While the global economy grew by 2.5%, Travel & Tourism grew significantly more at 3.5%.

1 in 4 net new jobs were created by Travel & Tourism over the last five years.

Global GDP impact by sector (2018 data). Share of total economy GDP:
- Mining
- Automotive
- Agriculture
- Travel & Tourism
- Retail
- Financial Services

In terms of GDP contribution, Travel & Tourism accounted for 10.1% of the total economy, while the total GDP contribution was 10.3%.

COMOROS 2019 KEY DATA

CONTRIBUTION OF TRAVEL & TOURISM TO GDP

10.1% OF TOTAL ECONOMY
Total T&T GDP = KMF52.5BN (USD119.1MN)

CONTRIBUTION OF TRAVEL & TOURISM TO EMPLOYMENT
22.7 JOBS (000's)
(10.4% of total employment)

INTERNATIONAL VISITOR IMPACT
KMF34.8BN in visitor spend (60.5% of total exports)
(USD78.8MN)

INBOUND ARRIVALS
1. FRANCE 52%
2. REUNION 12%
3. MADAGASCAR 7%
4. UNITED KINGDOM 3%
5. ITALY 2%
REST OF WORLD 24%

OUTBOUND DEPARTURES
1. FRANCE 66%
2. TANZANIA 10%
3. MADAGASCAR 5%
4. SAUDI ARABIA 5%
5. CHINA 2%
REST OF WORLD 12%

Note: Data are average shares over the 2016-2018 period.
Source: Oxford Economics, national sources and UNWTO

SECTOR CHARACTERISTICS (2019)

- LEISURE SPENDING: 78%
- BUSINESS SPENDING: 22%
- DOMESTIC SPENDING: 26%
- INTERNATIONAL SPENDING: 74%

1All values are in constant 2019 prices & exchange rates
As reported in March 2020