



Campsite Occupancy Survey 2011

Methodology

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1. Foreword

This publication presents the results corresponding to the Tourist Campsite Occupancy Survey.

The most important information from the survey is offered monthly, in accordance with the Institute's dissemination regulations.

The two aspects considered in the tourism study are reflected in the data provided: as regards demand, information is included on travellers, overnight stays and average stay distributed by traveller's country of residence and category of the accommodation they occupy or the Autonomous Community they are from in the case of Spanish travellers, alongside information on the total number of occupied pitches distributed per accommodation category. As regards supply, information includes the estimated number of establishments open for the season, estimated number of vacancies, estimated number of pitches, level of occupancy and information on employment in the sector, according to the category of the establishment.

This information is presented monthly on a national basis and in the Autonomous Communities and provinces with the highest number of overnight stays, as well as in the holiday areas that receive the greatest inflow of visitors over the year.

The National Statistics Institute thanks all professionals, businesspersons and institutions related to the tourist sector for their collaboration, which has been essential when carrying out this survey.

2. Objectives

The main objective of the Campsite Occupancy Survey is to ascertain the behaviour of a series of variables which allow us to describe the segment occupied by this type of accommodation within the tourist sector, both from a supply as well as a demand point of view.

3. Statistical unit

The analysis units are all campsite establishments registered as such in the corresponding Tourist Office Register of each Autonomous Community.

Tourist campsites are understood to be those land spaces which are duly delimited, equipped and conditioned, used to habitually provide people, after the payment of a stipulated price, with a place to live outdoors for a limited period of time for holiday or tourism purposes, and using as a residence mobile homes, caravans, tents or other similar easily transportable elements.

Tourist campsites are classified, in accordance with their installations and the services offered, into the following four categories: luxury, first-class, second-class and third-class.

4. Survey scope

All establishments in the country are researched.

5. Definition of Variables

5.1 Estimated open establishments

The number of establishments open for the season as estimated by the survey.

An establishment open for the season is an establishment in which the reference month is included within its opening period.

5.2 Estimated vacancies

Number of vacancies estimated by the survey of establishments open for the season.

For campsites, the number of vacancies corresponds with the authorised capacity of persons.

5.3 Estimated pitches

The total number of estimated pitches in a campsite is defined as the sum of:

- estimated pitches
- estimated bungalows
- estimate caravans owned by the campsite
- estimated area not divided into pitches used for camping

in establishments open during the season.

A pitch is defined as the surface area, numbered and perfectly delimited, used for camping.

A bungalow is defined as a fixed construction within the campsite used as an accommodation unit.

A caravan owned by the campsite is defined as a mobile accommodation unit the use of which is rented out for a stipulated price.

The area not divided into pitches is a section of the campsite where free camping is allowed.

5.4 Travellers checked in

All persons who stay for one or more consecutive nights in the same accommodation.

Travellers are classified by their country of residence and people residing in Spain are classified by the Autonomous Community they usually live in.

5.5 Overnight stays or occupied vacancies

An overnight stay is understood to be every night that a traveller stays in the establishment. As occurs with the checking in of travellers, occupied vacancies are broken down according to place of residence.

5.6 Average Stay

This variable is an approximation of the number of days which, on average, the travellers stay at the campsite, and is calculated as the quotient between the overnight stays and the number of travellers.

5.7 total number of occupied lots

Understood as the sum of: occupied lots plus occupied bungalows plus occupied caravans owned by the campsite plus the occupied area not divided into pitches.

5.8 Level of occupancy by lots

The level of occupancy by pitches is understood as the percentage-based relationship between the total number of pitches occupied during the month and those available on the campsite during the same period multiplied by the days in the reference month.

5.9 Level of occupancy of pitches on weekends

The percentage-based relationship between the number of pitches occupied on Friday and Saturday in the reference week and the total number of pitches, multiplied by the number of days analysed, in this case two.

5.10 Occupied personnel

Defined as the group of people, remunerated and not remunerated, who contribute with their work to the production of goods and services during the reference period of the survey, even when they work outside the premises.

5.11 Holiday area

Group of municipalities where tourist inflow is specifically located. Information on the main areas of tourist interest is offered.

Costa de Almería

Adra, El Ejido, Roquetas de Mar, Níjar, Carboneras, Mojácar, Vera, Cuevas del Almanzora, Pulpí, Almería, Garrucha.

Costa de la Luz de Cádiz

Barbate, Conil de la Frontera, Chiclana de la Frontera, Chipiona, El Puerto Sta María, Puerto Real, Rota, San Fernando, Sanlúcar de Barrameda, Tarifa, Vejer de la Frontera, Algeciras, Línea de la Concepción, San Roque, Cádiz.

Costa Tropical (Granada)

Almuñecar, Itrabo, Salobreña, Motril, Sorvilán, Gualchos, Lújar, Polopos, Albuñol.

Costa de la Luz de Huelva

Ayamonte, Isla Cristina, Lepe, Punta Umbría, Palos de la Frontera, Moguer, Almonte, Cartaya.

Costa del Sol (Málaga)

Manilva, Estepona, Marbella, Mijas, Fuengirola, Benalmádena, Torremolinos, Rincón de la Victoria, Vélez-Málaga, Algarrobo, Torrox, Nerja, Málaga.

