

Eswatini Tourism Statistics 2023 Arrivals by country of residence

| Inbound Tourism                  | MAY           |               |                   |                     | JANUARY-MAY        |                |                   |                     |
|----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE             | 2022          | 2023          | Difference        | % Difference        | 2022               | 2023           | Difference        | % Difference        |
| <b>AFRICA</b>                    | <b>34,859</b> | <b>61,678</b> | <b>26,819</b>     | <b>76.9%</b>        | <b>132,120</b>     | <b>284,196</b> | <b>152,076</b>    | <b>115.1%</b>       |
| Botswana                         | 239           | 289           | 50                | 21.0%               | 723                | 1,311          | 588               | 81.3%               |
| Kenya                            | 80            | 132           | 52                | 65.1%               | 312                | 613            | 301               | 96.4%               |
| Lesotho                          | 349           | 339           | -10               | -2.8%               | 886                | 1,166          | 280               | 31.6%               |
| Malawi                           | 105           | 270           | 165               | 157.3%              | 519                | 1,252          | 733               | 141.2%              |
| Mozambique                       | 3,353         | 10663         | 7,310             | 218.0%              | 15,642             | 43,458         | 27,816            | 177.8%              |
| Nigeria                          | 135           | 168           | 33                | 24.5%               | 613                | 625            | 12                | 1.9%                |
| RSA                              | 28,373        | 45750         | 17,377            | 61.2%               | 104,245            | 216,844        | 112,599           | 108.0%              |
| Tanzania                         | 258           | 376           | 118               | 45.8%               | 819                | 1,699          | 880               | 107.5%              |
| Zambia                           | 163           | 234           | 71                | 43.6%               | 670                | 1,011          | 341               | 50.9%               |
| Zimbabwe                         | 1,380         | 2749          | 1,369             | 99.2%               | 5,792              | 13,225         | 7,433             | 128.3%              |
| Other Africa                     | 424           | 706           | 282               | 66.6%               | 1,899              | 2,993          | 1,094             | 57.6%               |
| <b>NORTH &amp; SOUTH AMERICA</b> | <b>810</b>    | <b>1,397</b>  | <b>587</b>        | <b>72.4%</b>        | <b>2,463</b>       | <b>5,941</b>   | <b>3,478</b>      | <b>141.2%</b>       |
| Brazil                           | 49            | 50            | 1                 | 2.1%                | 97                 | 193            | 96                | 98.6%               |
| Canada                           | 73            | 133           | 60                | 82.3%               | 254                | 1,105          | 851               | 335.0%              |
| USA                              | 669           | 1156          | 487               | 72.7%               | 1,980              | 4,402          | 2,422             | 122.3%              |
| Other America                    | 19            | 58            | 39                | 205.4%              | 132                | 242            | 110               | 83.2%               |
| <b>MIDDLE EAST</b>               | <b>32</b>     | <b>81</b>     | <b>49</b>         | <b>153.3%</b>       | <b>141</b>         | <b>342</b>     | <b>201</b>        | <b>142.6%</b>       |
| Kuwait                           | -             | 0             | 0                 | -                   | 0                  | 0              | 0                 | -                   |
| Iran                             | 8             | 5             | -3                | -37.5%              | 20                 | 23             | 3                 | 15.3%               |
| Israel                           | 7             | 21            | 14                | 200.2%              | 47                 | 185            | 138               | 292.9%              |
| Saudi Arabia                     | -             | 15            | 15                | -                   | 10                 | 18             | 8                 | 80.1%               |
| UAE                              | -             | 7             | 7                 | -                   | 1                  | 13             | 12                | 1201.3%             |
| Other Mid East                   | 17            | 33            | 16                | 94.2%               | 63                 | 103            | 40                | 63.9%               |
| <b>ASIA &amp; AUSTRALIA</b>      | <b>1,155</b>  | <b>1,548</b>  | <b>393</b>        | <b>34.0%</b>        | <b>5,054</b>       | <b>7,837</b>   | <b>2,783</b>      | <b>55.1%</b>        |
| Australia                        | 22            | 113           | 91                | 413.9%              | 95                 | 358            | 263               | 276.8%              |
| China                            | 128           | 181           | 53                | 41.5%               | 462                | 943            | 481               | 104.1%              |
