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Arrivals and overnight stays in collective accommodation

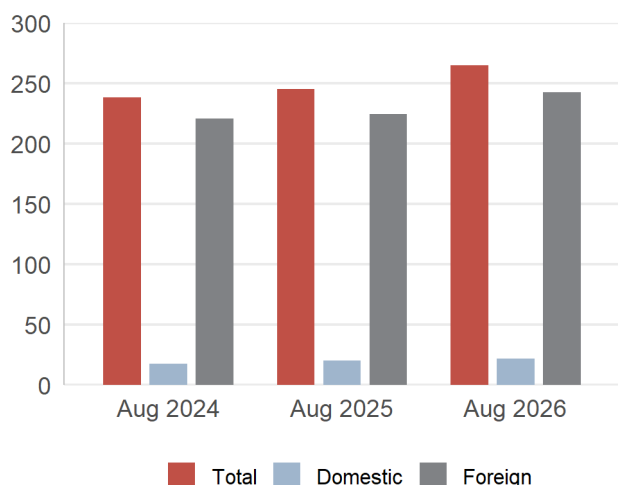
August 2026

In Montenegro in August 2026, in collective accommodation¹ (hotels, vacation facilities, boarding houses, motels, tourist resorts, hostels etc.), tourists realised 264 475 arrivals and 1 125 805 overnight stays.

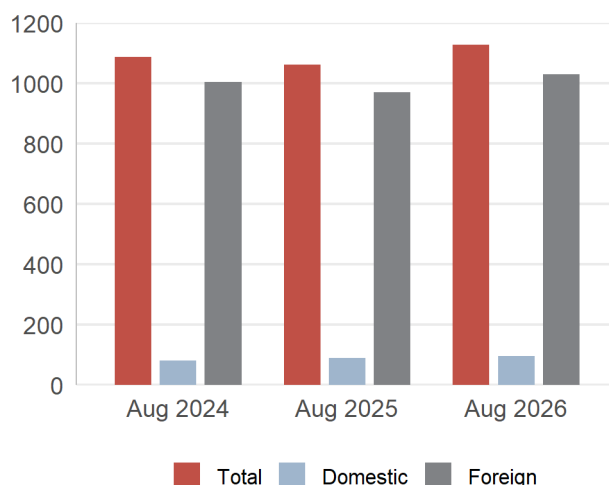
Overnight stays of foreign tourists represent 91.4% while the domestic tourists represent 8.6% of all overnight stays in collective accommodation.

Concerning the structure of overnight stays by types of resorts in August 2026 the most of them were recorded in seaside resorts (92.1%), capital (3.6%), mountain resorts (2.8%) and other resorts (1.5%).

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, August 2026

	Arrivals				Overnight stays			
	foreign	domestic	total	structure	foreign	domestic	total	structure
	(1)	(2)	(3)=(1)+(2)	(3) in %	(1)	(2)	(3)=(1)+(2)	(3) in %
Total	242 469	22 006	264 475	100.0	1 028 746	97 059	1 125 805	100.0
Andrijevica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bar	26 335	2 150	28 485	10.8	145 345	8 550	153 895	13.7
Berane	407	366	773	0.3	612	847	1 459	0.1
Bijelo Polje	505	149	654	0.2	662	214	876	0.1
Budva	92 166	5 292	97 458	36.8	460 121	24 109	484 230	43.0
Cetinje	614	344	958	0.4	914	2 112	3 026	0.3
Danilovgrad	144	-	144	0.1	163	-	163	0.0
Gusinje	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Herceg Novi	25 600	2 637	28 237	10.7	137 753	22 938	160 691	14.3
Kolasin	4 506	1 780	6 286	2.4	11 953	4 985	16 938	1.5
Kotor	17 557	1 976	19 533	7.4	48 597	9 503	58 100	5.2
Mojkovac	709	112	821	0.3	1 061	162	1 223	0.1
Niksic	2 168	492	2 660	1.0	4 398	1 566	5 964	0.5
Petnjica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plav	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pljevlja	655	400	1 055	0.4	867	595	1 462	0.1
Pluzine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Podgorica	22 309	989	23 298	8.8	38 632	1 813	40 445	3.6
Rozaje	174	59	233	0.1	286	170	456	0.0
Savnik	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tivat	16 831	1 698	18 529	7.0	52 053	4 429	56 482	5.0
Tuzi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ulcinj	23 558	2 389	25 947	9.8	112 375	11 123	123 498	11.0
Zabljak	4 267	919	5 186	2.0	7 898	3 458	11 356	1.0
Zeta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 2. Tourists arrivals and overnight stays in collective accommodation by type of place³, August 2026

