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Tourism in October 2022

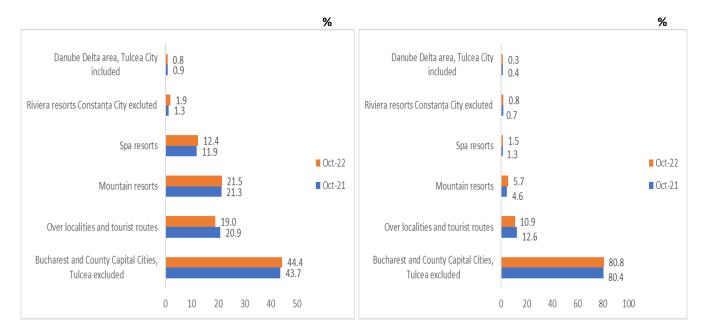
- Compared to October 2021, in October 2022, the arrivals in the establishments of tourists' reception with functions of tourists' accommodation and the overnight stays increased by 49.7%.
- Compared to October 2021, in October 2022 customs registered an increase in the arrivals¹⁾ of foreign visitors of 80.1% and an increase of 47.9% in the departures¹⁾ abroad of the Romanian visitors.
- 1. Arrivals and overnight stays in the establishments of tourists' reception with functions of tourists' accommodation in October

		Arrivals		Overnight stays			
	October 2021	October 2022	October 2022 compared to October 2021	October 2021	October 2022	October 2022 compared to October 2021	
	-thou-	-thou-	-%-	-thou-	-thou-	-%	
Total	648.1	970.1	149.7	1364.3	2042.0	149.7	
Romanian tourists	549.1	813.9	148.2	1146.2	1698.5	148.2	
Foreign tourists*) of which	99.0	156.2	157.8	218.1	343.5	157.5	
- Europe	75.9	115.4	152.0	163.8	242.4	148.0	
- European Union	58.7	83.8	1 4 2.8	123.8	177.0	143.0	
- Asia	8.1	19.9	245.7	22.3	52.0	233.2	
- North America	7.0	13.1	187.1	16.8	29.6	176.2	
- South America	0.6	1.4	233.3	1.3	3.9	300.0	
- Africa	0.6	1.3	216.7	1.7	4.6	270.6	

^{*)} By country of residence; Table data can be found in .xlsx format attached to the press release on the homepage.

Methodological notes attached to the press release on the homepage.

- 1. The distribution of Romanian tourists' arrivals in the establishments of tourists' reception, by tourist areas, in October 2022 compared to October 2021
- 2. The distribution of foreign tourists' arrivals in the establishments of tourists' reception, by tourist areas, in October 2022 compared to October 2021



Graph data in .xlsx format attached to the press release on the homepage.

In October 2022, **the arrivals** in the establishments of tourists' reception amounted to 970.1 thousand persons, increasing by 49.7% compared to October 2021.

In October 2022, the arrivals of the Romanian tourists in the establishments of tourists' reception with functions of tourists' accommodation were 83.9% of the total arrivals, while the foreign tourists were 16.1%.

In October 2022, **the overnight stays** in the establishments of tourists' reception amounted to 2042.0 thousand, increasing by 49.7% compared to October 2021.

In October 2022, the Romanian tourists' overnight stays in the establishments of tourists' reception with functions of tourists' accommodation were 83.2% of the total overnight stays, while the foreign tourists' overnight stays were 16.8%.

In October 2022, the average duration of stay was 2.1 days for Romanian tourists and 2.2 days for foreign tourists.

In October 2022, **the net use index** of accommodation places was 31.7% on total tourists' accommodation structures, increasing by 10.1 percentage points compared to October 2021.

In October 2022, the arrivals of foreign visitors in Romania, according to *customs*, amounted to 1104.4 thousand persons, increasing by 80.1% compared to October 2021.

In October 2022, **the departures of Romanian visitors abroad,** according to *customs*, amounted to 1502.9 thousand persons, increasing by 47.9% compared to October 2021.

