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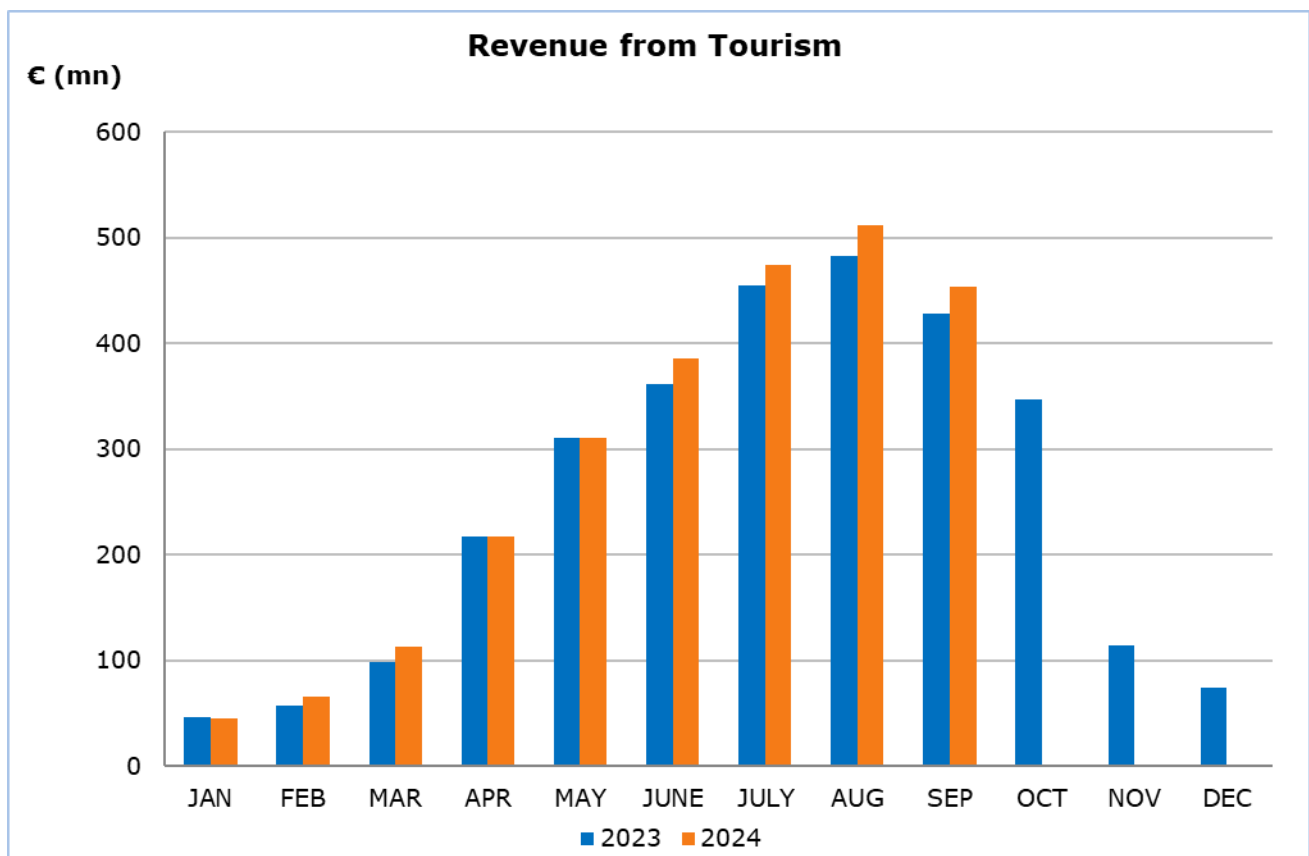
PRESS RELEASE

REVENUE FROM TOURISM: SEPTEMBER 2024

Revenue from Tourism 6,0%

Based on the results of the Passengers Survey carried out by the Statistical Service, revenue from tourism reached €454,1 mn in September 2024, recording an increase of 6,0% as compared to the corresponding month of the previous year (€428,4 mn).

For the period of January – September 2024, revenue from tourism is estimated at €2.575,9mn compared to €2.456,1 mn in the corresponding period of 2023, recording an increase of 4,9%.



Expenditure Analysis

The average expenditure per person was €891,29 in September 2024 compared to €879,13 in September 2023, recording an increase of 1,4%.

Tourists from the United Kingdom (the largest tourist market with 35,5% of the total tourists in September 2024) spent on average €112,35 per day, while tourists from Israel (the second largest market during the specific month with 10,7% of the total tourists) spent on average €150,63. Tourists from Poland (the third largest market with 8,3%), spent on average €88,96 per day.

Detailed statistics on the average expenditure of tourists per person and per day by country of usual residence are presented in the following table.

Table

Country of Usual Residence	September 2023				September 2024			
	Arrivals	Average Length of Stay	Expenditure (€)		Arrivals	Average Length of Stay	Expenditure (€)	
			Per Person	Per Day			Per Person	Per Day
TOTAL	487.350	8,7	879,13	101,05	509.463	9,0	891,29	99,03
Austria	9.335	6,9	1.010,03	146,38	9.758	7,5	953,44	127,13
Belgium	3.433	9,8	1.063,10	108,48	2.840	8,6	1.182,20	137,47
France	8.578	8,5	869,43	102,29	9.870	7,4	763,49	103,17
Germany	26.907	8,9	984,82	110,65	24.594	9,1	952,70	104,69
Denmark	8.895	7,6	745,31	98,07	9.015	7,1	752,83	106,03
Switzerland	11.163	7,7	1.078,83	140,11	11.366	8,6	1.265,51	147,15
Greece	15.520	10,9	486,99	44,68	15.479	11,6	473,01	40,78
United States	4.535	12,3	1.318,71	107,21	4.735	u	u	u
United Kingdom	165.869	10,1	1.034,02	102,38	180.961	10,2	1.145,96	112,35
Israel	57.088	4,4	659,17	149,81	54.557	4,6	692,90	150,63
Italy	4.732	6,7	594,05	88,66	5.463	9,1	798,02	87,69
Lebanon	4.017	6,9	1.087,58	157,62	4.512	u	u	u
Norway	9.008	8,3	882,74	106,35	10.439	7,9	827,34	104,73
Netherlands	5.777	8,9	911,88	102,46	7.509	11,1	1.287,52	115,99
Poland	32.530	6,7	624,34	93,19	42.295	6,9	613,84	88,96
Sweden	22.196	8,4	812,14	96,68	21.609	9,6	839,05	87,40
Finland	4.765	7,5	764,42	101,92	6.912	7,1	773,53	108,95
Other Countries	93.002	9,0	883,05	98,12	87.549	8,7	790,93	90,91

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METHODOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Definitions

Tourists – Visitors who stay for at least one night in Cyprus.

Tourist arrivals – The term refers to the number of trips and not to the number of persons. This differs in the sense that one person can take more than one trips during the reference period.

Revenue from Tourism - It refers to the revenue from tourists during their visit in Cyprus.

Source of Data and Coverage

The data on the expenditure of tourists is obtained from the Passengers Survey which is carried out at the points of departure in Larnaka and Pafos airports. The data is collected through personal interviews with the use of an electronic questionnaire (CAPI method – Computer Assisted Personal Interviewing).

The data covers all persons in the Government controlled area of Cyprus. It does not include travelers who arrive and depart illegally via ports and airports in the occupied part of Cyprus.

For more information:

CYSTAT Portal, subtheme [Tourism](#)

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