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Abstract

Many countries have applied a new visa-free policy to boost the number of international tourist. In 2003, the Presidential Decree of the Republic of Indonesia No. 18/2003 concerning the Exemption from Brief Visit Visa for citizens from 11 countries was enacted. Further the revised on Presidential Decree of the Republic of Indonesia No. 43/2011, the latest exemption regarding brief visa-free visit, was implemented for 15 countries.

In this study, a panel data set that covers 25 years (1990-2014) for a group from 20 of 30 main export destination countries was used. The number of inbound international visitor arrivals was employed as a dependent variable in this research. The impact of visa-free entry will be measured in this research. Other variables that determine the dependent variables are the real GDP per capita of the source countries; the trade value between Indonesia and the source country, the population levels of the source country, the total number of rooms in hotels available in Indonesia; the export value for the iron metal, steel, machinery, and automotive sector, and the palm oil processing sectors; the relative CPI of Indonesia; the number of world heritage sites in Indonesia; the distance between the capital city of the source country to Indonesia; dummy variables for the Bali bombings, Aceh tsunami, and Economic Crisis in 1998; and the geographical characteristic of Indonesia and the source country, such as whether there are neighboring regions, and whether they practice the same language as Indonesia, and whether they practice the same religion as Indonesia.

The results show that the new visa-free entry policy has a positive impact on the number of tourist arrivals. The new visa policy positive significantly can boost the number of tourist arrivals.

Keywords: Indonesia; Inbound tourist; Visa-free entry; Panel analysis

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1. Introduction

Indonesia, as one of the main of Asian destination tourists from the world, is trying to increase the number of international tourists. Some programs had been set up during 1990-2014. To attract more tourists Indonesia's government, try to find another way to attract tourists. Start in 2003 new policy regulation was issued by Ministry of Law and Human Rights of Indonesia regarding some exemption for brief visit tourists in Indonesia. Based on the Presidential Decree of the Republic of Indonesia No. 18/2003 concerning the Exemption from Brief Visit Visa for citizens from 11 countries were enacted. Further the revised on Presidential Decree of the Republic of Indonesia No. 43/2011, the latest exemption regarding brief visa-free visit, was implemented for 15 countries.

This paper examines the impact of visa-free entry policy to the number of inbound tourist. It also examines the factors that influencing inbound tourism demands in Indonesia for the period 1990-2014.

Tourism is defined as the activities of persons identified as visitors. A visitor is someone who is making a visit to a main destination outside his/her usual environment for less than a year for any main purpose including holidays, leisure, recreation, business, health, education or other purposes (UNWTO, Concepts, Definitions, and classifications for Tourism Statistics, 1995). Today, many countries consider the tourism sector to be one of important sectors for foreign exchange earnings. An ever-increasing number of destinations worldwide have opened up to, and invested in tourism, turning it into a key driver of socio-economic progress through the creation of jobs and enterprises. Further, despite occasional shocks, tourism has shown virtually uninterrupted growth (UNWTO, Tourism Highlights, 2015).

Inbound tourism is defined as the activities of non-resident visitors in a given area outside their usual environment for not more than one consecutive year for leisure, business and other purposes. Further, inbound tourism is defined as the activities of temporary visitors staying in a place outside their usual place of residence for a continuous period of at least 24 hours but less than one year, for leisure, business or other purposes that are not related to the exercise of an activity remunerated from within the place visited (UNWTO, 1995). Inbound tourism has the following economic advantages:

- a. It is a source of hard currency for the country.
- b. It creates jobs for people.
- c. It represents a tool for development and progress for the nation.
- d. It is an encouraging and promising field for the investors.
- e. It is a source for taxes to the country.

It also has social advantages:

- a. It makes commodities available to the people though the enjoyment of a good standard of living, and in particular it helps to develop rural areas where tourist attractions are located.
- b. It acquaints people with modern technology and facilities life

- c. It removes obstacles between nations and thus bridges the gap between them.

The travelers have many purposes in their trips that divide into 2 main groups (UNWTO, 2015):

- a. Personal purposes, which includes holidays, leisure and recreation; visits with friends and relatives; education and training; health and medical care; religion and pilgrimages; shopping; transit; and other.
- b. Business and professional purposes, which includes tourism (also referred to as Travel and Tourism or T&T by the UNWTO), both domestic and international, that is seen as a major driving force of economic recovery and growth.

Microeconomic theory states that tourism demand is the amount of any product or service that people are willing and able to buy at each specific price within a set of possible prices during a specified period of time. Faruk Balli et al. (2013) noted that tourism is widely considered a form of international trade flow between the source and destination countries by assuming an increase in the size of the population, GDP per capita and market capitalization at the economic level. Tourism demand is measured based on the natural logarithm of tourist inflows from the source country to destination country.

From a reviews of 100 published studies to classify explanatory variables, Lim (1997) concluded that tourism demand is affected income level, relative prices, transportation costs, exchange rates between the currencies of the source and destination countries, dynamics, trends, and qualitative factors (i.e., tourist attributes such as gender, age, education level, attractiveness, political, social status in the destination country).

According to Song, Wong and Chon (2003), based on the standard economic theory, the most importance factors that affect for tourist demand are consumer price, income level of the origin country, and price substitution. Applying an autoregressive distributed lag model (ADLM) to capture the dynamics of economics activities and to introduce tourism forecasting in Hong Kong, the most influential determinant of the demand for Hong Kong tourism is the effect of the behavioral persistence of tourists (World of mouth), followed by the cost of tourism, and income elasticity, whereas the price of tourism has a lesser effect on the tourism demand.

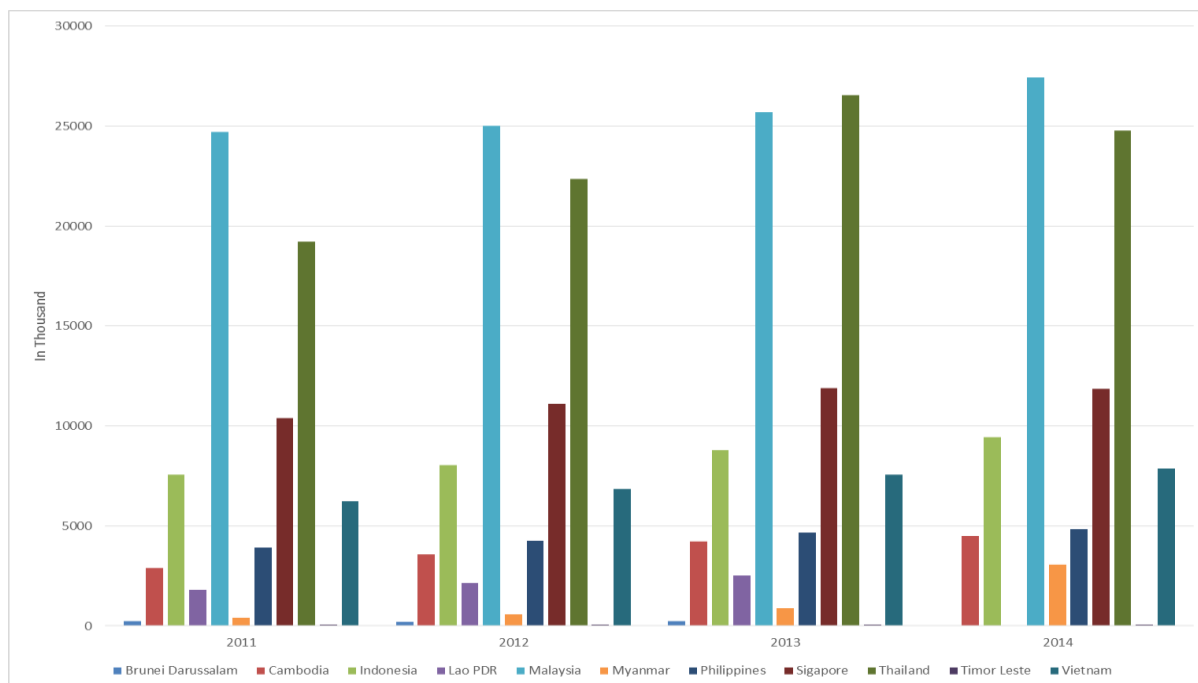
International tourist arrivals have increased from 25 million globally in 1950 and to 1133 million in 2014 (UNWTO, Tourism Highlights, 2015). Likewise, international tourism receipts earned by destinations worldwide have surged from US\$ 2 billion in 1950 to US\$ 1245 billion in 2014. For the UNWTO region, prospects for 2015 are strongest for Asia and the Pacific and the Americas followed by Europe, the Middle East and Africa³.

