

## **2013 Visitor Arrival Statistics**

**Visitor arrivals in 2013 reached a total of 1,274,362**, decreasing by 6.69% in comparison with 2012 during which 1,365,845 arrivals were registered.

A 12.22% decrease was recorded in the number of Arab visitors which reached 402,080 in 2013 compared to 458,069 in 2012.

### **2013 in detail:**

#### **European visitors ranked first with 433,990:**

- 1- French = 117,688 visitors
- 2- Germans = 61,123 visitors
- 3- British = 48,504 visitors

#### **Arab visitors ranked second with 402,080:**

- 1- Iraqis = 141,987 visitors
- 2- Jordanians = 78,018 visitors
- 3- Egyptians = 63,578 visitors
- 4- Saudis = 40,958 visitors

#### **Arrivals from the American continent ranked third with 209,580:**

- 1- US Americans = 103,483 visitors
- 2- Canadians = 71,841 visitors
- 3- Brazilians = 13,603 visitors

#### **Asian visitors ranked fourth with 117,693 including 16,130 Iranians.**

### **Total arrivals for 2011, 2012 and 2013**

#### **Total Arrivals for 2013: 1,274,362**

Compared to: 1,655,051 in 2011 (23% decrease)  
1,365,845 in 2012 (6.69% decrease)