



# **SURVEY OF INBOUND TOURISM**

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## Introduction

This report presents the main results of the survey of Inbound Tourism for the first six months of 2025 and is compared to the corresponding period of 2024.

The primary objective of the survey is to gather information on tourists visiting Mauritius, mainly on their spending pattern, purpose and frequency of visits, place of stay and rating of the Mauritian destination. During the survey, data was collected from departing tourists at Sir Seewoosagur Ramgoolam International Airport.

Table 1 below shows the distribution of respondents by country of residence compared to that of tourist departures during the first six months of 2025.

The questionnaire is given at Annex.

**Table 1: Distribution of parties and tourists by country of residence, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester 2025**

Country of Residence		Survey of Inbound Tourism				Actual no. of tourists departed (Passport and Immigration Office)	
		Parties		Tourists			
		No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
<b>Europe</b>		<b>2,569</b>	<b>57.9</b>	<b>5,670</b>	<b>58.3</b>	<b>437,430</b>	<b>64.3</b>
<i>of which:</i>	France	898	20.2	1,975	20.3	162,050	23.8
	Germany	547	12.3	1,196	12.3	52,593	7.7
	Italy	145	3.3	319	3.3	16,355	2.4
	Switzerland	197	4.4	426	4.4	16,152	2.4
	United Kingdom	472	10.6	1,033	10.6	72,704	10.7
<b>Africa</b>		<b>1,412</b>	<b>31.8</b>	<b>3,040</b>	<b>31.3</b>	<b>149,714</b>	<b>22.0</b>
<i>of which:</i>	Reunion Island	535	12.0	1,267	13.0	72,983	10.7
	South Africa, Rep. of	651	14.7	1,359	14.0	50,633	7.4
<b>Asia</b>		<b>417</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>920</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>67,896</b>	<b>10.0</b>
<i>of which:</i>	People's Rep. of China	9	0.2	19	0.2	5,958	0.9
	India	281	6.3	610	6.3	35,165	5.2
	United Arab Emirates	8	0.2	20	0.2	5,853	0.9
<b>Oceania</b>		<b>42</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>9,154</b>	<b>1.3</b>
<i>of which:</i>	Australia	42	0.9	91	0.9	8,353	1.2
<b>America</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>15,500</b>	<b>2.3</b>
<i>of which:</i>	USA	0	0.0	0	0.0	7,673	1.1
<b>Not Stated</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>4,440</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9,721</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>680,031</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### 1. Main findings, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, 2024 and 2025

		1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2024	1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2025
<b>Purpose of visit</b>	% distribution by main purpose of visit:		
	Holiday	93.0	87.6
	Honeymoon	0.8	3.4
	Business	0.1	0.7
	Visiting friends and/or relatives	5.2	7.6
	Other purposes	0.9	0.7
<b>Total</b>		<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Tours</b>	The proportion (%) of tourists travelling on :		
	Package tour	62.2	41.5
	Non- Package tour	37.8	58.5
	<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Party size</b>	The average party size was:	2.1	2.1
<b>Accommodation</b>	% distribution by type of accommodation:		Amended
	Hotel	77.2	73.4
	Guest house	3.1	2.3
	In own villas/houses/ bungalow/IRS	0.3	0.1
	Tourist residence	9.9	9.4
	With friends and/or relatives	9.4	13.7
	Other types of accommodation	0.2	1.1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Duration of visit</b>	The average number of nights spent by a tourist in Mauritius was:	11.6	11.3
<b>Expenditure</b>	The average expenditure (Rs) was:		
	Per tourist	68,100	74,600
	Per night	5,900	6,600
<b>Return visit</b>	The proportion (%) of tourists who visited Mauritius before was:	37.4	51.7

*Note: Figures in shaded cells should be treated with caution; they are subject to low reliability since they are based on fewer than 30 observations in the sample.*

### 1.1 Tourists travelling on package tour

For the first semester of 2025, 41.5% of tourists travelled on package tour compared to 62.2% in the first semester of 2024. During the first semester of 2025, package tour was more popular among tourists from People's Republic of China (73.8%), India (67.8%) and Italy (53.3%). Tourists making their own travel arrangement were mainly from Reunion Island (88.4%), Switzerland (72.8%), France (65.8%), Australia (65.0%), United Kingdom (60.6%) and Germany (57.2%) (Table 2).

During the first semester of 2025, among the tourists staying in hotels, 55.7% of them were on package tour compared to 79.0% for the corresponding period of 2024 (Table 5c).

### 1.2 Tourists travelling on non-package tour stayed longer than those travelling on package tour

For the first semester of 2025, the average length of stay for tourists arriving on non-package tour was 13.2 nights, higher than the figure of 8.6 nights for those travelling on package tour. A similar trend was observed for the first semester of 2024 (Table 3).

During the first semester of 2025, Oceanian tourists stayed longer with an average of 15.3 nights compared to the other regions: Asia (13.1 nights), Europe (11.7 nights) and Africa (9.1 nights) (Table 3).

During the first semester of 2025, the average length of stay of tourists staying in non-hotel accommodations is longer (19.9 nights) compared to those staying in hotels (8.2 nights) (Table 5c).

### 1.3 Tourists visited Mauritius mainly to spend holidays

For the first semester of 2025, 87.6% of tourists visited Mauritius mainly for holidays, lower than the figure of 93.0% in the first semester of 2024.

The proportion of tourists visiting Mauritius for honeymoon in first semester of 2025 stood at 3.4%, higher than the figure of 0.8% registered during the corresponding period of 2024. It is to be noted that most honeymooners came from India (54.7%). The share of tourists visiting friends and/or relatives increased to 7.6% compared to 5.2% during the first semester of 2024 and the share for those coming on business increased marginally from 0.1% in the first semester of 2024 to 0.7% during the corresponding period of 2025 (Table 4).

### 1.4 Around seven out of 10 tourists preferred to stay in hotels than in non-hotel accommodations

Amended

During the first semester of 2025, some 73.4% of tourists preferred to stay in hotels rather than in non-hotel accommodations compared to 77.2% of tourists who stayed in hotels during the first semester of 2024. Among the non-hotel accommodations, 13.7% of tourists stayed with friends and/or relatives, 9.4% stayed in tourist residence and some 2.3% in guest house (Table 5a).

In the first semester of 2025, among those staying in hotels, 94.6% came for holidays, 4.6% were honeymooners and some 0.3% came on business trips (Table 5c).

### 1.5 Average expenditure per tourist

For the first semester of 2025, the average expenditure per tourist amounted to Rs 74,600, that is around Rs 6,500 higher compared to Rs 68,100 in the same period of 2024. On average, a European tourist spent Rs 79,800 during the first semester of 2025 compared to Rs 73,300 in the first semester of 2024. Tourists from France, our leading market spent an average of Rs 71,400 per person in the first semester of 2025, higher compared to Rs 68,900 in the corresponding period of 2024 (Table 6).

Average expenditure for those staying in hotels was Rs 87,600 in the first semester of 2025, compared to Rs 75,100 in the first semester of 2024. Those staying in non-hotel accommodations spent on average Rs 38,700 in the first semester of 2025 compared to Rs 44,600 for the same period of 2024 (Table 5c).

The average expenditure per tourist per night for the first semester of 2025 amounted to Rs 6,600, higher than the figure of Rs 5,900 in the first semester of 2024 (Table 6).

During the first semester of 2025, tourists travelling on package tour spent Rs 10,300 per night on average, higher when compared to an average of Rs 4,900 per night for those travelling on non-package tour. A similar trend was observed in first semester 2024: Rs 7,800 for package tour and Rs 3,900 for non-package tour (Table 7).

A tourist staying in hotels spent on average Rs 10,700 per night in the first semester of 2025 which was nearly sixfold the amount spent by a tourist staying in non-hotel accommodations (Rs 1,900 per night). Corresponding figures for the first semester of 2024 were Rs 8,000 for hotels and Rs 2,300 for non-hotel accommodations (Table 5c).