³ UNWTO, Highlight, 2015:

- a. UNWTO stated that over half of visit for tourists in the world is leisure. As reported by UNWTO that Travel for holidays, recreation and other forms of leisure accounted for just over half of all international tourist arrivals (53% or 598 million) in 2014. Some 14% of international tourists reported travelling for business and professional purposes, and another 27% travelled for other reasons such as visiting friends and relatives (VFR), religious reasons and pilgrimages, health treatment, etc. The purpose of visit for the remaining 6% of arrivals was not specified. For the international tourist arrivals, market share, change, and average growth rate can see in

Based on UNWTO (Tourism Highlights, 2015) compare with other countries, the competitiveness and index ranking of Indonesia is still 50th among 141 countries with an index of 4.04 (World Economic Forum, 2015), it is 4th place among ASEAN countries.

Figure 1. International Tourist Arrivals in ASEAN



Source: UNWTO, Highlights, 2015

The Indonesia tourism sector makes a large contribution to the foreign exchange earnings, with 11,166.13 Million USD, even if it was lower than the crude oil, coal, crude palm oil sectors in 2014⁴.

The paper is organized as follows: Section 2 provides visa-free entry regulation in Indonesia. Section 3 reviews a Recent Research and Conceptual for tourism. It provides some previous literature reviews regarding variables that affect the number of tourist arrivals. Section 4 Methodology, the data that conducted for this research and what method is used. Section 5 Empirical Result. Some estimation approach are used to analyze the data such as FEM, DID and Dynamic panel data. Conclusion and Policy Implication are briefly summarized in Section 6.

b. The classification based on the International Monetary Fund (IMF); see the Statistical Annex of IMF World Economic Outlook of April 2015, page 150

⁴ See appendix 1 Rank of Indonesia Tourism Sector

2. Visa-Free Entry

Indonesia's government tried to waive the number of International tourists arriving in Indonesia by making a new policy in 2003 regarding visa-free entry into Indonesia. Through visa-free entry, foreign visitors can get a 30-day free visa that is non-extendable or converted to be a different type of visa to pursue government, educational, social and cultural, tourism, business, family, journalistic or transit purposes, and they may enter Indonesia through any immigration border or checkpoint. This definition is based on the following:

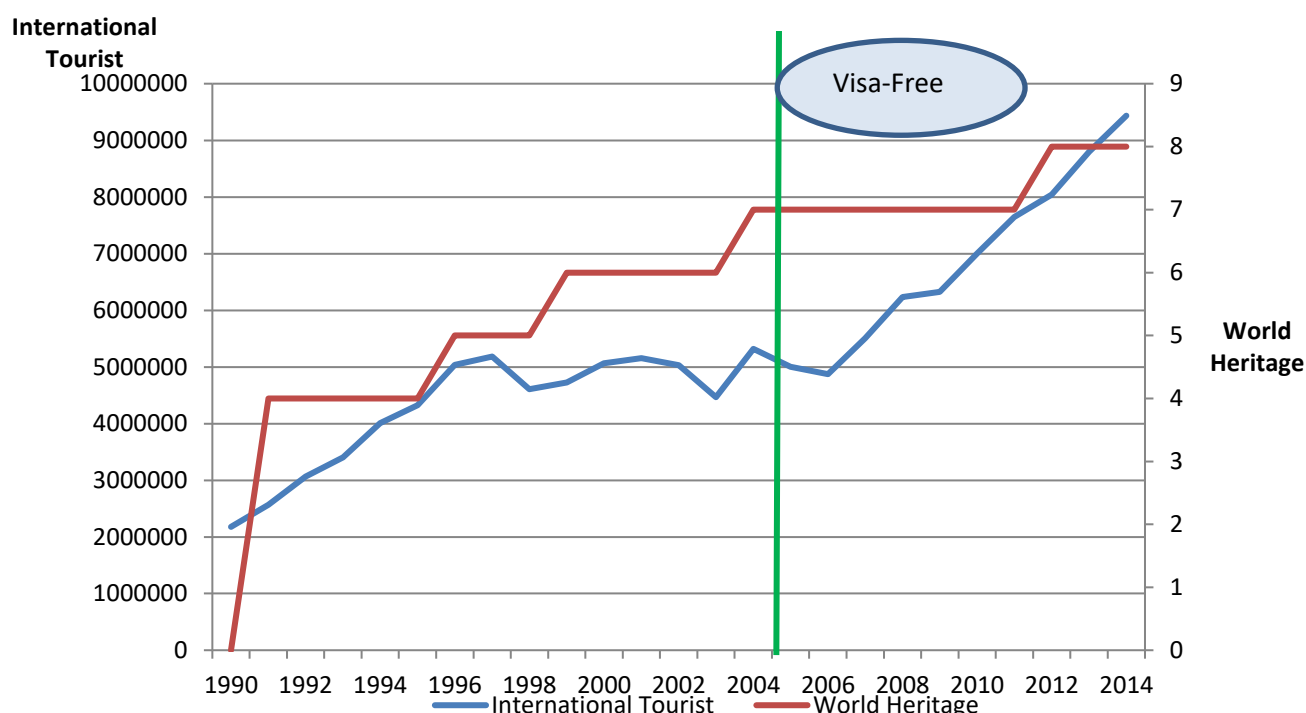
- a. The Presidential Decree of the Republic of Indonesia No. 18/2003 concerning the Exemption from Brief Visit Visa for citizens from 11 countries.
- b. The Presidential Regulation of the Republic of Indonesia No.16/2008 concerning the Exemption from Brief Visit Visa for citizens from 12 countries.
- c. The Presidential Regulation of the Republic of Indonesia No.43/2011 concerning the Exemption from Brief Visit Visa for citizens from 15 countries.

Table1. Countries with Visa-free Entry

Presidential Regulation			
No	No. 18/2003	No.16/2008	No. 43/2011
1	Thailand	Thailand	Thailand
2	Malaysia	Malaysia	Malaysia
3	Singapore	Singapore	Singapore
4	Brunei Darussalam	Brunei Darussalam	Brunei Darussalam
5	Philippines	Philippines	Philippines
6	Hong Kong	Hong Kong	Hong Kong
7	Macau	Macau	Macau
8	Chile	Chile	Chile
9	Morocco	Morocco	Peru
10	Turkey	Peru	Morocco
11	Peru	Vietnam	Vietnam
12		Ecuador	Ecuador
13			Cambodia
14			Lao
15			Myanmar

By issuing the visa-free entry policy, the government assumed that many tourists will be able to easily do business and vacation as regular citizen. Based on the Presidential Decree no 43/2011 only those 15 countries have special exemption to do business in Indonesia without any visa requirements⁵. Figure 2 shows the change in the number of tourist arrivals after visa policy was issued. The increasing number of tourist is in line with the increasing number heritage sites in Indonesia. We need consider the increase of heritage sites will be in line or not with expanding the number of countries with visa-free entry.

