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TRAFFIC IN AIRPORTS, SEPTEMBER 2023

The total traffic of passengers in Croatian airports amounted to 1 531 thousand in September 2023, which was 11.5% more than in September 2022, when the total traffic of passengers amounted to 1 373 thousand.

The largest traffic of passengers was recorded in the Split Airport, with 507 thousand passengers, which was an increase of 14.8% compared to September 2022, when the traffic of passengers amounted to 442 thousand. The Zagreb Airport followed, with 368 thousand passengers, which was an increase of 13.9% compared to September 2022, when the traffic of passengers amounted to 323 thousand, and the Dubrovnik Airport, with 353 thousand passengers, which was an increase of 5.5% compared to September 2022, when the traffic of passengers amounted to 335 thousand. The Zadar Airport recorded 199 thousand passengers carried, which was an increase of 9.0% compared to September 2022, when passenger traffic amounted to 183 thousand. In September 2023, compared to September 2022, the Osijek Airport achieved the largest increase in passenger traffic, of 238.7%.

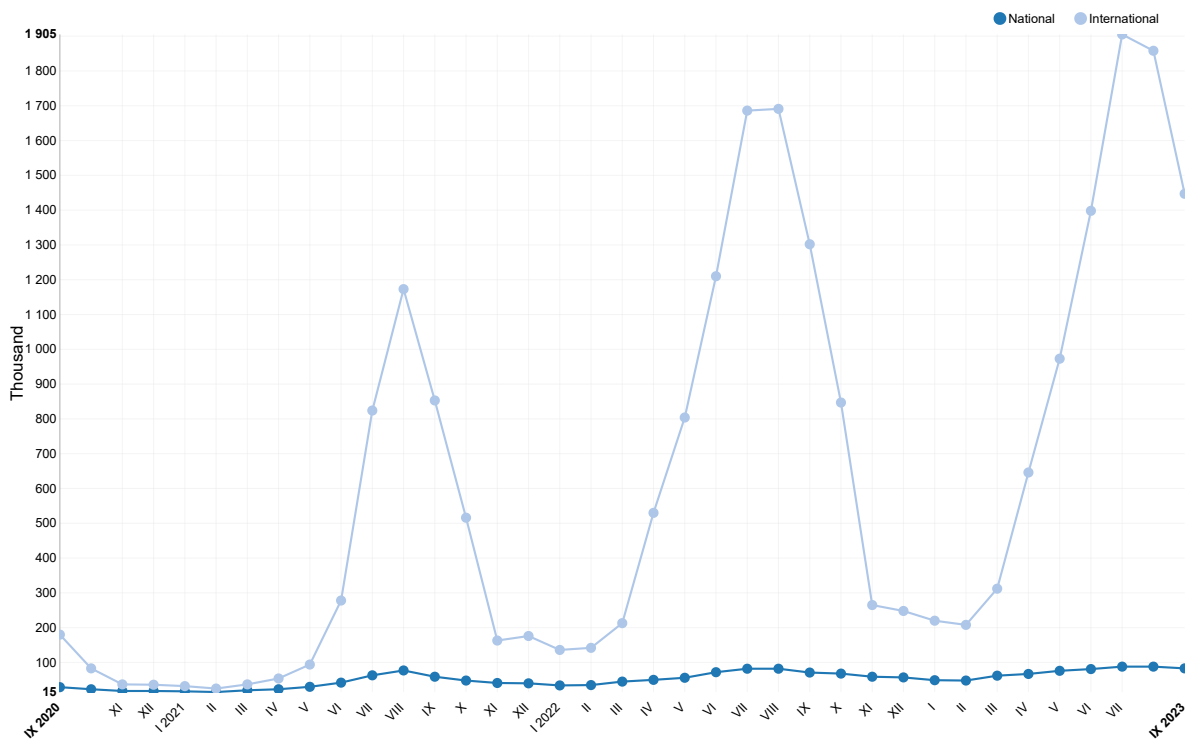
The most significant international traffic of passengers was realised with German airports, with 314 thousand passengers carried, which was 12.3% more than in September 2022. The airports of the United Kingdom followed, with 276 thousand passengers carried, which was 3.1% more than in the same period of the previous year, and the airports of Poland, with 99 thousand passengers carried, which was 27.2% more than in the same period of the previous year.

