## YEAR XVII

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## TOURISM STATISTICS Cumulative data January - October 2023

In the period January - October 2023, tourists made 1.350 .591 visits, which is $18.7 \%$ more compared to the same period in 2022 , and 2.897 .095 overnight stays, which is $14.5 \%$ more compared to the same period in 2022 . years.

The number of overnight stays by domestic tourists is lower by $5.8 \%$, while the number of overnight stays by foreign tourists is higher by $26.6 \%$ compared to the same period in 2022. In the total number of overnight stays, the participation of domestic tourists is $30.7 \%$, while the participation of foreign tourists is $69.3 \%$.

In the structure of overnight stays by foreign tourists, the most overnight stays were made by tourists from Croatia (13.6\%), Serbia (12.4\%), Turkey (7.7\%), Slovenia (6.2\%), Saudi Arabia (5.9\%), Germany (4.9\%), United Arab Emirates (3.4\%), USA (3.3\%), which is a total of $57.4 \%$. Tourists from other countries accounted for $42.6 \%$ of overnight stays.

Regarding the length of stay of foreign tourists in our country, Kuwait is in first place with 3.8 nights, Qatar with 3.3 nights, Ireland with 3.2 nights, Latvia and Iran with 3.1 nights, Albania, Egypt and the United Arab Emirates with 3.0 nights each.

According to the type of accommodation facility, the largest number of overnight stays was realized within the Hotels and similar accommodation sector with a share of $94.1 \%$.

Tourist nights, January - October 2022 and 2023


Table 1: Tourist arrivals and nights

|  | Arrivals |  |  | Nights |  |  | I - X 2023 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | I -X 2022* | I-X 2023 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Indices } \\ & \frac{\mathrm{I}-\mathrm{X} 2023}{\mathrm{I}-\mathrm{X} 2022} \end{aligned}$ | I -X 2022* | I - X 2023 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Indices } \\ & \frac{\mathrm{I}-\mathrm{X} 2023}{\mathrm{I}-\mathrm{X} 2022} \end{aligned}$ | Structure of nights \% | Average number of nights by arrivals |
| Total | 1,277,972 | 1,516,385 | 118.7 | 2,815,736 | 3,223,913 | 114.5 | 100.0 | 2.4 |
| Domestic tourist | 474,990 | 457,919 | 96.4 | 1,052,097 | 991,115 | 94.2 | 30.7 | 2.4 |
| Foreign tourist | 802,982 | 1,058,466 | 131.8 | 1,763,639 | 2,232,798 | 126.6 | 69.3 | 2.4 |

