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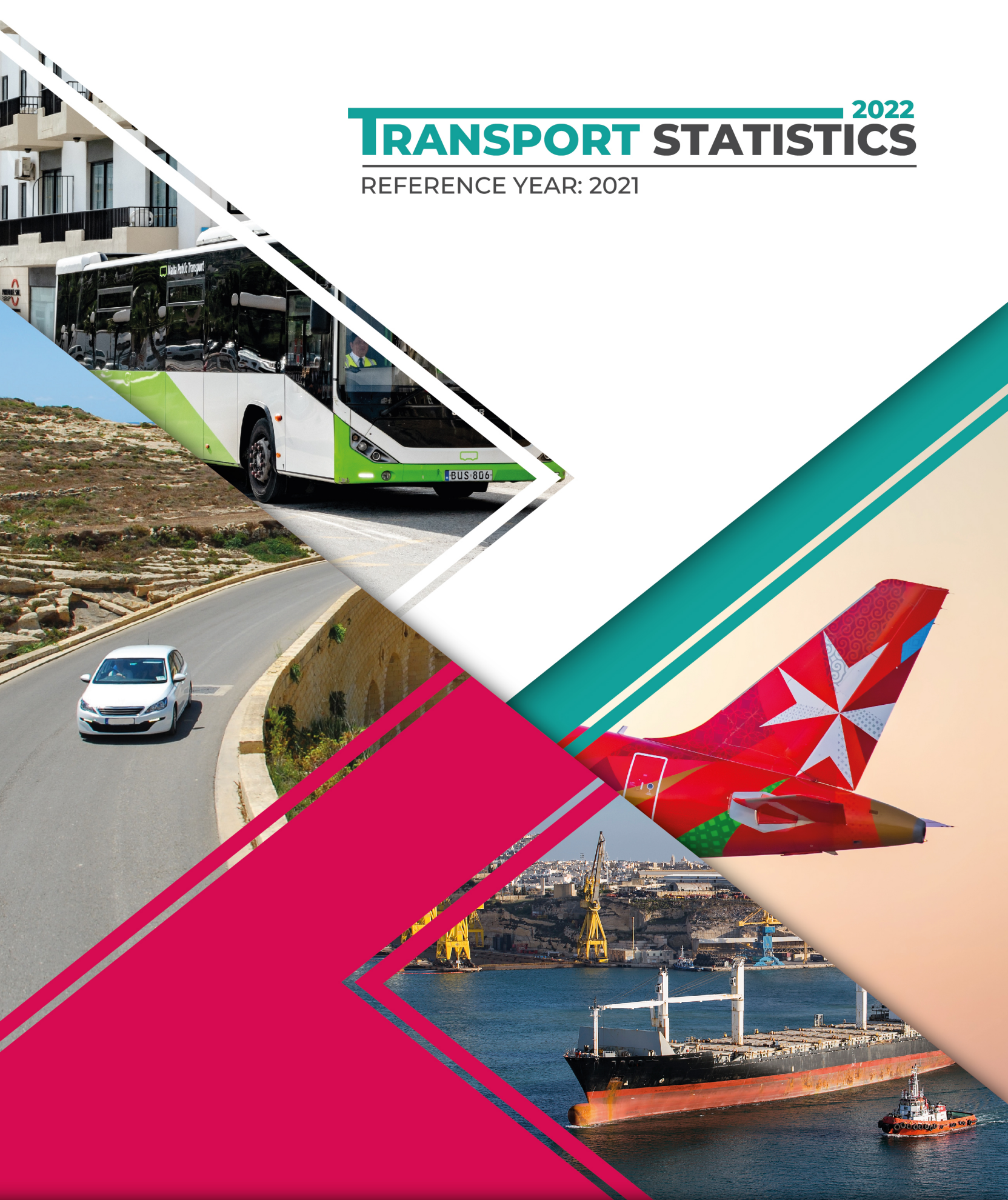
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# Foreword



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The Transport Statistics publication – 2022 edition, is yet another in the series of NSO’s publications on transport. As with previous editions, it presents a collection of detailed statistics on passenger and freight transport by road, sea, and air during 2021. The myriad of data and information provided make this publication valuable for various stakeholders, including businesses, urban planning experts, and port management consultants.

The first chapter provides statistics on air passenger movements which show mobility, to and from which countries people travel most, while air transport also covers mail and cargo movements. As per previous editions, this publication also includes a chapter on sea transport, which delves into different activities such as cruise liners, yachting, and also the fishing industry. Furthermore, it looks into vehicle and passenger traffic between Malta and Gozo, including statistics on the fast ferry service introduced between the islands during 2021.





The final chapter presents statistics on road transport. This includes information about the stock of licensed motor vehicles, road traffic accidents, and transport-related contraventions and warnings. It also provides statistics on driving licences and the use of public transport, and concludes with a series of road transport indicators.

The detailed commentaries accompanied by statistical tables, charts and spatial maps depict a better picture on the salient aspects of this publication. Furthermore, the statistics provided also show the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic during the presented years.

The NSO would like to thank its various data sources specified in the different chapters, for their support and valuable contribution. Such collaboration is highly acknowledged, as without which, this publication would not be possible. My gratitude is also due to all the staff at NSO involved in the collection, compilation and dissemination of this publication.



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# CHAPTER 1

## AIR TRANSPORT

This chapter provides salient statistics on air transport. The first section comprises passenger movements while the second section provides the amounts of mail and cargo that passed through the Malta International Airport.

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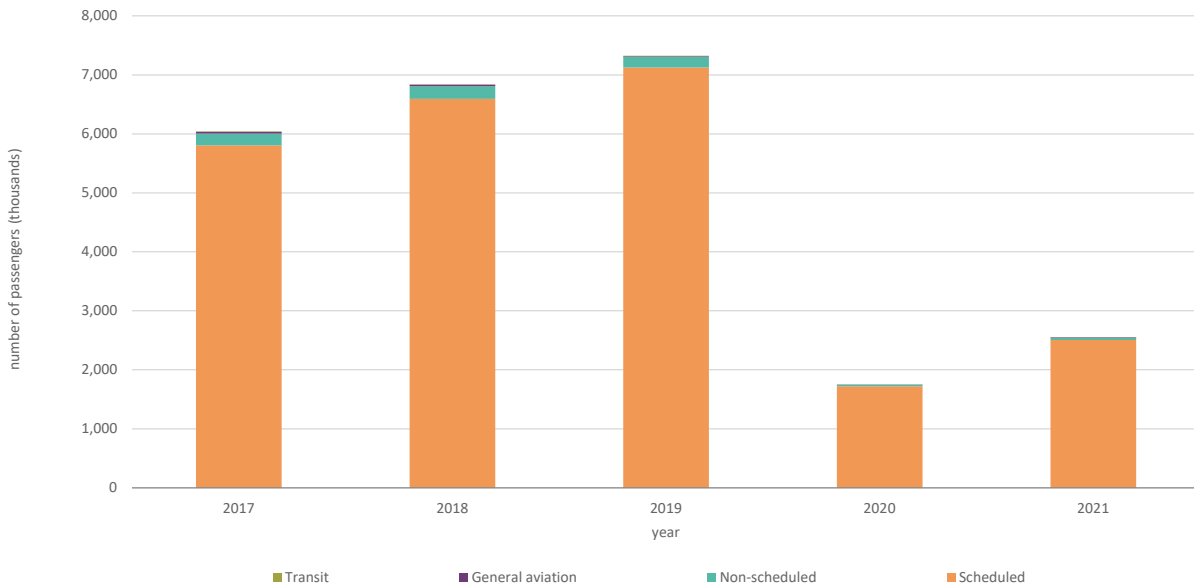


AIR TRANSPORT

1.1. PASSENGER MOVEMENTS

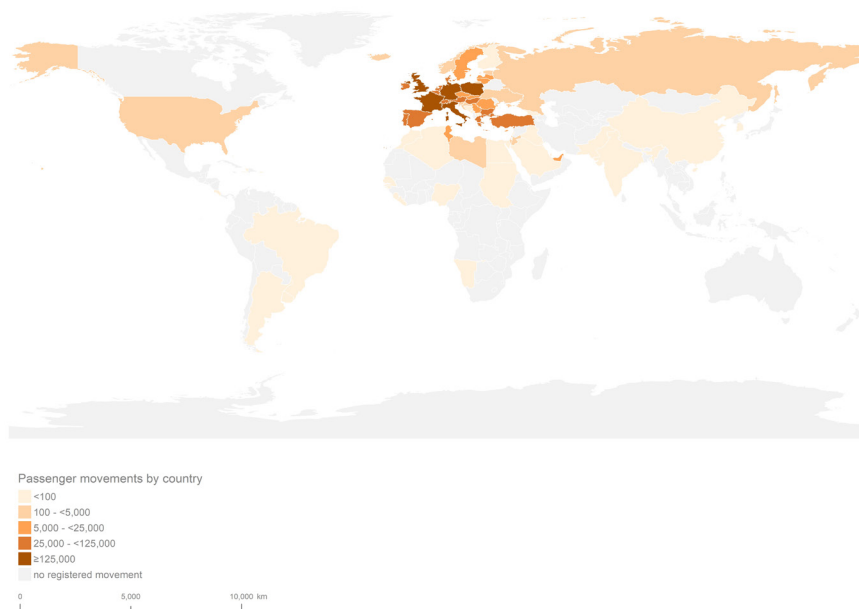
During 2021, passenger traffic at the Malta International Airport reached a total of 2,548,008, an increase of 45.4 per cent when compared to 2020. The first quarter registered a decrease while all the other quarters registered increases when compared to the previous year. The highest increases in air passenger traffic were recorded in the second quarter and the fourth quarter (Table 1.1).

CHART 1.1. Passenger traffic at Malta International Airport: 2017-2021



During the year under review, decreases were registered in outbound and inbound passenger traffic between Malta and Other Africa and Asia countries (-61.4 per cent) and between Malta and Far/Mid East and other countries (-49.3 per cent). On the other hand, increases were registered in outbound and inbound passenger traffic between Malta all the other countries. Although the United Kingdom was usually the top single origin/destination, Italy was the top single origin/destination for 2021 with 490,842 passengers, contributing to 19.3 per cent of the total passenger movements. The United Kingdom was the second largest destination, which registered 481,831 passengers, an increase of 40.4 per cent over 2020 (Table 1.2 and Map 1.1).

MAP 1.1. Passenger movements by country: 2021





## AIR TRANSPORT

## 1.2. MAIL AND CARGO

During 2021, a total weight of 14,895 tonnes of cargo, was processed by the Malta International Airport, a decrease of 5.7 per cent over the previous year. Additionally, a total weight of 1,102 tonnes of mail was processed, a decrease of 15.1 per cent over 2020 (Table 1.3).

TABLE 1.1. Passenger movements: 2017-2021

Period	Scheduled	Non-scheduled	General aviation	Transit	Total
Q1	954,157	23,256	6,388	4,521	988,322
Q2	1,591,176	65,697	6,411	951	1,664,235
Q3	1,915,739	77,989	7,245	1,182	2,002,155
Q4	1,341,333	38,336	6,407	229	1,386,305
<b>2017 Total</b>	<b>5,802,405</b>	<b>205,278</b>	<b>26,451</b>	<b>6,883</b>	<b>6,041,017</b>
Q1	1,141,182	31,138	7,443	63	1,179,826
Q2	1,828,386	69,106	7,971	444	1,905,907
Q3	2,137,540	84,721	7,325	1,150	2,230,736
Q4	1,485,604	28,554	6,554	285	1,520,997
<b>2018 Total</b>	<b>6,592,712</b>	<b>213,519</b>	<b>29,293</b>	<b>1,942</b>	<b>6,837,466</b>
Q1	1,183,152	19,763	1,219	68	1,204,202
Q2	1,991,607	57,251	2,039	66	2,050,963
Q3	2,304,635	79,796	2,396	36	2,386,863
Q4	1,643,103	30,726	1,935	86	1,675,850
<b>2019 Total</b>	<b>7,122,497</b>	<b>187,536</b>	<b>7,589</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>7,317,878</b>
Q1	994,121	14,804	1,363	126	1,010,414
Q2	-	8,742	275	52	9,069
Q3	530,100	3,323	1,850	70	535,343
Q4	195,018	1,569	1,257	109	197,953
<b>2020 Total</b>	<b>1,719,239</b>	<b>28,438</b>	<b>4,745</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>1,752,779</b>
Q1	96,873	1,607	1,048	13	99,541
Q2	300,635	4,666	2,033	16	307,350
Q3	1,119,537	18,008	2,199	55	1,139,799
Q4	989,088	9,823	2,393	14	1,001,318
<b>2021 Total</b>	<b>2,506,133</b>	<b>34,104</b>	<b>7,673</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>2,548,008</b>

Source: Malta International Airport plc.

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TABLE 1.2. Passenger movements by country/region<sup>1</sup>: 2017-2021 ...

Period	UK	Italy	Germany	Other EU	Other European
Q1	254,861	229,961	138,061	283,592	46,153
Q2	421,177	320,234	208,922	576,677	103,204
Q3	459,077	397,852	259,127	695,385	144,580
Q4	340,794	281,148	199,832	434,365	94,105
<b>2017 Total</b>	<b>1,475,909</b>	<b>1,229,195</b>	<b>805,942</b>	<b>1,990,019</b>	<b>388,042</b>
Q1	290,609	264,040	162,381	349,533	76,274
Q2	485,189	367,518	225,133	657,008	122,705
Q3	528,687	462,890	239,987	774,287	156,097
Q4	369,306	307,163	194,650	502,203	102,438
<b>2018 Total</b>	<b>1,673,791</b>	<b>1,401,611</b>	<b>822,151</b>	<b>2,283,031</b>	<b>457,514</b>
Q1	282,883	263,144	149,760	394,636	77,317
Q2	501,782	387,075	256,669	717,429	131,847
Q3	544,224	470,701	294,459	820,903	171,157
Q4	382,594	326,018	195,229	587,133	122,831
<b>2019 Total</b>	<b>1,711,483</b>	<b>1,446,938</b>	<b>896,117</b>	<b>2,520,101</b>	<b>503,152</b>
Q1	233,504	185,055	95,861	375,574	76,981
Q2	2,005	1,581	1,889	1,694	1,615
Q3	83,051	114,324	87,895	227,089	20,625
Q4	24,628	35,155	42,880	80,188	14,046
<b>2020 Total</b>	<b>343,188</b>	<b>336,115</b>	<b>228,525</b>	<b>684,545</b>	<b>113,267</b>
Q1	4,238	25,410	17,905	33,807	16,594
Q2	14,924	70,018	50,130	142,435	27,808
Q3	261,115	206,916	128,332	472,014	62,867
Q4	201,554	188,498	112,936	429,349	53,356
<b>2021 Total</b>	<b>481,831</b>	<b>490,842</b>	<b>309,303</b>	<b>1,077,605</b>	<b>160,625</b>

<sup>1</sup> Refer to methodological note 3 for full list of countries included in each region listed above.

Source: Malta International Airport plc.

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... TABLE 1.2. Passenger movements by country/region<sup>1</sup>: 2017-2021

Period	Libya	Other Africa and Asia	Far/Mid East and others	South/North America	Total
Q1	4,197	4,219	27,273	5	988,322
Q2	3,986	4,838	25,156	41	1,664,235
Q3	4,761	10,658	30,684	31	2,002,155
Q4	5,221	6,415	24,395	30	1,386,305
<b>2017 Total</b>	<b>18,165</b>	<b>26,130</b>	<b>107,508</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>6,041,017</b>
Q1	6,414	6,155	24,404	16	1,179,826
Q2	6,540	10,573	31,193	48	1,905,907
Q3	5,376	19,736	43,642	34	2,230,736
Q4	5,279	11,219	28,729	10	1,520,997
<b>2018 Total</b>	<b>23,609</b>	<b>47,683</b>	<b>127,968</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>6,837,466</b>
Q1	3,217	8,805	24,427	13	1,204,202
Q2	505	13,163	42,443	50	2,050,963
Q3	345	22,362	62,680	32	2,386,863
Q4	405	16,906	44,652	82	1,675,850
<b>2019 Total</b>	<b>4,472</b>	<b>61,236</b>	<b>174,202</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>7,317,878</b>
Q1	342	12,500	30,566	31	1,010,414
Q2	119	54	68	44	9,069
Q3	235	2,013	79	32	535,343
Q4	231	681	131	13	197,953
<b>2020 Total</b>	<b>927</b>	<b>15,248</b>	<b>30,844</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>1,752,779</b>
Q1	130	1,106	328	23	99,541
Q2	229	1,689	109	8	307,350
Q3	602	796	3,474	3,683	1,139,799
Q4	729	2,288	11,715	893	1,001,318
<b>2021 Total</b>	<b>1,690</b>	<b>5,879</b>	<b>15,626</b>	<b>4,607</b>	<b>2,548,008</b>

<sup>1</sup> Refer to methodological note 3 for full list of countries included in each region listed above.

Source: Malta International Airport plc.

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TABLE 1.3. Mail and cargo movements: 2017-2021

Period	Cargo (kg)	Mail (kg)
Q1	3,683,295	359,206
Q2	3,550,312	348,006
Q3	3,526,280	368,372
Q4	3,868,534	473,060
<b>2017 Total</b>	<b>14,628,421</b>	<b>1,548,644</b>
Q1	3,907,283	420,646
Q2	4,009,506	431,178
Q3	3,936,319	416,343
Q4	3,979,113	583,726
<b>2018 Total</b>	<b>15,832,221</b>	<b>1,851,893</b>
Q1	3,916,312	519,020
Q2	3,955,911	497,432
Q3	3,808,461	465,048
Q4	4,744,314	591,241
<b>2019 Total</b>	<b>16,424,998</b>	<b>2,072,741</b>
Q1	3,954,850	405,107
Q2	3,998,233	188,300
Q3	3,970,910	315,769
Q4	3,863,899	388,437
<b>2020 Total</b>	<b>15,787,892</b>	<b>1,297,613</b>
Q1	3,745,480	235,090
Q2	3,616,872	270,885
Q3	3,741,018	279,408
Q4	3,791,642	316,592
<b>2021 Total</b>	<b>14,895,012</b>	<b>1,101,975</b>

Source: Malta International Airport plc.

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## Methodological Notes

1. The data in the Air Transport Statistics section is compiled from administrative information provided by Malta International Airport.
2. Data is subject to revision.
3. Countries included in each region listed in Table 1.2, as provided by the Malta International Airport:

Other EU	Other European	Other Africa and Asia	Far/Mid East and others	South/North America
Austria	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Algeria	Iraq	Argentina
Belgium	Georgia	China	Israel	Bahamas
Bulgaria	Gibraltar	Egypt	Jordan	Brazil
Croatia	Iceland	Guine-Bissau	Kuwait	Costa Rica
Cyprus	Macedonia	Hong Kong	Lebanon	Haiti
Czech Republic	Montenegro	India	Qatar	Puerto Rico
Denmark	Norway	Liberia	Saudi Arabia	United States
Estonia	Russia	Libya	United Arab Emirates	Uruguay
Finland	Serbia	Maldives		
France	Switzerland	Morocco		
Germany	Turkey	Namibia		
Greece	Ukraine	Nigeria		
Hungary	United Kingdom	Pakistan		
Italy		Senegal		
Ireland		Sierra Leone		
Latvia		South Korea		
Lithuania		Sudan		
Luxembourg		Tunisia		
Netherlands				
Poland				
Portugal				
Romania				
Slovakia				
Slovenia				
Spain				
Sweden				

# CHAPTER 2

## SEA TRANSPORT

This chapter focuses on sea transport related to the Maltese Islands. It presents statistics on vessels, including merchant vessels, fishing vessels and yachts. Detailed statistics on all cargo loaded and unloaded at Maltese ports and on cruise liners visiting Malta are also provided. This chapter is concluded with statistics on the patronage of the transport between Malta and Gozo and that between Valletta and Sliema / the Three Cities.





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2.1. VESSELS

During the year under review, 13,058 vessels arrived at Malta’s ports, an increase of 29.2 per cent over 2020 (Chart 2.1.1). As at end of 2021, the number of vessels registered under the Maltese flag amounted to 8,631, a net increase of 463 vessels over 2020. Furthermore, during the year under review, 960 vessels were registered under the Maltese flag, with the majority being Pleasure Yachts amounting to 756 or 78.8 per cent of the total newly registered vessels (Table 2.1.9).

CHART 2.1.1. Number of vessels entered and cleared with cargo and in ballast: 2017-2021

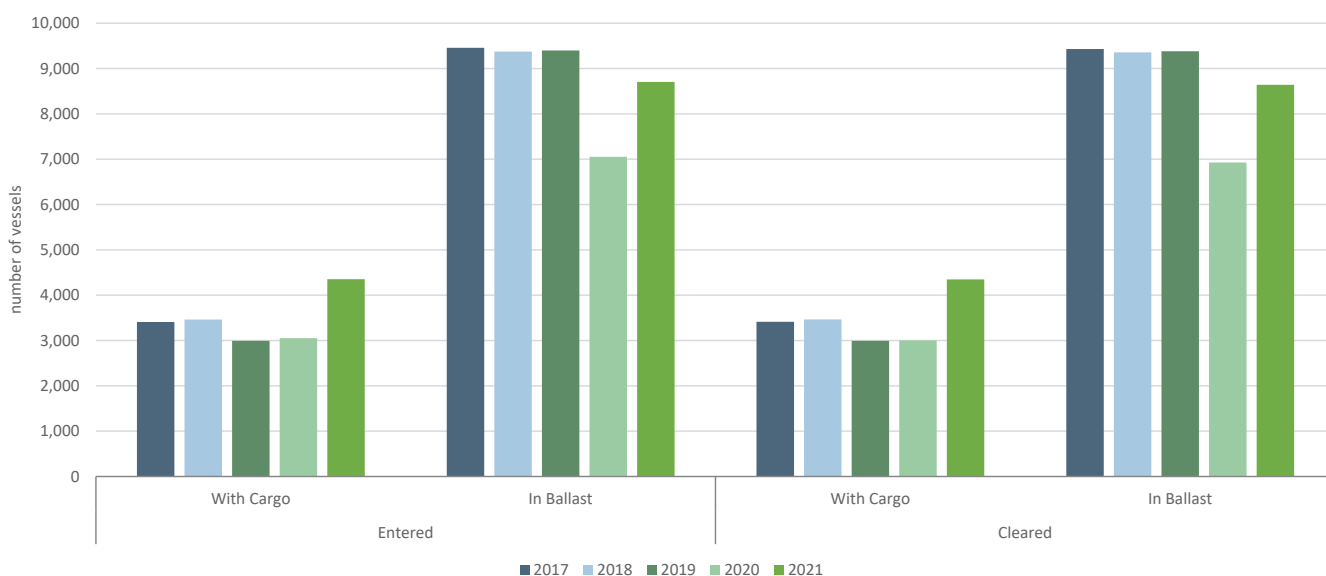
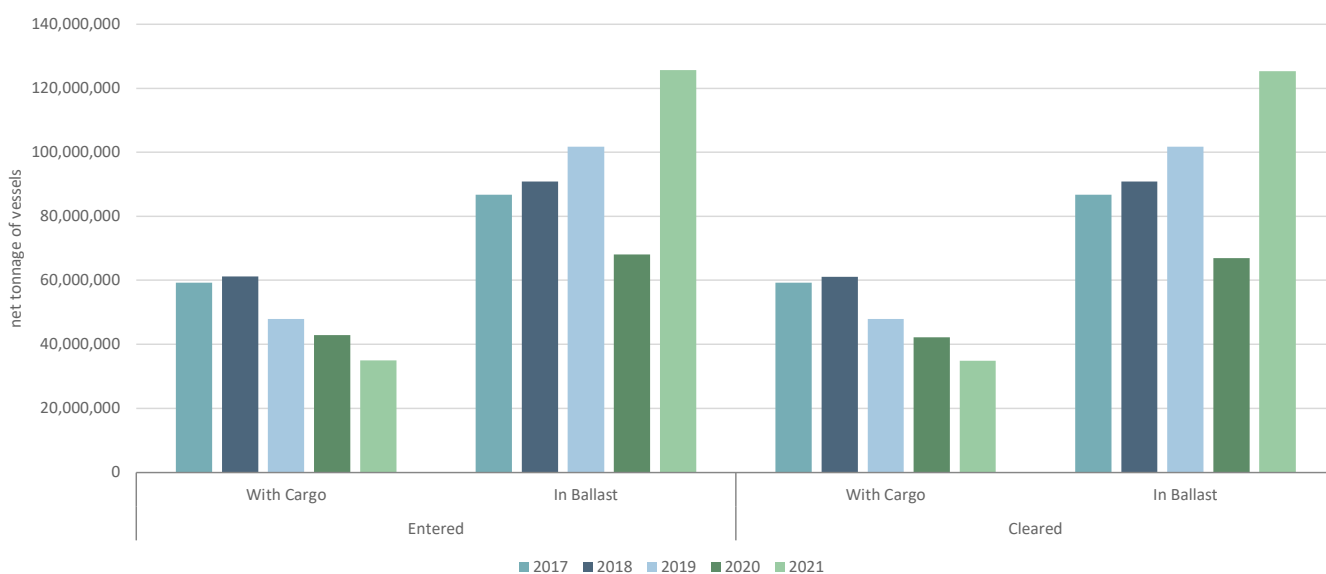


CHART 2.1.2. Net tonnage of vessels entered and cleared with cargo and in ballast: 2017-2021



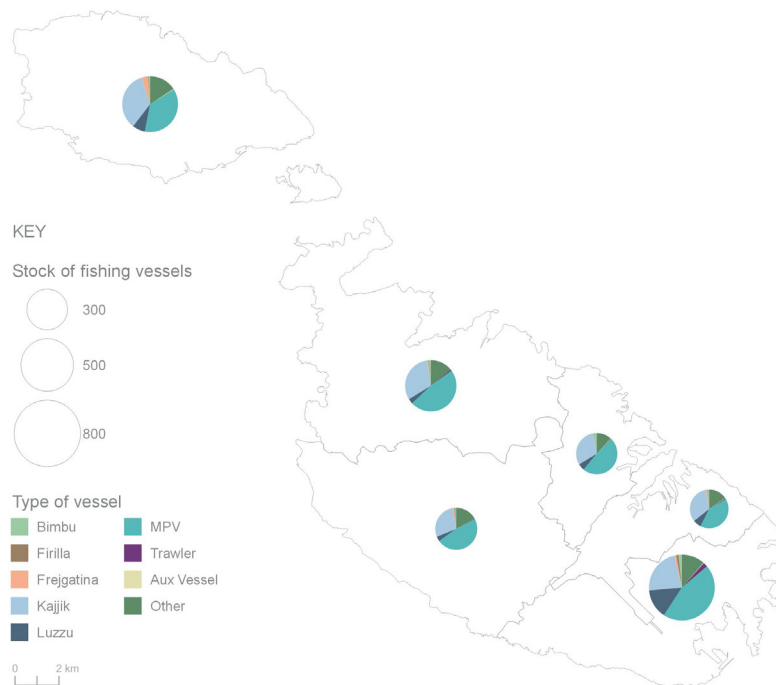


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During 2021, the number of foreign yachts arriving and berthing in Malta amounted to 759, with 78.4 per cent of them being of less than 24m in length. June was the month registering the highest number of yachts' arrivals, totalling 134, followed by May with 112 and October with 100 yacht's arrivals (**Table 2.1.10**). As at end of 2021, there were 12 yacht marinas in Malta and Gozo, which altogether could berth 2,502 yachts of various sizes. The largest yacht marina was the Creek Developments plc with 742 berthing places, accounting to 29.7 per cent of all the yacht berthing places available in the year under review (**Table 2.1.11**).

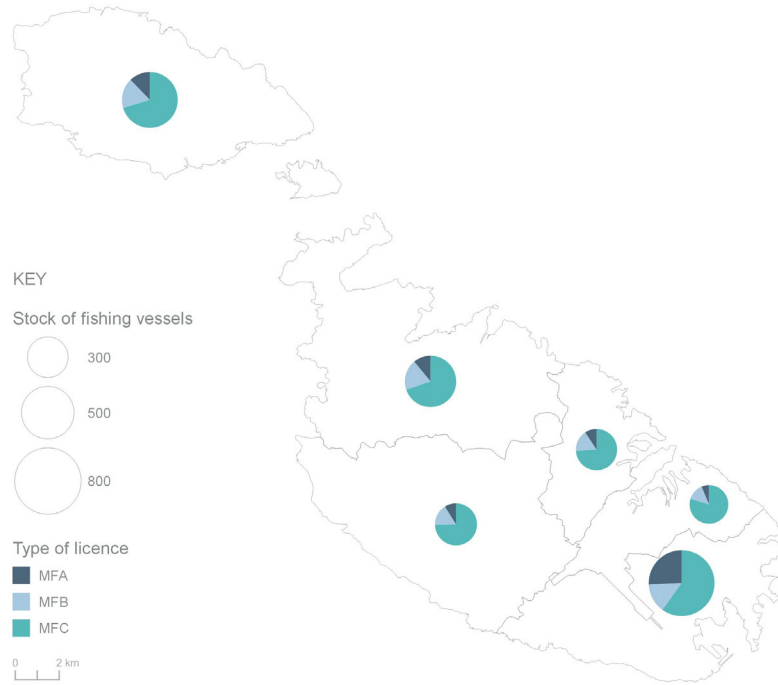
As at the end of 2021, the stock of fishing vessels stood at 2,741. MPVs comprised the largest proportion of fishing vessels with 1,214, or 44.3 per cent of the total. The largest registration group of fishing vessels was the MFC, totalling 1,895 vessels (**Table 2.1.19**). Fishing vessels registered in the South Eastern district accounted for 28.7 per cent of the total (**Maps 2.1.1-2.1.2**). Mġarr DP (Gozo) was the port hosting the largest number of fishing vessels amounting to 359, followed by Marsaxlokk (Ix-Xatt) DP with 255 vessels (**Table 2.1.20**).

**MAP 2.1.1. Stock of fishing vessels by type of vessel and district: 2021**



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MAP 2.1.2. Stock of fishing vessels by type of licence and district: 2021



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TABLE 2.1.1. Number and tonnage of vessels entered, classified by type and nationality: 2021 ...

Nationality of vessel	Container ship			Motor fishing vessel		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Albania	80	169,360	62,272	-	-	-
Algeria	3	34,482	13,161	-	-	-
Antarctica	1	14,941	6,340	-	-	-
Antigua & Barbuda	325	3,117,072	1,436,054	-	-	-
Azerbaijan	5	20,910	11,865	-	-	-
Bahamas	56	1,509,904	808,451	-	-	-
Bahrain	6	453,474	268,236	-	-	-
Bangladesh	1	25,818	13,277	-	-	-
Barbados	19	302,318	166,735	-	-	-
Belgium	3	83,684	45,001	-	-	-
Belize	28	420,503	239,576	-	-	-
Bermuda	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bulgaria	1	16,166	8,348	-	-	-
Cambodia	2	4,932	2,188	-	-	-
Cameroon	4	16,648	8,118	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	8	202,629	109,561	-	-	-
China	26	1,259,153	715,375	1	301	119
Comoros	19	99,247	41,546	2	1,137	340
Cook Islands	10	51,566	25,121	-	-	-
Croatia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Curacao	3	12,789	8,388	-	-	-
Cyprus	85	2,467,164	1,375,585	18	1,890	1,890
Denmark	6	483,328	200,784	-	-	-
Dominica	1	2,991	1,535	1	1,821	546
Egypt	5	171,015	106,376	-	-	-
Estonia	1	2,658	1,216	-	-	-
Faroe Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	37	6,843,888	3,104,066	1	355	104
Georgia	3	14,679	4,443	2	125,592	69,096
Germany	61	3,328,125	1,382,977	-	-	-
Gibraltar	44	838,779	445,359	-	-	-
Greece	25	766,248	424,607	-	-	-
Hong Kong	80	3,981,747	2,208,817	-	-	-
India	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indonesia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Isle of Man	7	250,203	148,655	-	-	-
Italy	14	311,943	150,555	61	9,171	3,632
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	1	93,270	60,013	-	-	-
Jordan	1	12,262	5,443	-	-	-
Korea, South	1	31,091	17,993	-	-	-
Kuwait	-	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	6	25,486	12,411	-	-	-
Lebanon	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	760	23,295,515	12,315,214	-	-	-
Libya	-	-	-	103	39,505	4,632
Lithuania	3	29,880	15,112	-	-	-
Luxembourg	28	240,058	111,594	-	-	-
Madeira	17	169,354	102,102	-	-	-
Malaysia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malta	374	18,540,221	8,940,576	-	-	-
Marshall Islands	360	12,105,225	6,811,421	-	-	-
Mexico	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moldovia	140	379,128	199,310	-	-	-
Montenegro	2	46,744	24,092	-	-	-
Morocco	17	65,455	49,108	-	-	-

## SEA TRANSPORT - Vessels

... TABLE 2.1.1. Number and tonnage of vessels entered, classified by type and nationality: 2021

Nationality of vessel	Container ship			Motor fishing vessel		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Netherlands	49	275,532	128,823	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	1	2,998	1,709	-	-	-
Norway	13	311,260	171,950	-	-	-
Norwegian International Ship Register	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	2	226,224	124,674	-	-	-
Palau	12	63,890	34,976	-	-	-
Panama	817	19,059,873	10,659,607	-	-	-
Philippines	9	245,335	131,443	-	-	-
Portugal	172	4,969,966	2,681,532	-	-	-
Qatar	1	39,736	25,754	-	-	-
Republic of Ireland	2	19,364	10,116	-	-	-
Romania	2	12,610	6,910	-	-	-
Russia	38	207,114	107,908	1	1,219	457
Saudi Arabia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Seychelles	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	22	58,452	30,007	-	-	-
Singapore	111	7,650,036	3,983,615	-	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	16	67,785	35,300	-	-	-
St. Vincent & Grenadines	15	181,438	100,355	-	-	-
Sweden	-	-	-	-	-	-
Switzerland	5	135,877	73,735	-	-	-
Thailand	5	165,319	95,961	-	-	-
Togo	2	8,938	5,515	-	-	-
Turkey	80	675,648	379,049	1	200	60
Tuvalu	7	34,657	18,328	-	-	-
U.K.	39	2,359,885	1,278,406	8	1,648	488
U.S.A.	15	707,228	393,897	-	-	-
Ukraine	2	4,892	1,916	-	-	-
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	32	109,496	53,387	-	-	-
Zambia	3	5,778	2,670	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,151</b>	<b>119,911,384</b>	<b>62,746,520</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>182,839</b>	<b>81,364</b>

<sup>1</sup> Other includes breakbulk carriers, car carriers, ro-ro vessels and other non-specified vessels.

Note: Sea is not a port name. We have common situations where a vessel reports its last activity such as from Outside Territorial Waters (OTW) or Within Territorial Waters (WTW), depends upon activity.

Source: Port Management Information System.

## SEA TRANSPORT - Vessels

... TABLE 2.1.1. Number and tonnage of vessels entered, classified by type and nationality: 2021

Nationality of vessel	Passenger ship			Dry bulk carrier		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Albania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Algeria	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antarctica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua & Barbuda	-	-	-	1	37,071	11,121
Azerbaijan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahamas	33	1,061,169	491,530	-	-	-
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belgium	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belize	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	1	145,281	122,695	-	-	-
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cambodia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
China	-	-	-	-	-	-
Comoros	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
Croatia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Curacao	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cyprus	-	-	-	49	180,931	67,827
Denmark	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	-	-	-	-	-	-
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Faroe Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	5	50,920	15,334	-	-	-
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gibraltar	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	-	-	-	24	78,504	26,424
Hong Kong	-	-	-	2	76,134	22,839
India	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indonesia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Isle of Man	-	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	31	2,472,463	1,851,476	-	-	-
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jordan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Korea, South	-	-	-	1	17,216	5,164
Kuwait	-	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lebanon	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Libya	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Luxembourg	9	39,825	14,175	-	-	-
Madeira	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malta	2,791	35,006,471	16,698,603	30	132,511	52,714
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	2	63,857	19,157
Mexico	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moldovia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montenegro	-	-	-	-	-	-
Morocco	-	-	-	-	-	-

## SEA TRANSPORT - Vessels

... TABLE 2.1.1. Number and tonnage of vessels entered, classified by type and nationality: 2021

Nationality of vessel	Passenger ship			Dry bulk carrier		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	-	-
Norway	65	3,109,730	1,225,770	1	12,047	5,032
Norwegian International Ship Register	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-
Panama	24	2,504,508	1,885,660	8	36,550	13,574
Philippines	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portugal	3	75,745	31,969	2	7,430	2,822
Qatar	-	-	-	-	-	-
Republic of Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Russia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Seychelles	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	-	-	-	-	-	-
Singapore	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent & Grenadines	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweden	-	-	-	3	6,768	2,214
Switzerland	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thailand	-	-	-	-	-	-
Togo	-	-	-	7	48,671	15,323
Turkey	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-
U.K.	3	174,357	70,509	-	-	-
U.S.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,965</b>	<b>44,640,469</b>	<b>22,407,721</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>697,690</b>	<b>244,211</b>

<sup>1</sup> Other includes breakbulk carriers, car carriers, ro-ro vessels and other non-specified vessels.

Note: Sea is not a port name. We have common situations where a vessel reports its last activity such as from Outside Territorial Waters (OTW) or Within Territorial Waters (WTW), depends upon activity.

Source: Port Management Information System.

## SEA TRANSPORT - Vessels

... TABLE 2.1.1. Number and tonnage of vessels entered, classified by type and nationality: 2021

Nationality of vessel	Tanker			Other <sup>1</sup>		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Albania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Algeria	7	118,566	35,567	-	-	-
Antarctica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua & Barbuda	5	26,108	9,245	91	946,516	283,919
Azerbaijan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahamas	73	4,230,158	2,127,087	31	1,148,723	412,042
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	2	48,334	23,030	-	-	-
Barbados	1	12,776	6,604	1	10,374	5,253
Belgium	1	81,427	51,258	4	37,463	11,236
Belize	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	4	189,691	109,573	1	3,243	972
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cambodia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	4	228,592	129,120	9	3,249	9,162
Cayman Islands	8	381,593	227,426	21	43,979	13,388
China	6	291,571	160,744	-	-	-
Comoros	1	4,107	2,136	1	2,936	1,027
Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
Croatia	4	237,260	138,296	-	-	-
Curacao	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cyprus	37	548,185	282,653	21	291,509	86,857
Denmark	37	660,046	291,861	3	12,712	3,815
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	-	-	-	-	-	-
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Faroe Islands	-	-	-	1	370	111
France	14	332,175	128,424	1	4,845	1,265
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany	4	85,316	33,513	-	-	-
Gibraltar	18	157,228	63,589	8	13,424	4,024
Greece	132	7,969,739	4,451,447	32	1,127,024	341,853
Hong Kong	14	668,167	339,105	-	-	-
India	1	58,374	30,037	-	-	-
Indonesia	3	103,412	47,941	-	-	-
Isle of Man	51	986,011	416,966	1	13,275	3,934
Italy	249	4,933,593	2,221,442	1,798	73,064,045	30,103,059
Jamaica	-	-	-	2	16,476	9,486
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jordan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Korea, South	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kuwait	1	62,945	33,680	-	-	-
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lebanon	-	-	-	1	4,968	3,408
Liberia	327	15,205,535	8,169,245	16	599,057	198,558
Libya	36	942,571	439,549	-	-	-
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Luxembourg	1	11,918	6,268	25	176,351	64,832
Madeira	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	2	169,783	67,727	-	-	-
Malta	736	13,805,335	6,759,159	719	1,796,758	556,816
Marshall Islands	415	17,735,923	8,753,721	8	289,139	98,156
Mexico	-	-	-	1	1,755	442
Moldovia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montenegro	-	-	-	-	-	-
Morocco	-	-	-	-	-	-

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... TABLE 2.1.1. Number and tonnage of vessels entered, classified by type and nationality: 2021

Nationality of vessel	Tanker			Other <sup>1</sup>		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Netherlands	3	5,469	2,544	1	499	149
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	-	-
Norway	15	820,359	406,635	33	1,646,861	583,996
Norwegian International Ship Register	3	41,679	13,164	-	-	-
Pakistan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-
Panama	112	3,426,160	1,686,576	43	1,050,917	321,280
Philippines	1	42,791	21,760	1	6,442	1,932
Portugal	21	531,869	248,765	92	1,048,342	323,580
Qatar	1	57,243	32,763	1	8,514	2,555
Republic of Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Russia	30	321,993	128,654	10	77,513	28,313
Saudi Arabia	15	442,726	180,148	-	-	-
Seychelles	4	87,398	38,636	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	-	-	-	2	3,829	2,065
Singapore	115	4,076,583	1,862,508	16	214,957	64,476
Spain	14	763,094	246,779	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	2	7,106	3,430	2	45,897	13,769
St. Vincent & Grenadines	-	-	-	10	50,999	15,479
Sweden	1	29,681	14,235	-	-	-
Switzerland	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thailand	-	-	-	-	-	-
Togo	-	-	-	4	19,191	6,181
Turkey	35	1,569,829	973,829	2	22,231	10,020
Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-
U.K.	5	131,569	55,422	3	8,486	2,564
U.S.A.	-	-	-	9	45,452	14,989
Ukraine	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	3	37,590	14,682
Vanuatu	1	31,920	16,805	13	43,850	16,704
Zambia	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,572</b>	<b>82,673,908</b>	<b>41,489,066</b>	<b>3,041</b>	<b>83,939,761</b>	<b>33,636,349</b>

<sup>1</sup> Other includes breakbulk carriers, car carriers, ro-ro vessels and other non-specified vessels.

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Source: Port Management Information System.



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TABLE 2.1.2. Number and tonnage of vessels cleared, classified by type and nationality: 2021 ...

Nationality of vessel	Container ship			Motor fishing vessel		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Albania	80	169,360	62,272	-	-	-
Algeria	3	34,482	13,161	-	-	-
Antarctica	1	14,941	6,340	-	-	-
Antigua & Barbuda	324	3,110,663	1,432,796	-	-	-
Azerbaijan	5	20,910	11,865	-	-	-
Bahamas	56	1,509,904	808,451	-	-	-
Bahrain	6	453,474	268,236	-	-	-
Bangladesh	1	25,818	13,277	-	-	-
Barbados	19	302,318	166,735	-	-	-
Belgium	3	83,684	45,001	-	-	-
Belize	28	420,503	239,576	-	-	-
Bermuda	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bulgaria	1	16,166	8,348	-	-	-
Cambodia	2	4,932	2,188	-	-	-
Cameroon	4	16,648	8,118	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	8	202,629	109,561	-	-	-
China	26	1,259,153	715,375	1	301	119
Comoros	19	99,247	41,546	2	1,137	340
Cook Islands	10	51,566	25,121	-	-	-
Croatia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Curacao	3	12,789	8,388	-	-	-
Cyprus	85	2,467,164	1,375,585	17	1,785	1,785
Denmark	6	483,328	200,784	-	-	-
Dominica	1	2,991	1,535	1	1,821	546
Egypt	5	171,015	106,376	-	-	-
Estonia	1	2,658	1,216	-	-	-
Faroe Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	37	6,843,888	3,104,066	1	355	104
Georgia	3	14,679	4,443	2	125,592	69,096
Germany	61	3,328,125	1,382,977	-	-	-
Gibraltar	44	838,779	445,359	-	-	-
Greece	25	766,248	424,607	-	-	-
Hong Kong	80	3,981,747	2,208,817	-	-	-
India	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indonesia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Isle of Man	7	250,203	148,655	-	-	-
Italy	14	311,943	150,555	61	9,171	3,632
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	1	93,270	60,013	-	-	-
Jordan	1	12,262	5,443	-	-	-
Korea, South	1	31,091	17,993	-	-	-
Kuwait	-	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	6	25,486	12,411	-	-	-
Lebanon	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	758	23,262,244	12,297,839	-	-	-
Libya	-	-	-	93	38,191	4,024
Lithuania	3	29,880	15,112	-	-	-
Luxembourg	28	240,058	111,594	-	-	-
Madeira	17	169,354	102,102	-	-	-
Malaysia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malta	372	18,501,539	8,918,805	-	-	-
Marshall Islands	358	11,981,200	6,736,664	-	-	-
Mexico	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moldovia	140	379,128	199,310	-	-	-
Montenegro	2	46,744	24,092	-	-	-

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... TABLE 2.1.2. Number and tonnage of vessels cleared, classified by type and nationality: 2021

Nationality of vessel	Container ship			Motor fishing vessel		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Morocco	17	65,455	49,108	-	-	-
Netherlands	49	275,532	128,823	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	1	2,998	1,709	-	-	-
Norway	13	311,260	171,950	-	-	-
Norwegian International Ship Register	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	2	226,224	124,674	-	-	-
Palau	12	63,890	34,976	-	-	-
Panama	814	19,027,214	10,640,101	-	-	-
Philippines	9	245,335	131,443	-	-	-
Portugal	171	4,959,983	2,676,724	-	-	-
Qatar	1	39,736	25,754	-	-	-
Republic of Ireland	2	19,364	10,116	-	-	-
Romania	2	12,610	6,910	-	-	-
Russia	38	207,114	107,908	1	1,219	457
Saudi Arabia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Seychelles	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	22	58,452	30,007	-	-	-
Singapore	111	7,650,036	3,983,615	-	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	16	67,785	35,300	-	-	-
St. Vincent & Grenadines	15	181,438	100,355	-	-	-
Sweden	-	-	-	-	-	-
Switzerland	5	135,877	73,735	-	-	-
Thailand	5	165,319	95,961	-	-	-
Togo	2	8,938	5,515	-	-	-
Turkey	80	675,648	379,049	1	200	60
Tuvalu	7	34,657	18,328	-	-	-
U.K.	39	2,359,885	1,278,406	7	1,442	427
U.S.A.	15	707,228	393,897	-	-	-
Ukraine	2	4,892	1,916	-	-	-
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	32	109,496	53,387	-	-	-
Zambia	3	5,778	2,670	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,140</b>	<b>119,666,355</b>	<b>62,605,045</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>181,214</b>	<b>80,590</b>

<sup>1</sup> Other includes breakbulk carriers, car carriers, ro-ro vessels and other non-specified vessels.

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... TABLE 2.1.2. Number and tonnage of vessels cleared, classified by type and nationality: 2021

Nationality of vessel	Passenger ship			Dry bulk carrier		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Albania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Algeria	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antarctica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua & Barbuda	-	-	-	1	37,071	11,121
Azerbaijan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahamas	33	1,061,169	491,530	-	-	-
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belgium	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belize	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	1	145,281	122,695	-	-	-
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cambodia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
China	-	-	-	-	-	-
Comoros	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
Croatia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Curacao	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cyprus	-	-	-	49	180,931	67,827
Denmark	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	-	-	-	-	-	-
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Faroe Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	5	50,920	15,334	-	-	-
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gibraltar	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greece	-	-	-	24	78,504	26,424
Hong Kong	-	-	-	2	76,134	22,839
India	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indonesia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Isle of Man	-	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	31	2,472,463	1,851,476	-	-	-
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jordan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Korea, South	-	-	-	1	17,216	5,164
Kuwait	-	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lebanon	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Libya	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Luxembourg	9	39,825	14,175	-	-	-
Madeira	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malta	2,781	34,927,683	16,674,938	30	132,511	52,714
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	2	63,857	19,157
Mexico	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moldovia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montenegro	-	-	-	-	-	-

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... TABLE 2.1.2. Number and tonnage of vessels cleared, classified by type and nationality: 2021

Nationality of vessel	Passenger ship			Dry bulk carrier		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Morocco	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	-	-
Norway	65	3,109,730	1,225,770	1	12,047	5,032
Norwegian International Ship Register	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-
Panama	23	2,438,917	1,843,949	8	36,550	13,574
Philippines	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portugal	3	75,745	31,969	2	7,430	2,822
Qatar	-	-	-	-	-	-
Republic of Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Russia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Seychelles	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	-	-	-	-	-	-
Singapore	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent & Grenadines	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweden	-	-	-	3	6,768	2,214
Switzerland	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thailand	-	-	-	-	-	-
Togo	-	-	-	7	48,671	15,323
Turkey	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-
U.K.	3	174,357	70,509	-	-	-
U.S.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ukraine	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,954</b>	<b>44,496,090</b>	<b>22,342,345</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>697,690</b>	<b>244,211</b>

<sup>1</sup> Other includes breakbulk carriers, car carriers, ro-ro vessels and other non-specified vessels.

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... TABLE 2.1.2. Number and tonnage of vessels cleared, classified by type and nationality: 2021

Nationality of vessel	Tanker			Other		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Albania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Algeria	7	118,566	35,567	-	-	-
Antarctica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua & Barbuda	5	26,108	9,245	91	946,516	283,919
Azerbaijan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahamas	73	4,230,158	2,127,087	31	1,148,723	412,042
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	2	48,334	23,030	-	-	-
Barbados	1	12,776	6,604	1	10,374	5,253
Belgium	1	81,427	51,258	4	37,463	11,236
Belize	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	4	189,691	109,573	1	3,243	972
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cambodia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	4	228,592	129,120	9	3,249	9,162
Cayman Islands	8	381,593	227,426	18	35,973	10,988
China	6	291,571	160,744	-	-	-
Comoros	1	4,107	2,136	1	2,936	1,027
Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-
Croatia	4	237,260	138,296	-	-	-
Curacao	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cyprus	36	544,817	281,286	21	291,509	86,857
Denmark	37	660,046	291,861	3	12,712	3,815
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-
Egypt	-	-	-	-	-	-
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Faroe Islands	-	-	-	1	370	111
France	14	332,175	128,424	1	4,845	1,265
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany	4	85,316	33,513	-	-	-
Gibraltar	18	157,228	63,589	8	13,424	4,024
Greece	131	7,865,846	4,420,280	32	1,127,024	341,853
Hong Kong	14	668,167	339,105	-	-	-
India	1	58,374	30,037	-	-	-
Indonesia	3	103,412	47,941	-	-	-
Isle of Man	51	986,011	416,966	1	13,275	3,934
Italy	249	4,933,593	2,221,442	1,798	73,064,045	30,103,059
Jamaica	-	-	-	2	16,476	9,486
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jordan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Korea, South	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kuwait	1	62,945	33,680	-	-	-
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lebanon	-	-	-	1	4,968	3,408
Liberia	326	15,140,242	8,133,530	16	599,057	198,558
Libya	36	942,571	439,549	-	-	-
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Luxembourg	1	11,918	6,268	25	176,351	64,832
Madeira	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	2	169,783	67,727	-	-	-
Malta	722	13,756,585	6,737,384	707	1,789,269	554,484
Marshall Islands	413	17,664,632	8,715,139	7	288,103	97,846
Mexico	-	-	-	1	1,755	442
Moldovia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montenegro	-	-	-	-	-	-

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... TABLE 2.1.2. Number and tonnage of vessels cleared, classified by type and nationality: 2021

Nationality of vessel	Tanker			Other		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Morocco	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	3	5,469	2,544	1	499	149
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	-	-
Norway	15	820,359	406,635	33	1,646,861	583,996
Norwegian International Ship Register	3	41,679	13,164	-	-	-
Pakistan	-	-	-	-	-	-
Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-
Panama	110	3,414,965	1,682,512	43	1,050,917	321,280
Philippines	1	42,791	21,760	1	6,442	1,932
Portugal	21	531,869	248,765	92	1,048,342	323,580
Qatar	1	57,243	32,763	1	8,514	2,555
Republic of Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	-
Russia	30	321,993	128,654	10	77,513	28,313
Saudi Arabia	15	442,726	180,148	-	-	-
Seychelles	4	87,398	38,636	-	-	-
Sierra Leone	-	-	-	2	3,829	2,065
Singapore	115	4,076,583	1,862,508	16	214,957	64,476
Spain	14	763,094	246,779	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	2	7,106	3,430	2	45,897	13,769
St. Vincent & Grenadines	-	-	-	10	50,999	15,479
Sweden	1	29,681	14,235	-	-	-
Switzerland	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thailand	-	-	-	-	-	-
Togo	-	-	-	4	19,191	6,181
Turkey	35	1,569,829	973,829	2	22,231	10,020
Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-
U.K.	5	131,569	55,422	3	8,486	2,564
U.S.A.	-	-	-	9	45,452	14,989
Ukraine	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	3	37,590	14,682
Vanuatu	1	31,920	16,805	13	43,850	16,704
Zambia	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,551</b>	<b>82,370,118</b>	<b>41,356,396</b>	<b>3,025</b>	<b>83,923,230</b>	<b>33,631,307</b>

<sup>1</sup> Other includes breakbulk carriers, car carriers, ro-ro vessels and other non-specified vessels.

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TABLE 2.1.3. Number and tonnage of vessels entered, classified by country of origin: 2021 ...

