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Cross-border traffic of passenger road motor vehicles and passengers, third quarter 2024¹

The total border incoming traffic to Bosnia and Herzegovina in the third quarter of 2024 amounted to slightly more than 7.88 million passengers. The total number of passengers at the entrance during the third quarter of 2024 is higher by 7.7% compared to the same period previous year. The total number of domestic passengers increased by 8.1%, while the number of foreign passengers increased by 7.4% compared to the third quarter of 2023.

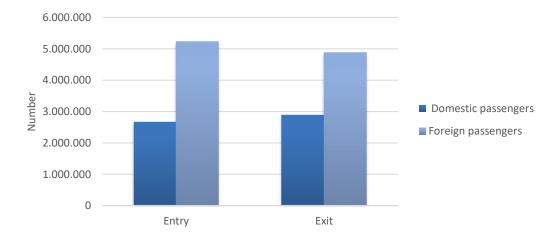
Of the total number of passengers who entered to the BiH, 33.8% were domestic passengers and 66.2% were foreign passengers. In relation to the type of traffic, the largest part of cross-border passenger traffic refers to road cross-border traffic (93.3%).

The total number of passengers on exit from Bosnia and Herzegovina in the third quarter of 2024 increased by 7.3% compared to the same quarter of the previous year. The number of domestic passengers at the exit increased by 8.5%, while the number of foreign passengers increased by 6.6% compared to the same period previous year.

The total border traffic of passenger road motor vehicles at the entrance to Bosnia and Herzegovina in the third quarter of 2024 amounted to 3.42 million vehicles. In the structure of road border traffic, 32.7% are domestic passenger motor vehicles, and 67.3% are foreign passenger motor vehicles.

The total number of passenger motor vehicles that entered Bosnia and Herzegovina in the third quarter of 2024 is higher by 2.4% compared to the same period previous year. The number of vehicles registered in our country increased by 4.5%, while the number of foreign passenger motor vehicles increased by 1.4%.

The number of passenger road motor vehicles on exit from the Bosnia and Herzegovina increased by 3.5% compared to the same period 2023. On the exit from BiH, the number of vehicles with BiH registration plates increased by 5.5%, while in the same period, the number of vehicles with foreign registration plates increased by 2.4%. The largest number of vehicles entered through the border crossings with Croatia, 71.2%, Serbia, 20.7% and Montenegro 8.1%.



G.1. Cross- border traffic total, third quarter 2024

¹ **Data source:** Border Police of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Considering the data to take into account the impact of a single information system improvements, infrastructure and equipment for border checks and border surveillance in Border Police BiH, and the gradual introduction of the border crossing.

T.1 Cross-border traffic of passengers, third quarter 2024

	Entry			Exit			
	III 2023	III 2024	Index III 2024 III 2023	III 2023	III 2024	Index III 2024 III 2023	
Cross- border traffic-total	7324018	7885024	107,7	7235238	7763469	107,3	
Domestic passengers	2461488	2661757	108,1	2660963	2887859	108,5	
Foreign passengers	4862530	5223267	107,4	4574275	4875610	106,6	
Road cross-border traffic	6906132	7456817	108,0	6821383	7324096	107,4	
Domestic passengers	2344103	2543119	108,5	2542444	2767046	108,8	
Foreign passengers	4562029	4913698	107,7	4278939	4557050	106,5	
Railway cross-border traffic	3195	2912	91,1	3293	2948	89,5	
Domestic passengers	2192	1678	76,6	2132	1836	86,1	
Foreign passengers	1003	1234	123,0	1161	1112	95,8	
Inland waterway cross border traffic	7318	4364	59,6	7064	4632	65,6	
Domestic passengers	74	232	313,5	74	266	359,5	
Foreign passengers	7244	4132	57,0	6990	4366	62,5	
Maritime cross-border traffic	46	52	113,0	47	54	114,9	
Domestic passengers	10	4	40,0	7	6	85,7	
Foreign passengers	36	48	133,3	40	48	120,0	
Air cross-border traffic	407327	526381	129,2	403451	519286	128,7	
Domestic passengers	115109	175718	152,7	116306	169196	145,5	
Foreign passengers	292218	350663	120,0	287145	350090	121,9	

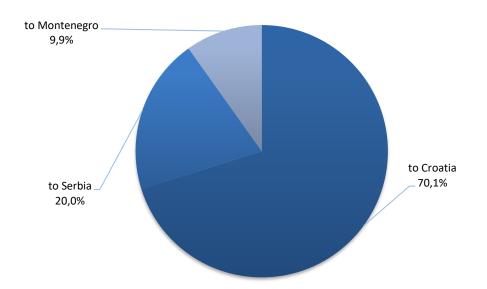
$T.2\ Cross-border\ traffic\ of\ passenger\ road\ motor\ vehicles$, third quarter 2024