Costa Verde (Asturias)

Avilés, Caravia, Carreño, Castrillón, Castropol, Coaña, Colunga, Cudillero, El Franco, Gijón, Gozón, Valdés, Llanes, Muros de Nalón, Navia, Ribadedeva, Ribadesella, Soto del Barco, Tapia de Casariego, Villaviciosa

Costa del Garraf (Barcelona)

Abrera, Avinyonet del Penedés, Begues, Les Cabanyes, Canyelles, Castelldefels, Castellet i la Gornal, Castellví de la Marca, Castellví de la Rosanes, Cervelló, Collbató, Corbera de Llobregat, Cornellá de Llobregat, Cubelles, Esparreguera, Esplugues de Llobregat, Font-rubí, Gavá, Gelida, La Granada, Martorell, Mediona, Molins de Rei, Olérdola, Olesa de Bonesvalls, Olesa de Montserrat, Olivella, Pacs del Penedés, Pallejá, El Papiol, El Pla del Penedés, Pontons, El Prat del Llobregat, Puigdàlber, Sant Andreu de la Barca, Sant Boi de Llobregat, Sant Climent de Llobregat, Sant Cugat Sesgarrigues, Sant Esteve Sesrovires, Sant Feliú de Llobregat, Sant Joan Despí, Sant Just Desvern, Sant Llorenç d'Hortons, Sant Martí Sarroca, Sant Pere de Ribes, Sant Pere de Riudebitlles, Sant Quintí de Mediona, Sant Sadurní d'Anoia, Santa Coloma de Cervelló, Santa Fe del Penedés, Santa Margarida, Sant Vicenç dels Horts, Sitges, Subirats, Torrelavit, Torrelles de Foix, Torrelles de Llobregat, Vallirana, Viladecans, Vilobí del Penedés, Villafranca del Penedés, Vilanova i la Geltrú, La Palma de Cervelló.

Costa Barcelona-Maresme (Barcelona)

Alella, Arenys de Mar, Arenys de Munt, Argentona, Cabrera de Mar, Cabrils, Caldes d' Estrac, Calella, Canet de Mar, Dosrius, Malgrat de Mar, El Masnou, Mataró, Montgat, Orrius, Palafolls, Pineda de Mar, Premià de Mar, Sant Iscle de Vallalta, Sant Andreu de Llavaneres, Sant Cebrià de Vallalta, Vilassar de Dalt, Vilassar de Mar, Premià de Dalt, Sant Pol de Mar, Santa Susanna, Sant Vicenc de Montalt, Teià, Tiana, Tordera.

Costa Brava (Gerona)

Agullana, Aiguaviva, Albanyà, Albons, El Far d'Empordà, Amer, Anglès, Arbúcies, L' Armentera, Avinyonet de Puigventós, Begur, La Vajol, Banyoles, Bàscara, Bellcaire d'Empordà, Bescanó, La Bisbal d'Empordà, Blanes, Bordils, Borrassà, Breda, Brunyola, Boadella d'Empordà, Cabanes, Cabanelles, Cadaqués, Caldes de Malavella, Calonge, Camós, Campllong, Canet d'Adri, Cantallops, Capmany, Cassà de la Selva, Castelló d'Empúries, Castell-Platja d'Aro, Celrà, Cervià de Ter, Cistella, Siurana, Colera, Colomers, Cornellà del Terri, Gorch, Crespià, Darnius, L' Escala, Espolla, Esponella, Figueres, Foixà, Fontanilles, Fontcorbeta, Fornells de la Selva, Fortià, Garrigàs, Garrigoles, Garriguella, Flaca, Girona, Gualta, Hostalric, Jafre, La Jonquera, Juià, Lladó, Llagostera, Llambilles, Llancà, Llers, Lloret de Mar, Madremanya, Masarac, Massanes, Macanet de Cabrenys, Macanet de la Selva, Mollet de Peralada, Mont-Ras, Navata, Ordis, Osor, Palafrugell, Palamós, Palau de Santa Eulàlia, Palau-Saverdera, Palau-Sator, Palol de Revardit, Pals, Parlavà, Pau, Pedret i Marzá, La Pera, Peralada, Pont de Molins, Pontós, Porqueres, Portbou, El Port de la Selva, Quart, Rabós, Regencós, Riels i Viabrea, Riudarenes, Riudellots de la Selva, Riumors, Roses, Rupió, Salt, Sant Andreu Salou, Sant Climent Sescebes, Sant Feliu de Buixalleu, Sant Feliu de Guixols, Sant Gregori, Sant Hilari Sacalm, Sant Jordi Desvalls, Sant Joan de Mollet, Sant Julià de Ramis, Sant Llorenç de la Muga, Sant Martí de Llémena, Sant Martí Vell, Sant Miquel de Campmajor, Sant Miquel de Fluvià, Sant Mori, Sant Pere Pescador, Santa Coloma de Farners, Santa Cristina d'Aro, Santa Llogaia d'Alguema, Sarrià de Ter, Saus, La Selva de Mar, La Celleria de Ter, Serinyà, Serra de Daró, Sils, Susqueda, La Tallada d'Empordà, Terrades, Torrent, Torroella de Fluvià, Torroella de Montgrí, Tossa de Mar, Ultramort, Ullà, Ullastret, Vall-Llobrega, Ventalló, Verges, Vidreres, Vilabertran, Vilablareix, Viladasens, Viladamat, Vilademuls, Vilafant, Vilaur, Vilajuiga, Vilamacolum, Vilamalla, Vilamaniscle, Vilanant, Vila-Sacra, Vilopriu, Vilobí d'Onyar, Biure, Cruilles, Forallac, Sant Julià del Llor.

