

# Monthly Report on Tourism in **Buenos Aires City**

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### I. INTERNATIONAL TOURISM > EZEIZA AND JORGE NEWBERY

INTERNATIONAL TOURIST ARRIVALS IN BUENOS AIRES AND INTERANNUAL VARIATION (BY %) BY MONTH. SEPTEMBER 2017 - SEPTEMBER 2018.





- In September 2018, 167,504 international tourists arrived in Buenos Aires by air (+7.8%), making it the sixth consecutive month of interannual growth. As in the previous month, a significant proportion of the rise came from Chile (+26.3%) and Europe (+15.8% - particularly the UK and Spain), followed by the US and Canada (8.6%) and Rest of the World (+7.6%).

INTERNATIONAL TOURIST ARRIVALS IN BUENOS AIRES BY REGION OF ORIGIN. SEPTEMBER 2018.

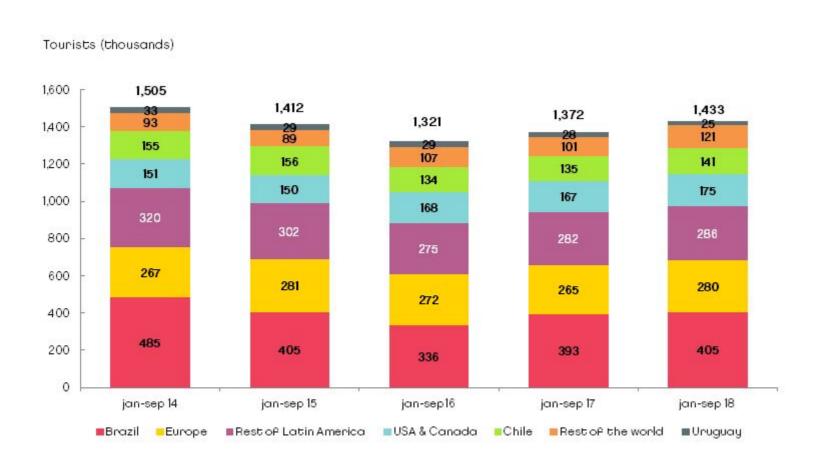
Origin	September 2018			January - September 2018		
	Tourists	YoY growth (%)	Share (%)	Tourists	YoY growth (%)	Share (%)
Brazil	54,956	1.1	33	404,917	3.1	28
Chile	22,456	26.3	13	140,922	4.2	10
Uruguay	2,924	-23.0	2	25,054	-11.0	2
USA & Canada	15,013	8.6	9	174,905	4.7	12
Rest of Latin America	34,751	7.2	21	286,484	1.4	20
Europe	24,515	15,8	15	279,711	5.5	20
Rest of the world	12,889	7.6	8	120,909	19.4	8
TOTAL	167,504	7.8	100	1,432,902	4.4	100



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- Over the first nine months of the year, international tourism to Buenos Aires has been up for all outbound destinations with the exception of Uruguay: with a total of 1.4 million visitors, 4% more than in the same period of 2017.
- Visitors from the Rest of the World market led the increase with 19,600 more tourists, or +19% i.a., particularly from China, followed by Europe (14,600 more visitors; +5.5%) and the US and Canada (7,800 additional visitors).
- From January to September, overnight stays totalled 13.6 million (+6.6%, or 695,000 more nights.)

# INTERNATIONAL TOURIST ARRIVALS IN BUENOS AIRES, BY REGION. JAN - SEP 2014 to JAN - SEP 2018





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### **II. NATIONAL TOURISM IN HOTELS**

# ARGENTINE TOURIST HOTEL STAYS. SEPTEMBER 2017 - SEPTEMBER 2018





- In September, 221,589 Argentine tourists stayed in hotels in Buenos Aires (-12.3% i.a.) against a background of a drop in purchasing power and a slowdown in economic activity.
- The total number of overnight stays by Argentine tourists was 481,300 (-12.6%).
- The occupancy rate for hotel rooms in Buenos Aires was 62%, (-0.1 percentage points against August 2017).

#### ARGENTINE TOURIST HOTEL STAYS. SEPTEMBER 2012 - SEPTEMBER 2018