### **1.6 Influencing factors for first-time tourists**

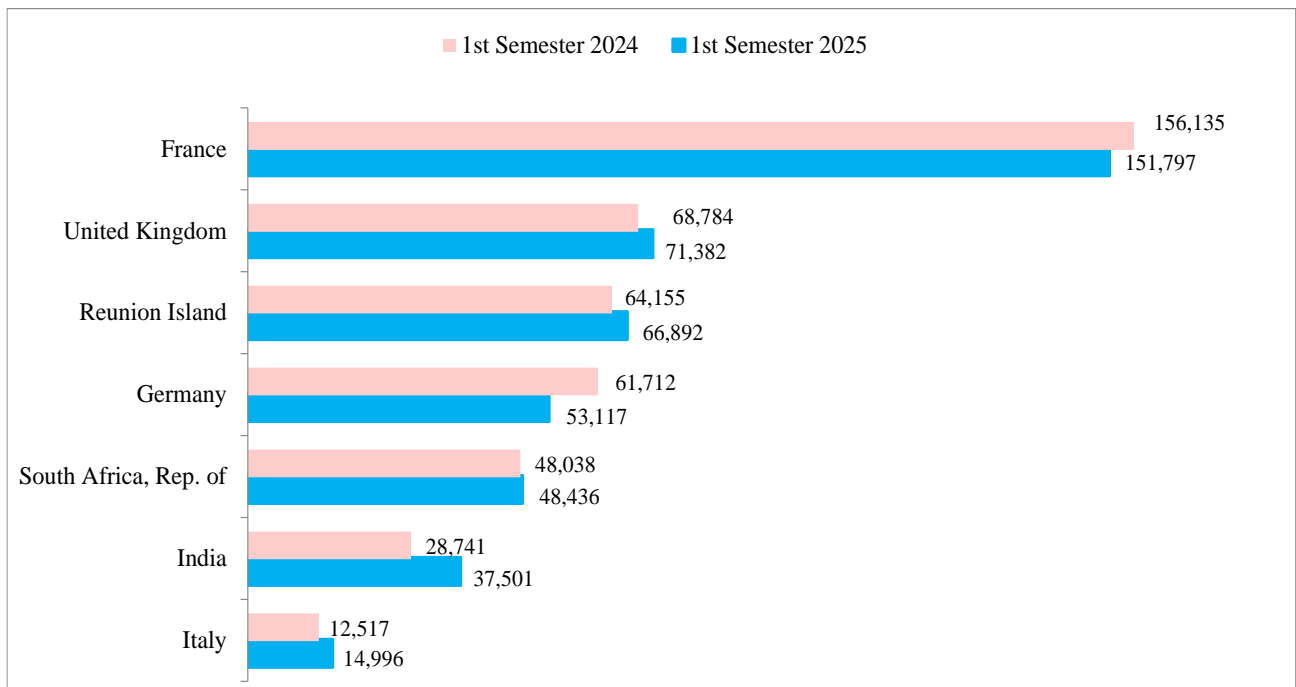
In the first semester of 2025, the main factors influencing first-time tourists to choose Mauritius as a destination were 'Web and social media' (62%), 'Travel agencies and tour operators' (20%) and 'Friends and words of mouth' (17%). Compared to first semester 2024, the influencing factors were as follows: 'Web and social media' (50%), 'Friends and words of mouth' (26%) and 'Travel agencies and tour operators' (22%) as shown in Figure 6.

### **1.7 Sleeping and Meal arrangement**

Findings show that the distribution of tourists by sleeping and meal arrangement in first semester 2025 were: 'Half-board' (52%), 'All-inclusive' (18%), 'Free' (14%), 'Bed only' (9%), 'Bed and breakfast' (6%) and 'Full-board' (1%).

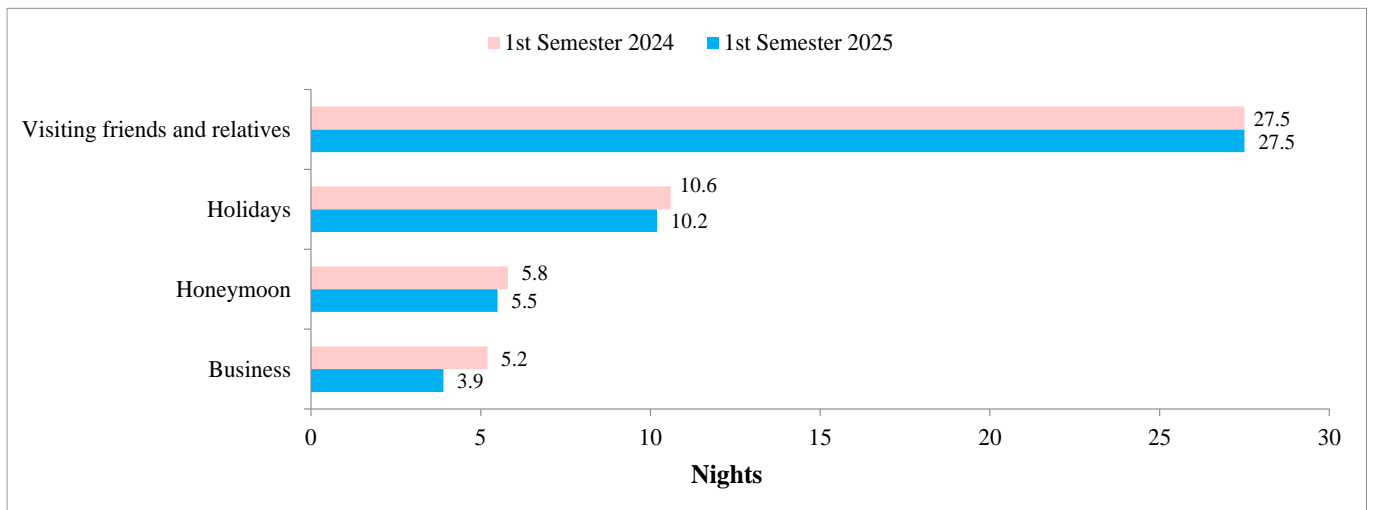
Compared to first semester 2024, the trend in sleeping and meal arrangement was as follows: 'All-inclusive' (66%), 'Half-board' (12%), 'Bed only' (13%), 'Free' (7%) and 'Bed and breakfast' (3%) as shown in Figure 7.

**Figure 1: Tourist arrivals from main generating countries, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, 2024 and 2025**

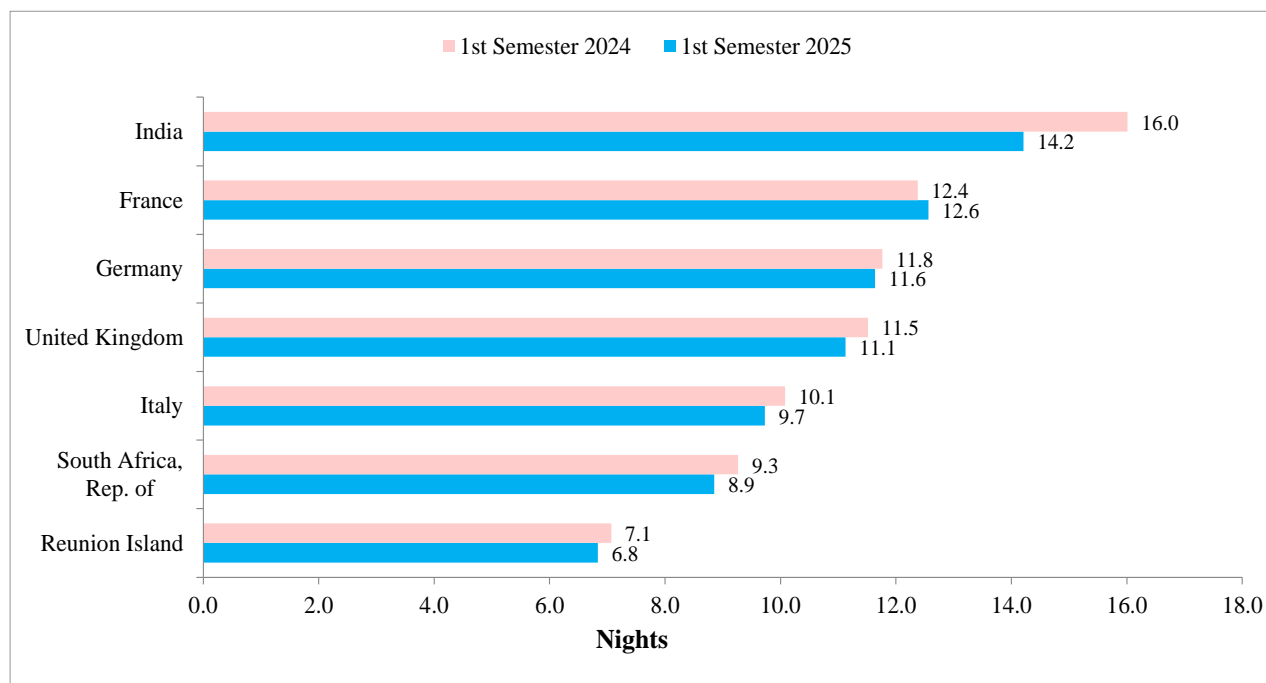


*Source: Passport & Immigration Office*

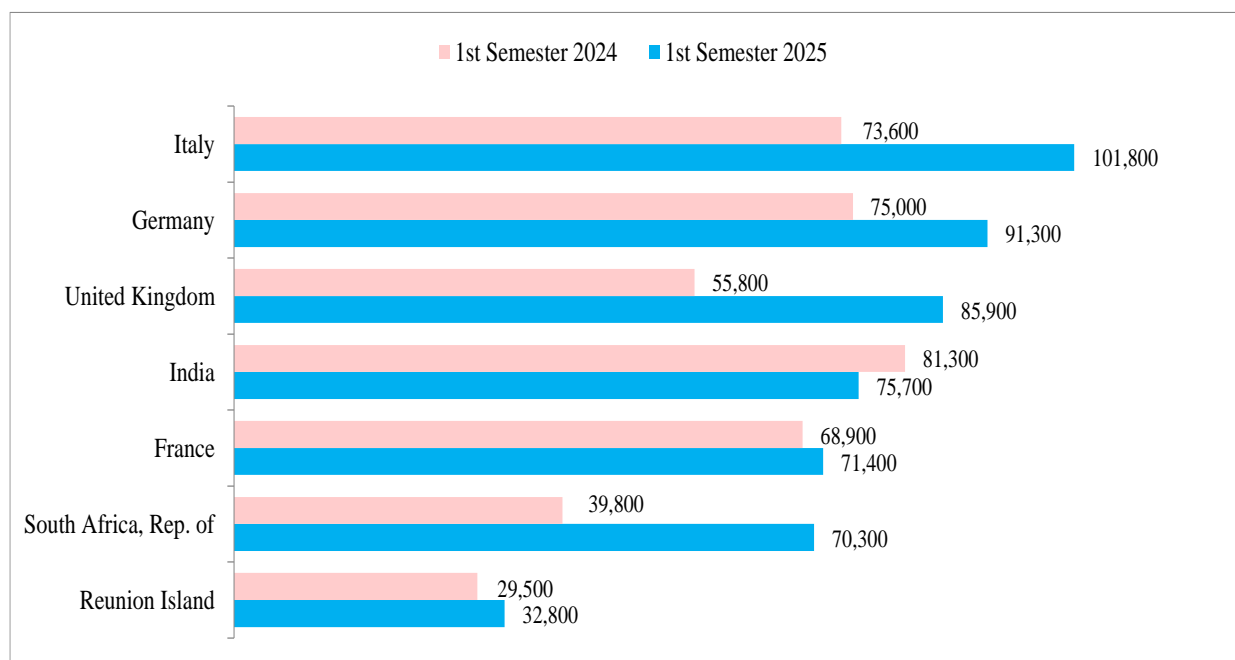
**Figure 2: Average length of stay (in nights) by purpose of visit, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, 2024 and 2025**



