

FAST FACTS ...

Area

676.577 Square Kilometers.

Time

UTC (GMT) + 6.5 Hours

Climate

Myanmar is an all year round destination. Hilly regions in the north and northeast enjoy cool temperate weather. Rainfall is also very low in central regions during the rainy season.

Population

The Republic of the Union of Myanmar has a population about 51 million. The major racial groups are Bamar, Kachin, Kayah, Kayin, Chin, Mon, Rakhine and Shan. The people are called Myanmar.

Language

Myanmar, several dialects and English.

Religion

Over 80 percent of Myanmar embrace Theravada Buddhism. There are Christians, Muslims, Hindus and some animists.

Currency

The local currency is the "Kyat" which is divided into 100 pyas. Kyat notes are issued in denominations of 1, 5, 10, 15, 20, 45, 50, 90, 100, 200, 500, 1000, 5000 and 10000.

Business Hours

Banks: 09 : 30 - 15:00 Mon-Fri
Offices: 09:30 - 16:30 Mon - Fri

Airport Tax

10 US Dollars for departure at international Airports.

Customs

Foreign currencies (above USD 10000), jewellery, cameras and electronic goods must be declared to the customs at the Airport. Exports of antiques and archaeologically valuable items are prohibited.

Foreign Currency Exchange and Credit Cards

Foreign currency can be exchanged at Yangon International Airport and Licensed Exchange Counters. Credit Cards -Master Card/Visa Card can be used at International Hotels and some Supermarkets.

Tourism Expenditure

International Tourists

Table with 5 columns: Year, 2011 (US\$), 2012 (US\$), 2013 (US\$), 2014 (US\$). Rows include Tourism Expenditure, Average Expenditure per Person Per Day, and Average Length of Stay.

Total contribution of Travel and Tourism (Direct, Indirect, Induced) is about US\$ 3.216 Billion.

Table with 2 columns: Domestic Tourists, Domestic Tourists & Expenditure based on. Values: 2,204 million; 650.872 Billion Kyats.

Licensed Tourist Transportation

Table with 3 columns: (a) Coach (26-50 Seater), (b) Motor Boat, (c) Hiace / Townace (5-12 Seater), (d) Mini Bus (13-25 Seater), (e) Boat, (f) Yacht, (g) Saloon / Van (4 Seater), (h) Hot Air Balloon. Values range from 129 to 310.

Licensed Tour Companies

Table with 2 columns: (a) Local Company 1589, (b) J.V Company 33, (c) Foreign Company 1. Total: 1623. Includes Licensed Tour Guides table with 11 languages and 1070 guides.

Foreign Investment in Hotels & Commercial Complex

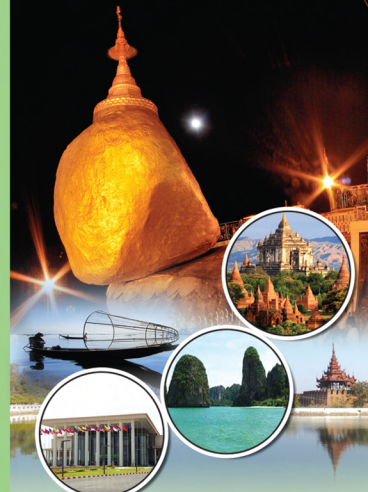
Table with 5 columns: Sr., Projects, Rooms, Investment US\$ (M), Remarks. Includes 3 projects with total investment of 1267.862M.

Foreign Investment in Hotels & Commercial Complex by Countrywise

Table with 5 columns: Sr., Country, Hotel / Apartment, Investment US\$ (M), Remarks. Lists investments from Singapore, Vietnam, Thailand, Hong Kong, Japan, Malaysia, UK, Luxembourg, UAE, etc.

Hotels / Motels / Guest Houses

Table with 4 columns: Sr., Place, Numbers, Rooms. Lists 59 hotels/motels/guest houses across Myanmar.