Country of origin	Entered						
	With cargo		In ballast		Total		
	No.	Net tonnes	No.	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Albania	37	37,787	71	192,342	108	612,337	230,129
Algeria	2	13,117	255	2,523,737	257	5,373,451	2,536,854
Angola	-	-	2	55,438	2	97,325	55,438
Argentina	-	-	9	104,844	9	185,234	104,844
Australia	-	-	2	25,970	2	52,413	25,970
Bahamas	-	-	4	167,621	4	294,315	167,621
Belgium	-	-	80	1,511,345	80	3,030,205	1,511,345
Bermuda	-	-	1	53,625	1	92,198	53,625
Brazil	-	-	16	338,593	16	566,261	338,593
Bulgaria	1	6,089	13	128,188	14	273,770	134,277
Cameroon	-	-	1	3,116	1	6,272	3,116
Canada	-	-	43	1,082,962	43	1,867,483	1,082,962
Chile	-	-	2	32,177	2	72,876	32,177
China	-	-	8	152,194	8	283,925	152,194
Colombia	-	-	4	100,210	4	176,348	100,210
Congo	-	-	2	15,413	2	30,007	15,413
Croatia	30	50,240	116	1,158,373	146	2,673,478	1,208,613
Cuba	-	-	1	5,349	1	9,649	5,349
Cyprus	4	92,968	12	143,065	16	651,265	236,033
Denmark	-	-	12	115,325	12	243,078	115,325
Djibouti	-	-	1	1,876	1	3,170	1,876
Dominican Republic	-	-	1	4,522	1	8,963	4,522
Egypt	4	37,070	539	11,178,466	543	22,130,602	11,215,536
Estonia	-	-	1	8,551	1	17,712	8,551
Finland	-	-	4	46,393	4	77,901	46,393
France	15	63,553	199	4,239,368	214	8,728,381	4,302,921
Georgia	1	10,381	15	181,286	16	380,861	191,667
Germany	-	-	18	356,505	18	662,677	356,505
Ghana	-	-	3	57,074	3	95,510	57,074
Gibraltar	1	33,437	44	1,031,548	45	2,253,205	1,064,985
Greece	70	565,098	384	6,363,271	454	14,077,247	6,928,369
Guatemala	-	-	4	41,665	4	83,482	41,665
Guinea	-	-	18	291,877	18	509,831	291,877
Honduras	-	-	11	174,167	11	316,970	174,167
India	-	-	27	504,412	27	976,128	504,412
Indonesia	-	-	2	12,054	2	21,184	12,054
Iraq	-	-	2	101,144	2	170,366	101,144
Israel	4	46,628	42	305,265	46	768,571	351,893
Italy	3,977	33,007,083	2,348	37,206,896	6,325	152,761,226	70,213,979
Ivory Coast	-	-	11	324,698	11	569,633	324,698
Japan	1	13,776	14	254,927	15	501,142	268,703
Jordan	-	-	10	76,871	10	140,086	76,871
Kenya	-	-	1	1,790	1	3,641	1,790
Kuwait	-	-	1	33,680	1	62,945	33,680
Latvia	-	-	3	56,173	3	99,083	56,173
Lebanon	1	10,334	14	264,674	15	564,701	275,008
Libya	1	957	305	2,293,744	306	4,938,386	2,294,701
Lithuania	-	-	23	323,702	23	583,904	323,702
Madagascar	-	-	6	36,085	6	77,800	36,085
Malaysia	1	1,523	1	1,523	2	5,990	3,046
Maldives	-	-	2	7,616	2	25,391	7,616

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... TABLE 2.1.3. Number and tonnage of vessels entered, classified by country of origin: 2021

Country of origin	Entered						
	With cargo		In ballast		Total		
	No.	Net tonnes	No.	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Malta	7	46,511	278	2,367,254	285	4,638,444	2,413,765
Mauritania	-	-	8	161,426	8	288,223	161,426
Mauritius	-	-	1	63,294	1	109,712	63,294
Mexico	-	-	2	24,106	2	74,158	24,106
Monaco	-	-	1	972	1	3,243	972
Montenegro	28	33,489	34	39,084	62	135,840	72,573
Morocco	-	-	95	1,410,720	95	2,671,453	1,410,720
Netherlands	2	11,083	73	2,662,815	75	5,262,638	2,673,898
Nigeria	-	-	5	92,972	5	165,355	92,972
Norway	-	-	9	40,190	9	111,503	40,190
Oman	-	-	5	192,311	5	361,431	192,311
Others	1	1,024	4	3,973	5	11,027	4,997
Pakistan	-	-	1	17,907	1	30,174	17,907
Panama	-	-	23	1,273,061	23	2,282,875	1,273,061
Paraguay	-	-	3	127,901	3	236,013	127,901
Peru	-	-	2	42,761	2	78,003	42,761
Philippines	-	-	2	96,845	2	244,148	96,845
Poland	-	-	5	156,792	5	392,774	156,792
Portugal	-	-	24	386,738	24	715,275	386,738
Puerto Rico	-	-	3	25,051	3	47,853	25,051
Qatar	-	-	2	92,447	2	300,090	92,447
Republic of Ireland	1	3,408	3	62,317	4	112,004	65,725
Romania	1	1,203	15	160,056	16	294,415	161,259
Russia	9	30,192	143	1,901,701	152	3,792,247	1,931,893
Saudi Arabia	1	12,054	13	330,430	14	630,271	342,484
Sea	37	186,229	1,548	11,240,934	1,585	21,774,780	11,427,163
Senegal	-	-	6	71,210	6	134,259	71,210
Singapore	2	11,297	67	3,056,890	69	6,692,392	3,068,187
Slovenia	6	6,295	56	398,462	62	925,831	404,757
South Africa	-	-	1	18,171	1	31,069	18,171
Spain	24	128,129	425	10,382,728	449	20,617,502	10,510,857
Sri Lanka	-	-	34	1,971,961	34	3,447,085	1,971,961
Sudan	-	-	1	35,001	1	63,758	35,001
Sweden	-	-	9	145,790	9	260,608	145,790
Taiwan	-	-	4	51,655	4	103,780	51,655
Thailand	-	-	2	9,560	2	20,801	9,560
Togo	-	-	2	63,647	2	109,593	63,647
Trinidad & Tobago	3	94,125	4	107,160	7	653,112	201,285
Tunisia	45	52,545	307	1,521,680	352	3,294,340	1,574,225
Turkey	31	271,162	489	5,861,025	520	12,369,639	6,132,187
U.K.	4	31,403	54	897,811	58	1,810,405	929,214
U.S.A.	1	27,251	138	3,202,626	139	6,306,377	3,229,877
Ukraine	-	-	71	899,366	71	1,639,805	899,366
United Arab Emirates	-	-	6	78,030	6	173,747	78,030
Uruguay	-	-	3	29,058	3	54,613	29,058
Venezuela	-	-	14	193,790	14	350,739	193,790
Vietnam	-	-	1	4,260	1	9,618	4,260
Western Sahara	-	-	1	2,141	1	4,450	2,141
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,353</b>	<b>34,937,441</b>	<b>8,705</b>	<b>125,667,790</b>	<b>13,058</b>	<b>332,046,051</b>	<b>160,605,231</b>

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Source: Port Management Information System.



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TABLE 2.1.4. Number and tonnage of vessels cleared, classified by country of destination:2021 ...

Country of destination	Cleared						
	With cargo		In ballast		Total		
	No.	Net tonnes	No.	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Albania	39	34,824	67	184,037	106	530,584	218,861
Algeria	4	19,625	221	1,946,315	225	4,232,838	1,965,940
Angola	-	-	3	86,986	3	143,973	86,986
Australia	-	-	1	8,551	1	17,712	8,551
Bangladesh	-	-	7	82,922	7	150,402	82,922
Belgium	2	1,734	46	536,444	48	1,224,138	538,178
Benin	-	-	1	11,034	1	19,795	11,034
Brazil	-	-	26	408,764	26	732,947	408,764
Bulgaria	1	1,094	13	101,267	14	214,011	102,361
Cameroon	-	-	1	6,089	1	15,549	6,089
Canada	-	-	38	505,482	38	930,029	505,482
Cape Verde	1	926	1	926	2	3,104	1,852
China	-	-	7	145,293	7	312,248	145,293
Colombia	-	-	5	71,284	5	132,016	71,284
Congo	-	-	3	123,848	3	204,618	123,848
Costa Rica	-	-	4	51,790	4	95,927	51,790
Croatia	5	10,028	37	650,030	42	1,274,845	660,058
Cuba	-	-	1	6,861	1	12,578	6,861
Cyprus	-	-	12	122,615	12	220,017	122,615
Democratic Republic of Congo	-	-	1	1,185	1	2,506	1,185
Denmark	1	1,523	14	183,401	15	396,499	184,924
Djibouti	-	-	2	42,045	2	71,741	42,045
Dominican Republic	-	-	13	204,444	13	368,123	204,444
Egypt	1	11,118	624	16,944,251	625	33,014,434	16,955,369
Finland	-	-	6	15,457	6	37,400	15,457
France	19	188,733	92	1,452,770	111	3,813,634	1,641,503
Gabon	-	-	1	19,449	1	32,370	19,449
Georgia	-	-	1	12,108	1	24,212	12,108
Germany	-	-	23	284,138	23	488,275	284,138
Ghana	-	-	19	260,750	19	456,213	260,750
Gibraltar	-	-	57	906,726	57	1,817,940	906,726
Greece	52	138,145	311	4,077,233	363	8,340,258	4,215,378
Guinea	-	-	9	181,794	9	311,630	181,794
Haiti	-	-	10	125,366	10	234,609	125,366
Honduras	-	-	1	12,019	1	22,402	12,019
Iceland	-	-	1	3,341	1	6,693	3,341
India	-	-	20	249,801	20	458,776	249,801
Indonesia	-	-	2	43,802	2	84,590	43,802
Iran	-	-	2	6,977	2	15,237	6,977
Israel	2	13,913	20	269,284	22	557,635	283,197
Italy	3,961	33,298,751	2,019	27,577,650	5,982	137,092,070	60,886,161
Ivory Coast	-	-	7	110,301	7	194,675	110,301
Japan	-	-	3	20,912	3	42,473	20,912
Jordan	-	-	4	33,579	4	70,758	33,579
Kenya	1	1,164	1	1,164	2	4,274	2,328
Korea, South	-	-	1	17,685	1	58,947	17,685

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... TABLE 2.1.4. Number and tonnage of vessels cleared, classified by country of destination:2021

Country of destination	Cleared						
	With cargo		In ballast		Total		
	No.	Net tonnes	No.	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Lebanon	-	-	37	1,556,775	37	3,433,152	1,556,775
Liberia	-	-	2	4,655	2	10,135	4,655
Libya	4	28,209	354	3,711,526	358	7,327,836	3,739,735
Lithuania	-	-	4	26,547	4	51,733	26,547
Madagascar	1	922	4	40,300	5	70,656	41,222
Malaysia	-	-	14	1,378,369	14	3,055,616	1,378,369
Malta	5	13,509	208	1,376,958	213	2,893,545	1,390,467
Marshall Islands	-	-	1	4,735	1	8,260	4,735
Mauritania	-	-	3	81,881	3	136,134	81,881
Mauritius	-	-	5	292,354	5	507,003	292,354
Mexico	-	-	4	130,578	4	211,714	130,578
Monaco	-	-	2	284	2	952	284
Montenegro	21	26,091	59	334,813	80	840,028	360,904
Morocco	2	2,967	50	525,178	52	953,202	528,145
Netherlands	1	1,110	49	618,256	50	1,265,714	619,366
Nigeria	-	-	17	166,616	17	299,978	166,616
Norfolk Island	-	-	1	12,047	1	24,328	12,047
Norway	1	860	9	243,110	10	390,424	243,970
Others	2	2,625	5	18,362	7	49,594	20,987
Pakistan	-	-	4	30,116	4	57,611	30,116
Panama	-	-	8	93,207	8	169,537	93,207
Peru	-	-	2	38,425	2	64,859	38,425
Philippines	-	-	2	13,893	2	38,648	13,893
Poland	-	-	5	50,932	5	94,021	50,932
Portugal	-	-	39	490,999	39	974,757	490,999
Puerto Rico	-	-	4	44,638	4	84,114	44,638
Qatar	-	-	3	96,556	3	299,158	96,556
Republic of Ireland	-	-	4	15,848	4	32,520	15,848
Reunion	-	-	2	120,659	2	217,781	120,659
Romania	-	-	9	75,497	9	135,275	75,497
Russia	4	6,215	50	550,256	54	1,129,829	556,471
Saudi Arabia	-	-	42	2,204,738	42	4,173,927	2,204,738
Sea	76	595,713	2,304	26,557,304	2,380	51,965,611	27,153,017
Senegal	-	-	12	135,158	12	242,303	135,158
Sierra Leone	-	-	9	139,014	9	245,057	139,014
Singapore	-	-	10	466,670	10	811,481	466,670
Slovenia	5	59,165	70	1,272,012	75	2,892,610	1,331,177
South Africa	-	-	5	96,049	5	166,053	96,049
Spain	10	74,305	387	11,755,428	397	22,067,273	11,829,733
Sri Lanka	-	-	2	6,853	2	17,901	6,853
Sudan	-	-	2	19,676	2	32,959	19,676
Sweden	-	-	7	52,405	7	106,612	52,405

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... TABLE 2.1.4. Number and tonnage of vessels cleared, classified by country of destination:2021

Country of destination	Cleared						
	With cargo		In ballast		Total		
	No.	Net tonnes	No.	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Togo	-	-	3	32,181	3	60,294	32,181
Trinidad & Tobago	2	60,688	5	154,850	7	611,486	215,538
Tunisia	62	120,321	255	1,165,910	317	2,881,519	1,286,231
Turkey	55	72,527	503	5,326,773	558	10,494,029	5,399,300
U.K.	4	92,968	67	1,086,232	71	2,388,899	1,179,200
U.S.A.	2	41,027	178	3,738,880	180	7,261,928	3,779,907
Ukraine	-	-	45	601,335	45	1,092,310	601,335
United Arab Emirates	-	-	4	89,002	4	169,510	89,002
Uruguay	-	-	7	116,392	7	230,196	116,392
Venezuela	-	-	3	51,844	3	94,259	51,844
Yemen	-	-	1	8,088	1	14,661	8,088
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,346</b>	<b>34,920,800</b>	<b>8,639</b>	<b>125,329,334</b>	<b>12,987</b>	<b>331,334,697</b>	<b>160,259,894</b>

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Source: Port Management Information System.

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TABLE 2.1.5. Number and net tonnage of vessels entered and cleared with cargo and in ballast, classified by type of vessel: 2021

Type of vessel	With cargo		In ballast		Total	
	No.	Tonnes	No.	Tonnes	No.	Tonnes
<b>Entered</b>						
Container ship	393	421,664	3,758	62,324,856	4,151	62,746,520
Motor fishing vessel	-	-	199	81,364	199	81,364
Passenger ship	2,122	5,739,266	843	16,668,455	2,965	22,407,721
Dry bulk carrier	53	76,129	77	168,082	130	244,211
Liquid bulk carrier (Tanker)	130	1,100,456	2,442	40,388,610	2,572	41,489,066
Other <sup>1</sup>	1,655	27,599,926	1,386	6,036,423	3,041	33,636,349
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,353</b>	<b>34,937,441</b>	<b>8,705</b>	<b>125,667,790</b>	<b>13,058</b>	<b>160,605,231</b>
<b>Cleared</b>						
Container ship	392	420,707	3,748	62,184,338	4,140	62,605,045
Motor fishing vessel	-	-	187	80,590	187	80,590
Passenger ship	2,116	5,723,582	838	16,618,763	2,954	22,342,345
Dry bulk carrier	53	76,129	77	168,082	130	244,211
Liquid bulk carrier (Tanker)	130	1,100,456	2,421	40,255,940	2,551	41,356,396
Other <sup>1</sup>	1,655	27,599,926	1,370	6,031,381	3,025	33,631,307
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,346</b>	<b>34,920,800</b>	<b>8,641</b>	<b>125,339,094</b>	<b>12,987</b>	<b>160,259,894</b>

<sup>1</sup> Other includes breakbulk carriers, car carriers, ro-ro vessels and other non-specified vessels.

Source: Port Management Information System.

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TABLE 2.1.6. Number and net tonnage of vessels entered, classified by range of net tonnage and month: 2021 ...

Range of net tonnage								
	January		February		March		April	
	No.	Tonnes	No.	Tonnes	No.	Tonnes	No.	Tonnes
Less than 100	46	2,714	64	3,524	51	2,607	44	2,699
100-249	5	830	5	813	10	1,612	9	1,266
250-499	4	1,805	-	-	1	497	3	975
500-749	26	17,559	18	11,245	12	7,628	22	14,253
750-999	44	40,638	43	38,958	40	36,201	35	32,080
1,000-1,999	46	63,839	62	81,829	61	80,698	73	99,020
2,000-2,999	173	464,418	178	479,119	215	570,503	204	513,820
3,000-3,999	22	74,407	30	104,498	29	99,363	50	167,986
4,000-4,999	41	190,215	49	224,428	51	238,314	38	176,783
5,000-5,999	15	80,741	23	120,346	19	99,323	19	101,330
6,000-6,999	31	194,734	32	200,752	38	240,600	45	282,885
7,000-7,999	6	44,361	6	45,100	12	90,795	3	23,557
8,000-8,999	40	352,241	60	527,206	24	208,062	10	87,183
9,000-9,999	130	1,278,363	140	1,375,280	167	1,637,535	140	1,369,664
More than 9,999	299	9,534,777	291	9,356,318	294	9,506,990	320	10,228,113
<b>Total</b>	<b>928</b>	<b>12,341,642</b>	<b>1,001</b>	<b>12,569,416</b>	<b>1,024</b>	<b>12,820,728</b>	<b>1,015</b>	<b>13,101,614</b>
	May		June		July		August	
Less than 100	62	3,149	78	3,632	86	4,040	96	4,338
100-249	23	3,626	9	1,544	14	2,201	19	2,948
250-499	5	2,033	-	-	3	1,339	8	3,502
500-749	15	10,026	15	9,850	7	4,589	12	7,292
750-999	49	43,534	34	30,083	46	39,363	28	22,969
1,000-1,999	74	94,833	81	106,508	60	77,868	80	111,003
2,000-2,999	266	704,298	288	756,407	333	873,991	307	807,902
3,000-3,999	47	157,396	51	170,392	53	178,838	42	141,341
4,000-4,999	41	190,045	53	245,953	38	174,903	40	183,855
5,000-5,999	24	128,989	21	109,867	23	121,384	22	112,870
6,000-6,999	34	216,669	33	208,232	43	268,243	32	199,725
7,000-7,999	6	45,769	10	76,552	4	30,295	12	91,976
8,000-8,999	11	94,756	16	137,859	17	147,138	10	86,734
9,000-9,999	131	1,285,510	138	1,344,054	123	1,203,431	69	675,253
More than 9,999	345	11,039,815	337	10,735,113	362	12,114,100	397	13,258,226
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,133</b>	<b>14,020,448</b>	<b>1,164</b>	<b>13,936,046</b>	<b>1,212</b>	<b>15,241,723</b>	<b>1,174</b>	<b>15,709,934</b>

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... TABLE 2.1.6. Number and net tonnage of vessels entered, classified by range of net tonnage and month: 2021

Range of net tonnage	September		October		November		December		Total	
	No.	Tonnes	No.	Tonnes	No.	Tonnes	No.	Tonnes	No.	Tonnes
	Less than 100	92	4,571	77	3,824	69	3,391	34	2,076	838
100-249	13	1,846	16	2,343	21	2,882	5	782	149	22,693
250-499	8	3,259	8	3,191	4	1,644	5	2,200	3,106	8,196,095
500-749	11	6,601	5	3,102	16	10,497	7	4,484	49	20,445
750-999	37	33,702	25	22,133	52	47,855	35	31,760	492	1,646,961
1,000-1,999	68	89,896	72	96,716	84	114,860	77	109,571	529	2,455,929
2,000-2,999	324	848,465	285	763,351	266	712,556	267	701,265	272	1,437,932
3,000-3,999	46	153,178	45	149,443	45	145,989	32	104,130	166	107,126
4,000-4,999	44	205,518	39	182,590	48	225,597	47	217,728	419	2,643,752
5,000-5,999	27	144,706	37	196,496	26	137,224	16	84,656	87	665,988
6,000-6,999	35	219,518	35	223,683	37	236,554	24	152,157	468	419,276
7,000-7,999	8	62,583	10	76,389	7	54,745	3	23,866	289	2,516,708
8,000-8,999	16	135,546	6	51,850	48	418,108	31	270,025	1,445	14,143,307
9,000-9,999	70	676,810	63	613,463	149	1,460,298	125	1,223,646	799	40,565
More than 9,999	379	11,876,897	366	11,556,707	280	8,302,277	280	7,652,480	3,950	125,161,813
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,178</b>	<b>14,463,096</b>	<b>1,089</b>	<b>13,945,281</b>	<b>1,152</b>	<b>11,874,477</b>	<b>988</b>	<b>10,580,826</b>	<b>13,058</b>	<b>160,605,231</b>

Source: Port Management Information System.

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TABLE 2.1.7. Number and tonnage of vessels entered, classified by range of gross tonnage: 2021

Range of tonnage (Gross)	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
Less than 100	283	8,620	6,476
100 - 249	353	62,006	21,321
250 - 499	312	110,674	43,213
500 - 749	8	5,206	1,561
750 - 999	12	11,156	4,844
1,000 - 1,999	668	1,156,254	590,501
2,000 - 2,999	430	1,052,951	483,620
3,000 - 3,999	257	901,257	375,510
4,000 - 4,999	203	902,651	397,460
5,000 - 5,999	226	1,236,158	518,234
6,000 - 6,999	165	1,070,092	511,518
7,000 - 7,999	156	1,156,904	517,721
8,000 - 8,999	554	4,530,729	1,544,493
9,000 - 9,999	2,674	24,446,497	8,032,012
10,000 - 19,999	1,259	17,827,278	7,724,960
20,000 - 29,999	1,547	38,916,823	16,715,497
30,000 - 39,999	1,693	56,552,462	21,433,156
40,000 - 49,999	286	12,701,103	6,605,020
50,000 - 59,999	218	12,356,396	6,488,534
60,000 - 69,999	776	51,087,277	28,008,997
70,000 - 79,999	176	12,997,465	7,218,013
80,000 - 89,999	295	25,009,481	14,662,054
90,000 - 99,999	141	13,185,070	7,761,068
More than 100,000	366	54,761,541	30,939,448
<b>Total</b>	<b>13,058</b>	<b>332,046,051</b>	<b>160,605,231</b>

Source: Port Management Information System.

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TABLE 2.1.8. Number and tonnage of vessels cleared, classified by duration of stay in harbour: 2021

Duration in days	With cargo			In ballast			Total		
	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes	No.	Gross tonnes	Net tonnes
1	2,057	61,716,216	25,252,212	3,643	103,066,902	55,643,126	5,700	164,783,118	80,895,338
2	1,878	24,491,102	8,150,438	3,446	99,852,845	50,549,156	5,324	124,343,947	58,699,594
3	240	2,249,454	791,240	776	26,710,086	13,099,825	1,016	28,959,540	13,891,065
4	99	939,938	340,503	237	5,603,856	2,676,451	336	6,543,794	3,016,954
5	30	292,438	102,938	108	1,410,785	720,941	138	1,703,223	823,879
6	17	420,530	213,212	68	388,396	173,669	85	808,926	386,881
7	3	47,128	20,824	47	404,221	184,810	50	451,349	205,634
8	10	72,385	23,392	31	210,027	100,513	41	282,412	123,905
9	-	-	-	23	441,634	317,325	23	441,634	317,325
10	-	-	-	16	18,025	6,989	16	18,025	6,989
11	1	1,982	1,102	16	192,606	92,965	17	194,588	94,067
12	1	2,006	1,096	24	213,956	142,304	25	215,962	143,400
13	-	-	-	21	198,714	100,058	21	198,714	100,058
14	2	16,090	4,828	13	214,498	155,217	15	230,588	160,045
15	-	-	-	12	194,509	137,663	12	194,509	137,663
16-29	5	44,221	13,270	82	897,155	585,815	87	941,376	599,085
30-59	1	1,710	917	61	967,777	637,665	62	969,487	638,582
60 and over	2	16,090	4,828	17	37,415	14,602	19	53,505	19,430
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,346</b>	<b>90,311,290</b>	<b>34,920,800</b>	<b>8,641</b>	<b>241,023,407</b>	<b>125,339,094</b>	<b>12,987</b>	<b>331,334,697</b>	<b>160,259,894</b>

Source: Port Management Information System.

TABLE 2.1.9. Number, tonnage and type of vessels, registered under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1973: 2021

Type of vessel	Registered during 2021		As at 31 December 2021	
	No.	Gross tonnage	No.	Gross tonnage
Pleasure Yacht	756	43,783	5,635	236,365
Motor Fishing Vessel	11	57	745	7,327
Dry bulk carrier	100	5,923,089	1,096	51,695,629
Liquid bulk carrier (Tanker)	86	4,017,802	833	28,976,337
Other <sup>1</sup>	7	12,213	322	930,370
<b>Total</b>	<b>960</b>	<b>9,996,943</b>	<b>8,631</b>	<b>81,846,028</b>

<sup>1</sup> Other includes breakbulk carriers, container ships, car carriers, ro-ro vessels and other non-specified vessels.

Note: Data excludes the amount of passenger ships and commercial yachts registered under the Malta Flag. Refer to methodological note 3.

Source: Registry of Shipping &amp; Seamen.



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TABLE 2.1.10. Foreign yachts arriving in Malta: 2021

Month	Length									Total
	1-12m	13-23m	Total less than 24m	24-36m	37-48m	49-60m	61-72m	More than 72m	Total 24m or more	
January	15	7	22	1	1	-	-	-	2	24
February	10	4	14	3	1	-	-	-	4	18
March	8	15	23	3	1	-	-	1	5	28
April	23	21	44	5	3	1	-	2	11	55
May	49	25	74	18	9	4	5	2	38	112
June	52	49	101	22	3	3	3	2	33	134
July	43	25	68	4	-	1	-	-	5	73
August	30	43	73	7	3	3	1	-	14	87
September	34	34	68	10	4	2	1	1	18	86
October	29	47	76	12	5	4	1	2	24	100
November	7	17	24	1	-	3	-	-	4	28
December	5	3	8	2	2	1	-	1	6	14
<b>Total</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>595</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>759</b>

Note: Refer to methodological note 5.  
Source: Transport Malta.

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TABLE 2.1.11. Yacht Marinas berthing capacity: 2021

<b>Total number of berths</b>	<b>2,502</b>
<b>Permanent Marinas</b>	<b>2,442</b>
Grand Harbour Marina	260
Creek Developments Plc	742
Gzira Gardens Marina	126
Portomaso Marina	130
Manoel Island Marina	200
Laguna Marina	123
Mgarr Harbour Marina	282
Kalkara Marina	131
Roland Marina	147
Dock 1	20
Marina di Valletta	281
<b>Seasonal Marinas</b>	<b>60</b>
Royal Malta Yacht Club	60

Source: Transport Malta.

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TABLE 2.1.12. Stock of fishing vessels by type of vessel and length group: 2021

Vessel length (m)	Type of vessel									Total
	Bimbu	Firilla	Frejgatina	Kajjik	Luzzu	MPV	Trawler	Aux Vessel/ Workboat	Other <sup>1</sup>	
Less than 5	4	3	38	606	27	335	-	-	239	1,252
5 - 9	32	12	3	195	184	778	-	5	129	1,338
10 - 14	1	1	-	-	9	74	10	1	7	103
15 - 19	-	-	-	-	-	11	2	-	-	13
20 or more	-	1	-	-	-	16	13	-	5	35
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>2,741</b>

<sup>1</sup> Other includes dinghies, longliners, recreational fishing vessels and other non-specified vessels.

Source: Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture.

TABLE 2.1.13. Stock of fishing vessels by type of vessel and country of construction: 2021

Country <sup>2</sup> of construction	Type of vessel									Total
	Bimbu	Firilla	Frejgatina	Kajjik	Luzzu	MPV	Trawler	Aux Vessel/ Workboat	Other <sup>1</sup>	
Malta and Gozo	32	15	40	797	220	1,045	-	4	293	2,446
Other European Countries	2	1	1	1	-	116	8	2	67	198
Africa	1	-	-	-	-	8	6	-	1	16
America	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	-	6	31
Asia	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	4
Australia	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	1	5
Unknown	2	1	-	3	-	13	10	-	12	41
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>2,741</b>

<sup>1</sup> Other includes dinghies, longliners, recreational fishing vessels and other non-specified vessels.

<sup>2</sup> Countries are grouped under respective continents except Malta.

Source: Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture.

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TABLE 2.1.14. Stock of fishing vessels by type of vessel and construction material: 2021

Construction material	Type of vessel								Total	
	Bimbu	Firilla	Frejgatina	Kajjik	Luzzu	MPV	Trawler	Aux Vessel/ Workboat		Other <sup>1</sup>
Fiberglass/plastic	29	4	25	530	8	1,058	-	6	319	1,979
Metal	-	-	-	-	-	10	10	-	3	23
Wood	8	13	16	271	212	145	15	-	53	733
Rubber	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>2,741</b>

<sup>1</sup>Other includes dinghies, longliners, recreational fishing vessels and other non-specified vessels.

Source: Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture.

TABLE 2.1.15. Stock of fishing vessels by type of vessel and age group: 2021

Vessel age group (years)	Type of vessel								Total	
	Bimbu	Firilla	Frejgatina	Kajjik	Luzzu	MPV	Trawler	Aux Vessel/ Workboat		Other <sup>1</sup>
0 - 5	-	1	5	3	-	40	11	4	53	117
6 - 10	-	1	4	9	-	106	-	-	3	123
11 - 20	7	1	3	97	6	451	4	1	163	733
21 - 40	27	3	24	510	40	546	6	1	124	1281
41 - 60	2	1	5	150	121	62	4	-	35	380
61 - 80	-	-	-	22	20	9	-	-	2	53
80+	1	10	-	10	33	-	-	-	-	54
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>2,741</b>

<sup>1</sup>Other includes dinghies, longliners, recreational fishing vessels and other non-specified vessels.

Source: Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture.

TABLE 2.1.16. Stock of fishing vessels by type of vessel and deck type: 2021

Deck type	Type of vessel								Total	
	Bimbu	Firilla	Frejgatina	Kajjik	Luzzu	MPV	Trawler	Aux Vessel/ Workboat		Other <sup>1</sup>
Decked	2	1	-	4	15	136	25	5	40	228
Not decked	35	16	41	797	205	1,078	-	1	340	2,513
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>2,741</b>

<sup>1</sup>Other includes dinghies, longliners, recreational fishing vessels and other non-specified vessels.

Source: Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture.

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TABLE 2.1.17. Stock of fishing vessels by operational status: 2021

Operational status	Type of vessel									Total
	Bimbu	Firilla	Frejgatina	Kajjik	Luzzu	MPV	Trawler	Aux Vessel/ Workboat	Other <sup>1</sup>	
Non-operational	1	1	1	13	9	19	11	-	2	57
Operational	36	16	40	786	210	1,191	13	5	377	2,674
Suspended	-	-	-	2	1	4	1	1	1	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>2,741</b>

<sup>1</sup>Other includes dinghies, longliners, recreational fishing vessels and other non-specified vessels.

Source: Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture.

TABLE 2.1.18. Stock of fishing vessels by primary engine fuel type: 2021

Engine fuel type	Type of vessel									Total
	Bimbu	Firilla	Frejgatina	Kajjik	Luzzu	MPV	Trawler	Aux Vessel/ Workboat	Other <sup>1</sup>	
Diesel/ Diesel-Electric	37	16	35	783	218	907	25	5	165	2,191
Petrol	-	1	6	18	2	306	-	1	215	549
Benzine	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>2,741</b>

<sup>1</sup>Other includes dinghies, longliners, recreational fishing vessels and other non-specified vessels.

Source: Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture.

TABLE 2.1.19. Stock of fishing vessels by type of licence and type of vessel: 2021

Vessel type	Licence			Total
	MFA	MFB	MFC	
Bimbu	9	10	18	37
Firilla	3	3	11	17
Frejgatina	5	7	29	41
Kajjik	59	166	576	801
Luzzu	71	64	85	220
MPV	210	172	832	1,214
Trawler	25	-	-	25
Aux Vessel/Workboat	2	4	-	6
Other <sup>1</sup>	15	21	344	380
<b>Total</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>1,895</b>	<b>2,741</b>

<sup>1</sup>Other includes dinghies, longliners, recreational fishing vessels and other non-specified vessels.

Source: Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture.

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TABLE 2.1.20. Stock of fishing vessels by type of vessel and current base port: 2021 ...

Current base port	Type of vessel									Total
	Bimbu	Firilla	Frejgatina	Kajjik	Luzzu	MPV	Trawler	Aux Vessel/ Workboat	Other <sup>1</sup>	
Anchor Bay	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	6
Armier	-	-	2	8	-	21	-	-	6	37
Baħar iċ-Ċagħaq	-	-	-	1	-	9	-	-	5	15
Balluta Bay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Birżebbuġa (Pretty Bay)	1	-	-	12	2	24	-	-	9	48
Birżebbuġa (St. Georges Bay)	2	-	5	33	9	123	-	-	19	191
Buġibba	-	-	-	22	1	28	-	-	9	60
Comino	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2
Daħlet Qorrot	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Dwejra	-	-	4	13	-	7	-	-	10	34
Għar Lapsi	-	-	1	13	-	4	-	-	32	50
Ġnejna	-	-	1	49	2	102	-	-	23	177
Gżira (Lazzaretto Creek)	1	-	-	5	-	8	-	-	1	15
Gżira (Sliema Creek)	1	1	-	11	1	12	10	-	1	37
Kalkara (Kalkara Creek)	-	1	2	19	8	20	-	-	8	58
Little Armier	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Marfa - DP	-	-	1	6	-	4	-	-	5	16
Marsa	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	1	5
Marsalforn	-	-	2	26	6	30	-	-	7	71
Marsaskala	2	2	-	60	10	94	-	1	21	190
Marsaxlokk (Il-Magħluq) - DP	2	3	1	41	23	99	-	1	17	187
Marsaxlokk (Ix-Xatt) - DP	7	3	2	62	71	86	1	1	22	255
Marsaxlokk (Kavallerizza) - DP	2	-	-	4	8	10	-	-	2	26
Mellieħa Bay	-	-	-	32	-	33	-	-	20	85
Mġarr - DP	6	2	13	114	34	133	-	2	55	359
Mġarr Ix-Xini	-	-	-	2	1	2	-	-	-	5
Mistra Bay	-	-	-	8	-	12	-	-	3	23
Msida (Msida Creek)	1	2	-	58	8	69	-	1	7	146
Pieta'	-	-	-	2	1	12	1	-	5	21
Qajjenza	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	3
Qawra	1	-	-	13	-	23	-	-	12	49
Qbajjar	-	-	2	4	-	6	-	-	2	14
Ramla tal-Qortin	-	-	-	13	-	1	-	-	-	14
Ramla Tat-Torri	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	-	6
Salina	1	-	-	6	1	9	-	-	5	22
Senglea (Dockyards Creek)	-	1	-	13	-	8	-	-	3	25
Senglea (French Creek)	-	-	-	5	2	3	-	-	-	10
Sliema (Sliema Creek)	-	-	-	1	1	9	-	-	3	14

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... TABLE 2.1.20. Stock of fishing vessels by type of vessel and current base port: 2021

Current base port	Type of vessel									Total
	Bimbu	Firilla	Frejgatina	Kajjik	Luzzu	MPV	Trawler	Aux Vessel/ Workboat	Other <sup>1</sup>	
St. Georges Bay	-	-	-	3	-	6	-	-	6	15
St. Julian's Bay	5	-	1	17	6	29	-	-	3	61
St. Paul's Bay (Il-Gillieru)	2	-	-	23	1	17	-	-	7	50
St. Paul's Bay (Il-Veċċa)	1	1	1	34	14	28	-	-	6	85
St. Paul's Bay (Tal-Għażżenin)	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	4
St. Thomas Bay	-	-	-	11	-	18	-	-	11	40
Ta` Xbiex (Msida Creek)	1	-	-	3	1	12	-	-	1	18
Valletta (Grand Harbour) - DP	-	-	-	-	-	2	9	-	-	11
Valletta (Marsamxett) - DP	1	-	-	1	1	6	-	-	-	9
Valletta (Pixkerija) - DP	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
Vittoriosa (Dockyard Creek)	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	-	2	6
Vittoriosa (Kalkara Creek)	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	4
Wied iż-Żurrieq	-	-	2	-	1	6	-	-	11	20
Xemxija	-	1	-	10	1	57	-	-	8	77
Xemxija (Il-Fekruna)	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	2	5
Xlendi	-	-	1	22	5	18	-	-	7	53
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>2,741</b>

<sup>1</sup> Other includes dinghies, longliners, recreational fishing vessels and other non-specified vessels.

DP = Designated Port.

Source: Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture.

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## Methodological Notes

1. Data is provided by Transport Malta.
2. Data is subject to revision.
3. Further information on the Merchant Shipping Act can be found here:  
<https://www.transport.gov.mt/Sea-Ship-Registration-Merchant-Shipping-Act.pdf-f207>
4. Definitions:
 

Liquid bulk carrier (Tanker)	This category includes oil tankers, chemical tankers, LNG and LPG tankers, tanker barge, non-inflammable tankers and other tankers.
Dry bulk carrier	This category includes bulk/oil combination carriers and bulk carriers.
Container ship	Ship fitted throughout with fixed or portable cell guides for the exclusive carriage of containers.
Passenger ship	Ship designed specifically to carry more than 12 fare-paying passengers whether berthed or unberthed. A ship designed with one or more decks specifically for the carriage of passengers, and where there is either no cabin accommodation for the passengers (un-berthed) or not all of the passengers are accommodated in cabins where cabins are provided, is sometimes referred to as a “ferry”.
Motor fishing vessel	This category includes fish catching and fish-processing vessels.
Other	Any vessel that is not listed above including breakbulk carriers, car carriers, ro-ro vessels and other non-specified vessels.
5. The yachts included in Tables 2.1.1 and 2.1.2 come to Malta for either repairs, bunkering and/or berthing facilities inside the port. Table 2.1.9 represents yachts that have actually berthed in a marina in Malta and Gozo.
6. The data regarding fishing vessels is supplied by the Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture.
7. Definitions of fishing vessels:-
  - (i) As stated in SL 425.07 – Fishing Vessels Regulations
 

<b>MFA</b>	Professional Fishing Vessels - Full-time
<b>MFB</b>	Professional Fishing Vessels - Part-time
<b>MFC</b>	Non-Commercial Fishing Vessels i.e. recreational
  - (ii) As stated in the report entitled “The Maltese Fishing Industry - year 2000” drafted by Michael Darmanin, Senior Fisheries Officer,
 

<b>Luzzu</b>	The most traditional fishing vessel. It is pointed at both ends, and is painted in folkloristic bright colours.
<b>Kajjik</b>	Differs from the luzzu in being generally smaller (average length 4.6 metres) and being flat ended at the stern. Previously, they were made of wood, but in recent years, fibre-glass has been the hull material of choice.



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(continued) Definitions of fishing vessels:-

(iii) As stated from “The Fishing Industry in Malta Past-Present-Future” - Stanley Farrugia Randon

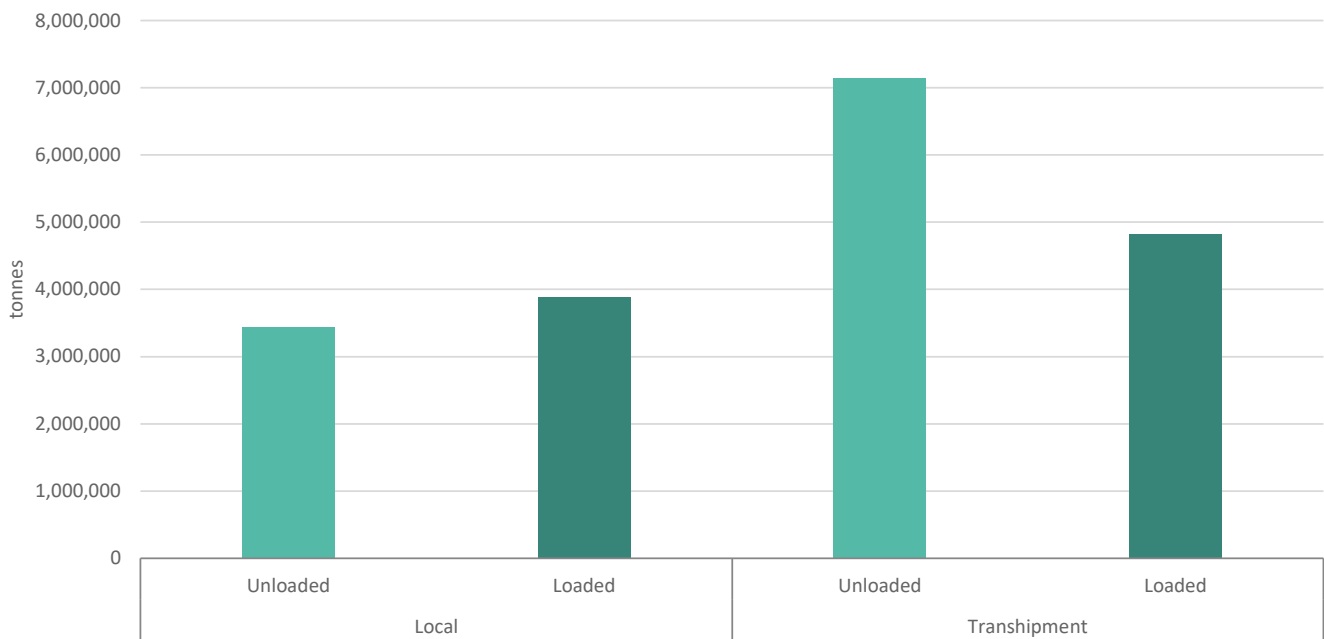
Firilla	Almost identical in design to the luzzu but, the bulwark (tappiera) is secured to the outside of the kontrarota. The stem posts found at each end of this boat are also much higher than those of the luzzu and it has a wider appearance.
Bimbu	Has a stern resembling that of a lanċa while its bow resembles that of a luzzu.
Trawler	A fishing trawler, also known as a dragger, is a commercial fishing vessel designed to operate fishing trawls. Trawling is a method of fishing that involves actively dragging or pulling a trawl through the water behind one or more trawlers.
Frejgatina	A common term referring to a small boat which in shape is similar to a kajjik or luzzu.
MPV	Multi Purpose Vessel is a seagoing ship that is built for the carriage of a wide range of cargoes.
Auxiliary Vessel	An Auxiliary Vessel is a vessel that is designed to operate in a number of roles supporting other vessels. Their roles may include replenishment, transport, repair, harbour, research and others.
Other	Any vessel that is not listed above including dinghy, longliner and recreational fishing vessel.
Designated Port (DP)	Designated ports are specialized ports where certain types of fish can be landed. Blue-fin tuna and swordfish can only be landed in some designated ports.

SEA TRANSPORT - Cargo

2.2. CARGO

During 2021, unitised cargo unloaded and loaded locally, at Malta main ports (Valletta Grand Harbour and Freeport) amounted to 3.44 million tonnes and 3.88 million tonnes respectively. Unitised transshipment cargo, unloaded and loaded at the Malta Freeport, amounted to 7.15 million tonnes and 4.82 million tonnes respectively (**Chart 2.2.1 and Tables 2.2.4-2.2.5**). Vessels carrying a Panamanian flag unloaded the most cargo in Malta (1.02 million tonnes) while most cargo was loaded onto Liberian vessels (603,112 tonnes) (besides Maltese vessels) (**Table 2.2.2**).

CHART 2.2.1. Total gross tonnage of unitised cargo unloaded and loaded: 2021



## SEA TRANSPORT - Cargo

TABLE 2.2.1. Gross tonnage of local cargo unloaded and loaded: 2016-2021

Year	Cargo unloaded	Cargo loaded
2016	7,640,127	3,715,206
2017	7,070,037	3,210,448
2018	6,885,539	2,412,761
2019	8,342,377	2,382,207
2020	6,209,133	3,418,447
2021	5,698,347	3,931,848

Source: Transport Malta.

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TABLE 2.2.2. Total gross tonnage of local cargo unloaded and loaded classified by type of cargo and nationality of vessel: 2021

Nationality of vessel	Unloaded			Loaded		
	Unitised	Non-unitised	Total	Unitised	Non-unitised	Total
Albania	-	105,316	105,316	-	-	-
Antigua & Barbuda	116,334	15,525	131,859	127,017	2,015	129,032
Azerbaijan	-	5,400	5,400	-	-	-
Bahamas	9,916	18,000	27,916	768	-	768
Bahrain	12,440	-	12,440	15,008	-	15,008
Cambodia	-	3,163	3,163	-	-	-
China	32,088	-	32,088	46,157	-	46,157
Comoros	19	18,589	18,608	-	-	-
Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	2,500	2,500
Cyprus	32,000	182,752	214,752	25,866	8,000	33,866
Denmark	-	3,384	3,384	9,020	-	9,020
France	80,152	8,600	88,752	262,737	-	262,737
Georgia	-	4,690	4,690	-	-	-
Germany	102,120	27,160	129,280	153,695	-	153,695
Gibraltar	59,744	30,000	89,744	15,998	-	15,998
Greece	33,496	45,367	78,863	26,855	-	26,855
Hong Kong	69,708	-	69,708	59,478	-	59,478
Italy	400,233	63,800	464,033	187,529	7,500	195,029
Latvia	-	2,600	2,600	-	-	-
Liberia	797,476	30,961	828,437	603,112	-	603,112
Luxembourg	-	24,602	24,602	-	2,096	2,096
Madeira	6,196	-	6,196	7,131	-	7,131
Malta	711,688	288,663	1,000,351	1,335,434	-	1,335,434
Marshall Islands	227,452	171,448	398,900	235,395	-	235,395
Moldovia	298	144,452	144,750	4,048	1,900	5,948
Morocco	3,908	-	3,908	1,072	-	1,072
Netherlands	-	861	861	-	798	798
Pakistan	60	-	60	9,296	-	9,296
Palau	-	2,082	2,082	-	-	-
Panama	154,767	860,252	1,015,019	199,847	20,410	220,257
Portugal	225,911	-	225,911	184,589	-	184,589
Russia	-	10,496	10,496	-	1,300	1,300
Sierra Leone	-	16,173	16,173	-	7,626	7,626
Singapore	249,516	89,100	338,616	170,897	-	170,897
Spain	-	1,972	1,972	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis	-	18,800	18,800	-	1,000	1,000
St. Vincent & Grenadines	-	4,626	4,626	-	-	-
Sweden	-	2,900	2,900	-	-	-
Turkey	844	41,467	42,311	152	-	152
U.K.	114,416	-	114,416	195,602	-	195,602
Ukraine	-	3,004	3,004	-	-	-
Vanuatu	-	11,360	11,360	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,440,782</b>	<b>2,257,565</b>	<b>5,698,347</b>	<b>3,876,703</b>	<b>55,145</b>	<b>3,931,848</b>

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TABLE 2.2.3. Gross tonnage and number of unitised local cargo unloaded and loaded in Malta by month: 2021

Month	Trailers		Containers		Cargo (Tonnes)
	40 Ft	20 Ft	40 Ft	20 Ft	
	<b>Unloaded</b>				
January	37,132	88,671	322,552		448,355
February	44,121	68,847	115,336		228,304
March	53,248	92,247	177,610		323,105
April	44,170	73,173	115,748		233,091
May	50,501	70,918	114,113		235,532
June	38,966	74,077	132,446		245,489
July	53,730	88,049	159,265		301,044
August	49,563	80,397	141,246		271,206
September	43,539	87,045	186,204		316,788
October	50,367	92,325	185,117		327,809
November	59,482	81,270	131,081		271,833
December	47,735	66,195	124,296		238,226
<b>Total</b>	<b>572,554</b>	<b>963,214</b>	<b>1,905,014</b>		<b>3,440,782</b>
	<b>Loaded</b>				
January	24,299	46,656	249,097		320,052
February	25,086	54,011	243,387		322,484
March	24,215	105,887	278,222		408,324
April	24,390	91,242	234,111		349,743
May	27,263	176,239	905,782		1,109,284
June	22,869	68,042	276,369		367,280
July	30,397	32,547	134,844		197,788
August	22,101	21,735	92,445		136,281
September	21,984	27,577	81,357		130,918
October	28,310	37,644	113,737		179,691
November	28,542	43,258	107,326		179,126
December	25,470	54,433	95,829		175,732
<b>Total</b>	<b>304,926</b>	<b>759,271</b>	<b>2,812,506</b>		<b>3,876,703</b>

Source: Transport Malta.

## SEA TRANSPORT - Cargo

TABLE 2.2.4. Total gross tonnage and number of unitised cargo unloaded and loaded at Valletta Grand Harbour: 2021

	Container			
	20		40	
	Units	Tonnes	Units	Tonnes
Local Unloading	1,150	15,254	550	10,718
Local Loading	934	2,516	540	3,244
<b>Total Local</b>	<b>2,084</b>	<b>17,770</b>	<b>1,090</b>	<b>13,962</b>
Transshipment Unloading	-	-	-	-
Transshipment Loading	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Transshipment</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
	Trailer		Total	
	40			
	Units	Tonnes	Units	Tonnes
Local Unloading	28,777	572,554	30,477	598,526
Local Loading	27,980	304,750	29,454	310,510
<b>Total Local</b>	<b>56,757</b>	<b>877,304</b>	<b>59,931</b>	<b>909,036</b>
Transshipment Unloading	-	-	-	-
Transshipment Loading	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Transshipment</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

Source: Transport Malta.

TABLE 2.2.5. Total gross tonnage and number of unitised cargo unloaded and loaded at Freeport: 2021

	Container			
	20		40	
	Units	Tonnes	Units	Tonnes
Local Unloading	64,292	947,960	97,580	1,894,296
Local Loading	147,608	756,755	340,671	2,809,262
<b>Total Local</b>	<b>211,900</b>	<b>1,704,715</b>	<b>438,251</b>	<b>4,703,558</b>
Transshipment Unloading	132,358	2,514,802	210,558	4,632,276
Transshipment Loading	92,024	1,748,456	139,719	3,073,818
<b>Total Transshipment</b>	<b>224,382</b>	<b>4,263,258</b>	<b>350,277</b>	<b>7,706,094</b>
	Trailer		Total	
	40			
	Units	Tonnes	Units	Tonnes
Local Unloading	-	-	161,872	2,842,256
Local Loading	8	176	488,287	3,566,193
<b>Total Local</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>650,159</b>	<b>6,408,449</b>
Transshipment Unloading	-	-	342,916	7,147,078
Transshipment Loading	-	-	231,743	4,822,274
<b>Total Transshipment</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>574,659</b>	<b>11,969,352</b>

Source: Transport Malta.

## SEA TRANSPORT - Cargo

### Methodological Notes

1. Data is provided by Transport Malta.
2. Data is subject to revision.
3. Data is being presented in consistency with international counterparts (Eurostat/ITF/UNECE) according to the 5th edition of the Illustrated [Glossary for Transport Statistics](#).
4. Definitions:

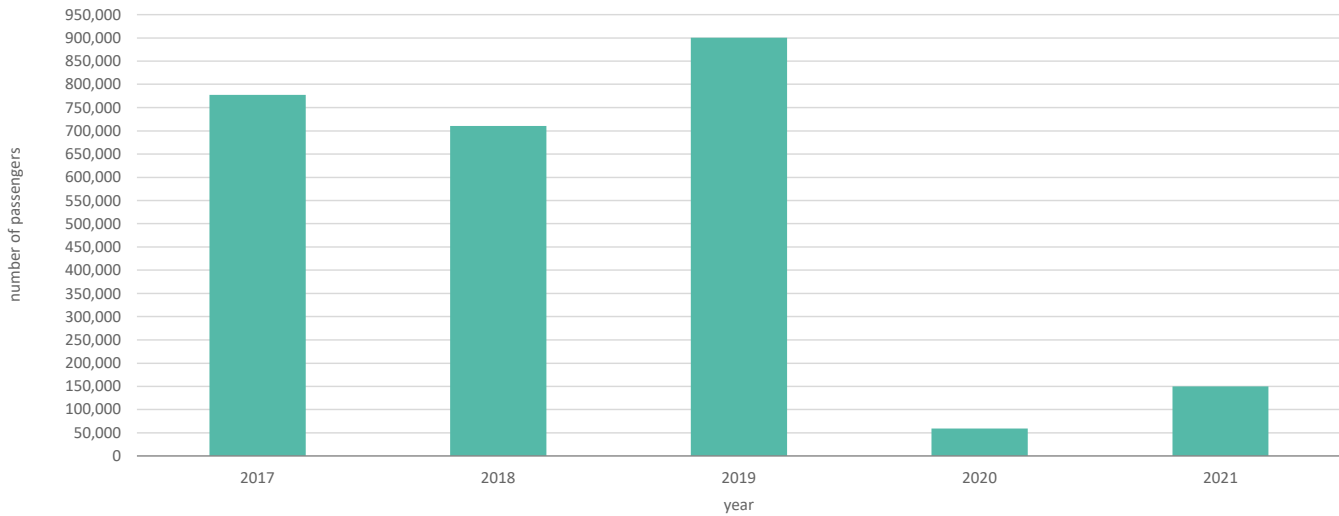
Unitised Cargo	Carriage of cargo in intermodal transport units such as containers or mobile (Ro-Ro) units.
Non-unitised cargo	Goods other than unitised cargo. Such cargo includes liquid and dry bulk transport, forest products and general cargo.
Transshipment loading/ unloading	The unloading of cargo from one merchant vessel and its loading into another to complete a journey, even where the cargo may have dwell time ashore before its onward journey.
Local loading/ unloading	The loading or unloading of goods other than transshipment cargo. This refers to cargo for domestic use.
Cargo loaded	Goods placed on a merchant ship for transport by sea. Transshipment from one merchant ship to another is regarded as loading after unloading. Goods loaded include national goods, transshipment goods (national or foreign goods arriving in port by sea) and land transit goods (foreign goods arriving in port by road or air).
Cargo unloaded	Goods taken off a merchant ship. Transshipment from one merchant ship to another is regarded as unloading before reloading. Goods unloaded include national goods, transshipment goods (national or foreign goods leaving a port by sea) and land transit goods (foreign goods leaving a port by road and air).

SEA TRANSPORT - Cruise Liners

2.3. CRUISE LINERS

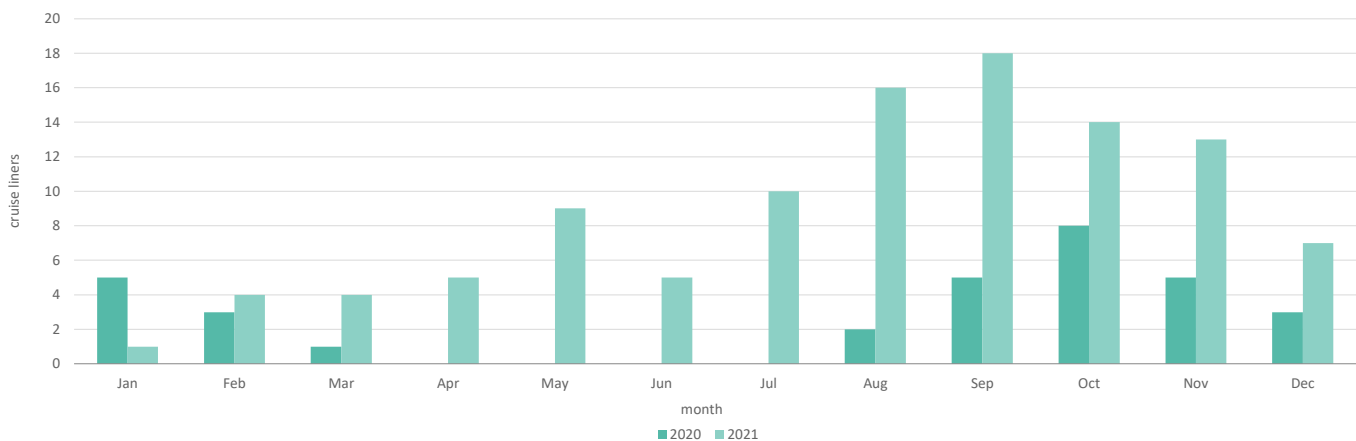
During January and February of 2021, the cruise line sector recorded decreases in passenger traffic over 2020, whereas cruise liner calls recorded a slight decrease in January. In the year under review, 106 cruise liner calls were recorded, 74 more than the previous year. When compared to 2020, transit passengers increased by 73,128 totalling 131,955; embarkations from Malta increased by 7,892, registering 8,057 passenger embarkations while passenger landings in Malta also increased by 9,771, amounting to 9,962 landings (Charts 2.3.1-2.3.2 and Tables 2.3.1-2.3.5).

