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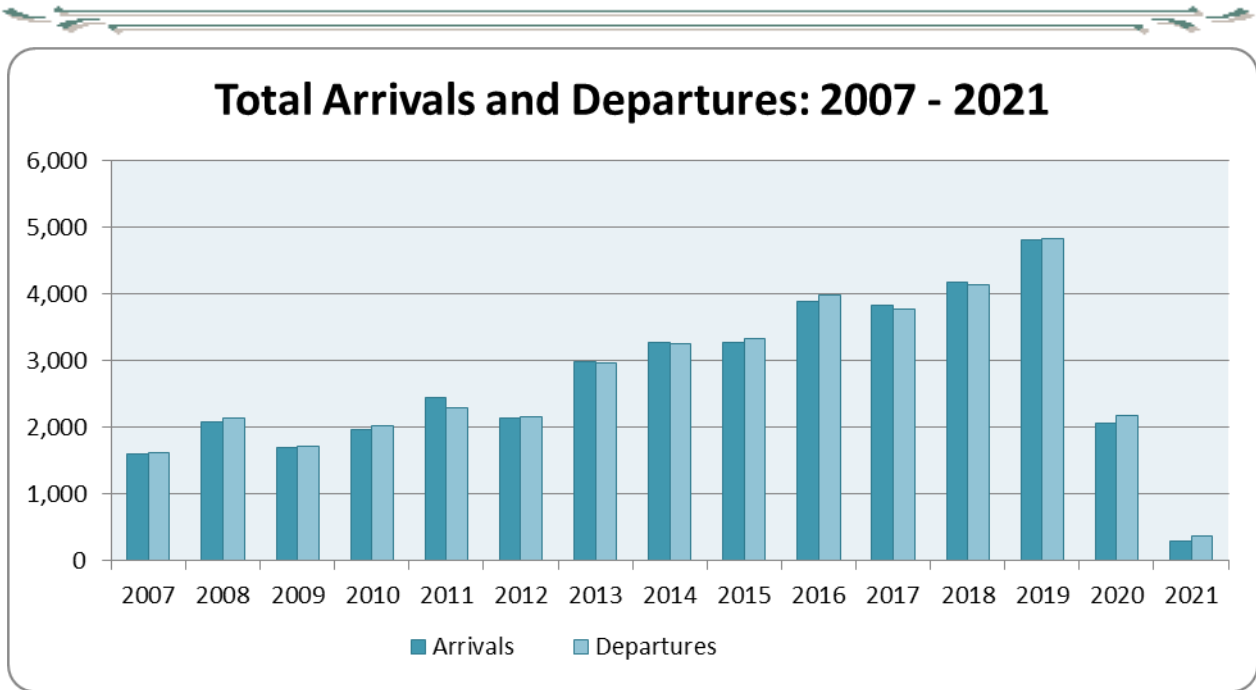
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# STATISTICAL RELEASE

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### TRAVELLING RESIDENTS and VISITORS OF NIUE Quarter 2021



AirNZ Flying to Niue



## Introduction

Fakaalofa lahi atu.

The Honourable Minister and Staff of Statistics Niue are very happy to put out this statistical release of Travelling residents and Visitors of Niue for the first and second quarter of 2021.

The graph (in the front page) depicted the total number of travellers for years 2007 to 2019 as generally increasing but in 2021 it showed a decrease of the figures. This is a direct result of the devastating effect of Covid 19 pandemic to the travelling population of the world. The pandemic has forced all countries in the world to either restrict all travelling or totally closed their borders.

Hence, this release is compiled a little different from the usual as the numbers of travellers were dropped to the bare minimum. However, the main parts remain:

1. **Figures at a Glance**
2. **Total Arrivals and Departures**
3. **Definitions**
4. **General Information and Acknowledgements**

We hope the statistics contains herein will be of assistance in evidence-based decisions, assessment and evolution of existing policies and the formation of the new policies thus leading the way to prosperity of Niue.

Kia monuina e totouaga. Fakaauae lahi.



