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**Total expenditure survey
May 2022. Provisional data**

**Total expenditure by international tourists visiting Spain stood by
8,023 million in May, compared to 1,396 same month of 2021**

**Average daily expenditure increases by 25.7% and stands at 177
euros**

Total expenditure made by international tourists visiting Spain in May reached 8,023 million euros, representing an increase of 474.8% as compared to the same month of 2021, when it was 1,396 million.

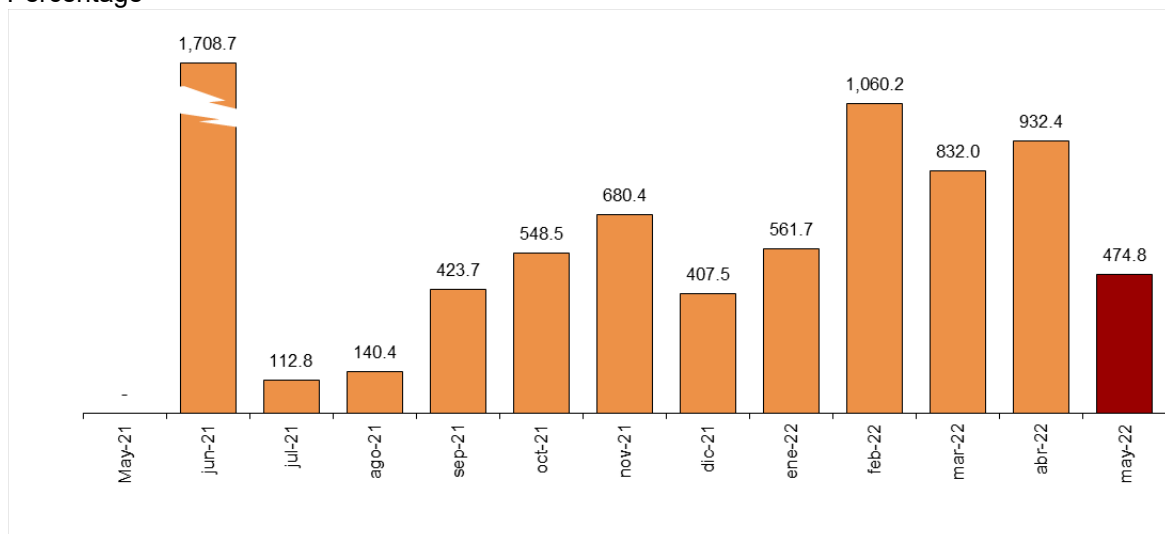
The average expenditure per tourist stood at 1,152 euros, with an annual increase of 12.5%. On the other hand, the average daily expenditure increased by 25.7%, up to 177 euros.

The average stay by international tourists was 6.5 days, 0.8 less days than in May 2021.

During the first five months of 2022, the total expenditure by international tourists increased by 690.0%, as compared with the same period of the previous year, reaching 26,776 million euros.

Annual variation rate of total international tourist expenditure¹

Percentage



¹ Variation rates of May 2021 are not possible to calculate because there was not entry of tourists in May 2020 due to the closure of the borders determined by the high alert period

Sending countries

The main sending countries, in terms of level of expenditure in May were the United Kingdom (accounting for 21.6% of the total), Germany (13.5%) and France (8.8%).

Expenditure by tourists from the United Kingdom increased by 2,858.4% in the annual rate, by those from Germany by 201.1% and by those from France by 227.7%.

International tourist expenditure by country of residence

	May 2022							
	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Annual variation	Average expenditure by tourist (€)	Annual variation	Daily average expenditure (€)	Annual variation	Average duration of the trips	Annual variation
TOTAL	8,023	474.8	1,152	12.5	177	25.7	6.5	-10.5
Germany	1,080	201.1	1,108	4.6	161	22.2	6.9	-14.4
France	708	227.7	765	16.9	127	5.0	6.0	11.4
Italy	258	414.0	726	-9.5	150	13.5	4.8	-20.3
Nordic Countries	427	687.4	1,235	-3.9	152	14.0	8.2	-15.7
United Kingdom	1,735	2,858.4	1,051	-8.4	161	69.6	6.5	-46.0
Rest of the world	3,814	479.8	1,405	15.0	214	30.9	6.6	-12.2

During the first five months of 2022, United Kingdom was the country with the largest cumulative expenditure (19.3% of the total). It was followed by Germany (14.3%) and France (8.5%).

