEB '23    | YTD FEB '22    | % CHG          |
|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>   | <b>112,360</b> | <b>79,496</b>  | <b>41.3</b>    | <b>214,616</b> | <b>134,689</b> | <b>59.3</b>    |
| Nassau                  | 112,360        | 79,496         | 41.3           | 214,616        | 134,689        | 59.3           |
| Paradise Island         | 0              | 0              | 0.0            | 0              | 0              | 0.0            |
| <b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>     | <b>4,927</b>   | <b>2,172</b>   | <b>126.8</b>   | <b>9,520</b>   | <b>4,107</b>   | <b>131.8</b>   |
| Freeport                | 4,888          | 2,126          | 129.9          | 9,458          | 4,032          | 134.6          |
| West End                | 39             | 46             | -15.2          | 62             | 75             | -17.3          |
| <b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>   | <b>30,143</b>  | <b>22,786</b>  | <b>32.3</b>    | <b>55,820</b>  | <b>39,727</b>  | <b>40.5</b>    |
| <b>ABACO</b>            | <b>7,380</b>   | <b>5,387</b>   | <b>37.0</b>    | <b>13,126</b>  | <b>8,940</b>   | <b>46.8</b>    |
| Marsh Harbour           | 6,922          | 4,997          | 38.5           | 12,234         | 8,232          | 48.6           |
| Treasure Cay            | 400            | 349            | 14.6           | 817            | 653            | 25.1           |
| Spanish Cay             | 27             | 18             | 50.0           | 31             | 25             | 24.0           |
| Walker's Cay            | 31             | 23             | 34.8           | 44             | 30             | 46.7           |
| <b>ANDROS</b>           | <b>1,504</b>   | <b>1,472</b>   | <b>2.2</b>     | <b>2,769</b>   | <b>2,468</b>   | <b>12.2</b>    |
| Andros Town             | 537            | 509            | 5.5            | 988            | 940            | 5.1            |
| Congo Town              | 491            | 575            | -14.6          | 960            | 948            | 1.3            |
| San Andros              | 476            | 388            | 22.7           | 821            | 580            | 41.6           |
| <b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>    | <b>720</b>     | <b>830</b>     | <b>-13.3</b>   | <b>1,357</b>   | <b>1,388</b>   | <b>-2.2</b>    |
| Chub Cay                | 413            | 515            | -19.8          | 750            | 792            | -5.3           |
| Gt. Harbour Cay         | 307            | 315            | -2.5           | 607            | 596            | 1.8            |
| <b>BIMINI</b>           | <b>1,277</b>   | <b>942</b>     | <b>35.6</b>    | <b>2,342</b>   | <b>1,488</b>   | <b>57.4</b>    |
| <b>CAT CAY</b>          | <b>416</b>     | <b>360</b>     | <b>15.6</b>    | <b>666</b>     | <b>520</b>     | <b>28.1</b>    |
| <b>CAT ISLAND</b>       | <b>218</b>     | <b>147</b>     | <b>48.3</b>    | <b>386</b>     | <b>307</b>     | <b>25.7</b>    |
| <b>ELEUTHERA</b>        | <b>8,427</b>   | <b>7,029</b>   | <b>19.9</b>    | <b>15,652</b>  | <b>12,309</b>  | <b>27.2</b>    |
| Governor's Hrbr.        | 338            | 366            | -7.7           | 607            | 509            | 19.3           |
| North Eleuthera         | 7,894          | 6,510          | 21.3           | 14,712         | 11,517         | 27.7           |
| Rock Sound              | 195            | 153            | 27.5           | 333            | 283            | 17.7           |
| <b>EXUMA</b>            | <b>8,291</b>   | <b>6,348</b>   | <b>30.6</b>    | <b>15,614</b>  | <b>11,855</b>  | <b>31.7</b>    |
| <b>INAGUA</b>           | <b>32</b>      | <b>32</b>      | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>60</b>      | <b>64</b>      | <b>-6.3</b>    |
| <b>LONG ISLAND</b>      | <b>311</b>     | <b>223</b>     | <b>39.5</b>    | <b>540</b>     | <b>359</b>     | <b>50.4</b>    |
| <b>SAN SALVADOR</b>     | <b>1,567</b>   | <b>15</b>      | <b>10346.7</b> | <b>3,308</b>   | <b>26</b>      | <b>12623.1</b> |
| <b>OTHER OUT ISLAND</b> | <b>0</b>       | <b>1</b>       | <b>-100.0</b>  | <b>0</b>       | <b>3</b>       | <b>-100.0</b>  |
| <b>TOTAL</b>            | <b>147,430</b> | <b>104,454</b> | <b>41.1</b>    | <b>279,956</b> | <b>178,523</b> | <b>56.8</b>    |