**Figure 3: Average length of stay (in nights) by selected country of residence, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, 2024 and 2025**

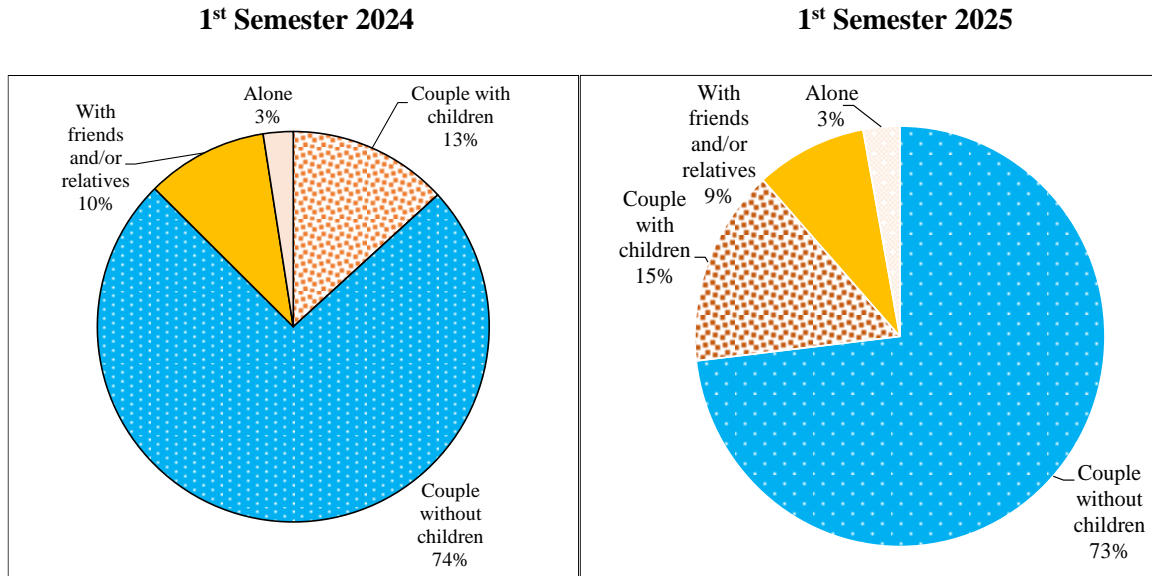


**Figure 4: Average expenditure (Mauritian Rupees) per tourist by selected country of residence, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, 2024 and 2025**

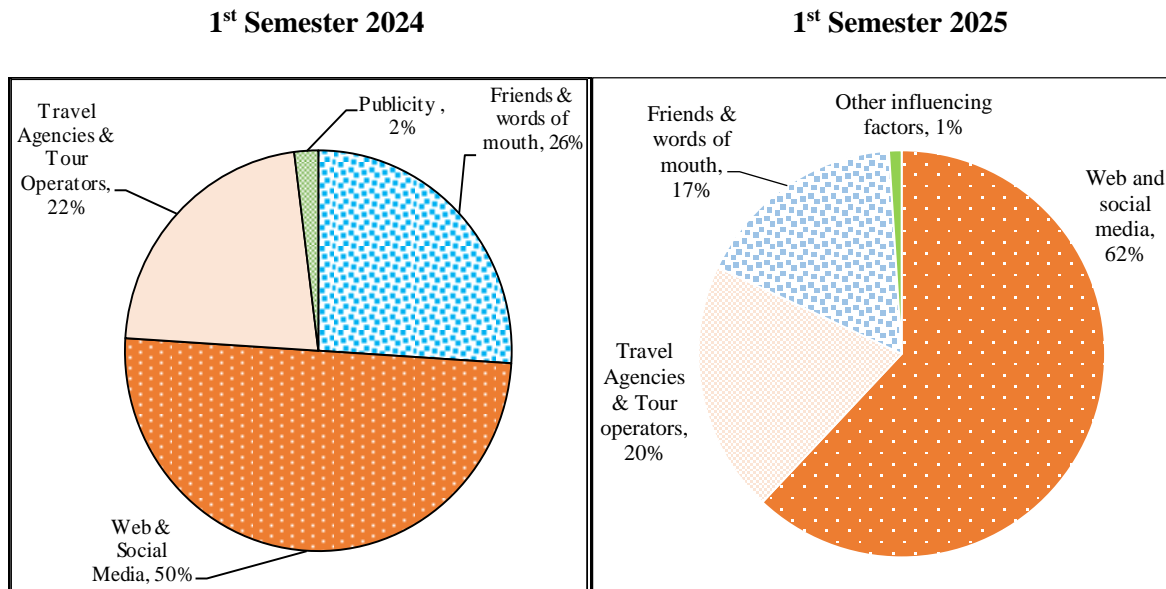


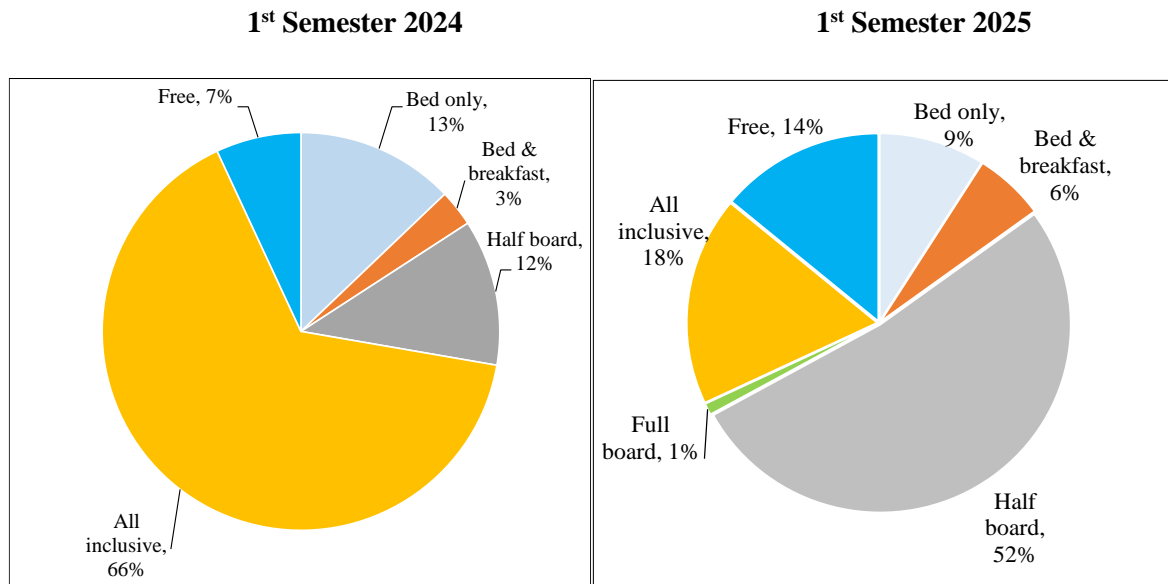


**Figure 5: Distribution of tourists by group composition, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, 2024 and 2025**



**Figure 6: Distribution of first-time tourists by influencing factor, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, 2024 and 2025**



**Figure 7: Distribution of tourists by sleeping and meal arrangement, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, 2024 and 2025**

## 2. Methodology

### 2.1 Data collection

#### Survey period

The survey was conducted during the first semester of 2025. Interviews were carried out in 2 time slots for each schedule (day and night) as follows:

- (i) day schedule: between 06.00 and 14.00; or between 08.00 and 16.00 hours;
- (ii) night schedule: between 14.00 and 22.00; or between 16.00 and 23.00 hours.

#### Target population

Tourists leaving the Island of Mauritius by air.

#### Questionnaire design

The views of the main stakeholders, including the Ministry of Tourism, Association of Hoteliers and Restaurants in Mauritius (AHRIM) and Mauritius Tourism Promotion Agency (MTPA), were sought regarding the content of the questionnaire. The questionnaire comprises 36 questions (*see Annex*), including opinion questions on level of security, state of environment, customer service at the airport and an overall appreciation score to Mauritius as a holiday destination.

#### Data collection method

Data were collected on tablet PCs and face-to-face interviewing technique was used.

#### Response rate

Around 81% of tourists who were approached for the survey responded positively. Non-respondents who were replaced, were mostly those who did not have enough time due to their late arrival for check-in formalities and those who had language difficulties.

#### Fieldstaff

The fieldstaff comprised 5 interviewers and 3 supervisors each month.

#### Consistency and validation checks

The data capture application on the tablet PCs flagged errors at data collection and were corrected on the spot. In addition, supervisors monitored the interviews being carried out and advised the interviewers on remedial action to be taken, if warranted.

### 2.2 Sampling

#### Sampling method

The number of interviews conducted per day was determined by making use of Probability Proportional to Size (PPS) sampling method based on the seat capacity of the airplanes which left the country in 2024. Interviews were conducted on the 'first available' basis i.e. tourists were approached as they entered the departure lounge after check-in formalities.