Costa Daurada (Tarragona)

Aiguamúrcia, Albinyana, L'Albiol, Alcover, L'Aleixar, Alforja, Alió, Almoher, Altafulla, Arbolí, L'Arboç, L'Argentera, Banyeres del Penedès, Barberà de la Conca, Bellmunt del Priorat, Bellvei, La Bisbal de Falset, La Bisbal del Penedès, Blancafort, Bonastre, Les Borges del Camp, Botarell, Bràfim, Cabacés, Cabra del Camp, Calafell, Cambrils, Capafonts, Capçanes, Castellvell del Camp, El Catllar, Colldejou, Conesa, Constantí, Cornudella de Montsant, Creixell, Cunit, Duesaigües, L'Espluga de Francolí, Falset, La Febró, La Figuera, Figuerola del Camp, Forés, Els Garidells, Gratallops, Els Guiamets, El Lloar, Llorac, Llorenç del Penedès, Margalef, Marça, Masllorenç, La Masó, Maspujols, El Masroig, El Milà,

El Molar, Montblanc, Montbrió del Camp, Montferri, El Montmell, Mont-ral, Mont-roig del Camp, El Morell, La Morera de Montsant, La Nou de Gaià, Nulles, Els Pallaresos, Passanant i Belltall, Perafort, Les Piles, Pira, El Pla de Santa Maria, La Pobla de Mafumet, La Pobla de Montornés, Poboleda, El Pont d'Armentera, Porrera, Pradell de la Teixeta, Prades, Pradip, Puigpelat, Querol, Renal, Reus, La Riba, La Riera de Gaià, Riudecanyes, Riudecols, Riudoms, Rocafort de Queralt, Roda de Barà, Rodonyà, El Rourell, Salomó, Sant Jaume dels Domenys, Santa Coloma de Queralt, Santa Oliva, Pontils, Sarra, Savallà del Comtat, La Secuita, La Selva del Camp, Senan, Solivella, Tarragona, La Torre de Fontaubella, Torredembarra, Torroja del Priorat, Ulldemolins, Vallclara, Vallfogona de Riucorb, Vallmoll, Valls, Vandellòs i L'Hospitalet de L'Infant, El Vendrell, Vespella de Gaià, Vilabella, Vilallonga del Camp, Vilanova d'Escornabou, Vilanova de Prades, Vilaplana, Vila-rodona, Vila-seca, Vilaverd, La Viella Alta, La Viella Baixa, Vimbodí i Poblet, Vinilos i els Arcs, Salou, La Canonja.

Terres de l'Ebre (Tarragona)

Alcanar, Aldover, Alfara de Carles, l'Ametlla de Mar, Amposta, Arnes, Ascó, Batea, Benifallet, Benissanet, Bot, Caseres, La Sénia, Corbera d'Ebre, Xerta, La Fatarella, Flix, Freginals, La Galera, Gandesa, Garcia, Ginestar, Godall, Horta de Sant Joan, Mas de Barberans, Masdenverge, Miravet, Móra d'Ebre, Móra la Nova, La Palma d'Ebre, Paüls, El Perelló, El Pinell de Brai, La Pobla de Massalua, Prat de Comte, Rasquera, Riba-roja d'Ebre, Roquetes, Sant Carles de la Ràpita, Santa Bàrbara, Tivenys, Tivissa, La Torre de l'Espanyol, Tortosa, Uldecona, Vilalba dels Arcs, Vinebre, Deltebre, Sant Jaume d'Enveja, Camarles, L'Aldea, L'Ampolla.

Terres de Lleida (Lleida)

Àger, Agramunt, Els Alamús, L'Albagés, Albatarrac, Albesa, L'Albi, Alcanó, Alcarràs, Alcoletge, Alfarràs, Alfés, Algerri, Alguair, Almacelles, Almatret, Almenar, Alós de Balaguer, Alpicat, Anglesola, Arbeca, Artesa de Lleida, Artesa de Segre, La Sentiu de Sió, Aspa, Les Avellanès i Santa Linya, Aitona, Balaguer, Barbens, La Baronia de Rialb, Belianes, Bellcaire d'Urgel, Bell-lloc d'Urgel, Bellmunt d'Urgel, Bellpuig, Bellví, Benavent de Segrià, Biosca, Bovera, Les Borges Blanques, Cabanabona, Camarasa, Castellans, Castellsnou de Seana, Castelló de Farfanya, Castellserà, Cervera, Cervià de les Garrigues, Ciutadilla, El Cogul, Corbins, Cubells, L'Espluga Calba, Estaràs, La Floresta, Fondarella, Foradada, La Fuliola, Fullea, Golmés, La Granadella, La Granja d'Escarp, Granyanella, Grayena de Segarra, Grayena de les Garrigues, Quimera, Guissona, Ivars de Noguera, Ivars d'Urgell, Ivorra, Juncosa, Juneda, Lleida, Linyola, Llardecans, Maldà, Massalcoreig, Massoteres, Maials, Menàrguens, Miralcamp, Mollerussa, Montgai, Montoliu de Segarra, Montoliu de Lleida, Montornés de Segarra, Nalec, Oliola, Les Oluges, Els Omellons, Els Omells de na Gaia, Os de Balaguer, Ossó de Sió, El Palau de Anglesola, Penelles, El Poal, La Pobla de Cérvoles, Bellaguarda, Ponts, La Portella, Preixana, Preixens, Puiggrós, Puigverd d'Agramunt, Puigverd de Lleida, Roselló, Sanaüja, Sant Guim de Freixenet, Sant Ramon, Sant Guim de la Plana, Sarroca de Lleida, Serós, Sidamon, El Soleràs, Soses, Sudanell, Sunyer, Talavera, Tàrraga, Tarrés, Tarroja de Segarra, Térmens, Tiurana, Torà, Els Torms, Tornabous, Torrebesses, Torrefarrera, Torregrossa, Torrelameu, Torres de Segre, Torre-serona, Vallbona de les Monges, Vallfogona de Balaguer, Verdú, Vilagrassa, Vilanova de Bellpuig, Vilanova de l'Aguda, Vilanova de Meià, Vilanova de Segrià, Vila-sana, El Vilosell, Vilanova de la Barca,

Vinaixa, Sant Martí de Riucorb, Ribera d'Ondara, Torrefeta i Florejacs, Els Plans de Sió, Gimènells i el Pla de la Font.

