

JAMAICA CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITY STATISTICAL UNIT



Aircraft Movement – NMIA & SIA

Total aircraft movements at the Norman Manley International Airport (NMIA) and Sangster’s International Airport (SIA) for the period October to December 2023 were **16,722**, an increase of **3%** when compared to the **16,271** aircraft movement recorded in the same quarter in 2022.

Year to date, January to December 2023, aircraft movements at SIA and NMIA slightly increased by **5%**, with **66,796** aircraft movements compared to **63,816** in 2022.

Norman Manley International Airport (NMIA)

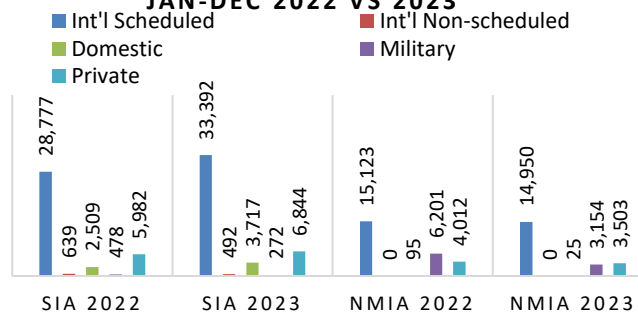
Aircraft movements at NMIA for the fourth quarter 2023 totaled **5,470**, a decrease of **14%** when compared to same period in 2022 where movements were **6,335**. Of the **5,470** aircraft for the 2023 period, **3,656** were international scheduled aircraft, **2** domestic aircraft, **974** military aircraft and **838** private aircraft. Of the **6,335** aircraft for the 2022 period **4,188** were international scheduled aircraft, **1,159** military aircraft and **988** private aircraft.

Sangster’s International Airport (SIA)

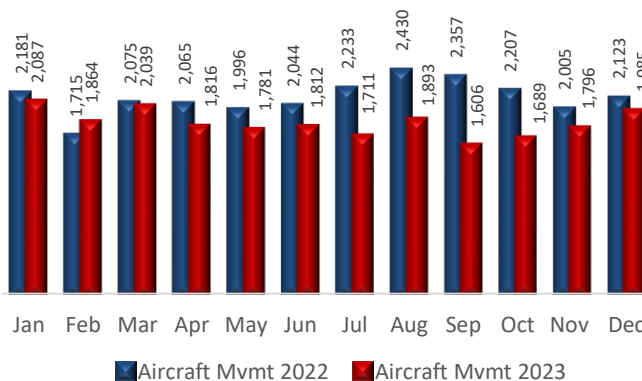
At the SIA, total aircraft movements in the fourth quarter of 2023 were **11,252** compared to **9,936** aircraft in the same period in 2022, an increase of **13%**. Of the **11,252** aircraft for the 2023 reporting period **8,257** were international scheduled, **126** international non-scheduled, **1,048** domestic aircraft, **87** military aircraft and **1,734** were private aircraft. Of the **9,936** aircraft for the 2022 period **7,170** were international scheduled, **191** international non-scheduled, **797** domestic aircraft, **130** military aircraft and **1,648** were private aircraft.

Source: Aerodrome Control Statistics NMIA & SIA

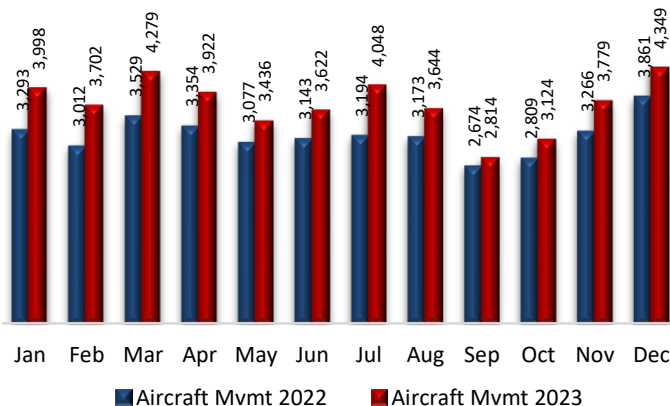
AIRCRAFT MOVEMENT SIA & NMIA JAN-DEC 2022 VS 2023



Aircraft Movement at NMIA Jan - Dec 2022 vs 2023



Aircraft Movement at SIA Jan - Dec 2022 vs 2023



AIRCRAFT MOVEMENT – KTP, NEG, IFIA, POT

Overall aircraft movements for the period October to December 2023 at the domestic aerodromes and IFIA were **3,601** a decrease of **2%** from the **3,658** aircraft recorded for the same period in 2022.