#### Sample size

A total of 4,440 interviews were conducted during the first 6 months of 2025, covering 9,721 tourists.

#### Data reliability

The results published in this report are based on a sample, rather than the census of all tourists who departed during the first 6 months of 2025. As with all sample surveys, the results are subject to sampling variability and therefore may differ from figures that would be obtained if all tourists had been included in the survey.

### 2.3 Expenditure data

Expenditure figures relate to expenses incurred by the tourists during their stay in the country and include items like accommodation, meals and beverages, local transportation, sightseeing, entertainment, shopping etc. However, expenses on **international fares** paid to carriers are excluded.

The method of calculating tourism expenditure by means of Airport Exit Surveys is widely used internationally, but problems arise for tourists travelling on package tour. The cost of package has to be broken down in order to obtain the proportions which accrue to hotels, tour operators etc. in Mauritius. Based on information gathered, it is assumed that 44% of the cost of the package goes to the local hoteliers. In cases where the package includes other destinations besides Mauritius, adjustments are done to determine the expenditure incurred in the country.

### 2.4 Weighting methodology

The survey results were benchmarked to data on monthly tourists departed during the first 6 months of 2025, as obtained from the Passport and Immigration Office. The variables “country of residence” and “length of stay” were used in weighting the survey data. Moreover, for better estimates, weighted number of nights derived from survey data have been realigned with the actual number of tourist nights spent by departing tourists.

### 2.5 Problems/Limitations

As with all sample surveys, the Survey of Inbound Tourism is subject to weaknesses including:

- Tourists departing by sea are not covered. However, it is to be noted that tourists by sea represent around 2% of total tourist arrivals.
- Tourists in the VIP lounges are not covered; these tourists are perceived as high spenders.

### 3. Concepts and Definitions

The concepts and definitions are based on the International Recommendations for Tourism Statistics 2008 (IRTS 2008) framework prepared by United Nations World Tourism Organisation (UNWTO). The framework is consistent with other statistical frameworks such as the System of National Accounts 2008 and the Tourism Satellite Account Recommended Methodological Framework 2008.

#### Unit of inquiry

The unit of inquiry is the tourist. The latter is defined as a non-resident staying overnight in the country but less than a year, and is not involved in any gainful occupation in the country during his/her stay. A tourist may be travelling alone or in a group.

#### Inbound tourism

Inbound tourism comprises the activities of a non-resident visitor within the country of reference.

#### Inbound tourism expenditure

Inbound tourism expenditure is the tourism expenditure of a non-resident visitor within the economy of reference.

#### Party

The travelling unit is the “party”, which usually consists of one or more members for whom individual expenditures are not available separately. Thus, for certain sections of the questionnaire, the information obtained may refer to more than one tourist.

The size of the “party” is the total number of persons present in the “party”. This has been taken into consideration when calculating average expenditure per tourist.

#### Country of residence

Tourist arrivals are compiled on the basis of the **permanent address** of the tourist, which may not be the same as his nationality.

#### Main purpose of visit

The main purpose of a trip is defined as the purpose in the absence of which the trip would not have taken place.

#### Package or inclusive tour

A package tour is defined as one in which airfare, accommodation and other items such as meals, sightseeing, car hire are included in the tour price paid before departure from the home country of the tourist. The package may include other countries besides Mauritius.

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**Table 2 - Percentage distribution of tourists by country of residence and travel arrangement, Year 2023, 2024 and 1<sup>st</sup> Semester 2025**

Country of residence	Year 2023		Year 2024		1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2024		2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester 2024		1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2025	
	Package	Non-Package	Package	Non-Package	Package	Non-Package	Package	Non-Package	Package	Non-Package
<b>Europe</b>	<b>53.0</b>	<b>47.0</b>	<b>61.0</b>	<b>39.0</b>	<b>65.9</b>	<b>34.1</b>	<b>56.2</b>	<b>43.8</b>	<b>43.8</b>	<b>56.2</b>
<i>of which:</i> France	49.1	50.9	53.1	46.9	54.7	45.3	51.5	48.5	34.2	65.8
Germany	57.5	42.5	57.9	42.1	71.3	28.7	44.7	55.3	42.8	57.2
Italy	71.4	28.6	81.7	18.3	72.7	27.3	89.8	10.2	53.3	46.7
Switzerland	61.3	38.7	52.2	47.8	37.5	62.5	65.2	34.8	27.2	72.8
United Kingdom	49.9	50.1	51.5	48.5	53.3	46.7	50.1	49.9	39.4	60.6
<b>Africa</b>	<b>39.5</b>	<b>60.5</b>	<b>52.8</b>	<b>47.2</b>	<b>51.1</b>	<b>48.9</b>	<b>54.4</b>	<b>45.6</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>77.0</b>
<i>of which:</i> Reunion Island	30.8	69.2	48.7	51.3	46.8	53.2	50.6	49.4	11.6	88.4
South Africa, Rep. of	58.9	41.1	71.8	28.2	69.5	30.5	74.0	26.0	39.9	60.1
<b>Asia</b>	<b>48.0</b>	<b>52.0</b>	<b>66.9</b>	<b>33.1</b>	<b>65.4</b>	<b>34.6</b>	<b>68.2</b>	<b>31.8</b>	<b>67.9</b>	<b>32.1</b>
<i>of which:</i> India	62.4	37.6	73.7	26.3	76.5	23.5	70.8	29.2	67.8	32.2
People's Rep. of China	43.5	56.5	52.2	47.8	56.9	43.1	48.8	51.2	73.8	26.2
United Arab Emirates	12.0	88.0	9.1	90.9	0.0	100.0	14.0	86.0	49.0	51.0
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>35.3</b>	<b>64.7</b>	<b>82.4</b>	<b>17.6</b>	<b>89.2</b>	<b>10.8</b>	<b>76.0</b>	<b>24.0</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>65.0</b>
<i>of which:</i> Australia	35.3	64.7	82.4	17.6	89.2	10.8	76.0	24.0	35.0	65.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>49.1</b>	<b>50.9</b>	<b>59.5</b>	<b>40.5</b>	<b>62.2</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>57.0</b>	<b>43.0</b>	<b>41.5</b>	<b>58.5</b>

*Note: Figures in shaded cells should be treated with caution; they are subject to low reliability since they are based on fewer than 30 observations in the sample*

Table 3 - Average length of stay (in nights) by country of residence and travel arrangement, Year 2023, 2024 and 1<sup>st</sup> Semester 2025

Country of residence	Year 2023			Year 2024			1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2024			2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester 2024			1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2025		
	Package	Non-Package	Total	Package	Non-Package	Total	Package	Non-Package	Total	Package	Non-Package	Total	Package	Non-Package	Total
<b>Europe</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>11.8</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>11.8</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>16.5</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>11.7</b>
<i>of which:</i> France	9.3	14.8	12.1	7.6	17.2	12.1	7.7	18.0	12.4	7.5	16.5	11.9	8.2	14.8	12.6
Germany	10.7	13.7	12.0	10.1	14.3	11.9	10.7	14.4	11.8	9.1	14.2	12.0	9.6	13.2	11.6
Italy	9.7	10.8	10.0	8.9	15.5	10.1	7.2	17.7	10.1	10.1	10.3	10.1	10.0	9.4	9.7
Switzerland	12.6	12.1	12.4	9.4	15.7	12.4	7.4	16.1	12.8	10.4	15.2	12.1	8.1	14.2	12.6
United Kingdom	9.9	13.6	11.8	8.3	15.1	11.6	8.2	15.3	11.5	8.3	15.0	11.6	7.8	13.3	11.1
<b>Africa</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>9.1</b>
<i>of which:</i> Reunion Island	5.7	7.4	6.9	6.4	7.2	6.8	6.6	7.5	7.1	6.2	6.9	6.6	7.2	6.8	6.8
South Africa, Rep. of	6.9	13.5	9.6	6.3	16.8	9.3	6.0	16.7	9.3	6.6	16.9	9.2	6.6	10.3	8.9
<b>Asia</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>23.1</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>19.9</b>	<b>13.1</b>
<i>of which:</i> India	7.4	28.5	15.3	8.4	40.0	16.7	11.7	30.2	16.0	4.9	47.9	17.4	5.5	32.4	14.2
People's Rep. of China	15.2	15.4	15.3	20.4	9.3	15.1	18.1	11.0	15.1	22.5	8.3	15.2	14.6	13.6	14.3
United Arab Emirates	6.2	6.6	6.6	5.9	8.1	7.9	0.0	6.9	6.9	5.9	8.8	8.4	8.5	6.2	7.4
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>19.8</b>	<b>13.7</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>14.1</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>22.8</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>20.8</b>	<b>15.3</b>
<i>of which:</i> Australia	11.4	15.3	13.9	12.3	19.8	13.7	14.3	13.0	14.1	10.2	22.8	13.2	5.0	20.8	15.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>11.3</b>

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Table 4 - Percentage distribution of tourists by main purpose of visit, Year 2023, 2024 and 1<sup>st</sup> Semester 2025

Purpose of visit	% of tourists				
	Year 2023	Year 2024	1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2024	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester 2024	1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2025
Holiday	92.3	90.5	93.0	88.1	87.6
Honeymoon	2.4	2.1	0.8	3.3	3.4
Business	0.9	0.5	0.1	0.8	0.7
Visiting friends and/or relatives	3.1	5.5	5.2	5.9	7.6
Other purposes	1.2	1.4	0.9	1.9	0.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Note: - Figures in shaded cells should be treated with caution; they are subject to low reliability since they are based on fewer than 30 observations in the sample.

