

LICENSED TOUR COMPANIES (YEAR - 2001)

(a) Foreign Company	1
(b) J.V Company	14
(c) Local Company	612
Total	627

NOS. OF LICENCE ISSUED TO PRIVATE ENTREPRENEURS FOR TOURIST TRANSPORTATION (YEAR - 2001)

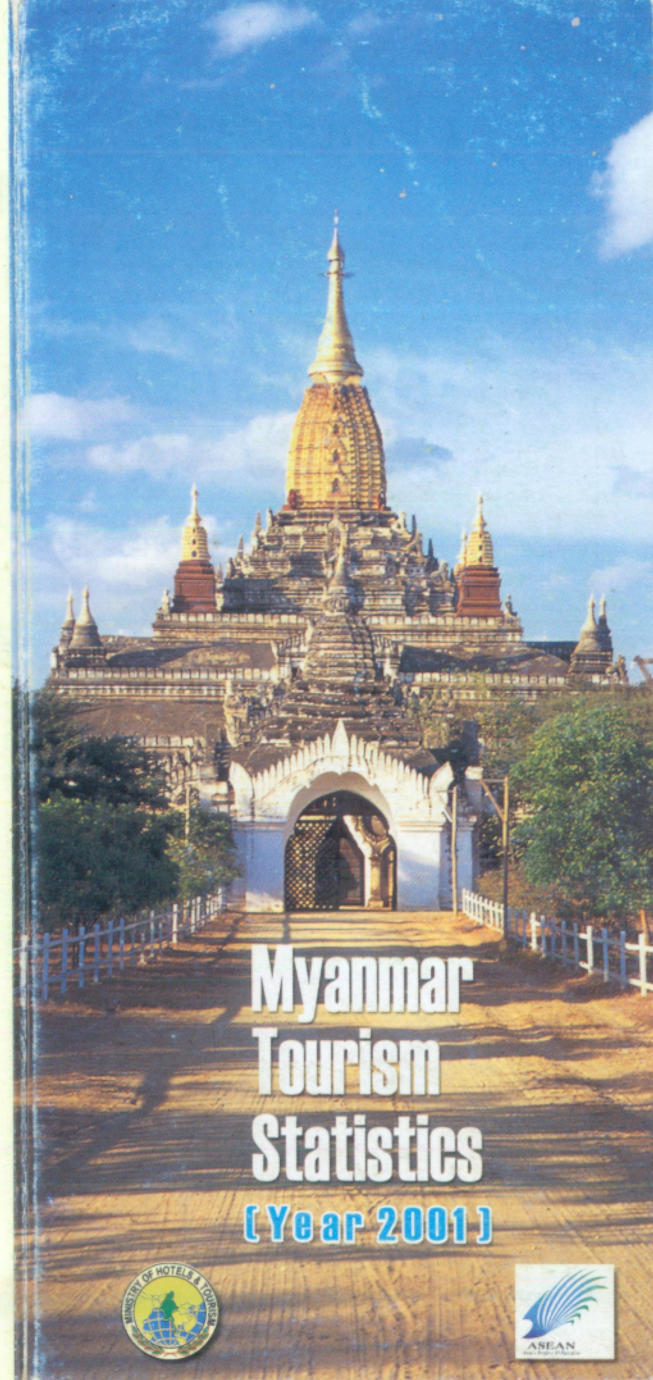
(a) Coach (26 to 50 seater)	72
(b) Mini Bus (21 to 25 seater)	17
(c) Van (7 to 20 seater)	50
(d) Saloon (3 to 5 seater)	24
(e) Motor Boat	196
(f) Boat	2
(g) Yacht	33
(h) Hot Air Balloon	1
Total	395

LICENSED TOUR GUIDES (YEAR - 2001)

(a) English	3742
(b) Japanese	694
(c) French	248
(d) Chinese	298
(e) Thai	125
(f) German	132
(g) Russian	26
(h) Italian	23
(i) Korean	8
Total	5296

STATEMENT SHOWING LOAD FACTOR OF AIRLINES FOR THE YEAR 2001

Sr. Destination	No. of Flights	Seat Capacity	Occupied Seats	Percentage (%)
1. BKK - YGN	1409	281940	118837	42.15 %
2. CHIANGMAI - YGN	73	4307	1714	39.80 %
3. SINGAPORE - YGN	598	76144	23445	30.79 %
4. HONGKONG - YGN	100	14215	5076	35.70 %
5. KUALALUMPUR - YGN	209	29847	11233	37.63 %
6. KUNMING - YGN	103	13184	6342	48.10 %
7. DHAKA - YGN	52	11492	1524	13.26 %
8. CALCUTTA - YGN	103	14832	2797	18.85 %
9. TAIPEI - YGN	225	37800	23250	61.50 %
10. CHIANGMAI - MDY	52	3068	1317	42.92 %
11. SPECIAL FLIGHT	122	-	1885	-
TOTAL	3046	486829	197420	40.55 %



FACTS ABOUT ---

Area

676, 577 square kilometers.

