

Swiss Confederation

Factsheet – Surveys, Sources

Supplementary accommodation statistics (PASTA)

Description	The supplementary accommodation statistics (PASTA) measures supply and demand in commercially-run holiday homes and collective accommodation.
	Available since: 2016
	Type of survey: The PASTA is a sample survey. Data are collected quarterly by paper or online questionnaire (http://www.esurvey.bfs.admin.ch/epasta =). Participation in PASTA is compulsory, except for natural persons in private households for whom participation is voluntary.
	Statistical unit: The statistical unit is commercially-run holiday homes or collective accommo- dation (local unit).
	 The key variables are: The number of commercially-run holiday homes or collective accommodation units and number of beds. Monthly number of arrivals and overnight stays by visitors' country of residence
Methodology	Degree of regionalisation : Major region
	Periodicity: Quarterly
	Reference period: Month
Legal bases	Ordinance on the Conduct of Statistical Surveys by the Confederation of 30 June 1993 (RS 431.012.1)
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