

Due to Corona Pandemic, The Total Number of Mu'tamirs decreased by (69.60%) in 2020

According to the results of the Umrah survey for "Internal Mu'tamirs" and administrative data of the Ministry of Hajj and Umrah for "Mu'tamirs from Abroad", the total number of mu'tamirs reached (5,822,942) with a reduction reached (69.60%) from last year 2019. Where the percentage of Saudis reached (12.85%) from total number of mu'tamirs. The percentage of mu'tamirs from abroad reached (66.08%) while it reached for Internal mu'tamirs reached (33.92%).

Drop in Numbers of Mu'tamirs from Abroad by (48.40%) in 2020

- The total number of mu'tamirs arrived from abroad reached (3,848,025) with percentage of decrease reached (48.40%) from last year 2019 due to Corona pandemic and application of Ministry of Health protocol to prevent corona virus and limit its spread. The males of them represent (47.39%) while the females represent (52.61%). The age group "60+" recorded the greatest number of mu'tamirs arrived from abroad with (25.87%) from total number of mu'tamirs. Similarly, the age group "60+" recorded the greatest number of mu'tamirs arrived from abroad with (24.19%).
- According to the port type (type of entry to the kingdom), mu'tamirs from abroad arrivals were distributed as follows: (93.06%) by airports, (6.30%) by land ports, and (0.64%) by seaports. Meanwhile, King Abdul-Aziz International Airport in Jeddah recorded the greatest percentage with (62.25%).
- According to the duration of residential for mu'tamirs, the residential duration for two weeks recorded the longest duration with (54.53%). Similarly, in 2019 where the residential duration for two weeks recorded (48.01%).
- The number of mu'tamirs from abroad reached its peak in the month of Jumad II, where the percentage of mu'tamirs from abroad reached in this month (22.36%).

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Drop in numbers of Internal Mu'tamirs by (83.12%) in 2020

- The total number of internal mu'tamirs reached (1,974,917) with a reduction reached (83.12%) compared to 2019 due to Corona pandemic and application of Ministry of Health protocol to prevent corona virus and limit its spread. The Saudi mu'tamirs represent (37.88%), the males from internal mu'tamirs represented (68.26%). While females mu'tamirs reched (31.74%). The age group (30-39) was the highest age group number of internal mu'tamirs with (30.89%) out of total of internal mu'tamirs. Similarly, the same age group (30-39) in 2019 recorded the highest number of internal mu'tamirs with (24.52%).
- The number of internal mu'tamirs reached its peak in the month of Muharram with (18.65%) out of total of internal mu'tamirs.
- The private vehicle considered the most popular transportation that arrive to Makkah Al-Mukarramah for the internal mu'tamirs, that with (71.12%).

(61.38%) from Internal Mu'tamirs their daily expenditure in Umrah (300 SR and less)

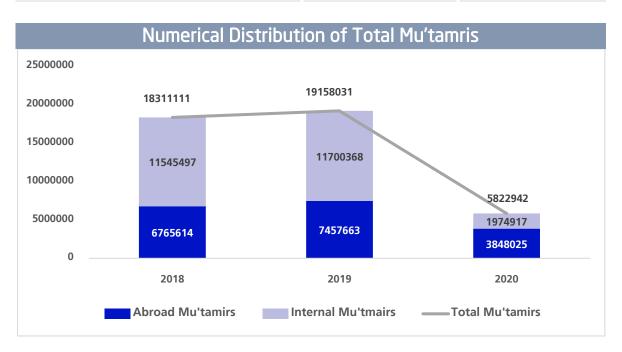
- According to estimates of daily expenditure for internal mu'tamirs, mu'tamirs spend (300 SR and less) recorded (61.38%) which is the maximum, and Saudis represent (28.97%).
- Almost all of internal mu'tamirs cost themselves with (98.92%) and (99.15%) of Saudis bear the expenses themselves.

Methodology

Umrah survey being implemented annually, Umrah statistics reflect the number and proportion of mu'tamirs based on two sources of data. First, according to the statistical survey of mu'tamirs from inside the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia where the data disaggregated by (gender, nationality (Saudi/ Non-Saudi), administrative region, age group, month, transportation, costs). Second, administrative records of Ministry of Hajj and Umrah for mu'tamirs from abroad; disaggregated by (gender, age group, month, entry ports, residential duration). Additionally, calculate the growth rate with previous year.



Annual Proportional Change in The Total of Mu'tamirs		
Break down	Proportional Change	
	2019	2020
Total mu'tamirs	4.63	- 69.60
Total Mu'tamirs from abroad	10.23	- 48.40
Total of internal Mu'tamirs	1.34	- 83.12



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