Time

UTC (GMT) + 6.5 HOURS

Climate

Myanmar mainly enjoys a tropical climate with three seasons, namely the Hot Season, the Rainy Season and the Cold Season. Myanmar is worthy to visit the whole year round because of its vast area.

Population

The Union of Myanmar has a population of 51 million. The major racial groups are Myanmar, Kachin, Kayah, Karen, Chin, Mon, Rakhine and Shan.

Language

Myanmar, several dialects, some English.

Religion

80 percent of Myanmar's embrace Theravada Buddhism. The rest practise Christianity, Islam, Hinduism or animism.

Currency

The local currency is the "Kyat" which is divided into 100 pyas. Kyat notes are issued in denomination of 1,5,10,15,20,45,50,90,100,200, 500 and 1000.

Business Hours

Banks : 09:30 - 15:00 Mon - Fri
Offices : 09:30 - 16:30 Mon - Fri
Shops : 06:00 - 22:00 Mon - Sun

Airport Tax

10 US Dollars

Electricity

220/ 230V AC 50HZ

Country Code

095

Driving Licence

Foreigners, holding an International Driving Licence, are permitted to drive with prior permission and the fee is USD 20 for one year.

Clothing

Light wears throughout most of the year with rainwear for Rainy Season. Warmer clothing may be required for coolest period and some evenings.

Passports

Required by all.

Visas

- Required by all.
- Children over seven years of age require a separate visa even if travelling on their parents' passports.
- Tourists visas are obtainable from Myanmar Mission abroad and are valid for 28 days (for 2 weeks visa extension USD 36 and for one month USD 72). Tourists may only stay in hotels and guest houses.

Customs

Foreign currencies (above USD 2000), jewelleries and electrical goods must be declared to the customs at the Airport.

For customs clearance, a Green Channel for visitors with nothing to declare and Red Channel for visitors with dutiable items. Exports of antiques and archaeologically valuable items are prohibited.

Foreign Exchange

Foreign Independent Travellers holding tourist visas must exchange on arrival a minimum of USD 200 or equivalent into foreign exchange certificates. Any unused foreign exchange certificates out of this amount will not be reconverted.

HOTELS/ MOTELS/GUEST HOUSES IN STATES AND DIVISIONS (YEAR 2001)

Sr. Place	Numbers	Rooms
1. Yangon	133	3058
2. Mandalay	62	1900
3. Bagan	82	1574
4. Pyin Oo Lwin	17	250
5. Meiktila	5	98
6. Mogok	1	11
7. Thazi	3	32
8. Pyinmana	1	25
9. Bago	10	248
10. Taungoo	6	77
11. Pyay	13	161
12. Sagaing	1	11
13. Monywa	3	43
14. Patheingyi	4	92
15. Chaungtha	13	348
16. Kawthaung	2	91
17. Myittha	6	122
18. Lashio	4	124
19. Taunggyi	12	395
20. Nyaung U	38	737
21. Shwe Nyaung	1	16
22. Pindaya	5	152
23. Aungmye	2	38
24. Kalay	16	273
25. Kyaing Tong	10	268
26. Loi Kaw	1	24
27. Mawlamyine	5	90
28. Ngazun	5	183
29. Mrauk U	5	66
30. Sittway	4	74
31. Tachileik	9	292
32. Muse	7	255
33. Kyaikto	5	142
34. Thibaw	2	21
35. Kalay	1	40
36. Dawei	2	54
37. Hpa an	1	21
38. Kwanchnankone	1	30
39. Magway	1	14
40. Kyaukse	1	44
41. Kyaukpadaung	1	14
42. Bhamo	1	42
Total	502	11550

TOURIST ARRIVALS BY SPECIAL TOURS

Special Charter Flight Tours

Year	No. of Charter Flights	No. of Pax
1998	2	229
1999	3	378
2000	3	293
2001	11	915

International Ballooning Meeting

No.	Name of Group	No. of Pax
1.	3rd International Ballooning Meeting in Myanmar	28
2.	4th International Ballooning Meeting in Myanmar	34

Yachting Tours

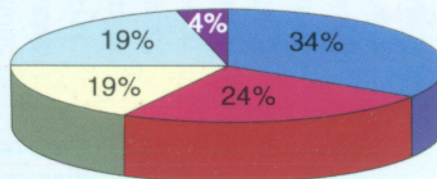
Year	No. of Pax	Income (US \$)
1997	391	33160
1998	1196	97000
1999	1566	126120
2000	1434	116080
2001	1687	138560

Bike Tour

Year	No. of Pax
2001	20

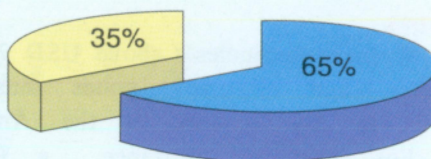
TYPES OF TOURIST

- 34% Package Tour Groups
- 24% Foreign Independent Travellers
- 19% Business Travellers
- 4% Visit Friends and Relatives
- 19% Others