	Entry			Exit		
	III 2023	III 2024	Index III 2024 III 2023	III 2023	III 2024	Index III 2024 III 2023
Passenger road motor vehicles in cross- border traffic	3341035	3421345	102,4	3304393	3418675	103,5
Domestic plates	1069515	1117933	104,5	1134715	1196781	105,5
Foreign plates	2271520	2303412	101,4	2169678	2221894	102,4
Motorcycle	48840	56352	115,4	49497	55512	112,2
Domestic plates	12366	16053	129,8	12957	16869	130,2
Foreign plates	36474	40299	110,5	36540	38643	105,8
Passenger cars	3261931	3333049	102,2	3223626	3332877	103,4
Domestic plates	1041429	1085884	104,3	1105082	1164186	105,3
Foreign plates	2220502	2247165	101,2	2118544	2168691	102,4
Busses	30264	31944	105,6	31270	30286	96,9
Domestic plates	15720	15996	101,8	16676	15726	94,3
Foreign plates	14544	15948	109,7	14594	14560	99,8

T.3 Cross-border traffic of passenger road motor vehicles and passengers by direction, third quarter 2024

	Entry			Exit			
	III 2023	III 2024	Index III 2024 III 2023	III 2023	III 2024	Index III 2024 III 2023	
Traffic of passenger vehicles	3341035	3421345	102,4	3304393	3418675	103,5	
Bosnia and Herzegovina-Croatia border	2357231	2437287	103,4	2367432	2473231	104,5	
Bosnia and Herzegovina-Serbia border	714028	709596	99,4	667671	667031	99,9	
Bosnia and Herzegovina- Montenegro border	269776	274462	101,7	269290	278413	103,4	
Traffic of passengers	6906132	7456817	108,0	6821383	7324096	107,4	
Bosnia and Herzegovina-Croatia border	4836257	5189312	107,3	4843040	5181530	107,0	
Bosnia and Herzegovina-Serbia border	1342944	1548363	115,3	1259484	1404112	111,5	
Bosnia and Herzegovina- Montenegro border	726931	719142	98,9	718859	738454	102,7	

G.2. Total border traffic of passengers at border crossings, third quarter 2024



NOTES ON METHODOLOGY

Source and methods of data collection

The data source for cross-border traffic of cars, motorcycles, busses and road passenger transport operations and crossborder traffic of passengers in railway transport, sea transport on inland waterways and air transport are the records of the Border Police of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Coverage

The scope of the research included all road border crossings, and all rail, maritime, moves on inland waterways and air border crossings, regardless of whether they are permanent or seasonal.

Data includes all motor vehicles and travellers who have crossed the border into Bosnia and Herzegovina and came from Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Motor vehicles are passenger vehicles that are passenger cars and buses.

Passenger motor vehicles are divided into domestic and foreign. Passengers are classified by citizenship in domestic and foreign. Data on the input and output of passenger cars, buses and passenger vehicles, and they include passengers in transit through Bosnia and Herzegovina. Passengers in the border traffic are also included in the total coverage.

Definitions

The border crossing is a place intended for crossing the state border.

Border crossings can be international, interstate or frontier. Can be road, rail, air moves inland waterways and maritime.

Border crossings for international traffic are intended border traffic of citizens of Bosnia and Herzegovina and the citizens of neighbouring countries.

Border crossings for interstate traffic are intended border traffic of citizens of Bosnia and Herzegovina and the citizens of neighbouring countries.

Border crossings for border traffic intended for border traffic of citizens certain areas of Bosnia and Herzegovina, and certain areas of the neighbouring countries under an international agreement.

Road vehicle is a vehicle which is exclusively or mainly projected to carry one or more people. Road vehicle designed to carry passengers are: motorcycles, passenger cars, buses and others.

A motorcycle is a motor vehicle on a road two, three or four wheels whose unlade mass not exceeding 400 kg. They cover all vehicles engine capacity of 50 cm3 or more, as the vehicle engine displacement less than 50 cm3, which does not belong to the category moped.

Passenger car is a road motor vehicle for transporting passengers, with seating for up to nine adults (including the driver).

Bus travel is a road vehicle designed in twenty-four or more seats (including the driver) and constructed exclusively for the carriage of seated passengers.

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