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## **TOURISM STATISTICS**

## Tourism in BH June, 2020

In June 2020 tourists realised 26,542 tourist arrivals in Bosnia and Hercegovina which represent the increase by 552.70% as compared to May 2020 and decrease by 85.2% as compared to June 2019. Tourists realised 55,051 tourist nights which represent the increase by 301.5% as compared to May 2020 and decrease by 84.3% as compared to June 2019. Domestic tourists share of total number of overnight stays was 75.5% and foreign tourists share was 24.5%.

The number of domestic tourist nights increased by 245.3% as compared to May 2020 and decreased by 60.3% as compared to June 2019. Foreign tourist nights increased by 706.6% as compared to May 2020 and decreased by 94.5% as compared to June 2019.

Concerning the structure of foreign tourist nights in June 2020, the most of them (83.4%) were realised by tourists from: Serbia with (46,1%), Croatia (21.3%), Germany (4.4%)%), Montenegro (3.8%), Slovenia (3.0%), Hungary (2.5%) and Saudi Arabia (2.3%). Tourists from other countries realised 16.6% of tourist nights.

Regarding the average detention of foreign tourist stays in our country on the first place comes: Saudi Arabia wiht average stay by 14.2 nights, Hungary 11.5 nights, Australia 6.9 nights, Brazil 5.8 nights and Slovakia 5.2 nights.

Available rooms, apartments and camping sites for tourists in Bosnia and Herzegovina in June 2020 amounted to 15.766 which is 24.6% decrease compared to June 2019. Number of available beds was 33.486 beds, which is decrease by 25.8%, compared to the same month of 2019.

In June 2020, in the activity - Hotels and similar accommodation, number of rooms and apartments available to tourists amounted to 14,379, which is an decrease of 21,2% compared to June 2019., and number of available beds amounted to 29.128 which is an decrease of 22.4%, compared to the same month of the previous year.

Net occupancy rate of permanent beds in June 2020 was 5.4%.

According to the type of accommodation facility the highest number of nights was recorded in Hotels and similar accommodation with share of 86.9%.

#### Tourist nights by months June 2019.- June 2020.

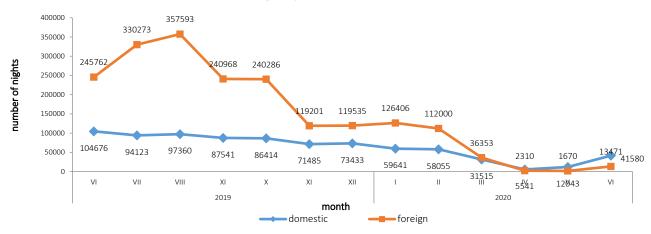
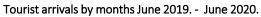


Table 1: Tourist arrivals and nights

			Arrivals					VI 2020				
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TOTAL	179.318	4.802	26.542	552,7	14,8	350.438	13.713	55.051	401,5	15,7	100,0	2,1
Domestic tourist	45.103	4.350	19.707	453,0	43,7	104.676	12.043	41.580	345,3	39,7	75,5	2,1
Foreign tourist	134.215	452	6.835	1512,2	5,1	245.762	1.670	13.471	806,6	5,5	24,5	2,0