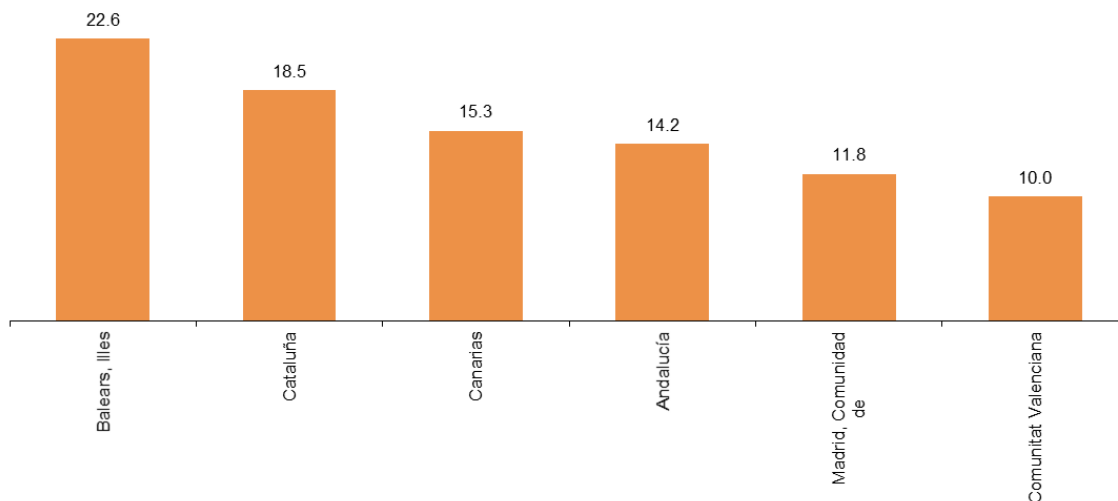
International tourist cumulated expenditure by country of residence

	Year 2022		
	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Percentage	Annual variation
TOTAL	26,776	100.0	690.0
Germany	3,837	14.3	424.5
France	2,274	8.5	354.2
Italy	987	3.7	566.5
Nordic Countries	2,046	7.6	1,153.2
United Kingdom	5,166	19.3	3,206.8
Rest of the world	12,466	46.6	637.8

Main destination Autonomous Communities

The main destination Autonomous Communities with the greatest weight in total tourist expenditure in May were Illes Balears (with 22.6% of the total), Cataluña (18.5%) and Canarias (15.3%).

Total expenditure by main destination Autonomous Community Percentage



The annual rate of tourist expenditure increased by 360.0% in Illes Balears, by 602.9% in Cataluña and by 447.5% in Canarias.

The remaining main destination Autonomous Communities of tourists showed positive annual rate variations.

International tourist expenditure by Autonomous Community main destination

	May 2022							
	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Annual variation	Average expenditure by tourist (€)	Annual variation	Daily average expenditure (€)	Annual variation	Average duration of the trips	Annual variation
TOTAL	8,023	474.8	1,152	12.5	177	25.7	6.5	-10.5
Balears, Illes	1,816	360.0	1,114	7.4	188	31.5	5.9	-18.3
Cataluña	1,483	602.9	1,013	20.6	204	26.8	5.0	-4.9
Canarias	1,225	447.5	1,387	0.0	157	12.4	8.9	-11.0
Andalucía	1,139	598.4	1,100	12.0	144	29.3	7.6	-13.4
Madrid, Comunidad de	947	667.3	1,667	17.1	310	13.0	5.4	3.6
Comunitat Valenciana	802	419.1	1,013	-7.2	130	11.5	7.8	-16.7
Rest of ACs	610	387.5	1,029	44.1	175	40.5	5.9	2.6

During the first five months of 2022, the main destination Autonomous Communities with more cumulative expenditure were Canarias (with 25.8% of the total), Cataluña (16.4%) and Andalucía (13.9%).