Foreign tourist nights by country of residence, January-October 2022 and 2023


Table2: Foreign tourist arrivals and nights, by country of residence

|  | Arrivals |  |  | Nights |  |  | I-X 2023 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | I-X 2022* | I - X 2023 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Indices } \\ \frac{I-X 2023}{I-X 2022} \end{gathered}$ | I-X 2022* | I - X 2023 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Indices } \\ \mathrm{I}-\mathrm{X} 2023 \\ \mathrm{I}-\mathrm{X} 2022 \end{gathered}$ | Structure of nights \% | Average number of nights by arrivals |
| Total | 802,982 | 1,058,466 | 131.8 | 1,763,639 | 2,232,798 | 127 | 100.0 | 2.1 |
| Albania | 2,756 | 3,084 | 111.9 | 5,433 | 9,179 | 169 | 0.4 | 3.0 |
| Austria | 25,900 | 31,480 | 121.5 | 52,136 | 62,043 | 119 | 2.8 | 2.0 |
| Belgium | 5,589 | 6,568 | 117.5 | 12,134 | 14,916 | 123 | 0.7 | 2.3 |
| Bulgaria | 4,782 | 6,138 | 128.4 | 8,974 | 11,442 | 128 | 0.5 | 1.9 |
| Montenegro | 20,898 | 24,881 | 119.1 | 44,335 | 55,820 | 126 | 2.5 | 2.2 |
| Czech Republic | 6,446 | 7,923 | 122.9 | 12,494 | 14,682 | 118 | 0.7 | 1.9 |
| Denmark | 5,540 | 4,986 | 90.0 | 14,446 | 13,380 | 93 | 0.6 | 2.7 |
| Estonia | 446 | 641 | 143.7 | 762 | 1,374 | 180 | 0.1 | 2.1 |
| Finland | 1,359 | 1,613 | 118.7 | 3,005 | 3,150 | 105 | 0.1 | 2.0 |
| France | 15,274 | 17,320 | 113.4 | 46,886 | 51,027 | 109 | 2.3 | 2.9 |
| Greece | 4,557 | 6,268 | 137.5 | 9,541 | 13,042 | 137 | 0.6 | 2.1 |
| Netherlands | 16,533 | 17,823 | 107.8 | 40,088 | 43,376 | 108 | 1.9 | 2.4 |
| Croatia | 104,390 | 138,507 | 132.7 | 225,558 | 306,257 | 136 | 13.7 | 2.2 |
| Ireland | 2,921 | 2,981 | 102.1 | 9,955 | 9,543 | 96 | 0.4 | 3.2 |
| Iceland | 192 | 335 | 174.5 | 442 | 866 | 196 | 0.0 | 2.6 |
| Italy | 19,874 | 24,214 | 121.8 | 41,965 | 50,827 | 121 | 2.3 | 2.1 |
| Cyprus | 492 | 808 | 164.2 | 891 | 1,404 | 158 | 0.1 | 1.7 |