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Club Med re-opened in November 2022, so they were in operation in February 2023 but not February 2022.

## BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM

### MARCH 2023 PRELIMINARY

#### FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY

|                       | MAR 23         | MAR 22         | %CHG         | YTD MAR '23      | YTD MAR '22      | %CHG         |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|
| <b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b> |                |                |              |                  |                  |              |
| Air                   | 141,420        | 115,452        | 22.5         | 356,036          | 250,141          | 42.3         |
| Sea                   | 317,020        | 192,185        | 65.0         | 887,366          | 425,172          | 108.7        |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>458,440</b> | <b>307,637</b> | <b>49.0</b>  | <b>1,243,402</b> | <b>675,313</b>   | <b>84.1</b>  |
| <b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>   |                |                |              |                  |                  |              |
| Air                   | 5,960          | 3,600          | 65.6         | 15,480           | 7,707            | 100.9        |
| Sea                   | 54,091         | 24,526         | 120.5        | 130,386          | 43,605           | 199.0        |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>60,051</b>  | <b>28,126</b>  | <b>113.5</b> | <b>145,866</b>   | <b>51,312</b>    | <b>184.3</b> |
| <b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b> |                |                |              |                  |                  |              |
| Air                   | 39,401         | 32,096         | 22.8         | 95,221           | 71,823           | 32.6         |
| Sea                   | 393,419        | 259,361        | 51.7         | 1,130,748        | 561,660          | 101.3        |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>432,820</b> | <b>291,457</b> | <b>48.5</b>  | <b>1,225,969</b> | <b>633,483</b>   | <b>93.5</b>  |
| <b>THE BAHAMAS</b>    |                |                |              |                  |                  |              |
| Air                   | 186,781        | 151,148        | 23.6         | 466,737          | 329,671          | 41.6         |
| Sea                   | 764,530        | 476,072        | 60.6         | 2,148,500        | 1,030,437        | 108.5        |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>951,311</b> | <b>627,220</b> | <b>51.7</b>  | <b>2,615,237</b> | <b>1,360,108</b> | <b>92.3</b>  |