International tourist cumulated expenditure by Autonomous Community main destination

	Year 2022		
	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Percentage	Annual variation
TOTAL	26,776	100.0	690.0
Canarias	6,921	25.8	820.5
Cataluña	4,389	16.4	777.8
Andalucía	3,711	13.9	868.7
Balears, Illes	3,641	13.6	494.0
Madrid, Comunidad de	3,205	12.0	691.4
Comunitat Valenciana	2,998	11.2	669.6
Rest of ACs	1,911	7.1	450.9

Expenditure items

The expenditure on activities was the most important item, representing 20.4% of the total expenditure and an increase of 461.2% with respect May 2021.

The following items were expenditure on international travel, not part of package trips, and expenditure on package trips, which accounted for 19.1% and 17.8% of the total, respectively. The former increased by 448.8% in the annual rate and the latter increased by 1,053.9%.

International tourist expenditure by expenditure categories

	May 2022		
	Total (millions of euros)	Percentage	Annual variation
TOTAL	8,023	100.0	474.8
Expenditure on tourist package	1,424	17.8	1,053.9
Expenditure excluded on tourist package	6,598	82.2	418.6
- Expenditure on international transport	1,531	19.1	448.8
- Expenditure on accommodation	1,418	17.7	460.3
- Expenditure on food and drinks	1,299	16.2	414.5
- Expenditure on activities	1,638	20.4	461.2
- Other expenditure	713	8.9	263.7

Main type of accommodation, method of organization and main reason for the trip

68.9% of total tourist expenditure in May was made by tourists staying at hotels, with an annual rise of 630.3%. On the other hand, expenditure in non-rented accommodation increased by 195.0%.

Expenditure by tourists not travelling with a tourist package (which represented 74.3% of the total) increased by 393.4% in the annual rate. For those who contract a tourist package, it increased by 998.7%.

In terms of the reasons for travel, tourists visiting Spain for leisure generated 84.5% of the total expenditure (spending 574.4% more than in May 2021).

International tourist expenditure by main type of accommodation, type of organization and main purpose of the trip

	May 2022							
	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Annual variation	Average expenditure by tourist (€)	Annual variation	Daily average expenditure (€)	Annual variation	Average duration of the trips	Annual variation
TOTAL (*)	8,023	474.8	1,152	12.5	177	25.7	6.5	-10.5
Rented accommodation	6,932	575.6	1,152	13.3	203	9.1	5.7	3.9
- Hotel accommodation	5,527	630.3	1,078	13.2	227	2.1	4.8	10.9
- Rest rented accommodation	1,405	421.9	1,576	25.3	143	12.2	11.0	11.7
Non rented accommodation	1,090	195.0	1,151	10.2	97	16.0	11.8	-5.1
TOTAL	8,023	474.8	1,152	12.5	177	25.7	6.5	-10.5
Without tourist package	5,961	393.4	1,144	13.6	173	27.6	6.6	-10.9
With tourist package	2,062	998.7	1,174	2.3	188	3.2	6.3	-0.9
TOTAL	8,023	474.8	1,152	12.5	177	25.7	6.5	-10.5
Leisure	6,783	574.4	1,147	14.8	180	33.0	6.4	-13.7
Work	633	233.1	1,163	10.4	213	10.8	5.5	-0.4
Other motives	607	203.6	1,187	4.8	125	-4.3	9.5	9.5

(*): It is distinguished two main groups of accommodation, depending on whether there was a monetary transaction or not: rented accommodation (payment accommodation; hotels, renting accommodation, camping site, rural accommodation and other rented accommodation) or non rented accommodation (own dwelling, family or friends dwellings and other non rented accommodation)

Stopovers on trips and overnight stays by Autonomous Communities

Stopovers² on trips by international tourists in May increased by 436.4% in the annual rate. Of them, 21.7% were carried out in Illes Balears (with an increase of 326.5%).

On the other hand, the total number of overnight stays by international tourists in all types of accommodation (hotels, holiday dwellings, own homes, homes of relatives or friends, rented dwelling, etc.) reached 45.4 million, representing an increase of 357.3%.

Illes Balears was the Autonomous Community with the overnight stays (9.7 million, 252.0% more than in May 2021). It was followed by Andalucía (with nearly 8.1 million overnight stays and an increase of 453.2%) and Canarias (with 7.8 million, 386.7% more).