CHART 2.3.1. Total cruise passenger traffic: 2017-2021



Note: Owing to the COVID-19 situation, cruise liner calls were suspended from 10th March until 21st August 2020.

CHART 2.3.2. Cruise liner calls by month: 2020-2021



Note: Owing to the COVID-19 situation, cruise liner calls were suspended from 10th March until 21st August 2020.



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TABLE 2.3.1. Cruise passenger transits: 2017-2021

Month	Year					Change
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2021/2020
January	22,686	20,804	21,586	23,076	644	-22,432
February	30,857	23,338	24,822	16,475	4,030	-12,445
March	31,466	25,482	31,445	565	3,289	2,724
April	56,910	65,963	70,204	-	6,002	6,002
May	48,704	54,561	80,144	-	11,576	11,576
June	38,304	32,675	60,323	-	5,857	5,857
July	54,147	49,018	61,836	-	13,552	13,552
August	55,048	54,910	68,547	2,540	18,865	16,325
September	55,752	47,276	61,086	4,476	25,974	21,498
October	89,009	99,954	97,964	8,177	13,458	5,281
November	63,051	54,796	29,251	2,473	15,088	12,615
December	20,541	25,424	22,068	1,045	13,620	12,575
<b>Total</b>	<b>566,475</b>	<b>554,201</b>	<b>629,276</b>	<b>58,827</b>	<b>131,955</b>	<b>73,128</b>

Note: Owing to the COVID-19 situation, cruise liner calls were suspended from 10th March until 21st August 2020.

Source: Transport Malta.

TABLE 2.3.2. Cruise passenger embarkations: 2017-2021

Month	Year					Change
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2021/2020
January	35	14	20	35	-	-35
February	49	38	13	11	-	-11
March	53	15	111	-	-	-
April	9,089	6,540	12,696	-	-	-
May	16,072	12,211	17,534	-	-	-
June	16,409	10,735	21,336	-	-	-
July	17,785	13,269	21,772	-	503	503
August	17,890	13,173	21,326	-	2,309	2,309
September	15,124	10,706	22,752	61	3,061	3,000
October	14,103	9,934	16,452	58	1,340	1,282
November	706	583	673	-	722	722
December	44	22	6	-	122	122
<b>Total</b>	<b>107,359</b>	<b>77,240</b>	<b>134,691</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>8,057</b>	<b>7,892</b>

Note: Owing to the COVID-19 situation, cruise liner calls were suspended from 10th March until 21st August 2020.

Source: Transport Malta.

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TABLE 2.3.3. Cruise passenger landings: 2017-2021

Month	Year					Change
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2021/2020
January	25	46	29	30	-	-30
February	95	54	55	29	2	-27
March	86	18	114	-	1	1
April	9,107	6,619	14,328	-	-	-
May	13,859	12,281	17,616	-	-	-
June	16,259	10,763	20,993	-	2	-
July	16,045	13,241	21,533	-	279	-
August	18,006	13,686	21,321	1	2,119	2,118
September	15,499	10,812	22,855	1	4,731	4,730
October	13,844	10,166	16,788	129	1,111	982
November	792	807	763	1	1,611	1,610
December	43	45	25	-	106	106
<b>Total</b>	<b>103,660</b>	<b>78,538</b>	<b>136,420</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>9,962</b>	<b>9,771</b>

Note: Owing to the COVID-19 situation, cruise liner calls were suspended from 10th March until 21st August 2020.

Source: Transport Malta.

TABLE 2.3.4. Cruise passenger total traffic: 2017-2021

Month	Year					Change
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2021/2020
January	22,746	20,864	21,635	23,141	644	-22,497
February	31,001	23,430	24,890	16,515	4,032	-12,483
March	31,605	25,515	31,670	565	3,290	2,725
April	75,106	79,122	97,228	-	6,002	-
May	78,635	79,053	115,294	-	11,576	-
June	70,972	54,173	102,652	-	5,859	-
July	87,977	75,528	105,141	-	14,334	-
August	90,944	81,769	111,194	2,541	23,293	20,752
September	86,375	68,794	106,693	4,538	33,766	29,228
October	116,956	120,054	131,204	8,364	15,909	7,545
November	64,549	56,186	30,687	2,474	17,421	14,947
December	20,628	25,491	22,099	1,045	13,848	12,803
<b>Total</b>	<b>777,494</b>	<b>709,979</b>	<b>900,387</b>	<b>59,183</b>	<b>149,974</b>	<b>90,791</b>

Notes:

1. Total traffic (Table 2.3.4) = Transits (Table 2.3.1) + Embarkations (Table 2.3.2) + Landings (Table 2.3.3).
2. Owing to the COVID-19 situation, cruise liner calls were suspended from 10th March until 21st August 2020.

Source: Transport Malta.

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TABLE 2.3.5. Cruise liner calls: 2017-2021

Year	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
January	9	6	5	5	1
February	12	5	7	3	4
March	13	6	9	1	4
April	41	36	35	-	5
May	44	40	53	-	9
June	30	27	42	-	5
July	31	28	39	-	10
August	30	32	39	2	16
September	38	35	44	5	18
October	61	55	63	8	14
November	25	31	19	5	13
December	8	9	4	3	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>106</b>

Note: Owing to the COVID-19 situation, cruise liner calls were suspended from 10th March until 21st August 2020.

Source: Transport Malta.

## SEA TRANSPORT - Cruise Liners

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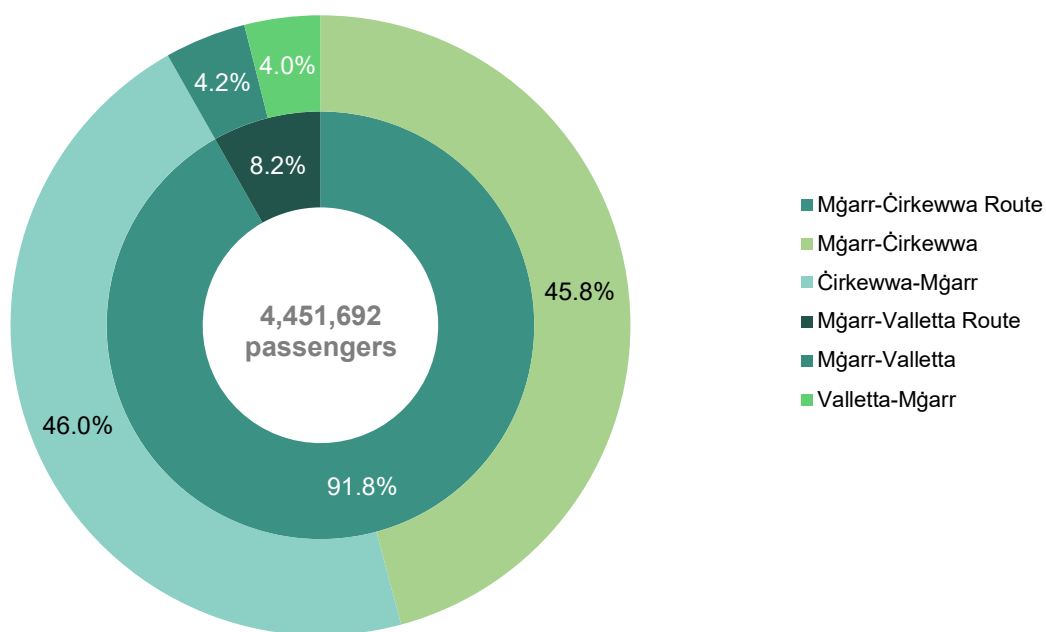
1. The data in regarding the Cruise Liners is compiled on the basis of administrative records held by the Transport Malta.
2. Cruise liners calling at both Malta and Gozo during a single voyage are recorded as one cruise liner call.
3. Definitions regarding Cruise Liners:
  - (i) Cruise passenger traffic comprises embarkations from Malta, transit passengers and passengers landing in Malta.
  - (ii) Embarkations comprise all cruise passengers who are either Maltese who leave Malta on a cruise ship, or alternatively, foreigners who come to Malta by other means of transport and leave on a cruise ship.
  - (iii) Transit passengers comprise all cruise passengers who arrive in and leave Malta on the same cruise ship.
  - (iv) Landings comprise all cruise passengers who arrive in Malta on a cruise ship and leave by other means of transport, or alternatively, stay in Malta.
  - (v) Same-day visitors comprise visitors to Malta who do not spend at least one night in collective or private accommodation.
  - (vi) Overnight visitors (tourists) comprise visitors to Malta who spend at least one night in collective or private accommodation.
4. Owing to the COVID-19 situation, cruise liner calls were suspended from 10th March until 21st August 2020.

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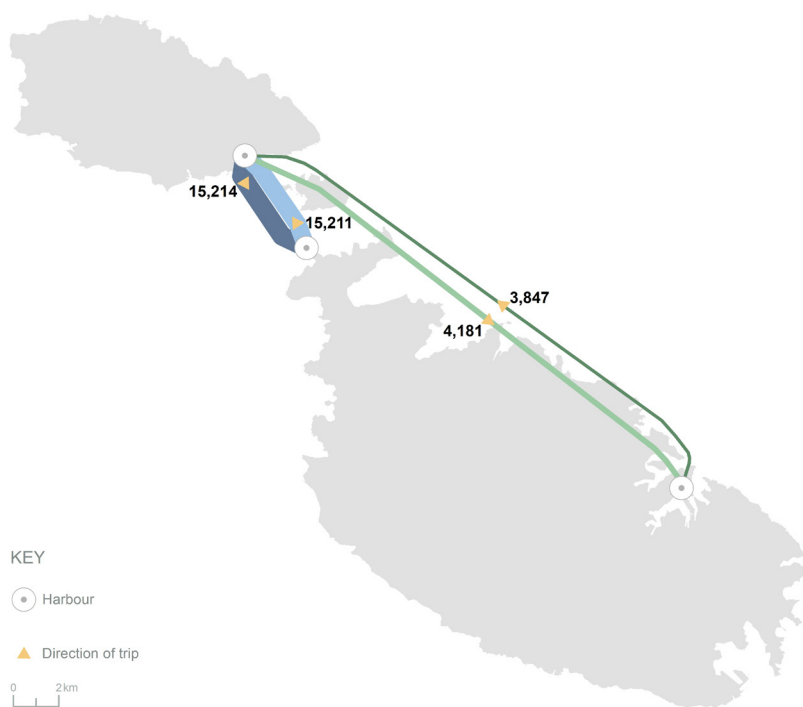
2.4. SEA TRANSPORT IN MALTA

During 2021, the number of trips between Malta and Gozo amounted to 38,453, up by 32.4 per cent over 2020. The average rate of passengers per trip decreased to 116 in 2021 from 130 in 2020 while the average rate of vehicles per trip amounted to 45, a decrease of 8 vehicles over the previous year (Table 2.4.1).

CHART 2.4.1. Distribution of passengers by type of transport between Malta and Gozo during 2021



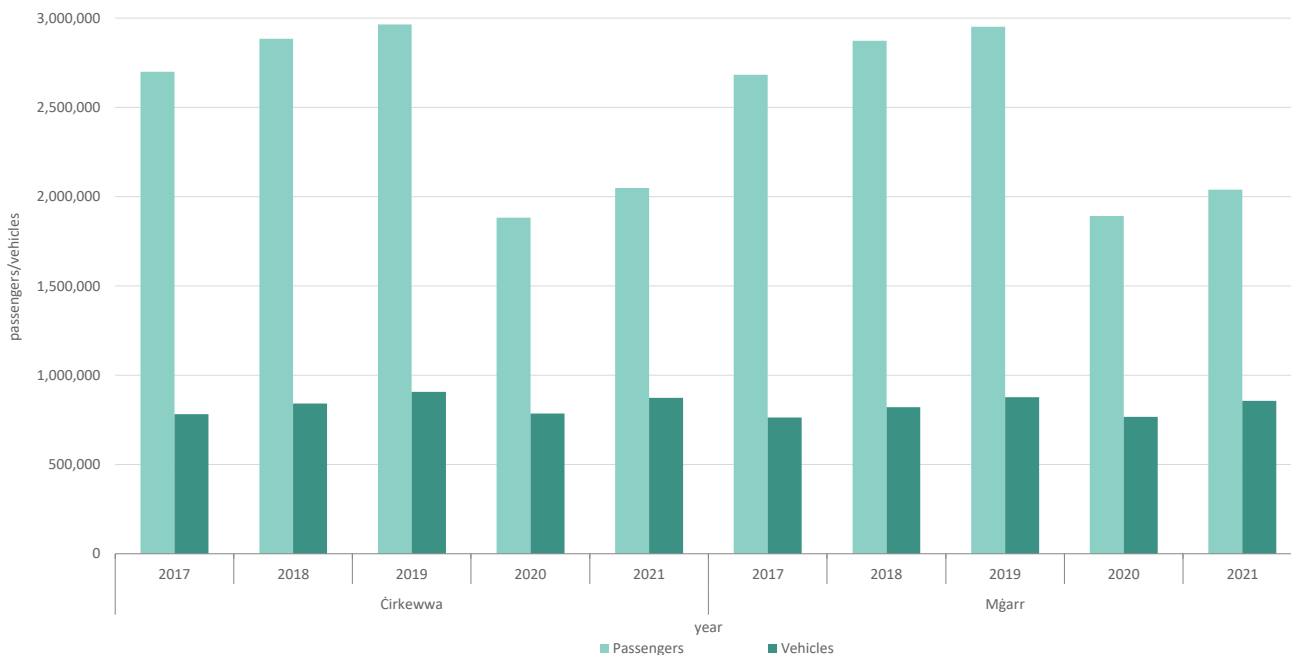
MAP 2.4.1. Distribution of trips between Malta and Gozo during 2021



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In the year under review, an increase of 313,039 passengers and 175,491 vehicles were carried by the Gozo Channel ferries when compared to 2020. August registered the greatest number of trips and vehicle crossings with a total of 2,876 trips (+3.2 per cent over 2020) and 189,183 vehicles (+6.0 per cent over 2020) (Chart 2.4.2 and Tables 2.4.2-2.4.3, 2.4.6 - 2.4.11).

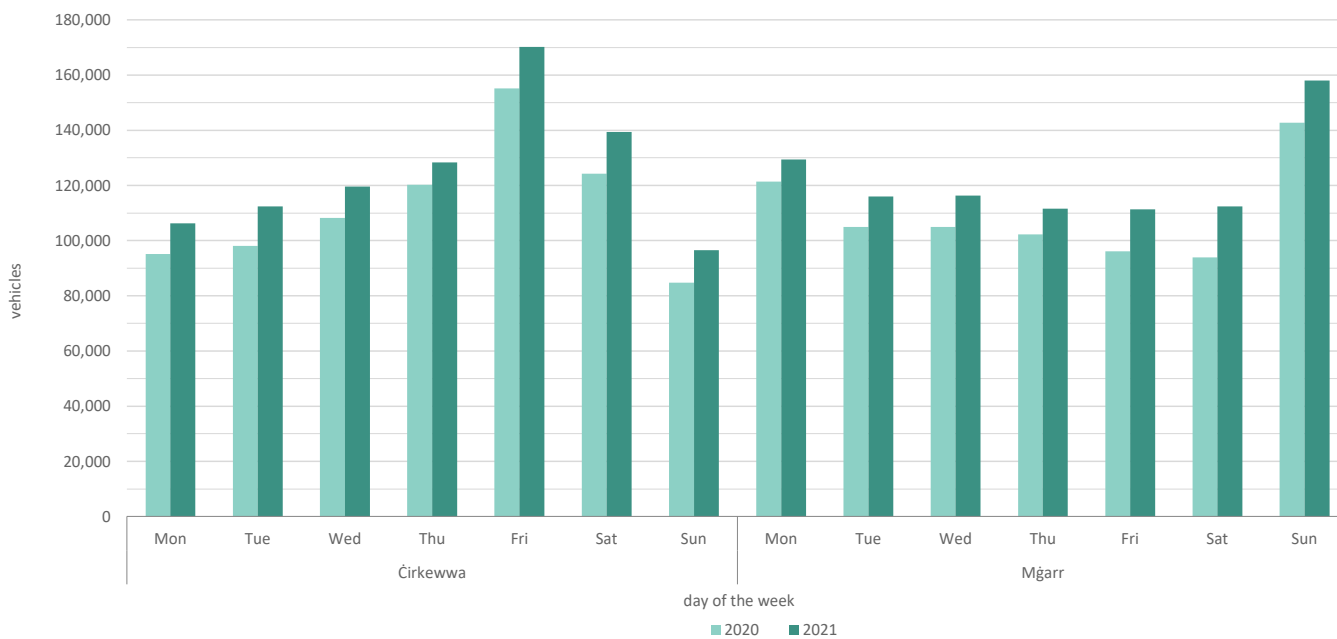
CHART 2.4.2. Passengers and vehicles to and from Mġarr and Ċirkewwa: 2017-2021



The Malita sea vessel made most of the trips (10,005) and carried the highest number of passengers (1,415,795) and vehicles (596,415), followed by the Ta’ Pinu sea vessel, which made a total of 9,359 trips, carrying 565,016 vehicles and 1,350,847 passengers (Table 2.4.5).

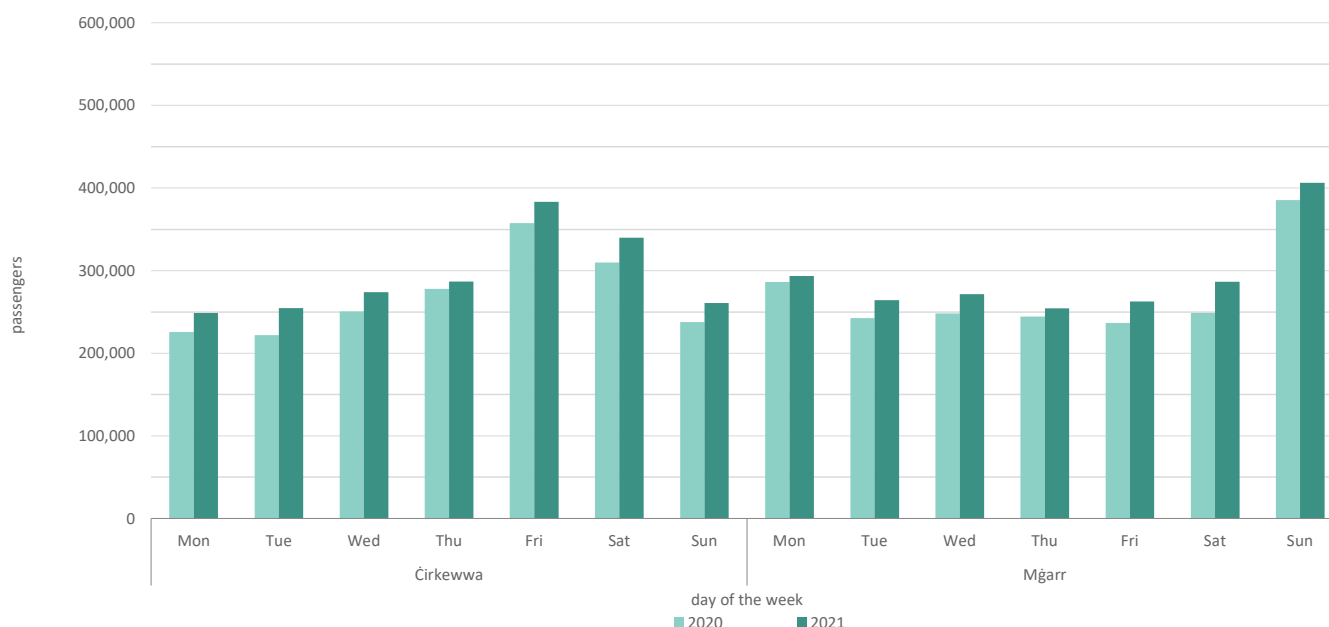
During the year 2021, passenger and vehicle traffic originating from Ċirkewwa was busiest on Fridays and Saturdays, whereas highest numbers from Mġarr were recorded on Sundays and Mondays. (Charts 2.4.3-2.4.4 and Tables 2.4.4, 2.4.6-2.4.11).

CHART 2.4.3. Vehicles to and from Mġarr and Ċirkewwa by day of the week: 2020-2021



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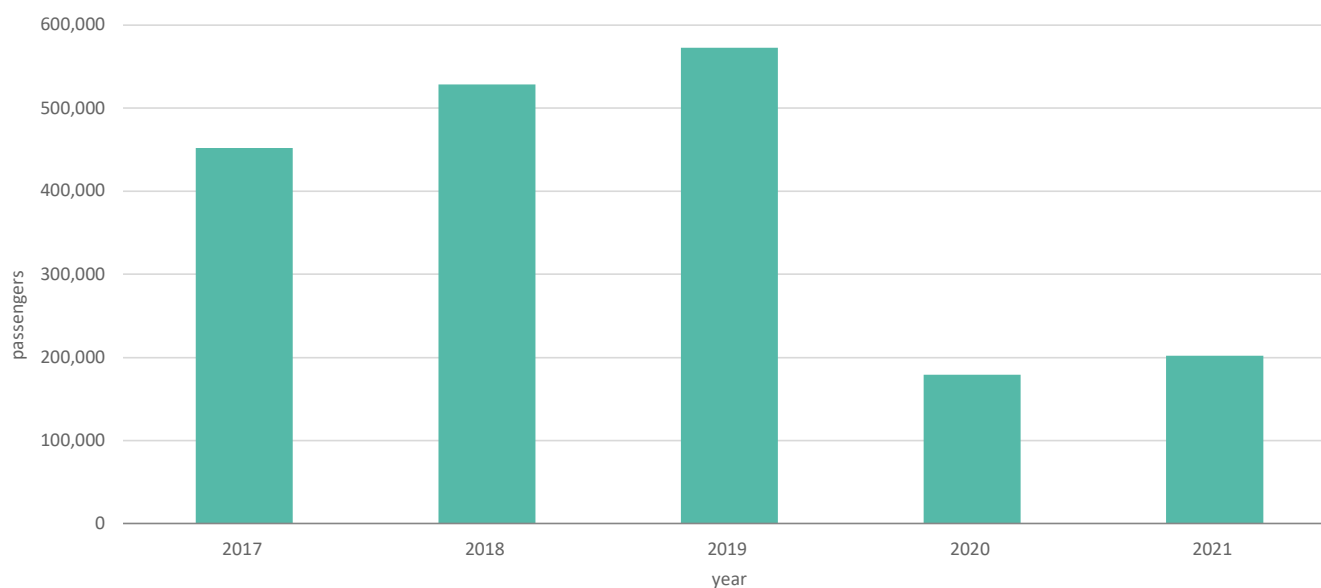
CHART 2.4.4. Passengers to and from Mġarr and Ċirkewwa by day of the week: 2020-2021



During 2021, a total of 8,028 trips were carried out between Mġarr and Valletta, carrying a total of 364,672 passengers. September registered the highest number of trips - 1,419 or 17.7 per cent of total trips, whereas the highest number of passengers travelling between Mġarr and Valletta was recorded in August – 73,104 or 20.0 per cent (Table 2.4.12).

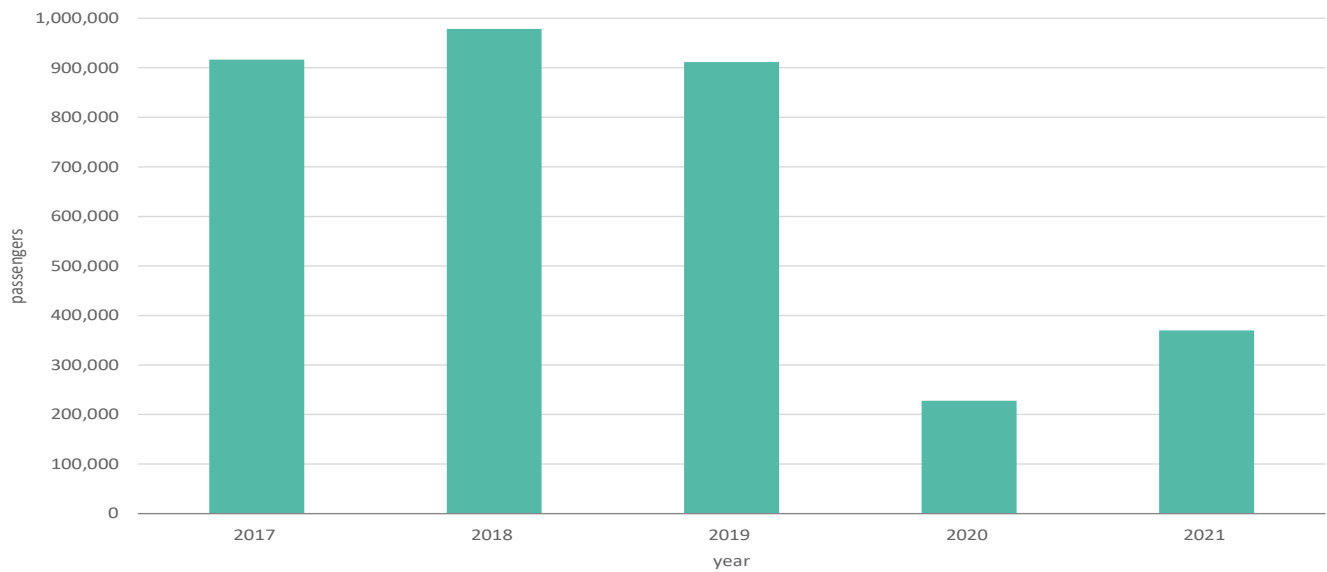
In 2021, passengers carried by ferry between Valletta and the Three Cities registered an increase of 12.6 per cent over 2020, totalling 201,806. Passengers crossing by ferry between Valletta and Sliema, totalled 369,678 or an increase of 62.4 per cent over 2020. On a monthly basis the ferry between Valletta and the Three Cities carried the most passengers during October totalling 30,653. September registered the highest number of passengers carried on the ferry crossing between Valletta and Sliema, totalling 63,369 (Charts 2.4.5-2.4.6 and Tables 2.4.13-2.4.14).

CHART 2.4.5. Passengers carried by ferry between Marsamxett (Valletta) and the Three Cities: 2017-2021



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CHART 2.4.6. Passengers carried by ferry between Marsamxett (Valletta) and Sliema: 2017-2021





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TABLE 2.4.1. Sea transport between Malta and Gozo by quarter: 2017-2021

		Year					Change	Percentage change
	Quarter	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2021/2020	2021/2020
Trips	Q1	5,216	5,259	5,449	7,324	6,139	-1,185	-16.2
	Q2	5,541	5,776	6,289	5,334	8,341	3,007	56.4
	Q3	6,334	6,764	8,240	8,300	12,758	4,458	53.7
	Q4	5,438	5,820	7,653	8,094	11,215	3,121	38.6
	<b>Total</b>	<b>22,529</b>	<b>23,619</b>	<b>27,631</b>	<b>29,052</b>	<b>38,453</b>	<b>9,401</b>	<b>32.4</b>
Vehicles	Q1	320,432	339,266	363,460	356,997	336,816	-20,181	-5.7
	Q2	394,106	423,152	454,818	282,446	409,569	127,123	45.0
	Q3	463,585	498,888	538,864	521,914	551,438	29,524	5.7
	Q4	365,899	398,596	425,767	390,781	429,806	39,025	10.0
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,544,022</b>	<b>1,659,902</b>	<b>1,782,909</b>	<b>1,552,138</b>	<b>1,727,629</b>	<b>175,491</b>	<b>11.3</b>
Passengers	Q1	1,040,188	1,121,001	1,146,490	1,038,142	710,749	-327,393	-31.5
	Q2	1,415,326	1,535,414	1,575,472	581,311	949,837	368,526	63.4
	Q3	1,674,618	1,780,474	1,840,575	1,278,474	1,605,604	327,130	25.6
	Q4	1,253,708	1,321,429	1,355,243	876,054	1,185,502	309,448	35.3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5,383,840</b>	<b>5,758,318</b>	<b>5,917,780</b>	<b>3,773,981</b>	<b>4,451,692</b>	<b>677,711</b>	<b>18.0</b>

Note: The Fast Ferry service between Mġarr and Valletta commenced on 1 June 2021. As from second quarter of 2021 aggregate values comprising of trips and passengers carried by both the fast ferry service and the Gozo Channel are included in the above table.

Sources: Gozo Channel Co. Ltd. and Transport Malta.

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TABLE 2.4.2. Sea transport between Mġarr and Ċirkewwa by month: 2017-2021

	Month	Year					Change	Percentage change
		2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2021/2020	2021/2020
<b>Trips</b>	January	1,717	1,771	1,739	2,454	2,090	-364	-14.8
	February	1,669	1,614	1,676	2,494	1,939	-555	-22.3
	March	1,830	1,874	2,034	2,376	2,110	-266	-11.2
	April	1,834	1,870	1,957	1,534	2,034	500	32.6
	May	1,821	1,898	2,014	1,664	2,504	840	50.5
	June	1,886	2,008	2,318	2,136	2,717	581	27.2
	July	2,098	2,252	2,716	2,790	2,858	68	2.4
	August	2,158	2,292	2,802	2,788	2,876	88	3.2
	September	2,078	2,220	2,722	2,722	2,818	96	3.5
	October	1,964	2,088	2,712	2,760	2,826	66	2.4
	November	1,729	1,822	2,421	2,642	2,793	151	5.7
	December	1,745	1,910	2,520	2,692	2,860	168	6.2
<b>Total</b>		<b>22,529</b>	<b>23,619</b>	<b>27,631</b>	<b>29,052</b>	<b>30,425</b>	<b>1,373</b>	<b>4.7</b>
<b>Vehicles</b>	January	94,258	106,556	107,174	132,191	117,519	-14,672	-11.1
	February	106,256	103,893	112,014	139,905	119,878	-20,027	-14.3
	March	119,918	128,817	144,272	84,901	99,419	14,518	17.1
	April	129,837	138,464	146,216	47,805	101,106	53,301	111.5
	May	129,726	140,028	150,984	93,064	147,322	54,258	58.3
	June	134,543	144,660	157,618	141,577	161,141	19,564	13.8
	July	155,624	165,538	176,767	179,425	180,635	1,210	0.7
	August	158,981	172,120	187,536	178,527	189,183	10,656	6.0
	September	148,980	161,230	174,561	163,962	181,620	17,658	10.8
	October	131,779	138,973	157,109	139,860	150,688	10,828	7.7
	November	118,862	127,404	134,764	124,499	141,927	17,428	14.0
	December	115,258	132,219	133,894	126,422	137,191	10,769	8.5
<b>Total</b>		<b>1,544,022</b>	<b>1,659,902</b>	<b>1,782,909</b>	<b>1,552,138</b>	<b>1,727,629</b>	<b>175,491</b>	<b>11.3</b>
<b>Passengers</b>	January	290,357	338,780	323,772	396,542	255,979	-140,563	-35.4
	February	343,321	331,858	344,773	429,259	261,636	-167,623	-39.0
	March	406,510	450,363	477,945	212,341	193,134	-19,207	-9.0
	April	474,647	508,880	520,755	78,407	198,964	120,557	153.8
	May	471,397	513,598	520,284	184,082	325,103	141,021	76.6
	June	469,282	512,936	534,433	318,822	383,386	64,564	20.3
	July	548,452	582,541	594,610	433,455	444,491	11,036	2.5
	August	582,199	620,042	649,878	452,929	487,074	34,145	7.5
	September	543,967	577,891	596,087	392,090	470,465	78,375	20.0
	October	486,147	494,964	533,020	327,214	392,221	65,007	19.9
	November	393,745	405,514	413,684	271,499	345,719	74,220	27.3
	December	373,816	420,951	408,539	277,341	328,848	51,507	18.6
<b>Total</b>		<b>5,383,840</b>	<b>5,758,318</b>	<b>5,917,780</b>	<b>3,773,981</b>	<b>4,087,020</b>	<b>313,039</b>	<b>8.3</b>

Source: Gozo Channel Co. Ltd.

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TABLE 2.4.3. Sea transport to and from Mġarr and Ċirkewwa by month: 2020-2021

Month	Ċirkewwa - Mġarr				Mġarr - Ċirkewwa			
	2020	2021	Change 2021/2020	Percentage change 2021/2020	2020	2021	Change 2021/2020	Percentage change 2021/2020
<b>Trips</b>								
January	1,227	1,045	-182	-14.8	1,227	1,045	-182	-14.8
February	1,249	969	-280	-22.4	1,245	970	-275	-22.1
March	1,187	1,055	-132	-11.1	1,189	1,055	-134	-11.3
April	766	1,017	251	32.8	768	1,017	249	32.4
May	832	1,253	421	50.6	832	1,251	419	50.4
June	1,068	1,358	290	27.2	1,068	1,359	291	27.2
July	1,395	1,429	34	2.4	1,395	1,429	34	2.4
August	1,394	1,438	44	3.2	1,394	1,438	44	3.2
September	1,361	1,409	48	3.5	1,361	1,409	48	3.5
October	1,380	1,411	31	2.2	1,380	1,415	35	2.5
November	1,321	1,397	76	5.8	1,321	1,396	75	5.7
December	1,346	1,430	84	6.2	1,346	1,430	84	6.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,526</b>	<b>15,211</b>	<b>685</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>14,526</b>	<b>15,214</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>4.7</b>
<b>Vehicles</b>								
January	66,433	57,777	-8,656	-13.0	65,758	59,742	-6,016	-9.1
February	71,525	60,569	-10,956	-15.3	68,380	59,309	-9,071	-13.3
March	42,265	50,526	8,261	19.5	42,636	48,893	6,257	14.7
April	24,238	51,166	26,928	111.1	23,567	49,940	26,373	111.9
May	47,477	74,198	26,721	56.3	45,587	73,124	27,537	60.4
June	71,934	81,664	9,730	13.5	69,643	79,477	9,834	14.1
July	93,028	92,812	-216	-0.2	86,397	87,823	1,426	1.7
August	89,296	94,287	4,991	5.6	89,231	94,896	5,665	6.3
September	81,801	91,369	9,568	11.7	82,161	90,251	8,090	9.8
October	71,481	76,734	5,253	7.3	68,379	73,954	5,575	8.2
November	60,877	70,945	10,068	16.5	63,622	70,982	7,360	11.6
December	65,450	70,568	5,118	7.8	60,972	66,623	5,651	9.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>785,805</b>	<b>872,615</b>	<b>86,810</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>766,333</b>	<b>855,014</b>	<b>88,681</b>	<b>11.6</b>
<b>Passengers</b>								
January	199,295	124,175	-75,120	-37.7	197,247	131,804	-65,443	-33.2
February	217,473	131,298	-86,175	-39.6	211,786	130,338	-81,448	-38.5
March	105,273	97,122	-8,151	-7.7	107,068	96,012	-11,056	-10.3
April	39,831	101,177	61,346	154.0	38,576	97,787	59,211	153.5
May	92,580	160,611	68,031	73.5	91,502	164,492	72,990	79.8
June	159,891	191,899	32,008	20.0	158,931	191,487	32,556	20.5
July	218,756	224,591	5,835	2.7	214,699	219,900	5,201	2.4
August	220,719	242,205	21,486	9.7	232,210	244,869	12,659	5.5
September	192,493	234,581	42,088	21.9	199,597	235,884	36,287	18.2
October	164,461	200,367	35,906	21.8	162,753	191,854	29,101	17.9
November	130,497	171,527	41,030	31.4	141,002	174,192	33,190	23.5
December	140,308	168,566	28,258	20.1	137,033	160,282	23,249	17.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,881,577</b>	<b>2,048,119</b>	<b>166,542</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>1,892,404</b>	<b>2,038,901</b>	<b>146,497</b>	<b>7.7</b>

Source: Gozo Channel Co. Ltd.

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TABLE 2.4.4. Sea transport between Mġarr and Ċirkewwa by day of the week: 2020-2021

	Day of the week	Year		Change	Percentage change
		2020	2021	2021/2020	2021/2020
<b>Trips</b>	Monday	4,068	4,327	259	6.4
	Tuesday	4,054	4,230	176	4.3
	Wednesday	4,081	4,260	179	4.4
	Thursday	4,231	4,284	53	1.3
	Friday	4,315	4,673	358	8.3
	Saturday	4,031	4,150	119	3.0
	Sunday	4,272	4,501	229	5.4
	<b>Total</b>	<b>29,052</b>	<b>30,425</b>	<b>1,373</b>	<b>4.7</b>
<b>Vehicles</b>	Monday	216,515	235,626	19,111	8.8
	Tuesday	203,008	228,356	25,348	12.5
	Wednesday	213,155	235,993	22,838	10.7
	Thursday	222,535	239,956	17,421	7.8
	Friday	251,282	281,471	30,189	12.0
	Saturday	218,130	251,725	33,595	15.4
	Sunday	227,513	254,502	26,989	11.9
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,552,138</b>	<b>1,727,629</b>	<b>175,491</b>	<b>11.3</b>
<b>Passengers</b>	Monday	511,969	542,305	30,336	5.9
	Tuesday	464,347	518,651	54,304	11.7
	Wednesday	499,009	545,468	46,459	9.3
	Thursday	522,605	541,066	18,461	3.5
	Friday	594,194	646,132	51,938	8.7
	Saturday	558,571	626,484	67,913	12.2
	Sunday	623,286	666,914	43,628	7.0
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3,773,981</b>	<b>4,087,020</b>	<b>313,039</b>	<b>8.3</b>

Source: Gozo Channel Co. Ltd.

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TABLE 2.4.5. Sea Transport between Mġarr and Ċirkewwa by vessel and month: 2021

Month	Trips	Vehicles	Passengers	Trips	Vehicles	Passengers
	Ta' Pinu			Gaudos		
January	706	37,095	81,400	42	1,581	4,159
February	638	38,439	84,730	78	2,804	6,271
March	648	30,316	59,807	104	2,283	4,139
April	690	34,113	67,755	123	3,544	6,351
May	806	51,623	114,384	521	19,529	41,496
June	841	53,076	127,428	619	23,749	54,947
July	849	60,357	149,224	670	27,712	65,631
August	849	62,451	163,785	692	29,235	72,351
September	822	58,783	152,574	679	28,665	73,501
October	860	48,424	127,547	669	24,399	61,023
November	810	45,577	113,427	745	24,643	57,314
December	840	44,762	108,786	739	23,823	54,671
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,359</b>	<b>565,016</b>	<b>1,350,847</b>	<b>5,681</b>	<b>211,967</b>	<b>501,854</b>
	Malita			Nikolaos		
January	874	45,449	99,200	468	33,394	71,220
February	792	46,404	101,849	431	32,231	68,786
March	885	39,549	77,776	473	27,271	51,412
April	783	36,468	73,226	438	26,981	51,632
May	806	51,690	114,174	371	24,480	55,049
June	809	54,543	130,916	448	29,773	70,095
July	865	60,229	150,061	474	32,337	79,575
August	862	63,578	165,023	473	33,919	85,915
September	861	61,535	159,429	456	32,637	84,961
October	838	49,326	130,138	459	28,539	73,513
November	802	45,103	111,415	436	26,604	63,563
December	828	42,541	102,588	453	26,065	62,803
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,005</b>	<b>596,415</b>	<b>1,415,795</b>	<b>5,380</b>	<b>354,231</b>	<b>818,524</b>

**Notes:**

1. MV Gaudos was out of service between 04/01/2021 and 11/02/2021 for docking purposes.
2. Different approaches are applied for the collection of data at the Mġarr and Ċirkewwa Harbours respectively. While the data source for the Mġarr side is the Automated Ticketing System (ATS), data for the Ċirkewwa side is dependent on the manual clicking system.

Source: Gozo Channel Co. Ltd.

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TABLE 2.4.6. Passengers carried from Ċirkewwa to Mġarr by day of the week and month: 2021

Month	Day of the week							Total
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
January	12,845	14,307	14,744	15,757	25,197	24,653	16,672	124,175
February	13,392	15,254	17,409	17,078	25,566	23,484	19,115	131,298
March	13,792	15,908	15,940	13,822	16,179	13,019	8,462	97,122
April	11,868	12,874	14,256	19,158	21,487	13,127	8,407	101,177
May	21,753	17,844	18,709	20,506	30,388	28,864	22,547	160,611
June	22,657	25,541	27,814	23,652	34,867	32,523	24,845	191,899
July	23,901	23,587	26,789	35,507	46,492	43,459	24,856	224,591
August	34,613	34,068	30,243	33,594	41,187	36,317	32,183	242,205
September	27,349	27,894	35,751	37,547	39,640	37,318	29,082	234,581
October	22,157	23,169	21,049	21,259	41,271	39,610	31,852	200,367
November	21,873	24,204	23,844	20,431	32,526	28,804	19,845	171,527
December	22,451	19,885	27,418	28,537	28,512	18,815	22,948	168,566
<b>Total</b>	<b>248,651</b>	<b>254,535</b>	<b>273,966</b>	<b>286,848</b>	<b>383,312</b>	<b>339,993</b>	<b>260,814</b>	<b>2,048,119</b>

Source: Gozo Channel Co. Ltd.

TABLE 2.4.7. Passengers carried from Mġarr to Ċirkewwa by day of the week and month: 2021

Month	Day of the week							Total
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
January	15,730	14,865	14,949	13,785	19,429	23,386	29,660	131,804
February	16,372	15,865	17,626	15,696	16,001	19,256	29,522	130,338
March	15,954	15,025	14,700	11,957	11,121	11,590	15,665	96,012
April	13,453	12,586	13,259	16,054	14,864	11,846	15,725	97,787
May	24,973	17,698	18,516	18,150	19,149	24,850	41,156	164,492
June	30,576	31,362	28,611	20,845	20,545	24,205	35,343	191,487
July	30,313	23,912	25,837	31,149	30,794	35,925	41,970	219,900
August	41,480	34,703	28,673	28,954	28,828	30,316	51,915	244,869
September	30,856	30,559	37,274	34,156	28,394	30,857	43,788	235,884
October	23,198	22,960	20,756	19,551	28,840	33,520	43,029	191,854
November	25,101	25,750	24,398	18,915	23,274	25,077	31,677	174,192
December	25,648	18,831	26,903	25,006	21,581	15,663	26,650	160,282
<b>Total</b>	<b>293,654</b>	<b>264,116</b>	<b>271,502</b>	<b>254,218</b>	<b>262,820</b>	<b>286,491</b>	<b>406,100</b>	<b>2,038,901</b>

Source: Gozo Channel Co. Ltd.

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TABLE 2.4.8. Vehicles carried from Ċirkewwa to Mġarr by day of the week and month: 2021

Month	Day of the week							Total
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
January	6,017	7,016	7,376	7,730	12,114	10,679	6,845	57,777
February	6,669	7,683	8,001	8,535	12,085	10,224	7,372	60,569
March	7,288	8,404	8,336	7,589	8,534	6,530	3,845	50,526
April	5,992	6,616	7,174	10,003	10,754	6,678	3,949	51,166
May	9,973	8,651	9,044	10,119	14,159	12,937	9,315	74,198
June	9,296	10,783	12,169	10,701	16,222	13,460	9,033	81,664
July	9,974	10,274	11,603	15,765	20,201	16,672	8,323	92,812
August	13,451	13,929	11,995	13,309	16,681	13,777	11,145	94,287
September	10,991	10,893	13,779	15,107	16,388	14,167	10,044	91,369
October	8,404	9,143	8,657	8,425	16,408	14,923	10,774	76,734
November	9,269	10,304	9,843	8,892	13,916	11,421	7,300	70,945
December	8,931	8,635	11,619	12,179	12,738	7,899	8,567	70,568
<b>Total</b>	<b>106,255</b>	<b>112,331</b>	<b>119,596</b>	<b>128,354</b>	<b>170,200</b>	<b>139,367</b>	<b>96,512</b>	<b>872,615</b>

Source: Gozo Channel Co. Ltd.

TABLE 2.4.9. Vehicles carried from Mġarr to Ċirkewwa by day of the week and month: 2021

Month	Day of the week							Total
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
January	7,539	7,224	7,232	6,841	8,880	9,813	12,213	59,742
February	8,071	7,713	8,093	7,665	7,540	8,168	12,059	59,309
March	8,574	7,898	7,542	6,394	5,701	5,681	7,103	48,893
April	7,062	6,649	6,899	8,544	7,516	5,977	7,293	49,940
May	11,827	8,440	8,573	8,531	8,654	10,670	16,429	73,124
June	12,774	13,448	12,501	9,201	8,973	9,253	13,327	79,477
July	13,104	10,227	10,558	13,051	12,646	12,726	15,511	87,823
August	16,995	14,117	11,273	11,449	11,020	10,745	19,297	94,896
September	12,501	11,747	14,129	13,536	11,125	11,126	16,087	90,251
October	9,653	9,178	8,370	7,679	10,945	12,089	16,040	73,954
November	10,801	10,726	9,790	8,097	9,254	9,736	12,578	70,982
December	10,470	8,658	11,437	10,614	9,017	6,374	10,053	66,623
<b>Total</b>	<b>129,371</b>	<b>116,025</b>	<b>116,397</b>	<b>111,602</b>	<b>111,271</b>	<b>112,358</b>	<b>157,990</b>	<b>855,014</b>

Source: Gozo Channel Co. Ltd.

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TABLE 2.4.10. Number of trips from Ċirkewwa to Mġarr by day of the week and month: 2021

Month	Day of the week							Total
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
January	127	132	132	132	183	153	186	1,045
February	134	134	139	136	150	126	150	969
March	170	172	172	136	147	115	143	1,055
April	136	136	136	171	184	110	144	1,017
May	203	154	154	157	179	193	213	1,253
June	185	219	217	175	190	186	186	1,358
July	187	179	177	230	238	231	187	1,429
August	236	228	181	186	192	181	234	1,438
September	188	188	228	234	195	185	191	1,409
October	183	177	174	177	237	232	231	1,411
November	224	220	186	183	200	193	191	1,397
December	190	176	234	224	241	170	195	1,430
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,163</b>	<b>2,115</b>	<b>2,130</b>	<b>2,141</b>	<b>2,336</b>	<b>2,075</b>	<b>2,251</b>	<b>15,211</b>

Source: Gozo Channel Co. Ltd.

TABLE 2.4.11. Number of trips from Mġarr to Ċirkewwa by day of the week and month: 2021

Month	Day of the week							Total
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
January	127	132	132	132	183	153	186	1,045
February	134	135	138	137	150	126	150	970
March	170	172	172	136	147	115	143	1,055
April	136	136	136	171	184	110	144	1,017
May	203	154	153	157	179	193	212	1,251
June	186	219	217	175	190	186	186	1,359
July	187	179	177	230	238	231	187	1,429
August	236	228	181	186	192	181	234	1,438
September	188	188	228	234	195	185	191	1,409
October	183	177	176	178	238	232	231	1,415
November	224	219	186	183	200	193	191	1,396
December	190	176	234	224	241	170	195	1,430
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,164</b>	<b>2,115</b>	<b>2,130</b>	<b>2,143</b>	<b>2,337</b>	<b>2,075</b>	<b>2,250</b>	<b>15,214</b>

Source: Gozo Channel Co. Ltd.



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Table 2.4.12. Sea transport to and from Mġarr and Valletta by month: 2021

		Valletta - Mġarr	Mġarr - Valletta	Total
Month				
Trips	January	-	-	-
	February	-	-	-
	March	-	-	-
	April	-	-	-
	May	-	-	-
	June	530	556	1,086
	July	664	717	1,381
	August	672	734	1,406
	September	682	737	1,419
	October	481	525	1,006
	November	486	539	1,025
	December	332	373	705
		<b>Total</b>	<b>3,847</b>	<b>4,181</b>
Passengers	January	-	-	-
	February	-	-	-
	March	-	-	-
	April	-	-	-
	May	-	-	-
	June	21,102	21,282	42,384
	July	28,890	29,678	58,568
	August	35,613	37,491	73,104
	September	34,398	37,504	71,902
	October	21,901	24,952	46,853
	November	21,633	23,512	45,145
	December	12,656	14,060	26,716
		<b>Total</b>	<b>176,193</b>	<b>188,479</b>

Note: The fast ferry service does not allow for the transport of vehicles, only foot passengers are included.

Source: Transport Malta.

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TABLE 2.4.13. Passengers carried by ferry between Marsamxett (Valletta) and the Three Cities: 2017-2021

Month	Year					Change	Percentage change
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2021/20	2021/20
January	18,472	38,489	27,346	32,929	9,360	-23,569	-71.6
February	26,745	32,403	28,305	43,462	9,863	-33,599	-77.3
March	28,027	48,318	45,592	15,000	5,965	-9,035	-60.2
April	42,238	51,998	64,049	738	4,745	4,007	543.0
May	41,875	50,816	58,911	1,691	10,057	8,366	494.7
June	42,284	47,781	50,312	5,695	13,844	8,149	143.1
July	38,549	44,678	50,774	16,808	20,798	3,990	23.7
August	40,617	47,111	49,919	14,391	24,375	9,984	69.4
September	42,166	43,062	53,262	12,187	27,900	15,713	128.9
October	62,100	54,737	67,093	13,361	30,653	17,292	129.4
November	35,571	35,919	42,035	10,268	24,760	14,492	141.1
December	33,120	33,323	35,048	12,719	19,486	6,767	53.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>451,764</b>	<b>528,635</b>	<b>572,646</b>	<b>179,249</b>	<b>201,806</b>	<b>22,557</b>	<b>12.6</b>

Source: Transport Malta.

TABLE 2.4.14. Passengers carried by ferry between Marsamxett (Valletta) and Sliema: 2017-2021

Month	Year					Change	Percentage change
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2021/20	2021/20
January	30,424	50,371	35,110	42,336	4,899	-37,437	-88.4
February	48,348	50,710	33,508	57,923	5,224	-52,699	-91.0
March	54,136	86,107	59,766	24,808	4,400	-20,408	-82.3
April	85,952	93,188	88,387	1,097	3,579	2,482	226.3
May	91,762	95,449	97,837	2,310	12,456	10,146	439.2
June	93,265	109,394	101,227	5,616	26,151	20,535	365.7
July	96,070	95,343	100,200	16,970	48,793	31,823	187.5
August	96,894	100,500	94,005	24,260	63,116	38,856	160.2
September	99,511	89,960	97,333	15,401	63,369	47,968	311.5
October	102,061	100,222	97,939	19,123	60,334	41,211	215.5
November	69,258	58,681	65,546	8,995	45,797	36,802	409.1
December	48,777	48,829	40,669	8,750	31,560	22,810	260.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>916,458</b>	<b>978,754</b>	<b>911,527</b>	<b>227,589</b>	<b>369,678</b>	<b>142,089</b>	<b>62.4</b>

Source: Transport Malta.

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### Methodological Notes

1. The source of the data included in this release is administrative information provided by the Gozo Channel Co. Ltd and Transport Malta.
2. The fast ferry service operating between Mġarr and Valletta commenced on 1 June 2021.
3. The table below illustrates the vehicle and passenger capacity of each Gozo Channel vessel:

#### Carrying capacity

Vessel	Vehicles	Passengers
MV Gaudos	72	900
MV Malita	138	900
MV Ta' Pinu	138	900
MV Nikolaos	160	650 (Summer)/ 350 (Winter)

Periods when vessels were out of service for docking purposes:

MV Gaudos: 13/11/2017 - 30/11/2017 and 04/01/2021 - 11/02/2021.

MV Malita: 09/01/2017 - 02/02/2017, 14/02/2017 - 17/02/2017, 08/05/2017 - 09/05/2017, 07/05/2018 - 11/05/2018, 09/01/2019 - 31/01/2019, 06/02/2019 - 13/02/2019, 07/03/2019 - 08/03/2019 and 25/11/2019 - 02/12/2019.

MV Ta' Pinu: 03/10/2017 - 05/10/2017, 08/01/2018 - 30/01/2018 and 06/01/2020 - 10/02/2020.

MV Nikolaos started operating on 13/06/2019.

MV Nikolaos was put temporarily out of service as from 27/04/2020 until 02/07/2020.

4. The table below illustrates the passenger capacity of each fast ferry service vessel:

#### Carrying capacity

Vessel	Passengers
Your Wisdom (Gozo Fast Ferry Ltd)	296
Your Faith (Gozo Fast Ferry Ltd)	296
San Pawl (Virtu Ferries Ltd)	316
San Frangisk (Virtu Ferries Ltd)	316

5. Data for passengers travelling between Mġarr and Ċirkewwa comprises: foot and vehicle passengers and vehicle drivers. The fast ferry service does not allow for the transport of vehicles, only foot passengers are included.
6. Different approaches to data collection are being applied at the Mġarr and Ċirkewwa harbours with regards to the Gozo Channel service. Data source for the Mġarr side includes Automated Ticketing System (ATS), while on the other hand data for the Ċirkewwa side is dependent on the manual clicking system.
7. Data for ferry passengers between Marsamxett (Valletta) and the Three Cities and Marsamxett (Valletta) and Sliema comprises the number of tickets sold by the ferry operator while passengers are embarking the vessel.
8. Data is subject to revision.

# CHAPTER 3

## ROAD TRANSPORT

This chapter focuses on road transport statistics in Malta including road traffic accidents and stock of licensed motor vehicles. Other provided statistics include transport-related contraventions, public transport, driving licences, vehicle testing and other minor but equally interesting topics. The chapter concludes with a series of road transport indicators showing a general but interesting overview of the land transport situation in Malta and Gozo.



