

FAST FACTS ...

Area

676,577 Square Kilometer

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 50, 100, 200, 500, 1000, 5000 and 10000.

Business Hours

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

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. Please see the <http://www.myanmarcustoms.gov.mm>

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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

Million in USD

Year	2013 (US\$)	2014 (US\$)	2015 (US\$)	2016 (US\$)	2017 (US\$)
Total Expenditure	926M	1789 M	2122	2197.15	1969
Average Expenditure Per Person Per Day	145	170	171	154	153
Average Length of Stay (Nights)	7	9	9	11	9

Licensed Tourist Transportation

a Coach(26-50seater)	360
b Motor Boat	1277
c Hiace/Townace (5-12 seater)	454
d Mini Bus(13-25 seater)	139
e Boat	44
f Yacht	14
g Saloon/ Van (4 seater)	243
h Hot Air Balloon	3
Total	2534

Licensed Tour Company (Inbound/Domestic)

a Local Company	2552
b J.V Company	40
c Foreign Company	1
Total	2593

Licensed Tour Company (Outbound)

Local Company	429
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Licensed Domestic Pilgrimage

Local Company	28
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Licensed Tour Guides

a English	2815
b Japanese	342
c German	271
d French	295
e Thai	206
f Chinese	146
g Spanish	108
h Russian	77
i Italian	65
j Korean	46
	4371
k Regional Guides	3449
Total	7820

Foreign investment in Hotels and Commercial Complexes

Sr	Projects	Rooms	Investment US\$(M)	Remarks
1	33	6241	1749.992	Completed
2	11	2296	993.4454	Under Construction
3	20	3657	1627.528	MIC Permitted
	64	12194	4370.9654	

Foreign investment in Hotels and Commercial Complexes by Countrywise

Sr	Country	Hotel/ Apartment	Investment US\$ (M)	Remarks
1	Singapore	32	2719.8834	
2	Thailand	12	486.1610	
3	Vietnam	1	440.0000	
4	Japan	6	394.3850	
5	Hong Kong	5	187.7000	
6	Korea	1	100.0000	
7	Malaysia	3	23.1360	
8	United Kingdom	3	14.5000	
9	Luxembourg	1	5.2000	
	Total	64	4370.9654	

Hotels / Motels / Guest Houses

Hotel/ Motel / Guest Houses			
Sr	Place	Number	Room
1	Aungban	7	239
2	Bagan	85	2919
3	Bago	29	818
4	Bhamaw	4	136
5	Chaugtha	26	1225
6	Chauk	1	18
7	Dawei	15	483
8	Dike Oo	1	20
9	Gan Gaw	4	75
10	Hai Kyi Kyun	1	20
11	Ho Pan	1	23
12	Hpa-an	18	629
13	Hin Thata	1	25
14	Kalay	8	249
15	Kalaw	45	930
16	Kanpatiat	5	139
17	Katha	3	65
18	Kawthaung	9	522
19	Kyaikhto	15	608
20	Kyaington	15	554
21	Kyaukme	4	105
22	Kyaukpataung	7	158
23	Kyaukphyu	8	251
24	Kyaukse	5	125
25	Kut Khaing	1	36
26	Latpadan	2	45
27	Lashio	20	754
28	Loikaw	17	368
29	Magwe	13	351
30	Mandalay	205	8457
31	Mawlamyaing	32	955
32	Meikhtila	11	303
33	Min Bue	2	79
34	Mindat	1	32
35	Moe Nyin	1	21
36	Mogok	3	120
37	Monywa	14	717
38	Mrauk-U	6	152
39	Muse	12	492
40	Myawaddy	6	251
41	Myingyan	4	108
42	Myitkyina	16	510
43	Myeik	14	500
44	Ma U Bin	1	31
45	Mawlamyaing Kyun	1	14
46	Naung Hkio	1	46
47	Nam Sam(Loi Lin)	2	62
48	Nay Pyi Taw	64	5463
49	Ngapali	34	1223
50	Ngwesaung	29	1350
51	Nyaung Shwe	102	3258
52	Nyaung Lay Pin	1	17
53	Pakokku	10	254
54	Patheingyi	18	523
55	Phakant	3	90
56	Phe Khone	1	20
57	Phyar Pon	1	40
58	Pindaya	6	177
59	Putao	5	99
60	Pyaw	22	504
61	Pyaw Bwe	2	33
62	Pyin Oo Lwin	53	1283
63	Pyinmana	1	25
64	Pauk Khaung	1	31
65	Sagaing	6	179
66	Sat Sal	1	57
67	Shwe Bo	2	55
68	Shwe Nyaung	2	91
69	Sint Kaing	2	41
70	Sittwe	11	234
71	Shwe Thung Yan	1	36
72	Tachileik	41	1946
73	Tanintharyi	1	20
74	Tantyan	1	36
75	Taunggyi	37	1052
76	Taungoo	13	304
77	Taung Twin Gyi	2	32
78	Tha Htone	2	55
79	Thaya Waddy	1	16
80	Thazi	2	26
81	Thibaw	15	381
82	Than Phyu Zayat	1	20
83	Taung Gauk	1	32
84	Yangon	387	20123
85	Ya Mae Thin	1	31
86	Yay	2	45
87	Yay Nan Chaung	3	36
	Total	1590	63978



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