The total number of landings and take-offs in airports in September 2023 amounted to 15 177 movements, which was 6.2% more than in September 2022, when the total number of landings and take-offs in airports amounted to 14 287 movements.

The total traffic of freight in airports in September 2023 amounted to 893 tonnes, which was a decrease of 0.7% compared to September 2022, when the total traffic of freight in airports amounted to 899 tonnes.

In the period from January to September 2023, compared to the same period of 2022, the total number of landings and take-offs in airports increased by 5.5%, the total traffic of passengers by 16.6%, whereas the total traffic of freight decreased by 5.6%.

G-1 PASSENGERS IN AIRPORTS, BY TYPES OF TRANSPORT, SEPTEMBER 2020 – SEPTEMBER 2023



1 TRAFFIC IN AIRPORTS

	Unit of measure	2022		2023		Indices	
		IX	I – IX	IX	I – IX	<u>IX 2023</u> IX 2022	<u>I – IX 2023</u> I – IX 2022
Aircraft movements – total	Number	14 287	97 755	15 177	103 098	106,2	105,5
Traffic of passengers	'000	1 373	8 242	1 531	9 610	111,5	116,6
Traffic of freight	t	899	7 312	893	6 899	99,3	94,4

2 TRAFFIC OF PASSENGERS IN AIRPORTS, SEPTEMBER 2023

	Traffic of passengers	Indices <u>IX 2023</u> IX 2022
Total	1 530 790	111,5
Split	507 007	114,8
Zagreb	367 744	113,9
Dubrovnik	353 067	105,5
Zadar	199 196	109,0
Pula	67 067	112,3
Rijeka	27 990	106,9
Osijek	5 412	338,7
Brač	3 032	121,6
Mali Lošinj	275	125,6

3 TOP TEN COUNTRIES, BY TRAFFIC OF PASSENGERS REALISED WITH CROATIAN AIRPORTS, SEPTEMBER 2023

	Traffic of passengers	Indices <u>IX 2023</u> IX 2022
Germany	313 569	112,3
United Kingdom	276 219	103,1
Poland	99 484	127,2
France	99 070	106,3
Italy	68 738	105,9
Austria	67 475	111,4
Netherlands	63 183	89,1
Sweden	53 124	136,1
Spain	42 263	109,1
Ireland	39 278	103,5

NOTES ON METHODOLOGY

Sources and methods of data collection

Cumulative data are not always equal to the sum of individual monthly results due to the rounding of numbers to the nearest thousand.

The purpose of the survey is to collect data on the number of all aircraft movements and the traffic of passengers and freight on commercial operations in airports and air landing places of the Republic of Croatia.

The observation units and reporting units are airports in the Republic of Croatia. Data are collected in the form of electronic datasets and on the PZ/M-21 form.

Coverage

The data on air traffic (total aircraft movements, traffic of passengers and freight in airports) relate to the activities of the airports of Zagreb, Split, Dubrovnik, Pula, Rijeka, Zadar, Osijek, Brač and the air landing place of Mali Lošinj.

The number of total aircraft movements in airports refers to the number of all (commercial and non-commercial) operations of landing and taking-off of an aircraft, except state flights (military, customs, police).

Traffic of passengers in airports includes the number of passengers who have departed or arrived on commercial operations. Passengers in direct transit are excluded. Direct transit passengers are passengers who, after a short stop, continue their journey on the same aircraft on a flight having the same flight number as the flight on which they arrived.

Traffic of freight in airports refers to the loaded and unloaded goods and mail on commercial operations other than the baggage of passengers. The freight in direct transit is excluded.

Abbreviations

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'000 thousand

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