2. Arrivals and overnight stays in the establishments of tourists' reception with functions of tourists' accommodation - in the period 1.01.-31.10.2022 compared to the period 1.01.-31.10.2021

		Arrivals		Overnight stays			
	Period 1.01 31.10.2021	Period 1.01 31.10.2022	Period 1.01 31.10.2022 compared to period 1.01- 31.10.2021	Period 1.01 31.10.2021	Period 1.01 31.10.2022	Period 1.01 31.10.2022 compared to period 1.01 31.10.2021	
	-thou-	-thou-	-%-	-thou-	-thou-	-%	
Total	8158.4	9674.7	118.6	18487.2	21104.2	114.2	
Romanian tourists	7441.3	8349.7	112.2	16933.4	18221.5	107.6	
Foreign tourists**), of which:	717.1	1325.0	184.8	1553.8	2882.7	185.5	
- Europe	565.2	996.2	176.3	1200.0	2062.1	171.8	
- European Union	437.6	728.1	166. <i>4</i>	916.8	1498.5	163.4	
- Asia	61.6	162.1	263.1	152.7	426.9	279.6	
- North America	44.7	101.5	227.1	101.7	238.0	234.0	
- South America	3.5	10.1	288.6	8.9	28.0	314.6	
- Africa	4.5	11.7	260.0	10.7	33.5	313.1	

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In the period 1.01.-31.10.2022, **the arrivals** in the establishments of tourists' reception amounted to 9674.7 thousand persons, 18.6% more compared to the period 1.01.-31.10.2021.

In the period 1.01.-31.10.2022, the arrivals of the Romanian tourists in the establishments of tourists' reception with functions of tourists' accommodation were 86.3% of the total arrivals, while the foreign tourists were 13.7%.

In the period 1.01.-31.10.2022, **the overnight stays** in the establishments of tourists' reception amounted to 21104.2 thousand, 14.2% more compared to the period 1.01.-31.10.2021.

In the period 1.01.-31.10.2022, the Romanian tourists' overnight stays in the establishments of tourists' reception with functions of tourists' accommodation were 86.3% of the total overnight stays, while the foreign tourists' overnight stays were 13.7%.

In the period 1.01.-31.10.2022, **the average duration of stay** was 2.2 days for both Romanian and foreign tourists.

In the period 1.01.-31.10.2022, **the net use index** of accommodation places was 30.7% on total tourists' accommodation structures, 2.9 percentage points more compared to the period 1.01.-31.10.2021.

By county²⁾, the number of **tourists' arrivals** in the establishments of tourists' reception with functions of tourists' accommodation in the period 1.01.-31.10.2022 recorded higher values in Constanţa (1215.3 thousand persons), Bucharest Municipality (1211.3 thousand persons) and Braşov (991.5 thousand persons), and while the number of **tourists' overnight stays** in the establishments of tourists' reception with functions of tourists' accommodation recorded higher values in Constanţa (4014.0 thousand), Bucharest Municipality (2383.3 thousand) and Braşov (1853.9 thousand).

By country¹⁾, the most arrivals of the foreign tourists accommodated in establishments of tourists' reception with functions of tourists' accommodation in the period 1.01.-31.10.2022 came from: Germany (150.4 thousand persons), Israel (119.4 thousand persons) and Italy (95.8 thousand persons).

In the period 1.01.-31.10.2022, **the arrivals of foreign visitors to Romania**, according to *customs*, amounted to 10710.0 thousand persons, 86.4% more compared to the period 1.01.-31.10.2021.

In the period 1.01.-31.10.2022, **the departures of Romanian visitors abroad,** according to *customs*, amounted to 14737.1 thousand persons, by 48.8% more compared to the period 1.01.-31.10.2021.

1. Arrivals and overnight stays in apartments and rooms for rent in October

		Arrivals		Overnights			
	October 2021 -thou-	October 2022 –thou-	October 2022 compared to October 2021 -%-	October 2021 -thou-	October 2022 –thou-	October 2022 compared to October 2021 -%	
Total	45.1	77.5	171.8	82.8	144.4	174.4	
Romanian tourists	40.9	68.9	168.5	72.5	125.5	173.1	
Foreign tourists	4.2	8.6	204.8	10.3	18.9	183.5	

Arrivals in apartments and rooms for rent registered in October 2022 amounted to 77.5 thousand persons, an increase of 71.8% compared to October 2021.