<sup>\*</sup> final data



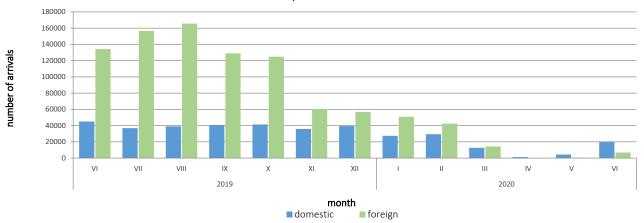


Table 2: Foreign tourist arrivals and nights, by country of residence

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Total	134.215	452	6.835	1512,2	5,1	245.762	1.670	13.471	806,6	5,5	100,0	2,0
Foreign tourist Albania	480		33	1512,2	<b>5,1</b> 6,9	840		13.471 56		5,5 6,7	0,4	2,0 1,7
Austria	2.951	7	143	2042,9	4,8	5.060	13	303	2330,8	6,0	2,2	2,1
Belgium	803	4	7	175,0	0,9	2.053	34	16	47,1	0,8	0,1	2,3
Bulgaria	745	2	7	350,0	0,9	1.366	4	7	175,0	0,5	0,1	1,0
Montenegro	1.315	8	294	3675,0	22,4	2.614	14	511	3650,0	19,5	3,8	1,7
Czech Republic	1.251	1	14	1400,0	1,1	1.833	1	25	2500,0	1,4		1,8
Denmark	586	_	7	_	1,2	1.616	=	12	_	0,7	0,1	1,7
Estonia	61	_	_	_	_	98	=	_	_	_	_	_
Finland	359	_	4	_	1,1	591	=	5	_	0,8	_	1,3
France	2.312	4	29	725,0	1,3	6.034	5	48	960,0	0,8	0,4	1,7
Greece	531	_	5	_	0,9	1.140	=	21	_	1,8	0,2	4,2
Netherlands	1.942	1	49	4900,0	2,5	4.951	2	84	4200,0	1,7	0,6	1,7
Croatia	10.811	106	1.623	1531,1	15,0	17.924	232	2.864	1234,5	16,0	21,3	1,8
Ireland	501	-	4	-	0,8	1.517	-	4	-	0,3	-	1,0
Iceland	43	-	2	-	4,7	125	-	8	-	6,4	0,1	4,0
Italy	3.982	12	109	908,3	2,7	9.777	18	271	1505,6	2,8	2,0	2,5
Cyprus	95	-	-	-	-	112	-	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	51	-	1	-	2,0	146	-	1	-	0,7	-	1,0
Lithuania	149	-	1	-	0,7	288	-	1	-	0,3	-	1,0
Luxembourg	89	-	6	-	6,7	154	-	19	=	12,3	0,1	3,2

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Hungary	2.464	15	29	193,3	1,2	4.024	16	333	2081,3	8,3	2,5	11,5
Malta	18		2	_	11,1	54	_	3	_	5,6		1,5
Norway	532	1	18	1800,0	3,4	1.186	1	44	4400,0	3,7	0,3	2,4
Germany	5.700	40	249	622,5	4,4	12.798	66	599	907,6	4,7	4,4	2,4
Poland	5.380	16	25	156,3	0,5	13.416	31	37	119,4	0,3	0,3	1,5
Portugal	483				0,0	669						
Romania	710	2	- 17	- 850,0	2,4	1.165	4	43	1075,0	3,7	0,3	- 2,5
Russian Federation	695			23,1	0,9		181					2,3
North of Macedonia <sup>1)</sup>		26	6			1.175		14	7,7	1,2		
Slovakia	905	6	32	533,3	3,5	1.858	8	120	1500,0	6,5	0,9	3,8
	539	-	12	-	2,2	1.046	-	62	-	5,9	0,5	5,2
Slovenia	6.110	17	190	1117,6	3,1	9.913	27	407	1507,4	4,1		2,1
Serbia	9.520	91	3.447	3787,9	36,2	16.254	232	6.209	2676,3	38,2		1,8
Spain	2.333	-	4	-	0,2	3.512	-	10	-	0,3	0,1	2,5
Switzerland (including Liechtenstein)	1.164	12	93	775,0	8,0	2.288	20	169	845,0	7,4	1,3	1,8
Sweden	1.009	4	32	800,0	3,2	2.028	5	68	1360,0	3,4	0,5	2,1
Turkey	10.359	4	62	1550,0	0,6	13.986	84	199	236,9	1,4	1,5	3,2
United Kingdom	1.801	_	23	-	1,3	4.012	_	44	_	1,1		1,9
Ukraine	260	2	2	100,0	0,8	881	28	2	7,1	0,2		1,0
Other European countries	312	2	20	1000,0	6,4	739	3	50	1666,7	6,8		2,5
Egypt	116		1	_	0,9	411	_	1	_	0,2		1,0
South Africa	134	1	_	_	2,2	344	2	_	_	-,-		_,~
Other African countries	226	2	17	850,0	- 7,5	459	32	34	106,3	7,4		2,0
Canada	850	_	9	000,0	1,1	1.703	-	14	-	0,8	0,1	1,6
USA	4.701	6	70	1166,7	1,5	9.791	- 68	192	282,4	2,0		2,7
Other Northern American countries	154	-	3	-	1,9		-	5	-	2,1	-	1,7
Brazil	800	_	6	_	0,8	1.409	_	35	_	2,5	0,3	5,8
Other Southern and Central American countries	1.088	1	10	1000,0	0,9	1.935	2	16	800,0	0,8	0,1	1,6
Bahrain	483	-	-	-	_	1.725	_	_	-	-	-	_
India	389	1	1	100,0	0,3	744	31	1	3,2	0,1	-	1,0
Iran	70	_	5	_	7,1	231	_	10	_	4,3	0,1	2,0
Israel	495	_	6	_	1,2	897	_	8	_	0,9	0,1	1,3
Japan	1.657	_	_	_	_	2.353	_	_	_	_	_	_
Republic of Korea	5.254	_	_	_	_	6.038	_	_	_	_		_
Qatar	369	_	3	_	0,8	938	_	5	_	0,5		1,7
China	14.648	-	8	-	0,1	16.213	-	17	_	0,1		2,1
Kuwait	990	-	3	-	0,3	3.167	-	3	-	0,1	-	1,0
Malaysia Oman	643 1.407	1 -	2 -	200,0	0,3	764 3.329	1 -	2 -	200,0	0,3		1,0 -
Saudi Arabia	12.682	18	22	122,2	0,2	29.884	368	313	85,1	1,0	2,3	14,2
United Arab Emirates	2.034	2	14	700,0	0,7	4.830	4	18	450,0	0,4	0,1	1,3
Other Asian countries	3.817	34	45	132,4	1,2	5.644	65	66	101,5	1,2	0,5	1,5
Australia	1.498	3	9	300,0	0,6	2.969	68	62	91,2	2,1	0,5	6,9
New Zealand	209	-	-	-	-	331	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other countries of Oceania	150					167						