Table 5a - Percentage distribution of tourists by type of accommodation, Year 2023, 2024 and 1<sup>st</sup> Semester 2025

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Type of accommodation	% of tourists				
	Year 2023	Year 2024	1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2024	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester 2024	1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2025
Hotel	77.0	75.4	77.2	73.6	73.4
Guest House	2.2	3.3	3.1	3.6	2.3
In own villas/houses/bungalow/IRS	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.1
Tourist residence	12.8	8.7	9.9	7.6	9.4
With friends and/or relatives	6.7	12.2	9.4	14.9	13.7
Other types of accommodation	1.0	0.3	0.2	0.3	1.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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Table 5b - Proportion of tourists staying in hotel and non-hotel by country of residence, Year 2023, 2024 and 1<sup>st</sup> Semester 2025

Country of residence		Year 2023		Year 2024		1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2024		2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester 2024		1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2025	
		Hotel	Non-hotel	Hotel	Non-hotel	Hotel	Non-hotel	Hotel	Non-hotel	Hotel	Non-hotel
<b>Europe</b>		<b>81.1</b>	<b>18.9</b>	<b>76.6</b>	<b>23.4</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>77.5</b>	<b>22.5</b>
of which:	France	74.2	25.8	72.1	27.9	76.6	23.4	67.7	32.3	71.2	28.8
	Germany	86.6	13.4	67.6	32.4	79.5	20.5	55.9	44.1	80.1	19.9
	Italy	95.7	4.3	90.4	9.6	85.0	15.0	95.3	4.7	90.9	9.1
	Switzerland	90.2	9.8	66.2	33.8	43.7	56.3	86.0	14.0	69.7	30.3
	United Kingdom	80.6	19.4	64.2	35.8	66.7	33.3	62.2	37.8	71.8	28.2
<b>Africa</b>		<b>63.0</b>	<b>37.0</b>	<b>64.6</b>	<b>35.4</b>	<b>65.2</b>	<b>34.8</b>	<b>64.0</b>	<b>36.0</b>	<b>54.0</b>	<b>46.0</b>
of which:	Reunion Island	56.1	43.9	58.2	41.8	63.4	36.6	52.9	47.1	39.6	60.4
	South Africa, Rep. of	81.0	19.0	84.1	15.9	82.1	17.9	86.0	14.0	83.6	16.4
<b>Asia</b>		<b>84.0</b>	<b>16.0</b>	<b>93.0</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>94.6</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>91.6</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>92.9</b>	<b>7.1</b>
of which:	India	86.3	13.7	86.0	14.0	89.4	10.6	82.5	17.5	86.7	13.3
	People's Rep. of China	86.2	13.8	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0
	United Arab Emirates	93.6	6.4	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0
<b>Oceania</b>		<b>77.4</b>	<b>22.6</b>	<b>86.6</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>97.1</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>76.7</b>	<b>23.3</b>	<b>42.2</b>	<b>57.8</b>
of which:	Australia	77.4	22.6	86.6	13.4	97.1	2.9	76.7	23.3	42.2	57.8
<b>Total</b>		<b>77.0</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>75.4</b>	<b>24.6</b>	<b>77.2</b>	<b>22.8</b>	<b>73.6</b>	<b>26.4</b>	<b>73.4</b>	<b>26.6</b>

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Table 5c - Selected tourism statistics by type of accommodation (hotel/non-hotel), Year 2023, 2024 and 1<sup>st</sup> Semester 2025

	Year 2023			Year 2024			1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2024			2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester 2024			1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2025		
	Hotel	Non-hotel	All tourists	Hotel	Non-hotel	All tourists	Hotel	Non-hotel	All tourists	Hotel	Non-hotel	All tourists	Hotel	Non-hotel	All tourists
a. Average party size	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.2	1.9	2.1	2.2	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.0	2.1
b. Average length of stay (in nights)	9.8	16.5	11.3	9.1	18.7	11.4	9.4	19.0	11.6	8.7	18.5	11.3	8.2	19.9	11.3
c. Travel arrangement (%)															
<i>Package</i>	62.3	4.7	49.1	77.0	6.0	59.5	79.0	5.2	62.2	75.1	6.6	57.0	55.7	2.2	41.5
<i>Non-package</i>	37.7	95.3	50.9	23.0	94.0	40.5	21.0	94.8	37.8	24.9	93.4	43.0	44.3	97.8	58.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
d. Purpose of visit (%)															
<i>Holiday</i>	95.4	81.9	92.3	96.7	71.8	90.5	98.9	73.4	93.0	94.5	70.4	88.1	94.6	68.2	87.6
<i>Honeymoon</i>	3.1	0.3	2.4	2.7	0.1	2.1	1.0	0.1	0.8	4.5	0.1	3.3	4.6	0.0	3.4
<i>Business</i>	0.8	1.4	0.9	0.6	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.1	0.0	0.8	0.3	1.7	0.7
<i>Visiting friends and/or relatives</i>	0.2	13.1	3.1	0.0	22.4	5.5	0.0	22.6	5.2	0.0	22.3	5.9	0.0	28.7	7.6
<i>Other purposes</i>	0.6	3.3	1.2	0.0	5.6	1.4	0.0	3.8	0.9	0.0	7.2	1.9	0.5	1.3	0.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
e. Expenditure (Rs)															
<i>Average expenditure per tourist</i>	75,600	46,100	68,800	81,300	39,600	71,000	75,100	44,600	68,100	87,500	35,600	73,800	87,600	38,700	74,600
<i>Average expenditure per tourist per night</i>	7,700	2,800	6,100	9,000	2,100	6,200	8,000	2,300	5,900	10,000	1,900	6,500	10,700	1,900	6,600

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Table 6 - Average expenditure (Rs) by country of residence, Year 2023, 2024 and 1<sup>st</sup> Semester 2025

(Rs)

Country of residence	Year 2023		Year 2024		1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2024		2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester 2024		1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2025	
	Average expenditure per tourist	Average expenditure per tourist per night	Average expenditure per tourist	Average expenditure per tourist per night	Average expenditure per tourist	Average expenditure per tourist per night	Average expenditure per tourist	Average expenditure per tourist per night	Average expenditure per tourist	Average expenditure per tourist per night
<b>Europe</b>	<b>74,500</b>	<b>6,300</b>	<b>74,700</b>	<b>6,400</b>	<b>73,300</b>	<b>6,200</b>	<b>76,000</b>	<b>6,500</b>	<b>79,800</b>	<b>6,800</b>
<i>of which:</i> France	66,700	5,500	63,800	5,300	68,900	5,600	58,700	4,900	71,400	5,700
Germany	75,900	6,300	65,800	5,500	75,000	6,400	56,700	4,700	91,300	7,800
Italy	74,700	7,500	87,600	8,700	73,600	7,300	100,300	9,900	101,800	10,500
Switzerland	91,600	7,400	79,600	6,400	55,700	4,300	100,700	8,300	106,400	8,500
United Kingdom	82,500	7,000	62,800	5,400	55,800	4,800	68,400	5,900	85,900	7,700
<b>Africa</b>	<b>41,600</b>	<b>4,600</b>	<b>38,100</b>	<b>4,100</b>	<b>34,400</b>	<b>3,600</b>	<b>41,600</b>	<b>4,500</b>	<b>47,300</b>	<b>5,200</b>
<i>of which:</i> Reunion Island	31,800	4,600	30,400	4,500	29,500	4,200	31,300	4,800	32,800	4,800
South Africa, Rep. of	44,600	4,700	45,300	4,900	39,800	4,300	50,300	5,400	70,300	7,900
<b>Asia</b>	<b>85,300</b>	<b>6,900</b>	<b>101,500</b>	<b>7,500</b>	<b>98,700</b>	<b>7,300</b>	<b>103,900</b>	<b>7,700</b>	<b>105,900</b>	<b>8,100</b>
<i>of which:</i> India	72,200	4,700	84,400	5,000	81,300	5,100	87,500	5,000	75,700	5,300
People's Rep. of China	149,100	9,700	196,000	12,900	197,100	13,100	195,200	12,800	188,400	13,200
United Arab Emirates	70,800	10,800	70,800	9,000	62,100	9,000	75,500	9,000	92,900	12,600
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>74,400</b>	<b>5,300</b>	<b>122,000</b>	<b>8,900</b>	<b>107,900</b>	<b>7,600</b>	<b>135,300</b>	<b>10,200</b>	<b>34,400</b>	<b>2,300</b>
<i>of which:</i> Australia	74,400	5,300	122,000	8,900	107,900	7,600	135,300	10,200	34,400	2,300
<b>Total</b>	<b>68,800</b>	<b>6,100</b>	<b>71,000</b>	<b>6,200</b>	<b>68,100</b>	<b>5,900</b>	<b>73,800</b>	<b>6,500</b>	<b>74,600</b>	<b>6,600</b>

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Table 7 - Average expenditure per tourist per night (Rs) by country of residence and travel arrangement, Year 2023, 2024 and 1<sup>st</sup> Semester 2025

(Rs)