Figure 2. Comparison of the Number of Tourist Arrivals with World Heritage



Source: BPS, UNESCO (2015)

Trade is one of important determinant of tourism and tourism demand, and there is two-way causality running between trade and tourism (Wilson (2001), N. K. Wilson (2000), and Wai Hong Kan Tsui (2016)). In the tourism demand analysis, trade openness represents bilateral trade between the source country and the destination country. Kim (2007) stated that a better relationship between Laos and the source country is associated with a positive and significant value of trade for tourism. Trade openness can foster a greater understanding between countries and attract more tourists from trading countries. Although the main reason for visitors come to Indonesia for holiday, regarding the second reason leads for business, it needs include the trade

⁵ Revising presidential Decree in 2015:

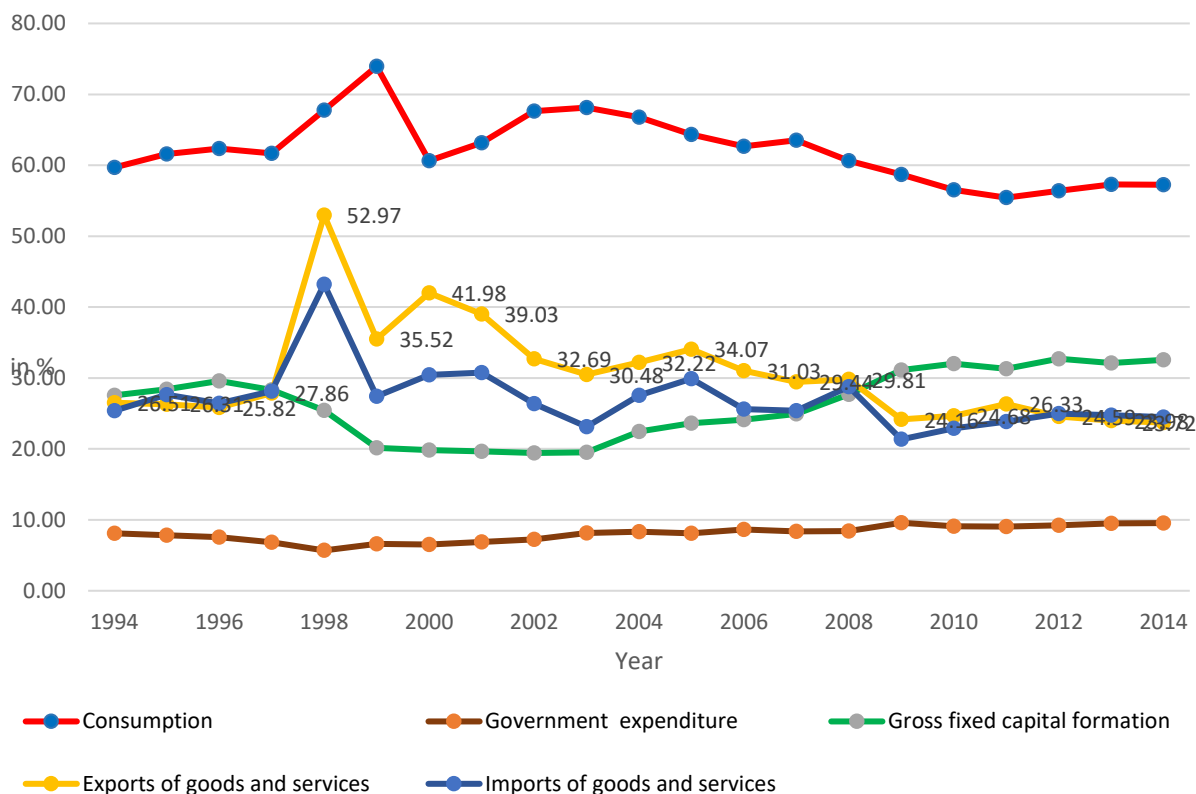
- a. Presidential Regulation of the Republic of Indonesia No. 69/2015 concerning on The Exemption from Brief Visit Visa for 30 countries
- b. Presidential Regulation of the Republic of Indonesia No. 104/2015 concerning on The Exemption from Brief Visit Visa for 75 countries

However, the new presidential decree only for leisure and holiday is not for visa-free entry for doing business. Although the new revised policy issued, the exemption for doing business for 15 countries as Presidential Decree No. 43/2011 still prevail.

openness as one of main variable that affect the number of tourists. Based on the profile of international tourists, tourists who visit Indonesia 29.78% visit for business rather than leisure/holiday⁶.

As shown in figure 3, export as part of trade openness, has considerable contribution to the GDP of Indonesia. The fluctuation of this contribution from 1994 until 2014 is affected by many economic and social conditions in Indonesia, such as the economic crisis 1998, Bali bombings in 2002 and 2005, Aceh tsunami in 2004; however, the share of the export sector remained 24% of the Indonesian GDP.

Figure 3. Share of Indonesian GDP (Expenditure Approach)



Source: BPS (2015)

The Ministry of Industry has grouped Indonesia’s manufacturing into 31 sectors. The manufacturing sector makes the largest contribution to the sector of exportation⁷. The two largest manufacturing export sectors are the palm oil processing sector, and iron metal, steel, machinery, automotive sector. Both sectors contributed more than 30% to the total manufacturing sectors in 2015 (Ministry of Industry, 2016). All 31 manufacturing commodities are exported to many countries around the world. The 30 main destination countries of Indonesia’s manufacturing commodities are the USA, China, Japan, Singapore, India, Malaysia, Thailand, South Korea, the Netherlands, Australia, the Philippines, Germany, Vietnam, Taiwan, Saudi Arabia, the United Emirates, Pakistan, Italy, Hong Kong, the United

⁶ There are 5 reasons why tourists come to Indonesia: Holiday/Leisure, Business, Official Mission, Invention, and other. See appendix 2 Profile of International Tourist in Indonesia.

⁷ Ministry of Industry of Indonesia listing 31 manufacturing products. The trend of Manufacturing Sectors of Export put the the palm oil processing sector, and iron metal, steel, machinery, automotive sector as two largest commodities export from Indonesia. <http://www.kemenperin.go.id/statistik/kelompok.php?ekspor=1>

of Kingdom, Spain, Bangladesh, Brazil, Egypt, Turkey, Switzerland, Belgium, France, Russia, and Mexico⁸.

Political, social and sporting events in a destination (e.g.. the threat of terrorism, political unrest, economy crisis) with respect to policy should be investigated as significant determinants of tourism (Lim, 1997). Based on Bruce Prideaux (2003), there are some events that disrupt the tourism industry; (1) trends, indicating a range of possible future trends that can be identified in the present and that, unless remedial action is taken, will cause some magnitude of disruption in the future; (2) crisis, including the financial crisis that happened in 1998, and terrorism, such as the Bali bombing; and (3) disasters, describing unpredictable catastrophic change that can normally only be responded to after the event, such as the Aceh tsunami.

According to Chin-Hai Yang (2010), world heritage sites are significant enough to explain the number of international tourist, and they have a better tourist-enhancing effect. In the case of China, cultural rather than natural sites attract more interest for international tourists. According Li, Wu, & Cai (2008), “although the World Heritage List resulted from an international agreement aimed at identifying, recognizing, and protecting those sites with global value, the World Heritage sites have become increasingly used as a tool for national tourism marketing campaigns”. Dritsakis (2004) stated that tourist destinations have a prior concentration of tourism-related “raw materials”. These raw materials refer to a combination of natural, cultural, and man-made elements that are closely related to the demand for tourism. Among those factors, scenic spots included on the list of World Heritage Sites attract more global tourists. Since 1991, 8 sites in Indonesia have been recognized as Cultural and Natural World Heritage Sites. Those sites are Borobudur Temple Compounds, Prambanan Temple Compounds, Komodo National Park and Ujung Kulon National Park (listed in 1991), Sangiran Early Man Site (1996), Lorentz National Park (1999), Tropical Rainforest Heritage of Sumatra (2004) and the Subak System in Bali (2012) (UNESCO, 2015).