<sup>1)</sup> previous FYR of Macedonia

<sup>\*</sup>final data

## Foreign tourist nights and arrivals, by country of residence, June 2020.

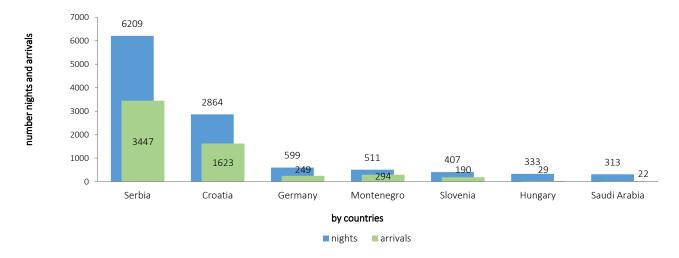


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Total	179.318	4.802	26.542	552,7	14,8	350.438	13.713	55.051	401,5	15,7	100,0
Hotels and similar accommodation	167.584	4.341	24.350	560,9	14,5	321.237	11.050	47.848	433,0	14,9	86,9
Holiday and other short-stay accommodation	7.437	349	1.250	358,2	16,8	15.145	1.570	2.435	155,1	16,1	4,4
Camps and camping grounds	3.210	15	615	4100,0	19,2	4.970	15	863	5753,3	17,4	1,6
Other accommodation	1.087	97	327	337,1	30,1	9.086	1.078	3.905	362,2	43,0	7,1
Domestic tourist	45.103	4.350	19.707	453,0	43,7	104.676	12.043	41.580	345,3	39,7	75,5
Hotels and similar accommodation	41.543	3.908	18.168	464,9	43,7	91.880	9.705	35.673	367,6	38,8	64,8
Holiday and other short-stay accommodation	2.393	331	1.104	333,5	46,1	3.955	1.246	1.988	159,6	50,3	3,6
Camps and camping grounds	216	15	123	820,0	56,9	329	15	172	1146,7	52,3	0,3
Other accommodation	951	96	312	325,0	32,8	8.512	1.077	3.747	347,9	44,0	6,8
Foreign tourist	134.215	452	6.835	1512,2	5,1	245.762	1.670	13.471	806,6	5,5	24,5
Hotels and similar accommodation	126.041	433	6.182	1427,7	4,9	229.357	1.345	12.175	905,2	5,3	22,1
Holiday and other short-stay accommodation	5.044	18	146	811,1	2,9	11.190	324	447	138,0	4,0	0,8
Camps and camping grounds	2.994	-	492	-	16,4	4.641	-	691	-	14,9	1,3
Other accommodation	136	1	15	1500,0	11,0	574	1	158	15800,0	27,5	0,3