| India                            | 336           | 488           | 152               | 45.3%               | 1,479              | 2,644          | 1,165             | 78.8%               |
| Pakistan                         | 340           | 339           | -1                | -0.2%               | 1,547              | 1,772          | 225               | 14.5%               |
| Philippines                      | 29            | 16            | -13               | -44.8%              | 108                | 151            | 43                | 40.2%               |
| South Korea                      | 71            | 103           | 32                | 45.2%               | 312                | 403            | 91                | 29.3%               |
| Taiwan                           | 46            | 75            | 29                | 63.1%               | 234                | 356            | 122               | 52.2%               |
| Other Asia                       | 183           | 232           | 49                | 26.9%               | 817                | 1,209          | 392               | 47.9%               |
| <b>EUROPE</b>                    | <b>2,137</b>  | <b>4,016</b>  | <b>1,879</b>      | <b>87.9%</b>        | <b>6,774</b>       | <b>21,039</b>  | <b>14,265</b>     | <b>210.6%</b>       |
| Belgium                          | 75            | 211           | 136               | 181.5%              | 260                | 1,085          | 825               | 317.5%              |
| France                           | 475           | 970           | 495               | 104.1%              | 1,485              | 5,349          | 3,864             | 260.2%              |
| Germany                          | 192           | 521           | 329               | 171.5%              | 695                | 3,415          | 2,720             | 391.4%              |
| Italy                            | 101           | 149           | 48                | 47.6%               | 241                | 512            | 271               | 112.6%              |
| Netherlands                      | 327           | 739           | 412               | 126.1%              | 774                | 3,649          | 2,875             | 371.5%              |
| Norway                           | 12            | 19            | 7                 | 58.4%               | 99                 | 157            | 58                | 58.1%               |
| Portugal                         | 276           | 314           | 38                | 13.8%               | 649                | 969            | 320               | 49.3%               |
| Sweden                           | 22            | 84            | 62                | 282.0%              | 93                 | 275            | 182               | 195.5%              |
| Switzerland                      | 38            | 146           | 108               | 284.4%              | 160                | 654            | 494               | 308.7%              |
| UK                               | 367           | 488           | 121               | 33.0%               | 1,489              | 2,795          | 1,306             | 87.7%               |
| Other Europe                     | 252           | 374           | 122               | 48.5%               | 829                | 2,179          | 1,350             | 162.9%              |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL</b>               | <b>38,993</b> | <b>68,720</b> | <b>29,727</b>     | <b>76.2%</b>        | <b>146,552</b>     | <b>319,354</b> | <b>172,802</b>    | <b>117.9%</b>       |
| <b>Outbound Tourism</b>          | <b>MAY</b>    |               |                   |                     | <b>JANUARY-MAY</b> |                |                   |                     |
| <b>COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE</b>      | <b>2022</b>   | <b>2023</b>   | <b>Difference</b> | <b>% Difference</b> | <b>2022</b>        | <b>2023</b>    | <b>Difference</b> | <b>% Difference</b> |
| <b>Eswatini</b>                  | <b>48,204</b> | <b>93,091</b> | <b>44,887</b>     | <b>93.1%</b>        | <b>195,650</b>     | <b>470,377</b> | <b>274,727</b>    | <b>140.4%</b>       |

Source: ETA in collaboration with the Department of Immigration( Entry/Departure cards)

**Arrivals by border post 2023**

| <b>Border post</b> | <b>Inbound</b> | <b>Outbound</b> |
|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Airport            | 0              | 0               |
| Bulembu            | 233            | 75              |
| KMIII              | 1934           | 1247            |
| Gege               | 386            | 758             |
| Lavumisa           | 8897           | 10183           |
| Lomahasha          | 6414           | 3635            |
| Lundzi             | 116            | 250             |
| Mahamba            | 4390           | 8605            |
| Mananga            | 4468           | 6565            |
| Matsamo            | 6924           | 10878           |
| Mhlumeni           | 5923           | 2465            |
| Ngwenya            | 26147          | 39711           |
| Nsalitje           | 647            | 3501            |
| Sandlane           | 637            | 1586            |
| Sicunusa           | 1604           | 3632            |
| <b>Total</b>       | <b>68,720</b>  | <b>93,091</b>   |

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