TINSON PEN (KTP)

Aircraft movement at Tinson Pen for the reporting period decreased by **4%** to **1,673** aircraft; **835** arrivals and **838** departures, conversely for same period in 2022, **1,742** aircraft were recorded; **875** arrivals and **867** departures.

NEGRIL (NEG)

Negril Aerodrome reported an increase in aircraft movement for the October to December 2023 period. Movements increased by **5%** to **1,596** aircraft from **1,513** aircraft reported for the 2022 period. The 2023 period recorded **equal** arrivals and departures whereas the 2022 period recorded **758** arrivals and **755** departures.

IAN FLEMING INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (IFIA)

Aircraft movement at IFIA for the reporting period decreased by **12%** to **199** with **98** arrivals and **101** departures. Movements for the 2022 period were **227** with **113** arrivals and **114** departures.

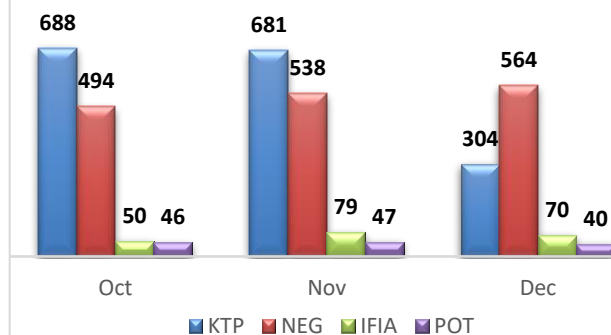
KEN JONES (POT)

Ken Jones Aerodrome noted **133** aircraft movement from October to December 2023. This was a **24%** decrease from **176** aircraft arrivals and departure for the period in 2022. There were **66** aircraft arrivals and **67** departures for the 2023 reporting period, whereas the 2022 reporting period had **equal** aircraft arrivals and departures.

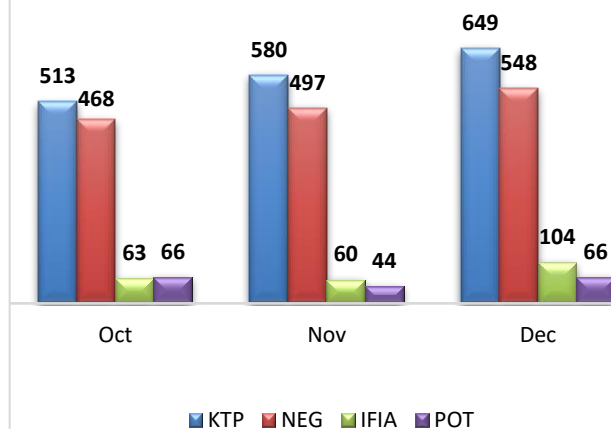
Aircraft Movement at Domestic Aerodromes January - December 2022 vs 2023

Year	2022	2023	%Change
Arrival	7,123	7,536	6%
Departure	6,880	7,646	11%
Total	14,003	15,182	8%

