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Arrivals and overnight stays in collective accommodation

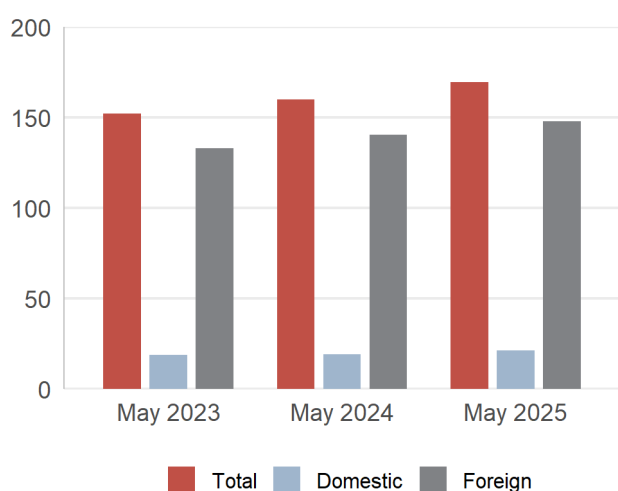
May 2025

In Montenegro in May 2025, in collective accommodation¹ (hotels, vacation facilities, boarding houses, motels, tourist resorts, hostels etc.), tourists realised 169 353 arrivals and 496 065 overnight stays.

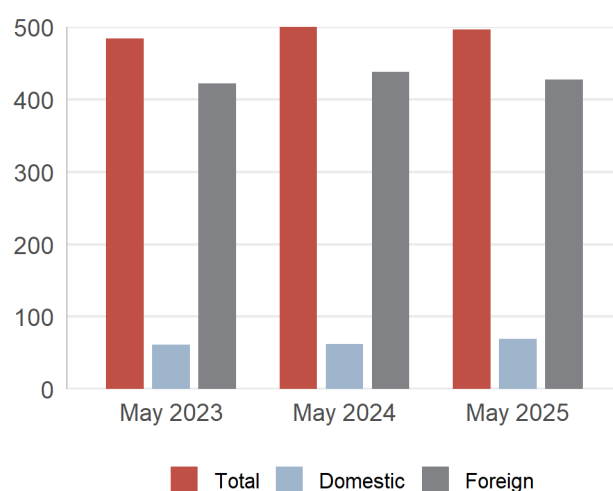
Overnight stays of foreign tourists represent 86.1% while the domestic tourists represent 13.9% of all overnight stays in collective accommodation.

Concerning the structure of overnight stays by types of resorts in May 2025 the most of them were recorded in seaside resorts (87.4%), capital (7.6%), mountain resorts (2.8%) and other resorts (2.2%).

Graph 1. Tourists arrivals, in thous.



Graph 2. Tourists overnights, in thous.



¹ Collective accommodation establishments include hotels, camping sites, tourist resorts, vacation facilities, boarding houses, motels, etc. Collective accommodation establishments do not include individual, so-called "private accommodation" (rented accommodation in houses, rooms and apartments).

Note: The data of the individual, so-called "private accommodation" (rented accommodation in houses, rooms and apartments) will be processed and published annually since 2018, according to the Annual Plan of Official Statistics.

Table 1. Tourists arrivals and overnight stays in collective accommodation by municipalities², May 2025

