



TRANSPORT

Cross-border traffic of passenger road motor vehicles and passengers, first quarter 2023¹

The total border incoming traffic to Bosnia and Herzegovina in the first quarter of 2023 amounted to slightly more than 4.47 million passengers. The total number of passengers at the entrance during the first quarter of 2023 is higher by 9.0% compared to the same period previous year. The total number of domestic passengers increased by 12.9%, while the number of foreign passengers increased by 6.6% compared to the first quarter of 2022.

Of the total number of passengers who entered to the BiH, 39.8% were domestic passengers and 60.2% were foreign passengers. In relation to the type of traffic, the largest part of cross-border passenger traffic refers to road cross-border traffic (95.0%).

The total number of passengers that exited from Bosnia and Herzegovina in the first quarter of 2023 increased by 7.5% compared to the same quarter of the previous year. The number of domestic passengers at the exit increased by 11.1%, while the number of foreign passengers increased by 5.0% compared to the same period previous year.

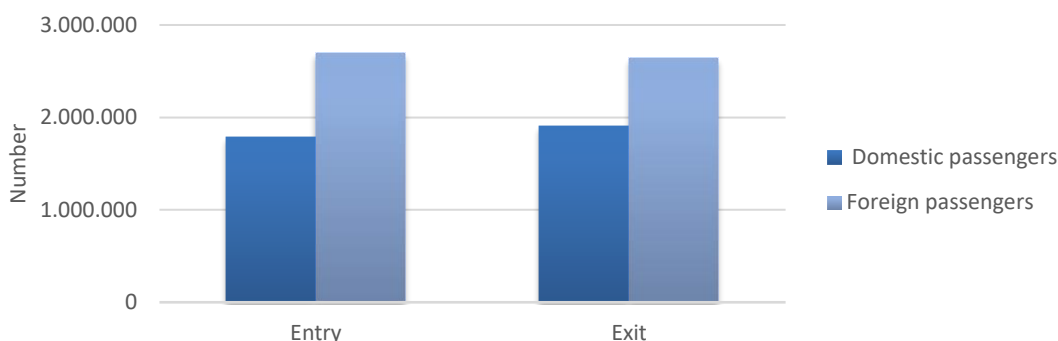
The total border traffic of passenger road motor vehicles at the entrance to Bosnia and Herzegovina in the first quarter of 2023 amounted to slightly more than 2.06 million vehicles. In the structure of road border traffic, 37.0% are domestic passenger motor vehicles, and 63.0% are foreign passenger motor vehicles.

The total number of passenger motor vehicles that entered Bosnia and Herzegovina in the first quarter of 2023 is higher by 4.9% compared to the same period previous year. The number of vehicles registered in our country increased by 14.3%.

The exit of passenger road motor vehicles from the Bosnia and Herzegovina increased by 3.1% compared to the same period 2022. The exit of vehicles registered in the country increased by 11.5%, while in the same period, the exit of vehicles with foreign registration plates decreased by 1.2%.

The largest number of vehicles entered through the border crossings with Croatia, 70.4%, then with Serbia, 25.6% and with Montenegro 3.9%.

G.1. Cross- border traffic total, first quarter 2023



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 first quarter 2023

	Entry			Exit		
	I 2022	I 2023	Index $\frac{I\ 2023}{I\ 2022}$	I 2022	I 2023	Index $\frac{I\ 2023}{I\ 2022}$
Cross- border traffic-total	4101851	4471262	109,0	4230911	4547848	107,5
Domestic passengers	1578223	1781285	112,9	1716529	1906979	111,1
Foreign passengers	2523628	2689977	106,6	2514382	2640869	105,0
Road cross-border traffic	3975715	4246413	106,8	4087954	4319986	105,7
Domestic passengers	1516326	1681021	110,9	1653760	1806573	109,2
Foreign passengers	2459389	2565392	104,3	2434194	2513413	103,3
Railway cross-border traffic	1311	1374	104,8	1337	1355	101,3
Domestic passengers	824	1052	127,7	862	1041	120,8
Foreign passengers	487	322	66,1	475	314	66,1
Inland waterway cross border traffic	17	40	235,3	12	32	266,7
Domestic passengers	12	12	100,0	12	12	100,0
Foreign passengers	5	28	560,0	0	20	
Maritime cross-border traffic	5	13	260,0	5	13	260,0
Domestic passengers	0	0		0	0	
Foreign passengers	5	13	260,0	5	13	260,0
Air cross-border traffic	124803	223422	179,0	141603	226462	159,9
Domestic passengers	61061	99200	162,5	61895	99353	160,5
Foreign passengers	63742	124222	194,9	79708	127109	159,5

