Comparison of International Tourist Arrivals by Country for 2015

The number of international tourists to Japan in 2015 was 19.74 million.
※ Japan ranked 16th globally and 5th in Asia.

Source: United Nations World Tourism Organization (UNWTO)
Note 1: The figures in this table are preliminary values as of July 2016.
Note 2: ★ Since the 2015 figures for Sweden, Denmark and Ireland are unknown, the figures for 2014 were used and for the United Arab Emirates, 2013 figures were used.
Note 3: Aside from South Korea, Japan, Taiwan, and Vietnam, the values used are, in principle, the number of international tourists who stayed for one night or more.
Note 4: Order may differ because the number of international tourists changes depending the timing of applying newly announced or retroactively updated values.
Note 5: International tourist arrivals are calculated and released based on different statistical standards by each country and region. Therefore, the difference in statistical standards must be taken into account for strict comparison. (Example: The number of foreign national crew members is not included in Japan's statistics but is included in the statistics of France, Spain, China, South Korea, etc.)