Aircraft Movements at Domestic Aerodromes Oct - Dec 2023



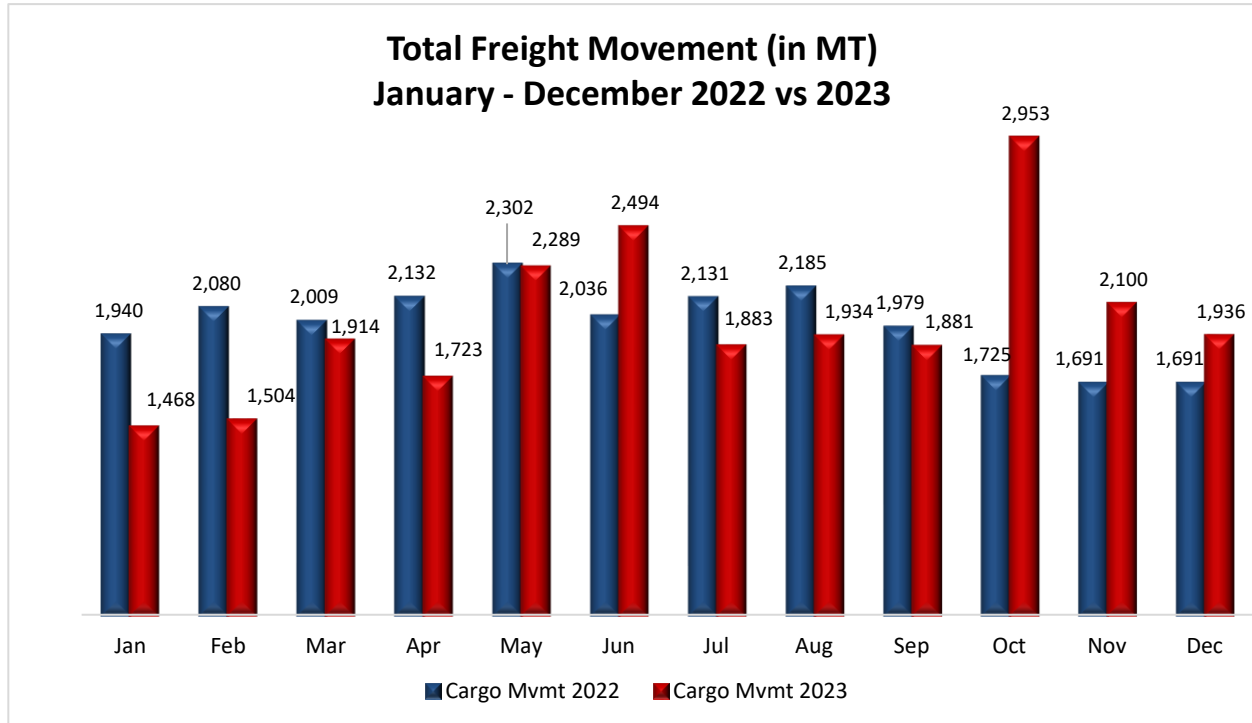
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CARGO ACTIVITY AT NMIA & SIA

Cargo movements at the international airports NMIA and SIA for the period October to December 2023 were **6,989 metric tonne (MT)**, which represents a **37%** increase in freight movement from **5,107 MT** for the same period of 2022. Freight movement for the reporting period at NMIA was **5,687; 1,030MT** loaded freight and **4,657MT** unloaded freights. On the other hand, SIA contributed **1,302MT** of freight, **1,046MT** loaded and **256MT** of unloaded freight.

Year to date 2023 freight movement increased by **1%** coming from **23,901MT** in 2022 to **24,079MT** in the year 2023.