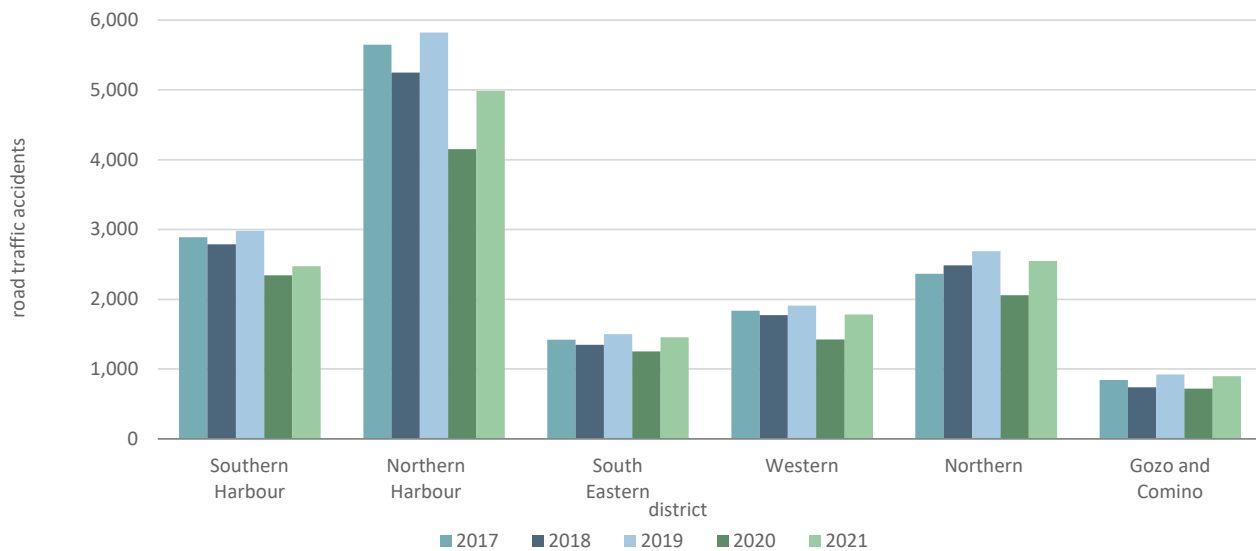


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3.1. ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

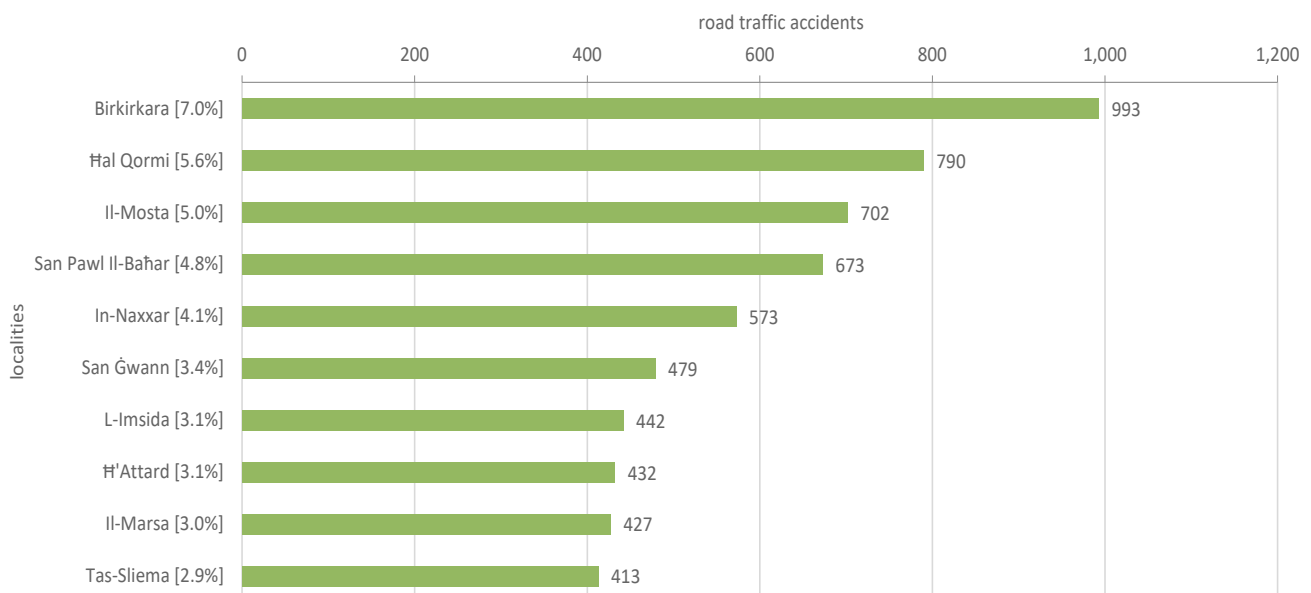
During 2021, the number of reported traffic accidents reached 14,135, an increase of 2,185 accidents over the previous year. Increases in traffic accidents were registered in all districts. The largest percentage increase was recorded in the Western district, with 25.0 per cent. The Northern Harbour district registered the highest number of road traffic accidents, with 4,985 cases or 35.3 per cent of the total (Chart 3.1.1 and Table 3.1.1).

CHART 3.1.1. Total road traffic accidents by district: 2017-2021



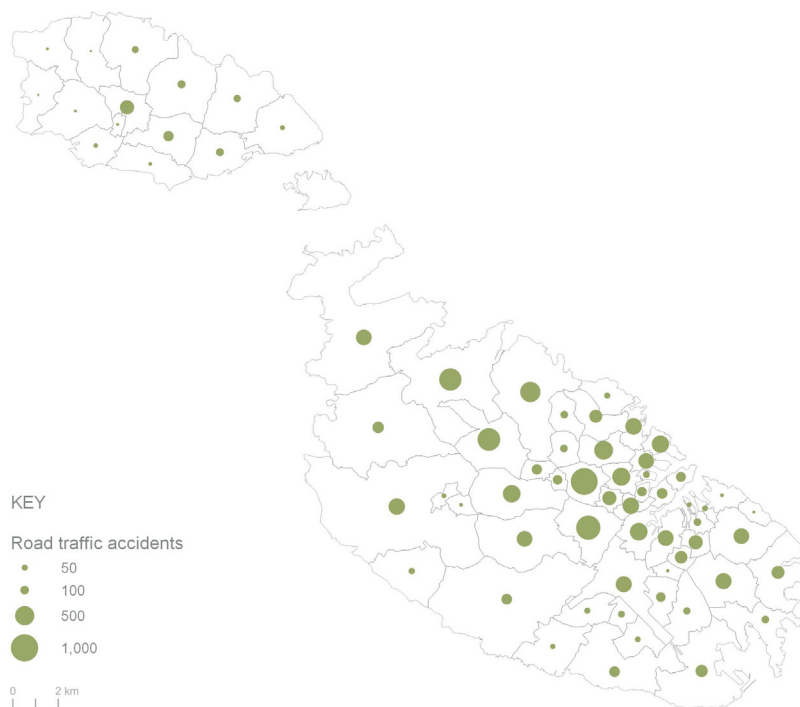
Birkirkara registered the highest number of road traffic accidents with 993 cases. Ħal Qormi and Il-Mosta followed with 790 and 702 reported accidents respectively. The top 10 localities which registered the most road traffic accidents cumulatively accounted for 41.9 per cent of the total (Chart 3.1.2 and Map 3.1.1).

CHART 3.1.2. Top 10 localities for road traffic accidents: 2021



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MAP 3.1.1. Road traffic accidents by locality: 2021



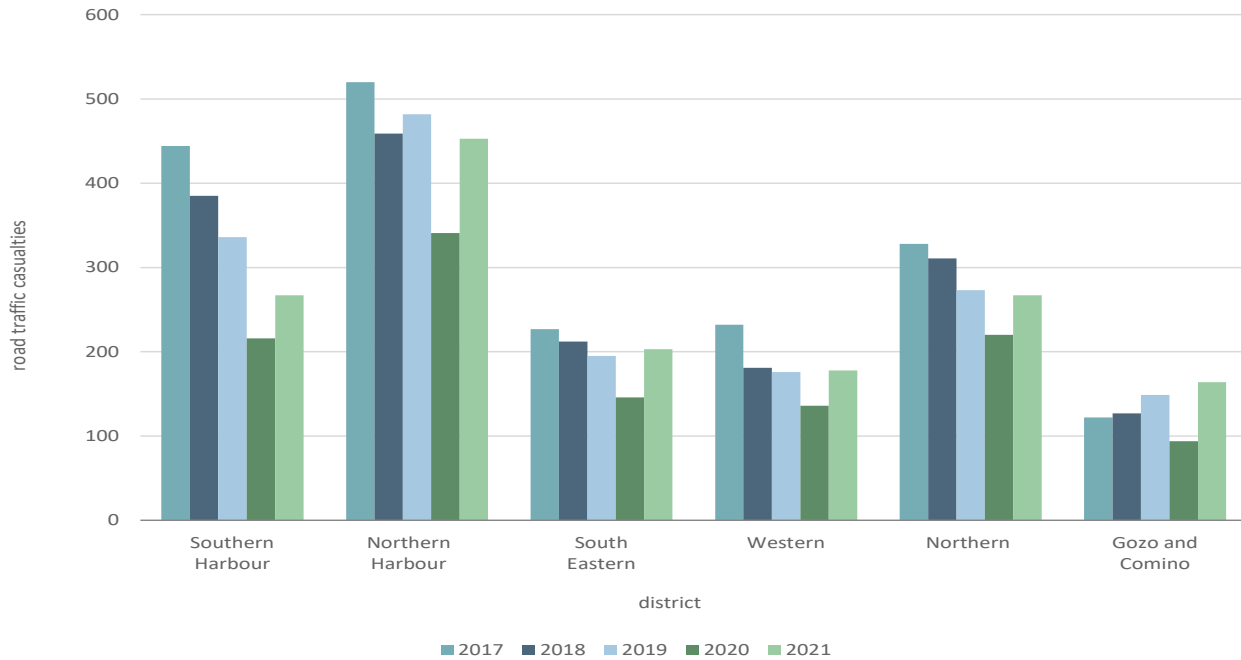
In the year under review, road traffic accidents involving injuries increased by 27.0 per cent, to a total of 1,275. Most of these accidents happened in the Northern Harbour district, totalling 396 or 31.1 per cent of the total traffic accidents (**Table 3.1.3**). Road traffic accidents involving injuries constituted 9.0 per cent of the total road traffic accidents, which implies that one accident out of every 10 involved injuries.

MAP 3.1.2. Road traffic casualties by district and injury type: 2021



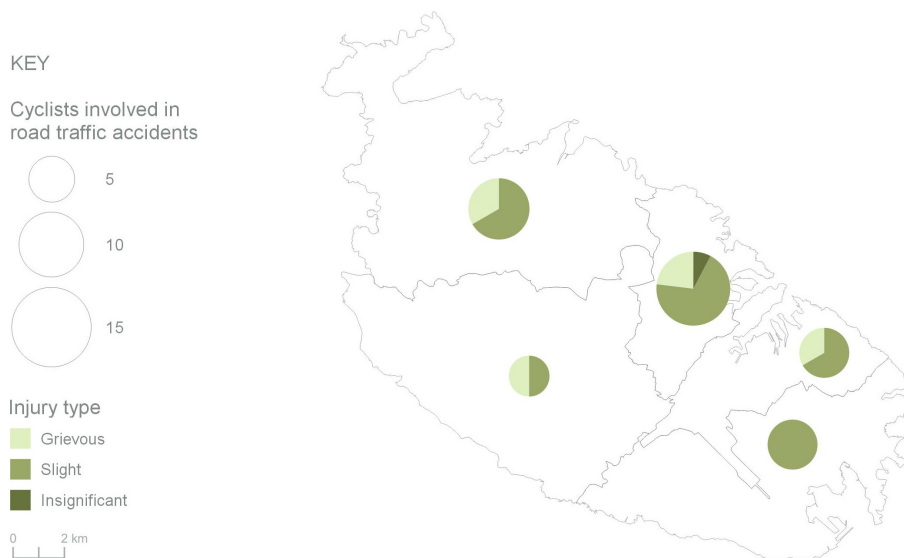
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CHART 3.1.3. Total casualties in road traffic accidents by district: 2017-2021



Similarly, road traffic casualties increased by 32.9 per cent over 2020, reaching a total of 1,532. (Table 3.1.4). Of these, 1,015 were drivers of whom 806 suffered slight or insignificant injuries, while 204 sustained grievous injuries (Table 3.1.5). During the same period, 229 passengers, 109 pedestrians and 40 other persons (of whom 28 cyclists) suffered slight or insignificant injuries. Furthermore, 51 passengers, 66 pedestrians and 18 other persons (of whom 10 cyclists) sustained grievous injuries (Tables 3.1.6-3.1.8). Injuries sustained by five drivers (all males) and four pedestrians (one male and three females) also proved fatal, thus summing the total number of fatalities in 2021 to nine, three less than those recorded in 2020 (Table 3.1.9).

MAP 3.1.3. Cyclists involved in road traffic accidents by district, locality and injury type: 2021

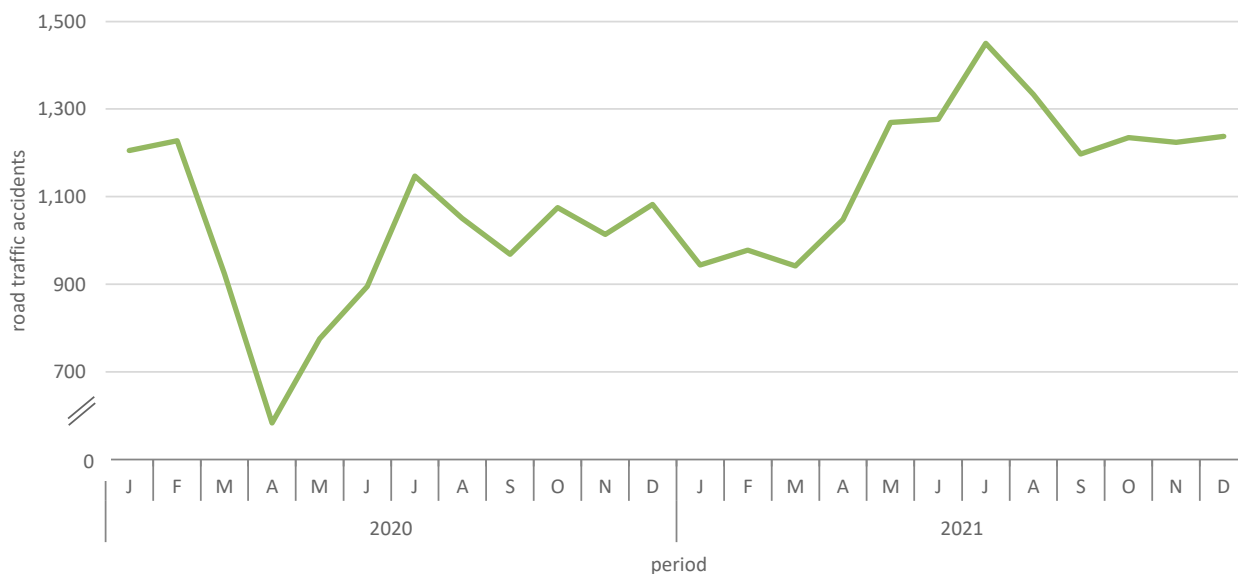




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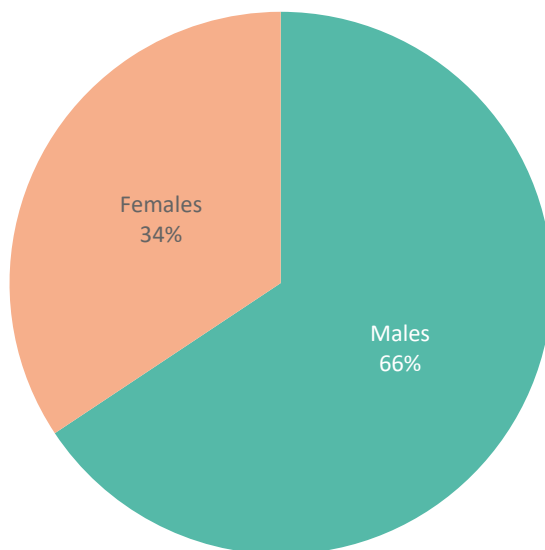
On a monthly basis, July recorded the largest number of road traffic accidents (1,450), while May registered the largest number of road traffic casualties (157) (Tables 3.1.10-3.1.11).

CHART 3.1.4. Total road traffic accidents by month: 2020-2021



Furthermore, 1,006 males and 526 females were injured in 2021, of whom six males and three females sustained fatal injuries. The highest number of male and female casualties (532) occurred within the 26 to 40 years age group (Table 3.1.13).

CHART 3.1.5. Road traffic casualties by sex: 2021



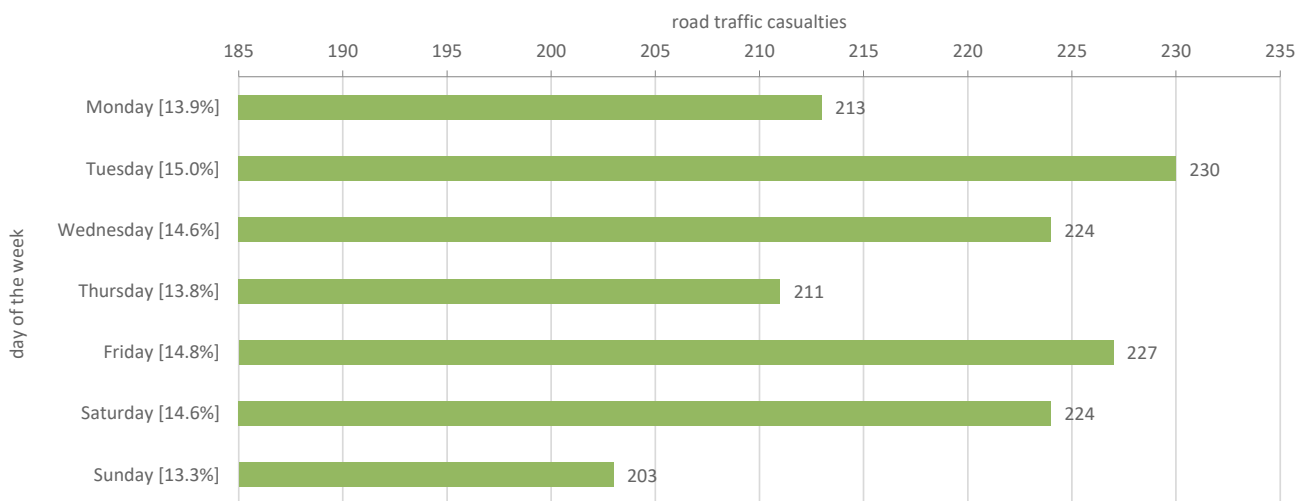
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In 2021, the most common type of fatal accidents occurred between a vehicle and a property and between a vehicle and a pedestrian, at four cases each. Accidents between vehicles followed, with one fatality (**Table 3.1.14**). Of the five drivers who were fatally killed in a road traffic accident, three were driving a passenger car while two were riding a motorcycle or quadricycle. One pedestrian who suffered fatal injuries was hit by a motorcycle or quadricycle, while the other three pedestrians were hit by a passenger car (**Table 3.1.15**).

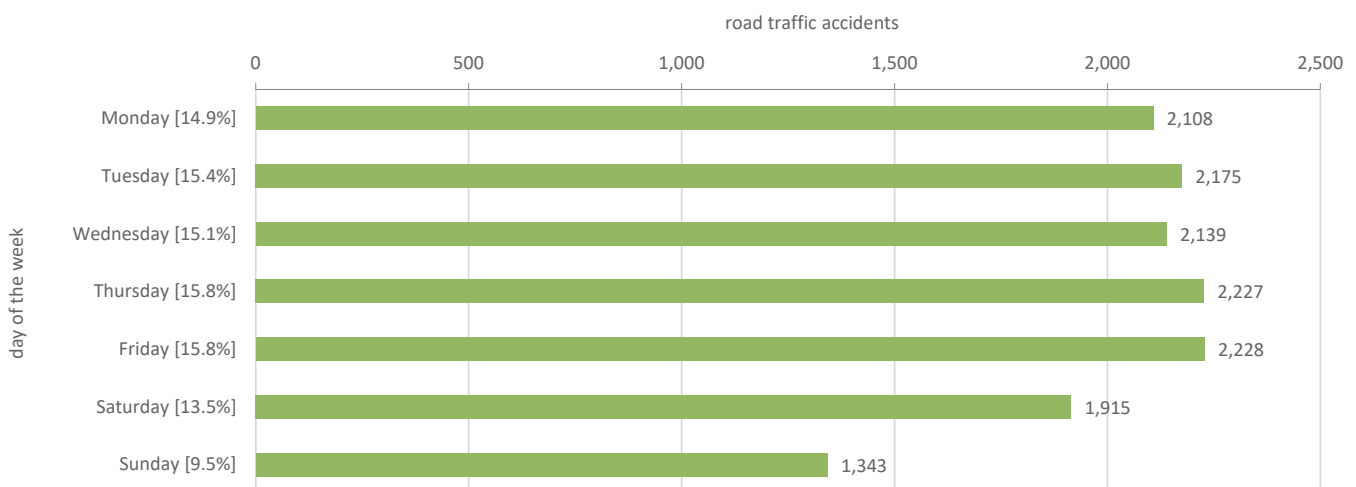
The majority of casualties due to road traffic accidents involved passenger cars, accounting for 58.6 per cent of the total, followed by motorcycles and quadricycles with 34.4 per cent (**Table 3.1.17**).

Most of the road traffic casualties occurred on Tuesday, amounting to 230 or 15.0 per cent of the total. The highest number of road traffic accidents was recorded on Friday, totalling 2,228 accidents, while the lowest number occurred on Sunday, with 1,343 accidents (**Table 3.1.18**).

**CHART 3.1.6. Total road traffic casualties by day of the week: 2021**



**CHART 3.1.7. Total road traffic accidents by day of the week: 2021**



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Nevertheless, Sunday recorded the highest casualty-to-accident ratio with 15.1 per cent. Furthermore, in 2021, the highest number of road traffic accidents happened between 12:00 and 14:59, amounting to 3,239 accidents or 22.9 per cent of the total (Tables 3.1.18-3.1.19).

CHART 3.1.8. Road traffic accidents by time of day: 2021

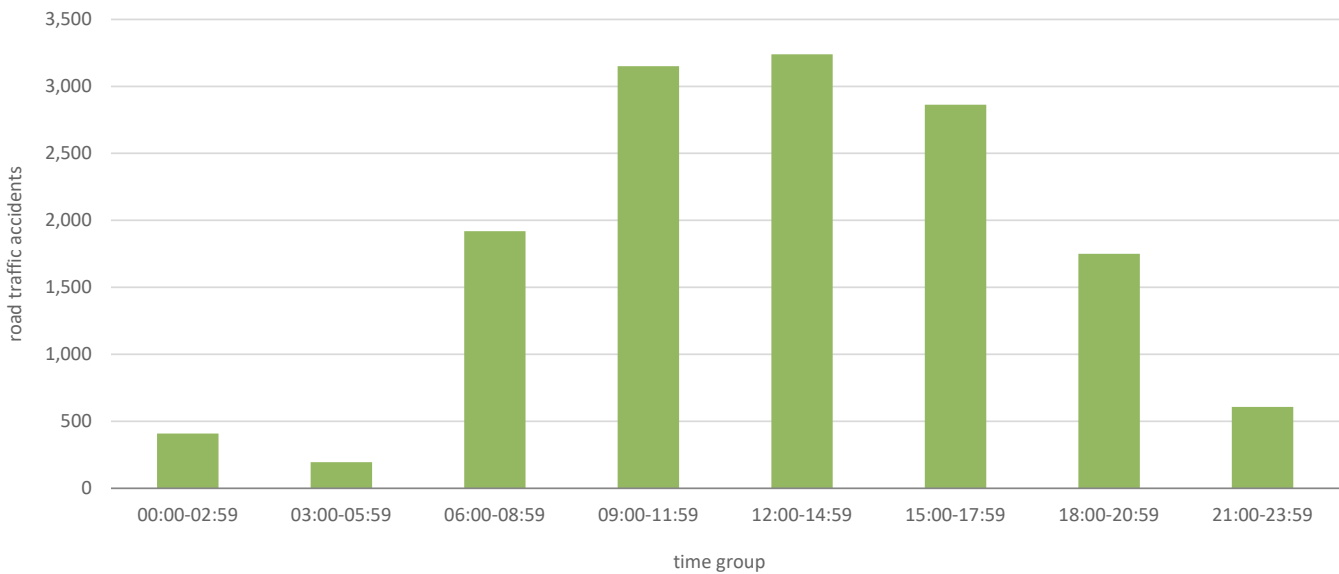
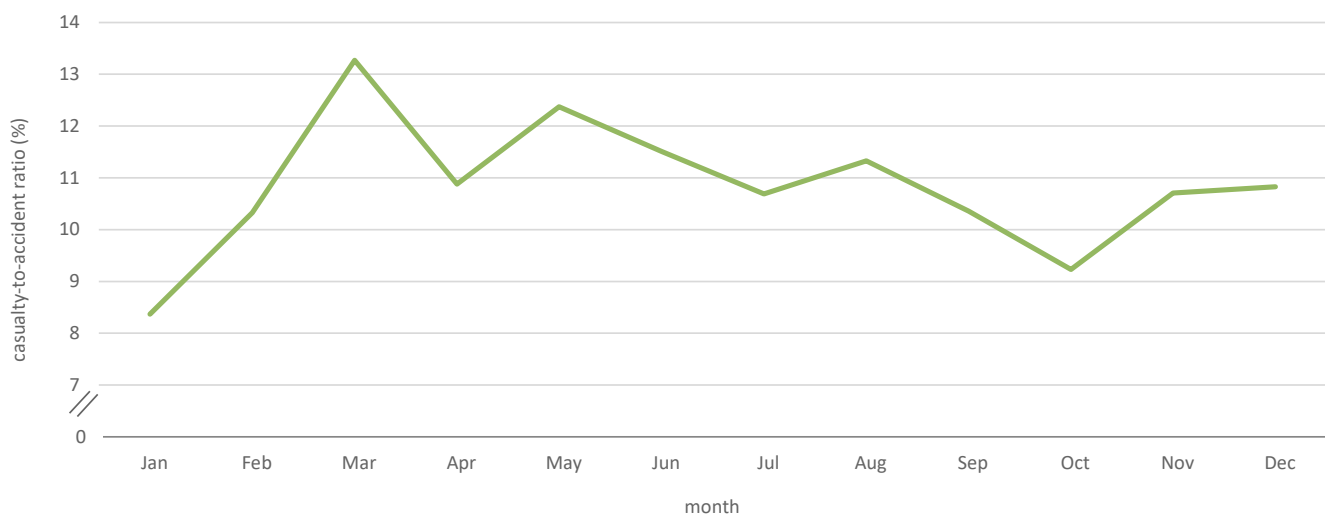


CHART 3.1.9. Casualty-to-accident ratio by month: 2021



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CHART 3.1.10. Casualty-to-accident ratio by time of day and day of the week: 2021

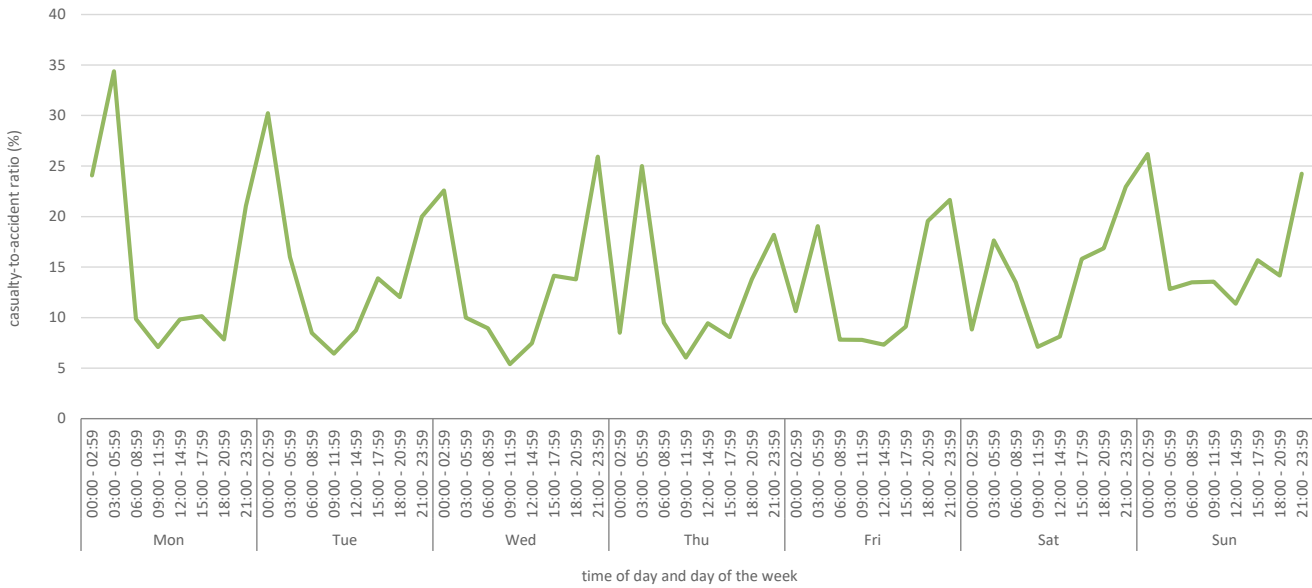
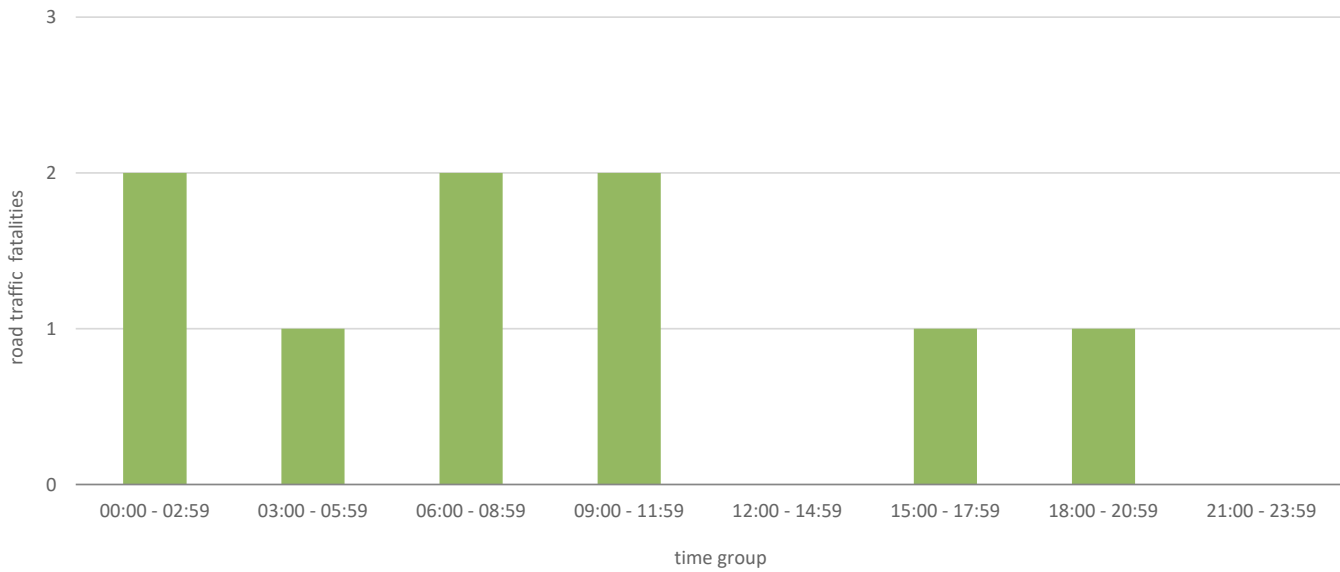
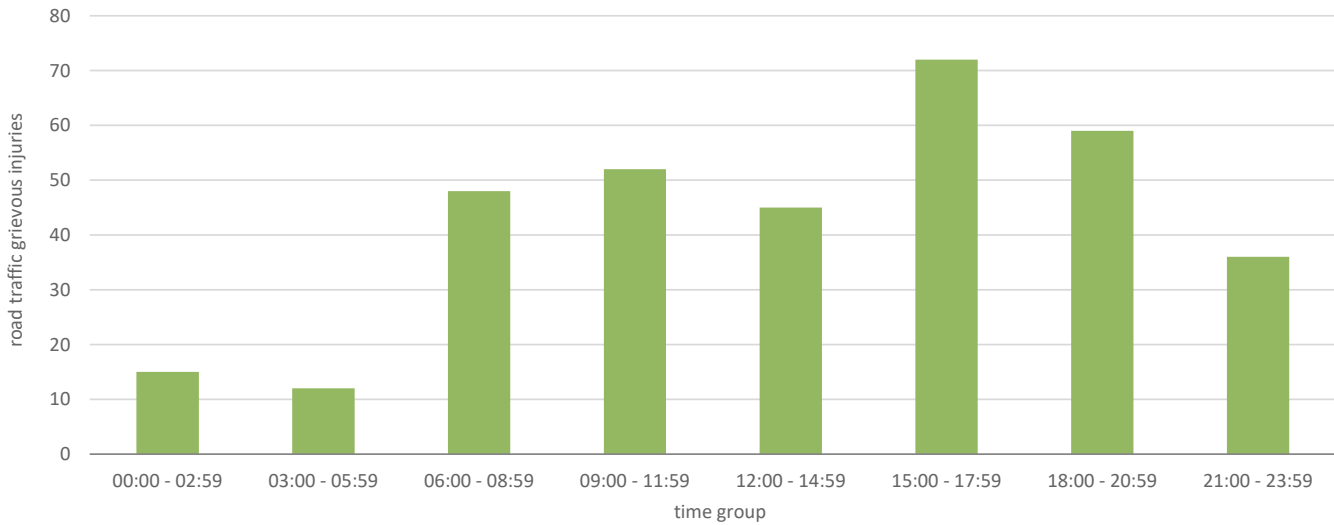


CHART 3.1.11. Road traffic fatalities by time of day: 2021



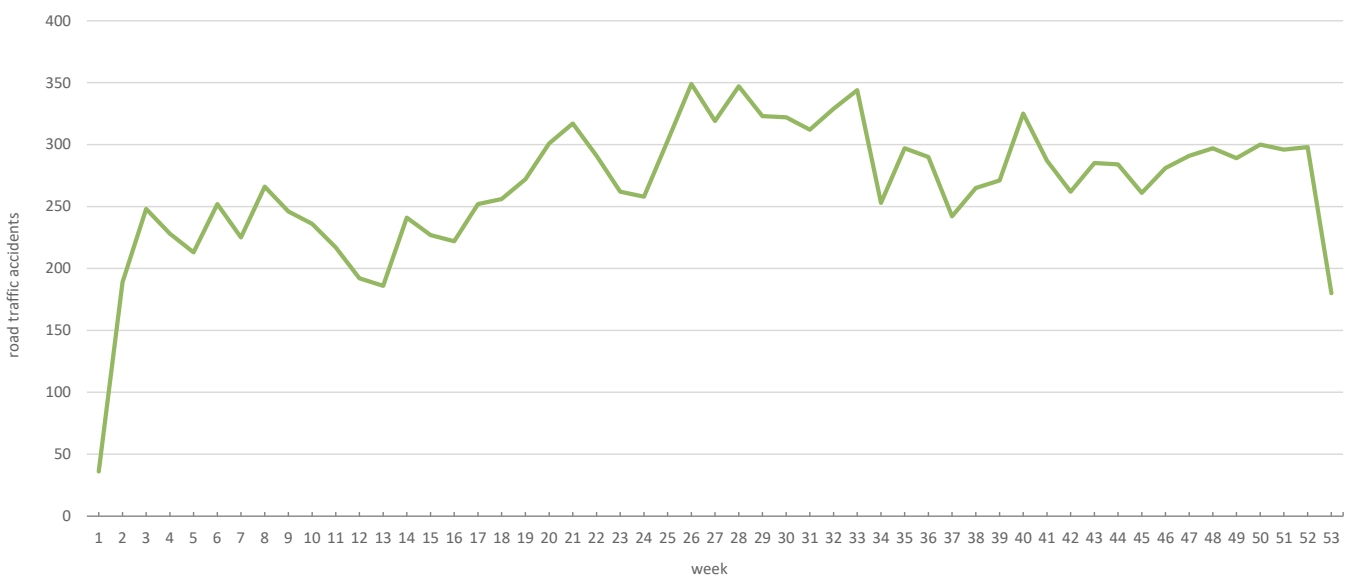
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CHART 3.1.12. Road traffic grievous injuries by time of day: 2021



In 2021, an average of 39 road traffic accidents per day happened on the Maltese roads. The highest average of road traffic accidents happening daily (50) was recorded during week 26 and week 28, registering 349 and 347 accidents respectively (Table 3.1.21). Chart 3.1.13 shows the distribution of accidents during all weeks in 2021.

CHART 3.1.13. Road traffic accidents by week: 2021



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The year under review registered 34 road traffic accidents per 1,000 licensed vehicles, and 52 road traffic accidents per 1,000 license holders. Road traffic fatalities were recorded at 0.6 per 1,000 road traffic accidents (**Table 3.1.24**).

TABLE 3.1.1. Total road traffic accidents: 2020-2021

Region/District	Year		Change	Percentage change
	2020	2021	2021/2020	2021/2020
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>11,950</b>	<b>14,135</b>	<b>2,185</b>	<b>18.3</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>11,231</b>	<b>13,240</b>	<b>2,009</b>	<b>17.9</b>
Southern Harbour	2,343	2,472	129	5.5
Northern Harbour	4,152	4,985	833	20.1
South Eastern	1,255	1,455	200	15.9
Western	1,424	1,780	356	25.0
Northern	2,057	2,548	491	23.9
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>719</b>	<b>895</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>24.5</b>

Source: Police Department and the Malta Insurance Association (Guard and Warden Service House Limited).

TABLE 3.1.2. Non-injury road traffic accidents: 2020-2021

Region/District	Year		Change	Percentage change
	2020	2021	2021/2020	2021/2020
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>10,946</b>	<b>12,860</b>	<b>1,914</b>	<b>17.5</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>10,311</b>	<b>12,084</b>	<b>1,773</b>	<b>17.2</b>
Southern Harbour	2,155	2,248	93	4.3
Northern Harbour	3,851	4,589	738	19.2
South Eastern	1,129	1,295	166	14.7
Western	1,306	1,634	328	25.1
Northern	1,870	2,318	448	24.0
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>776</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>22.2</b>

Source: Police Department and the Malta Insurance Association (Guard and Warden Service House Limited).

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TABLE 3.1.3. Injury road traffic accidents: 2020-2021

Region/District	Year		Change	Percentage change
	2020	2021	2021/2020	2021/2020
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>1,004</b>	<b>1,275</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>27.0</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>920</b>	<b>1,156</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>25.7</b>
Southern Harbour	188	224	36	19.1
Northern Harbour	301	396	95	31.6
South Eastern	126	160	34	27.0
Western	118	146	28	23.7
Northern	187	230	43	23.0
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>41.7</b>

Source: Police Department.

TABLE 3.1.4. Casualties in road traffic accidents: 2020-2021

Region/District	Year		Change	Percentage change
	2020	2021	2021/2020	2021/2020
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>1,153</b>	<b>1,532</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>32.9</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>1,059</b>	<b>1,368</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>29.2</b>
Southern Harbour	216	267	51	23.6
Northern Harbour	341	453	112	32.8
South Eastern	146	203	57	39.0
Western	136	178	42	30.9
Northern	220	267	47	21.4
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>74.5</b>

Source: Police Department.

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TABLE 3.1.5. Injuries sustained by drivers in road traffic accidents: 2020-2021

Region/District	Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	Total
<b>2020</b>					
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>578</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>769</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>706</b>
Southern Harbour	2	19	131	3	155
Northern Harbour	2	45	151	13	211
South Eastern	-	18	70	6	94
Western	-	14	78	3	95
Northern	5	27	110	9	151
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>63</b>
<b>2021</b>					
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>768</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1,015</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>701</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>911</b>
Southern Harbour	1	32	135	4	172
Northern Harbour	2	54	233	10	299
South Eastern	1	25	116	3	145
Western	1	21	88	10	120
Northern	-	36	129	10	175
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>104</b>

Source: Police Department.

TABLE 3.1.6. Injuries sustained by passengers in road traffic accidents: 2020-2021

Region/District	Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	Total
<b>2020</b>					
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>189</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>170</b>
Southern Harbour	-	6	23	2	31
Northern Harbour	-	5	41	7	53
South Eastern	-	2	19	2	23
Western	1	5	16	2	24
Northern	-	3	34	2	39
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>2021</b>					
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>280</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>231</b>
Southern Harbour	-	14	31	-	45
Northern Harbour	-	12	47	6	65
South Eastern	-	3	35	1	39
Western	-	7	21	6	34
Northern	-	8	35	5	48
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>49</b>

Source: Police Department.



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TABLE 3.1.7. Injuries sustained by pedestrians in road traffic accidents: 2020-2021

Region/District	Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	Total
<b>2020</b>					
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>145</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>135</b>
Southern Harbour	1	11	14	1	27
Northern Harbour	-	21	40	1	62
South Eastern	-	9	9	-	18
Western	-	5	6	-	11
Northern	-	9	8	-	17
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>2021</b>					
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>179</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>169</b>
Southern Harbour	-	21	17	3	41
Northern Harbour	1	27	39	2	69
South Eastern	1	4	5	1	11
Western	-	7	7	2	16
Northern	2	7	21	2	32
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10</b>

Source: Police Department.

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TABLE 3.1.8. Injuries sustained by cyclists/others in road traffic accidents: 2020-2021

Region/District	Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	Total
<b>2020</b>					
<b>MALTA</b>	-	15	33	2	50
<b>Malta</b>	-	15	32	1	48
Southern Harbour	-	2	1	-	3
Northern Harbour	-	4	11	-	15
South Eastern	-	2	9	-	11
Western	-	-	5	1	6
Northern	-	7	6	-	13
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	-	-	1	1	2
...of which cyclists	-	14	29	2	45
<b>2021</b>					
<b>MALTA</b>	-	18	38	2	58
<b>Malta</b>	-	18	37	2	57
Southern Harbour	-	4	5	-	9
Northern Harbour	-	6	12	2	20
South Eastern	-	-	8	-	8
Western	-	3	5	-	8
Northern	-	5	7	-	12
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	-	-	1	-	1
...of which cyclists	-	10	27	1	38

Note: The category "Other" refers to horse cabs and any other road traffic unit not listed above.

Source: Police Department.

TABLE 3.1.9. Road traffic casualties by injury type, sex and road traffic unit: 2021

Sex	Road traffic unit	Injury type				Total
		Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	
Males	Driver	5	179	545	34	763
	Passenger	-	21	67	8	96
	Pedestrian	1	36	58	6	101
	Cyclist	-	9	22	-	31
	Other	-	7	8	-	15
	<b>Total</b>		<b>6</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>48</b>
Females	Driver	-	25	223	4	252
	Passenger	-	30	142	12	184
	Pedestrian	3	30	41	4	78
	Cyclist	-	1	5	1	7
	Other	-	1	3	1	5
	<b>Total</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>9</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>1,532</b>

Note: The category "Other" refers to horse cabs and any other road traffic unit not listed above.

Source: Police Department.

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TABLE 3.1.10. Road traffic casualties by injury type and month: 2020-2021

Month	Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	Total
<b>2020</b>					
January	-	23	87	11	<b>121</b>
February	1	21	70	5	<b>97</b>
March	1	15	67	5	<b>88</b>
April	1	15	22	3	<b>41</b>
May	4	16	51	2	<b>73</b>
June	-	18	83	11	<b>112</b>
July	1	25	83	7	<b>116</b>
August	1	21	68	2	<b>92</b>
September	2	20	77	3	<b>102</b>
October	-	22	93	3	<b>118</b>
November	1	22	75	3	<b>101</b>
December	-	24	62	6	<b>92</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>838</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>1,153</b>
<b>2021</b>					
January	-	20	51	8	<b>79</b>
February	-	27	73	1	<b>101</b>
March	1	34	83	7	<b>125</b>
April	1	31	78	4	<b>114</b>
May	-	32	117	8	<b>157</b>
June	-	33	108	6	<b>147</b>
July	-	18	131	6	<b>155</b>
August	1	29	112	9	<b>151</b>
September	1	31	87	5	<b>124</b>
October	1	22	86	5	<b>114</b>
November	2	28	94	7	<b>131</b>
December	2	34	94	4	<b>134</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>1,532</b>

Source: Police Department.

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TABLE 3.1.11. Road traffic accidents by month: 2020-2021

Month	Road traffic accidents	
	2020	2021
January	1,205	944
February	1,228	978
March	924	942
April	584	1,048
May	776	1,269
June	895	1,277
July	1,147	1,450
August	1,051	1,333
September	969	1,197
October	1,075	1,235
November	1,014	1,224
December	1,082	1,238
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,950</b>	<b>14,135</b>

Source: Police Department and the Malta Insurance Association (Guard and Warden Service House Limited).

TABLE 3.1.12. Casualty-to-accident ratio by month: 2021

Month	Casualties	Accidents	Casualty-to-accident ratio (%)
January	79	944	8.4
February	101	978	10.3
March	125	942	13.3
April	114	1048	10.9
May	157	1269	12.4
June	147	1277	11.5
July	155	1450	10.7
August	151	1333	11.3
September	124	1197	10.4
October	114	1235	9.2
November	131	1224	10.7
December	134	1238	10.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,532</b>	<b>14,135</b>	<b>10.8</b>

Source: Police Department and the Malta Insurance Association (Guard and Warden Service House Limited).

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TABLE 3.1.13. Road traffic casualties by injury type, sex and age group: 2021

Age group	Injury type				Total
	Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	
<b>Males</b>					
0-10	-	5	20	2	27
11-17	-	10	18	-	28
18-25	2	35	133	6	176
26-40	-	100	253	19	372
41-59	2	69	184	15	270
60-65	1	10	28	1	40
66+	1	23	64	5	93
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>1,006</b>
<b>Females</b>					
0-10	-	4	10	-	14
11-17	-	2	20	-	22
18-25	-	14	84	2	100
26-40	1	20	129	10	160
41-59	-	18	106	7	131
60-65	-	7	19	1	27
66+	2	22	46	2	72
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>526</b>
<b>Total</b>					
<b>0-10</b>	-	9	30	2	41
<b>11-17</b>	-	12	38	-	50
<b>18-25</b>	2	49	217	8	276
<b>26-40</b>	1	120	382	29	532
<b>41-59</b>	2	87	290	22	401
<b>60-65</b>	1	17	47	2	67
<b>66+</b>	3	45	110	7	165
<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>1,532</b>

Source: Police Department.

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TABLE 3.1.14. Road traffic casualties by injury type, road traffic unit and road traffic accident type: 2021

Road traffic unit	Road traffic accident type	Injury type				Total
		Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	
Driver	Vehicle with vehicle	1	140	635	32	808
	Vehicle with pedestrian	-	-	10	2	12
	Vehicle with property	4	57	102	3	166
	Vehicle with bicycle	-	2	10	-	12
	Vehicle hit and run	-	5	10	1	16
	Vehicle with animal	-	-	1	-	1
Passenger	Vehicle with vehicle	-	31	171	17	219
	Vehicle with property	-	20	38	3	61
Pedestrian	Vehicle with vehicle	-	1	5	-	6
	Vehicle with pedestrian	4	59	89	10	162
	Vehicle hit and run	-	6	4	-	10
	Vehicle with property	-	-	1	-	1
Cyclist	Vehicle with bicycle	-	10	26	1	37
	Vehicle hit and run	-	-	1	-	1
Other	Vehicle with bicycle	-	4	4	-	8
	Vehicle with pedestrian	-	-	1	1	2
	Vehicle with bicycle	-	2	3	-	5
	Vehicle hit and run	-	1	1	-	2
	Vehicle with animal	-	1	2	-	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>9</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>1,532</b>

Note: The category "Other" refers to horse cabs and any other road traffic unit not listed above.

Source: Police Department.

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TABLE 3.1.15. Road traffic casualties by injury type, road traffic unit and vehicle category: 2021

Road traffic unit	Vehicle type	Injury type				Total
		Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	
Driver	Route bus, coach and minibus	-	-	-	1	1
	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scooter	2	143	321	12	478
	Passenger car	3	52	401	20	476
	Commercial and agricultural	-	9	46	5	60
Passenger	Route bus, coach and minibus	-	-	3	-	3
	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scooter	-	12	20	4	36
	Passenger car	-	35	176	16	227
	Commercial and agricultural	-	4	10	-	14
Pedestrian	Route bus, coach and minibus	-	1	-	-	1
	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scooter	1	3	5	1	10
	Passenger car	3	55	81	8	147
	Commercial and agricultural	-	7	13	1	21
Cyclist	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scooter	-	-	1	-	1
	Passenger car	-	8	22	1	31
	Commercial and agricultural	-	2	4	-	6
Other	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scooter	-	1	-	-	1
	Passenger car	-	5	10	1	16
	Commercial and agricultural	-	2	1	-	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>9</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>1,532</b>

Note: The category "Other" refers to horse cabs and any other road traffic unit not listed above.

Source: Police Department.

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TABLE 3.1.16. Total persons involved in road traffic accidents by injury type, road traffic unit and nationality group: 2021

Road traffic unit	Nationality group	Injury type				Total
		Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	
Driver	Malta	3	159	605	26	793
	European Union	1	18	58	5	82
	Other European	1	5	33	1	40
	America	-	3	4	1	8
	Africa	-	4	18	2	24
	Asia	-	11	40	3	54
	Oceania	-	-	-	-	-
	Nationality unknown	-	4	10	-	14
	<b>Total</b>		<b>5</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>768</b>	<b>38</b>
Passenger	Malta	-	42	162	16	220
	European Union	-	2	10	2	14
	Other European	-	1	7	-	8
	America	-	-	-	1	1
	Africa	-	-	2	-	2
	Asia	-	1	7	-	8
	Oceania	-	-	-	-	-
	Nationality unknown	-	5	21	1	27
	<b>Total</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>20</b>
Pedestrian	Malta	2	39	64	5	110
	European Union	1	3	5	2	11
	Other European	-	3	4	-	7
	America	-	-	1	-	1
	Africa	1	1	3	-	5
	Asia	-	5	7	-	12
	Oceania	-	-	-	-	-
	Nationality unknown	-	15	15	3	33
	<b>Total</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>10</b>
Cyclist	Malta	-	6	14	-	20
	European Union	-	2	4	1	7
	Other European	-	-	1	-	1
	America	-	1	-	-	1
	Africa	-	-	1	-	1
	Asia	-	-	1	-	1
	Oceania	-	-	-	-	-
	Nationality unknown	-	1	6	-	7
	<b>Total</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>1</b>
Other	Malta	-	4	4	-	8
	European Union	-	2	-	-	2
	Other European	-	-	1	-	1
	America	-	-	-	-	-
	Africa	-	-	-	-	-
	Asia	-	1	2	-	3
	Oceania	-	-	-	-	-
	Nationality unknown	-	1	4	1	6
<b>Total</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>

## Notes:

1. The category "Other" refers to horse cabs and any other road traffic unit not listed above.
2. Refer to methodological note 5 for further information on countries and geographical groupings.

Source: Police Department.



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TABLE 3.1.17. Road traffic casualties by age group, vehicle type and injury type: 2021

Age group	Vehicle type	Injury type				Total
		Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	
0-10	Route bus, coach and minibus	-	-	-	-	-
	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scoot	-	-	1	-	1
	Passenger car	-	10	28	2	40
	Commercial and agricultural	-	-	1	-	1
	<b>Total</b>	-	10	30	2	42
11-17	Route bus, coach and minibus	-	-	-	-	-
	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scoot	-	3	1	-	4
	Passenger car	-	8	37	-	45
	Commercial and agricultural	-	1	-	-	1
	<b>Total</b>	-	12	38	-	50
18-25	Route bus, coach and minibus	-	-	1	-	1
	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scoot	-	24	69	2	95
	Passenger car	2	20	137	6	165
	Commercial and agricultural	-	5	10	-	15
	<b>Total</b>	2	49	217	8	276
26-40	Route bus, coach and minibus	-	1	-	1	2
	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scoot	-	71	154	10	235
	Passenger car	1	40	200	17	258
	Commercial and agricultural	-	7	28	1	36
	<b>Total</b>	1	119	382	29	531
41-59	Route bus, coach and minibus	-	-	2	-	2
	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scoot	2	45	90	3	140
	Passenger car	-	35	175	15	225
	Commercial and agricultural	-	7	23	4	34
	<b>Total</b>	2	87	290	22	401
60-65	Route bus, coach and minibus	-	-	-	-	-
	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scoot	-	8	14	-	22
	Passenger car	1	9	32	2	44
	Commercial and agricultural	-	-	1	-	1
	<b>Total</b>	1	17	47	2	67
66+	Route bus, coach and minibus	-	-	-	-	-
	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scoot	1	9	18	2	30
	Passenger car	2	31	82	5	120
	Commercial and agricultural	-	5	10	-	15
	<b>Total</b>	3	45	110	7	165
<b>Total</b>	Route bus, coach and minibus	-	1	3	1	5
	Motorcycle, quadricycle and e-kick scoot	3	160	347	17	527
	Passenger car	6	153	691	47	897
	Commercial and agricultural	-	25	73	5	103
	<b>Total</b>	9	339	1,114	70	1,532

Source: Police Department.

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TABLE 3.1.18. Road traffic casualties and accidents by day of the week: 2021

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Road traffic casualties	213	230	224	211
Road traffic accidents	2,108	2,175	2,139	2,227
Casualty-to-accident ratio (%)	10.1	10.6	10.5	9.5
	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Total
Road traffic casualties	227	224	203	<b>1,532</b>
Road traffic accidents	2,228	1,915	1,343	<b>14,135</b>
Casualty-to-accident ratio (%)	10.2	11.7	15.1	<b>10.8</b>

Source: Police Department and the Malta Insurance Association (Guard and Warden Service House Limited).

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TABLE 3.1.19. Road traffic casualties and accidents by day of the week and time of day: 2021

Time group	Casualties	Accidents	% Ratio	Casualties	Accidents	% Ratio
	Monday			Tuesday		
00:00 - 02:59	13	54	24.1	13	43	30.2
03:00 - 05:59	11	32	34.4	4	25	16.0
06:00 - 08:59	37	375	9.9	29	342	8.5
09:00 - 11:59	35	494	7.1	29	451	6.4
12:00 - 14:59	46	468	9.8	45	515	8.7
15:00 - 17:59	43	424	10.1	65	468	13.9
18:00 - 20:59	16	204	7.8	32	266	12.0
21:00 - 23:59	12	57	21.1	13	65	20.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>2,108</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>2,175</b>	<b>10.6</b>
	Wednesday			Thursday		
00:00 - 02:59	7	31	22.6	4	47	8.5
03:00 - 05:59	2	20	10.0	6	24	25.0
06:00 - 08:59	28	313	8.9	30	316	9.5
09:00 - 11:59	25	463	5.4	29	479	6.1
12:00 - 14:59	36	482	7.5	47	498	9.4
15:00 - 17:59	69	488	14.1	40	496	8.1
18:00 - 20:59	36	261	13.8	37	268	13.8
21:00 - 23:59	21	81	25.9	18	99	18.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>2,139</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>2,227</b>	<b>9.5</b>
	Friday			Saturday		
00:00 - 02:59	5	47	10.6	9	102	8.8
03:00 - 05:59	4	21	19.0	6	34	17.6
06:00 - 08:59	24	307	7.8	24	178	13.5
09:00 - 11:59	40	513	7.8	34	478	7.1
12:00 - 14:59	37	506	7.3	39	480	8.1
15:00 - 17:59	42	461	9.1	46	291	15.8
18:00 - 20:59	54	276	19.6	41	243	16.9
21:00 - 23:59	21	97	21.6	25	109	22.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>2,228</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>1,915</b>	<b>11.7</b>
	Sunday			Total		
00:00 - 02:59	22	84	26.2	<b>73</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>17.9</b>
03:00 - 05:59	5	39	12.8	<b>38</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>19.5</b>
06:00 - 08:59	12	89	13.5	<b>184</b>	<b>1,920</b>	<b>9.6</b>
09:00 - 11:59	37	273	13.6	<b>229</b>	<b>3,151</b>	<b>7.3</b>
12:00 - 14:59	33	290	11.4	<b>283</b>	<b>3,239</b>	<b>8.7</b>
15:00 - 17:59	37	236	15.7	<b>342</b>	<b>2,864</b>	<b>11.9</b>
18:00 - 20:59	33	233	14.2	<b>249</b>	<b>1,751</b>	<b>14.2</b>
21:00 - 23:59	24	99	24.2	<b>134</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>22.1</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>1,343</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>1,532</b>	<b>14,135</b>	<b>10.8</b>

Note: Casualty-to-accident percentage ratio indicates the risk level of injury in road traffic accidents.