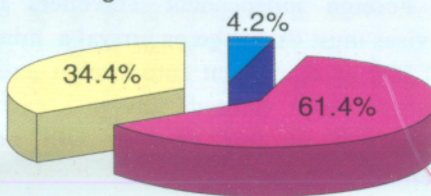
TOURIST ARRIVALS BY GENDER GROUP

- 65% Male
- 35% Female



TOURIST ARRIVALS BY AGE GROUP

- 4.2% Age 1-20
- 61.4% Age 21-50
- 34.4% Age 51+



TOURISM INCOME

	2000 (US\$)	2001 (US\$)
Total Earning	84M	90M
Average Expenditure Per Person Per Day	60	70
Average Length of Stay	7	7.3

HOTEL BUSINESS

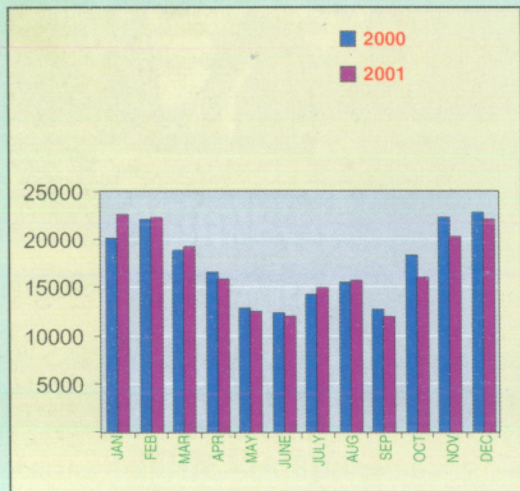
	No.	Rms.	US\$(M)	KS(M)
1. Licensed Foreign Investment Hotels	20	3808	519.825	
2. JV Hotels	4	473	38.20	
3. Local Private Owned Hotels	502	11550	4.90	14747.93
4. State Owned Hotels	8	396		1345.00
5. Leased Hotels	19	785	0.012	714.24
Total	553	17012	562.937	16807.17

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INTERNATIONAL TOURIST ARRIVALS FROM YANGON ENTRY POINT

(including tourist arrivals through border entry points to Yangon)

Month	2000	2001	%
Jan	20110	22506	112%
Feb	22004	22235	101%
Mar	18707	19168	103%
Apr	16548	15790	95%
May	12821	12483	97%
Jun	12171	11925	98%
Jul	14166	14936	105%
Aug	15463	15578	101%
Sep	12565	11967	95%
Oct	18274	16001	88%
Nov	22180	20252	91%
Dec	22656	22021	97%
Total	207665	204862	99%



TOTAL VISITOR ARRIVALS

(A) Yangon Gateway

(including tourist arrivals through border entry points to Yangon)

	2000	2001
(1) Package	77646	72847
(2) F.I.T	47577	50058
(3) Business Travellers	37032	36608
(4) Entry Visa (Friends & Relatives)	8043	7756
(5) Others	37367	37593
Total	207665	204862

(B) Border Tourism

(including day return visitors)

	2000	2001
(1) North Eastern Region	37284	38337
(2) Eastern Region	24619	60595
(3) South Eastern Region	146776	171312
Total	208679	270244
Grand Total	416344	475106

TOURIST ARRIVALS BY CRUISES

Year	No. of Cruises	No. of Pax
1997	9	1997
1998	10	2584
1999	6	1533
2000	5	1422
2001	5	2869

WHERE DO THEY COME FROM...

No.	Country	2001	%
	NORTH AMERICA	15864	7.74
1.	Canada	2340	1.14
2.	America	13524	6.60
	LATIN AMERICA	807	0.39
	WEST EUROPE	55948	27.31
1.	Austria	2126	1.03
2.	Belgium	2408	1.17
3.	France	12461	6.08
4.	Germany	11450	5.59
5.	Italy	6618	3.23
6.	Switzerland	3602	1.76
7.	U.K	8424	4.11
8.	Spain	3277	1.60
9.	Others	5582	2.72
	EAST EUROPE	1542	0.75
1.	Russia	434	0.21
2.	Others	1108	0.54
	AFRICA	312	0.15
	MIDDLE EAST	1416	0.69
	ASIA	123904	60.48
1.	H.K	1408	0.68
2.	Japan	20118	9.82
3.	Malaysia	11296	5.51
4.	Singapore	9939	4.85
5.	Thailand	17123	8.36
6.	China	16788	8.19
7.	Taiwan	26020	12.70
8.	Korea	7581	3.70
9.	Bangladesh	1074	0.52
10.	India	5572	2.72
11.	Others	6985	3.41
	OCEANIA	5069	2.47
1.	Australia	4442	2.17
2.	Newzealand	627	0.30
	TOTAL	204862	100.00