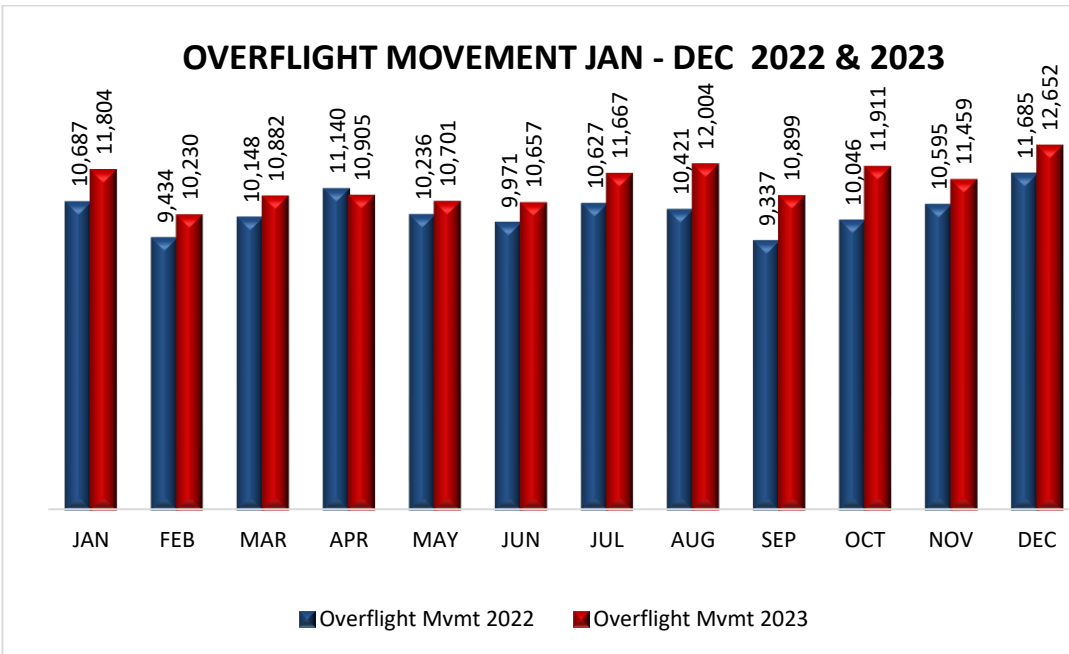
Freight Movement (in MT) at NMIA & SIA 2023 vs 2022						
	2023 Cargo Movement			2022 Cargo Movement		
	NMIA	SIA	TOTAL	NMIA	SIA	TOTAL
Jan	1,064	404	1,468	1,537	403	1,940
Feb	1,097	407	1,504	1,599	481	2,080
Mar	1,443	471	1,914	1,467	542	2,009
Apr	1,228	495	1,723	1,587	545	2,132
May	1,834	455	2,289	1,812	490	2,302
Jun	2,012	482	2,494	1,592	444	2,036
Jul	1,443	440	1,883	1,647	484	2,131
Aug	1,536	398	1,934	1,775	410	2,185
Sep	1,481	400	1,881	1,624	355	1,979
Oct	2,524	429	2,953	1,338	387	1,725
Nov	1,656	444	2,100	1,273	418	1,691
Dec	1,507	429	1,936	1,261	430	1,691
	18,825	5,254	24,079	18,512	5,389	23,901

Source: FORM I Airport Traffic – NMIA & SIA

Overflight Aircraft Movements

In the fourth quarter of 2023, October to December, Jamaica's flight information region recorded total overflight aircraft movements of **36,022** this represents an increase of **11%** from the **32,326** overflight aircraft movements in 2022. The average number of daily overflights for the period October to December 2022 and 2023 were **351** and **391** respectively.

Year to date, January to December 2023, overflight movement increased by **9%** with **135,771** overflight movements compared to **124,327** overflights in 2022.