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## FIGURES AT A GLANCE

Reference period Jan – June 2021

<b>1) Total Arrivals:</b>	<b>292</b>
<b>2) Total Departures:</b>	<b>368</b>
<b>3) Net Migration:</b>	<b>-124</b>
<b>4) Arrivals:</b>	
❖ Total Visitors:	99
❖ Niuean	-
❖ Non-Niuean	-
❖ Visitors become residents	-
❖ Total returning residents:	193
❖ Excursionists:	-
<b>5) Departures:</b>	
❖ Total departing residents:	282
❖ Res. Leaving Permanently:	-
❖ Total returning visitors:	86
❖ Excursionists:	-
<b>6) Average Total Tourist Earning (000):</b>	-
(exclude Cruise Ships)	
❖ Niuean Visitors -	-
❖ Non-Niuean visitors -	-

# 1. TOTAL ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

## 1.1 Total Arrivals & Departures by Months & Residential Status: January Jan - Jun 2021

Table 1.1: Total Arrivals and Departures by Months & Residential Status: Jan – Jun 2021

Total Arrivals & Departures	Jan – Feb			Mar – Apr			May – Jun		
	Res.	Vis.	Total	Res.	Vis.	Total	Res.	Vis.	Total
Arrivals	35	7	42	51	19	70	137	43	180
Departures	38	8	46	123	23	146	121	55	176
Net Migration	-3	-1	-4	-72	-4	-76	16	-12	4

Total Arrivals & Departures 2021			
	Residents	Visitors	Grand Total
Arrivals	223	69	292
Departures	282	86	368
Net Migration	-59	-17	-76

### Arrivals and Departures:

Total Arrival from January to June 2021 was 292 (223 returning residents and 69 visitors) and a total of 368 departures (282 travelling residents and 86 returning residents). From the beginning of the year of 2020 from January to March travel into and out of Niue was seen to be normal (consistent with previous years), even though the outbreak of Covid 19 was felt around the world since the end of 2019, hence the numbers of arrivals and departures were affected.

However, as from April onwards to the end of the year, the devastating impacts of the pandemic took effect and borders are closed all around the world consequently travel was highly restricted in Niue. Even to the stage of a total ban of sea travellers (tourist ships and yachts).

The only travellers allowed in to and out Niue were returning residents, essential workers and families, a Niueans from abroad.



## **9. DEFINITIONS**

<b>Total Arrivals</b>	All passengers from all vessels (air and surface) to have arrived in Niue and have filled an Immigration department.
<b>Total Departures</b>	All passengers to have departed in all vessels (air and surface) and have filled an Immigration Departure Card
<b>Niuean Resident</b>	A person or someone who is Niuean in Ethnicity Nationality and is residing in Niue permanently or who have stayed in Niue for more than 3 months
<b>Non-Niuean Resident</b>	A person who is living permanently in Niue or who have been living in Niue for more than 3 months and is not a Niuean in Ethnicity or Nationality
<b>Niuean Visitor</b>	A person or someone who is visiting Niue and who is Niuean in Ethnicity or nationality and mot to stay in Niue for more than 3 months
<b>Non-Niuean Visitor</b>	A person or someone who is visiting Niue and who is not a Niuean in Ethnicity or Nationality and not to stay in Niue for more than 3 months
<b>Movements of Arrivals</b>	The movement of arrivals highlight the rates of changes in the numbers of passengers from one period to another.
<b>Movements of Departures</b>	The number of departing passengers in months and quarters is always relative to the number of arriving passengers. If there were more people coming, there were more going. The significance of looking at this number lies with the fact of how it affects the total population of Niue. The general pattern is, just as many they came are those that left.
<b>Net Migration</b>	The number of arrivals minus the number of departures

## **10. GENERAL INFORMATION & ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**



The information contained in this release was compiled using the data sourced from the Immigration cards (at face value) distributed by and collected by the **Immigration Office** and its cooperating agents **Niue Customs**. **Statistics Niue** of Finance and Planning would like to acknowledge the effort of the staff concerned in delivering the cards and ensuring that the information contained therein is relevant and useful to all users and stakeholders.

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