Source: Police Department and the Malta Insurance Association (Guard and Warden Service House Limited).

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TABLE 3.1.20. Road traffic casualties by injury type, day of the week and time of day: 2021

Time group	Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant
	Monday				Tuesday			
00:00 - 02:59	-	2	10	1	-	4	9	-
03:00 - 05:59	-	3	8	-	-	1	3	-
06:00 - 08:59	1	8	25	3	1	5	23	-
09:00 - 11:59	1	7	24	3	-	4	25	-
12:00 - 14:59	-	7	38	1	-	6	34	5
15:00 - 17:59	1	7	33	2	-	17	47	1
18:00 - 20:59	-	4	11	1	-	8	23	1
21:00 - 23:59	-	1	11	-	-	2	11	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>7</b>
	Wednesday				Thursday			
00:00 - 02:59	-	4	3	-	1	1	2	-
03:00 - 05:59	-	-	2	-	-	2	4	-
06:00 - 08:59	-	8	20	-	-	11	18	1
09:00 - 11:59	-	5	18	2	-	11	18	-
12:00 - 14:59	-	5	30	1	-	6	38	3
15:00 - 17:59	-	14	53	2	-	8	28	4
18:00 - 20:59	-	8	26	2	-	6	30	1
21:00 - 23:59	-	5	15	1	-	4	13	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>10</b>
	Friday				Saturday			
00:00 - 02:59	-	-	5	-	1	2	6	-
03:00 - 05:59	-	1	3	-	1	3	2	-
06:00 - 08:59	-	5	18	1	-	6	17	1
09:00 - 11:59	-	8	32	-	-	3	30	1
12:00 - 14:59	-	6	29	2	-	10	28	1
15:00 - 17:59	-	11	27	4	-	7	34	5
18:00 - 20:59	-	12	41	1	-	11	27	3
21:00 - 23:59	-	7	12	2	-	8	15	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>13</b>
	Sunday				Total			
00:00 - 02:59	-	2	17	3	2	15	52	4
03:00 - 05:59	-	2	3	-	1	12	25	-
06:00 - 08:59	-	5	7	-	2	48	128	6
09:00 - 11:59	1	14	21	1	2	52	168	7
12:00 - 14:59	-	5	26	2	-	45	223	15
15:00 - 17:59	-	8	26	3	1	72	248	21
18:00 - 20:59	1	10	20	2	1	59	178	11
21:00 - 23:59	-	9	15	-	-	36	92	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>70</b>

Source: Police Department.

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TABLE 3.1.21. Road traffic accidents by week of the year and special feast happening during the week: 2021 ...

Week <sup>1</sup> number / (Special feast)	Non-injury accidents	Injury accidents	Total	Average accidents per day
1 <sup>2</sup> (New Year)	34	2	36	18
2	174	15	189	27
3	230	18	248	35
4	214	14	228	33
5	200	13	213	30
6	235	17	252	36
7 (St. Paul's Shipwreck)	208	17	225	32
8	241	25	266	38
9	223	23	246	35
10	208	28	236	34
11	199	18	217	31
12 (St. Joseph)	170	22	192	27
13	162	24	186	27
14 <sup>3</sup> (Freedom Day and Good Friday)	216	25	241	34
15 (Easter)	208	19	227	32
16	195	27	222	32
17	234	18	252	36
18 (Workers' Day)	232	24	256	37
19	247	25	272	39
20	272	29	301	43
21	276	41	317	45
22	258	33	291	42
23	242	20	262	37
24 (Sette Giugno)	239	19	258	37
25	275	28	303	43
26	319	30	349	50
27 (Imnarja)	286	33	319	46
28	313	34	347	50
29	290	33	323	46
30	298	24	322	46
31	290	22	312	45
32	302	27	329	47
33	312	32	344	49
34 (Santa Marija)	233	20	253	36
35	271	26	297	42
36	250	40	290	41
37 (Victory Day)	221	21	242	35
38	237	28	265	38
39 (Independence Day)	254	17	271	39

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... TABLE 3.1.21. Road traffic accidents by week of the year and special feast happening during the week: 2021

Week <sup>1</sup> number / (Special feast)	Non-injury accidents	Injury accidents	Total	Average accidents per day
40	304	21	325	46
41	256	31	287	41
42	238	24	262	37
43	260	25	285	41
44	265	19	284	41
45 <sup>4</sup>	236	25	261	37
46	259	22	281	40
47	260	31	291	42
48	275	22	297	42
49	263	26	289	41
50 (Immaculate Conception)	272	28	300	43
51 (Republic Day)	269	27	296	42
52 (Christmas Day)	273	25	298	43
53 <sup>5</sup>	162	18	180	30
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,860</b>	<b>1,275</b>	<b>14,135</b>	<b>39</b>

<sup>1</sup> Week starts on a Sunday

<sup>2</sup> Week 1 consists of 2 days only

<sup>3</sup> Summer Daylight Saving Time - Sun 28 March

<sup>4</sup> Winter Daylight Saving Time - Sun 31 October

<sup>5</sup> Week 53 consists of 6 days only

Source: Police Department and the Malta Insurance Association (Guard and Warden Service House Limited).

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TABLE 3.1.22. Road traffic casualties by week of the year and special feast happening during the week: 2021 ...

Week <sup>1</sup> number / (Special feast)	Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	Total
1 <sup>2</sup> (New Year)	-	-	2	-	2
2	-	7	11	2	20
3	-	5	16	4	25
4	-	2	11	2	15
5	-	5	10	-	15
6	-	4	18	-	22
7 (St. Paul's Shipwreck)	-	8	10	-	18
8	-	9	21	-	30
9	-	6	19	1	26
10	1	12	22	1	36
11	-	8	14	1	23
12 (St. Joseph)	-	11	17	-	28
13	-	3	23	3	29
14 <sup>3</sup> (Freedom Day and Good Fri	-	7	19	2	28
15 (Easter)	-	4	16	-	20
16	-	6	25	2	33
17	1	4	14	-	19
18 (Workers' Day)	-	11	22	2	35
19	-	8	16	2	26
20	-	8	25	1	34
21	-	10	34	3	47
22	-	5	36	1	42
23	-	6	14	2	22
24 (Sette Giugno)	-	3	23	1	27
25	-	8	26	2	36
26	-	9	30	-	39
27 (Imnarja)	-	9	29	3	41
28	-	8	36	-	44
29	-	4	32	2	38
30	-	4	25	-	29
31	-	1	25	3	29
32	1	2	26	2	31
33	-	9	29	2	40
34 (Santa Marija)	-	4	22	1	27
35	-	9	19	4	32
36	-	10	32	2	44
37 (Victory Day)	1	8	15	1	25
38	-	9	26	2	37
39 (Independence Day)	-	4	14	-	18

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... TABLE 3.1.22. Road traffic casualties by week of the year and special feast happening during the week: 2021

Week <sup>1</sup> number / (Special feast)	Fatal	Grievous	Slight	Insignificant	Total
40	-	5	19	-	24
41	-	8	25	-	33
42	-	5	20	2	27
43	-	5	22	2	29
44	1	4	15	1	21
45 <sup>4</sup>	-	7	23	1	31
46	-	6	17	2	25
47	2	6	25	4	37
48	-	6	19	-	25
49	-	7	25	-	32
50 (Immaculate Conception)	1	8	21	1	31
51 (Republic Day)	-	5	24	-	29
52 (Christmas Day)	-	12	20	2	34
53 <sup>5</sup>	1	5	15	1	22
<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>1,532</b>

<sup>1</sup> Week starts on a Sunday

<sup>2</sup> Week 1 consists of 2 days only

<sup>3</sup> Summer Daylight Saving Time - Sun 28 March

<sup>4</sup> Winter Daylight Saving Time - Sun 31 October

<sup>5</sup> Week 53 consists of 6 days only

Source: Police Department and the Malta Insurance Association (Guard and Warden Service House Limited).

TABLE 3.1.23. Number of road traffic casualties per accident: 2017-2021

Number of road traffic casualties	Road traffic accidents				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
1	1,242	1,133	1,156	883	1,079
2	178	160	137	98	155
3	55	34	35	19	28
4	13	10	5	3	8
5	6	3	5	1	3
6 or more	3	6	4	-	2

Source: Police Department and the Malta Insurance Association (Guard and Warden Service House Limited).



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TABLE 3.1.24. Road traffic accidents indicators: 2017-2021

Indicators	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Road traffic accidents per 1,000 licensed motor vehicles	40	37	40	30	34
Road traffic accidents per 1,000 driving license holders	59	56	60	45	52
Road traffic casualties per 1,000 road traffic accidents	125	116	102	96	108
Road traffic fatalities per 1,000 road traffic accidents	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.0	0.6
Road traffic fatalities per 1,000 road traffic casualties	10.1	10.7	9.9	10.4	5.9
Road traffic fatalities per 100,000 population	4.0	3.6	3.1	2.3	1.7 <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Population data is as at Census date, 21 November 2021.

Notes:

1. Data is provisional and subject to revision.
2. Only Maltese-registered driving licences are accounted for in the data above.

Source: Police Department and the Malta Insurance Association (Guard and Warden Service House Limited).

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### Methodological Notes

1. Road traffic accidents data is compiled from administrative information provided by the Police Department and the Malta Insurance Association (Guard and Warden Service House Limited).
2. Definitions:
  - a. Total road traffic accidents consist of the road traffic accidents involving casualties (Police reports) and the minor road traffic accidents without casualties (Police and Warden reports).  
Non-injury (minor) road traffic accidents refer to accidents assessed by Wardens and/or the Police involving at least one vehicle and in which no persons are injured. Non-injury road traffic accidents which are either not reported or directly reported to Insurance Agencies by means of the Traffic Accident Form (i.e. where no Police or Wardens are called on the accident scene and are settled by the completion of the relevant form) are not accounted for.
  - b. Insignificant injury is determined by the Police as the sustaining of a very minimal injury (e.g. bruise, scratch, etc.) or shock due to accident which, in most cases, requires very basic treatment or no treatment at all.
  - c. The definition of slight is as listed in Art. 221 et sequitur of the Criminal Code, Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta: <https://legislation.mt/eli/cap/9/eng/pdf>
  - d. The definition of grievous is as listed in Art. 216 et sequitur of the Criminal Code, Chapter 9 of the Laws of Malta: <https://legislation.mt/eli/cap/9/eng/pdf>
  - e. UNECE defines road fatal injury as: "Any person who was killed outright or who died within 30 days as a result of the accident".
3. The casualty-to-accident ratio indicates the risk level of suffering an injury in an accident. Therefore, a higher percentage rate means that the corresponding accidents were more serious (i.e. more persons were injured).
4. Data is subject to revision.
5. More information may be accessed at:  
Sources and Methods: [https://nso.gov.mt/en/nso/Sources\\_and\\_Methods/Unit\\_B3/Environment\\_Energy\\_Transport\\_and\\_Agriculture\\_Statistics/Pages/Road-Traffic-Accidents.aspx](https://nso.gov.mt/en/nso/Sources_and_Methods/Unit_B3/Environment_Energy_Transport_and_Agriculture_Statistics/Pages/Road-Traffic-Accidents.aspx)  
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## 3.2. MOTOR VEHICLES

As at the end of 2021, the number of licensed motor vehicles in Malta amounted to 413,019 (Table 3.2.1). Over 2020, the net increase of licensed motor vehicles amounted to 10,592 or 2.6 per cent, resulting in an average net increase of approximately 29 vehicles per day (Chart 3.2.2 and Table 3.2.1). Passenger cars totalled 313,177, an increase of 1.6 per cent over 2020. Passenger cars accounted for 75.8 per cent of the total licensed motor vehicles by the end of 2021 (Tables 3.2.1-3.2.2).

CHART 3.2.1. Stock of licensed motor vehicles by period

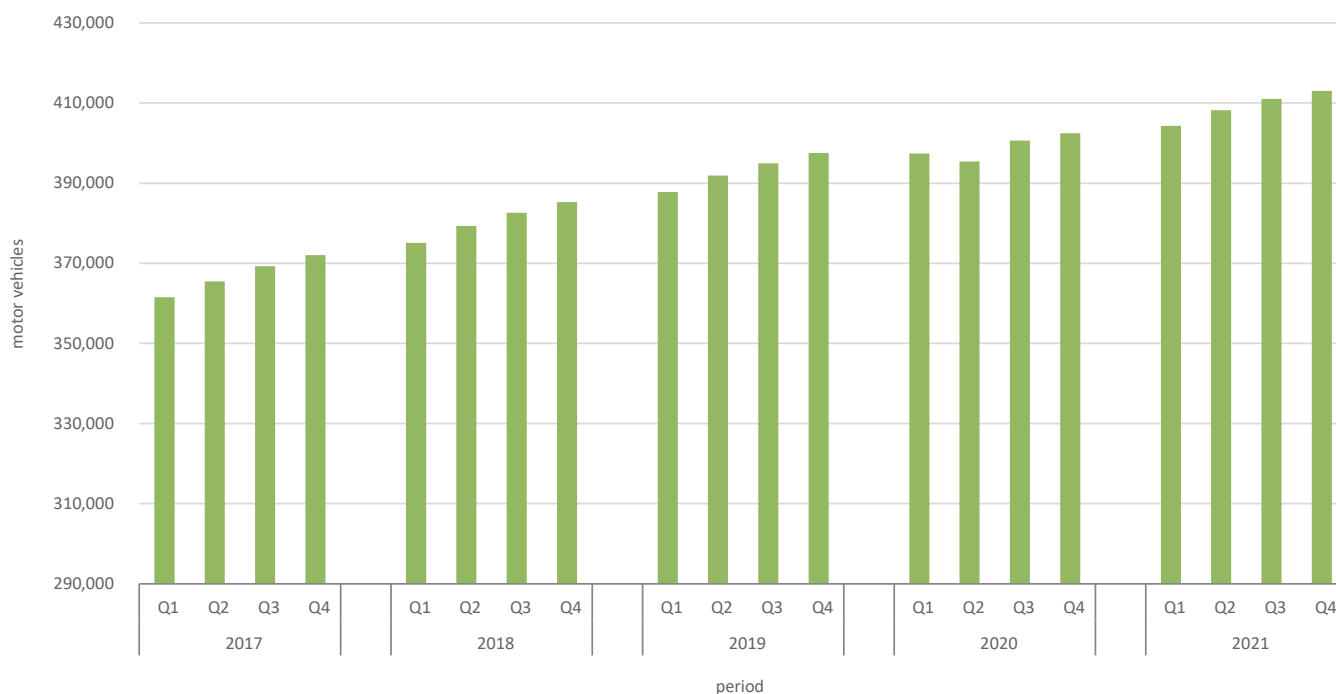
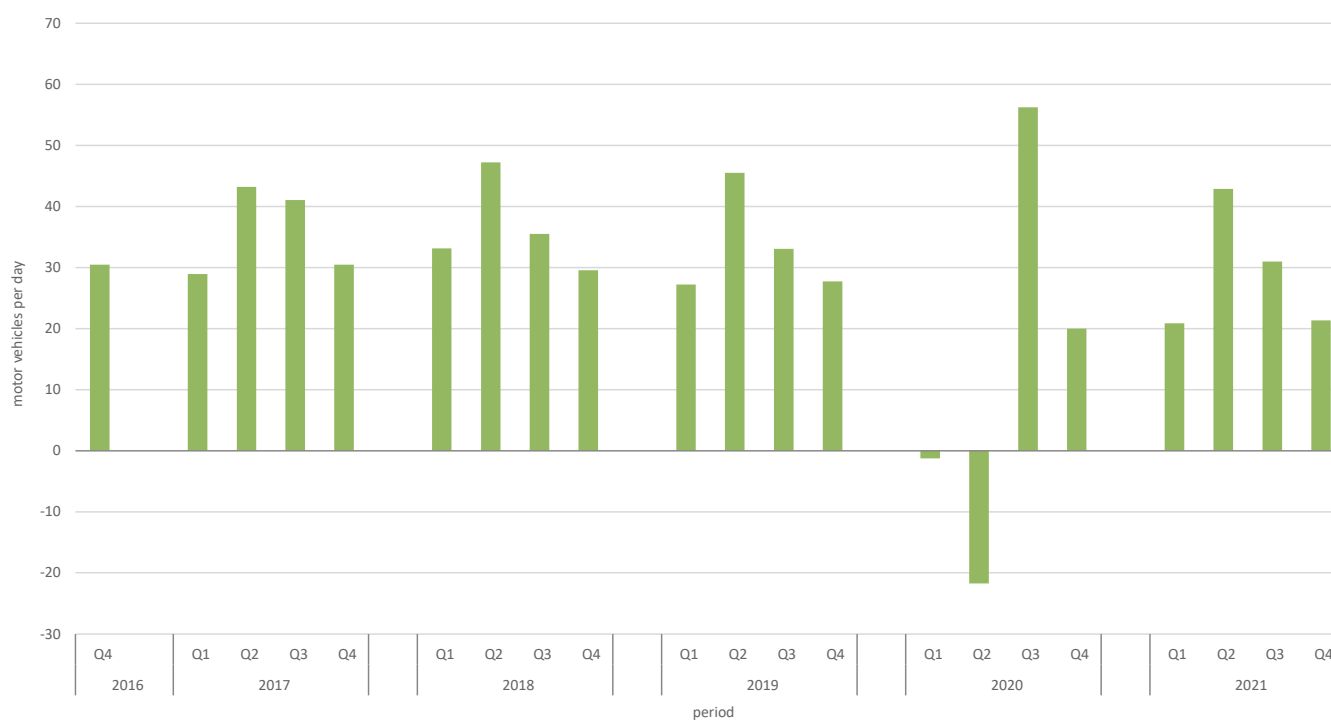


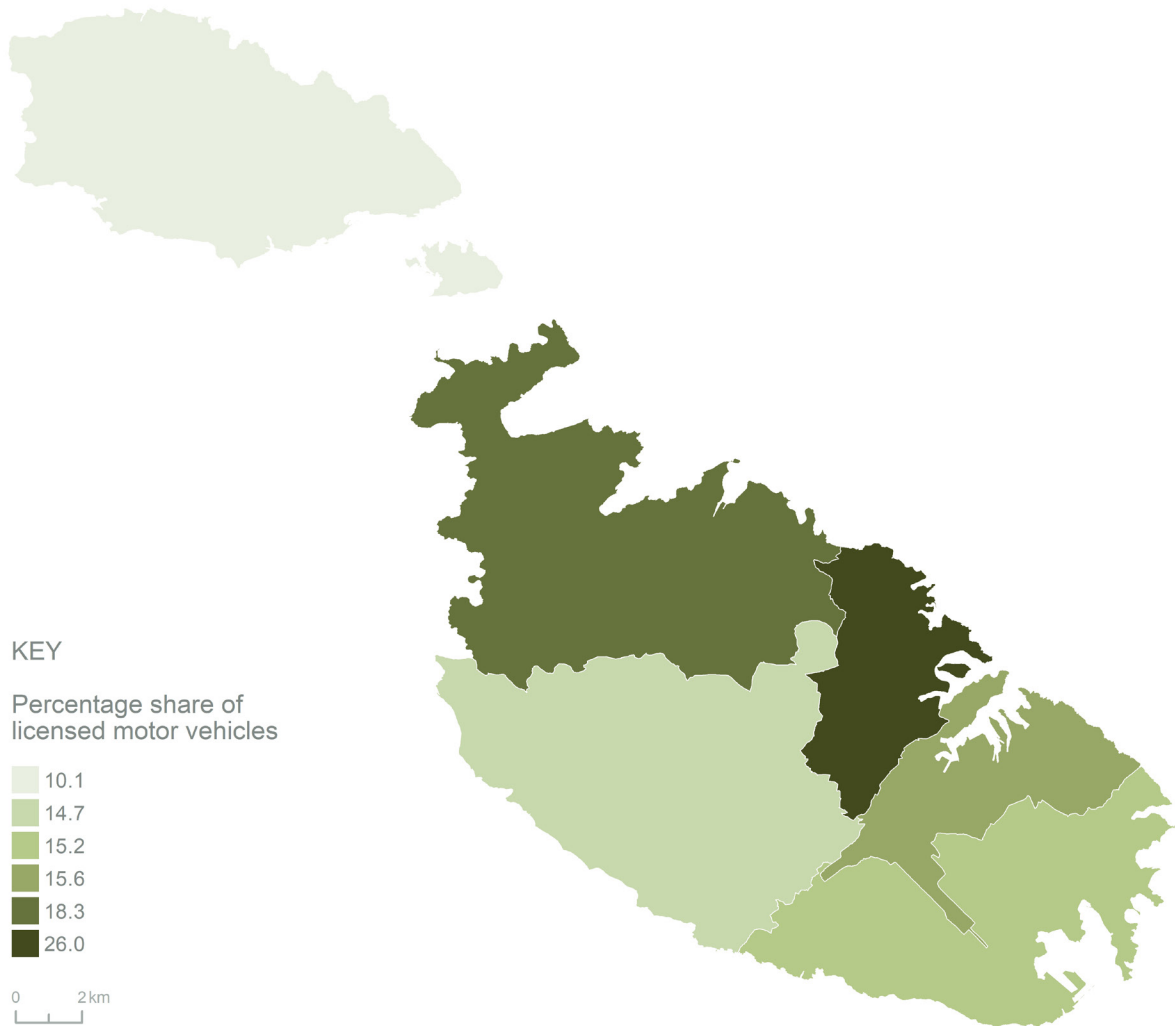
CHART 3.2.2. Average daily change in stock of licensed motor vehicles per quarter



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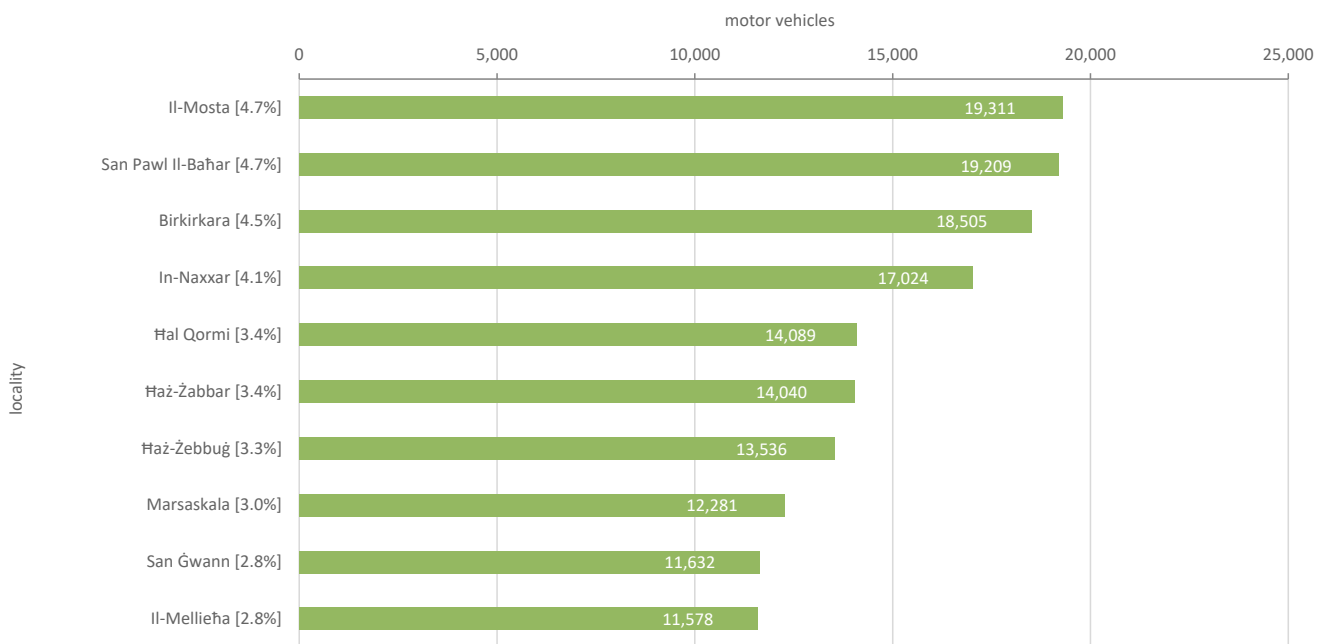
The Northern Harbour district registered the highest number of licensed motor vehicles, 107,477 or 26.0 per cent of the total (Map 3.2.1 and Table 3.2.2). During 2021, Il-Mosta recorded the highest number of licensed motor vehicles with 19,311, which, against a population of 23,482 persons, had a ratio of 82 motor vehicles for every 100 residents (Chart 3.2.3 and Map 3.2.2). However, the Gozo and Comino district was the only district that had more motor vehicles registered than registered residents in the district, recording 106 motor vehicles for every 100 residents. The highest ratio in this district was recorded in Il-Fontana with 186 motor vehicles for every 100 residents registered in the locality (Map 3.2.2).

MAP 3.2.1. Percentage share of stock of licensed motor vehicles by district: 2021

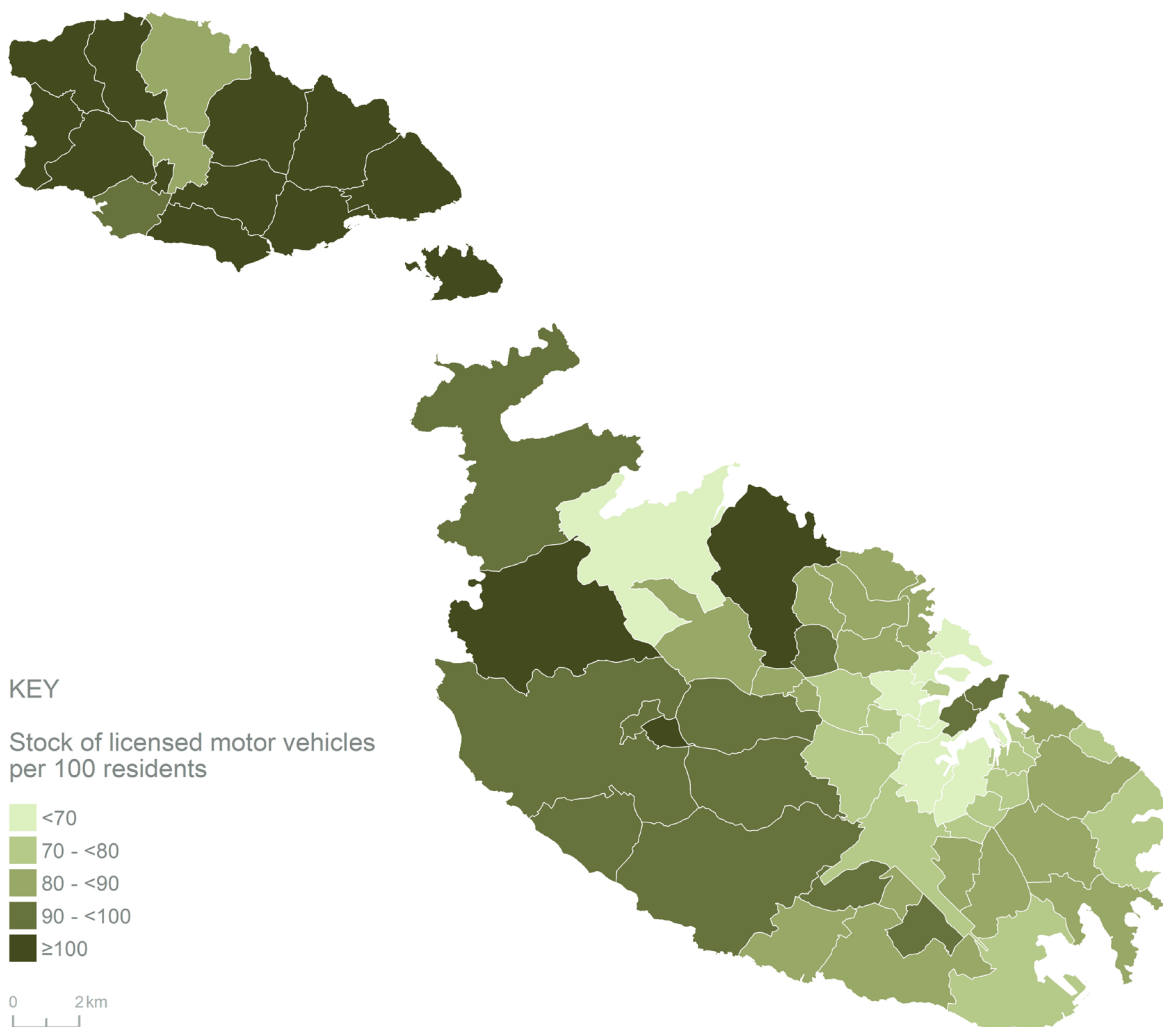


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CHART 3.2.3. Top 10 localities for licensed motor vehicles: 2021



MAP 3.2.2. Licensed motor vehicles per 100 residents by locality of registered owner: 2021



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As at the end of 2021, 59.2 per cent of the licensed motor vehicles were petrol powered, while 37.8 per cent had diesel engines (Chart 3.2.4 and Table 3.2.3). Motor vehicles with an alternative motor energy type registered an increase of 61.6 per cent over 2020 (Chart 3.2.6). As at the end of 2021, motor vehicles with an alternative motor energy type amounted to 12,581, 3.0 per cent of the total number of licensed motor vehicles (Chart 3.2.4 and Table 3.2.3).

CHART 3.2.4. Percentage share of stock of licensed motor vehicles by motor energy type: 2021

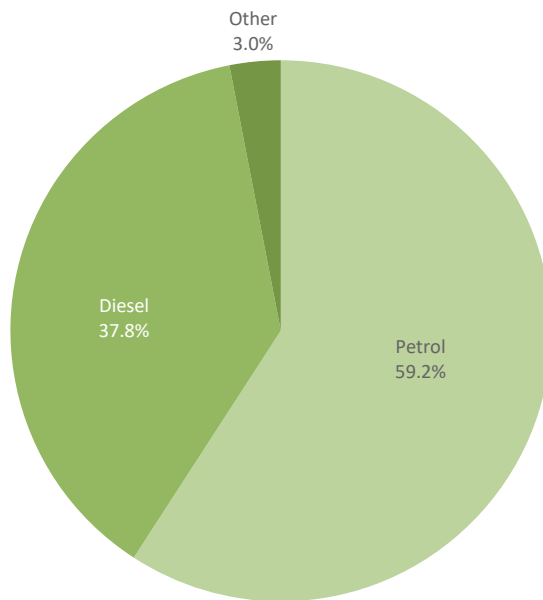
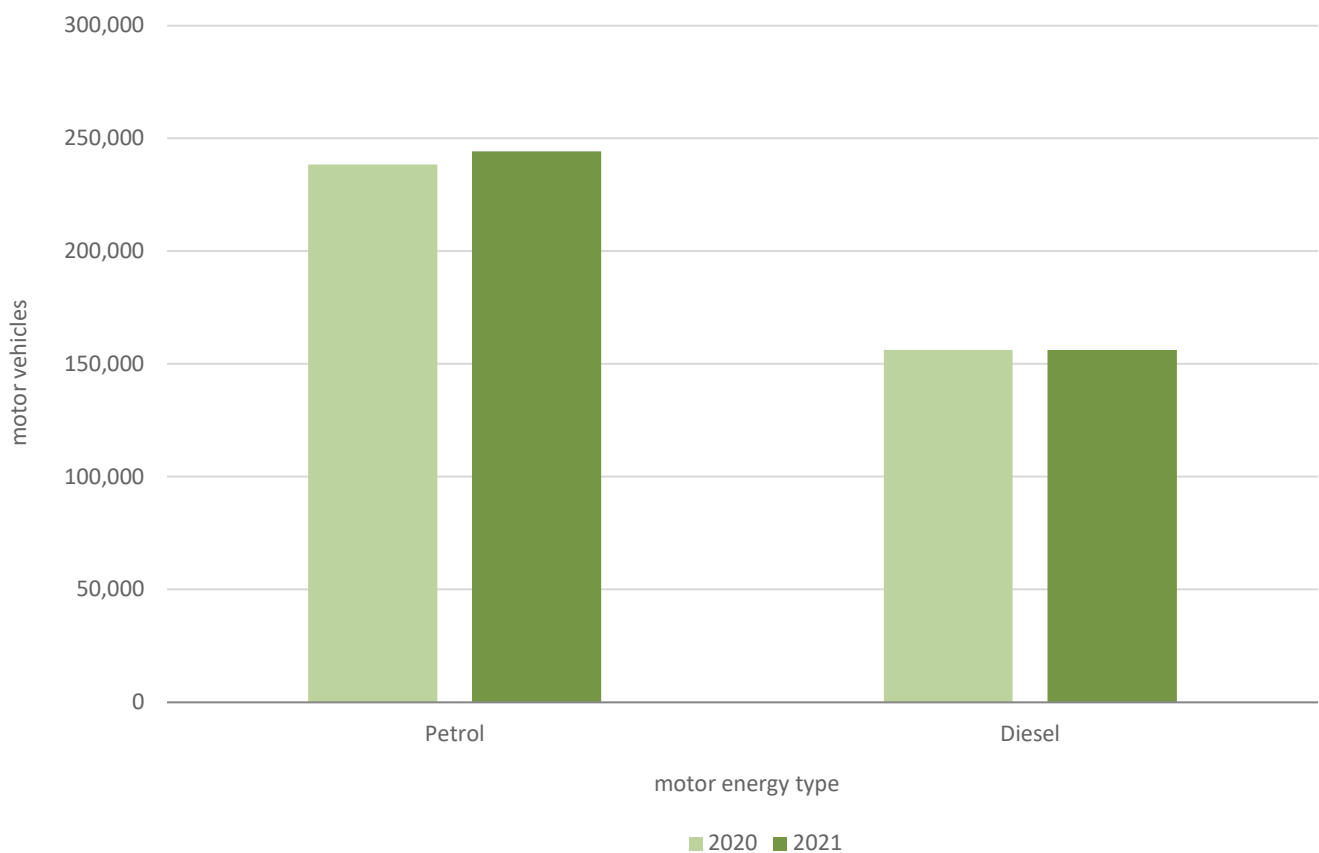
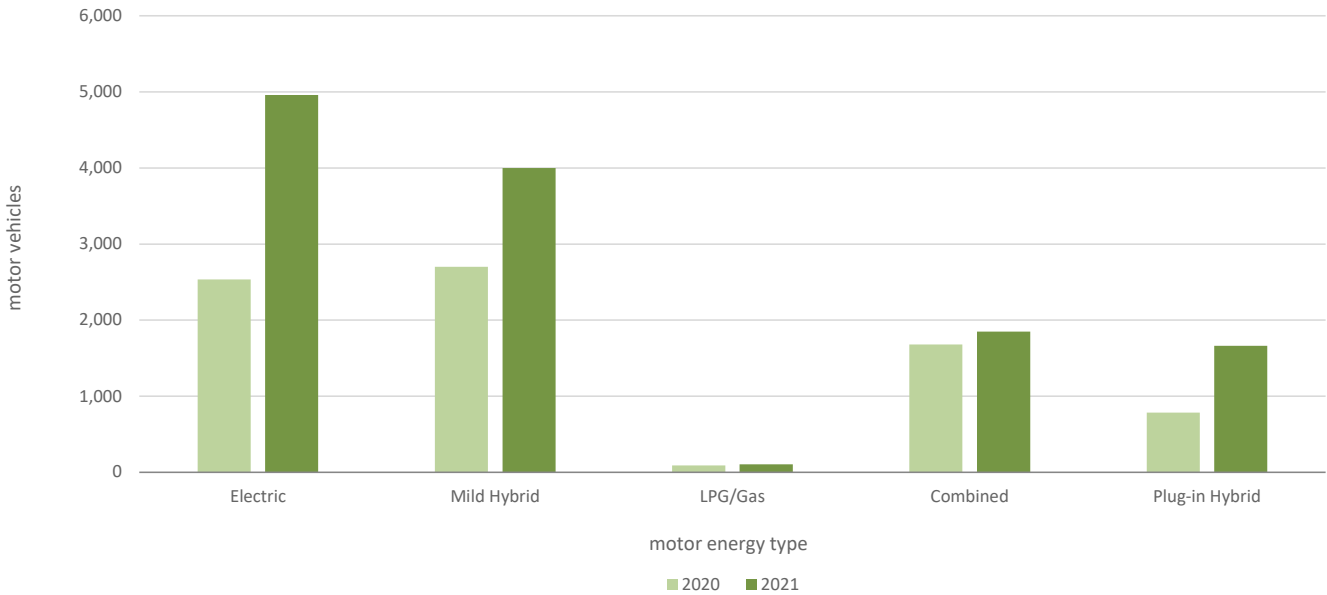


CHART 3.2.5. Stock of licensed motor vehicles by motor energy type (conventional): 2020-2021



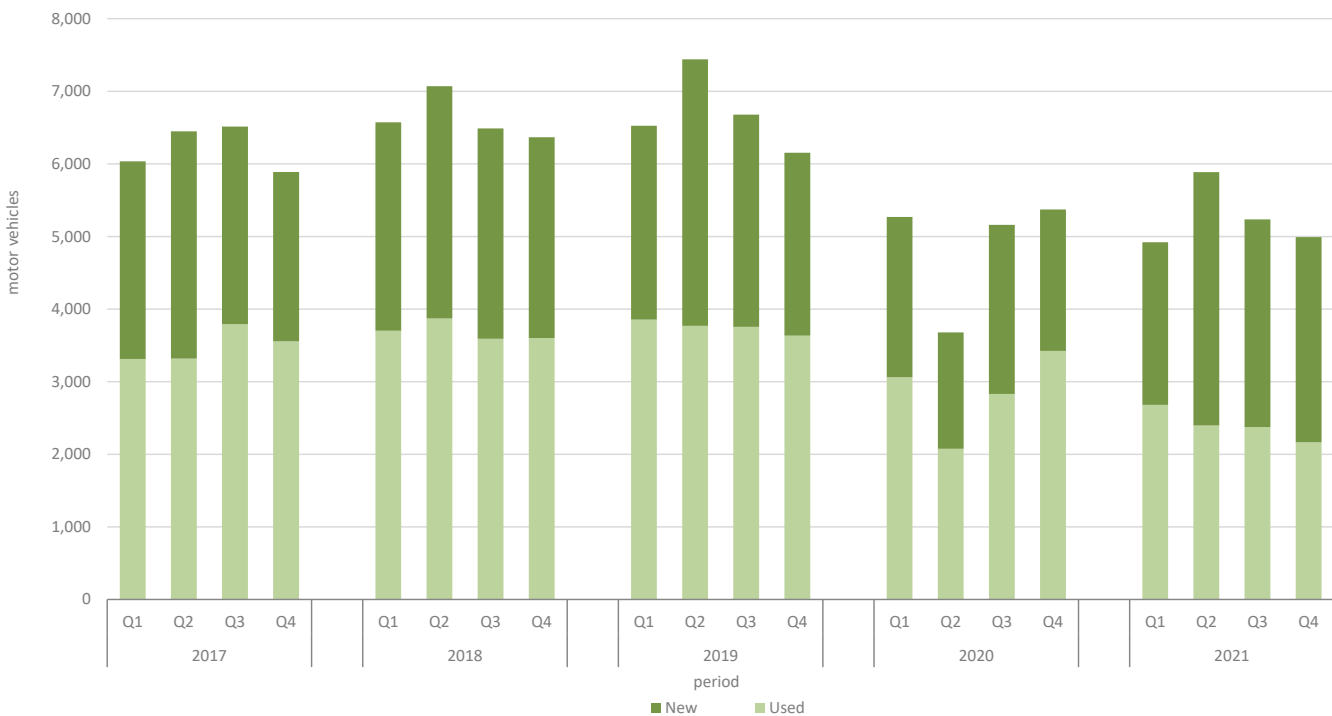
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CHART 3.2.6. Stock of licensed motor vehicles by motor energy type (alternative): 2020-2021



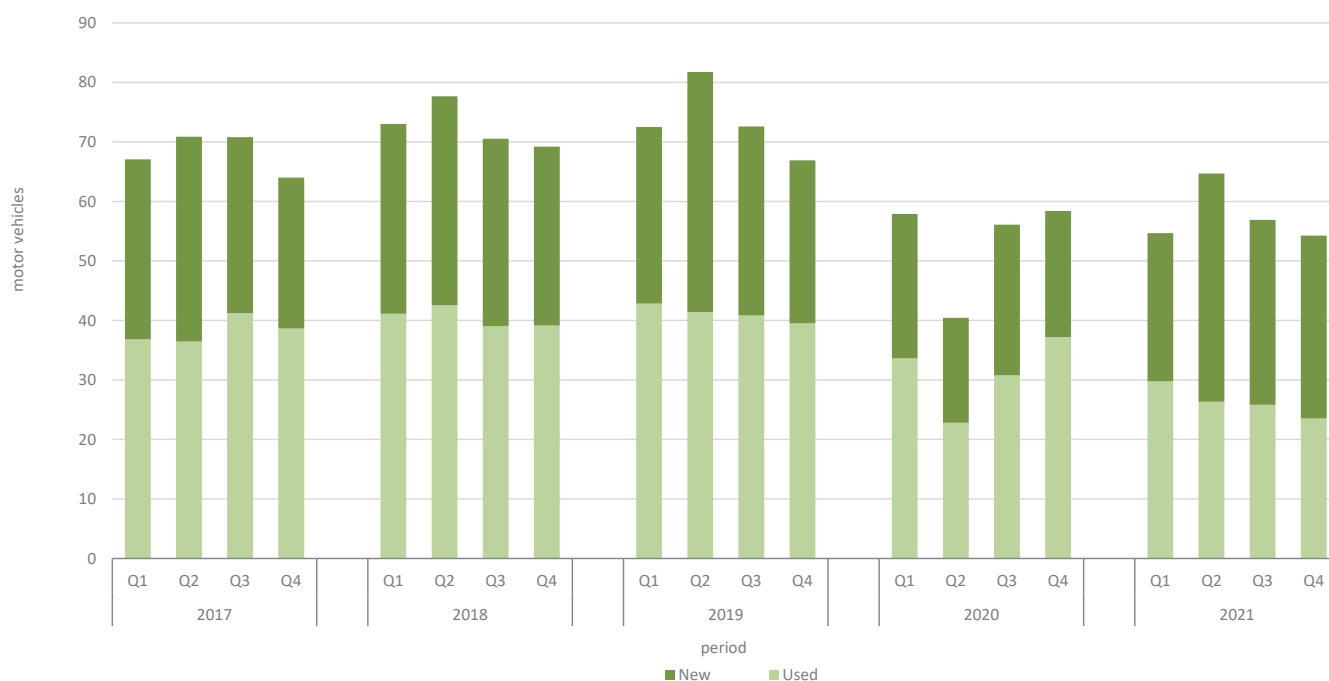
During 2021, newly licensed motor vehicles amounted to 21,034, an increase of 8.0 per cent over the previous year. Newly licensed ‘new’ motor vehicles amounted to 11,417 or 54.3 per cent of the total, while the rest were newly licensed ‘used’ (second-hand) motor vehicles (Tables 3.2.5-3.2.7). Most motor vehicles were licensed during the second quarter, with an average of 65 newly licensed motor vehicles each day, up by 25 vehicles over the daily average of the corresponding period in 2020 (Chart 3.2.8). The Northern Harbour district registered the highest number of newly licensed motor vehicles with 5,822, followed by the Northern district with 4,031 motor vehicles. These two districts accounted for 46.8 per cent of all the newly licensed motor vehicles registered during 2021 (Table 3.2.8).

CHART 3.2.7. Newly licensed ‘new’ and ‘used’ motor vehicles by period



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CHART 3.2.8. Average daily newly licensed 'new' and 'used' motor vehicles by period



During the year under review, 18,678 motor vehicles had their out-of-action restriction terminated, while 28,534 vehicles had their restriction initiated during the same year. This means that a net amount of 9,856 vehicles were taken off the road during 2021. Scrapped motor vehicles totalled 10,409 of which the majority (86.3 per cent) were passenger cars. During the year under review, 264 motor vehicles were exported, while 40 motor vehicles were imported back into the country. Motor vehicles that were put up for resale amounted to 8,686 whereas 9,240 motor vehicles that were up for resale were sold (Tables 3.2.13- 3.2.14). During 2021, vehicles that were scrapped (under the Scrappage Scheme) to be replaced by new petrol or diesel-powered vehicles amounted to 1,208 while those scrapped to be replaced by an electric vehicle amounted to 1,079. Additionally, 177 vehicles had an LPG system installed (Table 3.2.24).

As at the end of 2021, the average age of motor vehicles licensed in Malta stood at 15.39 years (Table 3.2.18). Most of the licensed motor vehicles were aged between 10 and 19 years, amounting to 150,181 or 36.4 per cent of the total (Table 3.2.15). The average age for passenger cars was of 14.98 years, while that of motorcycles/ E-Bicycles/ PA-Bicycles was of 12.66 years (Chart 3.2.9 and Table 3.2.18). The highest average age of passenger cars as at end of 2021 was registered in the Southern Harbour district at 16.24 years (Table 3.2.20). Also, 49.6 per cent of the newly licensed 'used' motor vehicles were aged between six and ten years (Table 3.2.17).

CHART 3.2.9. Average age of passenger cars and motorcycles by year: 2017-2021





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CHART 3.2.10. Average age of buses and minibuses by year: 2017-2021

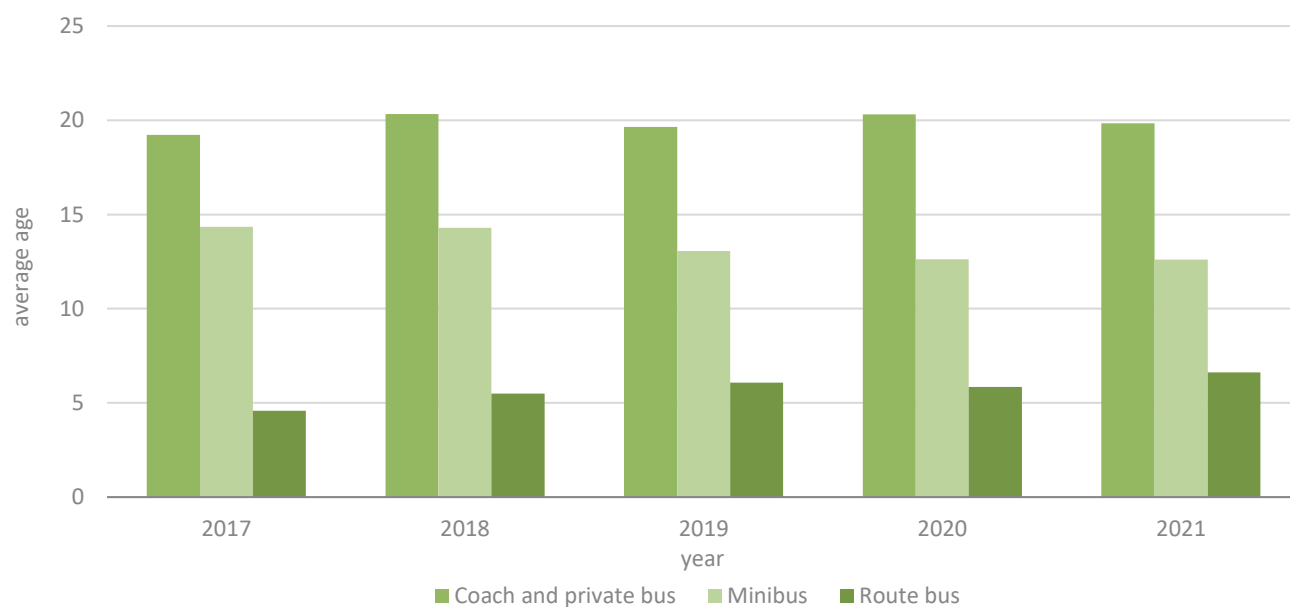
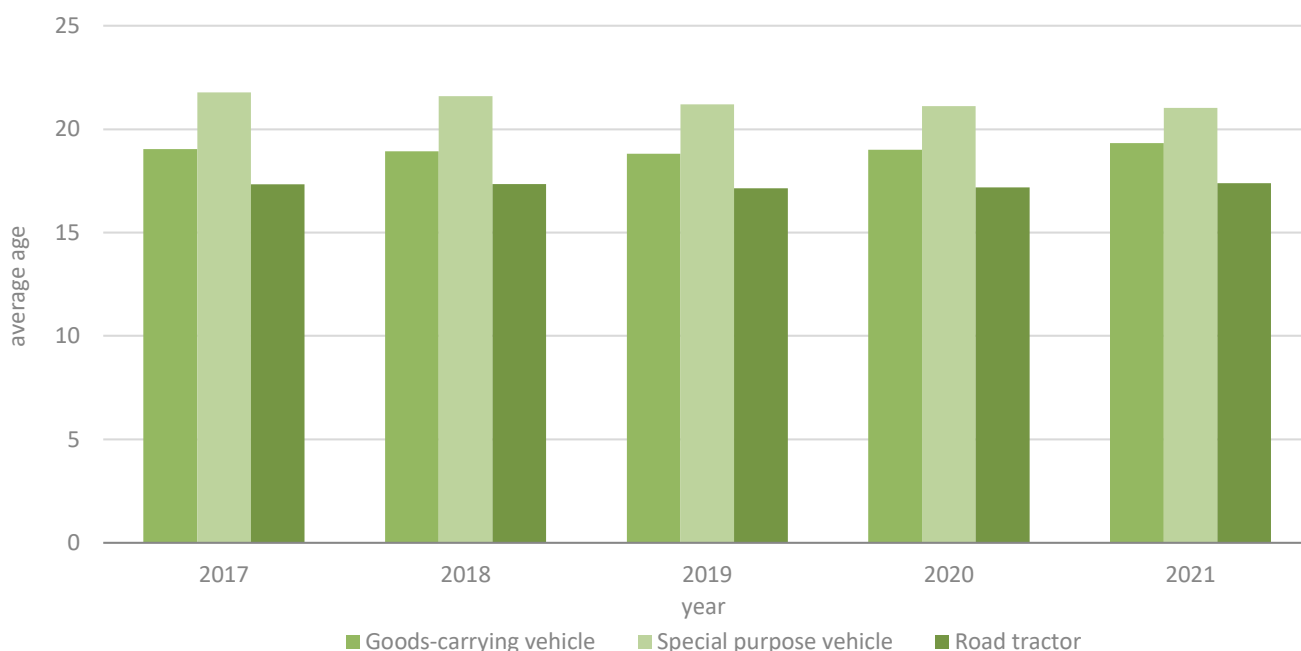


CHART 3.2.11. Average age of commercial vehicles by year: 2017-2021



As at the end of 2021, the number of motor vehicles per 1,000 residents totalled 795. Moreover, 941 vehicles per 1,000 residents aged 18 years and over were registered. By the end of 2021, 62.1 per cent of the residents aged 18 and over held a road driving licence (**Table 3.2.26**).

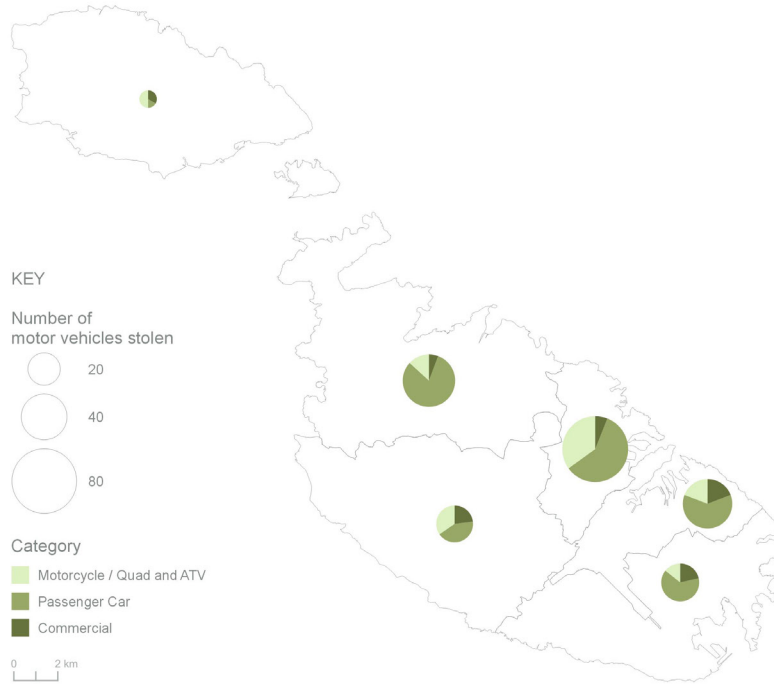
Gozo and Comino district registered the highest number of motor vehicles per 1,000 residents with 1,064, while passenger cars per 1,000 residents registered in this district amounted to 691. Furthermore, in MALTA the average amount of motor vehicles per household was estimated at 2.0, while that of passenger cars per household was estimated at 1.5.