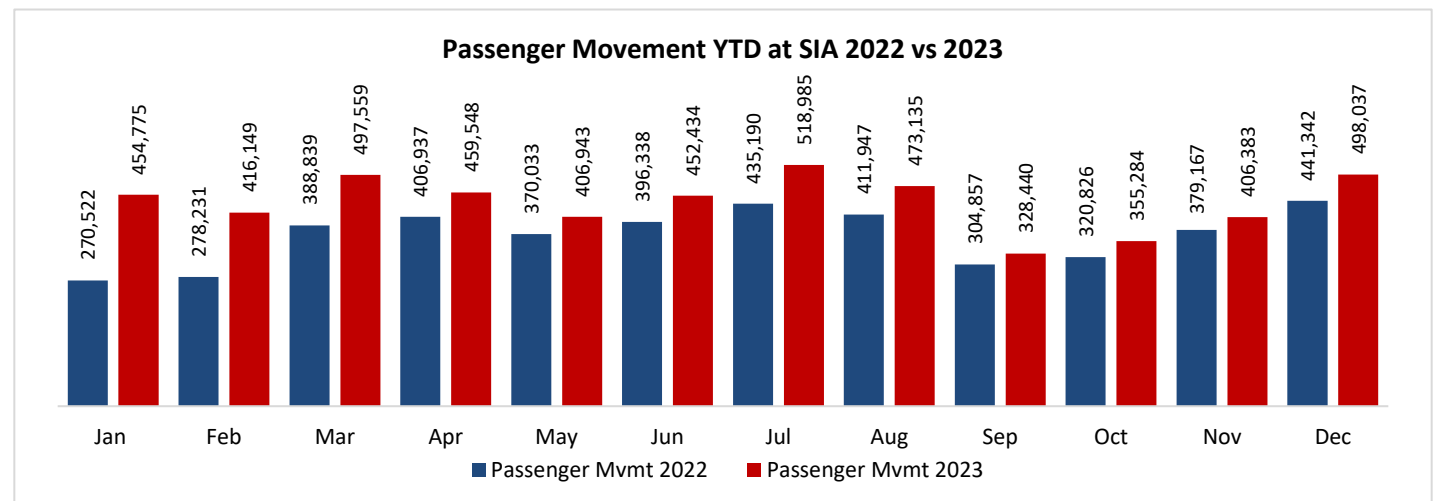
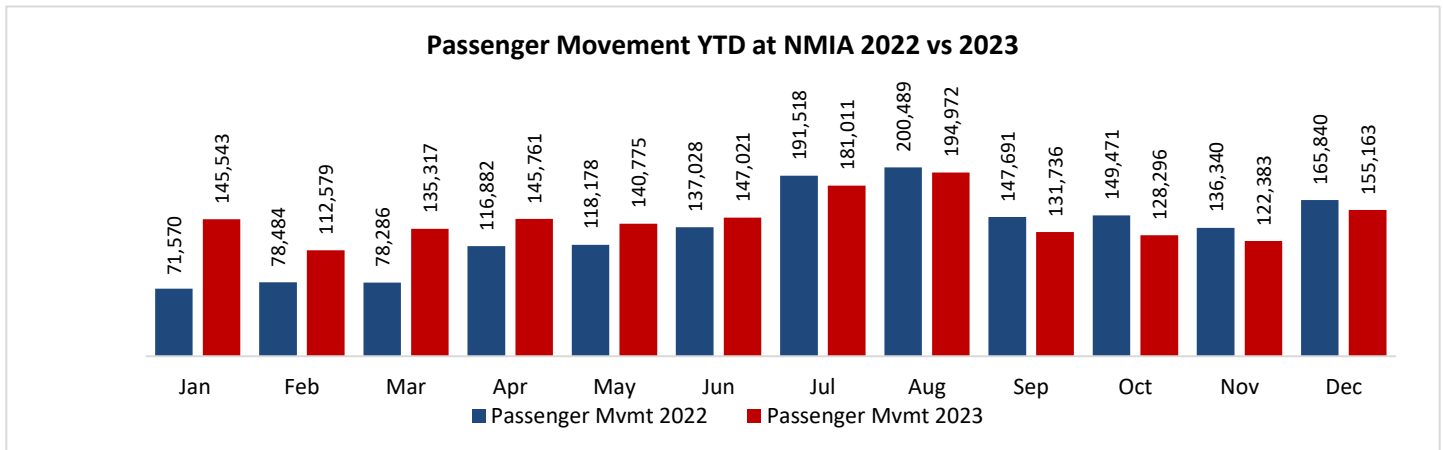
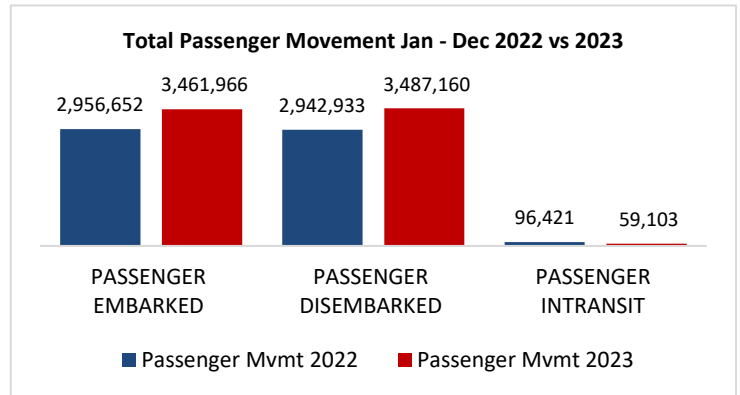
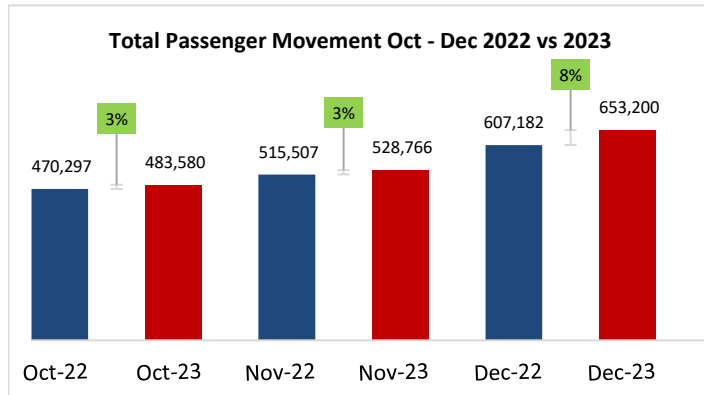