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|  | I-X 2022* | I - X 2023 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Indices } \\ & \frac{\mathrm{I}-\mathrm{X} 2023}{\mathrm{I}-\mathrm{X} 2022} \end{aligned}$ | I-X 2022* | I - X 2023 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Indices } \\ & \frac{I-X 2023}{I-X 2022} \end{aligned}$ | Structure of nights \% | Average number of nights by arrivals |
| Latvia | 520 | 958 | 184.2 | 984 | 2,662 | 271 | 0.1 | 2.8 |
| Lithuania | 1,573 | 1,093 | 69.5 | 3,478 | 1,704 | 49 | 0.1 | 1.6 |
| Luxembourg | 1,126 | 961 | 85.3 | 2,502 | 2,082 | 83 | 0.1 | 2.2 |
| Hungary | 12,751 | 16,695 | 130.9 | 27,566 | 32,326 | 117 | 1.4 | 1.9 |
| Malta | 362 | 967 | 267.1 | 710 | 2,152 | 303 | 0.1 | 2.2 |
| Norway | 3,856 | 4,180 | 108.4 | 7,941 | 8,981 | 113 | 0.4 | 2.1 |
| Germany | 43,484 | 51,235 | 117.8 | 95,661 | 109,405 | 114 | 4.9 | 2.1 |
| Poland | 21,905 | 22,717 | 103.7 | 50,604 | 55,181 | 109 | 2.5 | 2.4 |
| Portugal | 2,350 | 2,367 | 100.7 | 5,668 | 5,613 | 99 | 0.3 | 2.4 |
| Romania | 4,931 | 5,520 | 111.9 | 10,502 | 10,265 | 98 | 0.5 | 1.9 |
| Russian |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Federation | 4,872 | 8,409 | 172.6 | 9,817 | 15,894 | 162 | 0.7 | 1.9 |
| North Macedonia | 8,235 | 11,713 | 142.2 | 16,351 | 23,895 | 146 | 1.1 | 2.0 |
| Slovakia | 3,608 | 5,171 | 143.3 | 8,024 | 10,495 | 131 | 0.5 | 2.0 |
| Slovenia | 52,356 | 67,113 | 128.2 | 102,234 | 146,200 | 143 | 6.5 | 2.2 |
| Serbia | 123,230 | 129,976 | 105.5 | 254,213 | 273,557 | 108 | 12.3 | 2.1 |
| Spain | 8,255 | 9,811 | 118.8 | 20,181 | 21,325 | 106 | 1.0 | 2.2 |
| Switzerland (including |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Liechtenstein) | 11,842 | 13,009 | 109.9 | 24,652 | 26,500 | 107 | 1.2 | 2.0 |
| Sweden | 10,896 | 10,999 | 100.9 | 25,190 | 25,124 | 100 | 1.1 | 2.3 |
| Turkey | 55,077 | 128,309 | 233.0 | 85,749 | 176,443 | 206 | 7.9 | 1.4 |
| United Kingdom | 10,303 | 12,598 | 122.3 | 24,657 | 32,668 | 132 | 1.5 | 2.6 |
| Ukraine | 1,779 | 2,156 | 121.2 | 4,304 | 4,879 | 113 | 0.2 | 2.3 |
| Other European |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2.8 |
| Egypt | 625 | 753 | 120.5 | 1,733 | 2,355 | 136 | 0.1 | 3.1 |
| South Africa | 374 | 411 | 109.9 | 688 | 799 | 116 | 0.0 | 1.9 |
| Other African |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Canada | 4,136 | 5,459 | 132.0 | 8,947 | 12,259 | 137 | 0.5 | 2.2 |
| USA | 27,322 | 33,176 | 121.4 | 61,268 | 76,046 | 124 | 3.4 | 2.3 |
| Other Northern |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| countries | 1,487 | 944 | 63.5 | 3,105 | 1,847 | 59 | 0.1 | 2.0 |
| Brazil | 1,980 | 3,311 | 167.2 | 4,742 | 6,294 | 133 | 0.3 | 1.9 |
| Other Southern and Central American |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| countries | 3,625 | 6,351 | 175.2 | 6,794 | 11,471 | 169 | 0.5 | 1.8 |
| Bahrain | 7,449 | 3,972 | 53.3 | 20,348 | 11,326 | 56 | 0.5 | 2.9 |
| India | 1,517 | 2,862 | 188.7 | 3,193 | 5,672 | 178 | 0.3 | 2.0 |
| Iran | 262 | 382 | 145.8 | 532 | 1,150 | 216 | 0.1 | 3.0 |
| Israel | 7,421 | 10,734 | 144.6 | 18,291 | 25,798 | 141 | 1.2 | 2.4 |
| Japan | 561 | 1,606 | 286.3 | 1,482 | 2,871 | 194 | 0.1 | 1.8 |
| Republic of Korea | 2,688 | 11,955 | 444.8 | 3,848 | 15,704 | 408 | 0.7 | 1.3 |
| Qatar | 3,509 | 3,812 | 108.6 | 10,246 | 12,465 | 122 | 0.6 | 3.3 |
| China | 3,979 | 25,663 | 645.0 | 8,910 | 35,576 | 399 | 1.6 | 1.4 |
| Kuwait | 12,011 | 13,840 | 115.2 | 45,494 | 52,429 | 115 | 2.3 | 3.8 |
| Malaysia | 8,029 | 10,119 | 126.0 | 9,710 | 12,775 | 132 | 0.6 | 1.3 |
| Oman | 11,861 | 14,934 | 125.9 | 28,058 | 35,814 | 128 | 1.6 | 2.4 |
| Saudi Arabia | 32,782 | 50,950 | 155.4 | 78,819 | 122,406 | 155 | 5.5 | 2.4 |
| United Arab |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Emirates | 29,452 | 23,927 | 81.2 | 89,502 | 72,063 | 81 | 3.2 | 3.0 |
| Other Asian countries |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| countries <br> Australia | 11,524 3,516 | 17,609 8,216 | 152.8 | 26,572 7,775 | 33,013 18,215 | 124 | 1.5 0.8 | 1.9 |
| New Zealand | 379 | 844 | 222.7 | 870 | 1,902 | 219 | 0.1 | 2.3 |
| Other countries of Oceania | 303 | 721 | 238.0 | 543 | 1,192 | 220 | 0.1 | 1.7 |

*final data

Structure of tourists nights according to the classification of activity ${ }^{1) \text {, January-October }}$ 2022. i 2023.