Catalunya Central

Aguilar de Segarra, Alpens, L'Ametlla del Vallés, Argençola, Artés, Avinyó, Aiguafreda, Balenyà, Balsareny, Bellprat, Bigues i Riells, El Bruc, El Brull, Cabrera d'Anoia, Calaf, Caldes de Montbui, Calders, Calonge de Segarra, Calldetenes, Callús, Campins, Canovelles, Cànoves i Samalús, Capellades, Cardedeu, Cardona, Carme, Castellar del Vallés, Castellbell i el Vila, Castellbisbal, Castellcir, Castellfollit del Boix, Castellfollit de Riubregós, Castellgali, Castelnou de Bages, Castellolí, Castellterçó, Centelles, Collsuspina, Copons, L'Estany, Fogars de Montclús, Folgueroles, Fonollosa, Les Franqueses del Vallés, Gallifa, La Garriga, Gaià, Granera, Granollers, Gualba, Sant Salvador de Guardiola, Gurb, Igualada, Jorba, La Llacuna, La Llagosta, Llinars del Vallés, Lliçà d'Amunt, Lliçà de Val, Yuca, Malla, Manlleu, Manresa, Martorelles, Les Masies de Roda, Les Masies de Voltregà, Masquefa, Matadepera, Mollet del Vallés, Montcada i Reixac, Monistrol de Montserrat, Monistrol de Calders, Muntanyola, Montesquiu, Montmaneu, Figaró-Montmany, Montmeló, Montornés del Vallés, Montseny, Moià, Mura, Navarres, Navás, Odena, Olost, Orís, Oristà, Orpí, Palau-Solità i Plegamans, Parets del Vallés, Perafita, Piera, Els Hospitalets de Pierola, La Pobla de Claramunt, Polinyà, Els Prats de Rei, Prats de Lluçanès, Pujalt, Rajadell, Rellinars, Ripollet, La Roca del Vallés, El Pont de Vilomara i Rocafort, Roda de Ter, Rubí, Rubió, Sabadell, Sant Pere Sallavinera, Sallent, Santpedor, Sant Agustí de Lluçanès, Sant Antoni de Vilamajor, Sant Bartomeu del Grau, Sant Boi de Lluçanès, Sant Celon, Sant Cugat del Vallés, Sant Esteve de Palautordera, Sant Fost de Campsentelles, Sant Feliu de Codines, Sant Feliu Sasserra, Sant Fruitós de Bages, Sant Hipòlit de Voltregà, Sant Joan de Vilatorrada, Sant Julià de Vilatorrada, Sant Llorenç Savall, Sant Martí de Centelles, Sant Martí d'Albars, Sant Martí de Tous, Sant Martí Sesgueioles, Sant Mateu de Bages, Sant Pere de Torello, Sant Pere de Vilamajor, Sant Quirze de Besora, Sant Quirze del Vallés, Sant Quirze Safaja, Sant Sadurní d'Osormor, Marganel, Santa Cecília de Voltrega, Santa Eugènia, de Berga, Santa Eulàlia de Riuprime, Santa Eulàlia de Ronçana, Santa Margarida de Montbui, Barberà del Vallés, Santa Maria de Besora, Santa Maria de Corco, Santa Maria demartorelles, Santa Maria de Miralles, Santa Maria d'Olot, Santa Maria de Palautordera, Santa Perpètua de Mogoda, Sant Vicenç de Castelle, Sant Vicenç de Torelló, Cerdanyola del Vallés, Sentmenat, Seva, Sobremunt, Sora, Súria, Tavérnoles, Tagamanent, Talamanca, Taradell, Terrassa, Tavertet, Tona, Torelló, La Torre de Claramunt, Ullastrell, Vacarisses, Vallbona d'Anoia, Vallgorguina, Vallromanes, Veciana, Vic, Viladecavalls, Vilanova del Cam, Vilanova de Sau, Vilalba Sasserra, Rupit i Pruit, Vilanova del Vallés, Badia del Vallés, Espinelves, Vidrà, Viladrau.

Costa Blanca (Alicante)

Benidorm, Alfaz del Pi, Altea, Calpe, El Campello, Denia, Elche, Finestrat, Guardamar del Segura, Orihuela, Pilar de la Horadada, Santa Pola, Teulada, Torrevieja, El Verger, Villajoyosa, Javea, Alicante.

Costa Azahar (Castellón)

Vinaroz, Benicarló, Peñíscola, Alcalá de Chivert, Torreblanca, Oropesa del Mar, Benicàssim, Castellón de la Plana, Almassora, Burriana, Nules, Moncófa, Chilches, Almenara.

Costa Valencia (Valencia)

Canet d'En Berenguer, Sagunto, La Pobla de Farnals, Cullera, Tavernes de la Valldigna, Gandía, Piles, Oliva.