Source: Air Traffic Management

Passenger Movements at NMIA & SIA

Total passenger (includes international and domestic passengers) movements at NMIA and SIA for the fourth quarter 2023 was **1,665,546** an increase of **5%** from the figure reported for the same period in 2022, which was **1,592,986** departures, arrivals and transit passengers.

Year to date, January to December 2023, passenger movements increased by **17%**, with **7,008,229** passenger movements compared to **5,996,006** in 2022.



Passenger Movement January – December 2022 vs 2023

Total Passenger Movement January - December 2023

NMIA	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
PASSENGER EMBARKED	65,150	56,233	66,834	68,968	65,527	75,370	93,627	98,823	63,118	65,122	58,487	67,381	844,640
PASSENGER DISEMBARKED	79,928	55,216	68,352	76,661	75,108	71,496	87,292	96,042	68,381	62,959	63,827	87,704	892,966
PASSENGER INTRANSIT	465	1,130	131	132	140	155	92	107	237	215	69	78	2,951
	145,543	112,579	135,317	145,761	140,775	147,02	181,011	194,972	131,736	128,296	122,383	155,163	1,740,557
SIA													
PASSENGER EMBARKED	239,824	204,221	247,341	236,191	207,055	221,320	263,526	241,569	161,752	174,279	195,983	224,265	2,617,326
PASSENGER DISEMBARKED	209,127	206,409	243,983	218,351	195,730	227,153	250,114	227,057	162,321	175,688	207,543	270,718	2,594,194
PASSENGER INTRANSIT	5,824	5,519	6,235	5,006	4,158	3,961	5,345	4,509	4,367	5,317	2,857	3,054	56,152
	454,775	416,149	497,559	459,548	406,943	452,434	518,985	473,135	328,440	355,284	406,383	498,037	5,267,672
TOTAL	600,318	528,728	632,876	605,309	547,718	599,455	699,996	668,107	460,176	483,580	528,766	653,200	7,008,229