Myanmar Tourism Statistics 2014

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Tourist Arrivals

Table with 6 columns: Name of Entry Points, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014. Includes Yangon, Mandalay, Mawlamyine/ Myeik, Nay Pyi Taw, and Border Gateways.

Border Gateways

Table with 6 columns: Name of Borders, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014. Lists arrivals at Northern, North-Western, Eastern, South-Eastern, and Northern Regions.

Overland Entry

Overland entry is permitted with valid visa for international visitors at designated check points along Thailand-Myanmar border. Prior Permission is required for package tour travellers at China-Myanmar border and India-Myanmar border.

Visa Formalities

A valid Passport with Entry Visa is required for all visitors. The entry visa to Myanmar is applicable at Myanmar Embassies and Consulate General Offices abroad and it is valid for 28 days.

E-VISA

E-Visas are available within 5 working days by applying following website and cost is USD 50 per person for 28 days. http://www.myanmarvisa.gov.mm

Visa on Arrival (VOA)

Business Visa US \$ 50 per person (70 days)
Entry Visa US \$ 40 per person (28 days)
(Meetings / Workshops / Events)

Types of Tourist

Bar chart showing types of tourists: Foreign Independent Travellers (22%), Business Travellers (30%), Social Visitors (19%), Others (4%), and Relatives (25%).

Tourist Arrivals by Gender Group

Bar chart showing gender distribution: Male (64%), Female (36%), and Others (100%).

Tourist Arrivals by Age Group

Bar chart showing age distribution: Age 1-20 (4%), Age 21-50 (60%), Age 51+ (36%), and Others (100%).

Visitors by Nationality

Table with 3 columns: No., Country / Region, 2014, %. Lists major nationalities including ASIA, THAILAND, CHINA, JAPAN, KOREA, SINGAPORE, MALAYSIA, TAIWAN, CHINA, INDIA, HONG KONG, SAR, CHINA, BANGLADESH, OTHERS, WEST EUROPE, FRANCE, U.K, GERMANY, ITALY, SWITZERLAND, SPAIN, BELGIUM, AUSTRIA, OTHERS, NORTH AMERICA, CANADA, OCEANIA, AUSTRALIA, NEWZEALAND, OTHERS, EAST EUROPE, RUSSIA, OTHERS, OTHER AMERICAS, MIDDLE EAST, AFRICA, and TOTAL.

Tourist Arrivals by Special Tours

Table with 3 columns: Year, No. of Charter Flight Tours, No. of Pax. Includes special charter flights from 2010 to 2014.

Tourist Arrivals By Oceania Cruises

Table with 3 columns: Year, No. of Cruises, No. of Pax. Includes Oceania cruises from 2010 to 2014.

Yachting Tours

Table with 3 columns: Year, No. of Pax, Income (US\$). Includes yachting tour data from 2010 to 2014.

Riverine Cruises

Table with 3 columns: Year, No. of Pax, Income (US\$). Includes riverine cruise data from 2010 to 2014.

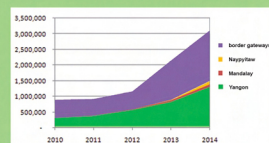
Ballooning

Table with 3 columns: Year, No. of Pax, Income (US\$). Includes ballooning data from 2010 to 2014.

Comparison Statement Showing Load Factor of Scheduled Flights For The Year 2014

Large table with 5 columns: Sr., Route, No. of Flights, Seat Capacity, Occupancy Rate. Lists occupancy rates for various routes like Bangkok-Yangon, Yangon-Phnom Penh, Mandalay, etc.

Tourist Arrivals (2010-2014)



Yangon Entry Point

(Including tourist arrivals through border entry points to Yangon)

Table with 5 columns: Type of Tours, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014. Lists Package Tour, FIT, Business Travellers, Entry Visa, and Relatives.

Nay Pyi Taw, Mandalay, Mawlamyine & Myeik Entry Points

Table with 5 columns: Type of Visa, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014. Lists Tourist Visa, Business Travellers, Entry Visa, Relatives, and Others.