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|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>NASSAU/PI</b>        | <b>141,420</b> | <b>115,452</b> | <b>22.5</b>   | <b>356,036</b> | <b>250,141</b> | <b>42.3</b>    |
| Nassau                  | 141,420        | 115,452        | 22.5          | 356,036        | 250,141        | 42.3           |
| Paradise Island         | 0              | 0              | 0.0           | 0              | 0              | 0.0            |
| <b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>     | <b>5,960</b>   | <b>3,600</b>   | <b>65.6</b>   | <b>15,480</b>  | <b>7,707</b>   | <b>100.9</b>   |
| Freeport                | 5,882          | 3,470          | 69.5          | 15,340         | 7,502          | 104.5          |
| West End                | 78             | 130            | -40.0         | 140            | 205            | -31.7          |
| <b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>   | <b>39,401</b>  | <b>32,096</b>  | <b>22.8</b>   | <b>95,221</b>  | <b>71,823</b>  | <b>32.6</b>    |
| <b>ABACO</b>            | <b>10,936</b>  | <b>8,107</b>   | <b>34.9</b>   | <b>24,062</b>  | <b>17,047</b>  | <b>41.2</b>    |
| Marsh Harbour           | 10,041         | 7,293          | 37.7          | 22,275         | 15,525         | 43.5           |
| Treasure Cay            | 790            | 719            | 9.9           | 1,607          | 1,372          | 17.1           |
| Spanish Cay             | 40             | 28             | 42.9          | 71             | 53             | 34.0           |
| Walker's Cay            | 65             | 67             | -3.0          | 109            | 97             | 12.4           |
| <b>ANDROS</b>           | <b>1,957</b>   | <b>1,345</b>   | <b>45.5</b>   | <b>4,726</b>   | <b>3,813</b>   | <b>23.9</b>    |
| Andros Town             | 606            | 778            | -22.1         | 1,594          | 1,718          | -7.2           |
| Congo Town              | 642            | 244            | 163.1         | 1,602          | 1,192          | 34.4           |
| San Andros              | 709            | 323            | 119.5         | 1,530          | 903            | 69.4           |
| <b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>    | <b>1,159</b>   | <b>1,214</b>   | <b>-4.5</b>   | <b>2,516</b>   | <b>2,602</b>   | <b>-3.3</b>    |
| Chub Cay                | 738            | 832            | -11.3         | 1,488          | 1,624          | -8.4           |
| Gt. Harbour Cay         | 421            | 382            | 10.2          | 1,028          | 978            | 5.1            |
| <b>BIMINI</b>           | <b>2,038</b>   | <b>1,750</b>   | <b>16.5</b>   | <b>4,380</b>   | <b>3,238</b>   | <b>35.3</b>    |
| <b>CAT CAY</b>          | <b>520</b>     | <b>402</b>     | <b>29.4</b>   | <b>1,186</b>   | <b>922</b>     | <b>28.6</b>    |
| <b>CAT ISLAND</b>       | <b>269</b>     | <b>257</b>     | <b>4.7</b>    | <b>655</b>     | <b>564</b>     | <b>16.1</b>    |
| <b>ELEUTHERA</b>        | <b>10,598</b>  | <b>10,047</b>  | <b>5.5</b>    | <b>26,250</b>  | <b>22,356</b>  | <b>17.4</b>    |
| Governor's Hrbr.        | 611            | 441            | 38.5          | 1,218          | 950            | 28.2           |
| North Eleuthera         | 9,768          | 9,401          | 3.9           | 24,480         | 20,918         | 17.0           |
| Rock Sound              | 219            | 205            | 6.8           | 552            | 488            | 13.1           |
| <b>EXUMA</b>            | <b>9,786</b>   | <b>8,688</b>   | <b>12.6</b>   | <b>25,400</b>  | <b>20,543</b>  | <b>23.6</b>    |
| <b>INAGUA</b>           | <b>44</b>      | <b>51</b>      | <b>-13.7</b>  | <b>104</b>     | <b>115</b>     | <b>-9.6</b>    |
| <b>LONG ISLAND</b>      | <b>255</b>     | <b>206</b>     | <b>23.8</b>   | <b>795</b>     | <b>565</b>     | <b>40.7</b>    |
| <b>SAN SALVADOR</b>     | <b>1,839</b>   | <b>24</b>      | <b>7562.5</b> | <b>5,147</b>   | <b>50</b>      | <b>10194.0</b> |
| <b>OTHER OUT ISLAND</b> | <b>0</b>       | <b>5</b>       | <b>-100.0</b> | <b>0</b>       | <b>8</b>       | <b>-100.0</b>  |
| <b>TOTAL</b>            | <b>186,781</b> | <b>151,148</b> | <b>23.6</b>   | <b>466,737</b> | <b>329,671</b> | <b>41.6</b>    |

The COVID-19 Global Pandemic began in December 2019 and by March 2020 had caused the closure of international borders around the world and had heavily impacted global travel.

