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Tourism, cumulative

January - July 2021

In the period from January – July 2021 tourists realised 460 653 tourists arrivals which represent the increase by 76.9 and 1 093 239 overnight stays which is increase by 70.4% as compared to the same period of 2020.

The number of domestic tourist nights increase by 76.4% and number of foreign tourist nights increase by 64.2% as compared to the same period of 2020. Domestic tourist's share of total number of overnight stays was 52.3% and foreign tourists share was 47.7%.

Concerning the structure of foreign tourist nights, most of them (71.8%) were realised by tourists from Serbia (20.8%), United Arab Emirates (16.5%), Croatia (10.2%), Saudi Arabia (7.1%), Germany (4.3%), Montenegro (3.4%), Kuwait (3.3%), Slovenia (3.2%), and Turkey (3.0%). Tourists from other countries realised 28.2% of tourist nights.

Regarding the average detention of foreign tourist stays, on the first place comes Finland with average stay of 6.5 nights, Iran with 5.9 nights, Latvia with 4.4 nights and Republic of Korea with 4.3 nights.

According to the type of accommodation facility the highest number of nights was recorded in Hotels and similar accommodation with share of 92.6%.

Tourists nights, January - July 2020. and 2021.

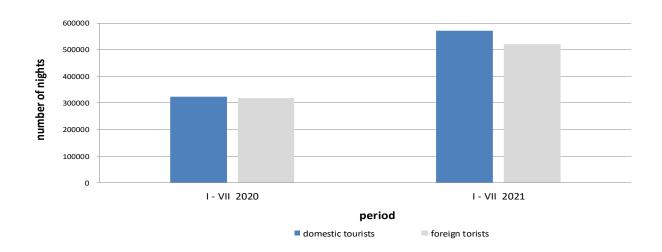


Table1: Tourist arrivals and nights

	ARRIVALS				NIGHTS	I - VII 2021		
	I - VII 2020 *	I - VII 2021	Indices <u>I - VII 2021</u> I - VII 2020	I - VII 2020*	I - VII 2021	Indices <u>I - VII 2021</u> I - VII 2020	Structure of nights %	Average number of nights by arrivals
TOTAL	260 346	460 653	176.9	641 752	1093 234	170.4	100.0	2,4
Domestic tourist	134 751	247 650	183.8	323 980	571 429	175.4	52.3	2,3
Foreign tourist	125 595	213 003	169.6	317 772	521 805	164.2	47.7	2,4

Foreign tourist nights by country of residence, January - July 2020. and 2021.

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80000
40000
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Serbia United Arab Emirates

Foreign tourist nights by country of residence, January - July 2020. and 2021.

I - VII 2020

by country

■ I - VII 2021

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

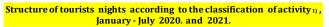
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TOTAL	125 595	213 003	169.6	317 772	521 810	164,2	100.0	2,4		
Albania	886	724	81.7	1 560	1 501	96,2	0.3	2,1		
Austria	2 929	6 269	214.0	6 100	13 230	216,9	2,5	2,1		
Belgium	482	1 029	213.5	1 179	2 292	194,4	0.4	2,2		
Bulgaria	674	708	105.0	1 195	1 487	124,4	0.3	2,1		
Montenegro	4 513	8 149	180.6	11 233	17 953	159,8	3,4	2,2		
Czech Republic	770	1 173	152.3	1 223	2 491	203,7	0.5	2,1		
Denmark	417	925	221.8	1 222	2 249	184,0	0.4	2,4		
Estonia	32	137	428.1	62	408	658,1	0.1	3.0		
Finland	135	182	134.8	330	1 179	357,3	0.2	6,5		
France	933	2 434	260.9	2 186	6 327	289,4	1,2	2,6		
Greece	381	432	113.4	839	1 070	127,5	0.2	2,5		
Netherlands	1 476	2 283	124.7	3 334	5 127	153,8	1.0	2,2		
Croatia	34 072	21 941	64.4	98 682	53 371	54,1	10,2	2,4		
Ireland	332	290	87.3	824	762	92,5	0.1	2,6		
Iceland	20	19	95.0	42	39	92,9	0.0	2,1		