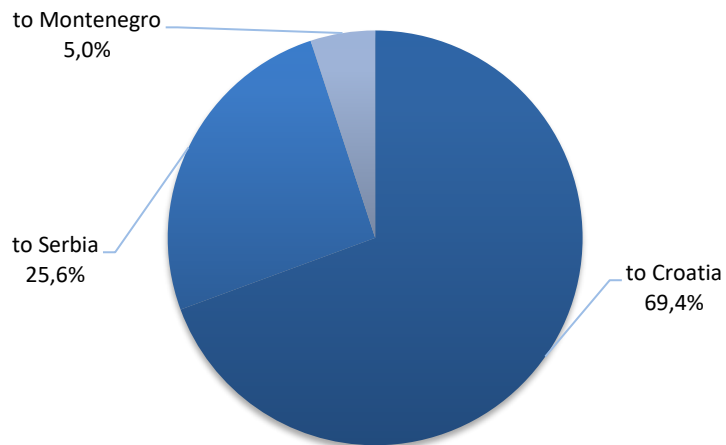
T.2 Cross-border traffic of passenger road motor vehicles , first quarter 2023

	Entry			Exit		
	I 2022	I 2023	Index $\frac{I\ 2023}{I\ 2022}$	I 2022	I 2023	Index $\frac{I\ 2023}{I\ 2022}$
Passenger road motor vehicles in cross- border traffic	1965011	2060419	104,9	2024298	2086656	103,1
Domestic plates	666265	761754	114,3	687447	766497	111,5
Foreign plates	1298746	1298665	100,0	1336851	1320159	98,8
Motorcycle	1353	2155	159,3	1373	2082	151,6
Domestic plates	378	643	170,1	414	690	166,7
Foreign plates	975	1512	155,1	959	1392	145,2
Passenger cars	1948398	2040936	104,7	2007599	2067252	103,0
Domestic plates	656713	750702	114,3	677724	755425	111,5
Foreign plates	1291685	1290234	99,9	1329875	1311827	98,6
Busses	15260	17328	113,6	15326	17322	113,0
Domestic plates	9174	10409	113,5	9309	10382	111,5
Foreign plates	6086	6919	113,7	6017	6940	115,3

T.3 Cross-border traffic of passenger road motor vehicles and passengers by direction, first quarter 2023

	Entry			Exit		
	I 2022	I 2023	Index $\frac{I\ 2023}{I\ 2022}$	I 2022	I 2023	Index $\frac{I\ 2023}{I\ 2022}$
Traffic of passenger vehicles						
	1965011	2060419	104,9	2024298	2086656	103,1
Bosnia and Herzegovina-Croatia border	1408133	1451128	103,1	1483660	1510404	101,8
Bosnia and Herzegovina-Serbia border	499924	528434	105,7	483959	497072	102,7
Bosnia and Herzegovina-Montenegro border	56954	80857	142,0	56679	79180	139,7
Traffic of passengers						
	3975715	4246413	106,8	4087954	4319986	105,7
Bosnia and Herzegovina-Croatia border	2753745	2908655	105,6	2910809	3035110	104,3
Bosnia and Herzegovina-Serbia border	1084117	1122181	103,5	1036890	1068957	103,1
Bosnia and Herzegovina-Montenegro border	137853	215577	156,4	140255	215919	153,9

G.2. Total border traffic of passengers at border crossings, first quarter 2023



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 cross-border 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 include: motorcycles, passenger cars, buses. ...

A motorcycle is a motor vehicle on a road two, three or four wheels whose unladen 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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- no occurrence of event
- ... data not available
- * corrected data

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