

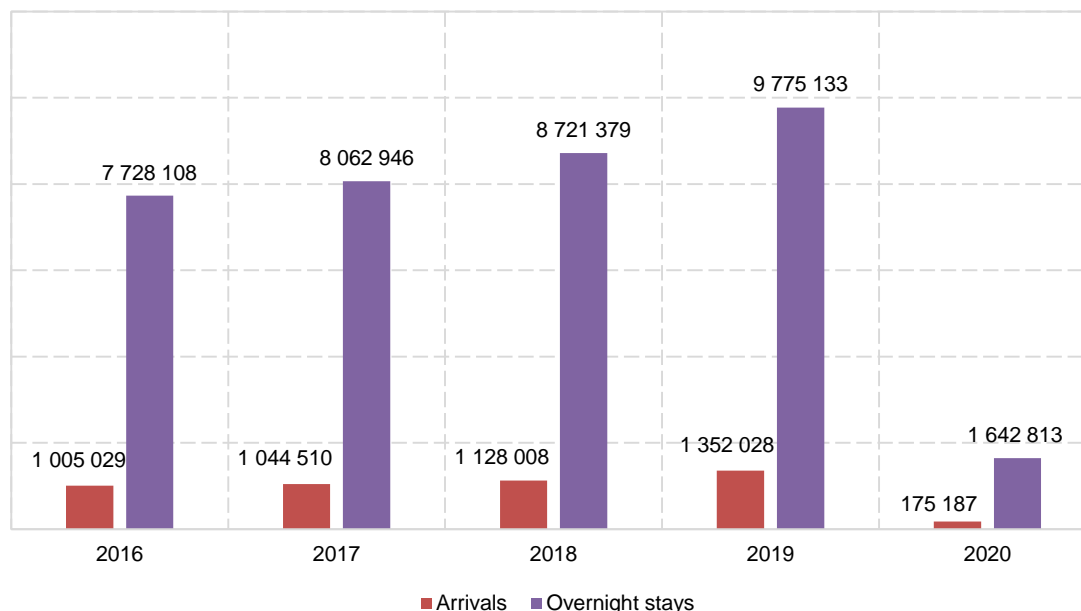
## Arrivals and overnight stays in individual accommodation<sup>1</sup> 2020

In Montenegro, in individual accommodation in 2020, were 175 187 tourist arrivals, which is 87.0% less than in 2019, while the number of realized overnight stays of 1 642 813 decreased by 83.2%. Of the total number of overnight stays, 98.9% were realized by foreign tourists and 1.1% by domestic tourists.

Concerning the structure of overnight stays of foreign tourists in individual accommodation in 2020, the most of them were realised by tourists from Russian Federation (22,0%), Serbia (20.3%), Bosnia and Herzegovina (15.3%), Ukraine (7.7%), Albania (6.6%), Kosovo (6.0%), Germany (3.1%). Tourists from other countries realised 19.0% overnight stays.

Concerning the structure of overnight stays by type of resort, in individual accommodation in 2020, the most of them were realised in seaside resorts (95.0%), mountain resorts (2.1%), other tourists resorts (2.7%) and in capital (0.2%).