Table 3: Tourist arrivals and overnight stays according to the Classification of Economic Activities ${ }^{1)}$

|  | Arrivals |  |  | Nights |  |  | I-X 2023 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | I -X 2022* | I-X 2023 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Indices } \\ & \frac{\mathrm{I}-\mathrm{X} 2023}{\mathrm{I}-\mathrm{X} 2022} \end{aligned}$ | I -X 2022* | I - X 2023 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Indices } \\ \frac{\mathrm{I}-\mathrm{X} 2023}{\mathrm{I}-\mathrm{X} 2022} \end{gathered}$ | Structure of nights \% |
| Total | 1.277.972 | 1.516.385 | 118,7 | 2.815.736 | 3.223.913 | 114,5 | 100,0 |
| Hotels and similar accommodation | 1.223.154 | 1.454.711 | 118,9 | 2.634.054 | 3.037 .744 | 115,3 | 94,2 |
| Holiday and other short-stay accommodation | 34.430 | 38.972 | 113,2 | 88.149 | 95.478 | 108,3 | 3,0 |
| Camps and camping grounds | 13.130 | 15.567 | 118,6 | 23.563 | 28.147 | 119,5 | 0,9 |
| Other accommodation | 7.258 | 7.135 | 98,3 | 69.970 | 62.544 | 89,4 | 1,9 |
| Domestic tourist | 474.990 | 457.919 | 96,4 | 1.052 .097 | 991.115 | 94,2 | 30,7 |
| Hotels and similar accommodation | 450.440 | 432.634 | 96,0 | 949.403 | 898.804 | 94,7 | 27,9 |
| Holiday and other short-stay accommodation | 16.921 | 17.409 | 102,9 | 35.701 | 36.487 | 102,2 | 1,1 |
| Camps and camping grounds | 1.463 | 2.293 | 156,7 | 2.730 | 3.658 | 134,0 | 0,1 |
| Other accommodation | 6.166 | 5.583 | 90,5 | 64.263 | 52.166 | 81,2 | 1,6 |
| Foreign tourist | 802.982 | 1.058.466 | 131,8 | 1.763.639 | 2.232.798 | 126,6 | 69,3 |
| Hotels and similar accommodation | 772.714 | 1.022.077 | 132,3 | 1.684 .651 | 2.138.940 | 127,0 | 66,3 |
| Holiday and other short-stay accommodation | 17.509 | 21.563 | 123,2 | 52.448 | 58.991 | 112,5 | 1,8 |
| Camps and camping grounds | 11.667 | 13.274 | 113,8 | 20.833 | 24.489 | 117,5 | 0,8 |
| Other accommodation | 1.092 | 1.552 | 142,1 | 5.707 | 10.378 | 181,8 | 0,3 |

1)The Classification of Economic Activities of BiH 2010
*final data

## Methodology

## 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 tourism statistics in accordance with current EU Regulations for tourism statistics.

## Observation units

Observation units are all business entities /legal units that are, by their 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, the 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, craftsmen, cooperatives, institutions, associations, etc.) and their constituent units that are registered according to KD 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 uncategorised accommodation), health care institutions in which persons themselves bear the fee for medical rehabilitation or their stay: business entities that deal with the mediation of accommodation of guests in: households, houses, camps, apartments, and rooms that are directly rented by private persons/households. The survey covers the entire territory of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

## Source and methods of data collection

Data on tourist turnover (number of tourist arrivals and tourist nights) is collected from the regular monthly report (TU-11 form). Reports are usually made on the basis of reception records in guest books for entities and their parts engaged in organising and arranging 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 purposes other than to be employed by a resident entity in the place visited.

A 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

A residence is a place where a person comes with the intention of staying permanently.
A domestic tourist is a person with permanent residence in the BiH who spends at least one night in a hotel or other accommodation establishment outside their place of residence.

A 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 other accommodation establishment.

## Symbols

- no occurrence

0,0 value not zero but less than 0,05