Costa Da Morte (A Coruña)

Arteixo, Laracha, Carballo, Malpica, Ponteceso, Cabana, Laxe, Camariñas, Muxia, Cee, Fisterra, Corcubión

Rías Altas (A Coruña)

Mañón, Ortigueira, Cariño, Cedeira, Valdoviño, Ferrol, Mugargos, Ares, Cabanas, Pontedeume, Miño, Bergondo, Sada, Oleiros, A Coruña

Rías Baixas (Pontevedra y A Coruña)

Carnota, Muros, Outes, Noia, Porto do Son, Ribeira, Pobra do Caramiñal, Boiro, Rianxo, Vilagarcía de Arousa, Vilanova de Arousa, Cambados, Ribadumia, Meaño, O Grove, Sanxenxo, Poio, Pontevedra, Marín, Bueu, Cangas, Moaña, Vilaboa, Soutomaior, Redondela, Vigo, Nigrán, Baiona, Oia, O Rosal, A Guarda.

Costa Cálida (Murcia)

Águilas, Los Alcázares, Cartagena, Mazarrón, San Javier, San Pedro del Pinatar, La Unión.

Costa Guipuzcoana

Hondarribia, Pasaia, Donostia, Orio, Zarauzt, Getaria, Zumaia, Deba.

Costa Vizcaína

Ondarroa, Berriatua, Mendexa, Lekeitio, Ispaster, Ea, Ibarranguelua, Elantxobe, Mundaka, Bermeo, Bakio, Pentzia, Munguía, Lemoiz, Gorliz, Barrica, Sopelana, Getxo, Santurtzi, Abanto, Muskiz.

Pirineo Aragonés

Abiego, Abizanda, Adahuesca, Agüero, Aisa, Alquézar, Ansó, Aragüés del Puerto, Arén, Arguis, Azanuy-Alins, Baélls, Bailo, Baldellou, Bárcabo, Benabarre, Benasque, Bielsa, Bierge, Biescas, Bisaurri, Boltaña, Bonansa, Borau, Broto, Caldearenas, Campo, Camporrélls, Canal de Berdún, Canfranc, Capella, Casbas

de Huesca, Castejón de Sos, Castiello de Jaca, Castigaleu, Castillonroy, Colungo, Chía, Estopiñán del Castillo, Fago, Fanlo, Fiscal, Foradada del Toscar, La Fueva, Gistaín, El Grado, Graus, Hoz de Jaca, Isábena, Jaca, Jasa, Labuerda, Lascuarre, Laspaúles, Laspuña, Monesma y Cajigar, Montanuy, Naval, Nueno, Olvena, Palo, Panticosa, Las Peñas de Riglos, Peralta de Calasanz, Perarrúa, Plan, La Puebla de Castro, Puente de Montañana, Puértolas, El Pueyo de Araguás, Sabiñánigo, Sahún, Salas Altas, Sallent de Gállego, San Juan de Plan, Santa Cilia de Jaca, Santa Cruz de la Serós, Santaliestra y San Quílez, Secastilla, Seira, Sesué, Sopeira, Tella-Sin, Tolva, Torla, Torre la Ribera, Valle de Bardají, Valle de Lierp, Veracruz, Viacamp y Litera, Villanova, Villanúa, Yebra de Basa, Yésero, Valle de Hecho, Puente la Reina de Jaca, Santa María de Dulcis, Aínsa-Sobrarbe, Hoz y Costean, Artieda, Asín, Bagüés, El Frago, Isuerre, Lobera de Onsella, Longás, Luesia, Mianos, Murillo de Gállego, Navardún, Orés, Los Pintanos, Salvatierra de Esca, Santa Eulalia de Gállego, Sigüés, Sos del Rey Católico, Uncastillo, Undués de Lerda, Urriés, Biel-Fuencalderas.

Pirineus-PrePirineus

Avià, Bagà, Berga, Borredà, Capolat, Caserres, Castellar del Riu, Castellar de n'Hug, Castell de l'Areny, L'Espunyola, Fígols, Gironella, Gisclareny, Guardiola de Berguedà, Montclar, Montmajor, La Nou de Berguedà, Olvan, La Pobla de Lillet, Puig-reig, La Quar, Sagàs, Saldes, Sant Jaume de Frontanyà, Santa Maria de Merlès, Cercs, Vallcebre, Vilada, Viver i Serrateix, Sant Julià de Cerdanyola, Alp, Argelaguer, Besalú, Beuda, Bolvir, Campdevàdol, Campelles, Camprodon, Queralbs, Castellfollit de la Roca, Das, Fontanals de Cerdanya, Ger, Gombrèn, Guils de Cerdanya, Isòvol, Llanars, Llívia, Les Llosses, Maià de Montcal, Meranges, Mieres, Molló, Montagut i Oix, Ogassa, Olot, Pardines, Les Planes d'Hostoles, Planoles, Les Preses, Puigcerdà, Ribes de Freser, Ripoll, Riudaura, Sales de Llierca, Sant Feliu de Pallerols, Sant Ferriol, Sant Jaume de Llierca, Sant Joan de les Abadesses, Vallfogona de Ripollès, Sant Pau de Segúries, Sant Aniol de Finestres, Santa Pau, Sant Joan les Fonts, Setcases, Tortellà, Toses, Urús, La Vall d'en Bas, La Vall de Bianya, Vilallonga de Ter, Abella de la Conca, Ager, Alàs i Cerc, Alins, Alt Aneu, El Pont de Bar, Arsèguel, Baix Pallars, La Vall de Boí, Bassella, Bellver de Cerdanya, Cabó, Castellar de la Ribera, Cava, Clariana de Cardener, Coll de Nargó, Espot, Esterri d'Aneu, Esterri de Cardós, Estamariu, Farrera, Gavet de la Conca, Gósol, Guixers, Isona i Conca Dellà, Lladorre, Lladurs, Llavorsí, Lles de Cerdanya, Llimiana, Llobera, La Molsosa, Montellà i Martinet, Montferrer i Castellbò, Navès, Odèn, Oliana, Oliús, Organyà, Conca de Dalt, La Coma i la Pedra, Peramola, Pinell de Solsonès, Pinós, La Pobla de Segur, El Pont de Suert, Prats i Sansor, Prullans, Rialp, Ribera d'Urgellet, Riner, Salàs de Pallars, Sant Llorenç de Morunys, Sant Esteve de la Sarga, Sarroca de Bellera, Senterada, La Seu d'Urgell, Solsona, Soriguera, Sort, Talarn, Tírvia, La Torre de Cabdella, Tremp, Les Valls de Valira, Vilaller, Vall de Cardós, La Guingueta i Jou, Castell de Mur, Les Valls d'Aguilar, Fígols i Alinyà, La Vansa i Fórnols, Josa i Tuixén, Riu de Cerdanya.