**Graph 1 Arrivals and overnight stays of tourists in individual accommodation,  
2016 - 2020**

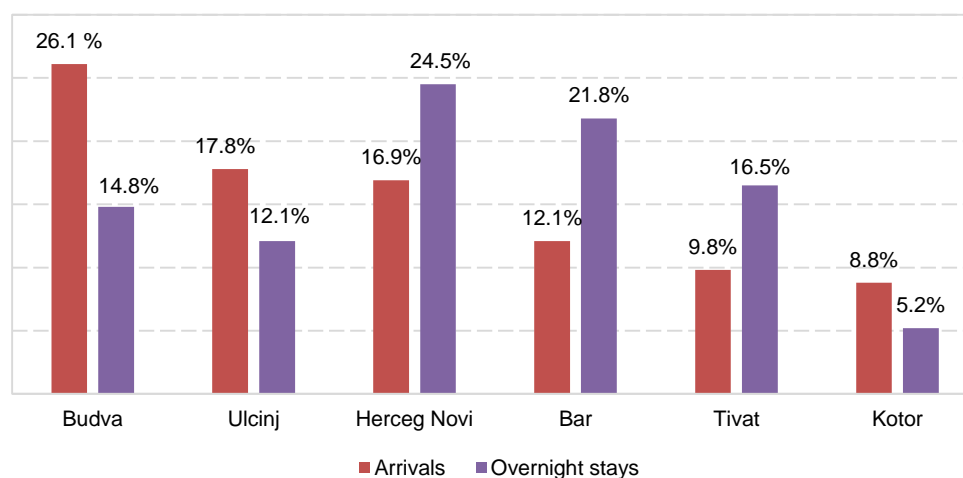


<sup>1</sup>Individual, so-called "private accommodation" includes accommodation in houses and rooms for rent as well as tourist apartments. Individual accommodation does not include collective accommodation establishments (hotels, boarding houses, motels, tourist resorts, vacation establishments, hostels, camping sites etc).

**Table 1 Arrivals and overnight stays of tourists in individual accommodation by municipalities, 2020<sup>2</sup>**

Municipality	Arrivals of tourists				Overnight stays of tourists			
	Foreign	Domestic	Total	Structure	Foreign	Domestic	Total	Structure
	(1)	(2)	(3)=(1)+(2)	(3) in %	(1)	(2)	(3)=(1)+(2)	(3) in %
<b>Total</b>	<b>170 524</b>	<b>4 663</b>	<b>175 187</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1 624 719</b>	<b>18 094</b>	<b>1 642 813</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Andrijevica	60	22	82	0.0	813	419	1 232	0.1
Bar	21 134	75	21 209	12.1	357 473	621	358 094	21.8
Berane	94	48	142	0.1	850	352	1 202	0.1
Bijelo Polje	202	-	202	0.1	2 294	-	2 294	0.1
Budva	45 569	223	45 792	26.1	242 743	750	243 493	14.8
Cetinje	462	13	475	0.3	7 689	189	7 878	0.5
Danilovgrad	753	11	764	0.4	11 744	320	12 064	0.7
Gusinje	46	-	46	0.0	512	-	512	0.0
Herceg Novi	29 344	263	29 607	16.9	400 192	1 656	401 848	24.5
Kolašin	2 480	1 069	3 549	2.0	7 016	3 265	10 281	0.6
Kotor	15 087	410	15 497	8.8	85 447	570	86 017	5.2
Mojkovac	163	5	168	0.1	368	35	403	0.0
Nikšić	448	303	751	0.4	2 174	794	2 968	0.2
Petnjica	18	3	21	0.0	66	3	69	0.0
Plav	202	22	224	0.1	3 303	413	3 716	0.2
Pljevlja	711	1 009	1 720	1.0	3 607	3 384	6 991	0.4
Podgorica	799	168	967	0.6	2 987	172	3 159	0.2
Rožaje	584	31	615	0.4	3 102	39	3 141	0.2
Šavnik	102	4	106	0.1	1 597	6	1 603	0.1
Tivat	17 174	62	17 236	9.8	270 137	801	270 938	16.5
Tuzi	1 948	93	2 041	1.2	10 243	853	11 096	0.7
Ulcinj	30 775	472	31 247	17.8	197 155	2 338	199 493	12.1
Žabljak	2 369	357	2 726	1.6	13 207	1 114	14 321	0.9

**Graph 2 Structure of arrivals and overnight stays of tourists in individual accommodation in the most visited municipalities, 2020**



<sup>2</sup> The primary source of data for the calculation of tourist arrivals and overnights in individual accommodation, is the so-called "private accommodation" means data from Local Tourism Organizations in accordance with the Law on Tourist Organizations Official Gazette of Montenegro ", No. 073/10 of 10.12.2010, 040/11 of 08.08.2011, 045/14 of 24.10.2014, 042/17 of 30.06.2017, 027/19 of 17.05.2019) Non-registered tourists are not the subject of survey.