During 2021, a total of 243 motor vehicles were stolen, of which 94 were recovered. Passenger cars constituted the largest number of motor vehicles stolen amounting to 151 or 62.1 per cent of the total (**Table 3.2.27**). The Northern Harbour district

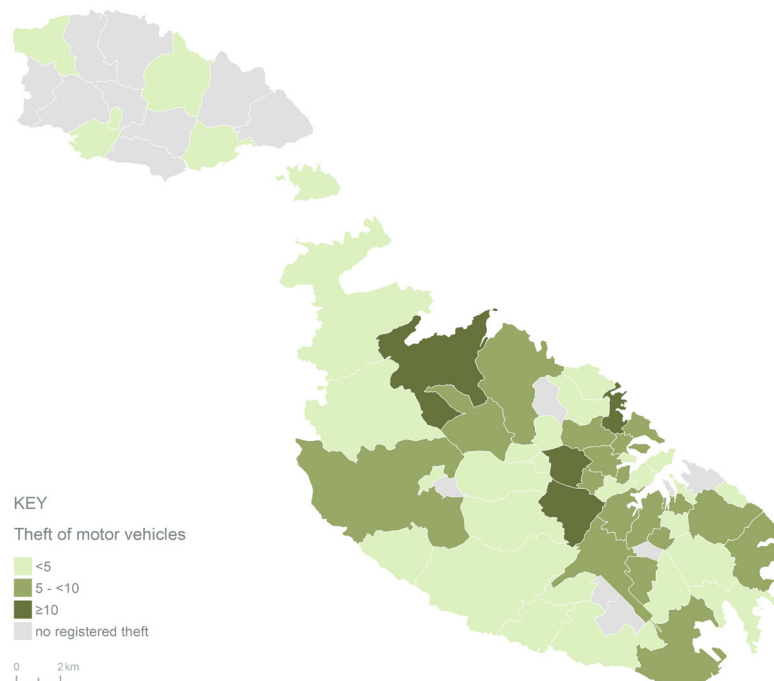
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registered the highest number of stolen motor vehicles with a total of 83, while the least amount was registered in Gozo and Comino district with 6 motor vehicles (**Map 3.2.3**). July was the month in which most motor vehicles were stolen (31 vehicles), while February registered the least number of motor vehicles stolen (12 vehicles) (**Table 3.2.27**). San Pawl Il-Baħar topped the list of localities where most motor vehicle thefts occurred, followed by Ғal Qormi and Birkirkara with 31, 12, and 12 vehicles stolen in 2021 respectively (**Map 3.2.4**).

MAP 3.2.3. Number of motor vehicles stolen by district and vehicle category: 2021

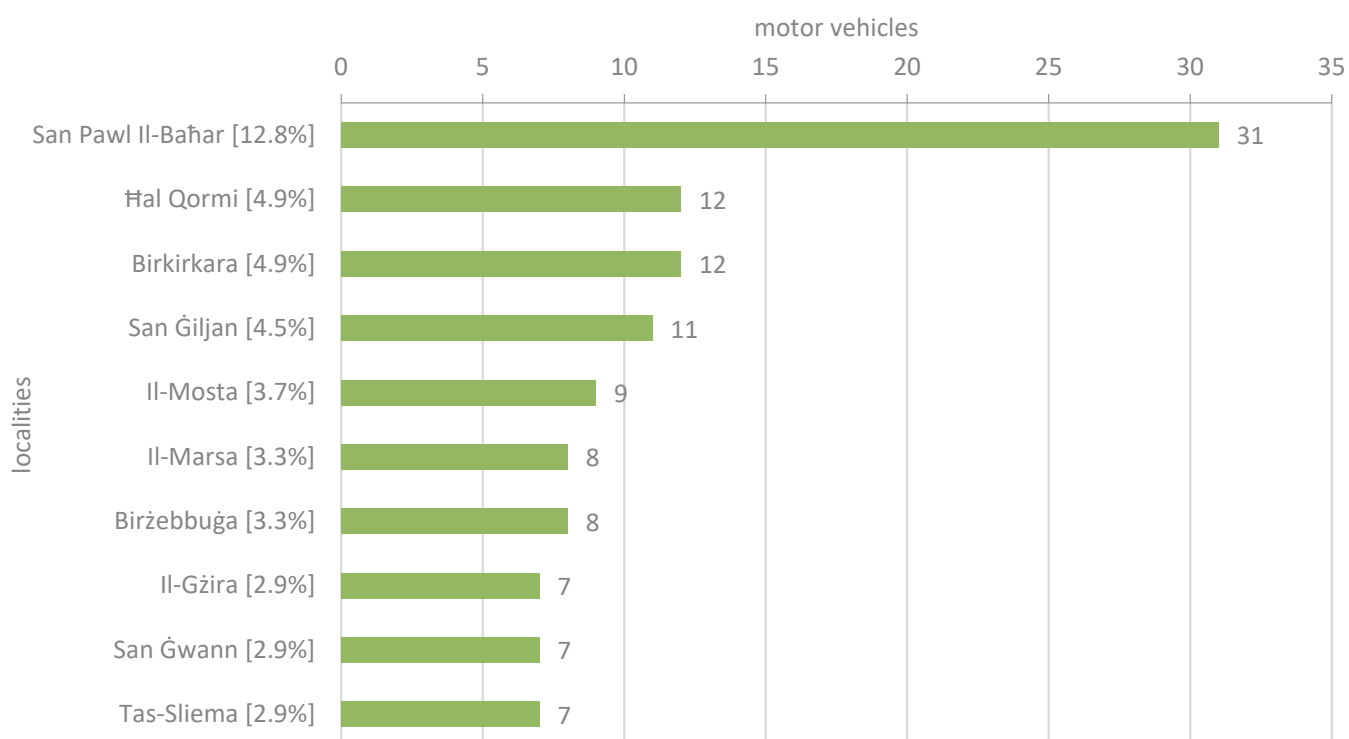


MAP 3.2.4. Number of motor vehicles stolen by locality: 2021



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CHART 3.2.12. Top 10 localities for theft of motor vehicles: 2021



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TABLE 3.2.1. Stock of licensed motor vehicles by vehicle category and period ...

Period	Agricultural	Coach and private bus	Minibus		Route bus	Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle			E-Kick Scooter		Quad and ATV	
			Garage hire	Other		Self drive	Leased	Other	Leased	Other	Leased	Other
<b>2020</b>												
Q1	2,220	307	123	1,302	403	10	1,113	29,507	-	-	131	1,081
Q2	2,253	234	106	1,205	422	9	882	30,120	-	-	104	1,102
Q3	2,285	321	105	1,330	448	8	976	30,705	174	1	128	1,130
Q4	2,323	330	107	1,350	435	8	942	31,163	174	17	109	1,146
<b>2021</b>												
Q1	2,352	310	106	1,354	433	6	1,030	31,641	487	36	120	1,143
Q2	2,368	334	103	1,384	433	6	1,174	32,656	1,010	60	143	1,155
Q3	2,389	346	104	1,402	440	6	1,263	33,588	996	112	145	1,152
Q4	2,414	346	103	1,426	450	2	1,222	34,661	998	141	129	1,133

Source: Transport Malta

... TABLE 3.2.1. Stock of licensed motor vehicles by vehicle category and period

Period	Passenger car					Commercial vehicle			Total
	Garage hire	Self drive	Leased	Taxi	Other	Goods-carrying vehicle	Special purpose vehicle	Road tractor	
<b>2020</b>									
Q1	2,563	780	8,556	289	294,221	49,831	3,804	1,150	<b>397,391</b>
Q2	2,300	544	6,785	251	294,161	49,961	3,822	1,152	<b>395,413</b>
Q3	2,438	610	8,437	278	295,752	50,437	3,855	1,168	<b>400,586</b>
Q4	2,340	460	8,038	254	297,266	50,870	3,921	1,174	<b>402,427</b>
<b>2021</b>									
Q1	2,270	426	7,859	228	298,364	51,014	3,955	1,169	<b>404,303</b>
Q2	2,341	476	8,412	248	299,514	51,254	3,973	1,161	<b>408,205</b>
Q3	2,470	532	8,856	262	300,375	51,457	3,996	1,165	<b>411,056</b>
Q4	2,574	458	8,826	273	301,046	51,630	4,038	1,149	<b>413,019</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.2. Stock of licensed motor vehicles by district of registered owner and vehicle category: 2020-2021

Vehicle category	Southern Harbour	Northern Harbour	South Eastern	Western	Northern	Gozo and Comino	Total
<b>2020</b>							
Agricultural	169	77	474	489	532	582	<b>2,323</b>
Coach and private bus	35	26	107	22	98	42	<b>330</b>
Minibus	317	273	259	148	263	197	<b>1,457</b>
Route bus	12	423	-	-	-	-	<b>435</b>
Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	4,519	8,641	4,250	4,181	5,532	4,990	<b>32,113</b>
E-Kick Scooter	4	19	161	3	4	-	<b>191</b>
Quad and ATV	136	339	107	153	172	348	<b>1,255</b>
Passenger car	50,976	84,006	46,827	44,595	54,976	26,978	<b>308,358</b>
Goods-carrying vehicle	6,734	10,384	8,058	8,502	10,309	6,883	<b>50,870</b>
Special purpose vehicle	532	677	754	678	859	421	<b>3,921</b>
Road tractor	156	245	128	234	253	158	<b>1,174</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>63,590</b>	<b>105,110</b>	<b>61,125</b>	<b>59,005</b>	<b>72,998</b>	<b>40,599</b>	<b>402,427</b>
<b>2021</b>							
Agricultural	158	83	495	504	554	620	<b>2,414</b>
Coach and private bus	50	27	106	20	98	45	<b>346</b>
Minibus	313	309	278	172	305	152	<b>1,529</b>
Route bus	8	442	-	-	-	-	<b>450</b>
Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	5,018	9,381	4,684	4,816	6,280	5,706	<b>35,885</b>
E-Kick Scooter	19	390	572	135	19	4	<b>1,139</b>
Quad and ATV	132	306	110	155	177	382	<b>1,262</b>
Passenger car	51,352	85,055	47,563	45,585	56,488	27,134	<b>313,177</b>
Goods-carrying vehicle	6,746	10,533	8,181	8,574	10,458	7,138	<b>51,630</b>
Special purpose vehicle	542	699	759	685	902	451	<b>4,038</b>
Road tractor	144	252	127	214	254	158	<b>1,149</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>64,482</b>	<b>107,477</b>	<b>62,875</b>	<b>60,860</b>	<b>75,535</b>	<b>41,790</b>	<b>413,019</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.3. Stock of licensed motor vehicles by motor energy type and vehicle category: 2021 ...

Vehicle category	Motor energy type					
	Petrol	Diesel	Electric <sup>1</sup>	Mild Hybrid (Petrol-Electric)	Mild Hybrid (Diesel-Electric)	LPG
Agricultural	27	2,387	-	-	-	-
Coach and private bus	-	335	-	-	-	-
Minibus	12	1,512	5	-	-	-
Route bus	-	443	7	-	-	-
Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	34,193	16	1,675	-	-	1
E-Kick Scooter	-	-	1,139	-	-	-
Quad and ATV	1,116	-	146	-	-	-
Passenger car	207,548	96,414	1,783	3,842	157	5
Goods-carrying vehicle	1,345	50,087	134	-	3	4
Special purpose vehicle	61	3,795	72	-	-	95
Road tractor	1	1,146	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>244,303</b>	<b>156,135</b>	<b>4,961</b>	<b>3,842</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>105</b>

Source: Transport Malta

... TABLE 3.2.3. Stock of licensed motor vehicles by motor energy type and vehicle category: 2021

Vehicle category	Motor energy type				Total
	Combined (Petrol-LPG)	Combined (Diesel-LPG)	Plug-in Hybrid (Electric-Petrol)	Plug-in Hybrid (Electric-Diesel)	
Agricultural	-	-	-	-	2,414
Coach and private bus	-	11	-	-	346
Minibus	-	-	-	-	1,529
Route bus	-	-	-	-	450
Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	-	-	-	-	35,885
E-Kick Scooter	-	-	-	-	1,139
Quad and ATV	-	-	-	-	1,262
Passenger car	1,762	2	1,656	8	313,177
Goods-carrying vehicle	38	19	-	-	51,630
Special purpose vehicle	11	4	-	-	4,038
Road tractor	-	2	-	-	1,149
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,811</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1,656</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>413,019</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.4. Stock of licensed motor vehicles by vehicle category, engine capacity or gross vehicle weight: 2017-2021

Vehicle category	Engine capacity / Gross vehicle weight (GVW)	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Agricultural</b>		2,037	2,117	2,191	2,323	2,414
<b>Coach and private bus, minibus, route bus</b>						
Coach and private bus		372	388	396	330	346
Minibus		1,266	1,288	1,429	1,449	1,529
Mini Route Bus		2	10	8	8	8
Route Bus		430	426	442	435	442
<b>Motorcycle, Quad/ATV, E-Bicycle, PA-Bicycle, E-Kick Scooter</b>						
	<b>Engine capacity (cc)</b>					
Motorcycle, E-Bicycle and PA-Bicycle	<50	245	334	1,023	960	1,903
	>=50	24,361	26,995	29,252	31,153	33,982
E-Kick Scooter	<50	-	-	-	191	1,139
Quad and ATV		1,192	1,207	1,227	1,255	1,262
<b>Passenger car</b>						
	<b>Engine capacity (cc)</b>					
	<=1,300	128,946	132,421	135,293	135,411	138,683
	1,301 - 1,449	42,839	44,498	45,754	46,254	47,062
	1,450 - 1,500	26,401	27,697	29,408	29,884	30,678
	1,501 - 1,800	38,929	39,856	40,064	39,791	39,449
	1,801 - 2,000	37,739	37,792	37,571	37,319	36,867
	>2,000	16,944	17,877	19,040	19,699	20,438
<b>Commercial vehicle</b>						
	<b>GVW (kg)</b>					
Goods-carrying vehicle	<=3,500	34,986	36,574	37,953	38,931	39,450
	3,501-6,000	6,433	6,548	6,740	6,935	7,115
	6,001-12,000	2,290	2,427	2,571	2,697	2,750
	12,001-15,000	362	356	350	353	349
	>15,000	1,734	1,792	1,877	1,954	1,966
Special purpose vehicle	<=3,500	465	479	492	510	520
	3,501-6,000	860	854	843	846	856
	6,001-12,000	798	836	896	937	966
	12,001-15,000	152	161	168	184	202
	>15,000	1,147	1,247	1,369	1,444	1,494
Road Tractor	<=3,500	2	3	3	10	2
	3,501-6,000	2	2	2	2	2
	6,001-12,000	5	6	4	6	5
	12,001-15,000	1	1	1	1	1
	>15,000	1,121	1,135	1,141	1,155	1,139
<b>Total</b>		<b>372,061</b>	<b>385,327</b>	<b>397,508</b>	<b>402,427</b>	<b>413,019</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.5. Newly licensed motor vehicles by vehicle category and period ...

Period	Agricultural	Coach and private bus	Minibus	Route bus	Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	E-Kick Scooter
<b>2020</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>2,789</b>	<b>191</b>
Q1	32	8	59	2	631	-
Q2	35	3	12	20	788	-
Q3	35	4	42	30	734	175
Q4	40	3	29	-	636	16
<b>2021</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4,592</b>	<b>1,075</b>
Q1	32	1	17	-	638	332
Q2	28	1	19	-	1,384	548
Q3	28	4	27	-	1,237	153
Q4	32	1	29	7	1,333	42

Note: Figures include 'new' and 'used' licensed motor vehicles.

Source: Transport Malta

... TABLE 3.2.5. Newly licensed motor vehicles by vehicle category and period

Period	Quad and ATV	Passenger car	Goods-carrying vehicle	Special purpose vehicle	Road tractor	Total
<b>2020</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>13,211</b>	<b>2,503</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>19,480</b>
Q1	13	3,750	688	69	16	5,268
Q2	34	2,157	550	58	22	3,679
Q3	25	3,490	540	59	26	5,160
Q4	12	3,814	725	79	19	5,373
<b>2021</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>12,877</b>	<b>1,892</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>21,034</b>
Q1	23	3,307	484	73	14	4,921
Q2	18	3,345	469	59	15	5,886
Q3	15	3,235	468	52	16	5,235
Q4	7	2,990	471	69	11	4,992

Note: Figures include 'new' and 'used' licensed motor vehicles.

Source: Transport Malta



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TABLE 3.2.6. Newly licensed 'new' motor vehicles by vehicle category and period ...

Period	Agricultural	Coach and private bus	Minibus	Route bus	Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	E-Kick Scooter
<b>2020</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2,373</b>	<b>191</b>
Q1	4	-	39	1	522	-
Q2	2	-	5	20	698	-
Q3	4	1	30	30	635	175
Q4	5	-	22	-	518	16
<b>2021</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4,211</b>	<b>1,073</b>
Q1	3	-	11	-	533	331
Q2	6	-	17	-	1,276	547
Q3	5	-	23	-	1,149	153
Q4	3	-	29	7	1,253	42

Source: Transport Malta

... TABLE 3.2.6. Newly licensed 'new' motor vehicles by vehicle category and period

Period	Quad and ATV	Passenger car	Goods-carrying vehicle	Special purpose vehicle	Road tractor	Total
<b>2020</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>4,602</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8,088</b>
Q1	10	1,440	179	10	2	2,207
Q2	34	714	121	8	1	1,603
Q3	25	1,282	135	9	3	2,329
Q4	12	1,166	195	15	-	1,949
<b>2021</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>5,250</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11,417</b>
Q1	23	1,197	129	14	-	2,241
Q2	15	1,442	171	15	-	3,489
Q3	13	1,325	179	11	1	2,859
Q4	7	1,286	174	27	-	2,828

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.7. Newly licensed 'used' motor vehicles by vehicle category and period ...

Period	Agricultural	Coach and private bus	Minibus	Route bus	Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	E-Kick Scooter
<b>2020</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>416</b>	-
Q1	28	8	20	1	109	-
Q2	33	3	7	-	90	-
Q3	31	3	12	-	99	-
Q4	35	3	7	-	118	-
<b>2021</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>12</b>	-	<b>381</b>	<b>2</b>
Q1	29	1	6	-	105	1
Q2	22	1	2	-	108	1
Q3	23	4	4	-	88	-
Q4	29	1	-	-	80	-

Source: Transport Malta

... TABLE 3.2.7. Newly licensed 'used' motor vehicles by vehicle category and period

Period	Quad and ATV	Passenger car	Goods-carrying vehicle	Special purpose vehicle	Road tractor	Total
<b>2020</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8,609</b>	<b>1,873</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>11,392</b>
Q1	3	2,310	509	59	14	3,061
Q2	-	1,443	429	50	21	2,076
Q3	-	2,208	405	50	23	2,831
Q4	-	2,648	530	64	19	3,424
<b>2021</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7,627</b>	<b>1,239</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>9,617</b>
Q1	-	2,110	355	59	14	2,680
Q2	3	1,903	298	44	15	2,397
Q3	2	1,910	289	41	15	2,376
Q4	-	1,704	297	42	11	2,164

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.8. Newly licensed motor vehicles by vehicle category and district of registered owner: 2020-2021 ...

Year	District	Agricultural	Coach and private bus	Minibus	Route bus	Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	E-Kick Scooter
2020	Southern Harbour	8	1	35	-	337	4
	Northern Harbour	12	-	26	52	836	19
	South Eastern	32	3	24	-	327	161
	Western	31	3	10	-	378	3
	Northern	31	9	36	-	645	4
	Gozo and Comino	28	2	11	-	266	-
	<b>Total</b>		<b>142</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>2,789</b>
2021	Southern Harbour	4	-	13	-	580	18
	Northern Harbour	4	-	21	7	1,187	384
	South Eastern	22	2	16	-	478	517
	Western	15	-	14	-	568	134
	Northern	35	5	25	-	869	18
	Gozo and Comino	40	-	3	-	910	4
	<b>Total</b>		<b>120</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4,592</b>

Note: Figures include 'new' and 'used' licensed motor vehicles.

Source: Transport Malta

... TABLE 3.2.8. Newly licensed motor vehicles by vehicle category and district of registered owner: 2020-2021

Year	District	Quad and ATV	Passenger car	Goods- carrying vehicle	Special purpose vehicle	Road tractor	Total
2020	Southern Harbour	8	1,956	370	46	14	<b>2,779</b>
	Northern Harbour	38	3,803	511	45	17	<b>5,359</b>
	South Eastern	4	2,069	378	37	8	<b>3,043</b>
	Western	6	1,925	441	43	9	<b>2,849</b>
	Northern	2	2,533	528	62	18	<b>3,868</b>
	Gozo and Comino	26	925	275	32	17	<b>1,582</b>
	<b>Total</b>		<b>84</b>	<b>13,211</b>	<b>2,503</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>83</b>
2021	Southern Harbour	3	1908	199	33	11	<b>2,769</b>
	Northern Harbour	14	3713	428	52	12	<b>5,822</b>
	South Eastern	6	1836	288	53	8	<b>3,226</b>
	Western	7	1906	309	39	9	<b>3,001</b>
	Northern	4	2599	420	46	10	<b>4,031</b>
	Gozo and Comino	29	915	248	30	6	<b>2,185</b>
	<b>Total</b>		<b>63</b>	<b>12,877</b>	<b>1,892</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>56</b>

Note: Figures include 'new' and 'used' licensed motor vehicles.

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.9. Newly licensed 'new' motor vehicles by vehicle category and district of registered owner: 2020-2021 ...

Year	District	Agricultural	Coach and private bus	Minibus	Route bus	Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	E-Kick Scooter
2020	Southern Harbour	1	-	22	-	289	4
	Northern Harbour	1	-	20	51	714	19
	South Eastern	3	1	16	-	269	161
	Western	5	-	8	-	323	3
	Northern	1	-	25	-	554	4
	Gozo and Comino	4	-	5	-	224	-
	<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2,373</b>
2021	Southern Harbour	-	-	9	-	533	18
	Northern Harbour	2	-	19	7	1093	384
	South Eastern	1	-	11	-	442	516
	Western	2	-	13	-	527	134
	Northern	6	-	25	-	773	17
	Gozo and Comino	6	-	3	-	843	4
	<b>Total</b>		<b>17</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4,211</b>

Source: Transport Malta

... TABLE 3.2.9. Newly licensed 'new' motor vehicles by vehicle category and district of registered owner: 2020-2021

Year	District	Quad and ATV	Passenger car	Goods-carrying vehicle	Special purpose vehicle	Road tractor	Total
2020	Southern Harbour	7	559	92	7	-	981
	Northern Harbour	37	1,385	152	6	-	2,385
	South Eastern	4	701	76	6	2	1,239
	Western	5	691	115	5	-	1,155
	Northern	2	968	154	13	4	1,725
	Gozo and Comino	26	298	41	5	-	603
	<b>Total</b>		<b>81</b>	<b>4,602</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>6</b>
2021	Southern Harbour	3	634	65	4	1	1,267
	Northern Harbour	14	1554	180	17	-	3,270
	South Eastern	4	607	72	26	-	1,679
	Western	7	884	110	5	-	1,682
	Northern	3	1200	168	10	-	2,202
	Gozo and Comino	27	371	58	5	-	1,317
	<b>Total</b>		<b>58</b>	<b>5,250</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.10. Newly licensed 'used' motor vehicles by vehicle category and district of registered owner: 2020-2021 ...

Year	District	Agricultural	Coach and private bus	Minibus	Route bus	Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	E-Kick Scooter
2020	Southern Harbour	7	1	13	-	48	-
	Northern Harbour	11	-	6	1	122	-
	South Eastern	29	2	8	-	58	-
	Western	26	3	2	-	55	-
	Northern	30	9	11	-	91	-
	Gozo and Comino	24	2	6	-	42	-
	<b>Total</b>		<b>127</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>416</b>
2021	Southern Harbour	4	-	4	-	47	-
	Northern Harbour	2	-	2	-	94	-
	South Eastern	21	2	5	-	36	1
	Western	13	-	1	-	41	-
	Northern	29	5	-	-	96	1
	Gozo and Comino	34	-	-	-	67	-
	<b>Total</b>		<b>103</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>381</b>

Source: Transport Malta

... TABLE 3.2.10. Newly licensed 'used' motor vehicles by vehicle category and district of registered owner: 2020-2021

Year	District	Quad and ATV	Passenger car	Goods- carrying vehicle	Special purpose vehicle	Road tractor	Total
2020	Southern Harbour	1	1,397	278	39	14	<b>1,798</b>
	Northern Harbour	1	2,418	359	39	17	<b>2,974</b>
	South Eastern	-	1,368	302	31	6	<b>1,804</b>
	Western	1	1,234	326	38	9	<b>1,694</b>
	Northern	-	1,565	374	49	14	<b>2,143</b>
	Gozo and Comino	-	627	234	27	17	<b>979</b>
	<b>Total</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>8,609</b>	<b>1,873</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>77</b>
2021	Southern Harbour	-	1,274	134	29	10	<b>1,502</b>
	Northern Harbour	-	2,159	248	35	12	<b>2,552</b>
	South Eastern	2	1,229	216	27	8	<b>1,547</b>
	Western	-	1,022	199	34	9	<b>1,319</b>
	Northern	1	1,399	252	36	10	<b>1,829</b>
	Gozo and Comino	2	544	190	25	6	<b>868</b>
	<b>Total</b>		<b>5</b>	<b>7,627</b>	<b>1,239</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>55</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.11. Newly licensed motor vehicles by motor energy type and vehicle category: 2021 ...

Vehicle category	Motor energy type					
	Petrol	Diesel	Electric	Mild Hybrid (Petrol-Electric)	Mild Hybrid (Diesel-Electric)	LPG
Agricultural	1	119	-	-	-	-
Coach and private bus	-	7	-	-	-	-
Minibus	-	92	-	-	-	-
Route bus	-	1	6	-	-	-
Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	3,744	1	847	-	-	-
E-Kick Scooter	-	-	1,075	-	-	-
Quad and ATV	53	-	10	-	-	-
Passenger car	8,257	1,882	506	1,233	70	-
Goods-carrying vehicle	144	1,694	48	-	3	-
Special purpose vehicle	5	227	6	-	-	13
Road tractor	1	55	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,205</b>	<b>4,078</b>	<b>2,498</b>	<b>1,233</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>% of Total</b>	<b>58.0</b>	<b>19.4</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.1</b>

Source: Transport Malta

... TABLE 3.2.11. Newly licensed motor vehicles by motor energy type and vehicle category: 2021

Vehicle category	Motor energy type				Total
	Combined (Petrol-LPG)	Combined (Diesel-LPG)	Plug-in Hybrid (Petrol-Electric)	Plug-in Hybrid (Diesel-Electric)	
Agricultural	-	-	-	-	120
Coach and private bus	-	-	-	-	7
Minibus	-	-	-	-	92
Route bus	-	-	-	-	7
Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	-	-	-	-	4,592
E-Kick Scooter	-	-	-	-	1,075
Quad and ATV	-	-	-	-	63
Passenger car	33	-	888	8	12,877
Goods-carrying vehicle	3	-	-	-	1,892
Special purpose vehicle	1	1	-	-	253
Road tractor	-	-	-	-	56
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>888</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>21,034</b>
<b>% of Total</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.12. Newly licensed motor vehicles by vehicle category, engine capacity or gross vehicle weight: 2017-2021

Vehicle category	Engine capacity / Gross vehicle weight (GVW)	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Agricultural</b>		53	86	85	142	120
<b>Coach and private bus, minibus, route bus</b>						
Coach and private bus		67	15	47	18	7
Minibus		10	75	206	142	92
Mini Route Bus		-	8	6	-	1
Route Bus		28	-	40	52	6
<b>Motorcycle, Quad/ATV, E-Bicycle, PA-E</b>						
	<b>Engine capacity (cc)</b>					
Motorcycle, E-Bicycle and PA-Bicycle	<50	35	113	694	123	873
	>=50	2,895	3,171	3,072	2,666	3,719
E-Kick Scooter		-	-	-	191	1,075
Quad and ATV		90	72	59	84	63
<b>Passenger car</b>						
	<b>Engine capacity (cc)</b>					
	<=1,300	7,523	8,012	7,846	5,503	6,407
	1,301 - 1,449	2,842	3,210	2,964	2,115	2,126
	1,450 - 1,500	2,060	2,453	2,729	1,538	1,603
	1,501 - 1,800	3,046	2,705	2,158	1,460	971
	1,801 - 2,000	1,862	1,681	1,631	1,392	854
	>2,000	1,396	1,418	1,561	1,203	916
<b>Commercial vehicle</b>						
	<b>GVW (kg)</b>					
Goods-carrying vehicle	<=3,500	2,153	2,473	2,549	1,895	1,397
	3,501-6,000	232	222	293	262	271
	6,001-12,000	151	233	241	196	130
	12,001-15,000	15	18	12	13	9
	>15,000	138	154	156	137	85
Special purpose vehicle	<=3,500	23	34	34	35	21
	3,501-6,000	25	32	24	25	30
	6,001-12,000	59	54	88	71	68
	12,001-15,000	18	18	14	20	20
	>15,000	98	151	188	114	114
Road Tractor	<=3,500	-	-	-	-	-
	3,501-6,000	-	-	-	-	-
	6,001-12,000	-	2	-	-	1
	12,001-15,000	-	-	-	-	-
	>15,000	69	87	100	83	55
<b>Total</b>		<b>24,888</b>	<b>26,497</b>	<b>26,797</b>	<b>19,480</b>	<b>21,034</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.13. Motor vehicles with restriction terminated during 2021

Vehicle category	Exported <sup>1</sup>	Garaged	Resale	Other <sup>2</sup>	Total
Agricultural	-	71	-	1	72
Coach and private bus	1	57	-	2	60
Minibus	-	79	7	-	86
Route bus	-	18	-	-	18
Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	2	1,250	560	20	1,832
E-Kick Scooter	-	-	-	-	-
Quad and ATV	-	87	7	-	94
Passenger car	28	6,801	7,922	61	14,812
Goods-carrying vehicle	3	791	719	22	1,535
Special purpose vehicle	1	112	19	-	132
Road tractor	5	26	6	-	37
<b>Total</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>9,292</b>	<b>9,240</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>18,678</b>

<sup>1</sup> Motor vehicles that have been imported back.

<sup>2</sup> Other minor restrictions such as seized by police, no engine, etc.

Note: Data provided as at end of year.

Source: Transport Malta.

TABLE 3.2.14. Motor vehicles with restriction initiated during 2021

Vehicle category	Exported	Garaged	Scrapped	Resale	Other <sup>1</sup>	Total
Agricultural	1	122	10	2	-	135
Coach and private bus	-	48	3	-	-	51
Minibus	-	82	24	6	-	112
Route bus	-	3	7	-	-	10
Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	43	1,736	544	517	16	2,856
E-Kick Scooter	-	-	1	1	-	2
Quad and ATV	1	131	16	9	-	157
Passenger car	177	5,363	8,978	7,401	207	22,126
Goods-carrying vehicle	26	1,137	724	723	39	2,649
Special purpose vehicle	1	222	78	21	1	323
Road tractor	15	66	24	6	2	113
<b>Total</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>8,910</b>	<b>10,409</b>	<b>8,686</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>28,534</b>

<sup>1</sup> Other minor restrictions such as seized by police, no engine, etc.

Note: Data provided as at end of year.

Source: Transport Malta.



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TABLE 3.2.15. Stock of licensed motor vehicles by vehicle category and age group: 2021 ...

Age group (years)	Agricultural	Coach and private bus	Minibus	Route bus	Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	E-Kick Scooter
<2	23	-	128	57	4,948	808
2-4	45	5	169	76	7,886	330
5-9	175	38	398	176	7,790	1
10-19	610	187	469	133	7,490	-
20-29	396	73	290	5	3,434	-
30-39	588	23	59	-	1,537	-
40-49	398	1	9	2	1,856	-
50-59	153	3	3	-	347	-
60-69	23	6	2	-	357	-
70-79	2	3	-	-	127	-
>=80	1	7	2	1	113	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,414</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>1,529</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>35,885</b>	<b>1,139</b>

Source: Transport Malta

... TABLE 3.2.15. Stock of licensed motor vehicles by vehicle category and age group: 2021

Age group (years)	Quad and ATV	Passenger car	Goods-carrying vehicle	Special purpose vehicle	Road tractor	Total
<2	90	7,593	918	78	6	14,649
2-4	151	27,691	2,862	148	29	39,392
5-9	315	68,097	8,217	298	235	85,740
10-19	689	123,917	14,850	1,422	414	150,181
20-29	17	62,277	15,289	1,220	343	83,344
30-39	-	14,456	7,221	589	109	24,582
40-49	-	4,557	1,387	223	11	8,444
50-59	-	3,459	631	53	2	4,651
60-69	-	841	149	6	-	1,384
70-79	-	132	84	-	-	348
>=80	-	157	22	1	-	304
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,262</b>	<b>313,177</b>	<b>51,630</b>	<b>4,038</b>	<b>1,149</b>	<b>413,019</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.16. Newly licensed 'new' motor vehicles by vehicle category and age group: 2021 ...

Age group (years)	Agricultural	Coach and private bus	Minibus	Route bus	Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	E-Kick Scooter
<=1	14	-	75	7	3,837	743
2	1	-	2	-	218	324
3	-	-	1	-	89	5
4	-	-	1	-	53	-
5	-	-	1	-	6	1
>5	2	-	-	-	8	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4,211</b>	<b>1,073</b>

Source: Transport Malta

... TABLE 3.2.16. Newly licensed 'new' motor vehicles by vehicle category and age group: 2021

Age group (years)	Quad and ATV	Passenger car	Goods-carrying vehicle	Special purpose vehicle	Road tractor	Total
<=1	54	4917	625	58	1	10,331
2	1	295	24	5	-	870
3	2	36	2	4	-	139
4	-	2	2	-	-	58
5	-	-	-	-	-	8
>5	1	-	-	-	-	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>5,250</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11,417</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.17. Newly licensed 'used' motor vehicles by vehicle category and age group: 2021 ...

Age group (years)	Agricultural	Coach and private bus	Minibus	Route bus	Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	E-Kick Scooter
<=2	1	-	-	-	39	2
3-5	18	-	7	-	44	-
6-10	18	4	5	-	53	-
11-20	15	3	-	-	92	-
21-30	24	-	-	-	29	-
31-40	12	-	-	-	15	-
41-50	10	-	-	-	48	-
51-60	4	-	-	-	23	-
61-70	1	-	-	-	23	-
71-80	-	-	-	-	9	-
>80	-	-	-	-	6	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>381</b>	<b>2</b>

Source: Transport Malta

... TABLE 3.2.17. Newly licensed 'used' motor vehicles by vehicle category and age group: 2021

Age group (years)	Quad and ATV	Passenger Car	Goods-carrying vehicle	Special purpose vehicle	Road tractor	Total
<=2	1	258	14	4	1	320
3-5	1	2777	218	3	6	3,074
6-10	1	3918	675	56	41	4,771
11-20	2	203	319	111	6	751
21-30	-	139	2	10	-	204
31-40	-	151	2	1	-	181
41-50	-	48	-	1	1	108
51-60	-	87	1	-	-	115
61-70	-	31	5	-	-	60
71-80	-	6	3	-	-	18
>80	-	9	-	-	-	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7,627</b>	<b>1,239</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>9,617</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.18. Average age of motor vehicles as at end of year by vehicle category: 2017-2021

Vehicle category	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Agricultural	26.27	26.78	27.20	27.29	27.80
Coach and private bus	19.23	20.32	19.66	20.31	19.85
Minibus	14.34	14.28	13.07	12.63	12.61
Route bus	4.59	5.49	6.07	5.85	6.62
Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	14.13	13.82	13.25	13.35	12.66
E-Kick Scooter	-	-	-	0.26	0.70
Quad and ATV	7.79	8.34	8.97	9.63	10.04
Passenger car	14.13	14.18	14.26	14.66	14.98
Goods-carrying vehicle	19.03	18.94	18.82	19.01	19.33
Special purpose vehicle	21.78	21.59	21.20	21.11	21.04
Road tractor	17.34	17.35	17.15	17.18	17.39
<b>Overall average age</b>	<b>14.86</b>	<b>14.87</b>	<b>14.87</b>	<b>15.21</b>	<b>15.39</b>

Source: Transport Malta

TABLE 3.2.19. Average age of motor vehicles (less than 40 years) as at end of year by vehicle category: 2017-2021

Vehicle category	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Agricultural	22.49	22.65	22.61	21.78	21.82
Coach and private bus	17.01	17.25	15.81	16.16	16.69
Minibus	13.83	13.77	12.60	12.20	12.17
Route bus	4.47	5.37	5.82	5.50	6.29
Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	12.00	11.57	10.88	10.42	9.50
E-Kick Scooter	-	-	-	0.26	0.70
Quad and ATV	7.79	8.34	8.97	9.63	10.04
Passenger car	13.32	13.31	13.33	13.66	13.92
Goods-carrying vehicle	17.91	17.80	17.65	17.72	17.97
Special purpose vehicle	20.08	19.81	19.35	19.23	19.14
Road tractor	17.22	17.12	16.91	16.88	17.07
<b>Overall average age</b>	<b>13.88</b>	<b>13.83</b>	<b>13.77</b>	<b>13.99</b>	<b>14.08</b>
<b>% of motor vehicles &lt;40 years</b>	<b>97.2</b>	<b>97.1</b>	<b>97.0</b>	<b>96.6</b>	<b>96.3</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.20. Average age of passenger cars as at end of year by district: 2017-2021

District	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Southern Harbour	15.41	15.48	15.61	15.91	16.24
Northern Harbour	13.76	13.74	13.83	14.28	14.54
South Eastern	14.47	14.48	14.59	14.87	15.26
Western	13.80	13.81	13.63	14.30	14.69
Northern	13.17	13.29	13.27	13.76	14.11
Gozo and Comino	14.80	15.04	15.08	15.49	15.81
<b>Overall average age</b>	<b>14.13</b>	<b>14.18</b>	<b>14.26</b>	<b>14.66</b>	<b>14.98</b>

Source: Transport Malta

TABLE 3.2.21. Average age of newly licensed motor vehicles as at end of year by vehicle category: 2021

Vehicle category	Average age		
	New	Used	Total
Agricultural	1.53	21.76	18.89
Coach and private bus	-	9.14	9.14
Minibus	0.38	5.25	1.01
Route bus	0.86	-	0.86
Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	0.50	24.73	2.51
E-Kick Scooter	0.68	-	4.89
Quad and ATV	0.84	7.00	1.33
Passenger car	0.40	7.99	4.89
Goods-carrying vehicle	0.29	8.99	5.99
Special purpose vehicle	0.51	12.54	9.36
Road tractor	-	8.60	8.45
<b>Overall average age</b>	<b>0.46</b>	<b>9.02</b>	<b>4.37</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.22. Average age of scrapped motor vehicles as at end of year by vehicle category: 2017-2021

Vehicle category	Average age				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Agricultural	-	-	23.00	-	39.00
Coach and private bus	17.33	34.50	20.54	35.83	28.33
Minibus	20.15	25.27	25.42	22.55	24.50
Route bus	11.00	-	12.57	14.50	29.71
Motorcycle/ E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle	22.57	20.59	18.90	18.92	21.29
E-Kick Scooter	-	-	-	-	2.00
Quad and ATV	10.00	11.50	12.00	9.00	12.88
Passenger car	22.19	22.30	22.03	22.06	23.00
Goods-carrying vehicle	26.38	25.89	26.48	26.26	28.19
Special purpose vehicle	31.30	35.07	33.86	31.71	27.74
Road tractor	23.64	29.09	26.38	28.20	28.00
<b>Overall average age</b>	<b>22.51</b>	<b>22.59</b>	<b>22.28</b>	<b>22.31</b>	<b>23.32</b>

Note: '-' No scrapped vehicle was recorded in this category

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.23. Vehicle Road-worthiness Test (VRT): 2021

Month	Class	Type 1								Type 2
		Initial test				Re-test				Initial and re-test
		Passed test	Passed minor	Failed major	Failed dangerous	Passed test	Passed minor	Failed major	Failed dangerous	Passed
January	2A	2,134	205	324	50	325	2	-	-	766
	2B	15,864	952	1,330	293	1,460	12	-	-	
	3	1,072	185	248	20	230	1	3	-	
February	2A	1,822	193	275	48	305	3	2	-	710
	2B	12,672	747	1,097	240	1,253	13	2	-	
	3	1,061	157	185	29	211	2	-	-	
March	2A	2,206	265	309	51	334	3	-	-	619
	2B	13,283	771	934	243	1,088	25	1	-	
	3	1,087	220	208	21	207	1	-	-	
April	2A	2,402	275	296	64	350	3	-	-	684
	2B	13,060	689	976	186	1,087	20	-	-	
	3	1,180	210	228	23	234	1	-	-	
May	2A	1,930	235	251	42	264	3	2	-	666
	2B	10,901	621	811	150	870	9	2	-	
	3	1,045	218	198	27	213	3	-	-	
June	2A	2,071	231	243	51	288	2	-	-	567
	2B	12,589	638	862	155	926	24	-	-	
	3	1,055	193	203	15	207	1	1	-	
July	2A	1,976	206	211	41	235	3	-	-	693
	2B	13,828	710	805	171	914	11	-	-	
	3	981	264	202	8	184	4	3	1	
August	2A	1,650	170	155	24	169	1	-	-	659
	2B	10,410	476	609	111	669	9	-	-	
	3	925	224	178	9	165	2	-	-	
September	2A	1,709	235	206	23	208	3	-	-	625
	2B	9,604	555	625	101	657	14	-	-	
	3	843	235	133	8	133	4	-	-	
October	2A	1,982	217	226	32	241	2	-	-	622
	2B	12,801	725	895	122	916	16	2	-	
	3	943	227	205	9	196	3	-	-	
November	2A	1,669	191	175	21	185	1	-	-	606
	2B	10,503	622	739	146	814	15	2	-	
	3	863	186	161	10	160	2	-	-	
December	2A	1,493	154	157	21	156	4	-	-	603
	2B	10,710	611	661	137	729	19	1	-	
	3	862	140	129	7	125	3	1	-	

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.24. Transport-related government schemes: 2017-2021

Year	Scrappage Scheme		LPG conversion
	Conventional	Electric	
2017	1,407	105	59
2018	1,270	228	142
2019	1,637	299	203
2020	1,301	513	121
2021	1,208	1,079	177

Source: Transport Malta

TABLE 3.2.25. Motor vehicles per country's dimensions: 2017-2021

Ratios	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Total motor vehicles per square km	1,177	1,219	1,258	1,274	1,307
Total passenger cars per square km	923	950	972	976	991
Total motor vehicles per square km of roads	16,287	16,868	17,401	17,619	18,083
Total passenger cars per square km of roads	12,776	13,141	13,447	13,501	13,712
Total motor vehicles per one km length of roads	130	135	139	141	145
Total passenger cars per one km length of roads	102	105	108	108	110

Notes:

1. Maltese Islands' approximate total surface area is 316 sq. km.
2. Road area and length are calculated on estimated road length of 2,855.48km as at end 2019. The average width of roads is estimated at 0.008km. Therefore, total estimated area of roads in Malta and Gozo is 22.84 sq. km (rounded by 2 decimal places).
3. Data is subject to revision.

Source: Transport Malta



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TABLE 3.2.26. Rate of motorisation by district: 2021

Indicators	Southern Harbour	Northern Harbour	South Eastern	Western	Northern	Gozo and Comino	Total
Number of residents	86,009	157,297	77,948	65,266	93,755	39,287	<b>519,562</b>
Number of households (SILC 20)	32,909	72,428	29,281	22,967	37,042	13,957	<b>208,584</b>
Number of motor vehicles per 1,000 total residents	750	683	807	932	806	1,064	<b>795</b>
Number of motor vehicles per 1,000 residents aged 18 and over	885	794	975	1,116	966	1,254	<b>941</b>
Number of passenger cars per 1000 total residents	597	541	610	698	603	691	<b>603</b>
Number of passenger cars per 1,000 residents aged 18 and over	705	628	738	836	723	814	<b>714</b>
Number of motor vehicles per 1,000 driving licence holders	1,454	1,499	1,444	1,523	1,607	1,622	<b>1,517</b>
Number of driving licence holders per 1000 total residents	516	456	559	612	501	656	<b>524</b>
Number of driving licence holders per 1000 total residents aged 18+	609	530	675	733	601	773	<b>621</b>
Number of motor vehicles per household	2.0	1.5	2.1	2.6	2.0	3.0	<b>2.0</b>
Number of passenger cars per household	1.6	1.2	1.6	2.0	1.5	1.9	<b>1.5</b>

## Notes:

1. Data is provisional and subject to revision.
2. Only Maltese driving licences are accounted for in the calculations above.
3. Population data is as at Census date, 21 November 2021.
4. Number of households from SILC 20 is yet to reflect population data as per Census of Population and Housing 2021. Thus, data is subject to revision.

Source: Transport Malta, SILC and Demographic Statistics NSO

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TABLE 3.2.27. Number of motor vehicles stolen monthly by vehicle category: 2021

Month	2020		2021		
	Total	Motorcycle / Quad and ATV	Passenger Car	Commercial <sup>1</sup>	Total
January	15	2	10	4	16
February	17	5	5	2	12
March	16	3	8	3	14
April	9	6	9	0	15
May	15	5	10	2	17
June	17	4	10	1	15
July	17	5	20	6	31
August	18	3	25	1	29
September	15	6	14	2	22
October	11	4	16	4	24
November	9	4	10	5	19
December	13	14	14	1	29
<b>Total</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>243</b>
...of which recovered	85	26	57	11	94

<sup>1</sup> Commercial includes goods-carrying vehicles, special purpose vehicles and road tractors.

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.2.28. Stock of trailers by Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW): 2017-2021

GVW (kg)	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<=750	21	21	22	22	22
751-3500	13	13	14	14	14
3501-10000	137	145	157	168	175
>10000	1,749	1,897	2,066	2,148	2,291
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,920</b>	<b>2,076</b>	<b>2,259</b>	<b>2,352</b>	<b>2,502</b>

Source: Transport Malta

TABLE 3.2.29. Stock of trailers by age group: 2017-2021

Age group / years	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<=2	73	91	70	45	33
3-5	94	89	100	105	106
6-10	253	214	239	295	341
11-20	882	972	1,037	994	1,018
>20	618	710	813	913	1,004
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,920</b>	<b>2,076</b>	<b>2,259</b>	<b>2,352</b>	<b>2,502</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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## Methodological Notes

1. Any vehicle-related and driving licences data is based on data provided by Transport Malta. In Table 3.2.26, household and population data is based on Statistics on Income and Living Conditions (SILC) and Demographic Statistics at NSO respectively.
2. Data may be subject to revision.
3. Data is being presented in consistency with international counterparts (Eurostat/ITF/UNECE) according to the 5th edition of the [Illustrated Glossary for Transport Statistics](#).
4. Definitions on road vehicles:

<b>Stock of road vehicles</b>	Number of road vehicles registered at a given date in a country and licensed to be used on roads open to public traffic.
<b>Road vehicle</b>	A vehicle running on wheels and intended for use on roads.
<b>Agricultural</b>	Motor vehicle, normally a tractor, designed exclusively or primarily for agricultural purposes; licensed to be used on roads open to public traffic.
<b>Commercial vehicle</b>	Road vehicle designed, exclusively or primarily, to carry goods. This category also includes special purpose vehicles and road tractors.
<b>Garage Hire</b>	Chauffeur-driven car for hire (taxi) with driver without pre-determined routes. The method of hire is normally: (i) Flagging down the street; (ii) Picking up at a designated taxi rank; (iii) Telephoning for collection; (iv) Booking through mobile apps or internet.
<b>Minibus / mini-coach</b>	Passenger road motor vehicle designed to carry 10-23 seated or standing persons (including the driver). Refers to class A and class B of categories M2 and M3 of the UN Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles (R.E.3).
<b>Electric car</b>	Electrically operated car, totally independent of fuel-driven engine.
<b>Electric motorcycle</b>	Electrically operated motorcycle, totally independent of fuel-driven engine.
<b>Route bus</b>	Bus licensed to operate on established bus routes.
<b>Self-drive car / motorcycle</b>	Passenger road motor vehicle available for hire (without chauffeur). A 'K' plate is assigned to all vehicles falling in this category.
<b>Taxi</b>	Licensed passenger car for hire with driver without pre-determined routes. The method of hire is normally: (i) Flagging down the street; (ii) Picking up at a designated taxi rank; (iii) Telephoning for collection. In Malta this category refers only to a specific taxi licence and commonly recognised as white taxis.
<b>Trailer</b>	Goods road vehicle designed to be hauled by a road motor vehicle. With semi-trailers (see B.II-30), refers to category O of the UN Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles (R.E.3).
<b>Trolleybus</b>	Passenger road vehicle designed to seat more than 9 persons (including the driver), which is connected to electric conductors and which is not rail-borne. This term covers vehicles which are sometimes used as trolleybuses and sometimes as buses (since they have an independent motor).
<b>Passenger car</b>	A road vehicle designed, exclusively or primarily, to carry one or more persons. Included are: motorcycles, mopeds, passenger cars, vans designed and used primarily for transport of passengers, taxis, hire cars, ambulances, buses, coaches and minibuses, motor homes.
<b>Moped</b>	Two, three or four-wheeled road motor vehicle which is fitted with an engine having a cylinder capacity of less than 50cc and a maximum authorized design speed in accordance with national regulations. Where limitations concerning the engine displacement are not applicable a restriction in terms of motor power may be in force. Refers to categories L1 and L2 of the UN Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles (R.E.3).
<b>Motorcycle</b>	Two-, three- or four-wheeled road motor vehicle not exceeding 400 kg of unladen weight. All such vehicles with a cylinder capacity of 50 cc or over are included, as are those under 50 cc which do not meet the definition of moped. Refers to categories L3, L4, L5, L6 and L7 of the UN Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles (R.E.3).
<b>E-Bicycle/ PA-Bicycle</b>	Bicycle with supportive electrical power unit. Due to the negligible number of powered bicycles, such data is included with motorcycles.

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<b>E-Kick Scooter</b>	A stand-up device that has a handlebar, a deck and small hard wheels powered by an electric motor and which also allows for human propulsion.
<b>Passenger car</b>	Road motor vehicle, other than a moped or a motorcycle intended for the carriage of passengers and designed to seat no more than nine persons (including the driver). Refers to category M1 of the UN Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles (R.E.3). Class 1: < 1300 cc Class 2: 1301 - 1449 cc Class 3: 1450 - 1500 cc Class 4: 1501 - 1800 cc Class 5: 1801 - 2000 cc Class 6: > 2000 cc
<b>Coach and private bus</b>	Passenger road motor vehicle designed to seat 24 or more persons (including the driver) and constructed exclusively for the carriage of seated passengers. Refers to class III of categories M2 and M3 of the UN Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles (R.E.3).
<b>Goods-carrying vehicle</b>	Road vehicle designed, exclusively or primarily, to carry goods. Included are: (a) light goods vehicles with a gross vehicle weight of not more than 3,500kg, designed exclusively or primarily to carry goods, e.g. vans and pick-ups; (b) heavy goods road vehicles with a gross vehicle weight above 3,500kg, designed exclusively and primarily, to carry goods.
<b>Light goods-carrying vehicle</b>	Goods road vehicle with a gross vehicle weight of not more than 3,500kg designed, exclusively or primarily, to carry goods.
<b>Heavy goods-carrying vehicle</b>	Goods road vehicle with a gross vehicle weight above 3,500kg designed, exclusively or primarily, to carry goods.
<b>Road tractor</b>	Road motor vehicle designed, exclusively or primarily, to haul other road vehicles which are not power driven (mainly semi-trailers).
<b>Articulated vehicle</b>	Road tractor coupled to a semi-trailer.
<b>Special purpose vehicle</b>	Road motor vehicle designed for purposes other than the carriage of passengers or goods. Can be a vehicle of categories M, N or O of the UN Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles (R.E.3). This category includes: fire brigade vehicles; mobile cranes; self-propelled rollers; bulldozers with metallic wheels or track; vehicles for recording film, radio and TV broadcasting; mobile library vehicles; mobile kiosks; towing vehicles for vehicles in need of repair; other special purpose road motor vehicles.

## Alternative vehicle motorisation types

- **Electric/battery-operated:** electrically operated motor vehicle, totally independent of a fuel-driven engine.
- **Mild hybrid petrol-electric vehicle (not plug-in):** road motor vehicle using petrol for propulsion, with an additional one or more electric motors for propulsion, where the electric motor(s) are powered from a traction battery which is charged by a generator driven by the petrol engine. Plug-in hybrid petrol-electric vehicles are not included.
- **Mild hybrid diesel-electric vehicle (not plug-in):** road motor vehicle using diesel for propulsion, with an additional one or more electric motors for propulsion, where the electric motor(s) are powered from a traction battery which is charged by a generator driven by the diesel engine. Plug-in hybrid diesel-electric vehicles are not included.
- **Plug-in hybrid petrol-electric vehicle:** hybrid petrol-electric vehicle where the traction battery can also be charged from an external electricity source (such as an electric socket). Hybrid petrol-electric vehicles are not included.
- **Plug-in hybrid diesel-electric vehicle:** hybrid diesel-electric vehicle where the traction battery can also be charged from an external electricity source (such as an electric socket). Hybrid diesel-electric vehicles are not included.
- **Combined:** a combined engine motor vehicle is one that uses two or more distinct non-electric power sources. Combination types include: Petrol/LPG, Diesel/LPG.

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### Vehicle restrictions

- **Restriction:** is a condition imposed on a vehicle's licence. Restrictions can be either temporary such as garaged, seized, resale, etc., or permanent (i.e. vehicle is indefinitely removed from circulation on national territory), such as exported, scrapped or destroyed. In this publication only data of the main four restrictions (resale, exported, scrapped, garaged) are reported.
- **Garaged:** vehicle no longer licensed for use on the road. This category excludes vehicles which have been scrapped or exported. A vehicle may be garaged for a particular period, then re-licensed after this period.
- **Exported:** vehicle licensed in Malta which has been exported.
- **Scrapped:** vehicle which has been scrapped and therefore, indefinitely removed from circulation. There are instances where a vehicle is unscrapped and restored such as in the cases of vintage cars.
- **Re-sale:** vehicle which has been de-licensed and put up for re-sale.
- **Other:** other minor restrictions such as seized by police, no engine, etc.

**VERA** Vehicle Registration and Administrative System database. It is the only register that contains the complete details of all vehicles registered and licensed in Malta.

### 5. VRT (Vehicle Road-Worthiness Test)

Malta is implementing the below changes to the VRT test in accordance with the Directive 2014/45/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council, which aims to ensure a harmonised, high quality VRT test across EU member states. The cost of the VRT test will not be increased due to these changes.

- (i) **Pass - The vehicle has passed the test and meets the minimum required standard**
  - Pass with Minor Defects - The vehicle has passed the test because the defects found have no significant effect on the safety of the vehicle or impact on the environment. Defects found need to be repaired as soon as possible.
  - Fail with Major Defects - The vehicle has not passed the VRT test since the defects found may affect the vehicle's safety, put other road users at risk or have an impact on the environment. The vehicle needs to be repaired within 16 days and re-tested.
  - Fail with Dangerous Defects - The vehicle has not passed the VRT test since it constitutes a direct and immediate risk to road safety or has a serious impact on the environment. The vehicle cannot be driven on the road until it is repaired and re-tested.
- (ii) **Diesel emissions**
  - There will be stricter enforcement on those vehicles which were originally manufactured with a Diesel Particulate Filter (DPF) and which are found to be tampered with. This will also apply to Heavy Goods Vehicles using Adblue, specifically in cases where the DPF is found to have been bypassed or eliminated. Vehicles will fail the test if they emit smoke of any colour from the exhaust. Diesel fuel has a greater negative impact on the environment and health risk factors than other fuels. The revised VRT test will make sure the Emission Control Devices are not tampered with.
- (iii) **Vehicle lights**
  - The revised VRT test will ascertain that all vehicles manufactured since September 2009 have working reverse lights and for vehicles which were manufactured with headlight washers, the latter must be working. The test will check that vehicles manufactured since March 2018 have working Daytime running lights. Any Malfunction Indicator Lamps showing a fault in any of the vehicle systems is considered as a failing item.
- (iv) **VRT test following a serious accident**
  - A vehicle involved in a serious accident must undertake an ad hoc VRT test, following repairs, to confirm the safety of the vehicle and whether it has an impact on the environment.
- (v) **Penalties**
  - Vehicle owners who fail to co-operate and abide with the VRT Tester's instructions can be fined up to a maximum of €500 if found guilty. Individuals who are suspected of tampering with an Odometer can be fined up to a maximum of €200, if found guilty.