Val d'Aran

Naut Aran, Arres, Arsguel, Bausen, Es Bòrdes, Bossòst, Canejan, Les, Vielha e Mijaran, Vilamòs.

Pirineo Navarro

Abárzuza, Abaurregaina/Abaurrea Alta, Abaurrepea/Abaurrea Baja, Adiós, Aibar, Altsasu/Alsasua, Allín, Améscoa Baja, Anue, Añorbe, Aoiz/Agoitz, Araitz, Aranarache, Arantza, Arano, Arakil, Arbizu, Arce, Areso, Aria, Aribé, Arruazu, Artazu, Atez, Bakaiku, Barásoain, Basaburua, Baztan, Belascoáin, Bertizarana, Betelu, Biurrun-Olcoz, Auritz/Burguete, Burgui, Cáseda, Castillonuevo, Ziordia, Cirauqui, Ciriza, Donamaria, Etxalar, Echarri, Etxarri-Aranatz, Elgorriaga, Enériz, Eratsun, Ergoiena, Erro, Ezcároz, Eslava, Esparza de Salazar, Esteribar, Eulate, Ezkurra, Ezprogui, Gallipienzo, Gallués, Garaioa, Garde, Garínain, Garralda, Goizueta, Goñi, Güesa, Guesálaz, Guirguillano, Uharte-Arakil, Ibargoiti, Imotz, Irañeta, Isaba, Ituren, Iturmendi, Izagaondoa, Izalzu, Jaurrieta, Javier, Juslapeña, Beintza-Labaien, Lakuntza, Lana, Lantz, Larraona, Larraun, Leache, Legarda, Leitza, Leoz, Lerga, Lesaka, Lezáun, Liédena, Lizoáin, Lónguida, Lumbier, Mañeru, Metauten, Monreal, Muruzábal, Navascués, Obanos, Ochagavía, Odieta, Oitz, Olazti/Olazagutía, Olóriz, Olo, Orbaitzeta, Orbara, Orisoain, Oronz, Oroz-Betelu, Petilla de Aragón, Puente la Reina/Gares, Pueyo, Romanzado, Roncal, Orreaga/Roncesvalles, Sada, Saldías, Salinas de Oro, Sangüesa, San Martín de Unx, Doneztebe/Santesteban, Sarriés, Sunbilla, Tiebas-Muruarte de Reta, Tirapu, Ucar, Ujué, Ultzama, Unciti, Unzué, Urdazubi/Urdax, Urdiain, Urraul Alto, Urraul Bajo, Urroz, Urrotz, Urzainqui, Uterga, Uztárroz, Luzaide/Valcarlos, Bera/Vera de Bidasoa, Vidángoz, Vidaurreta, Hiriberri/Villanueva de Aezkoa, Igantzi, Yerri, Yesa, Zabalza, Zubieta, Zugarramurdi, Urbasa-Andía, Lekunberri.

The Sierra Nevada national park

The Ordesa national park

The Picos de Europa national park

The Aiguestortes national park

The Doñana national park

The Alcornocales national park

The Grazelema national park

The Sierra de Hornachuelos national park

The Sierra Nevada national park

The Sierras de Cazorla, Segura and Las Villas national park

The Sierra de las Nieves national park

The Sierra and Cañones de Guara national park

The Oyambre national park

The Las Batuecas-Sierra de Francia national park

The Garrotxa Volcanic Area national park

The Aiguamolls de l'Empordá national park

The Cadí-Moixeró national park

The Montseny national park

The Alt Pirineu national park

The Delta de l'Ebre national park

The Serra Calderona national park

6. Framework of the survey and sample design

As the framework for the selection of the informant units, the survey uses the directories from the Tourist Offices of the Autonomous Communities and other sources, which include, amongst other data, the following information: name, address, normal opening period, category of the establishment, number of vacancies, number of pitches, bungalows.

The sample is stratified to the level of province - category.

The survey is exhaustive in all the provinces, except in Ceuta and Melilla, where the survey is not performed because of the non existence of this type of establishment.

