

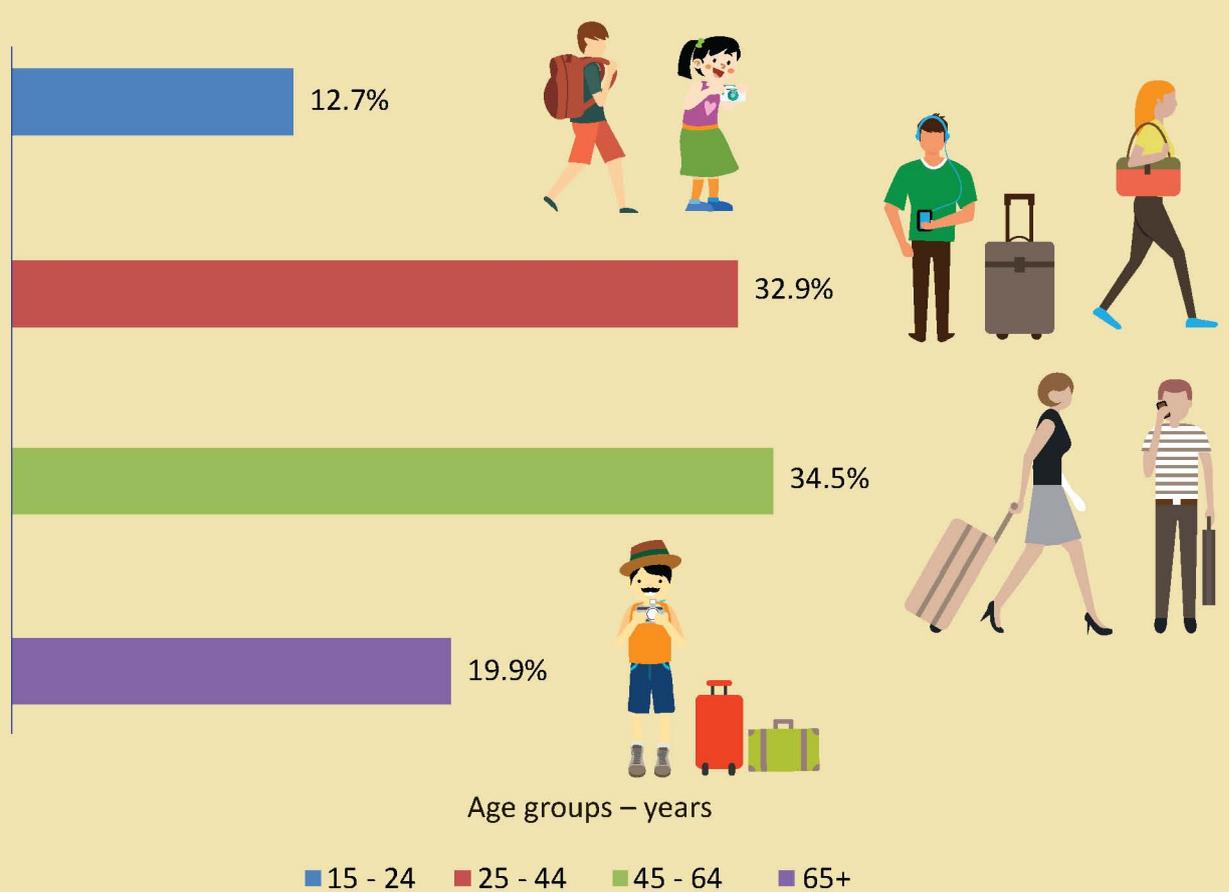


# 27<sup>th</sup> September - World Tourism Day



**1 640 559 trips of Bulgarian residents abroad in 2016**  
*5.8% less than 2008*  
**51.4% Female** **48.6% Male**

*Bulgarians who traveled abroad in 2016 by age*





*Top 5 most desirable destinations for Bulgarians for holiday and recreation*

**1. Greece - 517 899 trips**



**2. Turkey - 291 554 trips**



**3. FYROM - 150 117 trips**



**4. Serbia - 86 572 trips**



**5. Romania - 79 962 trips**



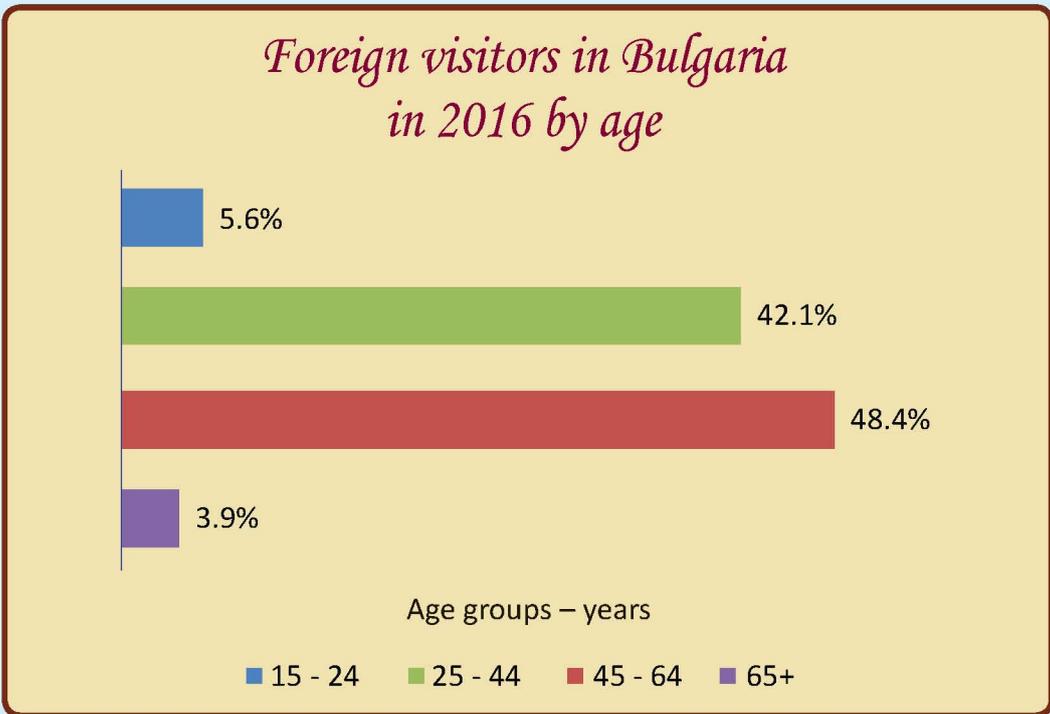
**Night spent by Bulgarians in 2016 :**

1. Greece	6.0
2. Turkey	5.2
3. FYROM	2.4
4. Serbia	1.8
5. Romania	2.7



**10 604 396 of foreign visitors in Bulgaria  
in 2016**  
*24.3% more than 2008*

**41.7% Female** **58.3% Male**



**The largest number of foreigners visiting Bulgaria for holiday and recreation came from:**

<b>1. Germany - 586 794</b> 	<b>2. Russian Federation - 538 348</b> 	<b>3. FYROM - 482 691</b> 
<b>4. Turkey - 382 735</b> 	<b>5. Romania - 353 920</b> 	<b>6. Serbia - 330 753</b> 

**Average number of nights spent in  
Bulgaria in 2016 by citizens from:**

1. Germany	6.5
2. Russian Federation	7.3
3. FYROM	2.8
4. Turkey	1.9
5. Romania	3.7
6. Serbia	3.2



## Top 5 most popular destinations for foreign tourists in Bulgaria (Revenues from overnight stays)



**Dobrich -  
82 Million BGN**



**Sofia -  
99 Million BGN**



**Varna -  
246 Million BGN**



**Blagoevgrad -  
32 Million BGN**



**Burgas -  
377 Million BGN**