3. Recent Research and Conceptual

Zhang and Jensen (2006) focused primarily in the income changes in the source countries, transportation cost, exchange rates. One of the benefits from this model is that it can capture for a short-run forecasting for the demand in the destination country. Other explanatory variables that affect tourism demand are the population, GDP, hotel capacity, FDI in hotels and restaurants, stock of FDI, trade openness, and PPP.

Followed on Faruk Balli et.al (2013), tourism demand is determined by the total number of rooms in the destination country, distance between original and destination country, GDP, population of the source country, export, trade openness, visa, geographic characteristics (border, colony, common language, religion), and certain natural condition explanatory variables that determine tourism demand.

Lim (1997) stated that income is the most crucial factor based on 100 published articles among tourism factors. Discretionary income is a subjective variable and that cannot be precisely measured. Song, Wong and Chon (2003) use the GDP in their study because data

⁸ Ministry of Industry of Indonesia listing the top 30 Export Destination Countries for Manufacturing Products. <http://www.kemenperin.go.id/statistik/negara.php?ekspor=1>

tourist arrivals contain a relatively large proportion of business travelers (18-20%). Therefore, the proxy of GDP per capita was used to represent the income level of the source country. In this study, GDP per capita is utilized as a proxy for income.

Phakdisoth and Kim (2007) stated that bilateral trade can reflect the source-destination economic relationship between Laos and origin countries, which has a positive impact on the number of international tourists. Trade openness can be measured by sum of trade in both countries. Kulendran and Wilson (2000) found the evidence for “Interest and Awareness”, where the international trade leads to international travel.

Assuming that a larger population from the origin country leads to larger into the destination country, population can be considered a qualitative factor that influences decisions regarding international tourism (Lim, 1997). Zhang and Jensen (2006) stated that the size of destination countries can be controlled by using their population. Faruk Balli et al. (2013), Deluna and Jeon (2014) proved that population has a significantly effect on the number of tourists.

Following the literature and using room availability in the destination country, the more rooms there are, the higher the capacity, and the more competitive the tourism sector (cheaper prices as a result of competition) (Seetanah, et al., 2011). Indeed infrastructure positively contributes to tourist arrivals, particularly from Europe/America and Asia.

The most frequently used explanatory variable for the cost of goods and services that tourists are likely to pay in the destination country is measured by Consumer Price Index (CPI) (Lim, 1997). The CPI ratio is often adjusted for differences in the exchange rates of currencies between the origin and destination countries. Faruk Balli et al. (2013) adjusted the CPI of Turkey by the exchange rate of the USD, and found that the changes in the real exchange rate over time as well as the cross-sectional variation in travel costs affect the fluctuation of the number of tourists flowing to Turkey.

Visa-free entry has been an important policy to attract a number of international tourists. However, research on this issues is still limited. Lawrence, Chong-Ki and Hak-Jun (2010) showed that visa-free entry from Korean to Japan was statistically significant with respect to the increase in the number of Korean tourist to Japan and receipts from the tourism sector. Faruk Balli et al. (2013) stated that the Turkish government has eliminated visa requirements for ordinary foreign visitors from many countries from Central and Northern Africa, Central and East Asia, the Middle East and Latin America. The results showed that the visa-waiving agreements have boosted tourist inflows to Turkey for regular citizens.

Soap operas as export commodities from Turkey already boost the number of tourists flowing to Turkey (Faruk Balli et al., 2013). Each destination countries always offers a partially naturally determined and partially augmented or created tourism product, and the destination can be consumed in either “raw” or increasingly sophisticated forms through investments in created asset such as technology and infrastructure. This industry requires sophisticated technological inputs and adequate social planning to successful attract tourism (Zhang and Jensen, 2006). Bilateral variables that are widely used to model bilateral trade, investment and immigration volumes, such as sharing the same border, sharing the same language, and practicing the same religion. It shows that geographic characteristics are highly significant in facilitating an easier trip to Turkey (Faruk Balli et al, 2013).

Lim (1997) stated that destination attractiveness (climate, culture, history, and natural environment) influence the demand for international tourism. As one of attractiveness in culture and natural environment is world heritage. The World Heritage List from UNESCO has been used by many countries to promote tourism in their countries and to attract more tourists. Chin-hai Yang (2010), and Mimi, Bihu and Liping (2008) found that WHL used as tools for tourism campaigns, even though the accreditation of the WHL was meant to identify, recognize, and protect those sites with global value. This results shows that the WHL can positively boost attractiveness of tourism. In contrast, the results from Huang, Tsaur and Yang (2012) showed that there is no significant effect of WHL on promoting tourism other than possibly a short-run tourism enhancing impact. Furthermore, the promotion and design of WHL are more important for attracting more tourists (Wang, Yang, Wall, Xu, & Han, 2015).

The 26th December 2004 tsunami after the Indian Ocean earthquake was an undersea mega thrust earthquake that occurred at 00:58:53 UTC with an epicentre off the west coast of Sumatra, Indonesia. Because of this tsunami, almost over 250,000 people were killed. Kelman, Spence, Palmer, Petal, and Saito (2008) found that the nature of tourism after a disaster is important, when tourists travel to see disaster memorials or disaster sites. The returning international tourists aim to remember their experiences or the deceased.

The threat of terrorism as a qualitative factor can affect the flow of tourists coming to a destination country (Lim, 1997). In 2002, a terrorist group exploded a large car bomb in a popular night club district in Kuta Beach Bali killing an estimated 190 people. The impact on the Indonesian economy will be determined by the success of the government in arresting perpetrators, eliminating terrorist cells and convincing the governments of Indonesia's major generating countries that security conditions have improved to the extent that adverse travel advisory warnings can be lifted (Bruce Prideaux, 2003).

Crises can be described as the possible but unexpected result of management failures that are concerned with the future course of events set in motion by human action or inaction appreciating the event (Bruce Prideaux, 2003). The Asian financial crisis led to a rapid fall in the Indonesian rupiah, which affected the number of tourism arrivals.

Transportation costs, which determine the number of tourist flows, are important for the transportation of tourist to destination countries. In Lim (1997), the transportation cost variable included the real economy airfare, real air travel cost, real average airfare, excursion airfare, cheapest airfare, distance, and real revenue per passenger-kilometer/mile of scheduled airfare. To measure the transportation cost variable (Song and Witt (2000) in Phakdisoth & Kim, 2007), we use distance as a proxy to capture geographical relationship between origin and destination countries (CEPII, 2016).