Stopovers and overnight stays by Autonomous Community of destination

	May 2022			Number of overnight stays	Percentage	Annual variation
	Number of stopovers	Percentage	Annual variation			
TOTAL	7,985,310	100.0	436.4	45,405,127	100.0	357.3
Balears, Illes	1,733,118	21.7	326.5	9,689,701	21.3	252.0
Cataluña	1,654,508	20.7	502.0	7,227,551	15.9	444.9
Andalucía	1,373,790	17.2	608.2	8,063,586	17.8	453.2
Canarias	919,721	11.5	431.1	7,842,966	17.3	386.7
Comunitat Valenciana	862,034	10.8	467.5	6,156,267	13.6	363.2
Madrid, Comunidad de	640,734	8.0	567.3	2,838,258	6.3	523.9
Rest of ACs	801,405	10.0	316.6	3,586,798	7.9	259.7

Review and update of data

The data published today is provisional and will be revised March next year. These results are available at INEBase.

² A stopover refers to each overnight stay made during the trip. A trip may have as many stopovers as intermediate destinations where the traveller has stayed at least one night.

Methodological note

The main objective of the Tourist Expenditure Survey (EGATUR) is to obtain monthly information on the tourist expenditure made by non-residents in Spain in their trips to our country.

For the preparation of EGATUR the international definitions and recommendations of the UNWTO and EUROSTAT in this field are followed.

Type of operation: continuous monthly statistics.

Population scope: this refers to non-residents in Spain who enter our country, whether or not they have stayed overnight, as well as those who pass through our country in transit.

Geographical scope: the entire national territory. The sample is collected at the main access points for non-resident travellers (road, airport, port and rail).

Reference period of the results: the month.

Sample size: The theoretical annual sample size of EGATUR exceeds 127,000 surveys, which are distributed throughout the year according to the seasonality of the flow of passengers and to the sample design, which is defined for each access road independently, setting a fraction of the sub-sampling from the FRONTUR sample.

Type of sampling: Single-stage, where the estimates of the FRONTUR survey are used as the target population to which the EGATUR data are elevated.

Collection method: personal interviews when the traveller leaves Spain.

A more complete tabulation plan with the main series of aggregates, as well as the microdata file for the reference month, is available on the INE website.

For more information you can access the methodology at:

http://www.ine.es/en/daco/daco42/frontur/frontur_egatur_metodologia_en.pdf

And the standardised methodological report at:

<http://www.ine.es/dynt3/metadatos/en/RespuestaDatos.html?oe=16029>

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1. International tourist expenditure by country of residence

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Italy	258	413.95	726	-9.48	150	13.54	4.8	-20.27
Nordic countries	427	687.44	1,235	-3.90	152	13.98	8.2	-15.69
United Kingdom	1,735	2,858.38	1,051	-8.36	161	69.64	6.5	-45.98
Rest of the world	3,814	479.82	1,405	14.98	214	30.92	6.6	-12.18

2. International tourist expenditure by Autonomous Community main destination

	Monthly data							
	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Annual variation	Average expenditure by tourist	Annual variation	Daily average expenditure	Annual variation	Average duration of trips	Annual variation
TOTAL	8,023	474.79	1,152	12.46	177	25.70	6.5	-10.53
Andalucía	1,139	598.42	1,100	12.00	144	29.31	7.6	-13.39
Balears, Illes	1,816	359.97	1,114	7.44	188	31.48	5.9	-18.29
Canarias	1,225	447.48	1,387	0.01	157	12.42	8.9	-11.04
Cataluña	1,483	602.88	1,013	20.62	204	26.77	5.0	-4.85
Comunitat Valenciana	802	419.08	1,013	-7.17	130	11.50	7.8	-16.74
Madrid, Comunidad de	947	667.33	1,667	17.09	310	13.03	5.4	3.59
Rest of ACs	610	387.54	1,029	44.08	175	40.49	5.9	2.55

3. International tourist expenditure by main type of accommodation

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	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Annual variation	Average expenditure by tourist	Annual variation	Daily average expenditure	Annual variation	Average duration of trips	Annual variation
TOTAL	8,023	474.79	1,152	12.46	177	25.70	6.5	-10.53
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- Hotel accommodation	5,527	630.25	1,078	13.24	227	2.13	4.8	10.88
- Rest rented accommodation	1,405	421.91	1,576	25.33	143	12.23	11.0	11.67
Non-rented accommodation	1,090	194.96	1,151	10.18	97	16.04	11.8	-5.05