Of the total number of arrivals, in October 2022, the arrivals of Romanian tourists in apartments and rooms for rent accounted for 88.9%, while the foreign tourists were 11.1%.

The overnight stays registered in apartments and rooms for rent in October 2022 amounted to 144.4 thousand, an increase of 74.4% compared to those in October 2021.

Of the total number of overnight stays, in October 2022, the overnight stays of Romanian tourists in apartments and rooms for rent accounted for 86.9%, while the overnight stays of foreign tourists registered a percentage of 13.1%.

2. Arrivals and overnight stays in apartments and rooms for rent, in the period 01.01-31.10.2022 compared to the period 01.01-31.10.2021

		Arrivals		Overnight stays			
	Period 01.01- 31.10.2021 -thou-	Period 01.01- 31.10.2022 -thou-	Period 01.01- 31.10.2022 compared to period 01.01- 31.10.2021 -%-	Period 01.01- 31.10.2021 -thou-	Period 01.01- 31.10.2022 -thou-	Period 01.01- 31.10.2022 compared to period 01.01- 31.10.2021 %	
Total	665.3	919.3	138.2	1573.6	1998.7	127.0	
Romanian tourists	638.6	854.5	133.8	1505.2	1855.4	123.3	
Foreign tourists	26.7	64.8	242.7	68.4	143.3	209.5	

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Arrivals in apartments and rooms for rent registered in the period 01.01-31.10.2022, amounted to 919.3 thousand persons, an increase of 38.2% compared to the period 01.01-31.10.2021.

Of the total number of arrivals, in the period 01.01-31.10.2022, the arrivals of Romanian tourists in apartments and rooms for rent accounted for 93.0%, while the foreign tourists were only 7.0%.

By county²⁾, in the period 01.01-31.10.2022, the number of **tourist arrivals** in apartments and rooms for rent registered higher values in: Constanţa (198.7 thousand persons), Braşov (149.8 thousand persons), and Bucharest Municipality (122.3 thousand persons).

The overnight stays registered in apartments and rooms for rent in the period 01.01-31.10.2022 amounted to 1998.7 thousand, an increase of 27.0% compared to those in the period 01.01-31.10.2021.

Of the total number of overnight stays, in the period 01.01-31.10.2022, the overnight stays of Romanian tourists in apartments and rooms for rent accounted for 92.8%, while the overnight stays of foreign tourists registered a percentage of 7.2%.

By county²⁾, **overnight stays of tourists** in apartments and rooms for rent in the period 01.01-31.10.2022 registered higher values in: Constanţa (639.7 thousand), Braşov (274.7 thousand) and Bucharest Municipality (236.5 thousand).

²⁾ Additional information on data in the press release can be found in the .xlsx file attached to the press release on the homepage.

Additional Information:

Methodological notes

The arrival of a tourist in an establishment of tourists' reception with functions of tourists' accommodation is registered when a person signs in the register of the respective establishment for one night or several nights' accommodation. In each establishment of tourists' reception with functions of tourists' accommodation, regardless of the number of overnight stays, the continuous stay of a tourist counts as one arrival.

The overnight stay means the 24-hours interval, starting with the admission hour of the respective establishment, for which a person signs in the register of the establishment and benefits of accommodation according to the price paid, even if the actual stay lasts less than the mentioned interval.

The net use index of accommodation places represents the relationship between the capacity of tourist accommodation in operation and its actual use by tourists within a determined period. We do the calculation by dividing the total number of overnight stays completed with the tourist accommodation capacity in operation, in the respective period.

The nomenclature of the accommodation structures was established starting from the list of authorized accommodation structures, downloaded from the website of the Ministry of Entrepreneurship and Tourism-Department for Tourism, on June 23, 2022.

The list included 13513 structures with over 10 bed places, of which 9508 accommodation structures and 4005 apartments and rooms for rent.

In October 2022, out of the total accommodation places, 3472 units were in major repairs and 2231 did not complete the questionnaire for other reasons.

For additional information, kindly see the on-line TEMPO database of INS (data for October 2022 will be available on December 6, 2022) and the statistical publication "Monthly Statistical Bulletin" (date of issue December 27, 2022).

The next issue of the press release on tourism will be on Friday, January 6, 2023.

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