4. Methodology

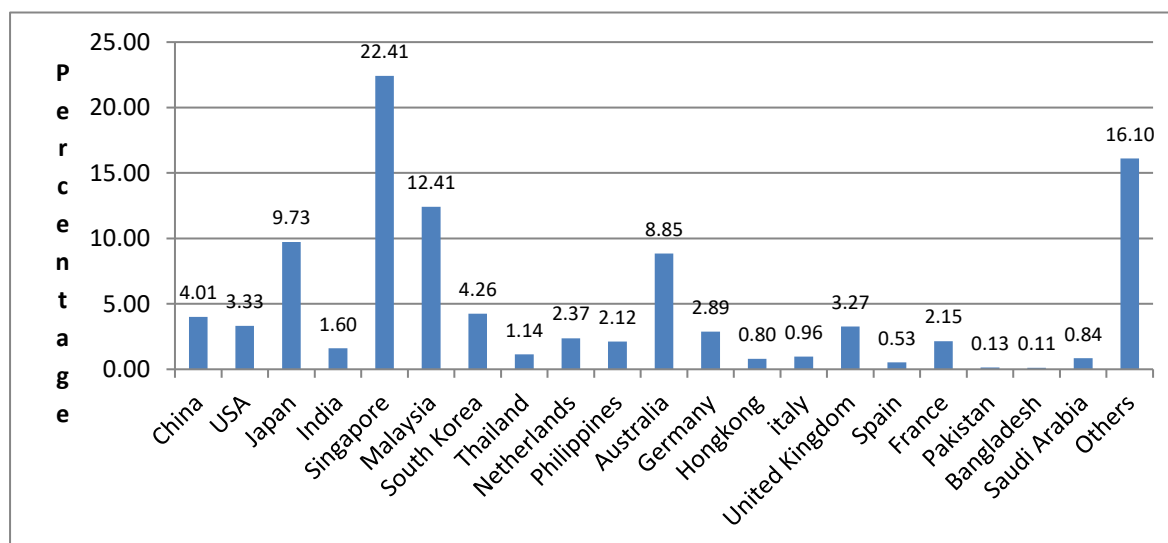
4.1 Data

A panel data set was employed for 20 origin countries for the period 1990-2014. Based on the characteristic tourist that flows to Indonesia, it shows that business travel is the second reason for tourists to come to Indonesia. Given the finding of Wilson et al. (2001) regarding two-way Granger causality between international travel and international trade flows in the

case in China, this study uses 20 of the 30 of main destination countries of Indonesia's manufacturing commodities as the objects of study.

Until the last Presidential Decree No.43/2011 the country that has visa-free entry (treatment group) from 20 countries are Singapore, Malaysia, Thailand, Philippines, and Hong Kong. The countries do not have visa-free entry as control group are China, USA, Japan, India, South Korea, Netherlands, Australia, Germany, Italy, United Kingdom, Spain, France, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Saudi Arabia.

Figure 4. Share of International Tourist Arrivals by Country of Origin 1990-2014



Source: BPS, 2015

Singapore offered the greatest contribution to the number inbound tourists to Indonesia during the period 1990-2014, with 22.41% of total arrivals, followed by Malaysia (12.41%), Japan (9.73%), Australia (8.85%), South Korea (4.26%), China (4.01%), the United States (3.30%), the United Kingdom (3.27%), Germany (2.89%), the Netherlands (2.37%), France (2.15%), Philippines (2.12%), India (1.60%), Thailand (1.14%), Italy (0.96%), Saudi Arabia (0.84%), Hong Kong (0.80%), Spain (0.53%), Pakistan (0.13%), Bangladesh (0.11%), and the rest of the world (16.10%). The number of inbound tourists from the observation countries represent 83.90% of total international visitors from 1990-2014.

The volume of inbound tourists from origin countries that flows to Indonesia as the dependent variable will be employed in the tourism demand model. International tourists that flow to Indonesia cover all foreign visitors directly arriving in Indonesia through airports, ports or land. Indonesia has 93 ports of entry, covering the whole area, which includes 65 ports, 24 airports and the rest through land. The four main airports are Soekarno-Hatta (Jakarta), Ngurah Rai (Bali), Polonia (Medan) and Sekupang (Batam) (BPS, 2016).

Faruk Balli et al. (2013) employed factor inducing tourist demand such as accommodations, borders, colonization, common language, CPI, distance, GDP, population, religion, export of soap opera, trade, and visa policy. In supply-side factors of International tourism demand (Zhang & Jensen, 2006) explained that the support from natural endowments, technology, and infrastructure. Their study also employed annual income earned from tourists,

population, GDP per capita, hotel accommodations, FDI in hotel and restaurant sectors, stock of FDI, trade openness, and PPP to represent price competitiveness.

Adapted to the geographical conditions of Indonesia, some independent variables must be adjusted to determine the determinants of inbound tourism flows to Indonesia. Such variables may include trade openness between Indonesia and the origin country (UNcomtrade, 2015), population of the origin country (Worldbank, 2015), accommodations (i.e., the number of hotels available in Indonesia; BPS, 70 Tahun Indonesia Merdeka, 2015), CPI of Indonesia (Worldbank, 2015), visa policy for entering Indonesia, palm oil sector exports (UNcomtrade, 2015), automotive sector (UNcomtrade, 2015), number world heritage sites, economy crisis in 1998, Aceh tsunami in 2004 (BNPB, 2015), distance between Indonesia and the origin country (CEPII, 2016), Bali bombing in 2001 (BNPB, 2015), and geographic factors (e.g., whether the same language, and religion are shared and whether there are neighboring borders)⁹.

4.2 Method

The proposed demand models for Inbound tourism demand for Indonesia is modified from the model of Faruk Balli et al (2013) as below:

$$\text{LogTourist}_{ij,t} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \text{Visa}_{ij,t} + \beta \mathbf{X} + \sum_{l=1} \alpha_l + \sum_{m=1} \gamma_m + \varepsilon_{ij,t} \quad (1)$$

$$\text{LotTourist}_{ij,t} = \delta_0 + \delta_1 \text{Year} + \delta_2 \text{VisaTreatment} + \delta_3 \text{Year} \times \text{VisaTreatment} + \phi \mathbf{X} + \sum_{l=1} \alpha_l + \sum_{m=1} \gamma_m + u_{ij,t} \quad (2)$$

,where $\text{Visa}_{ij,t}$ is treatment variable of visa-free policy, \mathbf{X} is control variable vector which includes GDP in counterpart countries, population in counterpart countries, accommodation in Indonesia, CPI in Indonesia, exports of palm oil, automotive related products and trade openness of bilateral trade between Indonesia and counterpart countries. α is dummy variables for some events in Indonesia such as registration of Indonesia's World Heritage sites to UNESCO, bombing in Bali in 2002 and 2005 and Tsunami in Aceh in 2004 and Economy Crisis, γ is the similarity of geographic characteristics between Indonesia and origin countries such as distance, language and religion¹⁰. Year is dummy variable which visa-free entry policy issued in 2003 and then this is one after 2003 and zero before 2003. Visa Treatment is dummy variable for holding visa-free entry between Indonesia and counterpart countries.

Model (1) is fixed effects model (FEM) and model (2) is difference-in-difference model (DID).

Table 2. Descriptive Statistics

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- a. Faruk Balli et al. (2013) stated that GDP, Trade, Accommodation, CPI, Visa-free entry, Soap opera export, geographical characteristic influence the number of tourist arrivals in Turkey.
- b. Jie Zhang et al. (2006) stated that GDP, Trae, Population, Accommodation, FDI are significantly affected the number of tourist arrivals.

¹⁰ These geographic dummy variables are omitted in actual estimation below.

Variable	Observation	Mean	Std. Dev.	Min	Max
Number of Inbound Tourist in Indonesia	488	228.426,10	318.145,10	964,00	1.619.572,00
GDP Per Capita of the Source Country	500	19.828,61	15.066,69	323,72	46.405,25
Population Level of the Source Country	500	181.873,70	341.185,90	3.047,10	1.364.270,00
Accommodations in Indonesia	500	272.792,50	86.093,61	131.881,00	469.277,00
Trade	499	1.155,91	1.835,37	0,21	10.759,60
CPI of Indonesia	500	58,23	36,13	12,65	124,39
Palm Oil Sector	499	243,26	426,33	0,21	2.699,60
Automotive Sector	498	293,49	710,84	0,00	5.594,11
Visa	500	0,10	0,31	0	1
Heritage Sites in Indonesia	500	5,80	1,77	0	8
DBali Bombing	500	0,08	0,27	0	1
DAceh Tsunami	500	0,04	0,20	0	1
DEconomic Crisis	500	0,04	0,20	0	1
DReligion	500	0,20	0,40	0	1
DLanguage	500	0,10	0,30	0	1
Distance	500	6.906,46	4.228,38	886,14	16.371,12
DRegions	500	0,30	0,46	0	1