Total Passenger Movement January - December 2022

NMIA	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
PASSENGER EMBARKED	40,038	38,980	40,519	60,878	63,416	67,778	97,360	103,383	72,153	65,864	60,910	63,838	775,117
PASSENGER DISEMBARKED	31,522	39,461	37,636	55,867	53,597	65,837	86,774	89,185	69,591	74,217	69,713	95,027	768,427
PASSENGER INTRANSIT	10	43	131	137	1,165	3,413	7,384	7,921	5,947	9,390	5,717	6,975	48,233
	71,570	78,484	78,286	116,882	118,178	137,028	191,518	200,489	147,691	149,471	136,340	165,840	1,591,777
SIA													
PASSENGER EMBARKED	148,890	134,103	191,556	205,254	186,487	195,854	217,615	210,819	151,399	157,205	183,724	198,629	2,181,535
PASSENGER DISEMBARKED	118,694	140,592	194,176	196,953	179,139	197,256	212,731	194,994	149,231	159,869	192,326	238,545	2,174,506
PASSENGER INTRANSIT	2,938	3,536	3,107	4,730	4,407	3,228	4,844	6,134	4,227	3,752	3,117	4,168	48,188
	270,522	278,231	388,839	406,937	370,033	396,338	435,190	411,947	304,857	320,826	379,167	441,342	4,404,229
TOTAL	342,092	356,715	467,125	523,819	488,211	533,366	626,708	612,436	452,548	470,297	515,507	607,182	5,996,006

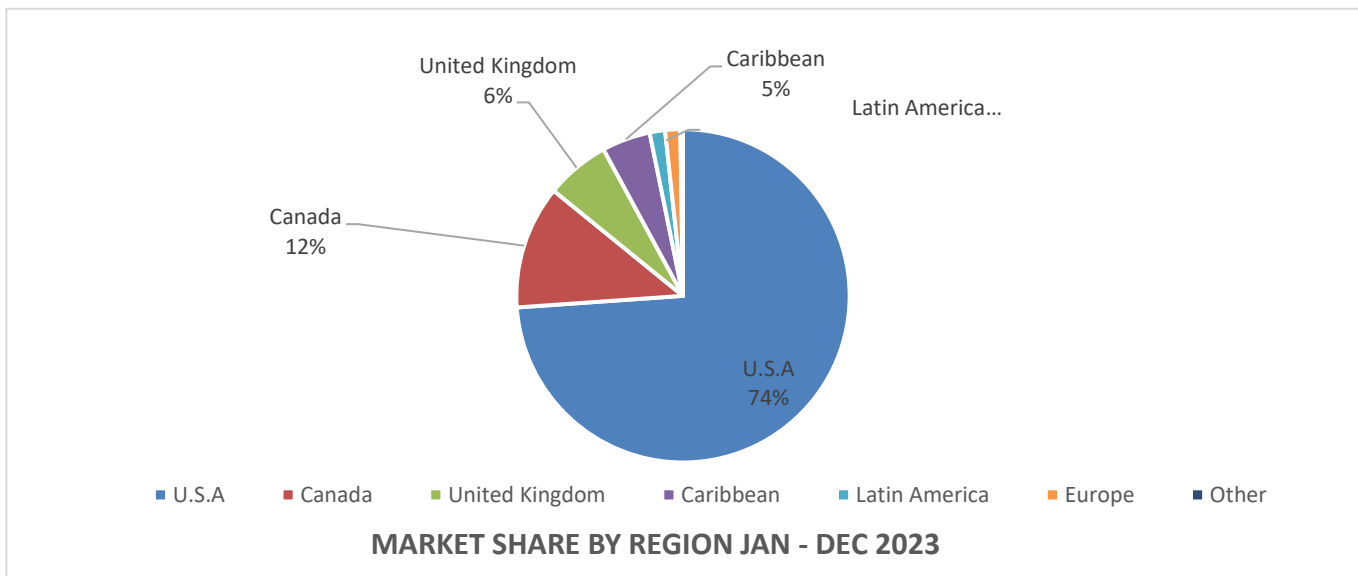
Source: FORM I Airport Traffic – NMIA & SIA

Passenger Arrival by Region

The reporting period recorded over **868,000** passenger arrivals. This represents an increase of **5%** from the figure of **829,000** arrivals reported for the same period in 2022. Year to date, passenger arrivals are up **18%**, that is **3,487,160** arrivals from January to December 2023 versus **2,942,933** arrivals for same period in 2022.