	Arrivals				Overnight stays			
	foreign	domestic	total	structure	foreign	domestic	total	structure
	(1)	(2)	(3)=(1)+(2)	(3) in %	(1)	(2)	(3)=(1)+(2)	(3) in %
Total	242 469	22 006	264 475	100.0	1 028 746	97 059	1 125 805	100.0
Capital	22 309	989	23 298	8.8	38 632	1 813	40 445	3.6
Seaside resorts	202 047	16 142	218 189	82.5	956 244	80 652	1 036 896	92.1
Mountain resorts	10 908	2 951	13 859	5.2	22 849	9 037	31 886	2.8
Other resorts	7 205	1 924	9 129	3.5	11 021	5 557	16 578	1.5

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 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, August 2026

Country	Arrivals	Structure, in %	Overnight stays	Structure, in %
Foreign tourists	242 469	100.0	1 028 746	100.0
Europe	198 748	82.0	902 243	87.7
Albania	2 396	1.0	6 184	0.6
Austria	2 574	1.1	9 404	0.9
Belgium	1 979	0.8	6 571	0.6
Belarus	355	0.1	1 488	0.1
Bosnia and Herzegovina	14 042	5.8	71 260	6.9
Bulgaria	813	0.3	2 455	0.2
Czech Republic	3 221	1.3	18 546	1.8
Denmark	649	0.3	2 636	0.3
Estonia	800	0.3	3 623	0.4
Finland	566	0.2	2 069	0.2
France	11 974	4.9	54 262	5.3
Greece	1 218	0.5	2 582	0.3
Netherlands	3 305	1.4	10 406	1.0
Croatia	2 553	1.1	8 565	0.8
Ireland	796	0.3	2 827	0.3
Iceland	88	0.0	228	0.0
Italy	5 491	2.3	16 146	1.6
Cyprus	253	0.1	607	0.1
Kosovo	6 240	2.6	23 984	2.3
Latvia	1 103	0.5	5 993	0.6
Lithuania	3 073	1.3	16 215	1.6
Luxembourg	711	0.3	2 745	0.3
Hungary	3 030	1.2	13 392	1.3
Malta	116	0.0	292	0.0
North Macedonia	2 473	1.0	10 853	1.1
Norway	762	0.3	2 659	0.3
Germany	10 408	4.3	38 937	3.8
Poland	11 646	4.8	56 452	5.5
Portugal	1 397	0.6	3 874	0.4
Romania	3 759	1.6	15 760	1.5
Russian Federation	14 256	5.9	63 225	6.1
Slovakia	1 601	0.7	8 532	0.8
Slovenia	2 052	0.8	8 053	0.8
Serbia	46 354	19.1	255 940	24.9
Spain	3 603	1.5	8 637	0.8
Switzerland (including Liechtenstein)	2 086	0.9	7 700	0.7
Sweden	1 779	0.7	6 161	0.6
Turkey	7 361	3.0	19 524	1.9
Ukraine	7 201	3.0	40 667	4.0
United Kingdom	13 409	5.5	60 736	5.9
Other European countries	1 255	0.5	12 053	1.2
Non-European countries	43 721	18.0	126 503	12.3
South Africa	322	0.1	1 008	0.1
Other African countries	1 434	0.6	5 091	0.5
Canada	1 262	0.5	3 836	0.4
USA	8 691	3.6	23 697	2.3
Other Northern American countries	386	0.2	1 019	0.1
Argentina	149	0.1	414	0.0
Brasil	591	0.2	1 425	0.1
Chile	88	0.0	253	0.0
Other Central or South American countries	568	0.2	1 417	0.1
China (including Hong Kong)	4 970	2.0	7 152	0.7
Japan	292	0.1	402	0.0
Republic of Korea	380	0.2	603	0.1
Israel	13 987	5.8	46 616	4.5
India	1 174	0.5	3 179	0.3
Azerbaijan	1 176	0.5	6 206	0.6
United Arab Emirates	473	0.2	1 254	0.1
Other Asian countries	5 504	2.3	17 128	1.7
Australia	1 647	0.7	4 630	0.5
New Zealand	199	0.1	474	0.0
Oceania and other territories	428	0.2	699	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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