

COMPARISON OF TOURIST ARRIVALS BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE
DECEMBER 2006 AND 2007

Stay-over visitor arrivals for December 2007 were 54,987 representing a decrease of 196 or 0.4% when compared to December 2006. U.S.A, Canada and the Other Europe markets showed increases of 120, 792 and 158, or 0.9%, 11.1% and 5.5% respectively. The Germany market showed the largest decrease of 234 or 37.9% while the U.K, Trinidad and Tobago, Other Caricom

and Other Countries markets showed decreases of 480, 364, 33 and 155 or 2.3%, 18.0%, 0.6% and 7.0% respectively.

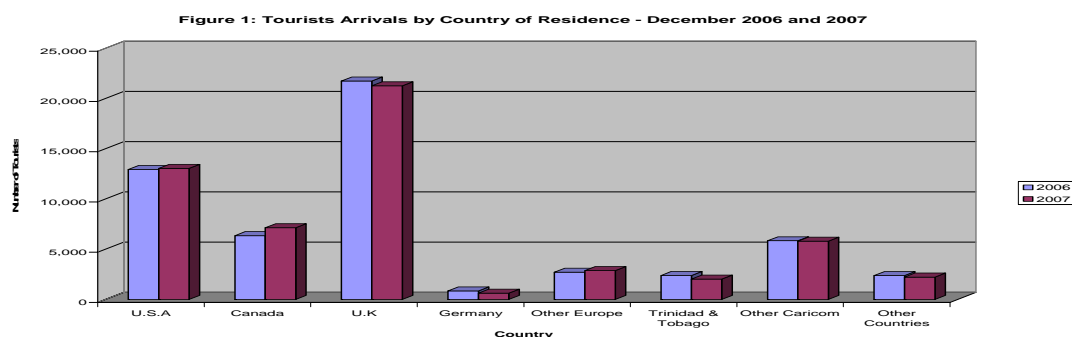
Cruise Passenger arrivals for December 2007 were 104,358 representing an increase of 18,936 or 22.2% when compared to December 2006.

**Table 1: Tourist Arrivals by Country of Residence
December 2006 and 2007**

COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE	DECEMBER		ACTUAL CHANGE	% CHANGE
	2006	2007 ^(P)		
U.S.A	12,929	13,049	120	0.9
Canada	6,346	7,138	792	11.1
U.K	21,737	21,257	(480)	-2.3
Germany	852	618	(234)	-37.9
Other Europe	2,714	2,872	158	5.5
Trinidad & Tobago	2,387	2,023	(364)	-18.0
Other Caricom	5,839	5,806	(33)	-0.6
Other Countries	2,379	2,224	(155)	-7.0
TOTAL	55,183	54,987	(196)	-0.4

CRUISE PASSENGERS FOR DECEMBER 2006 AND 2007 COMPARED

DETAILS	DECEMBER		ACTUAL CHANGE	% CHANGE
	2006	2007 ^(P)		
Arrivals *	85,422	104,358	18,936	22.2
Landed Passengers **	15,788	16,805	1,017	6.4
No. of Vessels	75	84	9	12.0



JANUARY TO DECEMBER 2006 AND 2007

Stay-over visitor arrivals for the period January to December 2007 totaled 574,533. This represented an increase of 11,975 or 2.1% when compared to the corresponding period in 2006. The Other Countries market showed the largest increase of 10,635 or 43.9% with the U.S.A, Canada, UK and Other Europe and markets also showed increases of 3,313, 4,075, 12,383 and 1,389 or 2.5%,

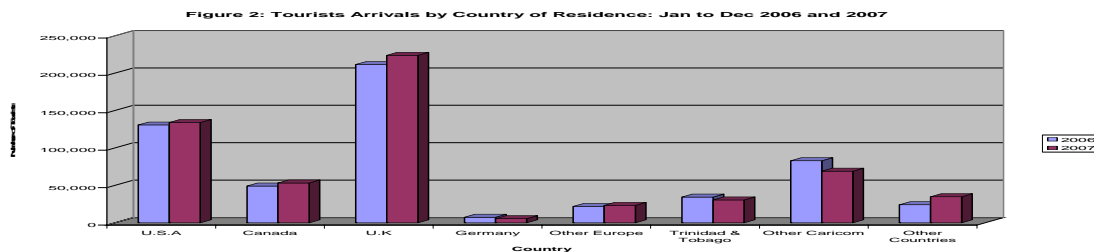
8.3%, 5.9% and 6.3% respectively. The Germany, Trinidad & Tobago and Other Caricom markets showed decreases of 1,913, 3,894 and 14,013 or 25.6%, 11.3% and 16.9% respectively. Cruise passenger arrivals were 616,354. This represented an increase of 77,262 or 14.3% when compared to the corresponding period in 2006.

**Table 2: Tourist Arrivals by Country of Residence
January to December 2006 and 2007**

COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE	JAN - DEC		ACTUAL CHANGE	% CHANGE
	2006	2007 ^(P)		
U.S.A	130,767	134,080	3,313	2.5
Canada	49,198	53,273	4,075	8.3
U.K	211,523	223,906	12,383	5.9
Germany	7,478	5,565	(1,913)	-25.6
Other Europe	21,922	23,311	1,389	6.3
Trinidad & Tobago	34,480	30,586	(3,894)	-11.3
Other Caricom	82,989	68,976	(14,013)	-16.9
Other Countries	24,201	34,836	10,635	43.9
TOTAL	562,558	574,533	11,975	2.1

CRUISE PASSENGERS FOR JAN - DEC 2006 AND 2007 COMPARED

DETAILS	JAN - DEC		ACTUAL CHANGE	% CHANGE
	2006	2007 ^(P)		
Arrivals *	539,092	616,354	77,262	14.3
Landed Passengers **	96,376	104,461	8,085	8.4
No. of Vessels	440	485	45	10.2



Notes

P=Provisional

R=Revised

* = No. of cruise ship passenger arrivals who did not permanently disembark in Barbados.

**=No. of cruise ship passengers who permanently disembarked in Barbados.

- this includes direct-transits or transfer passengers, tourists and Barbadian residents.