	Arrivals				Overnight stays			
	foreign	domestic	total	structure	foreign	domestic	total	structure
	(1)	(2)	(3)=(1)+(2)	(3) ln %	(1)	(2)	(3)=(1)+(2)	(3) ln %
Total	147 843	21 510	169 353	100.0	427 017	69 048	496 065	100.0
Andrijevica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bar	7 008	2 072	9 080	5.4	18 352	5 047	23 399	4.7
Berane	429	221	650	0.4	771	325	1 096	0.2
Bijelo Polje	216	185	401	0.2	371	267	638	0.1
Budva	65 088	8 623	73 711	43.5	209 480	23 633	233 113	47.0
Cetinje	309	1 253	1 562	0.9	485	2 874	3 359	0.7
Danilovgrad	154	4	158	0.1	257	9	266	0.1
Gusinje	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Herceg Novi	15 891	2 077	17 968	10.6	62 415	19 217	81 632	16.5
Kolasin	4 438	634	5 072	3.0	7 313	1 130	8 443	1.7
Kotor	13 360	426	13 786	8.1	35 383	1 192	36 575	7.4
Mojkovac	150	160	310	0.2	189	270	459	0.1
Niksic	1 084	550	1 634	1.0	1 616	1 023	2 639	0.5
Petnjica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plav	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pljevlja	596	209	805	0.5	851	299	1 150	0.2
Pluzine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Podgorica	18 570	1 458	20 028	11.8	34 374	3 099	37 473	7.6
Rozaje	153	32	185	0.1	198	141	339	0.1
Savnik	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tivat	8 120	336	8 456	5.0	20 679	589	21 268	4.3
Tuzi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ulcinj	7 927	2 933	10 860	6.4	28 409	9 204	37 613	7.6
Zabljak	2 236	238	2 474	1.5	3 586	608	4 194	0.8
Zeta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 2. Tourists arrivals and overnight stays in collective accommodation by type of place³, May 2025

	Arrivals				Overnight stays			
	foreign	domestic	total	structure	foreign	domestic	total	structure
	(1)	(2)	(3)=(1)+(2)	(3) u %	(1)	(2)	(3)=(1)+(2)	(3) u %
Total	147 843	21 510	169 353	100.0	427 017	69 048	496 065	100.0
Capital	18 570	1 458	20 028	11.8	34 374	3 099	37 473	7.6
Seaside resorts	117 394	16 467	133 861	79.0	374 718	58 882	433 600	87.4
Mountain resorts	7 775	981	8 756	5.2	12 083	1 971	14 054	2.8
Other resorts	4 104	2 604	6 708	4.0	5 842	5 096	10 938	2.2

² Due to the small number of reporting units, data for the municipalities of Andrijevica, Gusinje, Petnjica, Plav, Pluzine, Savnik, Tuzi, and Zeta were not presented due to the indirect recognition of reporting units. Data confidentiality is defined in Article 54 of the Law on Official Statistics and the Official Statistical System (Official Gazette of Montenegro No 018/12 of 30.03.2012, 047/19 of 12.08.2019, and 23/25). The data for these municipalities shall not be published until the obtaining written approvals of the reporting units as defined in Article 61 of the Law.

³ **Capital city:** Podgorica.

Seaside resorts: Bar, Budva, Kotor, Tivat, Ulcinj, and Herceg Novi.

Mountain resorts: Andrijevica, Gusinje, Kolasin, Plav, Pluzine, Rozaje, Savnik, and Zabljak.

Other resorts: Berane, Bijelo Polje, Cetinje, Mojkovac, Nikšić, Petnjica, Pljevlja, Danilovgrad, Tuzi, and Zeta.

Table 3. Arrivals and overnight stays of foreign tourists by country of residence in collective accommodation, May 2025