7. Estimators

ESTIMATES IN CAMPSITES

VARIABLES USED:

E = number of campsites open during the month, existing in the directory

e = number of establishments that answer the survey (questionnaires that have been completed and questionnaires received blank)

e' = number of establishments that answer the monthly survey (questionnaires that have been completed and questionnaires received blank)

c = number of campsites from the sample that are closed within their opening period (during the reference week)

c' = number of campsites that are closed during their opening period (reference month)

P = number of vacancies according to the directory

p = number of vacancies per pitch

V = number of travellers checked in

VM = number of travellers checked in during the whole month

N = number of occupied vacancies (overnight stays)

NM = number of occupied vacancies (overnight stays) during the whole month

T = employed personnel

dm = number of days the establishment has been open during the reference month

ES = average stay

GP = level of occupancy by vacancies

D = number of days in the reference month (28, 29, 30, 31)

RP = number of pitches according to the directory

RB = number of bungalows according to directory

RC = number of owned caravans according to the directory

RS = number of vacancies in areas not divided into pitches according to the directory

RT = total number of pitches

QP = number of occupied pitches (QP = QP1 + QP2)

QM = number of occupied pitches (total) during the whole month

QP1 = pitches occupied under a long-term rent scheme

QP2 = rest of occupied pitches

QB= number of occupied bungalows

QC= number of owned caravans

QS = number of occupied vacancies in areas not divided into pitches

QT = total number of occupied pitches

GR = Level of occupancy by pitches

THE SUB INDICES USED ARE:

i = campsite

j = province

k = category (1st class and luxury, 2nd and 3rd class)

m = modality (professional situation, place of residence, etc)

Estimate of the number of establishments open in the month

$$\hat{EM}_{jk} = E_{jk} \cdot \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} \frac{dm_{ijk}}{D}}{e'_{jk} + c'_{jk}}$$

Estimate of the number of vacancies in establishments open during the month

$$\hat{PM}_{jk} = \sum_{i=1}^{E_{jk}} P_{ijk} \cdot \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} P_{ijk} \cdot \frac{dm_{ijk}}{D}}{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} P_{ijk} + \sum_{i=1}^{c'_{jk}} P_{ijk}}$$

Estimate of the number of pitches in establishments open during the month

$$\hat{RPM}_{jk} = \sum_{i=1}^{E_{jk}} RP_{ijk} \cdot \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} RP_{ijk} \cdot \frac{dm_{ijk}}{D}}{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} RP_{ijk} + \sum_{i=1}^{c'_{jk}} RP_{ijk}}$$

Estimate of the number of bungalows in establishments open during the month

$$\hat{RBM}_{jk} = \sum_{i=1}^{E_{jk}} RB_{ijk} \cdot \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} RB_{ijk} \cdot \frac{dm_{ijk}}{D}}{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} RB_{ijk} + \sum_{i=1}^{c'_{jk}} RB_{ijk}}$$

Estimate of the number of owned caravans in establishments open during the month

$$\hat{RCM}_{jk} = \sum_{i=1}^{E_{jk}} RC_{ijk} \cdot \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} RC_{ijk} \cdot \frac{dm_{ijk}}{D}}{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} RC_{ijk} + \sum_{i=1}^{c'_{jk}} RC_{ijk}}$$

Estimate of the number of vacancies in areas not divided into pitches in establishments open during the month

$$\hat{RSM}_{jk} = \sum_{i=1}^{E_{jk}} RS_{ijk} \cdot \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} RS_{ijk} \cdot \frac{dm_{ijk}}{D}}{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} RS_{ijk} + \sum_{i=1}^{c'_{jk}} RS_{ijk}}$$

Estimate of the total number of pitches in establishments open during the month

$$\hat{RM}_{jk} = \hat{RPM}_{jk} + \hat{RBM}_{jk} + \hat{RCM}_{jk} + \frac{\hat{RSM}_{jk}}{\hat{p}_{jk}}$$

$$\hat{p}_{jk} = \frac{\hat{PM}_{jk} - \hat{RSM}_{jk}}{\hat{R}_{jk}}, \text{ where: } \hat{R}_{jk} = \hat{RPM}_{jk} + \hat{RBM}_{jk} + \hat{RCM}_{jk}$$

Estimate of the number of travellers checked in during the month

$$\hat{V}^*_{jkm} = \sum_{i=1}^{e_{jk}} V_{ijk} \cdot \frac{D}{7} \cdot \frac{\hat{PM}_{jk}}{\sum_{i=1}^{e_{jk}} P_{ijk}}; \quad \hat{VM}^*_{jk} = \sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} VM_{ijk} \cdot \frac{\hat{PM}_{jk}}{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} P_{ijk} \cdot \frac{dm_{ijk}}{D}};$$

$$\hat{VM}^*_{jkm} = \hat{VM}^*_{jk} \cdot \frac{\hat{V}^*_{jkm}}{\sum_m \hat{V}^*_{jkm}}$$

m = place of residence

Estimate of occupied vacancies(Overnight stays)

$$\hat{N}^*_{jkm} = \sum_{i=1}^{e_{jk}} N_{ijk} \cdot \frac{D}{7} \cdot \frac{\hat{PM}_{jk}}{\sum_{i=1}^{e_{jk}} P_{ijk}}; \quad \hat{NM}^*_{jk} = \sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} NM_{ijk} \cdot \frac{\hat{PM}_{jk}}{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} P_{ijk} \cdot \frac{dm_{ijk}}{D}}$$

$$\hat{NM}^*_{jkm} = \hat{NM}^*_{jk} \cdot \frac{\hat{N}^*_{jkm}}{\sum_m \hat{N}^*_{jkm}}$$

m = place of residence

Average stay estimate

Average stay by category

$$\hat{ES}^*_{jk} = \frac{\sum_m \hat{NM}^*_{jkm}}{\sum_m \hat{VM}^*_{jkm}}$$

Average stay by country of residence

$$\hat{ES}^*_{jm} = \frac{\sum_k \hat{NM}^*_{jkm}}{\sum_k \hat{VM}^*_{jkm}}$$

m = place of residence

Estimate of the total number of occupied pitches

$$\hat{QM}_{jk} = \sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} QM_{ijk} \frac{\hat{R}^*_{jk}}{\sum_{i=1}^{e'_{jk}} R_{ijk} \cdot \frac{dm_{ijk}}{D}}$$

