

Statistical product

Tourism and hotel business - Arrivals and overnights stays

This survey aims at measuring the volume of domestic tourism and of inbound tourism, expressed in terms of arrivals and of overnights stays, by purpose of the trip and by country of residence of the tourist.

Metadata update

<i>Document update</i>	13/03/2023
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Presentation

Keywords

Domain 3.6.05. Tourism

Statistical unit - Title Local kind-of-activity unit (local KAU)

Statistical unit - Description The local kind-of-activity unit (local KAU) is the part of a KAU which corresponds to a local unit.

Statistical population - Title Accommodation establishments

Statistical population - Description An accommodation establishment that provides lodging for the traveller in a room or some other unit and all places of which come under a common commercial-type management.

Geographical coverage Belgium

Time coverage

Sectors

Other coverage

Reference period

<i>First reference period available</i>	2004
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Institutional mandate

Mandatory statistical production Statistics produced pursuant to a European legal obligation

Legal reference Regulation (EU) No 692/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 July 2011 concerning European statistics on tourism and repealing Council Directive 95/57/EC, Royal

Institutional mandate

Decree of 12 January 2015 prescribing monthly statistics on tourism and the hotel industry

Confidentiality

Confidentiality - level

Publication policy

Release calendar The release calendar is available via the internet

Periodicity Monthly

Dissemination format

Press release Press release

Publications Publication on the Internet (www.statbel.fgov.be)

Online database

Open data

Access to micro data

Other

Accessibility of the documentation

Documentation on the methods <https://statbel.fgov.be/en/themes/enterprises/tourist-accommodations#documents>

Documentation on the quality

Quality management

Quality assurance

Quality evaluation

Relevance

User needs Institutional clients., Professional clients., Ad hoc questions .

User satisfaction This statistic meets the needs of users .

Completeness Yes (except nace 55203: sample).

Accuracy and reliability

Accuracy The possible biases are under control .

Sampling error Not applicable.

Non-Sampling error The measurement and processing errors are under control .

Timeliness

<i>Timeliness</i>	Results available 3 months after the reference period
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Comparability

<i>Comparability - geographical</i>	Geographically comparable.
<i>Comparability – Over time</i>	Comparable in time.
<i>Comparability - Sectorial</i> <i>Comparability - Other</i>	The sectoral comparability does not apply .

Coherence

<i>Internal coherence</i>	Yes.
<i>Cross-field coherence</i>	Not applicable.

Data revision

<i>Data revision - policy</i> <i>Data revision - practice</i>	Review of the provisional figures due to the availability of more and better data. The monthly figures are recalculated when preparing the annual figures .
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Statistical processing

<i>Source data - surveys</i>	Survey of tourism and hotel business
<i>Source data - Administrative data</i>	-
<i>Source data – Statistical products</i>	-
<i>Frequency of data collection</i>	Monthly
<i>Data collection</i>	SAPQ (Self Administered Paper Questionnaire)., SAWQ (Self Administered Web Questionnaire).
<i>Data composition</i> <i>Adjustment</i>	

Remarks

Related documents

<i>Title</i>	<i>URL</i>
Release calendar	https://statbel.fgov.be/en/calendar

Related documents

Internet: Tourist accommodations	https://statbel.fgov.be/en/themes/enterprises/tourist-accommodations
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External IDs

Type	ID
INVS	INVS-5006050

Statistical variables

Title	Definition	Unit/Nomenclature
Municipality	-	REFNIS
Purpose of the voyage	There is only one main purpose of the voyage, without which the trip would not have been undertaken. The directive distinguishes two main reasons for a trip: i) business and professional reasons, ii) holiday, leisure and leisure activities. Holidays to visit family and friends are covered by item ii).	Business / vacation
Month	-	Month of the year
Number of arrivals	An arrival is defined as a person who arrives at a collective accommodation establishment and stays for at least one night. Arrivals are registered by country of residence of the guest and by purpose of the trip.	N (Absolute frequency)
Number of stays	It is each night that a guest actually spends or is registered in a collective accommodation establishment. The overnight stays are registered by country of residence of the guest and by purpose of the trip.	N (Absolute frequency)
Country of residence of the tourist	The country of residence is the country in which the traveler has lived for most of the past 12 months.	GEOBEL
Type of accommodation	The collective lodging companies are classified according to the nace code.	NACEBEL