Marsh Harbour arrivals include Cherokee Sound and North Eleuthera numbers include White Crown.

# THE BAHAMAS MINISTRY OF TOURISM

## APRIL 2023 PRELIMINARY

### FOREIGN ARRIVALS BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY

|                       | APR 23         | APR 22         | %CHG        | YTD APR '23      | YTD APR '22      | %CHG         |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|
| <b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b> |                |                |             |                  |                  |              |
| Air                   | 128,791        | 111,054        | 16.0        | 484,827          | 361,195          | 34.2         |
| Sea                   | 277,488        | 183,694        | 51.1        | 1,164,854        | 608,866          | 91.3         |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>406,279</b> | <b>294,748</b> | <b>37.8</b> | <b>1,649,681</b> | <b>970,061</b>   | <b>70.1</b>  |
| <b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>   |                |                |             |                  |                  |              |
| Air                   | 5,327          | 4,588          | 16.1        | 20,807           | 12,295           | 69.2         |
| Sea                   | 41,085         | 25,365         | 62.0        | 171,471          | 68,970           | 148.6        |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>46,412</b>  | <b>29,953</b>  | <b>54.9</b> | <b>192,278</b>   | <b>81,265</b>    | <b>136.6</b> |
| <b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b> |                |                |             |                  |                  |              |
| Air                   | 36,490         | 31,457         | 16.0        | 131,711          | 103,280          | 27.5         |
| Sea                   | 376,259        | 232,563        | 61.8        | 1,507,007        | 794,223          | 89.7         |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>412,749</b> | <b>264,020</b> | <b>56.3</b> | <b>1,638,718</b> | <b>897,503</b>   | <b>82.6</b>  |
| <b>THE BAHAMAS</b>    |                |                |             |                  |                  |              |
| Air                   | 170,608        | 147,099        | 16.0        | 637,345          | 476,770          | 33.7         |
| Sea                   | 694,832        | 441,622        | 57.3        | 2,843,332        | 1,472,059        | 93.2         |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>865,440</b> | <b>588,721</b> | <b>47.0</b> | <b>3,480,677</b> | <b>1,948,829</b> | <b>78.6</b>  |

These statistics provided by the Immigration Department are a manual immigration card count of all foreign visitors and transit arrivals to The Bahamas excluding ship crews, diplomatic personnel and returning residents. They take no account of multiple entries made by the same visitors at different ports in The Bahamas and do not necessarily indicate the place of stay of visitors.

Sources: Dept. of Immigration, Bahamas Customs, cruise ship manifests, Port Authorities

