

# Irish Resident Travel by County 2023

Trips, Spend and Nights spent in Ireland by Irish Residents 2023

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# Introduction

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Irish residents took 14.3 million domestic trips in 2023, spending a total of €3.1 billion. They stayed an average of 2.4 nights per trip, a total 34 million nights.

The following pages provide a breakdown of Irish residents' travel by main county visited. The CSO provides data on trips and nights based on the annual results of their Household Travel Survey (HTS), [Household Travel Survey Quarter 4 and Year 2023 - CSO - Central Statistics Office](#). Fáilte Ireland generates expenditure estimates based on the results of the HTS.

# Irish Resident Trips and Spend 2023

## Northern and Western Counties



Donegal		
Trips	000s	699
Nights	000s	2,089
Average Length of Stay	Nights	3.0
Spend	€mn	186.8

Cavan & Leitrim		
Trips	000s	431
Nights	000s	844
Average Length of Stay	Nights	2.0
Spend	€mn	75.5

Sligo		
Trips	000s	302
Nights	000s	625
Average Length of Stay	Nights	2.1
Spend	€mn	55.9

Mayo		
Trips	000s	649
Nights	000s	1,652
Average Length of Stay	Nights	2.5
Spend	€mn	147.7

Louth & Monaghan		
Trips	000s	294
Nights	000s	588
Average Length of Stay	Nights	2.0
Spend	€mn	52.6

Galway		
Trips	000s	1,184
Nights	000s	2,639
Average Length of Stay	Nights	2.2
Spend	€mn	235.9

Roscommon & Longford		
Trips	000s	277
Nights	000s	641
Average Length of Stay	Nights	2.3
Spend	€mn	57.3

# Irish Resident Trips and Spend 2023

## Eastern & Midland Counties



Dublin			
Trips	000s		2,416
Nights	000s		4,535
Average Length of Stay	Nights		1.9
Spend	€mn		490

Meath			
Trips	000s		327
Nights	000s		588
Average Length of Stay	Nights		1.8
Spend	€mn		52.6

Laois & Offaly			
Trips	000s		287
Nights	000s		583
Average Length of Stay	Nights		2.0
Spend	€mn		52.1

Wicklow			
Trips	000s		474
Nights	000s		965
Average Length of Stay	Nights		2.0
Spend	€mn		86.3

Louth & Monaghan			
Trips	000s		294
Nights	000s		588
Average Length of Stay	Nights		2.0
Spend	€mn		52.6

Westmeath			
Trips	000s		262
Nights	000s		489
Average Length of Stay	Nights		1.9
Spend	€mn		43.7

Kildare & Carlow			
Trips	000s		469
Nights	000s		716
Average Length of Stay	Nights		1.5
Spend	€mn		64

Roscommon & Longford			
Trips	000s		277
Nights	000s		641
Average Length of Stay	Nights		2.3
Spend	€mn		57.3

# Irish Resident Trips and Spend 2023

## Southern Counties



Clare			
Trips	000s	674	
Nights	000s	2,017	
Average Length of Stay	Nights	3.0	
Spend	€mn	180.3	

Waterford			
Trips	000s	499	
Nights	000s	1,097	
Average Length of Stay	Nights	2.2	
Spend	€mn	98.1	

Wexford			
Trips	000s	919	
Nights	000s	2,345	
Average Length of Stay	Nights	2.6	
Spend	€mn	209.6	

Tipperary			
Trips	000s	326	
Nights	000s	606	
Average Length of Stay	Nights	1.9	
Spend	€mn	54.2	

Kilkenny			
Trips	000s	355	
Nights	000s	731	
Average Length of Stay	Nights	2.1	
Spend	€mn	65.4	

Cork			
Trips	000s	1,706	
Nights	000s	4,498	
Average Length of Stay	Nights	2.6	
Spend	€mn	402.1	

Limerick			
Trips	000s	433	
Nights	000s	874	
Average Length of Stay	Nights	2.0	
Spend	€mn	78.1	

Kildare & Carlow			
Trips	000s	469	
Nights	000s	716	
Average Length of Stay	Nights	1.5	
Spend	€mn	64	

Kerry			
Trips	000s	1,326	
Nights	000s	4,842	
Average Length of Stay	Nights	3.7	
Spend	€mn	432.9	