Country of residence	Year 2023			Year 2024			1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2024			2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester 2024			1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2025		
	Package	Non Package	Total	Package	Non Package	Total	Package	Non Package	Total	Package	Non Package	Total	Package	Non Package	Total
<b>Europe</b>	<b>6,900</b>	<b>5,800</b>	<b>6,300</b>	<b>8,700</b>	<b>4,200</b>	<b>6,400</b>	<b>7,800</b>	<b>4,300</b>	<b>6,200</b>	<b>9,800</b>	<b>4,200</b>	<b>6,500</b>	<b>9,800</b>	<b>5,400</b>	<b>6,800</b>
<i>of which:</i> France	6,900	4,700	5,500	8,400	3,700	5,300	7,500	4,600	5,600	9,300	2,800	4,900	10,100	4,400	5,700
Germany	6,700	5,900	6,300	7,900	3,200	5,500	7,300	4,800	6,400	9,200	2,400	4,700	10,800	6,200	7,800
Italy	7,300	7,800	7,500	9,500	6,600	8,700	8,500	6,000	7,300	10,000	8,800	9,900	10,800	10,100	10,500
Switzerland	6,900	8,100	7,400	9,700	4,200	6,400	8,900	3,100	4,300	10,000	6,200	8,300	11,900	7,700	8,500
United Kingdom	7,300	6,700	7,000	9,600	3,000	5,400	8,600	2,500	4,800	10,500	3,300	5,900	12,800	5,800	7,700
<b>Africa</b>	<b>6,300</b>	<b>3,900</b>	<b>4,600</b>	<b>7,100</b>	<b>2,400</b>	<b>4,100</b>	<b>6,200</b>	<b>2,300</b>	<b>3,600</b>	<b>7,900</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>4,500</b>	<b>9,600</b>	<b>4,300</b>	<b>5,200</b>
<i>of which:</i> Reunion Island	5,400	4,400	4,600	5,600	3,500	4,500	5,000	3,500	4,200	6,200	3,500	4,800	6,600	4,500	4,800
South Africa, Rep. of	5,900	3,800	4,700	7,600	2,300	4,900	6,600	2,400	4,300	8,300	2,300	5,400	10,300	7,000	7,900
<b>Asia</b>	<b>8,500</b>	<b>6,000</b>	<b>6,900</b>	<b>10,100</b>	<b>4,500</b>	<b>7,500</b>	<b>9,000</b>	<b>4,700</b>	<b>7,300</b>	<b>11,500</b>	<b>4,400</b>	<b>7,700</b>	<b>12,300</b>	<b>3,700</b>	<b>8,100</b>
<i>of which:</i> India	8,400	3,100	4,700	9,400	2,400	5,000	8,000	1,400	5,100	13,200	3,000	5,000	14,000	2,200	5,300
People's Rep. of China	8,400	10,800	9,700	12,600	13,800	12,900	12,100	15,200	13,100	12,900	12,600	12,800	14,000	10,800	13,200
United Arab Emirates	10,700	10,800	10,800	12,800	8,700	9000	0	9,000	9,000	12,800	8,600	9,000	14,100	10,700	12,600
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>7,900</b>	<b>4,300</b>	<b>5,300</b>	<b>10,100</b>	<b>5,600</b>	<b>8,900</b>	<b>7,700</b>	<b>7,100</b>	<b>7,600</b>	<b>13,800</b>	<b>5,200</b>	<b>10,200</b>	<b>12,400</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>2,300</b>
<i>of which:</i> Australia	7,900	4,300	5,300	10,100	5,600	8,900	7,700	7,100	7,600	13,800	5,200	10,200	12,400	900	2,300
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,000</b>	<b>5,400</b>	<b>6,100</b>	<b>8,800</b>	<b>4,000</b>	<b>6,200</b>	<b>7,800</b>	<b>3,900</b>	<b>5,900</b>	<b>9,900</b>	<b>4,100</b>	<b>6,500</b>	<b>10,300</b>	<b>4,900</b>	<b>6,600</b>

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Table 8 - Percentage distribution of expenditure by major item and country of residence, Year 2023, 2024 and 1<sup>st</sup> Semester 2025

Country of residence	Year 2023							Year 2024						
	Accommo- dation	Meals & Beverages	Local Transport	Sightseeing	Entertainment & Recreation	Shopping	Other expenditures	Accommo- dation	Meals & Beverages	Local Transport	Sightseeing	Entertainment & Recreation	Shopping	Other expenditures
<b>Europe</b>	<b>71.0</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>75.1</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>1.0</b>
<i>of which:</i> France	68.1	8.9	5.0	5.4	3.6	6.3	2.6	72.8	5.6	5.2	3.5	5.9	5.3	1.7
Germany	75.0	5.3	4.8	4.2	3.9	5.0	1.9	72.8	5.7	5.4	3.9	6.9	4.2	1.1
Italy	71.4	2.4	4.7	5.8	4.0	5.0	6.7	74.5	4.0	5.2	4.5	7.6	3.2	1.0
Switzerland	75.7	5.0	5.4	4.2	4.1	5.0	0.6	74.6	5.9	4.4	4.6	5.1	4.5	0.9
United Kingdom	73.2	10.9	3.7	3.8	2.9	4.0	1.5	72.6	6.1	5.0	3.7	6.5	5.2	0.9
<b>Africa</b>	<b>63.2</b>	<b>10.6</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>11.8</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>67.9</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<i>of which:</i> Reunion Island	58.9	11.7	6.1	3.4	2.2	15.6	2.1	69.0	4.9	6.7	4.8	4.5	9.8	0.2
South Africa, Rep. of	70.8	8.9	4.8	4.0	3.1	6.7	1.7	75.2	2.3	5.3	4.3	6.4	6.1	0.3
<b>Asia</b>	<b>63.9</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>68.3</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>0.5</b>
<i>of which:</i> India	61.0	9.7	5.5	6.3	8.8	6.3	2.4	63.2	7.5	4.6	6.4	8.9	8.0	1.3
People's Rep. of China	67.4	8.3	5.1	3.9	10.0	4.0	1.4	70.8	4.5	6.2	5.2	9.6	3.7	0.0
United Arab Emirates	72.4	6.7	3.9	3.8	8.8	4.5	0.0	64.1	7.5	8.3	9.0	5.7	4.4	1.1
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>77.4</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>60.2</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>0.3</b>
<i>of which:</i> Australia	77.4	5.1	3.5	2.2	5.0	5.1	1.7	60.2	1.7	4.2	3.5	10.0	20.1	0.3
<b>America</b>	<b>63.9</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>64.0</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>8.7</b>
<i>of which:</i> USA	65.0	12.3	3.8	2.7	11.3	3.4	1.5	61.4	10.2	1.8	5.4	7.1	3.9	10.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>69.0</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>72.5</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>1.1</b>

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Country of residence	1 <sup>st</sup> Semester 2024							2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester 2024						
	Accommodation	Meals & Beverages	Local Transport	Sightseeing	Entertainment & Recreation	Shopping	Other expenditures	Accommodation	Meals & Beverages	Local Transport	Sightseeing	Entertainment & Recreation	Shopping	Other expenditures
<b>Europe</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>76.9</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>0.8</b>
<i>of which</i> France	71.6	6.1	5.4	2.7	7.2	4.7	2.3	74.1	4.9	4.9	4.4	4.5	6.1	1.0
Germany	73.2	4.8	6.2	3.2	8.5	3.1	0.9	72.3	6.8	4.4	4.7	4.8	5.7	1.3
Italy	69.0	7.5	5.6	3.7	8.8	3.3	2.1	78.1	1.7	4.9	5.1	6.8	3.1	0.3
Switzerland	65.3	12.9	7.0	3.2	5.3	5.4	0.9	79.1	2.6	3.1	5.3	4.9	4.0	1.0
United Kingdom	71.9	4.8	5.1	3.4	8.9	4.9	0.9	73.0	7.0	4.9	3.8	4.9	5.4	0.9
<b>Africa</b>	<b>66.8</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>10.8</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>68.9</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>
<i>of which</i> Reunion Island	68.8	5.1	6.5	4.3	4.7	10.4	0.3	69.1	4.8	6.9	5.4	4.3	9.3	0.2
South Africa, Rep. of	74.2	2.4	5.6	4.0	6.5	6.6	0.6	76.0	2.2	5.1	4.5	6.3	5.7	0.1
<b>Asia</b>	<b>67.3</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>69.2</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>0.8</b>
<i>of which</i> India	65.7	3.9	5.2	7.9	11.2	5.9	0.1	60.9	11.0	4.1	5.0	6.8	10.0	2.4
People's Rep. of China	69.7	4.4	6.4	4.8	11.3	3.4	0.0	71.6	4.6	6.1	5.5	8.3	4.0	0.0
United Arab Emirates	51.7	6.9	6.9	13.8	10.3	6.9	3.4	69.6	7.7	9.0	6.8	3.6	3.3	0.0
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>73.7</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>50.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>29.9</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<i>of which</i> Australia	73.7	1.4	4.8	3.8	8.4	7.1	0.8	50.0	1.9	3.7	3.4	11.1	29.9	0.0
<b>America</b>	<b>50.1</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>72.2</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>5.5</b>
<i>of which</i> USA	50.1	13.2	2.3	7.2	8.4	4.8	14.0	70.2	7.8	1.4	4.0	6.0	3.3	7.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>71.0</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>73.8</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>0.9</b>

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<i>of which:</i> France	66.3	10.7	4.4	5.1	3.6	8.6	1.1
Germany	72.2	8.0	4.3	5.2	4.4	5.7	0.2
Italy	72.0	6.7	3.8	5.9	5.1	5.9	0.7
Switzerland	65.1	13.2	3.7	5.2	5.6	6.2	0.9
United Kingdom	65.8	9.7	4.1	5.5	5.8	8.5	0.6
<b>Africa</b>	<b>61.1</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>0.4</b>
<i>of which:</i> Reunion Island	60.3	12.9	5.7	4.0	2.3	14.7	0.2
South Africa, Rep. of	65.6	11.2	4.9	5.3	5.1	7.3	0.6
<b>Asia</b>	<b>61.3</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<i>of which:</i> India	51.2	10.6	6.0	12.7	7.4	11.9	0.1
People's Rep. of China	64.9	10.6	5.4	7.8	6.1	5.2	0.0
United Arab Emirates	66.4	4.0	6.6	9.7	7.0	6.2	0.0
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>58.8</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<i>of which:</i> Australia	58.8	8.6	5.2	6.4	6.2	14.8	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>66.3</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>0.6</b>

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**Republic of Mauritius**  
**STATISTICS MAURITIUS**  
**SURVEY OF INBOUND VISITORS 2025**

Interviewer:- .....