**THESE FIGURES ARE PRELIMINARY & SUBJECT TO REVISION UPON FINAL VERIFICATION**

**FOREIGN AIR ARRIVALS TO THE BAHAMAS  
BY FIRST PORT OF ENTRY  
APRIL 2023**

| ISLAND                   | APR 23         | APR 22         | %CHG          | YTD APR '23    | YTD APR '22    | %CHG          |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
| <b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b>    | <b>128,791</b> | <b>111,054</b> | <b>16.0</b>   | <b>484,827</b> | <b>361,195</b> | <b>34.2</b>   |
| Nassau                   | 128,791        | 111,054        | 16.0          | 484,827        | 361,195        | 34.2          |
| Paradise Island          | 0              | 0              | 0.0           | 0              | 0              | 0.0           |
| <b>GRAND BAHAMA</b>      | <b>5,327</b>   | <b>4,588</b>   | <b>16.1</b>   | <b>20,807</b>  | <b>12,295</b>  | <b>69.2</b>   |
| Freeport                 | 5,284          | 4,540          | 16.4          | 20,624         | 12,042         | 71.3          |
| West End                 | 43             | 48             | -10.4         | 183            | 253            | -27.7         |
| <b>FAMILY ISLANDS</b>    | <b>36,490</b>  | <b>31,457</b>  | <b>16.0</b>   | <b>131,711</b> | <b>103,280</b> | <b>27.5</b>   |
| <b>ABACO</b>             | <b>10,793</b>  | <b>8,271</b>   | <b>30.5</b>   | <b>34,855</b>  | <b>25,318</b>  | <b>37.7</b>   |
| Marsh Harbour            | 10,130         | 7,545          | 34.3          | 32,405         | 23,070         | 40.5          |
| Treasure Cay             | 638            | 647            | -1.4          | 2,245          | 2,019          | 11.2          |
| Spanish Cay              | 16             | 38             | -57.9         | 87             | 91             | -4.4          |
| Walker's Cay             | 9              | 41             | -78.0         | 118            | 138            | -14.5         |
| <b>ANDROS</b>            | <b>1,864</b>   | <b>1,860</b>   | <b>0.2</b>    | <b>6,590</b>   | <b>5,673</b>   | <b>16.2</b>   |
| Andros Town              | 624            | 763            | -18.2         | 2,218          | 2,481          | -10.6         |
| Congo Town               | 591            | 728            | -18.8         | 2,193          | 1,920          | 14.2          |
| San Andros               | 649            | 369            | 75.9          | 2,179          | 1,272          | 71.3          |
| <b>BERRY ISLANDS</b>     | <b>1,412</b>   | <b>1,197</b>   | <b>18.0</b>   | <b>3,928</b>   | <b>3,799</b>   | <b>3.4</b>    |
| Chub Cay                 | 798            | 697            | 14.5          | 2,286          | 2,321          | -1.5          |
| Gt. Harbour Cay          | 614            | 500            | 22.8          | 1,642          | 1,478          | 11.1          |
| <b>BIMINI</b>            | <b>1,461</b>   | <b>1,575</b>   | <b>-7.2</b>   | <b>5,841</b>   | <b>4,813</b>   | <b>21.4</b>   |
| <b>CAT CAY</b>           | <b>620</b>     | <b>570</b>     | <b>8.8</b>    | <b>1,806</b>   | <b>1,492</b>   | <b>21.0</b>   |
| <b>CAT ISLAND</b>        | <b>335</b>     | <b>338</b>     | <b>-0.9</b>   | <b>990</b>     | <b>902</b>     | <b>9.8</b>    |
| <b>ELEUTHERA</b>         | <b>9,240</b>   | <b>9,256</b>   | <b>-0.2</b>   | <b>35,490</b>  | <b>31,612</b>  | <b>12.3</b>   |
| Governor's Hrbr.         | 470            | 472            | -0.4          | 1,688          | 1,422          | 18.7          |
| North Eleuthera          | 8,530          | 8,585          | -0.6          | 33,010         | 29,503         | 11.9          |
| Rock Sound               | 240            | 199            | 20.6          | 792            | 687            | 15.3          |
| <b>EXUMA</b>             | <b>8,858</b>   | <b>8,110</b>   | <b>9.2</b>    | <b>34,258</b>  | <b>28,653</b>  | <b>19.6</b>   |
| <b>INAGUA</b>            | <b>32</b>      | <b>43</b>      | <b>-25.6</b>  | <b>136</b>     | <b>158</b>     | <b>-13.9</b>  |
| <b>LONG ISLAND</b>       | <b>261</b>     | <b>220</b>     | <b>18.6</b>   | <b>1,056</b>   | <b>785</b>     | <b>34.5</b>   |
| <b>SAN SALVADOR</b>      | <b>1,614</b>   | <b>17</b>      | <b>9394.1</b> | <b>6,761</b>   | <b>67</b>      | <b>9991.0</b> |
| <b>OTHER OUT ISLANDS</b> | <b>0</b>       | <b>0</b>       | <b>0.0</b>    | <b>0</b>       | <b>8</b>       | <b>-100.0</b> |
| <b>TOTAL</b>             | <b>170,608</b> | <b>147,099</b> | <b>16.0</b>   | <b>637,345</b> | <b>476,770</b> | <b>33.7</b>   |

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The Easter Holiday fell in April 2023, 2022 and 2019.