Notes: dependent variable, $Tourist_{ij,t}$ is the number of tourist flows from origin countries (i) to Indonesia (j). $GDP_{i,t}$ is Real GDP per capita of the origin country (i) (constant 2005) in thousands of USD. $Trade_{ij,t}$ is Trade value (exports + imports) between Indonesia and 20 export destination countries in billions of USD. $Population_{i,t}$ is Population level of the source country (in thousand). $Accommodation_{j,t}$ is total number of the rooms in hotels available in Indonesia. $Automotive_{ij,t}$ is Exports of the Iron Metal and Steel, Machinery, and Automotive sector from Indonesia to 20 Countries in millions of USD, the total number of product from the iron metal, steel, machinery and automotive sector is 2599 products, in 6 digits of HS. $CPI_{i,t}$ is relative CPI of Indonesia adjusted to USD. $Visa_{ij,t}$ is Binary variable that takes the value of 1 if ordinary passport holders from 20 countries are able to enter to Indonesia without any visa requirements and 0 otherwise. $PalmOil_{ij,t}$ is Exports of the Palm Oil Processing sector from Indonesia to 20 Countries in millions of USD, the total number of products from the palm processing sector is 58 products, in 6 digits of HS. $WorldHeritage_{j,t}$ is Indonesia's World Heritage sites from UNESCO. $Distance_{ij}$ is Physical distance between the capital city of source country (i) to Indonesia (j) (in kilometers). Bali Bombing is Dummy variable for the Bali bombing, Aceh Tsunami is Dummy Variable for the Aceh tsunami, and Economic Crisis are Dummy Variable for the Economic Crisis that happen in Indonesia. Region is Dummy Variable for the Neighboring Region Countries of Indonesia. Language is Dummy Variable for almost 70% of the population practicing the same language as Indonesia. Religion is Dummy Variable for almost 70% of the population practicing the same religion as Indonesia.

5. Empirical Result

Following the earlier literature, the number of inbound tourist in Indonesia as the dependent variable, $Tourist_{ij,t}$ is the natural logarithm of the number tourist flows from origin countries (i) to Indonesia (j). Treatment variable, $Visa_{ij,t}$ is binary variable that takes the value of 1 if ordinary passport holders from 20 countries are able to enter to Indonesia without any visa requirements and 0 otherwise. Vector X include $GDP_{i,t}$ are Real GDP per capita,

Accommodation_{j,t}, total number of the rooms in hotels available in Indonesia., Population_{i,t}, population level of the source country (in thousand) in logarithmic terms, respectively. Trade_{ij,t}, is Trade value between Indonesia and 20 export destination countries in billions of USD. Automotive_{ij,t}, is Exports of the Iron Metal and Steel, Machinery, and Automotive sector from Indonesia to 20 Countries in millions of USD. CPI_{j,t} is relative CPI of Indonesia adjusted to USD. PalmOil_{ij,t} is Exports of the Palm Oil Processing sector from Indonesia to 20 Countries in millions of USD. World Heritage_{j,t} is Indonesia's World Heritage sites from UNESCO. Bali Bombing is Dummy variable for the Bali bombing that happen in 2002 and 2005. Aceh Tsunami is Dummy Variable for the Aceh tsunami in 2004. Economic Crisis is Dummy Variable for the Economic Crisis in 1998. Distance_{ij} is Physical distance between the capital city of source country (i) to Indonesia (j) (in kilometers). Region is Dummy Variable for the Neighboring Region Countries of Indonesia. Language is Dummy Variable for almost 70% of the population practicing the same language as Indonesia. Religion is Dummy Variable for almost 70% of the population practicing the same religion as Indonesia.

Panel data from 20 countries for the period 1990-2014 were analyzed to find the factor that influence the number of inbound tourist arrivals in Indonesia. An appropriate model was needed for unbiased estimation. For the Breusch and Pagan Lagrangian Multiplier Test, the null hypothesis (H₀) of this test is OLS, while H₁ is a Random Effect Model (REM). If the p-value of the Chi-Square statistic is significant (< 5%), the null hypothesis can be rejected. Such a result shows that the Random Effect Model is a better model than the OLS. This study uses the REM. However, if the Hausman test suggests that FEM is more appropriate than REM, FEM will be used in this research.

Table 3. Hausman and Pagan Test

Breusch and Pagan Lagrangian Multiplier Test	Hausman Test
Var(u) = 0 chibar2(01) = 2399.69 Prob > chibar2 = 0.0000	chi2(9) = (b-B)'[(V b-V_B)^(-1)](b-B) 21.18 Prob>chi2 = 0.0119

The results of the Breusch and Pagan Lagrangian Multiplier Test in Table 5 shows that the Chi-square statistic is significant (p-value 0.000 < 5%); therefore, the null hypothesis H₀ can be rejected, and H₁ is accepted; the REM model is better than the OLS model. The further test is the Hausman Test, and the p-value is <0.05; therefore, instead of REM, it is more appropriate to choose FEM. Thus, FEM is employed.

The best model has been selected, and the estimation for Equation 1 can be accomplished with the Fixed-effect method. The results for simultaneous data for FEM is presented in Table 6 below. To show the difference for country characteristics effect that vary over time will influence the number of tourist arrivals, with the differences across countries that have same influence on tourist arrivals. The data for geographical characteristics reflect time-invariant variables. Even though those variables are omitted, in the FEM, all the stable characteristics of the individual observations have already been controlled for.

In 2014, visa-free entry policy only covers for 15 countries. From 20 countries observation only 5 countries have visa-free entry. The impact of visa-free entry for each

country will affect differently. Thus, to see the difference impact of each country because they have their own characteristics, fixed-effect model is appropriate to estimate the model.

Table 4. Estimation Results for Aggregate Data

	(1) FEM	(2) DID
Visa	0.1044* (0.0586)	
Year		-0.0981* (0.0527)
VisaTreatment_Year		0.1721** (0.0623)
LogGDPi	2.2271*** (0.4086)	2.2182*** (0.4022)
LogPopulationi	0.1454 (0.8055)	0.054 (0.8217)
LogAccomodationj	1.1343*** (0.3451)	0.8780** (0.3719)
CPI	-0.0045*** (0.0012)	-0.0028* (0.0016)
Bombbali	0.0031 (0.0307)	-0.0312 (0.0372)
Tsunami	0.0647 (0.052)	0.2946*** (0.1228)
Economic Crisis	0.0127 (0.0309)	0.0106 (0.0311)
PalmOil	-0.0008 (0.00008)	-0.00009 (0.00008)
Automotive	0.00006** (0.00002)	0.00006*** (0.00002)
Trade	0.00004*** (0.00001)	0.00004*** (0.00001)
Herritage	-0.0225** (0.1027)	-0.1426 (0.0091)
_cons	-10.4081** (3.7484)	-8.655** (3.8383)
N	486	486

Note: ***, **, and * denote that the coefficients are significant at 1%, 5%, and 10% statistical level, respectively. Robust standard errors are reported in parentheses. See Table 1 for the variable definitions. Dependent variable: the logarithm of the number of tourist flows from origin countries to Indonesia. Year in DID estimation is dummy variable for before 2003 and after 2003 which visa-free entry policy issued. Visa Treatment as variable for treatment group country and control group country for country that hold visa-free entry. Visa treatment as time-invariant variable will be omitted. Regarding additional information to see the difference for including time-fixed dummy variable for whole period from 1990-2014, see in the appendix ¹¹ ¹². N means observation numbers.