4. International tourist expenditure by type of organization

	Monthly data							
	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Annual variation	Average expenditure by tourist	Annual variation	Daily average expenditure	Annual variation	Average duration of trips	Annual variation
TOTAL	8,023	474.79	1,152	12.46	177	25.70	6.5	-10.53
Without tourist package	5,961	393.40	1,144	13.60	173	27.55	6.6	-10.94
With tourist package	2,062	998.70	1,174	2.28	188	3.23	6.3	-0.92

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5. International tourist cumulated expenditure by country of residence

	Cumulative data							
	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Annual variation	Average expenditure by tourist	Annual variation	Daily average expenditure	Annual variation	Average duration of trips	Annual variation
TOTAL	26,776	690.01	1,177	11.38	154	18.99	7.7	-6.39
Germany	3,837	424.53	1,182	9.04	139	14.84	8.5	-5.05
France	2,274	354.22	740	10.07	114	8.22	6.5	1.71
Italy	987	566.46	816	-3.05	127	0.68	6.4	-3.71
Nordic countries	2,046	1,153.16	1,375	2.35	137	11.85	10.0	-8.50
United Kingdom	5,166	3,206.81	1,107	-6.17	144	69.89	7.7	-44.77
Rest of the world	12,466	637.83	1,375	10.51	183	20.14	7.5	-8.01

6. International tourist cumulated expenditure by Autonomous Community main destination

	Cumulative data							
	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Annual variation	Average expenditure by tourist	Annual variation	Daily average expenditure	Annual variation	Average duration of trips	Annual variation
TOTAL	26,776	690.01	1,177	11.38	154	18.99	7.7	-6.39
Andalucía	3,711	868.72	1,124	11.09	125	22.19	9.0	-9.08
Balears, Illes	3,641	494.02	1,124	9.90	162	22.52	6.9	-10.30
Canarias	6,921	820.46	1,429	1.11	152	15.15	9.4	-12.19
Cataluña	4,389	777.76	996	13.53	178	20.95	5.6	-6.14
Comunitat Valenciana	2,998	669.61	1,094	-5.06	118	16.28	9.3	-18.35
Madrid, Comunidad de	3,205	691.42	1,532	12.98	277	14.43	5.5	-1.27
Rest of ACs	1,911	450.92	903	27.43	129	21.03	7.0	5.28

7. International tourist cumulated expenditure by main type of accommodation

	Cumulative data							
	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Annual variation	Average expenditure by tourist	Annual variation	Daily average expenditure	Annual variation	Average duration of trips	Annual variation
TOTAL	26,776	690.01	1,177	11.38	154	18.99	7.7	-6.39
Rented accommodation	21,645	761.94	1,181	9.21	188	5.55	6.3	3.46
- Hotel accommodation	16,497	746.08	1,081	5.92	218	2.85	5.0	2.98
- Rest rented accommodation	5,147	817.03	1,684	23.11	130	13.87	13.0	8.11
Non-rented accommodation	5,131	484.31	1,160	16.98	87	20.23	13.3	-2.71

8. International tourist cumulated expenditure by type of organization

	Cumulative data							
	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Annual variation	Average expenditure by tourist	Annual variation	Daily average expenditure	Annual variation	Average duration of trips	Annual variation
TOTAL	26,776	690.01	1,177	11.38	154	18.99	7.7	-6.39
Without tourist package	20,818	611.79	1,175	13.56	147	19.30	8.0	-4.82
With tourist package	5,958	1,182.39	1,184	-2.95	180	0.43	6.6	-3.37

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9. International tourist expenditure by categories

	Total expenditure (millions of €)	Annual variation
TOTAL	8,023	474.79
Expenditure on tourist package	1,424	1,053.87
Expenditure excluded on tourist package	6,598	418.60
- Expenditure on international transport	1,531	448.77
- Expenditure on accommodation	1,418	460.28
- Expenditure on food and drinks	1,299	414.50
- Expenditure on activities	1,638	461.17
- Other expenditure	713	263.71