

The screenshot shows the website interface with a navigation menu, a search bar, and several news articles. The main article is titled 'Aeroflot to resume direct flights to Sri Lanka in October'.

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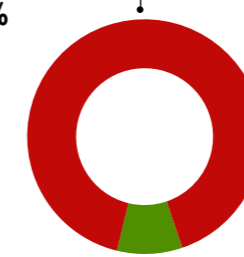
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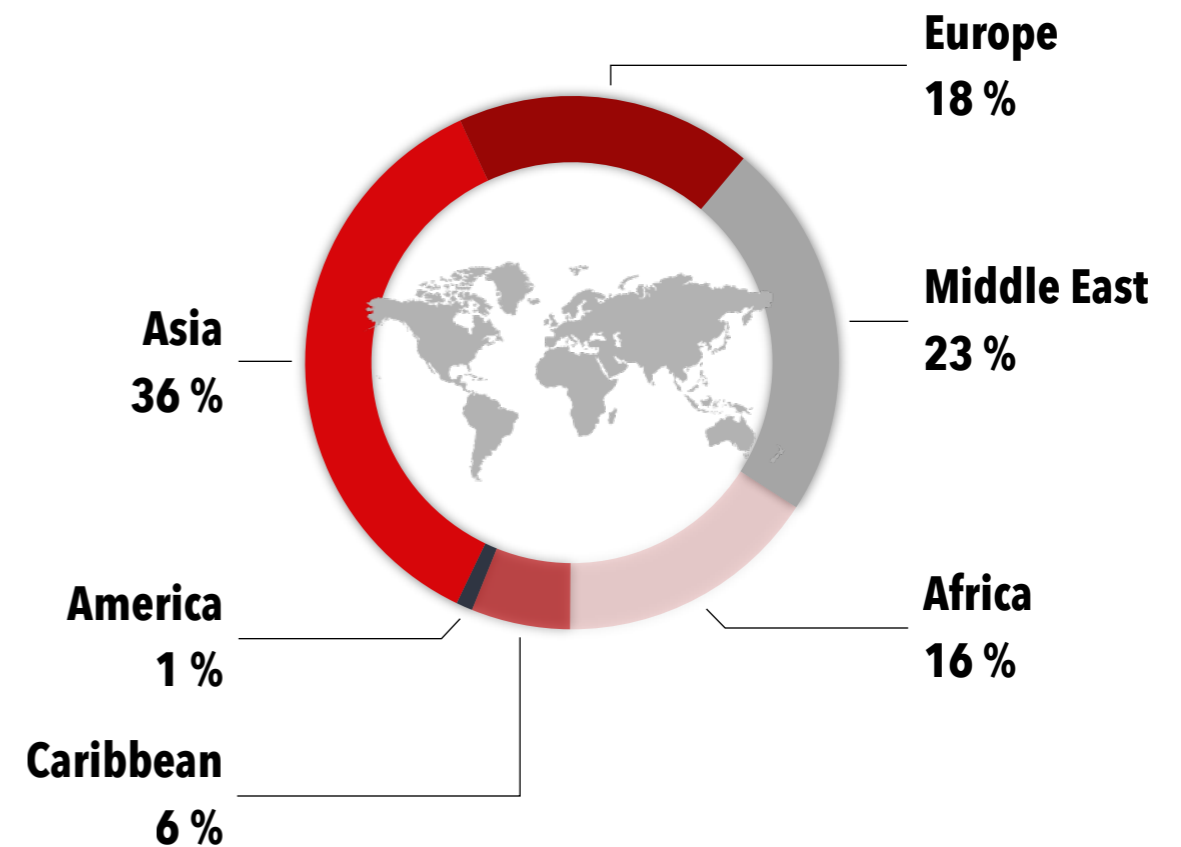
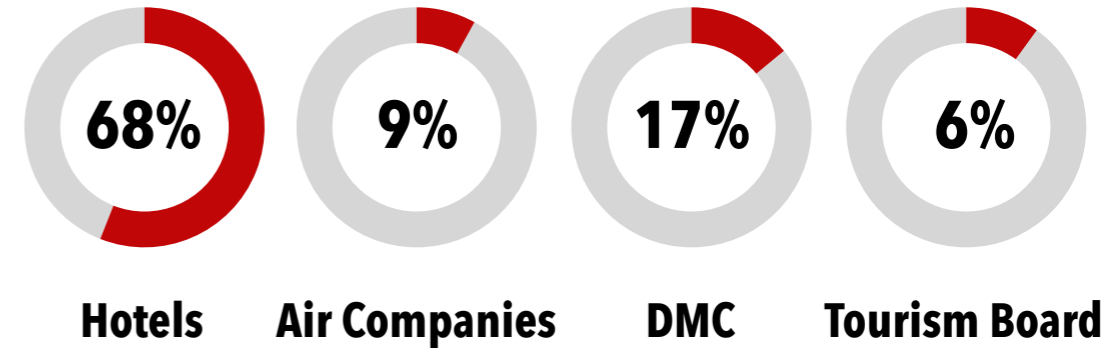
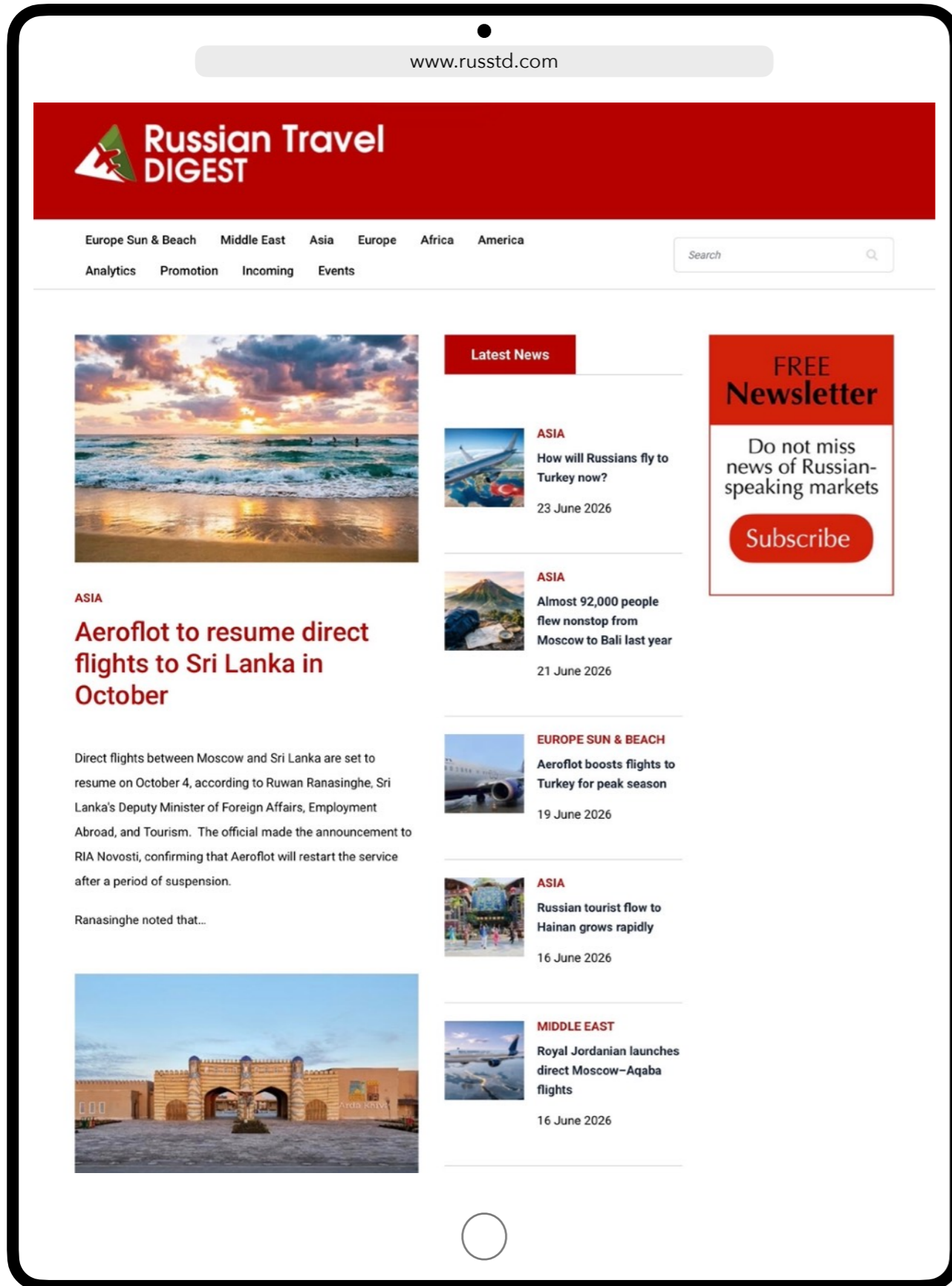
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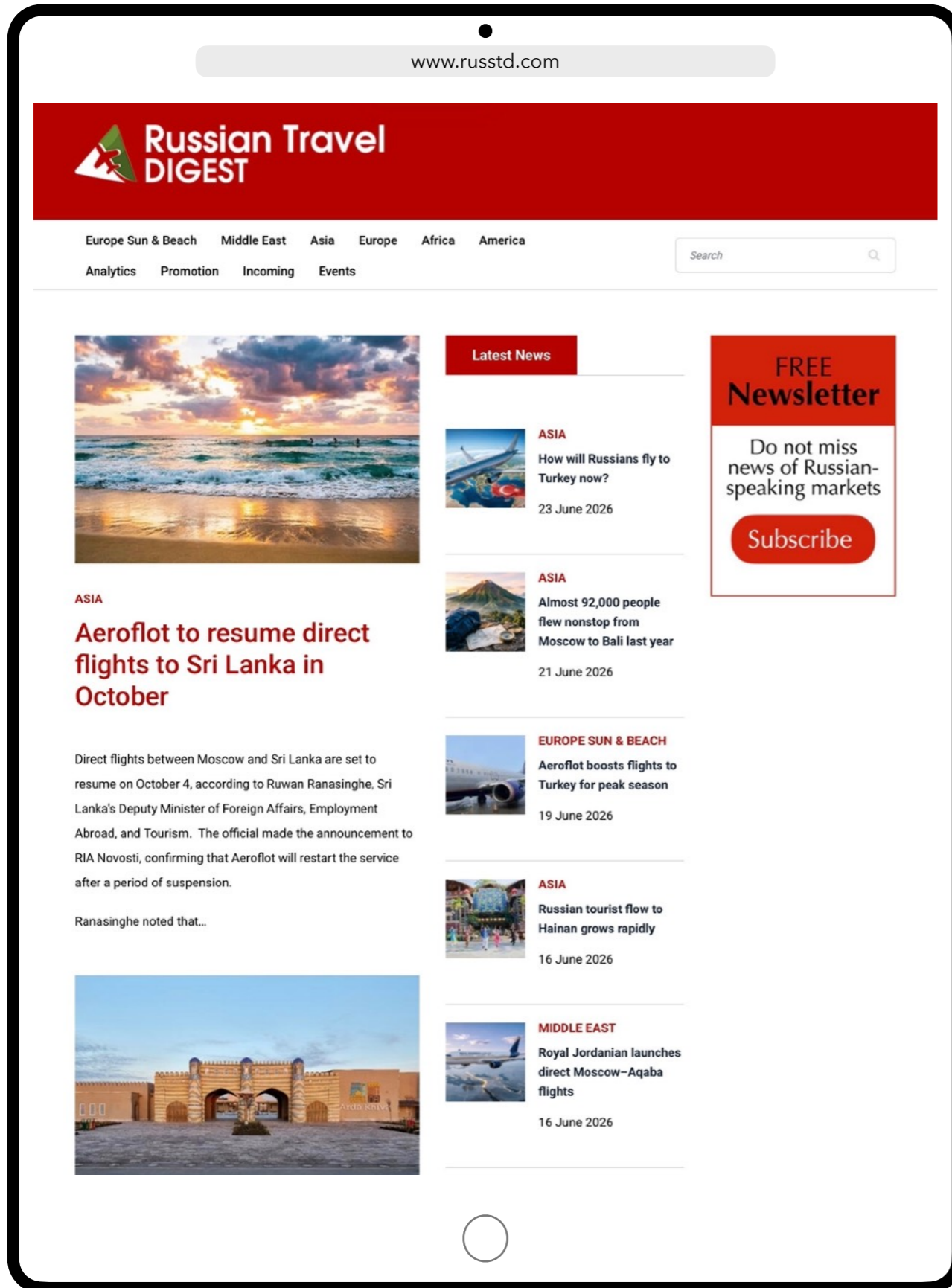
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Middle East

