31 August 2022 TOURIST ACTIVITY July 2022 – Flash Statistics

GUESTS AND OVERNIGHT STAYS EXCEED 2019 LEVELS

The **tourist accommodation sector**¹ registered 3.0 million guests and 8.6 million overnight stays in **July 2022**, corresponding to year-on-year rates of change² of +85.4% and +90.1%, respectively (+97.6% and +110.7% in June, in the same order). Compared to July 2019, there were increases of 6.3% and 4.8%, respectively.

In July, the domestic market contributed with 2.9 million overnight stays (+9.1%) and the external markets amounted to 5.7 million (+205.2%). Compared to July 2019, the domestic market grew by 15.8% and external markets reached the same level as in 2019.

In the **first seven months of 2022**, overnight stays increased by 194.3% (+58.5% in residents and +406.2% in non-residents). Compared to the same period in 2019, overnight stays decreased by 4.4% (-9.4% for non-residents and +7.8% for residents).

In July, 12.8% of tourist accommodation establishments were closed or had no movement of guests (22.1% in July 2021).

Table 1. Global results of the tourist accommodation sector

Tourist accommodation establishments	Unit	June 2022		July 2022		Jan - Jul 22	
		Value	Year-on-year change rate (%)	Value	Year-on-year change rate (%)	Value	Year-on-year change rate (%)
Guests	10 ³	2 672.9	97.6	3 029.1	85.4	14 259.4	175.6
Residents in Portugal	"	1 091.8	20.4	1 211.3	16.8	6 132.3	69.0
Residents abroad	"	1 581.0	254.8	1 817.8	204.7	8 127.1	426.1
Overnight stays	10 ³	7 167.3	110.7	8 628.4	90.1	37 229.1	194.3
Residents in Portugal	"	2 339.0	17.8	2 906.0	9.1	12 222.8	58.5
Residents abroad	"	4 828.3	241.0	5 722.4	205.2	25 006.3	406.2
Average stay	no. of nights	2.68	6.6	2.85	2.5	2.61	6.8
Residents in Portugal	"	2.14	-2.2	2.40	-6.6	1.99	-6.2
Residents abroad	"	3.05	-3.9	3.15	0.2	3.08	-3.8

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¹ Monthly series which includes three types of accommodation facilities: hotel establishments (hotels, apartment hotels, tourist apartments, tourist villages, pousadas and quintas da Madeira), local accommodation with 10 or more beds (according to the statistical threshold defined by EU Regulation 692/2011) and rural/lodging tourism.

² Unless stated otherwise, the rates of change presented in this press release correspond to year-on-year rates of change.