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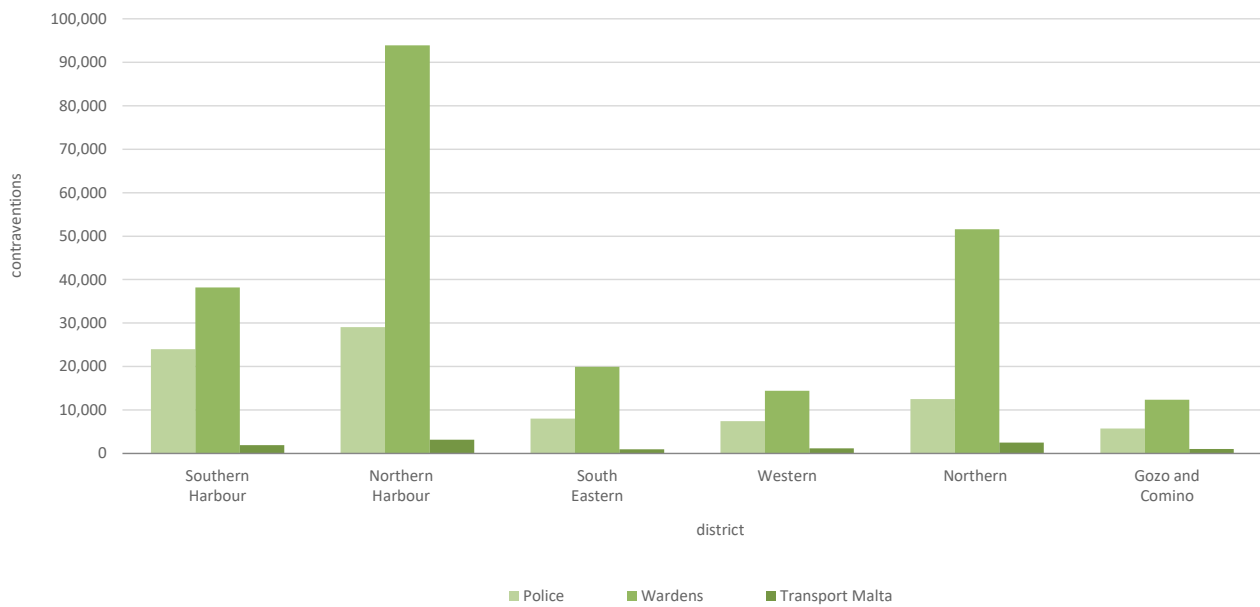
- (vi) **VRT test for tractors**
  - Road tractors having a maximum speed exceeding 40KM/h are now subject to a VRT test.
- (vii) **Type 1** Represents manual and online tests carried out on vehicles.
- (viii) **Type 2** Represents tests carried out manually and later inputted online (showing passed only for both initial and retest). These include the VRT tests done on imported vehicles before they are registered on VERA. The test results are inputted in the VERA manually after the registration of the vehicles. They are all PASSED.
- (ix) **Class 2** Motor Vehicles with gross vehicle weight less than 3,500 kgs.
  - Class 2A** Midi buses, mini buses and vans (g.v.w. under 3500kgs).  
Midi buses, mini buses and vans with a seating capacity more than 8 seats excluding driver.  
Motor vehicles used for the road carriage of goods (commercial vehicles - g.v.w. under 3,500kgs).  
Trailers, semi-trailers and other towed vehicles (g.v.w. under 3500kgs).
  - Class 2B** Taxis (g.v.w. under 3500kgs).  
Ambulances (g.v.w. under 3500kgs).  
Chauffeur driven vehicles (g.v.w. under 3500kgs).  
Self-drive vehicles (g.v.w. under 3500kgs).  
Other light passenger vehicles (g.v.w. under 3500kgs).  
Midi buses, mini buses and vans with a seating capacity not more than 8 seats excluding driver.
  - Class 3** Motor Vehicles with gross vehicle weight greater than or equal to 3,500 kg.  
Route buses, coaches, private buses, midi buses, minibuses and vans.  
Motor vehicles used for the road carriage of goods.  
Trailers, semi-trailers and other towed vehicles.

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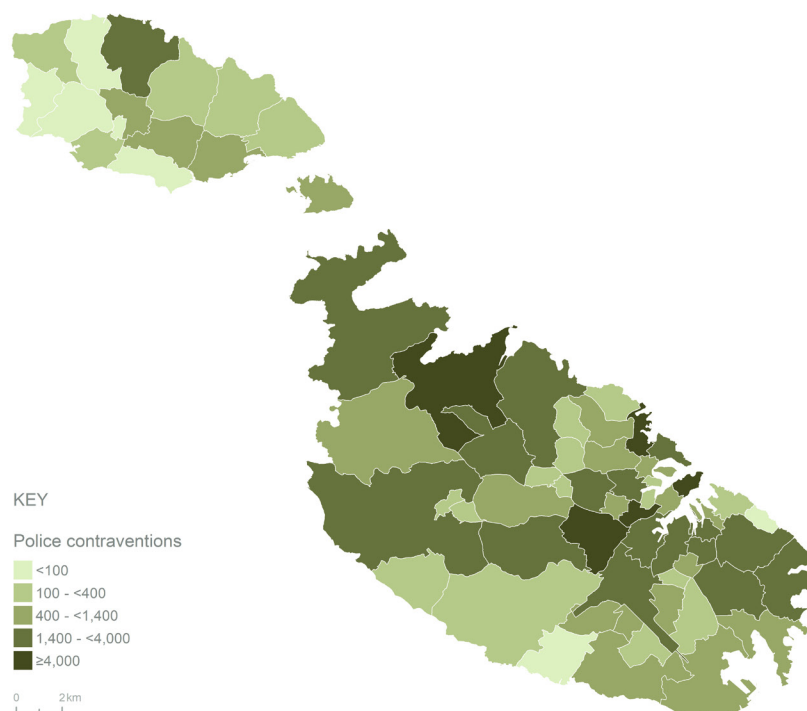
3.3. TRANSPORT-RELATED CONTRAVENTIONS

During 2021, transport-related contraventions totalled 327,633 of which 230,360 were issued by Wardens, 86,677 by Police and 10,596 by Transport Malta. The largest amount of these transport-related contraventions was handed out in the Northern Harbour district, amounting to 126,155 or 38.5 per cent of the total (**Chart 3.3.1**). San Ġiljan registered the largest number of transport-related contraventions issued by Police, whereas San Pawl Il-Baħar recorded the largest number of transport-related contraventions issued by Wardens, recording 7,919 and 19,729 contraventions respectively. Transport Malta issued the most transport-related contraventions in San Pawl Il-Baħar, adding up to 1,331 contraventions during 2021 (**Maps 3.3.1-3.3.3**).

CHART 3.3.1. Total transport-related contraventions issued by Police, Wardens and Transport Malta in 2021 by district



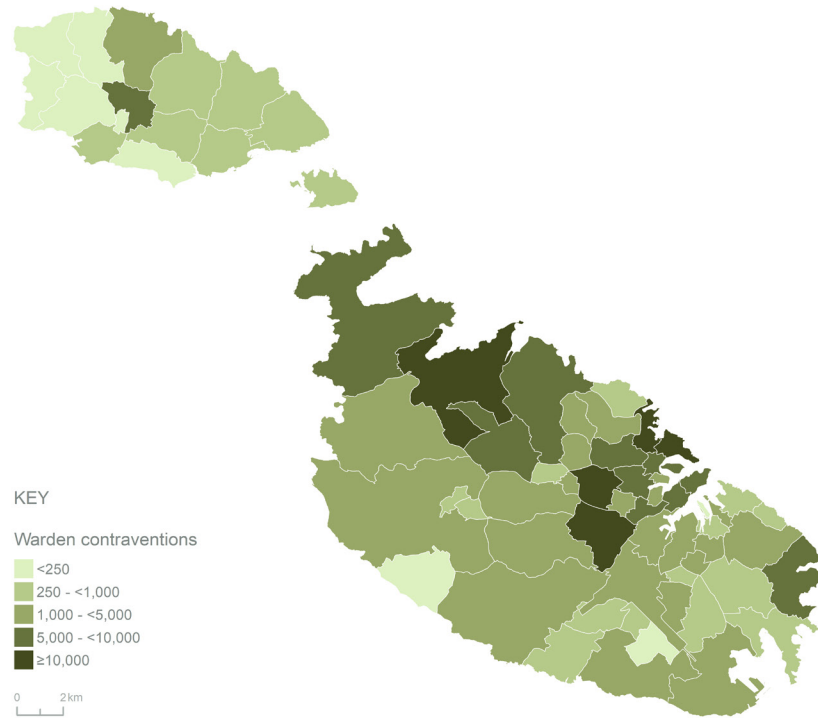
MAP 3.3.1. Transport-related contraventions issued by Police by locality: 2021



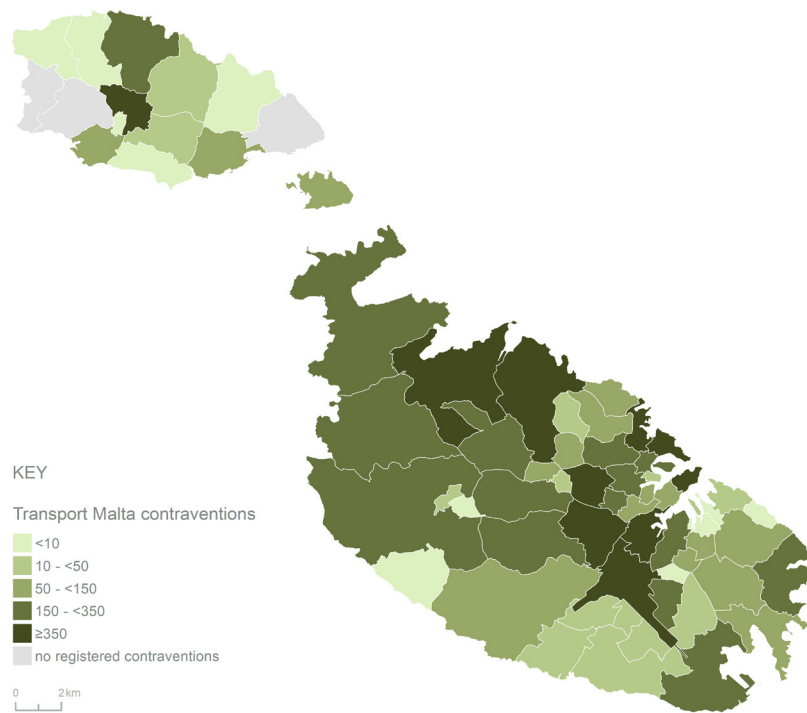


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MAP 3.3.2. Transport-related contraventions issued by Wardens by locality: 2021



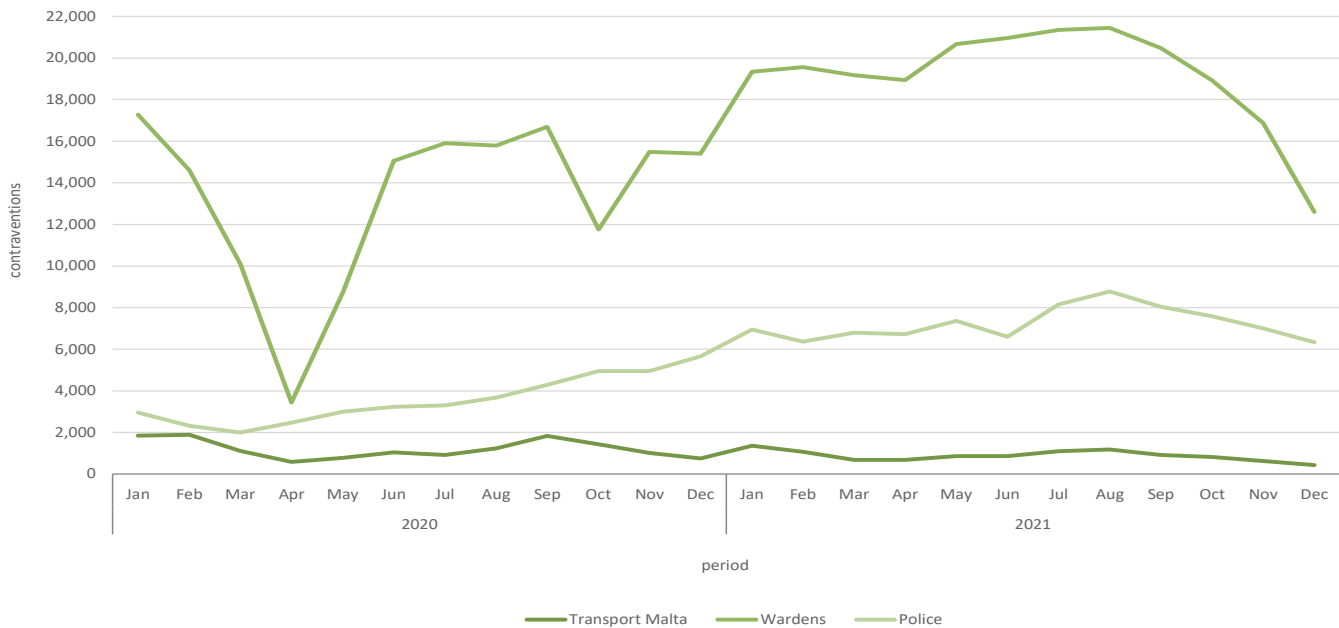
MAP 3.3.3. Transport-related contraventions issued by Transport Malta by locality: 2021



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In 2021, the most transport-related contraventions were issued in August with 31,388 fines; while the least amount was issued during December with 19,373 fines (**Chart 3.3.2 and Tables 3.3.1, 3.3.4, 3.3.7**).

**CHART 3.3.2. Total transport-related contraventions issued by Police, Wardens and Transport Malta by month: 2020-2021**

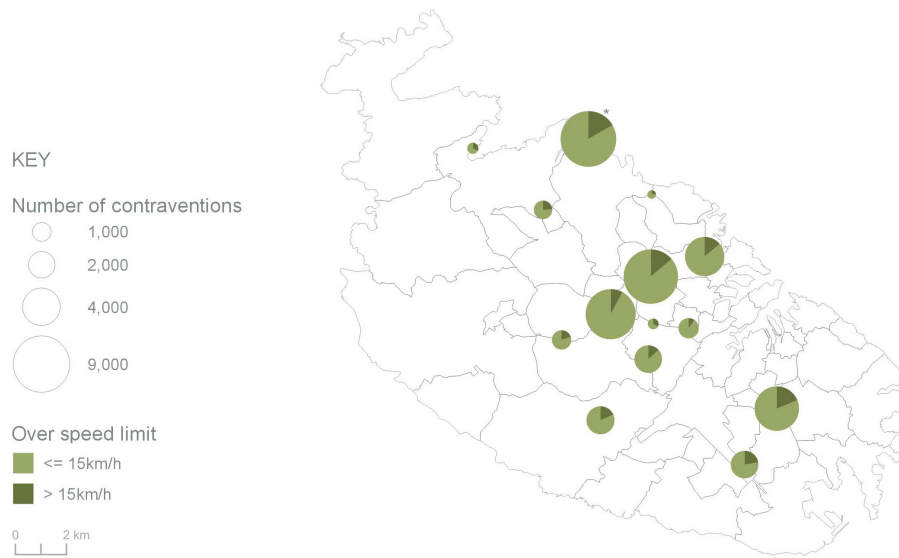


During 2021, the highest number of transport-related contraventions issued by Police were for 'Illegal/unauthorised parking/stopping' amounting to 24,708, or 28.5 per cent of the total. Wardens issued the most transport-related contraventions for 'Contravening carriage way markings/driving in priority lane' with 70,146 contraventions, while Transport Malta issued the most transport-related contraventions for 'License/ Insurance Irregularity' with 3,164 contraventions (**Tables 3.3.2, 3.3.5 and 3.3.8**).

Speed camera contraventions totalled 45,504, of which 38,552 or 84.7 per cent of the total were contraventions that were within the '<=15km/h over speed limit' group. The camera which caught the most over-speeding vehicles was the one situated in Triq Dun Karm, Birkirkara, garnering 8,435 contraventions. The average daily speed camera contraventions issued, from all cameras installed around Malta, totalled 125 (**Map 3.3.4**).

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MAP 3.3.4. Contraventions for over-speeding caught by speed cameras: 2021



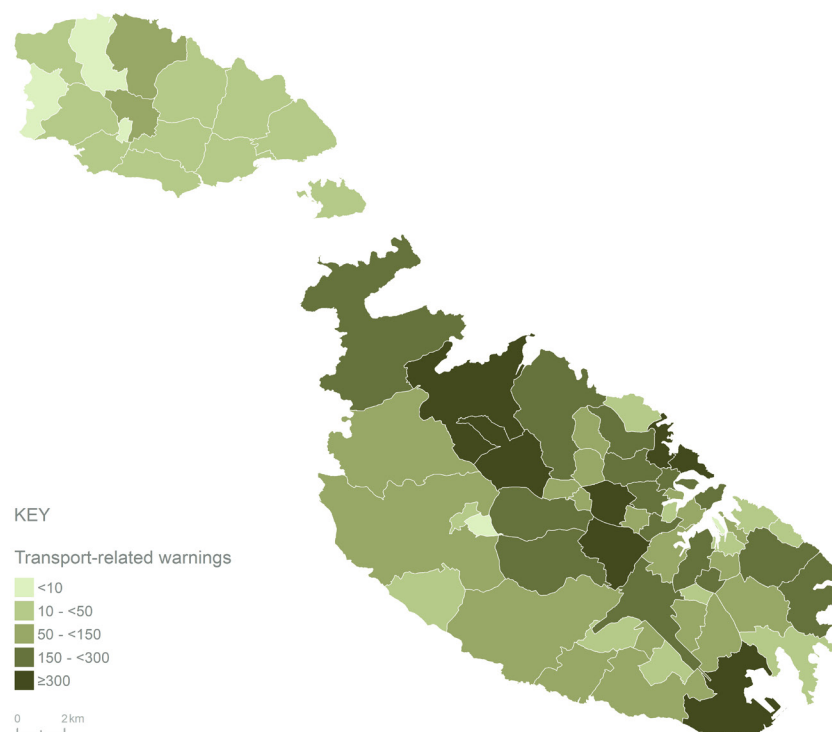
Notes:

1. One point can include two speed cameras which are opposite in the same street.
2. Gozo and Comino district is omitted from the map as there are no speed cameras.

During 2021, the number of transport-related warnings for contraventions reached 9,355. The Northern Harbour district registered the highest number of transport-related warnings, totalling 3,308 or 35.4 per cent of the total. The most transport-related warnings (6,567) were handed out for ‘licence not affixed’, followed by ‘vehicle not good to be used on the road’ with 1,839 warnings (**Table 3.3.11**).

San Pawl Il-Baħar topped the list of localities for transport-related warnings issued with 687 warnings. Ħal Qormi and Tas-Sliema followed with 549 and 504 transport-related warnings issued respectively (**Map 3.3.5**).

MAP 3.3.5. Transport-related warnings by locality: 2021



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TABLE 3.3.1. Transport-related contraventions issued by Police by month: 2020-2021

Month	Year		Change	Percentage change
	2020	2021	2021/2020	2021/2020
January	2,951	6,946	3,995	135.4
February	2,313	6,365	4,052	175.2
March	1,997	6,799	4,802	240.5
April	2,474	6,721	4,247	171.7
May	3,001	7,364	4,363	145.4
June	3,229	6,596	3,367	104.3
July	3,297	8,151	4,854	147.2
August	3,662	8,771	5,109	139.5
September	4,285	8,043	3,758	87.7
October	4,945	7,585	2,640	53.4
November	4,948	7,003	2,055	41.5
December	5,649	6,333	684	12.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>42,751</b>	<b>86,677</b>	<b>43,926</b>	<b>102.7</b>

Note: Contraventions exclude those which are not related to transport.  
Source: Loqus.

TABLE 3.3.2. Transport-related contraventions issued by Police by contravention category: 2020-2021

Contravention category	2020	2021	Average per day (2021)
Breaking Police/ Wardens orders/ giving false details	1,025	1,110	3.0
Careless driving/ no stopping/ altering direction without signal	2,194	4,785	13.1
Contravening carriageway marking/ driving along priority lane	8,474	14,808	40.6
Contravening traffic lights	214	347	1.0
Contravening traffic signs	3,086	6,295	17.2
Driving while using distractive device/ mobile phone	2,527	5,664	15.5
Dumping/ Polluting/ Excessive smoke or sound	196	322	0.9
Leaving vehicle unattended	5	55	0.2
Licence/ Insurance irregularity	5,809	12,413	34.0
Number plates irregularity	875	1,504	4.1
Obstructive vehicles without permission	1,019	2,194	6.0
Over-speeding	844	258	0.7
Illegal/ Unauthorised parking/ stopping	11,287	24,708	67.7
Safety related (various)	3,043	4,906	13.4
Vehicle unclean/ Body parts not in accordance to law or not in good working order	2,137	7,267	19.9
Other transport-related offences	16	41	0.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>42,751</b>	<b>86,677</b>	<b>237.5</b>

Note: Contraventions exclude those which are not related to transport.  
Source: Loqus.

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TABLE 3.3.3. Minimum fines issued by Police by transport-related contravention category: 2020-2021

Contravention category	2020	2021
Breaking Police/ Wardens orders/ giving false details	23,872	25,852
Careless driving/ no stopping/ altering direction without signal	25,700	56,490
Contravening carriageway marking/ driving along priority lane	197,246	349,050
Contravening traffic lights	21,247	34,316
Contravening traffic signs	90,862	192,325
Driving while using distractive device/ mobile phone	252,082	565,517
Dumping/ Polluting/ Excessive smoke or sound	9,923	15,747
Leaving vehicle unattended	58	699
Licence/ Insurance irregularity	396,360	810,499
Number plates irregularity	18,086	30,454
Obstructive vehicles without permission	105,263	215,381
Over-speeding	19,855	13,463
Illegal/ Unauthorised parking/ stopping	263,091	588,412
Safety related (various)	70,023	113,250
Vehicle unclean/ Body parts not in accordance to law or not in good working order	33,499	113,881
Other transport-related offences	396	1,002
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,527,562</b>	<b>3,126,339</b>

## Notes:

1. Fines exclude those which are not related to transport. The above values show the minimum fine issued; this does not necessarily mean that the fine was paid. The fine could have eventually been waived or raised depending on the court sentence and on each particular case.
2. Totals may not add up due to rounding.

Source: Loqus.

TABLE 3.3.4. Transport-related contraventions issued by Wardens by month: 2020-2021

Month	Year		Change	Percentage change
	2020	2021	2021/2020	2021/2020
January	17,274	19,343	2,069	12.0
February	14,606	19,568	4,962	34.0
March	10,097	19,182	9,085	90.0
April	3,436	18,938	15,502	451.2
May	8,731	20,680	11,949	136.9
June	15,050	20,963	5,913	39.3
July	15,899	21,355	5,456	34.3
August	15,792	21,444	5,652	35.8
September	16,690	20,481	3,791	22.7
October	11,754	18,918	7,164	60.9
November	15,493	16,878	1,385	8.9
December	15,401	12,610	-2,791	-18.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>160,223</b>	<b>230,360</b>	<b>70,137</b>	<b>43.8</b>

Note: Contraventions exclude those which are not related to transport.

Source: Loqus.

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TABLE 3.3.5. Transport-related contraventions issued by Wardens by contravention category: 2020-2021

Contravention category	2020	2021	Average per day (2021)
Breaking Police/ Wardens orders/ giving false details	1,916	3,727	10.2
Careless driving/ no stopping/ altering direction without signal	2,877	5,864	16.1
Contravening carriageway marking/ driving along priority lane	58,399	70,146	192.2
Contravening traffic lights	96	150	0.4
Contravening traffic signs	8,782	16,524	45.3
Driving while using distractive device/ mobile phone	1,787	5,551	15.2
Dumping/ Polluting/ Excessive smoke or sound	17	35	0.1
Leaving vehicle unattended	884	2,038	5.6
Licence/ Insurance irregularity	19,679	22,726	62.3
Number plates irregularity	2,479	3,064	8.4
Obstructive vehicles without permission	1,647	21,917	60.0
Over-speeding	5	12	0.0
Illegal/ Unauthorised parking/ stopping	49,764	59,592	163.3
Safety related (various)	4,410	10,930	29.9
Vehicle unclean/ Body parts not in accordance to law or not in good working order	7,091	7,583	20.8
Other transport-related offences	390	501	1.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>160,223</b>	<b>230,360</b>	<b>631.1</b>

Notes: Contraventions exclude those which are not related to transport.

Source: Loqus

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TABLE 3.3.6. Minimum fines issued by Wardens by contravention category: 2020-2021

Contravention category	€	
	2020	2021
Breaking Police/ Wardens orders/ giving false details	44,624	101,161
Careless driving/ no stopping/ altering direction without signal	33,529	72,403
Contravening carriageway marking/ driving along priority lane	1,360,341	1,643,199
Contravening traffic lights	9,447	14,912
Contravening traffic signs	237,759	436,850
Driving while using distractive device/ mobile phone	176,668	546,088
Dumping/ Polluting/ Excessive smoke or sound	792	1,607
Leaving vehicle unattended	10,299	23,743
Licence/ Insurance irregularity	796,503	950,785
Number plates irregularity	43,681	52,441
Obstructive vehicles without permission	146,552	861,950
Over-speeding	116	279
Illegal/ Unauthorised parking/ stopping	1,038,762	1,503,502
Safety related (various)	94,816	223,528
Vehicle unclean/ Body parts not in accordance to law or not in good working order	115,878	126,394
Other transport-related offences	11,751	15,268
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,121,518</b>	<b>6,574,111</b>

## Notes:

1. Fines exclude those which are not related to transport. The above values show the minimum fine issued; this does not necessarily mean that the fine was paid. The fine could have eventually been waived or raised depending on the court sentence and on each particular case.
2. Totals may not add up due to rounding.

Source: Loqus

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TABLE 3.3.7. Transport-related contraventions issued by Transport Malta by month: 2020-2021

Month	Year		Change	Percentage change
	2020	2021	2021/2020	2021/2020
January	1,845	1,362	-483	-26.2
February	1,889	1,068	-821	-43.5
March	1,102	686	-416	-37.7
April	588	687	99	16.8
May	772	867	95	12.3
June	1,031	861	-170	-16.5
July	910	1,097	187	20.5
August	1,237	1,173	-64	-5.2
September	1,829	911	-918	-50.2
October	1,424	826	-598	-42.0
November	1,008	628	-380	-37.7
December	751	430	-321	-42.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,386</b>	<b>10,596</b>	<b>-3,790</b>	<b>-26.3</b>

Source: Loqus

TABLE 3.3.8. Transport-related contraventions issued by Transport Malta by contravention category: 2020-2021

Contravention category	2020	2021	Average per day (2021)
Careless driving/ no stopping/ altering direction without signal	118	172	0.5
Contravening carriageway marking/ driving along priority lane	4,211	2,836	7.8
Contravening traffic lights	22	59	0.2
Contravening traffic signs	580	643	1.8
Driving while using distractive device/ mobile phone	1,544	1,305	3.6
Dumping/ Polluting/ Excessive smoke or sound	52	-	-
Licence/ Insurance irregularity	5,614	3,164	8.7
Number plates irregularity	212	97	0.3
Obstructive vehicles without permission	702	653	1.8
Illegal/ Unauthorised parking/ stopping	51	12	0.0
Safety related (various)	399	501	1.4
Vehicle unclean/ Body parts not in accordance to law or not in good working order	864	1,055	2.9
Other transport-related offences	17	99	0.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,386</b>	<b>10,596</b>	<b>29.0</b>

Source: Loqus



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TABLE 3.3.9. Minimum fines issued by Transport Malta by contravention category: 2020-2021

Contravention category	€	
	2020	2021
Careless driving/ no stopping/ altering direction without signal	1,375	2,004
Contravening carriageway marking/ driving along priority lane	98,101	67,226
Contravening traffic lights	2,200	5,900
Contravening traffic signs	24,832	27,161
Driving while using distractive device/ mobile phone	154,400	130,500
Dumping/ Polluting/ Excessive smoke or sound	2,423	-
Licence/ Insurance irregularity	250,152	141,385
Number plates irregularity	4,937	2,259
Obstructive vehicles without permission	73,584	68,447
Illegal/ Unauthorised parking/ stopping	1,648	279
Safety related (various)	6,825	7,560
Vehicle unclean/ Body parts not in accordance to law or not in good working order	19,948	25,806
Other transport-related offences	396	1,316
<b>Total</b>	<b>640,821</b>	<b>479,844</b>

## Notes:

1. The above values show the minimum fine issued; this does not necessarily mean that the fine was paid. The fine could have eventually been waived or raised depending on the court sentence and on each particular case.
2. Totals may not add up due to rounding.

Source: Loqus

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TABLE 3.3.10. Expected income from contraventions for over-speeding caught by speed cameras: 2021

Locality		Over speeding type		Total
		<= 15km/h over speed limit	> 15km/h over speed limit	
Birkirkara	Triq Dun Karm (BKR1 to IKL)	57,197	13,696	70,893
Birkirkara	Triq Dun Karm (BKR2 to MSD)	196,922	67,504	264,426
Il-Gudja	Triq Ħal-Far	59,503	34,660	94,163
Ħ'Attard	Triq in-Nutar Zarb	231,827	39,273	271,099
Ħal Qormi	Triq is-Sebh (QRM1 to RBT)	4,717	4,333	9,049
Ħal Qormi	Triq is-Sebh (QRM2 to QRM)	3,319	3,704	7,023
Ħal Qormi	Triq l-Imdina (QRM3 to ZBG)	33,822	10,901	44,723
Ħal Qormi	Triq l-Imdina (QRM4 to MRS)	33,053	10,063	43,116
Ħaż-Żebbuġ	Triq l-Imdina (ZBG1 to RBT)	4,437	2,655	7,093
Ħaż-Żebbuġ	Triq l-Imdina (ZBG2 to ZBG)	25,960	12,439	38,399
Pembroke	Triq San Andrija (PBK)	5,940	3,634	9,574
Santa Venera	Triq Reġjonali (STV1 to MRS)	37,630	7,966	45,597
Santa Venera	Triq Reġjonali (STV2 to MSD)	-	-	-
Is-Siġġiewi	Triq Mons. Mikiel Azzopardi	63,766	28,581	92,346
San Ġwann	Triq M. A. Vassalli (Triq Reġjonali SGN)	1,572	839	2,411
San Ġiljan	Triq M. A. Vassalli (Triq Reġjonali STJ)	132,038	42,277	174,316
San Pawl Il-Bahar	Triq Burmarrad	26,030	16,701	42,732
San Pawl Il-Bahar	Dawret San Pawl (Xemxija 1 to Xemxija)	3,145	2,725	5,870
San Pawl Il-Bahar	Dawret San Pawl (Xemxija 2 to St. Paul's Bay)	5,311	5,451	10,762
Iż-Żejtun	Triq tal-Barrani (ZTN1 to ZTN)	86,581	34,730	121,312
Iż-Żejtun	Triq tal-Barrani (ZTN2 to MRS)	74,737	39,901	114,638
Naxxar	Triq il-Kosta (NB1: Baħar iċ-Ċaġhaq - Pembroke to San Pawl)	203,421	72,186	275,607
Naxxar	Triq il-Kosta (NB2: Għallies - Pembroke to San Pawl)	18,064	9,713	27,777
Naxxar	Tul il-Kosta	38,015	21,872	59,887
<b>Total</b>		<b>1,347,007</b>	<b>485,806</b>	<b>1,832,813</b>

## Notes:

1. The above values show the minimum fine issued; this does not necessarily mean that the fine was paid. The fine could have eventually been waived or raised depending on the court sentence and on each particular case.
2. Totals may not add up due to rounding.

Source: Loqus

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TABLE 3.3.11. Transport-related warnings issued by type of warning and region/ district: 2021

Region/District	Warning type						Total
	Broken glass lights	Defective silencer	Illegal parking	Licence not affixed	Lights not in order	Vehicle not good to be used on the road	
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>657</b>	<b>6,567</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>1,839</b>	<b>9,355</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>6,214</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>1,794</b>	<b>8,945</b>
Southern Harbour	19	2	399	919	36	192	1,567
Northern Harbour	21	-	48	2,464	60	715	3,308
South Eastern	14	-	111	810	31	235	1,201
Western	5	-	50	668	22	257	1,002
Northern	24	3	47	1,353	45	395	1,867
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>410</b>

Source: Loqus

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### Methodological Notes

1. Contraventions data is supplied by Loqus.
2. A driver of a vehicle can be given different contraventions at one time for the same infringement (e.g. Driving while using a mobile phone is punishable with two contraventions: "Using of mobile phone while driving" and "Driver not in complete control of vehicle".)
3. Data is subject to revision.

ROAD TRANSPORT - Driving Licences

3.4. DRIVING LICENCES AND DRIVING TESTS

By the end of 2021, the total number of driving licence holders amounted to 272,333, an increase of 2.4 per cent over 2020. The largest number of driving licence holders (71,698 or 26.3 per cent of the total) was registered in the Northern Harbour district (**Map 3.4.1**). On a gender basis, there were 159,139 male and 113,194 female driving licence holders. Most of these driving licence holders were aged between 40 and 59 years and amounting to 36.5 per cent of the total (**Table 3.4.1 and Chart 3.4.1**).

MAP 3.4.1. Total driving licence holders by district: 2021

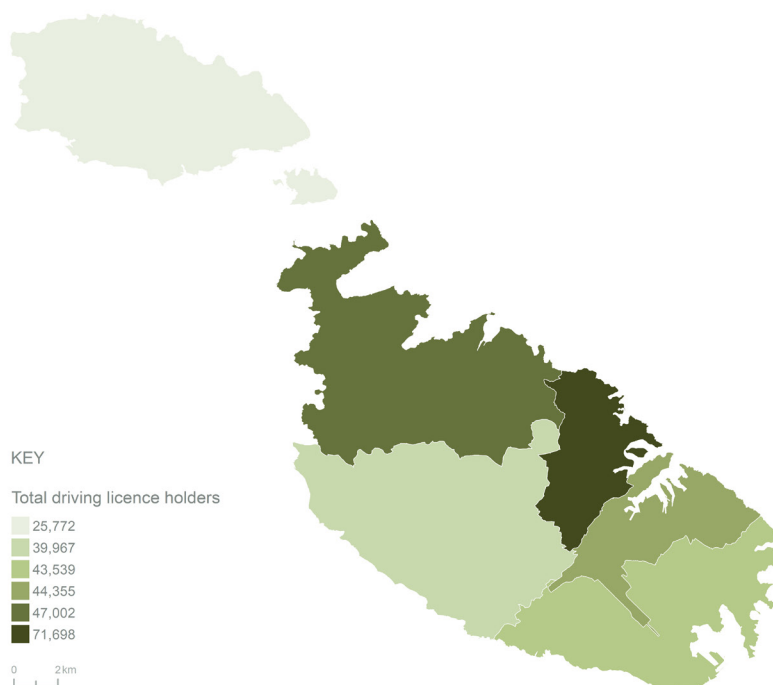
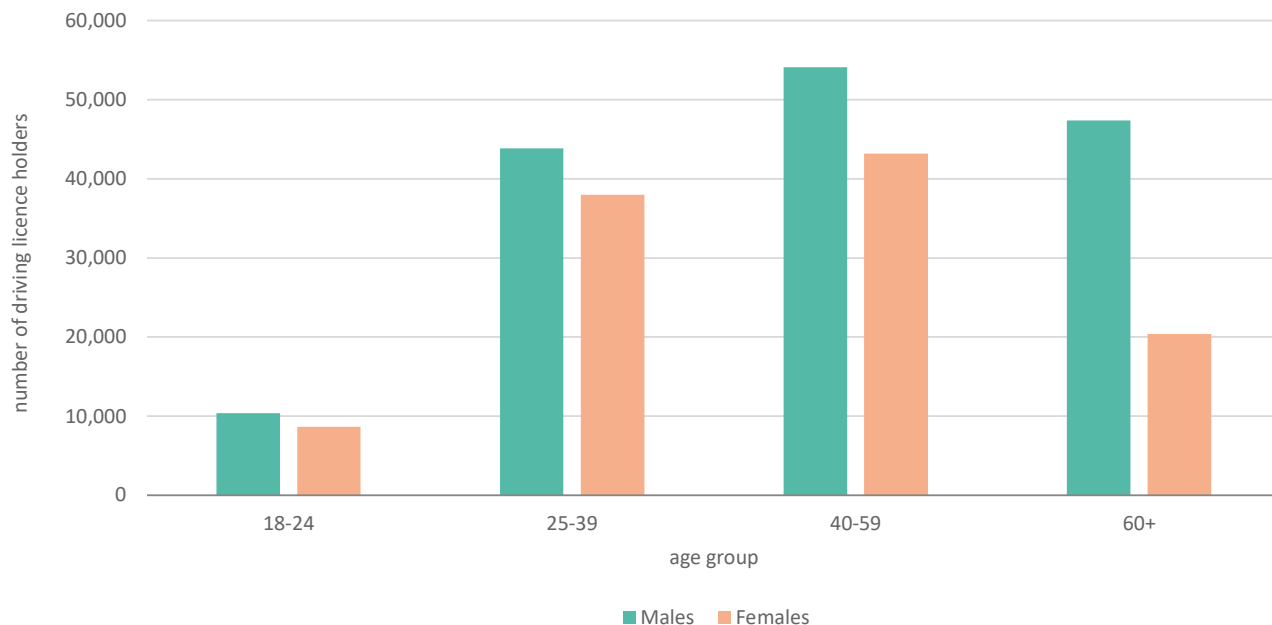


CHART 3.4.1. Total driving licence holders by age group and sex: 2021



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In 2021, there were 589 male driving licence holders per 1,000 male residents as opposed to 454 female driving licence holders per 1,000 female residents (Table 3.4.2).

During the year under review, 9,547 persons successfully passed their driving licence test, while 4,348 failed their exam (Table 3.4.4).

TABLE 3.4.1. Total driving licence holders by sex and age group: 2020-2021

Age group	Year		Change	Percentage change
	2020	2021	2021/2020	2021/2020
<b>Males</b>				
18-24	10,399	10,519	120	1.2
25-39	43,864	44,702	838	1.9
40-59	54,120	55,040	920	1.7
60+	47,391	48,878	1,487	3.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>155,774</b>	<b>159,139</b>	<b>3,365</b>	<b>2.2</b>
<b>Females</b>				
18-24	8,623	8,863	240	2.8
25-39	38,004	38,109	105	0.3
40-59	43,190	44,435	1,245	2.9
60+	20,383	21,787	1,404	6.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>110,200</b>	<b>113,194</b>	<b>2,994</b>	<b>2.7</b>
<b>Total</b>				
18-24	<b>19,022</b>	<b>19,382</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>1.9</b>
25-39	<b>81,868</b>	<b>82,811</b>	<b>943</b>	<b>1.2</b>
40-59	<b>97,310</b>	<b>99,475</b>	<b>2,165</b>	<b>2.2</b>
60+	<b>67,774</b>	<b>70,665</b>	<b>2,891</b>	<b>4.3</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>265,974</b>	<b>272,333</b>	<b>6,359</b>	<b>2.4</b>

Note: Total as at end of year. The data refer to Maltese driving licences only.

Source: Transport Malta.

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TABLE 3.4.2. Driving licence holders' indicators by sex: 2017-2021

Indicators	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021*
Male driving licence holders per 1,000 male residents	626	604	581	584	589
Female driving licence holders per 1,000 female residents	444	441	438	442	454
Male driving licence holders per 1,000 male residents aged 18 and over	754	723	691	694	698
Female driving licence holders per 1,000 female residents aged 18 and over	531	526	521	526	537
Male driving licence holders per 1,000 total residents	317	308	300	302	306
Female driving licence holders per 1,000 total residents	219	216	212	214	218

\*Population data is as at Census date, 21 November 2021.

Notes:

1. Data is provisional and subject to revision.
2. Revisions in population data has been published in 2018. Therefore, all values have been revised accordingly.
3. Only Maltese driving licences are accounted for in the data above.

Source: Transport Malta

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TABLE 3.4.3. Total driving licence categories by district: 2020-2021 ...

Region/District	A	A1	A2	AM	B	B+E	B1	C	C+E
<b>2020</b>									
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>26,617</b>	<b>28,664</b>	<b>26,854</b>	<b>265,722</b>	<b>264,998</b>	<b>159,668</b>	<b>265,158</b>	<b>13,945</b>	<b>9,198</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>21,341</b>	<b>22,907</b>	<b>21,459</b>	<b>240,673</b>	<b>240,076</b>	<b>143,982</b>	<b>240,126</b>	<b>12,357</b>	<b>8,098</b>
Southern Harbour	3,831	4,224	3,968	43,571	43,458	26,159	43,526	2,273	1,433
Northern Harbour	6,137	6,539	6,059	70,374	70,152	42,450	70,114	2,661	1,707
South Eastern	3,941	4,242	4,036	42,400	42,314	24,633	42,348	2,639	1,757
Western	3,377	3,721	3,531	39,141	39,074	24,087	39,093	2,244	1,488
Northern	4,055	4,181	3,865	45,187	45,078	26,653	45,045	2,540	1,713
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>5,276</b>	<b>5,757</b>	<b>5,395</b>	<b>25,049</b>	<b>24,922</b>	<b>15,686</b>	<b>25,032</b>	<b>1,588</b>	<b>1,100</b>
<b>2021</b>									
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>27,529</b>	<b>29,491</b>	<b>27,575</b>	<b>272,059</b>	<b>271,248</b>	<b>158,556</b>	<b>270,528</b>	<b>14,480</b>	<b>9,233</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>22,119</b>	<b>23,638</b>	<b>22,090</b>	<b>246,319</b>	<b>245,619</b>	<b>142,819</b>	<b>244,827</b>	<b>12,797</b>	<b>8,122</b>
Southern Harbour	3,884	4,282	4,019	44,326	44,206	25,883	44,211	2,341	1,415
Northern Harbour	6,376	6,765	6,248	71,615	71,334	41,738	70,930	2,788	1,743
South Eastern	4,078	4,377	4,153	43,503	43,404	24,528	43,333	2,736	1,761
Western	3,466	3,806	3,596	39,935	39,860	23,947	39,824	2,302	1,488
Northern	4,315	4,408	4,074	46,940	46,815	26,723	46,529	2,630	1,715
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>5,410</b>	<b>5,853</b>	<b>5,485</b>	<b>25,740</b>	<b>25,629</b>	<b>15,737</b>	<b>25,701</b>	<b>1,683</b>	<b>1,111</b>



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... TABLE 3.4.3. Total driving licence categories by district: 2020-2021

Region/District	C1	C1+E	D	D+E	D1	D1+E	F	G	Total
<b>2020</b>									
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>161,427</b>	<b>158,424</b>	<b>6,866</b>	<b>3,650</b>	<b>10,247</b>	<b>6,315</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>1,408,180</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>145,605</b>	<b>142,951</b>	<b>6,308</b>	<b>3,273</b>	<b>9,159</b>	<b>5,495</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>1,264,083</b>
Southern Harbour	26,544	26,025	1,355	690	1,698	895	46	6	229,702
Northern Harbour	42,718	42,105	1,825	824	2,548	1,406	69	1	367,689
South Eastern	24,990	24,476	1,206	631	1,621	964	36	8	222,242
Western	24,491	23,983	739	438	1,084	647	41	3	207,182
Northern	26,862	26,362	1,183	690	2,208	1,583	54	9	237,268
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>15,822</b>	<b>15,473</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>377</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>820</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>144,097</b>
<b>2021</b>									
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>160,700</b>	<b>157,227</b>	<b>7,007</b>	<b>3,656</b>	<b>10,564</b>	<b>6,504</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>1,426,783</b>
<b>Malta</b>	<b>144,766</b>	<b>141,719</b>	<b>6,433</b>	<b>3,278</b>	<b>9,418</b>	<b>5,643</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>1,279,877</b>
Southern Harbour	26,337	25,742	1,380	681	1,737	897	44	6	231,391
Northern Harbour	42,076	41,378	1,818	834	2,570	1,448	64	1	369,726
South Eastern	24,956	24,351	1,229	624	1,661	977	36	8	225,715
Western	24,388	23,830	764	445	1,112	662	43	3	209,471
Northern	27,009	26,418	1,242	694	2,338	1,659	56	9	243,574
<b>Gozo and Comino</b>	<b>15,934</b>	<b>15,508</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>1,146</b>	<b>861</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>146,906</b>

Source: Transport Malta.

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TABLE 3.4.4. Driving licence tests results by category: 2021

Category	Passed	Absent	Failed once	Failed twice	Failed three times	Failed more often
A	653	40	118	19	5	2
A2 Auto	22	1	3	1	-	-
BE	37	1	6	-	-	-
D	205	18	35	15	5	1
A1	61	8	21	12	3	-
B	6,364	670	1,899	771	303	238
C	603	57	96	18	5	3
D Auto	79	3	6	2	-	-
A1 Auto	50	5	17	5	-	-
B Auto	1,226	152	385	184	62	52
C1	27	-	5	2	-	-
D1	21	1	5	2	1	1
A2	77	7	12	4	1	-
B1	3	-	-	-	-	-
CE	119	7	15	5	2	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,547</b>	<b>970</b>	<b>2,623</b>	<b>1,040</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>298</b>

Source: Transport Malta

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### Methodological Notes

1. Driving licences data is based on data provided by Transport Malta.

2. Definition of Driving Licences categories:

<b>A</b>		Motorcycles and motor tricycles with a power exceeding 15 kW.
<b>A1</b>	<b>(a)</b>	Motorcycles with a cylinder capacity not exceeding 125 cubic centimetres, of a power not exceeding 11 kW and with a power/weight ratio not exceeding 0.1 kW/kg.
	<b>(b)</b>	Motor tricycles with a power not exceeding 15 kW.
<b>A2</b>		Motorcycles of a power not exceeding 35 kW and with a power/weight ratio not exceeding 0.2 kW/kg and not derived from a vehicle of more than double its power.
<b>AM</b>		Two-wheel vehicles (mopeds) or three-wheel vehicles with a maximum design speed of not more than 45 km/h.  Light quadricycles with a maximum design speed of not more than 45 km/h, and a power output not exceeding 4 kW in the case of other internal combustion engines, or whose maximum continuous rated power does not exceed 4 kW in the case of an electric motor.
<b>B</b>	<b>(a)</b>	Motor vehicles with a maximum authorised mass not exceeding 3,500 kg and designed and constructed for the carriage of no more than eight passengers in addition to the driver, motor vehicles in this category may be combined with a trailer having a maximum authorised mass which does not exceed 750 kg.
	<b>(b)</b>	Without prejudice to the provisions of type-approval rules for the vehicles concerned, motor vehicles in this category may be combined with a trailer with a maximum authorised mass exceeding 750 kg, provided that the maximum authorised mass of this combination does not exceed 4,250 kg. Where such a combination exceeds 3,500 kg it shall be driven only after a test of skills and behaviour in accordance with Annex V of the Directive.
	<b>(c)</b>	Motor tricycles with a power exceeding 15 kW (provided that the holder of the licence is at least 21 years of age).
<b>B1</b>		Quadricycles
<b>BE</b>		Without prejudice to the provisions of type-approval rules for the vehicles concerned, combination of vehicles consisting of a tractor vehicle in category B and a trailer or semi-trailer where the maximum authorised mass of the trailer or semi-trailer does not exceed 3,500 kg.
<b>C</b>		Motor vehicles other than those in categories D1 or D, whose maximum authorised mass is over 3,500 kg and which are designed and constructed for the carriage of no more than eight passengers in addition to the driver. Motor vehicles in this category may be combined with a trailer having a maximum authorised mass which does not exceed 750 kg.
<b>C1</b>		Motor vehicles other than those in categories D1 or D, the maximum authorised mass of which exceeds 3,500 kg, but does not exceed 7,500 kg, and which are designed and constructed for the carriage of no more than eight passengers in addition to the driver; motor vehicles in this category may be combined with a trailer having a maximum authorised mass not exceeding 750 kg.
<b>C1E</b>	<b>(a)</b>	Without prejudice to the provisions of type-approval rules for the vehicles concerned, combinations of vehicles where the tractor vehicle is in category C1 and its trailer or semi-trailer has a maximum authorised mass of over 750 kg provided that the authorised mass of the combination does not exceed 12,000 kg.
	<b>(b)</b>	Without prejudice to the provisions of type-approval rules for the vehicles concerned, combinations of vehicles where the tractor vehicle is in category B and its trailer or semi-trailer has an authorised mass of over 3,500 kg, provided that the authorised mass of the combination does not exceed 12,000 kg.

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- CE** Without prejudice to the provisions of type-approval rules for the vehicles concerned, combinations of vehicles where the tractor vehicle is in category C and its trailer or semi-trailer has a maximum authorised mass of over 750 kg.
- D** Motor vehicles designed and constructed for the carriage of more than eight passengers in addition to the driver; motor vehicles which may be driven with a category D licence may be combined with a trailer having a maximum authorized mass which does not exceed 750 kg.
- D1** Motor vehicles designed and constructed for the carriage of no more than 16 passengers in addition to the driver and with a maximum length not exceeding 8 metres. Motor vehicles in this category may be combined with a trailer having a maximum authorised mass not exceeding 750 kg.
- D1E** Without prejudice to the provisions of type-approval rules for the vehicles concerned, combinations of vehicles where the tractor vehicle is in category D1 and its trailer has a maximum authorised mass of over 750 kg.
- DE** Without prejudice to the provisions of type-approval rules for the vehicles concerned, combinations of vehicles where the tractor vehicle is in category D and its trailer has a maximum authorised mass of over 750 kgs.
- F** Driving licences which before the 19th January 2013, were in category F were changed to category D1.  
As from the 19th January 2013:  
Provided that persons who before the 19th January 2013, held a category F, driving licence may continue to drive motor vehicles which can carry up to eighteen passengers until their category F licence expires.
- G** Agricultural tractors on roads in Malta only.
- 3.** A driving licence issued to a person can have multiple categories, which means that the holder can drive more than one vehicle type.

## ROAD TRANSPORT - Public Transport

## 3.5. PUBLIC TRANSPORT

The total number of Tallinja Cards issued as at end of 2021 amounted to 422,579, an increase of 0.7 per cent over 2020. Adult card holders constituted the largest proportion with 54.1 per cent of the total (**Table 3.5.1**).

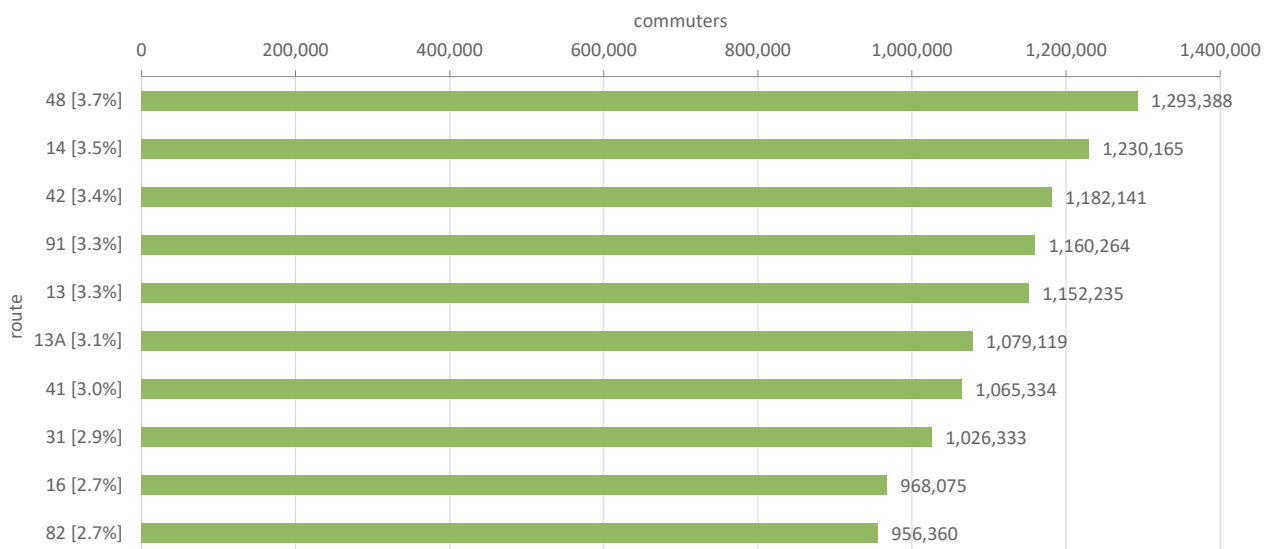
By the end of 2021, the number of commuters using Public Transport amounted to 35.21 million passengers, an increase of 4.2 per cent over 2020. October registered the highest number of commuters with 3.68 million passengers. On the contrary, April registered the least number of commuters with 2.14 million passengers (**Table 3.5.2**). Trips made by personalised card holders amounted to 27.63 million, an increase of 0.8 per cent over 2020. Non-personalised card holders took 2.83 million journeys on public transport while over 4.37 million commuters still used the onboard ticketing system (**Table 3.5.3**).

CHART 3.5.1. Public transport commuters by month: 2020-2021



Route number 48 (Valletta – Bugibba – Valletta) was the most popular public transport route, carrying over 1.29 million commuters, followed by route 14 (Pembroke P+R – Valletta – Pembroke P+R) and route 42 (Valletta – Ċirkewwa – Valletta), with 1.23 million and 1.18 million commuters respectively (**Chart 3.5.2 and Table 3.5.4**).

CHART 3.5.2. Top 10 transport routes by number of commuters: 2021



Note: Route information can be found in the appendix.

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TABLE 3.5.1. Tallinja cards issued by type: 2020-2021

Type of card	2020	2021	Percentage change 2020/2021	
Student	67,831	69,277	2.1	
Child	15,973	9,055	-43.3	
Adult	245,447	228,556	-6.9	
Concession	Disability	2,507	8,753	249.1
	60+	78,788	97,464	23.7
Gozo	9,288	9,474	2.0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>419,834</b>	<b>422,579</b>	<b>0.7</b>	

Source: Transport Malta.

