

Guam 2023 Tourism Outlook

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Global Tourism Recovery

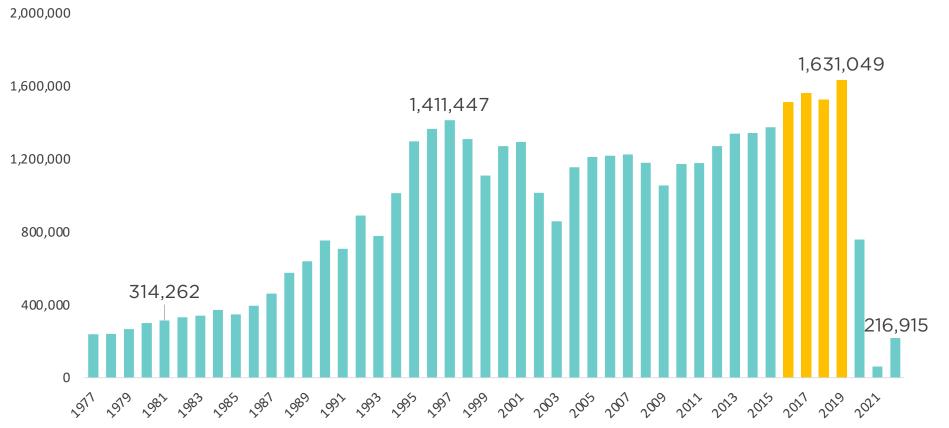


- Accelerated in 2022, ending at 65% of prepandemic level (PPL)
- Europe led recovery at 81%, followed by Middle East 77% and Americas 66% of PPL
- Asia Pacific lagging at 17% of PPL, Guam's market nexus

Guam's Historical Arrivals







Guam Tourism Recovery



- 5% and 15% of PPL in 2021 and 2022
- Strict border controls have eased in Korea, Japan, and Taiwan
- Forecast
 - 40% of PPL in 2023, 670,000 visitors
 - 70% of ppl next year, 1.1M Visitors

FY2023 Forecast



Market	2023	2019	% of '19 recovered
Japan	130,719	664,784	20%
Korea	372,209	734,339	51%
Taiwan	9,031	28,346	32 %
US/Hawaii	85,912	94,141	91%
Philippines	17,997	20,708	87 %

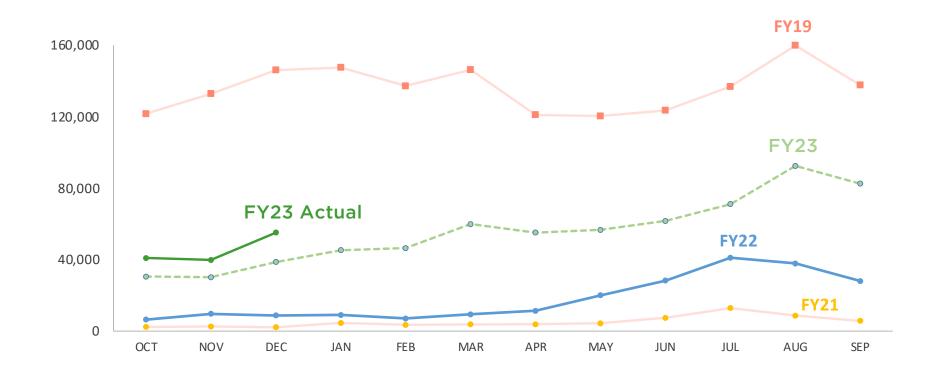
TOTAL FY2023 ARRIVALS FORECAST = 670,000

(41% of 2019 Levels)

Road to Recovery







FY2023 Arrivals +36% above original Forecasts

Consumer Travel Trends



- Bleisure travel growing, extra days added to business bookings, US-HI MK
- Digitization of tourism value chain intensifying, more immersive travel experiences
- Increasing importance of SM and influencers, Millennials & Gen Z
- Gateways to other demographics & general consumers
- SM content impact actual travel destination bookings
- Korean market survey (Klook) 78% want to travel abroad in 2023, 35% plan travel more than twice

GVB Marketing Strategy



- Overall
 - Interactive and self generated content
 - SNS
 - B2B (industry)
 - Key Driver nature, scenery, relax,
- Korea
 - Quick to act, quick to recover
 - FIT package tours, M and Z generations preferring package travel for convenience
 - Influencers and their visual assets
 - Forecasted to reach 20M Outbound travelers (70% of 2019)

GVB Marketing Strategy



- Japan
 - Ranked Guam #2 for travel abroad in 2023
 - Kept top of mind with limited budget
 - Continue with top of mind through virtual experience (SNS)
 - Planning push for summer season
 - PI, Taiwan
 - Focus on air service and connectivity and industry connections

Two Strategic Destination Challenges for Recovery





Aligning destination visitor experiences with post covid consumer expectations, new paradigms

- Industry shifting globally from "marketing driven" to "destination management" philosophy
- Delivering the promised experience, products, and service
- F&B quality and, authenticity of local cuisine
- Wi-Fi service lacking or inconsistent & impediment to KOL's SM effectiveness
- Ubiquitous Wi-Fi operating environment in source markets
- Hospitality industry migrating toward smart phone online operating environment, personalized customized bookings
- Wider use and application of hotel apps, concierge service, net day stays, yield mgmt. and staff scheduling, "gig" employees, incentivized reward programs (employees + guests)

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New solutions replacing legacy systems to improve efficiency, drive automation, allow employees to focus on added value of experience, relieve staff from routine time consuming tasks

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- Guam tourism value chain LAGGING FAR BEHIND expectations of source markets (need major upgrade digitized capacity)
- Contactless payments, mobile hotel check-ins, and online concierge services

<u>Korean Survey</u>	<u>Mobile</u> <u>Payment</u>	<u>Smart Phone</u> <u>QR Code</u>	<u>Cash</u>
Pre Pandemic 2020	10%	-	55%
After Pandemic 2022	30%	20%	-

- Touchless transactions and booking apps normalized in source markets J K T
- Global online booking \$782 M in 2021 and expected to grow +12% per year by 2028

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- Increasing use of Guam customs EDF, QR code
 - Widely used 70% by source markets
 - Residents 20% and growing



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