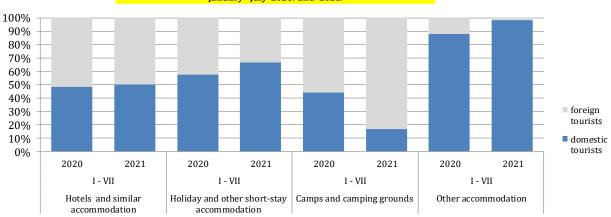
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	2 680	3 099	115.6	6 329	7 539	119.1	1,4	2,4
Cyprus	52	54	103.8	211	145	68.7	0.0	2,7
Latvia	27	91	337.0	70	397	567.1	0.1	4,4
Lithuania	196	117	59.7	418	283	67.7	0.1	2,4
Luxembourg	137	326	238.0	334	662	198.2	0.1	2.0
Hungary	1 079	1 681	155.8	3 278	4 424	135.0	0.8	2,6
Malta	14	11	78.6	44	29	65.9	0.0	2,6
Norway	325	414	127.4	780	1 185	151.9	0.2	2,9
Germany	4 169	8 504	204.0	9 847	22 476	228.3	4,3	2,6
Poland	636	2 104	330.8	1 517	4 244	279.8	0.8	2.0
Portugal	103	465	451.5	247	883	357.5	0.2	1,9
Romania	457	1 155	252.7	1 456	2 323	159.5	0.4	2.0
Russian Federation	976	1 221	125.1	2 447	2 292	93.7	0.4	1,9
Northern Macedonia	1 769	1 537	86.9	4 066	3 940	96.9	0.8	2,6
Slovakia	327	594	181.7	830	1 307	157.5	0.3	2,2
Slovenia	7 850	8 010	102.0	18 332	16 465	89.8	3,2	2,1
Serbia	27 219	49 283	181.1	70 600	108 311	153.4	20,8	2,1
	481	49 263 857	178.2		2 114	189.8	0.4	2,2
Spain			257.0	1 114				
Switzerland (including Liechtenstein)	1 379	3 544		3 377	8 488	251.3	1,6	2,4
Sweden	1 359	2 802	206.2	3 152	7 486 15 914	237.5	1,4	2,7
Turkey	5 437	7 154	131.6	12 142		131.1	3.0	2,2
United Kingdom	1 187	1 431	120.6	2 949	3 513	119.1	0.7	2,5
Ukraine	182	821	451.1	586	1 397	238.4	0.3	1,7
Other European countries	280	383	136.8	699	1 635	233.9	0.3	4,3
Egypt	164	299	182.3	495	953	192.5	0.2	3,2
South Africa	28	58	207.1	153	107	69.9	0.0	1,8
Other African countries	333	601	180.5	1 531	1 322	86.3	0.3	2,2
Canada	308	418	135.7	688	1 273	185.0	0.2	3.0
United States of America	2 813	6 213	220.9	5 889	13 166	223.6	2,5	2,1
Other Northern American countries	43	147	341.9	185	483	261.1	0.1	3,3
Brazil	238	231	97.1	609	553	90.8	0.1	2,4
Other Southern and Central American countries	273	671	245.8	859	1 455	169.4	0.3	2,2
Bahrain	472	3 982	843.6	1 246	9 544	733.0	1,8	2,4
India	133	278	209.0	321	896	279.1	0.2	3,2
Iran	68	54	79.4	825	319	38.7	0.1	5,9
Israel	189	1 297	686.2	445	3 645	819.1	0.7	2,8
Japan	415	105	25,3	890	343	38.5	0.1	3,3
Republic of Korea	1 528	38	2,5	1 633	165	10,1	0.0	4,3
Qatar	283	2 198	776.7	728	6 762	900.9 .)		3,1
China	4 354	673	15,5	7 079	2 336	33.0	0.4	3,5
Kuwait	606	4 468	737.3	2 903	17 211	592.9	3,3	3,9
Malaysia	857	41	4,8	1 261	97	7,7	0.0	2,4
Oman	457	2 226	487.1	1 120	5 660	505.4	1,1	2,5
Saudi Arabia	1 841	14 611	793.6	5 699	37 076	650.6	7,1	2,5
United Arab Emirates	1 102	30 060	900.9 1)	3 219	86 248	900.9	16,5	2,9
Other Asian countries	2 228	1 659	74.5	3 784	4 579	121.0	0.9	2,8
Australia	401	265	66.1	1 237	578	46.7	0.1	2,2
New Zealand	43	23	53.5	88	45	51.1	0.0	2.0
Other countries of Oceania	45	34	75.6	49	56	114.3	0.0	1,6

^{*)} final data

¹⁾ Index higher than 900.9





period

Table 3: Tourist arrivals and nights according to the classification of activities 1)

	ARRIVALS				I - VII 2021		
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TOTAL	260 346	460 653	176.9	641 752	1093 239	170.4	100.0
Hotels and similar accommodation	246 717	439 539	178.2	591 052	1012 296	171.3	92.6
Holiday and other short-stay accommodation	9 461	11 807	124.8	21 802	28 370	130.1	2,6
Camps and camping grounds	1 694	6 022	355.5	2 917	9 840	337.3	0.9
Other accommodation	2 474	3 285	132.8	25 981	42 733	164.5	3,9
Domestic tourists	134 751	247 650	183.8	323 980	571 429	176.4	52.3
Hotels and similar accommodation	125 872	234 024	185.9	287 361	508 775	177.1	46.5
Holiday and other short-stay accommodation	6 122	9 063	148.0	12 515	18 922	151.2	1,7
Camps and camping grounds	585	1 371	234.4	1 281	1 668	130.2	0.2
Other accommodation	2 172	3 192	147.0	22 823	42 064	184.3	3,8
Foreign tourist	125 595	213 003	169.6	317 772	521 810	164.2	47.7
Hotels and similar accommodation	120 845	205 515	170.1	303 691	503 521	165.8	46.1
Holiday and other short-stay accommodation	3 339	2 744	82.2	9 287	9 448	101.7	0.9
Camps and camping grounds	1 109	4 651	419.4	1 636	8 172	499.5	0.7
Ostali smještaj	302	93	30,8	3 158	669	21,2	0.1

 $^{1) \ \ \}textit{The Classification of Economic Activities of BiH 2010}$

^{*)} final data

NOTES ON 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 statistics of tourism in accordance with current EU ons 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, appends one night in a heatly or some other.

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.

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