Country	Arrivals	Structure, in %	Overnight stays	Structure, in %
Foreign tourists	147 843	100.0	427 017	100.0
Europe	111 019	75.1	347 888	81.5
Albania	2 720	1.8	4 156	1.0
Austria	4 690	3.2	19 801	4.6
Belgium	1 689	1.1	5 290	1.2
Belarus	118	0.1	441	0.1
Bosnia and Herzegovina	4 494	3.0	11 139	2.6
Bulgaria	1 905	1.3	4 894	1.1
Czech Republic	661	0.4	1 754	0.4
Denmark	286	0.2	760	0.2
Estonia	945	0.6	4 079	1.0
Finland	1 027	0.7	3 900	0.9
France	15 746	10.7	60 270	14.1
Greece	862	0.6	1 797	0.4
Netherlands	1 508	1.0	3 922	0.9
Croatia	4 262	2.9	11 935	2.8
Ireland	775	0.5	3 366	0.8
Iceland	94	0.1	635	0.1
Italy	1 861	1.3	3 878	0.9
Cyprus	102	0.1	251	0.1
Kosovo	4 032	2.7	8 034	1.9
Latvia	493	0.3	2 018	0.5
Lithuania	1 122	0.8	4 928	1.2
Luxembourg	107	0.1	386	0.1
Hungary	1 011	0.7	2 591	0.6
Malta	22	0.0	39	0.0
North Macedonia	1 741	1.2	3 803	0.9
Norway	997	0.7	3 290	0.8
Germany	11 009	7.4	33 733	7.9
Poland	4 916	3.3	19 037	4.5
Portugal	462	0.3	1 307	0.3
Romania	1 134	0.8	2 486	0.6
Russian Federation	3 491	2.4	10 415	2.4
Slovakia	376	0.3	995	0.2
Slovenia	1 682	1.1	4 043	0.9
Serbia	12 709	8.6	35 481	8.3
Spain	1 286	0.9	2 899	0.7
Switzerland (including Liechtenstein)	1 123	0.8	2 793	0.7
Sweden	764	0.5	2 471	0.6
Turkey	5 602	3.8	11 609	2.7
Ukraine	766	0.5	2 222	0.5
United Kingdom	11 534	7.8	47 569	11.1
Other European countries	895	0.6	3 471	0.8
Non-European countries	36 824	24.9	79 129	18.5
South Africa	306	0.2	782	0.2
Other African countries	956	0.6	2 409	0.6
Canada	950	0.6	2 195	0.5
USA	6 088	4.1	13 829	3.2
Other Northern American countries	331	0.2	802	0.2
Argentina	116	0.1	190	0.0
Brazil	565	0.4	1 070	0.3
Chile	32	0.0	71	0.0
Other Central or South American countries	377	0.3	729	0.2
China (including Hong Kong)	9 268	6.3	11 737	2.7
Japan	420	0.3	652	0.2
Republic of Korea	455	0.3	516	0.1
Israel	12 181	8.2	33 297	7.8
India	865	0.6	2 158	0.5
Azerbaijan	298	0.2	1 015	0.2
United Arab Emirates	70	0.0	129	0.0
Other Asian countries	1 916	1.3	4 253	1.0
Australia	1 243	0.8	2 558	0.6
New Zealand	183	0.1	378	0.1
Oceania and other territories	204	0.1	359	0.1

METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

Data on tourist traffic in collective accommodation (number of arrivals and overnight stays) have been collected by regular Monthly report on tourists arrivals and overnight stays in the collective accommodation establishments (form TU-11). Reports are made according to guest books which are led by reception of collective accommodation establishments (all types of hotels, vacation facilities, boarding houses, motels, tourist resorts, hostels, etc.). Collective accommodation establishments do not include individual, so-called "private accommodation" (rented accommodation in houses, rooms and apartments).

Tourist is a person who spends at least one night in an accommodation facility or some other object for accommodation of tourist, in a place other than his/her place of permanent residence for the reasons of rest or recreation, health, studies, sports, religion, family, business, public missions or meetings. Tourists do not include migrants, border workers, diplomats, member of military forces in the regular duty, refugees, etc. Tourists are not persons who stays longer than 12 consecutive months in place visited, persons engaged in some activity funded from the place of the visit, persons who regularly, daily and weekly travel to the place for work or study, migrants, border workers, diplomatic and consular representatives, refugees, displaced persons, persons in transit who do not formally enter the country, permanent residents who travel to another place with the intention to reside there permanently, people who are temporarily working in Montenegro and receive a salary for their work.

Domestic tourist is a person with permanent residence in Montenegro who temporarily resides in any place of Montenegro, and spends at least one night in accommodation facility.

Foreign tourist is a person with permanent residence outside Montenegro, who temporarily resides in any place in Montenegro, and spends at least one night in an accommodation facility.

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