

# Statistical review of tourism as a concept for intensive economic development

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## Abstract

Today's chaotic fast way of living with all its challenges, needs and shortcomings leads to an increase in people's needs in relation to their daily functioning. It is from here that the question arises: Can the daily needs of people unobtrusively lead to the favoring of certain economic branches or activities that would lead to accelerated economic development? The answer would certainly be Yes, but without emphasizing any economic-economic or industrial activity. Namely, it must be noted that tourism is still one of the most important links for the development of any economy, because it is especially the domain that includes vacations, recreation, and trips that people make outside of their place of residence. In fact, other economic activities such as: hospitality, agro-tourism, hotel industry, fashion, sports, recreational tourism are developed through the tourism. business tourism, etc., which have a great impact on economic development as a concept for meeting the daily needs of people in that segment. That is why it is considered that tourism is one of the most important economic activities of all developed and developing countries, because tourism is an economic-economic system in which several subsystems are adapted to function, which lead to the development of tourism as an important economic branch in the country. In the context of what was said earlier, this paper will target tourism as an economic activity both from an analytical and statistical aspect, whose parameters will give an answer to whether tourism as an economic activity moves economic development in a positive direction.

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