<sup>1)</sup> The Classification of Economic Activities of BiH 2010

<sup>\*</sup>final data 🛛

Table 4: Tourist arrivals and nights, by organisation of tourist arrivals

		I	ndividual a	rrangement	:	Organised trip							
	Arrivals tourist			Nights tourist			Ar	rivals touris	st	Nights tourist			
	VI 2019*	VI 2020	Indices <u>VI 2020</u> VI 2019	VI 2019*	VI 2020	Indices <u>VI 2020</u> VI 2019	VI 2019*	VI 2020	Indices VI 2020 VI 2019	VI 2019*	VI 2020	Indices <u>VI 2020</u> VI 2019	
Total	111.905	24.658	22,0	223.046	50.065	22,4	67.413	1.884	2,8	127.392	4.986	3,9	
Domestic tourist	32.579	18.359	56,4	73.808	37.964	51,4	12.524	1.348	10,8	30.868	3.616	11,7	
Foreign tourist	79.326	6.299	7,9	149.238	12.101	8,1	54.889	536	1,0	96.524	1.370	1,4	

<sup>\*</sup> final data

#### **NOTES ON M ETHODOLOGY**

#### The purpose of the statistical survey

The purpose of the statistical survey is to monitor the tourist activity realised in commercial accommodation establishments and to provide internationally comparable BiH's statistics of tourism in accordance with current EU Regulations for the tourism statistics.

#### **Observation units**

Observation units are all business entities /legal units which are, by the main activity, registered in accommodation activity (division 55 - KD BiH 2010), persons as well as households that rent accommodation establishments to tourists. For the purpose of the survey, Classification of Activities in Bosnia and Herzegovina - KD BiH 2010 was used, and it is fully compliant with the European Classification of Economic Activities - NACE Rev. 2.

### Coverage

Reporting units are all business entities (enterprises, entrepreneurs, institutions, associations etc.) and parts thereof engaged in providing accommodation servi in tourism registered according to the CA BiH 2010 under section: 55.1 (hotels and similar accommodation), 55.2 (holiday and other short - stay accommodation), 55.3 (camps and camping grounds), 55.9 (other accommodation), health institutions for their facilities in which persons stay for medical rehabilitation (costs are on persons themselves), business entities and parts thereof engaged in tourist stay in rural households, houses, camps, apartments and rooms directly rented by private persons/households. Survey covers the entire territory of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

#### Source and methods of data collection

Data on turnover of tourists (number of tourist arrivals and tourist nights) are collected from regular monthly report (TU-11 form). Reports are usually made on the basis of reception records in guest books, entities and their parts engaged in organising and arranging of tourists.

#### **Definitions**

**Tourism** means the activity of visitors taking a trip to a main destination outside their usual environment for less than a year, for leisure, business or other personal purpose other than to be employed by a resident entity in the place visited.

**Tourist** is every person who, outside his place of permanent residence, spends one night in a hotel or some other accommodation facility for reasons of rest, recreation, health, study, sport, religion, family, business, public tasks or meeting.

**Residence** is a place where a person came with the intention of permanent stay. Tourist is registered in every place or establishment where he stays and, therefore, in case he/she changes the place or establishment, he/she must register again, which results in data ambiguity. Consequently, the statistics register the number of tourist arrivals and not the number of tourists.

**Domestic tourist** is a person with permanent residence in the BiH who spends at least one night in a hotel or same other accommodation establishment outside their place or residence.

**Foreign tourist** is every person with permanent residence outside in BiH who temporarily resides in BiH and who spends at least one night in a hotel or same other accommodation establishment.

**Tourist arrivals** refer to the number of persons (tourists) who arrived and registered their stay in an accommodation establishment. **Tourist nights** refer to every registered overnight stay of a person (tourist) in an accommodation establishment.

Accommodation capacities are presented as the number of rooms, apartments and camping sites, and the number of permanent beds.

**Permanent beds** are those that are regularly ready-made for renting to guests.

**Occupancy rate of permanent beds (net)** in the reference period is obtained by dividing the total number of nights by the number of beds on offer and the number of days when the beds are actually available for use during the reference period. The data are expressed as a percentage.

**Organization of tourist arrivals** represent the way of organising touristic arrangements. Depending on the way of organising, touristic arrangement can be individual on organised (travel agencier).

## **Symbols**

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