The results for the simultaneous estimation data based on Fixed-effect model can be described as follows; the new visa-free entry policy issued in 2003 that was gradually revised until 2014 has had significant impact in increasing international tourism. Faruk Balli et al (2013) stated that visa-free entry policy has boost the number of tourist arrivals to Turkey. The visa-free entry policy has increased the number of international tourist by about 10.44%. Other control variables that control the number of tourist arrivals such as GDP per capita affects international tourist arrivals by 2.2271, meaning that if the GDP per capita the in origin country increases by 1%, the visitor arrivals increase by 2.3%. This value is line with expected sign: if the GDP per capita increases in the origin country, tourist will have more money to spend. The high coefficient of GDP per capita implies that the inbound visitors to Indonesia are income elastic. As a result, it can be considered that tourism demands in Indonesia are dependent on the economic situation of the origin country. There is not enough evidence to say that the population of the origin country will significantly affect the number of inbound tourist arrivals

¹¹ See appendix 3 Fixed Effect Model Estimation including time-fixed effect, and excluding year dummy of Bali bombings, Aceh tsunami, and economic crisis

¹² See appendix 4 Random-effect Model Estimation including time-fixed effect, and excluding year dummy of Bali bombings, Aceh tsunami, and economic crisis

in Indonesia. Regarding the amount of infrastructure adjusted for the number of room of Hotel in Indonesia, the increasing every 1% number of room will increase tourist 1.1343%. The change in Indonesia prices significantly affects the number of tourist arrivals in Indonesia. An increase of 1 unit of prices will decrease the number of tourist arrivals by 0.45%. In line with law of demand, whenever the price rises, it will make demands fall. There is not enough evidence to say that Bali bombings in 2002 and 2005 have significantly affected the inbound tourism demand. Although the Aceh tsunami happened in the end of the year in 2004, the impact of tourist arrival measured in 2005. However, from the estimation we do not have enough evidence to say that the Aceh tsunami in 2004 will significantly affect the number of tourist arrivals. Economic crises that happened in 1998, it does not give enough evidence to say that this crises will significantly affect the number of tourist arrivals. The export of palm oil sector to the origin countries does not significant effect on the tourist demand in Indonesia. The increasing number of palm oil sector to the origin countries, does not give enough evidence for affecting tourist arrivals. Export the automotive commodities from Indonesia to origin countries significantly affecting the number of tourist arrivals. The increasing each 1 unit of the automotive commodities sector will increase the number of tourist 0.006%. Trade openness between Indonesia and origin countries significantly increases the number of tourist arrivals. Every increase 1 unit of trade openness for Indonesia and origin countries will increase tourist arrivals by 0.004%. This result regarding a positive relation between trade openness and international tourist demand is in line with those of Kulendran & Wilson (2000), and Shan & Wilson (2001). The visa-free entry for other reason except leisure, for business in 15 countries encourages the number of tourist arrivals. As expected, the increase in the number of heritage sites in Indonesia will attract more people to enjoy the beauty of the natural/cultural sites, in line with Chin-hai Yang et al. (2010). However, the increase in the number of heritage sites in Indonesia significantly decreasing on tourist demand. Wang, Yang, Wall, Xu, & Han (2015) argue that the promotion of heritage sites leads to more awareness of the acquisition of world heritage sites.

The long-run impact of direct visa-free entry policy has been estimated using a Difference-in-Differences approach. After the visa-free entry policy was issued, in long-term effect has been a significantly positive increase in the number of tourist arrivals. The strong impact of the policy is the same regardless of whether a Fixed-effect model or Difference-in-Differences approach is used. The robust results show that visa-free entry policy increased the number of inbound tourist arrivals¹³. The results from Fixed-effect model, and Difference-in-Differences have different significant level for some variables. It shows that the data is not robust, the significant variables weakly supported by data. Therefore, further research regarding impact on visa-free entry policy need to be continuing.

Based on the “Persistence and Reputation” effect, Naudee & Sayman (2005) (in Faruk Balli and Cebeci, 2013) and H. Song et al. (2003) measured the stable behavior pattern in international tourist demand. The pattern of tourism expectation and habit persistence (stable behavior patterns) is usually incorporated in tourism demand models through of a lagged-dependent variable. Once people have been on holiday to a particular destination and liked it, they tend to return visiting the same country again in the next year, to avoid the risk of ruining their holiday by visiting unknown places. The results from a dynamic panel data analysis show that 64.47% of total tourist arrivals reflect returns to the country after an experience from the previous year¹⁴.

6. Conclusion and Policy Implication

6.1 Conclusion

The number of inbound tourist arrivals in Indonesia is determined by the GDP of the origin country, number of accommodation in Indonesia, trade openness, exports of automotive sector, CPI of Indonesia, number of heritage sites in Indonesia, and visa-free entry. There is not enough evidence to say that the population levels of origin country, exports from the palm oil, Bali bombings, Aceh tsunami, economic crisis in Indonesia determine the number of international arrivals in Indonesia.

The visa-free entry policy seems to be good policy to boost the number of tourist arrivals. The results show a significant effect between the periods before policy was issued in 2003 and after the policy was issued in period 2011. Although only 5 of 12 countries were included in the free-visa policy until 2014, the impact of increasing tourism is significant. The visa-policy has significant and positive coefficient (0.1044 SE of 0.0586) with respect to the number of tourist arrivals, suggesting an increase in tourist flows from the source country where visa requirements have recently been waived for regular citizens.

The observation on countries was only until 2014, and the number of countries with visa-free entry already increased in 2015. Therefore, future research needs to focus more on the policy of visa-free entry, as the government intends to expand the number of countries that have visa-free entry in 2016.

¹³ Difference-in-difference model is used to see the impact of before and after policy. Visa_Treatment as binary variable which is 1 for a group of country that have visa-free entry, otherwise is 0. Year variable as year before 2003 and after policy was applied.

¹⁴ See appendix 4 Dynamic Panel Data Estimation.

Further research regarding the impact of visa-free entry for business needs to be concerned. 15 countries that have visa-free entry for business have more advantage than other countries that do not have visa-free entry for doing business in Indonesia.

The estimation results using fixed-effect model, difference-in-differences, and dynamic panel data have different significant level for some variables. It shows that the data is not robust. The significant level of some variables is weakly supported data. Therefore, further research regarding the impact on visa-free entry policy need to be continuing.

6.2 Policy Implications

The positive impacts of visa-free entry policy still needs to be increased by expand the number of countries with visa-free entry to Indonesia. Indeed, even though there were only 5 of 12 countries with visa-free entry until 2014, the impact of the policy succeeded in increasing the number of international tourists. Therefore, the Indonesian government needs to revise the visa-free entry policy and increase the number of countries with visa-free entry to increase the number of tourist arrivals.

Visa-free entry for doing business that only allow for 15 countries including some South East Asia countries, need to be expand more. It will give benefit for trade and tourism sector.

As tourists are one of the main sources of foreign exchange, the government of Indonesia should cooperate with all stakeholders, to innovate on new kinds of promotion that will effectively attract visitors from other countries.