Day &amp; date of interview : .....

d	d	m	m	y	y	y	y

Survey point : Air ...1 Sea ... 2

**MODULE A**1 When did you arrive in Mauritius ? *Quand êtes-vous arrivé à l'île Maurice?* .....

d	d	m	m	y	y	y	y

2 (i) By which flight/ship did you arrive? *Par quel vol/bateau êtes-vous arrivé?* .....

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(ii) By which flight are you departing ? *Par quel vol partez-vous?* .....

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(iii) What is the class of your flight? *En quelle classe de vol voyagez-vous?* .....

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3 What is your age group? / *Quel est votre groupe d'âge?*

15 - 19 ..... 1 40 - 49 ..... 4

20 - 29 ..... 2 50 - 59 ..... 5

30 - 39 ..... 3 60 &amp; over ..... 6

4 Gender/ Genre : M ... 1 F ... 2

5 (i) What is your country of residence? / *Quel est votre pays de résidence?* .....

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(ii) What is your nationality? / *Quel est votre nationalité?* .....

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(iii) What is your profession? / *Quel est votre métier?* .....

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6 (i) What was the main airport to travel to Mauritius? .....

(ii) Which mode of transport was used to reach the main airport ?

Air

Rail

Road transport

other means of transport, specify .....

If by Air , specify from which airport and city .....

If by rail, road and other means of transport, please specify from which city .....


7 (i) Are you travelling alone? / *Voyagez-vous seul?* Yes/Oui ..... 1 No/Non ..... 2If Yes/ Si Oui , **SKIP TO Q8/ PASSEZ A Q8**If not travelling alone, state / *Si en groupe, spécifier*(ii) What is your group size? / *Quel est le nombre de personnes dans le groupe ?* .....

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(iii) Which of the following best describes the group?/ *Lequel des descriptions suivants décrit le mieux le groupe?*Couple with children/ *Couple avec enfants* ... .. 1

of whom number of children aged less than 18 years

Couple without children/ *Couple sans enfants* ... .. 2With friends and/or relatives/ *Avec des amis et /ou des parents* ... .. 3Business associates/ *Associés d'affaires* ... .. 4

School/university/sporting group/ ... .. 5

*Groupe scolaire / universitaire / sportif*

Grandparents with grandchildren ... .. 6

of whom number of children aged less than 18 years

Tour group/ *En groupe* ... .. 7Other, specify/ *Autre, spécifier* ... .. 8

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(iv) No. of persons (including you) sharing common expenditure / *Nombre de personnes (y compris vous) qui ont fait des dépenses communes*Of whom 12 years of age or less / *Dont celles âgées de 12 ans ou moins* .....

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8 How many times have you visited Mauritius including this trip? / *Combien de fois avez-vous visité l'île Maurice, y compris ce séjour?*

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IF > 1/ Si > 1 , **SKIP TO Q11/ PASSEZ A Q11****FOR FIRST TIME VISITORS ONLY/ POUR CEUX A LEUR PREMIERE VISITE SEULEMENT**9 How did you hear or read about Mauritius ? / *Où avez-vous lu ou entendu parler de l'île Maurice ?*Publicity on TV, Radio / *Publicité sur TV, Radio* ... .. 1Publicity in newspapers, magazines / *Publicité dans les journaux, magazines* ... .. 2Web and social media/ *Web et réseaux sociaux* ... .. 3Visibility in travel fairs / *Participation au salon du tourisme* ... .. 4Adverts on Billboards/Subway/Underground / *Publicité sur billboard, stations de métro* ... .. 5Adverts at Cinema / *Publicité au cinéma* ... .. 6Adverts on Taxi, Bus / *Publicité sur taxi, bus* ... .. 7Friends & words of mouth / *Amis & de bouche à oreille* ... .. 8Incentive trips organised by your employer / *Tours organisés par votre employeur* ... .. 9Travel Agencies & Tour operators / *Agences de voyages et tours opérateurs* ... .. 10Other, specify / *Autre, spécifier* ... .. 1110 What motivated you most to choose Mauritius as a destination? / *Qu'est-ce qui vous a poussé à choisir l'île Maurice comme destination?*

( MAXIMUM 5 answers)/ ( MAXIMUM 5 reponses)

1 Tropical image / *Image Tropicale* ... ..2 History & Culture / *Histoire & Culture* ... ..3 Price of the destination / *Prix de la destination* ... ..4 High standard of hotel / *Haut niveau des hotels* ... ..5 Safe destination / *Destination sûre* ... ..8 Our people / *La population* ... ..9 Beaches and lagoons / *Plages et lagons* ... ..10 Shopping / *Achats* ... ..11 Nature/Green Tourism / *Nature/Tourisme vert* ... ..12 Recommended by friends,relatives/*Recommandé par des amis,parents* ... ..

6 Sports/ Activités sportives	...	
Golf		
Kitesurf		
other Sport, (Specify / Spécifier) .....		
7 Air Accessibility / Accès aérien	...	

13 Reputation / Réputation	...	
14 Other, specify/ Autre, spécifier .....		

11 What was the main purpose of your visit to Mauritius?/Quelle était la raison principale de votre séjour à l'île Maurice?

Holidays / Vacances	...	1	Sports/ Activités sportives	...	10
Honeymoon / Lune de miel	...	2	(Specify / Spécifier) .....		
Business / Affaires	...	3	Shopping / Achats	...	11
Medical / Medical	...	4	Attending conference, Group & incentives /	...	12
Studies / Etudes	...	5	Assister à une conférence, Activité de groupe / team building		
Transit / En transit	...	6	Secondary residence / Résidence secondaire	...	13
Cultural event / Evènement culturel	...	7	Getting married / Se marier	...	14
(Specify / Spécifier) .....					
Religion - pilgrimage / Religion - pèlerinage	...	8	Attending wedding / Assister à un mariage	...	15
VFR / Visite chez parents & amis	...	9	Other, specify/ Autre, spécifier .....		16

12 (i) During this trip, are you visiting Mauritius only? /Au cours de ce voyage, visitez-vous seulement l'île Maurice? Yes/Oui ...1 No/Non ...2

(ii) If No, please state the other countries visited/ to be visited/Si non, veuillez indiquer les autres pays visités / à visiter .....

13 When did you make the booking?/ Quand avez-vous fait les réservations?	..... Weeks ago/ Semaines auparavant	
	..... Number of days / Nombre de jours	

14 In which activities have you participated during your visit here?(multiple answers possible)  
Veuillez mentionner les activités ou vous avez participé durant votre visite. (plusieurs réponses possibles)

Casino	...	1	Cultural event	...	2	Shopping	...	3	Golf	...	4
Casino			Evènement culturel			Achats			Golf		
Walk with lions	...	5	Kite surf	...	6	Dolphin/ Whale watch	...	7	Hiking	...	8
Interactions avec les lions			Kite surf			Voir les dauphins/ baleines			Randonnée		
Parasailing	...	9	Undersea walk	...	10	Visit botanical gardens/National Parks	...				11
Paravoile			Marche sous l'eau			Visiter Jardin botanique/Parc National					
Visit historical sites/Museums	...	12	Scuba diving	...	13	Big game fishing	...	14	Zip lining	...	15
Visiter les sites historiques/Musées			Plongée sous-marine			Pêche au gros			Tyroliennes		
Other sports, specify	...	16	Spa / wellness	...	17	Trail hiking/	...	18	Other, specify	...	19
Autres sports, spécifier			Spa / bien-être			Randonnée pédestre			Autre, spécifier		
.....									.....		

15 (i) What are the places of interest which you visited during your stay in Mauritius and which one was most appealing to you ?  
Quels sont les sites touristiques que vous avez visités durant votre séjour à l'île Maurice et lequel avez-vous trouvé le plus intéressant ?

1. ....		5. ....	
2. ....		6. ....	
3. ....		7. ....	
4. ....		8. ....	

(ii) Most appealing site .....

Le site le plus intéressant

16 (i) Where did you stay in Mauritius and number of nights spent at each place of stay? / Où avez-vous logé à l'île Maurice et le nombre de nuits passées à chaque lieu de séjour ?

Hotel / Hôtel	...	1	nights/nuits	With friends, relatives / Chez des amis, parents	...	4	nights/nuits
Guest House / Pension de famille	...	2		In own villa / house / RES/PDS/ Propre villa/ demeure	...	5	
Tourist residence / Residence touristique	...	3		Through Airbnb	...	6	
				Other, specify/ Autre, spécifier : .....	...	7	

(ii) Please state the name(s) and place(s) where you stayed / Veuillez mentionner le(s) nom(s) et le(s) lieu(x) de votre hébergement :

Name / Nom		Location / Lieu	
Name / Nom		Location / Lieu	
Name / Nom		Location / Lieu	

17 Are you on a package tour? / Faites-vous partie d'un voyage à forfait?

Yes/Oui ... 1 No/Non ... 2 IF NO/ SI NON, SKIP TO Q. 22/ PASSEZ A Q.22

(i.e Airfare + Accommodation + other services / c.à.d. Billet d'avion + Hébergement + autres prestations)



## MODULE B

- 18 What are the countries that are covered in the package tour? (Please rank in order of visit)  
*Quels sont les pays qui sont inclus dans ce voyage à forfait? (Veuillez classer en ordre de visite)*

(i) .....    (ii) .....    (iii) .....