Oct - Dec 2023 Arrival by Region	SIA	NMIA	Total
U.S.A	477,846	143,109	620,955
Canada	96,434	22,672	119,106
United Kingdom	49,134	4,855	53,989
Caribbean	626	37,733	38,359
Latin America	6,781	6,121	12,902
Europe	20,534	-	20,534
Other	2,594	-	2,594
	653,949	214,490	868,439

Jan - Dec 2023 Arrival by Region	Passenger Arrivals	Market Share
U.S.A	2,576,603	74%
Canada	417,536	12%
United Kingdom	216,917	6%
Caribbean	164,164	5%
Latin America	51,992	1%
Europe	51,044	1%
Other	8,904	0%
	3,487,160	100%



Passenger Arrival by International Airports and Load Factor

Arrivals at Sangster International Airport (SIA) accounted for **74% (2,594,194)** of total arrivals for the January to September 2023 reporting period. Total arrivals at NMIA for the same period was **26% or 892,966** passengers.

The load factor for total arrivals for the period January to December was **82%**. Load factor is calculated by dividing the number of passengers carried by an aircraft by the total number of available seats and is **expressed as a percentage**. At SIA, approximately **83%** of all international flights were occupied whereas approximately **80%** were occupied at NMIA.

PASSENGER ARRIVALS AT KTP, NEG, POT & IFIA

See below passenger movement at Domestic Aerodromes and IFIA January – December 2023 vs 2022.

Passenger Movement at KTP, NEG, POT & IFIA January – December 2023

Arrivals	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
KTP	58	36	68	45	25	45	63	53	32	21	48	24	518
NEG	523	442	464	446	309	267	400	201	298	348	454	438	4,590
POT	20	11	54	44	17	36	34	25	11	12	21	20	305
IFIA	30	74	71	270	57	123	56	74	24	22	40	35	876
TOTAL	631	563	657	805	408	471	553	353	365	403	563	517	6,289
Departures	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
KTP	54	47	57	39	22	56	78	63	33	29	55	22	555
NEG	334	264	273	260	187	154	259	151	153	226	241	240	2,742
POT	24	8	28	69	15	24	40	85	7	18	22	20	360
IFIA	74	57	47	287	110	141	26	23	15	21	51	46	898
TOTAL	486	376	405	655	334	375	403	322	208	294	369	328	4,555
Total Arrival & Departure	1117	939	1062	1460	742	846	956	675	573	697	932	845	10,844

Passenger Movement at KTP, NEG, POT & IFIA January – December 2022

Arrivals	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
KTP	11	22	30	31	44	64	15	0	16	7	14	41	295
NEG	253	412	362	361	274	179	282	248	290	285	300	317	3,563
POT	15	11	23	18	11	15	21	21	15	2	13	33	198
IFIA	36	49	42	51	18	34	79	81	40	51	42	163	686
TOTAL	315	494	457	461	347	292	397	350	361	345	369	554	4,742
Departures	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
KTP	36	63	88	31	44	64	8	15	18	27	17	40	451
NEG	191	188	253	253	187	165	163	154	117	104	152	176	2,103
POT	35	11	25	16	20	7	26	21	11	7	17	17	213
IFIA	27	56	21	43	31	38	81	90	42	64	35	83	611
TOTAL	289	318	387	343	282	274	278	280	188	202	221	316	3,378
Total Arrival & Departure	604	812	844	804	629	566	675	630	549	547	590	870	8,120

Source : Domestic Aerodrome Passenger, Cargo & Mail Movement Report

Permits, Flight Authorization and Licenses Issued

For the months of October to December 2023 a total of **113** permits were issued.

- Eight (8) permits were issued for Cargo Charters;
- Eight (8) permits were issued for Inclusive Tour Charters;
- Seven (7) permits were issued for On Demand Services; and
- Ninety (90) permits were issued for Single Entity Charters.

Below is a breakdown of permits issued by region.

Region	Permits Issued Oct-Dec 2023	Permits Issued Oct-Dec 2022
U.S.A	71	109
Caribbean	22	33
Latin America	8	19
United Kingdom	6	10
Canada	4	4
Europe	2	4
TOTAL	113	179

Year-to-date January to December 2023, a total of **468** permits were issued, for the same period in 2022, **661** permits were issued.

Twelve (12) new licenses were issued for the reported period.

Source: Econ Reg Permits & Licences Unit