UAE and Gulf tours back on sale: Russia lifts travel warnings



Russia has officially lifted its travel warnings for six Gulf countries, meaning tour operators can now sell trips again without restrictions. The Ministry of Economic Development of Russia cancelled the advice to avoid travel to the UAE, Qatar, Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, and Saudi Arabia. The warnings were originally introduced due to tensions in the Middle East. Now, tour operators and travel agencies are free to promote and sell tours to these destinations again. Tour operators are already updating their offers.

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How will Russians fly to Turkey now?



On May 25, Turkish airlines Air Anka and TailWind ceased operations in Russia due to the expiration of temporary permits previously issued by the Federal Air Transport Agency (Rosaviatsia). However, the carriers managed to sell tickets to tour operators (primarily Anex Tour) until the end of October.

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Aeroflot boosts flights to Turkey for peak season



Russian flag carrier Aeroflot has announced additional regular flights to Turkish resorts from Moscow and six Russian cities to meet high summer demand. From Moscow's Sheremetyevo, extra services will operate to Bodrum, Dalaman, and Antalya (June 26 - Oct 11, two extra daily flights).

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Asia

Russian tourist flow to Hainan grows rapidly



More and more Russian tourists are choosing the Chinese island of Hainan for their beach holidays, according to the article published by ATOR (Association of Tour Operators of Russia). The numbers are breaking records. From January to May 2026, Hainan welcomed 308,000 Russian tourists. This is 67.4% more than in the same period last year.

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Royal Jordanian launches direct Moscow-Aqaba flights



Jordan's national carrier Royal Jordanian is set to launch direct regular flights from Moscow Domodedovo to Aqaba, Jordan's main resort on the Red Sea. Scheduled to begin within the current summer 2026 navigation season, the new service will operate twice weekly on modern Airbus A320neo aircraft.

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Russian Schengen refusals drop to 6.3%



In 2025, nearly 43,000 Russian tourists were refused a Schengen visa, according to new data from the European Commission. While the refusal rate has been falling for the third consecutive year, applicants continue to face significant financial losses, mainly due to non-refundable consular and service fees.

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