- 19 (i) What is the duration of package tour? / *Quelle est la durée du voyage à forfait?* ....

nights / nuits

- (ii) What is the price of package per adult? / *Quel est le prix du voyage à forfait par adulte?*

Currency/ Devise ..... Amount/ Montant .....

- (iii) Does the price include the following: / *Ce prix comprend -t-il:*

Airfare/Le billet d'avion	...	...	...	...	1	Breakfast only/Petit déjeuner seulement	...	...	...	6
Transfer/Transfert à l'hôtel	...	...	...	...	2	Breakfast & Dinner/Petit déjeuner et dîner	...	...	...	7
Accommodation/Hébergement	...	...	...	...	3	All Meals/Tous les repas	...	...	...	8
Sightseeing tours/Des excursions	...	...	...	...	4	All inclusive/Tout inclus	...	...	...	9
Car Hire/Location de voiture	...	...	...	...	5	Other, specify/Autre, spécifier	.....	...	...	10

- (iv) How many sightseeing tours are included in the package? / *Combien de visites guidées sont incluses dans le forfait?*

- 20 Where did you purchase this package? / *Où avez-vous pris ce voyage à forfait?*

At a point of sale of a travel agent / tour operator ..... 1  
*À un point de vente d'un agent de voyages / tour operateur*

On the web / internet with an Online Travel Agent (OTA – 3 main examples – booking, expedia and agoda) ..... 2  
*Sur le web / internet avec un agent de voyage en ligne (OTA - 3 exemples principaux - booking, expedia et agoda)*

On the web / internet with an airline holidays platform/website ..... 3  
*Sur le web/ internet avec une plate-forme de vacances de compagnie aérienne/ site internet*

On the web / internet with a hotel holidays platform/website ..... 4  
*Sur le web/ internet avec une plate-forme de vacances à l'hôtel/ site internet*

On the web/internet with a concierge / private counsellor service ..... 5  
*Sur le web/ internet avec un concierge/ service de conseiller privé*

Others, specify/ Autre, spécifier ..... 6

- 21 What was the amount that you and your party sharing common expenditure spent during your stay in Mauritius **excluding cost of package** ?

*Quel est le montant des dépenses que vous et le groupe faisant dépenses communes avez encouru lors de votre séjour à l'île Maurice, excluant le coût du voyage à forfait?*

Currency/ Devise ..... Amount/ Montant .....       No. of persons covered: .....    
*Nombre de personnes couvertes*

**SKIP TO Q. 26/ PASSEZ A Q.26**

- 22 Where did you buy ? / *Où avez-vous pris?*

	Air ticket/ Billet d'avion	Accommodation/ Hébergement
At a point of sale of a travel agent / tour operator <i>À un point de vente d'un agent de voyages / tour operateur</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
On the web / internet with an Online Travel Agent <i>Sur le web / internet avec un agent de voyage en ligne</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
On the web / internet with an airline website <i>Sur le web/ Internet avec un site de compagnie aérienne</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
On the web / internet avec un site d'hôtel <i>Sur le web/ internet avec un site d'hôtel</i>		<input type="checkbox"/>
On an online booking site (eg. Airbnb) / <i>Sur un site de réservation en ligne (ex. Airbnb)</i>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Please specify booking site / <i>Veuillez spécifier le site de réservation</i> .....		
Others, specify/ Autre, spécifier .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

- 23 What is the price of airfare per adult? / *Quel est le prix du billet d'avion par adulte?*

Currency/ Devise ..... Amount/ Montant .....

- 24 (i) How much you and your party sharing common expenditure spent on accommodation? / *combien avez-vous payé pour l'hébergement pour vous et le groupe?*

Currency/ Devise ..... Amount/ Montant .....       No. of persons covered: .....    
*Nombre de personnes couvertes*

- (ii) What was the total amount that you and your party sharing common expenditure spent during your stay in Mauritius **excluding cost of accommodation** ?

*Quel est le montant des dépenses que vous et le groupe faisant dépenses communes avez encouru lors de votre séjour à l'île Maurice, excluant le coût d'hébergement?*

Currency/ Devise ..... Amount/ Montant .....       No. of persons covered: .....    
*Nombre de personnes couvertes*

- 25 Which of the following best describes the sleeping and meal arrangement during your stay?

*Lequel des descriptions suivants décrit le mieux l'arrangement pour hébergement et le type de repas pendant votre séjour?*

Bed only/ Lit seulement	1
Bed & Breakfast/ Petit déjeuner compris	2
Half-board/ En demi-pension (Petit déjeuner et dîner)	3
Full-board/ Pension complète (Tous les repas)	4
All inclusive/ Tout inclus (Tous les repas avec boisson)	5
Free/ Hébergement gratuit	6

- 26 Please state the total amount you and your party spent on :  
*Veillez mentionner le montant que vous et le groupe faisant dépenses communes avez dépensé sur :*

		Currency/ Devise	Amount/ Montant	
(i) Food & Beverages / Repas et boissons	... ..	.....	.....	<input type="text"/>
(ii) Public transport / Transport en commun	... ..	.....	.....	<input type="text"/>
(iii) Taxi	... ..	.....	.....	<input type="text"/>
(iv) Car hire <b>with</b> driver/Location de voiture <b>avec</b> chauffeur	.....	.....	.....	<input type="text"/>
(v) Car hire <b>without</b> driver/Location de voiture <b>sans</b> chauffeur	.....	.....	.....	<input type="text"/>
(vi) Fuel for car hire / Carburant pour location de voiture	... ..	.....	.....	<input type="text"/>
(vii) Sightseeing / Excursions	... ..	.....	.....	<input type="text"/>
(viii) Sports & Recreation / Loisirs	... ..	.....	.....	<input type="text"/>
(ix) Shopping / Achats	... ..	.....	.....	<input type="text"/>
(x) Others / Autres	... ..	.....	.....	<input type="text"/>
<b>Total</b>	... ..	.....	.....	<input type="text"/>

- 27 (i) Did you change part of your money into Mauritian rupees in your country prior to visiting Mauritius? Yes/Oui ... 1 No/Non ... 2

*Avez vous changé une partie de votre argent en roupies mauricienne dans votre pays avant de venir à l'île Maurice?*

- (ii) If yes, please provide an estimate of amount changed in rupees Rs .....  
*Si oui, veuillez spécifier le montant en roupies*

- 28 (i) Did you make any payment directly in foreign currency in Mauritius? Yes/Oui ... 1 No/Non ... 2

*Avez vous fait des paiements à l'île Maurice en devise étrangère?*

- (ii) If yes, state amount: (a) on accommodation / sur hébergement Amount/ Montant ..... Currency/ Devise  
*Si oui, veuillez mentionner le montant:* (b) on others / autres Amount/ Montant ..... Currency/ Devise

### MODULE C

- 29 How would you rate the level of security and state of environment on a scale of 1 to 10, 10 being the highest score?

*Comment évaluez-vous le niveau de sécurité et l'état de l'environnement sur une échelle de 1 à 10, 10 étant le meilleur score?*

	Level of security / Niveau de sécurité	State of environment / Etat de l'environnement
Hotel / L'hotel	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Non-hotel accommodation / Parahôtellerie	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
In taxi / En taxi	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
On the beaches / Sur nos plages	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
In Public Places / Sur les lieux publics	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
On Tourist sites / Sur les sites touristiques	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Cultural/ Heritage Site / Site culturel/patrimonial	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Nature-based sites such as National Parks and Gardens/ Sites naturels tels que les parcs et jardins nationaux	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
In Mauritius / A l'île Maurice	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

- 30 On a scale of 1 to 10, 10 being the highest score, how would you rate the customer service at:

*Sur une échelle de 1 à 10, 10 étant le meilleur score, comment évaluez-vous le service client à:*

the airport / l'aéroport   
 Other (Specify) / Autre, spécifier

- 31 Has Mauritius lived up to your expectations? / Est-ce que L'île Maurice a été à la hauteur de vos attentes?

Below expectation / En dessous des attentes ... .. **1** Please give a reason/ Spécifier .....  
 As expected / Comme attendu ... .. **2** Please give a reason/ Spécifier .....  
 Beyond expectation / Au delà des attentes ... .. **3** Please give a reason/ Spécifier .....

- 32 If you have to give an overall appreciation score to Mauritius as a holiday destination, what will it be from 1 to 10, 10 being the highest score?   
*Si vous devez évaluer l'île Maurice en ce qui concerne votre vue général d'appréciation en tant que destination de vacances, que sera-t-il de 1 à 10, 10 étant le meilleur score?*

- 33 If not Mauritius, which destination you would have visited? .....  
*Si ce n'est pas l'île Maurice, quelle destination auriez vous visité?* .....

- 34 Are you likely to visit Mauritius again? / Comptez-vous y revenir? Yes/Oui ... 1 No/ Non ... 2

- 35 Would you recommend Mauritius as a holiday destination to your friends and relatives? Yes/Oui ... 1 No/Non ... 2

*Recommenderiez-vous l'île Maurice comme une destination touristique à vos amis et proches?*

**IF No/ Si Non, Please give reason/ Spécifier .....**

- 36 Have you any recommendations/ suggestions for improving the destination?  
*Avez-vous des recommandations/suggestions à faire pour l'amélioration de la destination?*

(a) .....   
 .....  
 (b) .....   
 .....