**Table 2 Arrivals and overnight stays of foreign tourists in individual accommodation  
by country of residence, 2020**

<b>Country</b>	<b>Arrivals</b>	<b>Structure, in %</b>	<b>Overnight stays</b>	<b>Structure, in %</b>
<b>Foreign tourists</b>	<b>170 524</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1 624 719</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Europe</b>	<b>166 999</b>	<b>97.9</b>	<b>1 583 214</b>	<b>97.4</b>
Albania	18 183	10.7	106 950	6.6
Austria	515	0.3	6 412	0.4
Belgium	445	0.3	3 128	0.2
Belarus	3 982	2.3	32 215	2.0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	30 298	17.8	249 209	15.3
Bulgaria	323	0.2	3 590	0.2
Czech Republic	728	0.4	5 717	0.4
Denmark	178	0.1	1 643	0.1
Estonia	219	0.1	2 568	0.2
Finland	134	0.1	1 702	0.1
France	1 938	1.1	11 944	0.7
Greece	65	0.0	603	0.0
Netherlands	465	0.3	4 880	0.3
Croatia	1 976	1.2	23 630	1.5
Ireland	266	0.2	2 105	0.1
Island	11	0.0	196	0.0
Italy	473	0.3	5 226	0.3
Cyprus	40	0.0	461	0.0
Kosovo	12 834	7.5	96 761	6.0
Latvia	224	0.1	2 844	0.2
Lithuania	171	0.1	2 011	0.1
Luxembourg	210	0.1	1 906	0.1
Hungary	1 193	0.7	7 881	0.5
Malta	58	0.0	797	0.0
Republic of North Macedonia	1 426	0.8	16 823	1.0
Norway	226	0.1	3 235	0.2
Germany	5 846	3.4	50 587	3.1
Poland	4 558	2.7	30 141	1.9
Portugal	62	0.0	717	0.0
Romania	411	0.2	4 918	0.3
Russian Federation	28 977	17.0	358 086	22.0
Slovakia	219	0.1	2 222	0.1
Slovenia	526	0.3	7 107	0.4
Serbia	28 647	16.8	329 835	20.3
Spain	307	0.2	1 561	0.1
Switzerland (including Liechtenstein)	827	0.5	7 137	0.4
Sweden	533	0.3	6 689	0.4
Turkey	5 571	3.3	36 655	2.3
Ukraine	11 753	6.9	125 591	7.7
United Kingdom	1 976	1.2	24 845	1.5
Other European countries	205	0.1	2 686	0.2

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by country of residence, 2020**

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Country	Arrivals	Structure, in %	Overnight stays	Structure, in %
<b>Non-European countries</b>	<b>3 525</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>41 505</b>	<b>2.6</b>
South Africa	103	0.1	2 045	0.1
Other African countries	169	0.1	2 390	0.1
Canada	335	0.2	4 638	0.3
USA	987	0.6	13 577	0.8
Other North American countries	8	0.0	64	0.0
Argentina	30	0.0	250	0.0
Brazil	61	0.0	356	0.0
Chile	18	0.0	191	0.0
Other Central or South American countries	136	0.1	1 834	0.1
China (including Hong Kong)	269	0.2	994	0.1
Japan	55	0.0	608	0.0
Republic of Korea	45	0.0	474	0.0
Israel	193	0.1	2 607	0.2
India	53	0.0	366	0.0
Azerbaijan	373	0.2	2 843	0.2
United Arab Emirates	3	0.0	21	0.1
Other Asian countries	393	0.2	3 953	0.2
Australia	206	0.1	2 665	0.2
New Zealand	60	0.0	1 187	0.1
Oceania and other territories	28	0.0	442	0.0

## METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

Since 2017 the methodology for calculating individual accommodation, in the process of data collection and processing, has included the following data sources: administrative databases (Local Tourism Organizations, Ministry of the Interior, Ministry of Sustainable Development and Tourism, National Tourism Organization, Secretariats of Local Self-Government) and statistical sources and records. The newly established administrative data sources are the result of new legislation, such as the register of residence registration (ie. Database RB90) under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of the Interior (regulated by the Law on Foreigners). Non- registered tourists are not subject of this survey.

The aim of the survey on tourist arrivals and overnight stays in the individual / private accommodation is to provide basic information about the scope of traffic (arrivals and overnight stays) of domestic and foreign tourists.

The survey collects data on:

- number of arrivals and overnight stays of domestic and foreign tourists in individual / private accommodation establishments including accommodation in houses and rooms for rent as well as tourist apartments;
- structure of arrivals and overnight stays of foreign tourists by country of residence in individual / private accommodation establishments.

The survey covers all official data of catering establishments in the territory of Montenegro which provide accommodation services in houses and rooms for rent, as well as tourist 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.

**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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