Pitches occupied under a long-term rent scheme:

$$\hat{QP1M}_{jk} = \hat{QM}_{jk} \cdot \frac{\hat{QP1}_{jk}}{\left(\hat{QT}_{jk} - \frac{\hat{QS}_{jk}}{\hat{p}_{jk}} \right)}$$

Rest of occupied pitches:

$$\hat{QP2M}_{jk} = \hat{QM}_{jk} \cdot \frac{\hat{QP2}_{jk}}{\left(\hat{QT}_{jk} - \frac{\hat{QS}_{jk}}{\hat{p}_{jk}} \right)}$$

Total number of occupied pitches:

$$\hat{QPM}_{jk} = \hat{QP1M}_{jk} + \hat{QP2M}_{jk}$$

Occupied bungalows:

$$\hat{QBM}_{jk} = \hat{QM}_{jk} \cdot \frac{\hat{QB}_{jk}}{\left(\hat{QT}_{jk} - \frac{\hat{QS}_{jk}}{\hat{p}_{jk}} \right)}$$

Occupied caravans owned by the campsite:

$$\hat{QCM}_{jk} = \hat{QM}_{jk} \cdot \frac{\hat{QC}_{jk}}{\left(\hat{QT}_{jk} - \frac{\hat{QS}_{jk}}{\hat{p}_{jk}} \right)}$$

.Total number of occupied pitches (including bungalows, caravans owned by the campsite and vacancies in areas not divided into pitches

$$\hat{QTM}_{jk} = \hat{QM}_{jk} + \frac{\hat{QS}_{jk}}{\hat{P}_{jk}}$$

Estimate of the level of occupancy(percentage)

Net level of occupancy by vacancies

$$\hat{GP}^*_{jk} = \frac{\hat{NM}_{jk}}{D \cdot \hat{PM}_{jk}} \cdot 100$$

For the set of categories

$$\hat{GP}^*_j = \frac{\sum_k \hat{GP}^*_{jk} \cdot \hat{PM}_{jk}}{\sum_k \hat{PM}_{jk}}$$

m = place of residence

Net level of occupancy by pitches

$$\hat{GR}^*_{jk} = \frac{\hat{QTM}_{jk}}{D \cdot \hat{RM}_{jk}} \times 100$$

For the group of categories:

$$\hat{GR}^*_j = \frac{\sum_k \hat{GR}^*_{jk} \cdot \hat{RM}_{jk}}{\sum_k \hat{RM}_{jk}}$$

Level of occupancy by pitches at weekends

$$\hat{GR}^{fs}_{jk} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{e_{jk}} QT^{fs}_{ijk}}{2 \sum_{i=1}^{e_{jk}} RT_{ijk}} \cdot 100$$

$$QT^{fs}_{ijk} = QP^{fs}_{ijk} + QB^{fs}_{ijk} + QC^{fs}_{ijk} + \frac{QS^{fs}_{ijk}}{p_{ijk}}$$

For the set of categories

$$\hat{GR}_{j}^{fs} = \frac{\sum_k \hat{GR}_{jk}^{fs} \cdot \hat{RT}_{jk}}{\sum_k \hat{RT}_{jk}}$$

Estimate of employed personnel

$$\hat{T}^{*}_{jkm} = \sum_{i=1}^{e_{jk}} T_{ijkm} \cdot \frac{\hat{PM}_{jk}}{\sum_{i=1}^{e_{jk}} P_{ijk}}$$

Methodological note

As from January 2003, the information published regarding variables for travellers, overnight stays and occupied pitches comes from a new estimate that considers the total occupancy in each establishment during the month analysed. Previously, estimates were performed using data supplied by each establishment for a specific week of the month, so that there was information on every week. In these, and in the other variables, the number of days each establishment has been open during the month in question is also considered.

The variation rate for each variable has been calculated using the same estimation methodology for the two years compared.

8. Information collection

The query pertaining to basic data refers to one week of the month, randomly selected, in such a way that among all the establishments the whole month is covered.

As of January 2003, a second query is performed regarding monthly totals; total number of travellers, overnight stays and pitches occupied during the whole month, alongside the number of days the establishment has been open during the reference month.

The information published for each variable travellers, overnight stays and occupied pitches is estimated on the basis of the data provided in the monthly module.

The questionnaires are received from the campsites by the INE Provincial Delegations, where they are filtered and the data is recorded.

Subsequently, they are forwarded to the central offices of the INE where a second filter is performed, the tables are compiled and the comments drafted. These are published monthly, in accordance with the INE's Availability Calendar of Short-term Statistics.

8. Dissemination of the information

The information is presented at different at different geographical breakdown levels: national, Autonomous Community, provincial, tourist area and tourist site. The areas (groups of municipalities) have been considered, as well as the municipalities in which tourist affluence is specifically located..