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APPENDIX

Appendix 1. Rank of Indonesia Tourism Sector

Rank	2011		2012		2013		2014	
	Commodities	Value (Million US\$)	Commodities	Value (Million US\$)	Commodities	Value (Million US\$)	Commodities	Value (Million US\$)
1	Crude oil	41,477.10	Crude oil	36,977.00	Crude oil	32,633.20	Crude oil	32,633.20
2	Coal	27,221.80	Coal	26,166.30	Coal	24,501.40	Coal	20,819.30
3	Crude Palm Oil	17,261.30	Crude Palm Oil	18,845.00	Crude Palm Oil	15,839.10	Crude Palm Oil	17,464.90
4	Rubber and Products	14,258.20	Rubber and Products	10,394.50	Tourism	10,054.10	Tourism	11,166.13
5	Tourism	8,554.40	Tourism	9,120.85	Rubber and Products	9,316.60	Garment	7,450.90
6	Garment	7,801.50	Garment	7,801.50	Garment	7,501.00	Rubber and Products	7,021.70
7	Electronics	7,364.30	Electronics	6,481.90	Electronics	6,418.60	Food products	6,486.80
8	Textile	5,563.30	Textile	5,278.10	Food products	5,434.80	Electronics	6,259.10
9	Food products	4,802.10	Food products	5,135.60	Textile	5,293.60	Textile	5,379.70
10	Chemical Materials and product	4,630.00	Pulp and Paper products	3,972.00	Pulp and Paper products	3,802.20	Wood products	3,914.10
11	Pulp and Paper products	4,214.40	Chemical Materials and product	3,636.30	Wood products	3,514.50	Chemical Materials and product	3,853.70
12	Wood products	3,288.90	Wood products	3,337.70	Chemical Materials and product	3,501.60	Pulp and Paper products	3,780.00

Source: Ministry of Tourism and Economy Creative, 2015

Appendix 2. International Tourist Profile

CHARACTERISTIC	2009		2010		2011		2012		2013		2014	
	TOTAL	%	TOTAL	%	TOTAL	%	TOTAL	%	TOTAL	%	TOTAL	%
TOTAL	6.323.730	100	7.002.944	100	7.649.731	100	8.044.462	100	8.802.129	100	9.435.411	100
SEX												
o Male	4.210.706	66,59	4.724.416	67,46	5.122.117	66,96	5.366.423	66,71	5.843.025	66,38	6.194.005	65,65
o Female	2.113.024	33,41	2.278.528	32,54	2.527.614	33,04	2.678.039	33,29	2.959.104	33,62	3.241.406	34,35
TYPE OF ACCOMODATION												
o Hotel	5.359.218	84,75	5.588.783	79,81	6.045.250	79,03	6.350.697	78,94	6.924.167	78,66	7.473.451	79,21
o Residence of friend	315.012	4,98	440.102	6,28	478.846	6,26	499.687	6,21	543.601	6,18	560.733	5,94
o Other Accomodation	649.500	10,27	974.059	13,91	1.125.635	14,71	1.194.078	14,85	1.334.361	15,16	1.401.227	14,85
AGE GROUP												
o <15	129.026	2,04	218.262	3,12	300.064	3,92	456.763	5,68	591.667	6,72	643.993	6,83
o 15-24	415.740	6,57	619.244	8,84	668.980	8,74	837.712	10,41	1.047.624	11,9	1.146.981	12,16
o 25-34	1.660.580	26,26	1.928.808	27,54	2.113.342	27,63	2.180.111	27,1	2.256.004	25,63	2.411.408	25,56
o 35-44	1.828.268	28,91	1.788.136	25,53	2.030.275	26,54	1.959.592	24,36	2.067.307	23,49	2.192.380	23,24
o 45-54	1.420.819	22,47	1.320.773	18,86	1.429.461	18,69	1.442.473	17,93	1.472.347	16,73	1.554.480	16,47
o 55-64	531.007	8,4	664.783	9,49	709.529	9,28	778.399	9,68	690.523	7,84	733.634	7,78
o >64	338.290	5,35	462.938	6,62	398.080	5,2	389.412	4,84	676.657	7,69	752.535	7,98
PURPOSE OF VISIT												
o Business	1.978.434	31,29	2.182.880	31,17	2.333.902	30,51	2.447.344	30,42	2.734.361	31,06	2.810.055	29,78
o Official Mission	104.197	1,65	108.592	1,55	114.651	1,5	118.121	1,47	136.800	1,55	138.463	1,47
o Convention	205.037	3,24	236.082	3,38	251.998	3,3	169.243	2,1	151.933	1,73	153.898	1,63
o Holiday/Leisure	3.788.341	59,91	4.148.046	59,23	4.601.326	60,15	4.744.009	58,97	4.972.890	56,5	5.444.237	57,7
o Education	29.532	0,47	42.282	0,6	44.611	0,58	49.215	0,61	58.157	0,66	60.044	0,64
o Other	218.189	3,45	285.062	4,07	303.243	3,96	516.530	6,43	747.988	8,5	828.714	8,78
OCCUPATION												
o Professional	2.295.858	36,31	2.536.340	36,22	2.680.137	35,04	2.706.240	33,64	2.802.259	31,84	2.945.738	31,22
o Manager	1.344.390	21,26	1.661.967	23,73	1.767.310	23,1	1.831.933	22,77	1.900.857	21,6	1.979.944	20,98
o Empliee	1.262.577	19,97	1.032.455	14,74	1.142.366	14,93	1.224.613	15,22	1.369.348	15,56	1.516.111	16,07
o Student	594.349	9,4	708.337	10,11	789.154	10,32	835.861	10,39	838.360	9,52	894.949	9,49
o Housewife	358.486	5,67	449.411	6,42	466.150	6,09	500.413	6,22	526.816	5,99	559.789	5,93
o Other	468.070	7,4	614.434	8,78	804.614	10,52	945.402	11,75	1.364.489	15,5	1.538.880	16,31
TYPE OF TRANSPORTATION												
o Air Transportation	4.395.749	69,51	4.997.649	71,36	5.446.283	71,2	5.754.847	71,54	6.428.766	73,04	6.977.523	73,95
o Sea Transportation	1.874.092	29,64	1.954.829	27,91	2.147.809	28,08	2.241.660	27,87	2.324.954	26,41	2.398.396	25,42
o Land Transportation	53.889	0,85	50.466	0,72	55.639	0,73	47.955	0,6	48.409	0,55	59.492	0,63
LENGTH OF STAY (DAY)	7,69		8,04		7,84		7,7		7,65		7,66	
EXPENDITURE PER PERSON (US\$)												
o Daily expenditure	129,57		135,01		142,69		147,22		149,31		154,42	
o Expenditure per Visit	995,93		1.085,75		1.118,26		1.133,81		1.142,24		1.183,43	
REVENUE (million US\$)	6.297,99		7.603,45		8.554,39		9.120,85		10.054,15		11.166,13	

Source : Center of Data and Information - Ministry of Tourism & Statistic Indonesia (2015)

2011	-0.03188	0.01821	-1.75	0.096	-0.06999	0.006236
2012	0	(omitted)				
2013	0	(omitted)				
2014	0	(omitted)				
_cons	6.769739	9.723769	0.7	0.495	-13.5823	27.12182
sigma_u	1.289413					
sigma_e	0.143911					
rho	0.987697	(fraction	of	variance	due	to u_i)

Appendix 4. Dynamic Panel Data Estimation

Lag 1 variable independent		
Variable Dependent	Coef.	Robust SE
$\Delta\text{Tourist}_{ij,t}$		
Variable Independents		
$\Delta\text{Tourist}_{ij,t-1}$	0.6373***	0.0574
$\Delta\text{GDP}_{i,t-1}$	0.8737***	0.2485
$\Delta\text{Population}_{i,t-1}$	-0.0597	0.3906
$\Delta\text{Accomodation}_{j,t-1}$	-0.0533	0.2130
$\Delta\text{Trade}_{ij,t-1}$	0.00003***	0.00005
$\Delta\text{CPI}_{j,t-1}$	-0.0007	0.0006
$\Delta\text{Visa}_{ij,t-1}$	0.0502	0.0421
$\Delta\text{bombbali}_{j,t}$	-0.0103	0.0145
$\Delta\text{tsunami}_{j,t}$	0.0751*	0.0412
$\Delta\text{EC}_{j,t}$	-0.0354	0.0336
$\Delta\text{herritage}_{j,t-1}$	0.0003	0.0077
$\Delta\text{PalmOil}_{ij,t-1}$	-0.00004	0.00003
$\Delta\text{Automotive}_{ij,t-1}$	0.00003*	0.00001
Number of obs	444	
Number of groups	20	
Number of Instrument	378	
AR(1) p-value	0.004	
Ar(2) p-value	0.723	
Sargan test p-value	0.202	