TABLE 3.5.2. Public transport commuters by region and month: 2020-2021

Month	2020			2021			Percentage change 2021/2020
	Malta	Gozo	Total	Malta	Gozo	Total	
January	4,373,447	152,435	<b>4,525,882</b>	2,280,164	74,700	<b>2,354,864</b>	-48.0
February	4,506,928	170,278	<b>4,677,206</b>	2,208,521	73,881	<b>2,282,402</b>	-51.2
March	2,676,520	87,848	<b>2,764,368</b>	2,110,337	62,377	<b>2,172,714</b>	-21.4
April	1,144,157	26,807	<b>1,170,964</b>	2,080,639	60,304	<b>2,140,943</b>	82.8
May	1,597,211	40,718	<b>1,637,929</b>	2,600,452	97,878	<b>2,698,330</b>	64.7
June	2,212,311	64,955	<b>2,277,266</b>	2,841,101	131,262	<b>2,972,363</b>	30.5
July	2,948,368	118,778	<b>3,067,146</b>	3,272,747	164,183	<b>3,436,930</b>	12.1
August	2,956,968	136,315	<b>3,093,283</b>	3,322,117	182,248	<b>3,504,365</b>	13.3
September	2,669,389	113,470	<b>2,782,859</b>	3,286,781	179,671	<b>3,466,452</b>	24.6
October	2,773,987	106,449	<b>2,880,436</b>	3,524,344	156,566	<b>3,680,910</b>	27.8
November	2,409,447	81,202	<b>2,490,649</b>	3,308,592	125,740	<b>3,434,332</b>	37.9
December	2,331,398	79,588	<b>2,410,986</b>	2,956,807	105,759	<b>3,062,566</b>	27.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32,600,131</b>	<b>1,178,843</b>	<b>33,778,974</b>	<b>33,792,602</b>	<b>1,414,569</b>	<b>35,207,171</b>	<b>4.2</b>

Source: Transport Malta.

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TABLE 3.5.3. Public transport commuters by type of card/ticket and month: 2021

Month	Personalised Cards					Non- Personalised Cards			Total
	Student	Child	Adult	Concession	Gozo	On-board	Other		
January	282,870	5,362	1,493,468	257,283	22,758	214,997	44,299	33,827	<b>2,354,864</b>
February	282,363	5,249	1,419,836	261,360	22,114	216,857	44,909	29,714	<b>2,282,402</b>
March	215,958	3,447	1,435,656	223,480	19,992	195,905	48,058	30,218	<b>2,172,714</b>
April	207,127	4,258	1,397,936	236,143	20,092	195,311	50,267	29,809	<b>2,140,943</b>
May	277,876	6,083	1,633,717	332,835	24,853	287,553	102,658	32,755	<b>2,698,330</b>
June	301,357	7,212	1,650,507	360,007	27,854	350,031	236,544	38,851	<b>2,972,363</b>
July	379,014	9,038	1,761,495	379,221	31,679	441,783	396,582	38,118	<b>3,436,930</b>
August	367,223	9,185	1,691,602	378,067	31,283	506,530	493,553	26,922	<b>3,504,365</b>
September	364,443	10,010	1,645,759	399,367	30,484	512,523	483,528	20,338	<b>3,466,452</b>
October	548,664	7,074	1,690,177	398,440	32,017	552,973	425,262	26,303	<b>3,680,910</b>
November	556,712	6,936	1,634,971	404,467	29,645	473,970	293,862	33,769	<b>3,434,332</b>
December	432,448	6,946	1,568,137	363,243	26,565	422,214	208,579	34,434	<b>3,062,566</b>
<b>Total 2021</b>	<b>4,216,055</b>	<b>80,800</b>	<b>19,023,261</b>	<b>3,993,913</b>	<b>319,336</b>	<b>4,370,647</b>	<b>2,828,101</b>	<b>375,058</b>	<b>35,207,171</b>
<b>% change over 2020</b>	7.3	-1.9	-2.5	10.3	15.2	18.2	44.6	-46.3	4.2

Source: Transport Malta.

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TABLE 3.5.4A. Public transport commuters by route: January-July 2021

Route	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
1	24,263	23,250	22,079	21,905	27,033	27,004	31,138
2	23,802	22,194	19,545	19,502	25,236	27,074	30,248
3	22,296	21,369	19,722	19,940	24,897	26,727	30,499
4	9,007	8,438	7,613	7,646	9,578	10,267	10,701
13	71,362	75,902	64,864	61,260	84,205	105,500	111,765
14	82,961	79,638	72,731	72,886	96,158	114,982	127,410
15	7,757	6,965	6,530	6,637	9,414	11,137	19,244
16	66,107	61,076	58,309	56,327	72,446	82,898	93,233
21	20,426	19,176	17,305	17,301	24,453	27,748	35,438
22	30,810	28,702	27,987	27,274	32,375	36,039	44,174
24	25,330	24,485	22,591	22,517	27,121	27,736	31,045
25	10,301	10,180	9,725	9,664	12,322	12,574	13,352
31	75,046	70,277	69,888	66,999	82,359	84,706	86,342
32	7,620	7,505	6,567	6,170	8,352	8,950	9,768
35	14,768	13,752	13,582	13,349	16,243	16,700	17,520
41	75,356	73,181	72,051	70,585	85,405	89,626	101,740
42	82,654	80,193	76,373	74,862	94,277	99,934	115,003
43	27,447	27,041	25,974	25,163	29,177	29,146	15,158
44	33,586	33,708	33,416	31,695	39,089	37,812	43,557
45	57,674	55,355	53,105	51,970	60,294	64,083	79,225
46	16,700	16,617	13,700	14,414	16,993	18,662	30,607
47	14,829	14,242	12,863	13,135	17,052	17,443	19,052
48	89,609	82,758	82,310	82,259	96,077	101,864	124,003
49	17,837	18,412	17,832	18,414	19,772	28,512	39,150
50	2,983	3,139	3,325	3,151	3,804	3,373	4,102
51	28,383	26,792	25,466	25,741	33,406	35,561	39,199
52	38,791	36,071	35,363	37,810	46,431	46,974	52,573
53	23,415	22,930	22,178	20,216	24,927	26,186	28,301
54	25,686	24,297	21,025	21,725	26,351	28,053	31,772
56	9,832	10,298	9,476	9,116	10,228	10,219	10,509
58	10,876	10,300	10,097	9,707	11,658	11,717	13,094
61	70,215	65,789	64,560	64,968	78,902	79,630	86,871
62	47,318	44,699	44,822	44,450	51,745	54,761	58,634
63	15,980	15,702	15,138	14,254	18,678	18,744	20,781
64	10,827	10,690	10,313	9,751	12,364	12,089	11,878
71	39,697	37,945	36,744	36,135	42,421	43,197	48,939
72	26,644	24,746	23,860	23,064	27,184	26,944	30,836
73	36,275	33,006	33,266	32,639	38,697	36,980	41,922
74	9,490	8,994	9,627	9,935	12,130	14,087	19,337
80	3,942	4,201	4,177	3,958	4,758	6,962	9,322
81	43,875	40,946	38,280	37,618	48,240	49,308	59,357



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... TABLE 3.5.4A. Public transport commuters by route: January-July 2021

Route	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
82	69,261	71,691	69,007	66,345	80,376	82,997	92,162
83	7,600	7,210	7,066	6,460	8,636	8,835	11,654
84	23,040	22,485	21,428	21,105	25,821	26,793	29,062
85	7,434	6,958	6,024	5,393	8,172	8,628	10,416
88	23,438	23,459	21,669	20,795	25,518	26,112	27,773
90	6,750	7,207	6,736	7,046	8,688	9,470	10,482
91	83,865	83,086	77,136	74,801	92,035	97,865	108,469
92	19,479	18,988	16,855	16,855	22,128	22,614	24,271
93	20,158	20,160	19,184	18,888	24,007	24,830	24,768
94	25,108	24,646	22,926	22,951	25,487	23,472	31,830
101	2,782	2,785	2,440	2,551	6,002	12,693	19,516
103	2,191	2,387	2,303	2,137	2,391	2,448	2,747
106	4,017	3,595	3,452	3,265	4,123	4,645	4,815
109	4,633	4,820	4,767	4,858	5,442	5,547	7,270
110	7,381	7,667	7,660	7,734	10,330	11,530	13,461
117	8,004	7,841	8,077	8,304	9,698	9,712	10,378
119	10,880	10,348	11,013	11,146	15,619	16,951	18,877
120	36,875	35,614	35,173	35,382	43,331	41,394	48,972
121	476	404	455	487	563	655	884
122	13,111	12,191	12,254	12,865	16,281	17,047	18,606
124	3,094	3,208	2,954	2,896	3,993	4,589	5,831
130	258	246	178	202	371	447	585
133	2,070	1,921	1,815	1,772	2,066	2,647	3,066
135	6,806	5,920	6,316	6,330	7,498	7,815	9,314
150	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
181	5,882	5,898	6,037	5,715	6,780	6,050	6,621
182	9,096	7,823	7,977	7,849	9,807	9,068	9,489
186	19,716	19,546	19,654	19,689	23,599	27,387	32,967
201	2,936	3,124	3,345	3,638	5,136	7,660	11,328
202	21,276	21,877	19,922	17,249	23,486	28,679	36,328
203	27,023	26,624	24,119	24,581	30,246	31,701	34,773
204	11,749	11,541	12,633	12,270	14,253	14,150	15,035
206	9,888	9,965	10,409	10,082	12,128	11,813	12,751
209	9,584	9,859	9,707	9,124	11,174	10,905	11,395
210	6,892	6,870	7,265	7,329	9,365	9,693	12,088
212	42,273	40,172	35,927	34,665	47,798	61,015	71,460
213	8,607	8,137	8,408	8,338	10,316	9,739	10,719
218	5,118	5,033	5,109	5,342	6,042	5,761	6,333
221	17,591	17,187	16,437	16,753	24,247	38,537	51,160
222	40,032	40,939	35,338	35,273	52,317	70,068	86,958
223	3,499	3,730	3,701	4,388	6,506	14,430	23,496

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... TABLE 3.5.4A. Public transport commuters by route: January-July 2021

Route	January	February	March	April	May	June	July
225	19,322	19,866	18,492	19,547	29,274	41,455	55,828
226	3,300	3,253	3,555	3,589	3,912	3,818	4,405
233	7,752	7,986	7,211	7,108	10,970	12,079	13,503
238	5,348	5,379	5,317	6,061	7,243	7,231	8,718
250	21,988	21,502	21,979	20,873	27,363	28,896	30,994
260	13,062	12,473	11,905	12,008	15,006	15,300	15,753
280	13,739	13,252	13,772	12,891	15,008	16,251	16,311
300	-	-	-	-	-	2,250	3,554
301	12,608	12,737	9,635	9,218	16,282	23,519	26,969
302	3,144	3,107	2,889	3,038	5,066	6,826	9,077
303	8,261	8,041	6,591	6,363	10,957	14,443	17,292
305	2,948	2,789	2,427	2,383	3,686	4,535	5,385
306	7,126	7,169	5,804	5,588	8,565	11,481	13,972
307	5,601	5,242	4,446	4,286	6,099	7,524	9,401
308	1,421	1,517	1,126	1,013	2,341	3,110	3,040
309	1,803	1,913	1,507	1,674	2,887	3,301	3,857
310	16,099	16,021	15,707	14,730	20,192	24,803	32,113
311	1,765	1,925	1,463	1,289	3,021	5,745	8,100
312	3,271	3,034	2,620	2,596	4,135	5,181	5,665
313	1,517	1,570	944	1,052	1,642	2,535	3,002
322	2,958	2,904	2,211	2,239	4,701	7,297	14,699
323	5,036	4,768	4,073	4,032	6,842	8,908	9,523
330	1,142	1,144	934	803	1,462	2,054	2,088
109A	730	771	689	688	894	866	1,284
13A	74,437	71,557	63,045	63,418	81,218	94,580	105,025
58A	5,137	4,711	4,549	4,618	5,519	6,081	6,811
X1	26,537	25,370	24,910	25,532	34,528	39,515	46,371
X133	-	-	-	-	-	1,137	1,623
X1A	568	596	496	564	787	659	-
X2	14,786	14,104	13,584	13,495	18,494	24,560	29,059
X3	18,662	19,155	18,400	18,558	22,212	24,215	28,592
X300	688	563	532	647	876	115	-
X4	72,458	69,860	74,645	72,077	83,120	83,792	87,660
N13	-	-	1	-	-	-	4,716
N212	-	-	-	-	-	-	742
N301	-	-	-	-	-	-	14
TD10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TD13	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,106
TD30	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,693
TD31	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,076
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,354,864</b>	<b>2,282,402</b>	<b>2,172,714</b>	<b>2,140,943</b>	<b>2,698,330</b>	<b>2,972,363</b>	<b>3,436,930</b>

Note: Route information can be found in the appendix.

Source: Transport Malta.

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TABLE 3.5.4B. Public transport commuters by route: August-December 2021...

Route	August	September	October	November	December	Total
1	28,226	28,746	37,498	37,910	34,415	343,467
2	28,595	30,508	34,489	31,069	29,640	321,902
3	28,932	28,957	35,996	34,291	31,361	324,987
4	10,420	10,845	18,584	19,377	16,964	139,440
13	114,793	118,330	120,159	114,160	109,935	1,152,235
14	128,041	124,016	123,574	109,819	97,949	1,230,165
15	18,847	20,148	21,197	17,899	15,454	161,229
16	94,408	89,952	102,224	98,327	92,768	968,075
21	36,080	37,398	36,993	33,556	29,795	335,669
22	44,340	45,979	47,437	43,509	39,795	448,421
24	29,781	28,454	31,569	28,921	26,950	326,500
25	12,778	13,143	13,751	13,102	12,166	143,058
31	82,690	81,752	108,652	113,750	103,872	1,026,333
32	9,363	9,612	12,491	12,192	10,134	108,724
35	16,244	17,224	28,212	31,170	28,538	227,302
41	107,154	103,823	104,281	94,219	87,913	1,065,334
42	119,748	120,367	115,796	103,964	98,970	1,182,141
43	13,090	13,717	29,226	28,297	23,601	287,037
44	44,027	42,635	47,206	41,553	40,564	468,848
45	78,775	77,617	82,551	73,341	70,103	804,093
46	32,755	30,890	32,787	31,458	27,027	282,610
47	18,419	18,686	19,984	19,280	17,651	202,636
48	121,623	115,246	137,349	138,759	121,531	1,293,388
49	42,083	38,881	30,109	24,689	20,945	316,636
50	3,682	3,850	8,812	11,180	8,778	60,179
51	38,596	38,723	47,064	45,896	41,761	426,588
52	51,909	49,559	62,698	61,598	58,976	578,753
53	27,393	29,298	25,893	24,396	20,908	296,041
54	30,132	32,052	34,678	32,884	30,685	339,340
56	10,516	11,310	12,859	13,182	10,075	127,620
58	11,568	11,666	11,849	11,878	11,520	135,930
61	84,422	80,487	86,817	86,962	79,709	929,332
62	55,060	55,129	64,366	65,584	62,446	649,014
63	19,377	20,083	23,656	25,009	22,482	229,884
64	12,396	12,728	11,208	10,340	10,848	135,432
71	46,080	47,745	49,593	48,974	42,996	520,466
72	30,337	30,949	38,821	37,969	34,858	356,212
73	42,880	40,863	47,027	48,179	43,329	475,063
74	20,863	21,047	18,175	16,058	14,508	174,251
80	9,200	8,801	7,798	6,828	6,334	76,281
81	58,886	56,218	64,453	57,833	51,189	606,203

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... TABLE 3.5.4B. Public transport commuters by route: August-December 2021

Route	August	September	October	November	December	Total
82	88,172	88,707	87,462	83,557	76,623	956,360
83	11,486	12,048	15,873	16,429	13,171	126,468
84	26,774	27,842	33,997	37,312	31,971	327,630
85	11,009	11,175	10,264	8,939	7,600	102,012
88	25,967	26,515	31,713	31,032	29,725	313,716
90	8,945	8,304	11,745	12,734	10,092	108,199
91	106,593	105,780	113,371	115,700	101,563	1,160,264
92	22,686	22,442	24,820	23,589	21,179	255,906
93	23,378	23,820	25,858	24,983	23,906	273,940
94	31,510	33,238	37,160	33,251	33,836	345,415
101	23,757	22,778	16,659	11,822	8,081	131,866
103	2,264	2,141	3,137	2,787	2,409	29,342
106	4,931	5,486	5,817	5,578	4,399	54,123
109	7,652	6,601	5,686	5,123	4,313	66,712
110	15,346	16,083	15,969	14,526	11,675	139,362
117	11,240	11,403	12,900	12,876	10,618	121,051
119	20,010	19,452	16,747	13,999	11,708	176,750
120	55,405	54,561	61,888	57,960	50,202	556,757
121	1,347	1,160	978	854	822	9,085
122	17,929	17,486	19,800	19,243	15,195	192,008
124	6,014	5,746	5,393	4,826	4,259	52,803
130	718	475	359	230	201	4,270
133	3,447	2,794	3,389	3,659	3,440	32,086
135	9,958	10,777	10,958	10,284	9,110	101,086
150	-	15	271	256	153	695
181	7,525	8,926	11,405	11,503	9,366	91,708
182	9,735	10,817	13,182	12,258	10,462	117,563
186	35,773	36,947	40,253	36,694	29,801	342,026
201	12,814	14,457	13,454	11,290	8,537	97,719
202	37,259	38,099	38,010	33,898	27,246	343,329
203	34,455	33,861	35,049	32,433	28,914	363,779
204	15,519	16,441	19,177	17,990	16,132	176,890
206	13,314	13,348	16,393	17,290	13,998	151,379
209	12,288	13,798	16,094	14,938	13,442	142,308
210	14,049	13,393	14,321	12,885	10,519	124,669
212	73,012	70,982	80,563	76,502	66,825	701,194
213	11,484	12,489	12,950	12,111	10,831	124,129
218	6,887	7,445	8,301	7,680	6,647	75,698
221	56,666	55,899	52,068	44,174	34,530	425,249
222	91,267	87,444	83,124	74,534	65,118	762,412
223	30,606	26,818	14,758	8,516	5,270	145,718

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... TABLE 3.5.4B. Public transport commuters by route: August-December 2021

Route	August	September	October	November	December	Total
225	59,705	55,585	38,961	27,653	21,969	407,657
226	4,276	4,623	5,303	5,439	4,022	49,495
233	15,003	14,807	15,222	13,413	9,946	135,000
238	9,641	10,584	11,264	15,465	12,371	104,622
250	33,020	31,498	32,162	27,630	24,185	322,090
260	14,349	15,308	17,329	15,310	14,028	171,831
280	17,137	17,909	18,749	16,555	15,704	187,278
300	4,249	4,135	6,187	6,786	4,510	31,671
301	30,675	32,193	31,668	28,072	23,034	256,610
302	10,011	9,487	7,456	5,232	4,034	69,367
303	19,746	19,767	18,837	15,658	12,905	158,861
305	5,311	6,147	5,499	4,494	4,311	49,915
306	14,661	13,633	12,093	9,008	7,709	116,809
307	9,215	9,302	9,417	8,567	7,235	86,335
308	4,015	3,978	3,377	2,685	2,303	29,926
309	4,288	4,010	3,541	2,996	2,689	34,466
310	33,474	31,518	25,758	20,536	17,857	268,808
311	10,005	9,778	8,060	5,535	4,392	61,078
312	5,887	5,862	6,581	5,348	4,334	54,514
313	3,063	3,203	3,169	2,496	2,523	26,716
322	19,241	17,542	9,024	4,879	3,627	91,322
323	10,383	10,900	10,087	8,747	7,596	90,895
330	2,273	2,351	1,999	1,487	1,210	18,947
109A	1,427	1,210	945	865	752	11,121
13A	109,070	103,796	113,006	104,717	95,250	1,079,119
58A	6,607	6,144	7,468	8,249	7,641	73,535
X1	49,017	47,108	48,770	43,411	37,542	448,611
X133	2,289	2,024	1,491	1,239	799	10,602
X1A	-	-	1,388	1,510	873	7,441
X2	30,381	30,646	31,036	27,782	23,624	271,551
X3	29,345	26,984	29,633	26,737	23,557	286,050
X300	-	-	-	32	58	3,511
X4	81,583	77,926	74,405	70,161	64,983	912,670
N13	9,238	8,453	6,162	4,941	4,578	38,089
N212	1,280	987	931	651	469	5,060
N301	12	25	32	11	10	104
TD10	-	-	839	1,026	773	2,638
TD13	24,420	25,258	29,150	9,832	5,079	106,845
TD30	2,824	2,882	2,016	1,457	257	11,129
TD31	3,544	3,462	2,697	2,113	495	14,387
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,504,365</b>	<b>3,466,452</b>	<b>3,680,910</b>	<b>3,434,332</b>	<b>3,062,566</b>	<b>35,207,171</b>

Note: Route information can be found in the appendix.

Source: Transport Malta.

## ROAD TRANSPORT - Public Transport

TABLE 3.5.5. Day routes, bus stops and shelters as at end 2021

Number of day routes	Malta	100
	Gozo	15
	<b>Total</b>	<b>115</b>
Number of bus stops	Malta	1696
	Gozo	356
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2052</b>
Number of bus shelters	Shelters	584
	Canopies	9
	<b>Total</b>	<b>593</b>

Source: Transport Malta.

## ROAD TRANSPORT - Public Transport

### Methodological Notes

1. Data on public transport is provided by Transport Malta.

2. Definitions regarding Public Transport

Tallinja Card categories:

- |        |   |   |
|--------|---|---|
| (i)    | <b>Student</b> (Using Personalised Travel Cards)    | Applies to persons between the ages of 11 and 16 years both inclusive and any person who can provide evidence that he/she is enrolled in a full time course the duration of which is at least three months with an education institution registered with the Ministry of Education. |
| (ii)   | <b>Child</b> (Using Personalised Travel Cards)      | Applies to persons between the ages of 4 and 10 years both inclusive.   |
| (iii)  | <b>Adult</b> (Using Personalised Travel Cards)      | Applies to persons between the ages of 17 and 59 years both inclusive.  |
| (iv)   | <b>Concession</b> (Using Personalised Travel Cards) | Applies to persons in possession of a 60+ ID Card issued by the appropriate Government Department . Be in possession of a Blue Badge or the Special Identity Card issued by KNPD.   |
| (v)    | <b>Gozo</b> (Using Personalised Travel Cards)       | Issued to Gozo residents for travel within the island of Gozo only.   |
| (vi)   | <b>On-board Tickets</b>                             | Relates to tickets purchased on-board buses. There is no distinction between the different types of passengers.   |
| (vii)  | <b>Non-Personalised Cards</b>                       | Cards which are for a definite number of trips or definite duration.  |
| (viii) | <b>Other</b>  | Includes Night Services, Special Services and Employees.  |

3. To see list of routes: <https://www.publictransport.com.mt/en/timetables>

4. Data is subject to revision.

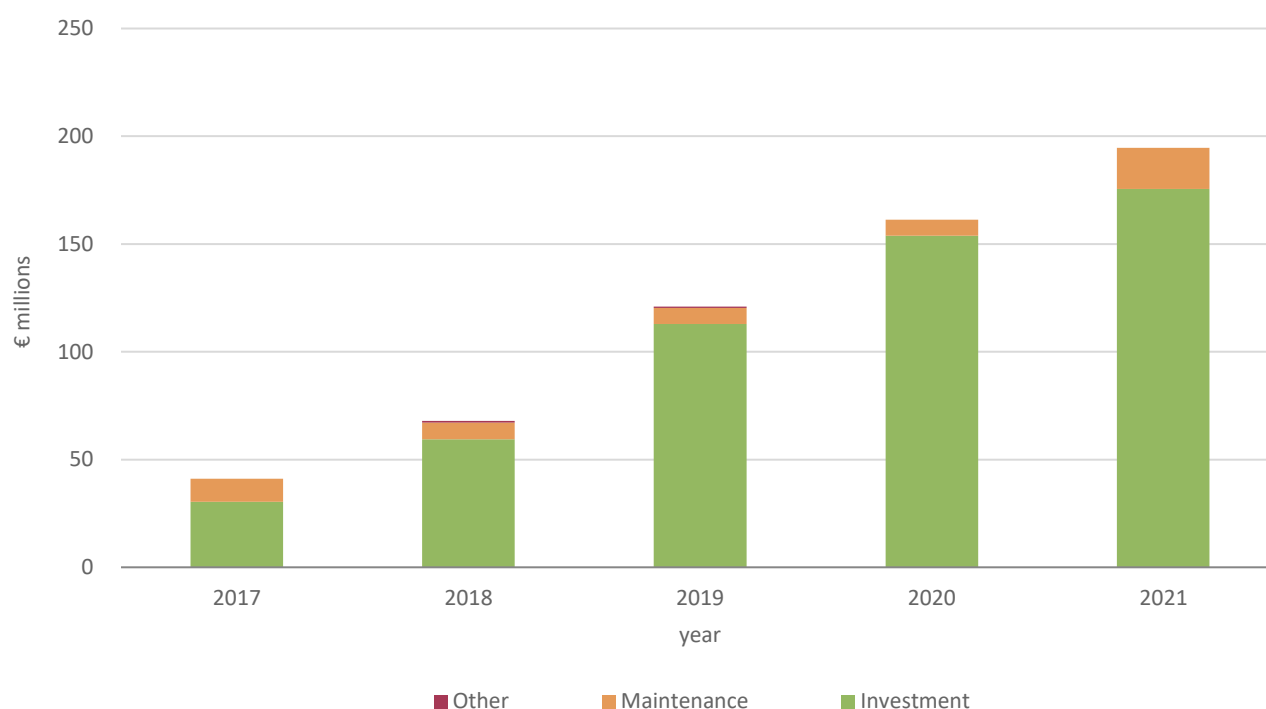
## ROAD TRANSPORT - Roads and Distance Travelled

### 3.6. ROADS AND DISTANCE TRAVELLED

#### Road investment and maintenance by the government

During the year under review, the Government global expenditure on road investment and maintenance went up to €194.8 million or 20.7 per cent more than in 2020. The global expenditure consisted of €175.6 million in investments and €19.2 million in maintenance (**Chart 3.6.1 and Table 3.6.1**).

CHART 3.6.1. Road investment and maintenance: 2017-2021



#### Fuel consumption for road transport

As at end 2021, gross inland petrol fuel consumption amounted to 102.06 million litres of which 98.6 per cent was used for road transport. Gross inland diesel fuel consumption totalled 159.3 million litres of which 76.9 per cent was used for road transport. Also, 98.2 per cent of Biodiesel fuel consumption was used for road transport (11.97 million litres). On the other hand, usage of LPG in road transport amounted to 3.1 per cent of the total gross LPG consumption of 45.39 million litres (**Table 3.6.2**).

#### Estimated distance travelled by motor vehicles in the Maltese Islands

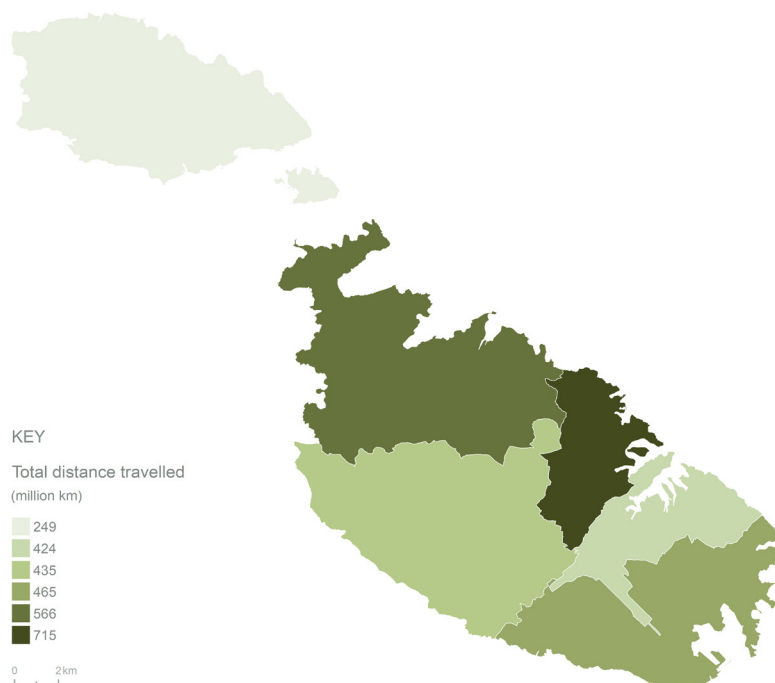
In 2021, the total kilometres driven by all licensed motor vehicles in Malta, for which data was available, was estimated to be 2,854 million km, an increase of 17.0 per cent over 2020. Most of the travelled kilometres, 2,290 million km or 80.2 per cent of the total, were made by passenger cars (**Table 3.6.3**).

Motor vehicles registered in the Northern Harbour district were driven the most, registering 715 million km, while the least driven were those registered in Gozo and Comino district with a total of 249 million km (**Map 3.6.1**).



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MAP 3.6.1. Estimated vehicle yearly distance travelled by district: 2021



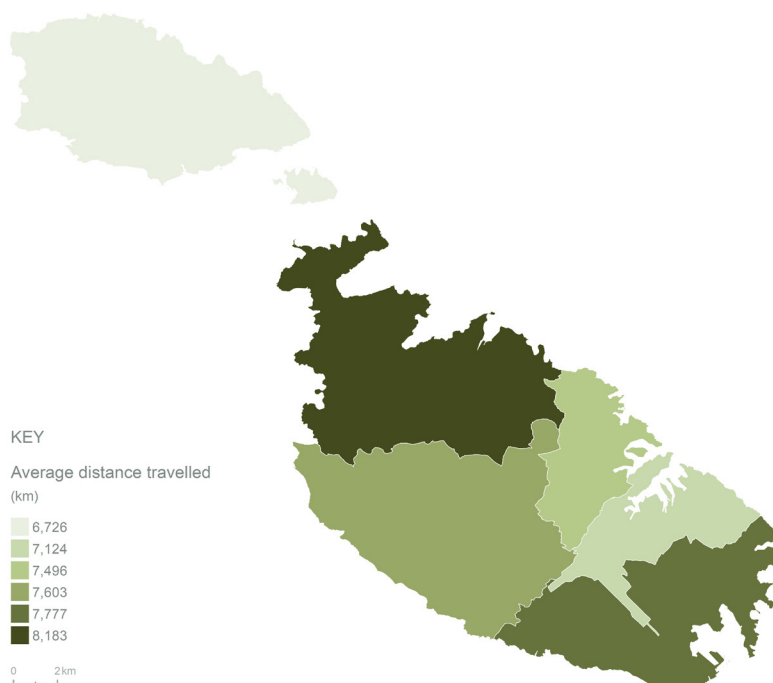
Note: Data on distance travelled of agricultural motor vehicles, motorcycles, e-bicycles, PA-bicycles, e-kick scooters, quadricycles and ATVs is not available.

On average, during 2021, each passenger car was driven for 7,121 km (**Table 3.6.3**). Route buses recorded the highest estimated average, that of 64,744 km per route bus during 2021 (**Table 3.6.3**).

Motor vehicles aged between 11 and 20 years travelled the most, with a total distance of 1.1 billion km, while motor vehicles aged two years or less recorded the highest average distance amounting to 29,763 km per motor vehicle (**Table 3.6.5**).

The highest average km travelled was recorded in the Northern district with 8,183 km, while the least average km travelled was recorded in the Gozo and Comino district with 6,726 km. (**Map 3.6.2**).

MAP 3.6.2. Average estimated vehicle yearly distance travelled by district: 2021



Note: Data on distance travelled of agricultural motor vehicles, motorcycles, e-bicycles, PA-bicycles, e-kick scooters, quadricycles and ATVs is not available.

## ROAD TRANSPORT - Roads and Distance Travelled

TABLE 3.6.1. Road investment and maintenance conducted by the Central Government: 2017-2021

Year	Investment	Maintenance	Other	Total
2017	30,436,645	10,664,262	-	41,100,906
2018	59,370,897	7,797,218	703,706	67,871,821
2019	113,024,087	7,251,331	699,999	120,975,417
2020	153,878,872	7,488,232	-	161,367,103
2021	175,624,398	19,151,315	-	194,775,713

Note: Data is subject to revision.

Source: DAS (Departmental Accounting System) and the Local Councils' audited financial statements.

## ROAD TRANSPORT - Roads and Distance Travelled

TABLE 3.6.2. Gross inland and road fuel consumption by month and type of fuel: 2020-2021 ...

Fuel type	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
	2020					
Gross inland consumption (in million litres)						
Motor Gasoline (Petrol)	8.43	8.06	6.66	4.83	5.82	7.79
Automotive Diesel	13.59	13.67	12.19	10.08	10.07	12.03
Biodiesel	1.37	0.29	0.73	0.85	1.15	1.95
LPG	5.70	4.70	4.79	3.40	2.52	2.98
.....of which used for road transport						
Motor Gasoline (Petrol)	8.31	7.95	6.57	4.76	5.74	7.68
Automotive Diesel	10.83	10.89	9.71	8.03	8.02	9.58
Biodiesel	1.26	0.26	0.66	0.78	1.05	1.79
LPG	0.16	0.13	0.13	0.09	0.07	0.08
2021						
Gross inland consumption (in million litres)						
Motor Gasoline (Petrol)	6.57	6.96	7.14	7.46	8.02	9.44
Automotive Diesel	11.15	11.09	12.36	11.91	13.14	13.86
Biodiesel	0.23	0.75	0.67	1.07	1.24	1.22
LPG	4.81	4.26	4.33	3.41	3.07	3.15
.....of which used for road transport						
Motor Gasoline (Petrol)	6.48	6.86	7.03	7.35	7.91	9.31
Automotive Diesel	8.58	8.54	9.51	9.17	10.11	10.66
Biodiesel	0.22	0.73	0.66	1.05	1.22	1.20
LPG	0.15	0.13	0.14	0.11	0.10	0.10

Note: Data is subject to revision.

Source: Regulator for Energy and Water Services (REWS) and Energy and Water Agency (EWA)

## ROAD TRANSPORT - Roads and Distance Travelled

... TABLE 3.6.2. Gross inland and road fuel consumption by month and type of fuel: 2020-2021

Fuel type	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
	<b>2020</b>						
<b>Gross inland consumption (in million litres)</b>							
Motor Gasoline (Petrol)	10.40	9.52	8.74	8.20	7.44	8.47	<b>94.35</b>
Automotive Diesel	16.78	12.38	12.85	13.71	11.77	11.32	<b>150.44</b>
Biodiesel	0.54	2.09	2.51	0.89	1.66	1.93	<b>15.96</b>
LPG	3.16	2.89	3.04	3.43	3.43	5.20	<b>45.24</b>
<b>.....of which used for road transport</b>							
Motor Gasoline (Petrol)	10.25	9.39	8.62	8.08	7.33	8.35	<b>93.03</b>
Automotive Diesel	13.36	9.86	10.23	10.92	9.37	9.02	<b>119.82</b>
Biodiesel	0.49	1.91	2.30	0.81	1.52	1.76	<b>14.59</b>
LPG	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.14	<b>1.24</b>
<b>2021</b>							
<b>Gross inland consumption (in million litres)</b>							
Motor Gasoline (Petrol)	10.36	10.33	9.40	8.76	8.94	8.67	<b>102.06</b>
Automotive Diesel	14.80	14.87	14.29	14.31	14.07	13.46	<b>159.33</b>
Biodiesel	1.53	1.04	1.18	1.21	1.31	0.73	<b>12.18</b>
LPG	3.14	2.93	3.29	3.55	3.76	5.69	<b>45.39</b>
<b>.....of which used for road transport</b>							
Motor Gasoline (Petrol)	10.22	10.19	9.26	8.64	8.81	8.55	<b>100.61</b>
Automotive Diesel	11.39	11.44	11.00	11.01	10.83	10.36	<b>122.60</b>
Biodiesel	1.50	1.02	1.16	1.19	1.29	0.71	<b>11.97</b>
LPG	0.10	0.09	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.18	<b>1.42</b>

## ROAD TRANSPORT - Roads and Distance Travelled

TABLE 3.6.3. Estimated vehicle yearly distance travelled by motor energy type and vehicle category: 2020-2021 ...

Vehicle category	Motor energy type	2020		2021	
		Yearly vehicle distance travelled		Yearly vehicle distance travelled	
		Average (km)	Total (km)	Average (km)	Total (km)
Coach and private bus	Diesel	13,079	7,291,117	12,940	4,634,775
	Combined Diesel/LPG	819	3,710	2,969	23,245
	<b>Total</b>	<b>12,980</b>	<b>7,294,827</b>	<b>12,727</b>	<b>4,658,020</b>
Minibus	Petrol	5,791	21,980	5,201	35,294
	Diesel	13,408	24,069,697	16,252	25,474,877
	<b>Total</b>	<b>13,392</b>	<b>24,091,676</b>	<b>16,204</b>	<b>25,510,171</b>
Route bus	Diesel	60,697	32,958,406	64,744	29,264,178
	<b>Total</b>	<b>60,697</b>	<b>32,958,406</b>	<b>64,744</b>	<b>29,264,178</b>
Passenger car	Petrol	5,017	1,157,819,996	6,345	1,293,881,442
	Diesel	6,558	688,968,393	8,307	921,506,823
	Electric	7,948	7,409,961	7,618	11,186,143
	Mild Hybrid (Petrol-Electric)	8,237	6,551,135	15,447	31,938,986
	Mild Hybrid (Diesel-Electric)	4,544	215,403	13,687	911,582
	LPG	4,482	21,246	11,599	77,252
	Combined Petrol/LPG	7,289	15,630,980	8,985	19,936,285
	Combined Diesel/LPG	-	-	4,476	19,872
	Plug-in Hybrid (Electric-Diesel)	-	-	30,906	68,616
	Plug-in Hybrid (Electric-Petrol)	7,017	1,996,394	11,275	10,785,855
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,525</b>	<b>1,878,613,509</b>	<b>7,121</b>	<b>2,290,312,856</b>	
Goods-carrying vehicle	Petrol	5,863	4,970,999	7,944	6,208,549
	Diesel	8,123	434,424,425	9,136	471,955,670
	Electric	8,405	385,868	9,096	720,400
	LPG	1,923	4,906	2,198	8,290
	Mild Hybrid (Diesel-Electric)	-	-	12,140	21,676
	Combined Petrol/LPG	5,179	158,525	9,544	287,956
	Combined Diesel/LPG	10,975	362,265	16,152	272,706
	<b>Total</b>	<b>8,088</b>	<b>440,306,987</b>	<b>9,120</b>	<b>479,475,248</b>

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... TABLE 3.6.3. Estimated vehicle yearly distance travelled by motor energy type and vehicle category: 2020-2021

Vehicle category	Motor energy type	2020		2021	
		Yearly vehicle distance travelled		Yearly vehicle distance travelled	
		Average (km)	Total (km)	Average (km)	Total (km)
Special purpose vehicle	Petrol	3,190	49,079	5,303	43,186
	Diesel	8,139	34,578,144	6,744	1,942,602
	LPG	-	-	627	3,829
	<b>Total</b>	<b>8,121</b>	<b>34,627,224</b>	<b>6,581</b>	<b>1,989,617</b>
Road tractor	Petrol	-	-	55,235	107,211
	Diesel	15,752	20,717,260	19,041	22,646,231
	Combined Diesel/LPG	8,601	32,229	6,141	23,839
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15,731</b>	<b>20,749,490</b>	<b>19,058</b>	<b>22,777,280</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>Petrol</b>	<b>5,020</b>	<b>1,162,862,054</b>	<b>6,352</b>	<b>1,300,275,683</b>
	<b>Diesel</b>	<b>7,443</b>	<b>1,243,007,443</b>	<b>8,876</b>	<b>1,477,425,156</b>
	<b>Electric</b>	<b>7,969</b>	<b>7,795,829</b>	<b>7,694</b>	<b>11,906,543</b>
	<b>Mild Hybrid (Petrol-Electric)</b>	<b>8,237</b>	<b>6,551,135</b>	<b>15,447</b>	<b>31,938,986</b>
	<b>Mild Hybrid(Diesel-Electric)</b>	<b>4,544</b>	<b>215,403</b>	<b>13,646</b>	<b>933,257</b>
	<b>LPG</b>	<b>3,587</b>	<b>26,152</b>	<b>5,404</b>	<b>89,372</b>
	<b>Combined Petrol/LPG</b>	<b>7,259</b>	<b>15,789,505</b>	<b>8,993</b>	<b>20,224,241</b>
	<b>Combined Diesel/LPG</b>	<b>9,645</b>	<b>398,205</b>	<b>10,282</b>	<b>339,662</b>
	<b>Plug-in Hybrid (Diesel-Electric)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>30,906</b>	<b>68,616</b>
	<b>Plug-in Hybrid (Petrol-Electric)</b>	<b>7,017</b>	<b>1,996,394</b>	<b>11,275</b>	<b>10,785,855</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,052</b>	<b>2,438,642,120</b>	<b>7,548</b>	<b>2,853,987,370</b>	

Source: Transport Malta.

Notes:

1. Data was revised following updates from the data source.
2. Data may not add up due to rounding.
3. Data is to be used with caution as it is based on estimations.
4. Data on distance travelled of agricultural motor vehicles, motorcycles, e-bicycles, PA-bicycles, e-kick scooters, quadricycles and ATVs is not available.

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TABLE 3.6.4. Estimated vehicle yearly distance travelled by vehicle category, motor energy type, engine capacity or gross vehicle weight: 2020-2021 ...

Vehicle class / Vehicle category	Motor energy type	Engine capacity / Gross vehicle weight	2020		2021	
			Yearly vehicle distance travelled		Yearly vehicle distance travelled	
			Average (km)	Total (km)	Average (km)	Total (km)
<b>Coach and private bus, minibus, route bus</b>						
Coach and private bus	Diesel		13,079	7,291,117	12,940	4,634,775
	Combined Diesel/LPG		819	3,710	2,969	23,245
Minibus	Petrol		5,791	21,980	5,201	35,294
	Diesel		13,408	24,069,697	16,252	25,474,877
Route Bus	Diesel		60,697	32,958,406	64,744	29,264,178
<b>Passenger car</b>						
		<b>Engine capacity (cc)</b>				
	Petrol	<=1,300	5,027	754,969,838	6,503	865,902,362
		1,301 - 1,449	5,387	271,927,448	6,521	281,942,130
		1,450 - 1,500	4,710	23,455,845	6,174	29,102,216
		1,501 - 1,800	4,562	79,310,416	5,542	82,229,450
		1,801 - 2,000	3,775	18,376,077	4,681	21,981,594
		>2,000	3,419	9,780,372	3,896	12,723,691
	Diesel	<=1,300	6,455	16,481,323	8,082	16,289,777
		1,301 - 1,449	6,442	53,827,204	8,063	63,189,543
		1,450 - 1,500	6,804	147,759,062	8,853	227,045,668
		1,501 - 1,800	7,417	166,717,061	9,389	226,231,963
		1,801 - 2,000	6,100	205,203,271	7,691	260,889,992
		>2,000	6,066	98,980,473	7,343	127,859,881
	Electric	<=1,300	7,912	7,328,521	7,553	11,006,968
		1,301 - 1,449	21,612	79,781	-	-
		>2,000	700	1,659	16,141	179,174
	Mild Hybrid (Petrol- Electric)	<=1,300	27,781	893,584	18,707	1,785,699
		1,301 - 1,449	5,106	411,515	7,989	620,818
		1,450 - 1,500	7,078	1,375,140	8,591	7,715,683
		1,501 - 1,800	8,999	2,175,560	26,867	19,433,211
		1,801 - 2,000	13,380	63,426	10,352	68,950
		>2,000	6,750	1,631,909	8,688	2,314,626
	Mild Hybrid (Diesel- Electric)	1,301 - 1,449	-	-	9,814	21,788
		1,501 - 1,800	4,260	10,096	35,114	311,832
		1,801 - 2,000	4,891	57,964	13,395	237,902
		>2,000	4,440	147,343	9,010	340,059

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... TABLE 3.6.4. Estimated vehicle yearly distance travelled by vehicle category, motor energy type, engine capacity or gross vehicle weight: 2020-2021

Vehicle class / Vehicle category	Motor energy type	Engine capacity / Gross vehicle weight	2020		2021	
			Yearly vehicle distance travelled		Yearly vehicle distance travelled	
			Average (km)	Total (km)	Average (km)	Total (km)
<b>Passenger car (continued)</b>		<b>Engine capacity (cc)</b>				
	LPG	<=1,300	-	-	16,014	35,554
		1,301 - 1,449	4,482	21,246	9,888	21,952
		1,801 - 2,000	-	-	8,894	19,746
	Combined/Petrol	<=1,300	7,419	6,643,248	10,015	8,958,904
		1,301 - 1,449	8,220	4,346,101	9,334	4,902,464
		1,450 - 1,500	6,433	798,366	8,212	999,524
		1,501 - 1,800	6,387	2,621,625	7,563	3,351,378
		1,801 - 2,000	6,223	831,969	7,127	1,289,477
		>2,000	7,473	389,672	8,155	434,538
	Combined/Diesel	1,450 - 1,500	-	-	6,204	13,774
		>2,000	-	-	2,747	6,099
	Plug-in Hybrid (Electric-Petrol)	<=1,300	7,110	1,347,966	7,983	2,954,669
		1,301 - 1,449	8,703	32,127	10,859	646,724
		1,450 - 1,500	-	-	11,394	480,389
		1,801 - 2,000	7,289	405,966	14,388	5,633,314
		>2,000	5,916	210,335	11,483	1,070,759
	Plug-in Hybrid (Electric-Diesel)	>2,000	-	-	30,906	68,616
<b>Commercial vehicle</b>		<b>GVW (kg)</b>				
	Petrol	<=3,500	5,386	4,396,386	7,927	6,024,243
		3,501-6,000	8,307	142,489	6,839	84,502
		6,001-12,000	38,571	421,753	4,824	25,839
		>15,000	2,951	10,371	19,182	73,964
	Diesel	<=3,500	9,826	324,203,704	9,121	358,590,958
		3,501-6,000	7,920	57,122,285	8,357	60,003,232
		6,001-12,000	8,564	24,680,219	9,199	25,737,968
		12,001-15,000	8,125	3,209,238	7,845	2,847,630
		>15,000	12,053	25,208,979	12,357	24,775,882
Goods-carrying vehicle	Electric	<=3,500	8,405	385,868	9,096	720,400
	Mild Hybrid (Diesel- Electric)	6,001-12,000	-	-	12,140	21,676
	LPG	<=3,500	1,923	4,906	2,198	8,290
	Combined Petrol/LPG	<=3,500	5,179	158,525	9,544	287,956
	Combined Diesel/LPG	<=3,500	9,486	145,169	13,383	50,472
		3,501-6,000	-	-	5,108	7,889
		6,001-12,000	2,387	8,698	-	-
		>15,000	14,822	208,397	18,529	214,344



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... TABLE 3.6.4. Estimated vehicle yearly distance travelled by vehicle category, motor energy type, engine capacity or gross vehicle weight: 2020-2021

Vehicle class / Vehicle category	Motor energy type	Engine capacity / Gross vehicle weight	2020		2021	
			Yearly vehicle distance travelled		Yearly vehicle distance travelled	
			Average (km)	Total (km)	Average (km)	Total (km)
Special purpose vehicle	Petrol	<=3,500	1,610	<b>17,202</b>	5,303	<b>43,186</b>
		6,001-12,000	6,784	<b>31,877</b>	-	-
	Diesel	<=3,500	6,106	<b>3,360,286</b>	6,747	<b>1,936,715</b>
		3,501-6,000	7,485	<b>6,833,658</b>	-	-
		6,001-12,000	8,072	<b>8,268,535</b>	-	-
		12,001-15,000	5,984	<b>1,196,764</b>	-	-
		>15,000	9,557	<b>14,918,902</b>	5,887	<b>5,887</b>
	LPG	<=3,500	-	-	627	<b>3,829</b>
	Petrol	>15,000	-	-	55,235	<b>107,211</b>
	Road tractor	Diesel	<=3,500	5,226	<b>78,325</b>	2,031
3,501-6,000			-	-	688	<b>1,376</b>
6,001-12,000			-	-	6,728	<b>40,369</b>
>15,000			15,873	<b>20,638,935</b>	19,266	<b>22,586,205</b>
Combined Diesel/LPG		>15,000	8,601	<b>32,229</b>	6,141	<b>23,839</b>

## Notes:

1. Data was revised following updates from the data source.
2. Data may not add up due to rounding.
3. Data is to be used with caution as it is based on estimations.
4. Data on distance travelled of agricultural motor vehicles, motorcycles, e-bicycles, PA-bicycles, e-kick scooters, quadricycles and ATVs is not available.
5. Ranges of values for engine capacity and gross vehicle weight that are not included in the above imply that no vehicle falls under such a category.

Source: Transport Malta.

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TABLE 3.6.5. Estimated vehicle yearly distance travelled by vehicle category and vehicle age group: 2020-2021

Vehicle category	Age group (years)	2020		2021	
		Average (km)	Total (million km)	Average (km)	Total (million km)
Coach and private bus	0-2	-	-	19,692	115,625
	3-5	17,209	233,988	11,661	68,469
	6-10	7,324	962,618	15,398	1,235,664
	11-20	11,078	3,263,440	12,925	2,377,834
	>20	23,165	2,834,781	9,557	860,428
Minibus	0-2	12,095	872,208	21,971	2,981,766
	3-5	19,100	6,669,223	20,881	4,888,508
	6-10	16,262	7,406,207	18,646	7,654,875
	11-20	11,566	6,803,999	15,092	7,783,266
	>20	7,006	2,340,039	7,914	2,201,756
Route bus	0-2	45,887	861,376	81,567	7,802,105
	3-5	72,719	23,760,512	76,555	5,530,632
	6-10	47,025	8,104,700	57,844	15,855,618
	11-20	9,223	231,819	8,708	74,592
	>20	-	-	863	1,231
Passenger car	0-2	33,126	11,884,187	31,954	43,713,431
	3-5	8,572	90,387,857	10,458	301,996,578
	6-10	6,589	650,374,419	7,505	624,159,423
	11-20	5,033	854,341,962	6,726	941,635,800
	>20	4,476	271,625,084	5,553	378,807,624
Goods-carrying vehicle	0-2	13,480	1,585,347	14,919	6,901,179
	3-5	12,342	43,944,261	12,954	45,549,210
	6-10	9,536	102,653,294	11,778	106,057,692
	11-20	8,499	135,459,456	9,752	158,491,669
	>20	6,512	156,664,629	6,962	162,475,497
Special purpose vehicle	0-2	16,482	1,091,763	2,215	4,510
	3-5	11,187	1,632,615	2,004	10,163
	6-10	9,906	5,632,291	2,568	52,274
	11-20	8,246	12,735,980	7,448	985,630
	>20	6,981	13,534,574	6,575	937,039
Road tractor	0-2	62,267	699,975	38,631	374,914
	3-5	42,683	3,358,763	66,420	3,480,846
	6-10	19,465	7,293,796	28,563	10,533,684
	11-20	13,151	5,469,942	14,587	6,532,681
	>20	8,957	3,927,014	5,863	1,855,154
<b>Total</b>	<b>0-2</b>	<b>26,360</b>	<b>16,994,856</b>	<b>29,763</b>	<b>61,893,531</b>
	<b>3-5</b>	<b>11,318</b>	<b>169,987,221</b>	<b>11,034</b>	<b>361,524,407</b>
	<b>6-10</b>	<b>7,038</b>	<b>782,427,325</b>	<b>8,203</b>	<b>765,549,230</b>
	<b>11-20</b>	<b>5,401</b>	<b>1,018,306,597</b>	<b>7,096</b>	<b>1,117,881,472</b>
	<b>&gt;20</b>	<b>5,149</b>	<b>450,926,120</b>	<b>5,922</b>	<b>547,138,730</b>

## Notes:

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Source: Transport Malta.

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### Methodological Notes

1. Values for yearly distance travelled are an estimation based on odometer readings supplied by TM and may be subject to revision.

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## ANNEX 1 - Route Details ...

Malta		
<b>Airport Routes:</b>	X1	Ċirkewwa
	X1A	University
	X1B	Ajruport
	X2	San Ġiljan
	X3	Buġibba
	X4	Birżebbuġia
	119	Ajruport
<b>Night Routes:</b>	N11	Buġibba
	N13	San Ġiljan
	N212	Buġibba
<b>Routes 1-4:</b>	1	Isla
	2	Birgu
	3	Kalkara
	4	Birgu Centre
<b>Routes 13-16:</b>	13	Ċagħaq
	13A	San Ġiljan
	14	Pembroke
	15	Sliema
	16	Swieqi
<b>Routes 21-35:</b>	21	Sliema
	22	Birkirkara
	24	San Ġwann
	25	San Ġwann
	31	Buġibba
	32	Swatar
	35	San Ġwann
<b>Routes 41-49:</b>	41	Ċirkewwa
	42	Ċirkewwa
	43	Naxxar
	44	Tuffieħa
	45	Buġibba
	46	Għargħur
	47	Mosta
	48	Buġibba
	49	Għadira Bay
<b>Routes 50-58:</b>	50	Rabat
	51	Mtarfa
	52	Dingli
	53	Rabat Virtu
	54	Attard
	56	Dingli
	58	Birkirkara
	58A	Birkirkara

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Malta		
<b>Routes 61-74:</b>	61	Żebbuġ
	62	Sigġiewi
	63	Qormi Ħarifa
	64	Qormi
	71	Żurrieq
	72	Qrendi
	73	Żurrieq
	74	Żurrieq
<b>Routes 80-88:</b>	80	Birżebbuġia
	81	Marsaxlokk
	82	Birżebbuġia
	83	Santa Luċija
	84	Żejtun
	85	Marsaxlokk
	88	Gudja
<b>Routes 90-94:</b>	90	Żabbar
	91	Marsaskala
	92	Marsaskala
	93	Marsaskala
	94	Xgħajra
<b>Routes 101-109:</b>	101	Ċirkewwa
	103	Naxxar
	106	Attard
	109	Baħrija
	109A	Baħrija
<b>Routes 110-117:</b>	110	Pembroke Park and Ride
	117	Mqabba
<b>Routes 120-124:</b>	120	Pembroke
	121	Pembroke
	122	Mater Dei
	124	Isla
<b>Routes 130-136:</b>	130	Waterfront
	133	Valletta
	135	Marsaskala
<b>Routes 181-186:</b>	181	Dingli
	182	Mtarfa
	186	Buġibba
<b>Routes 201-209:</b>	201	Rabat
	202	Sliema
	203	Buġibba
	204	Marsaskala
	206	Żejtun
	209	Sigġiewi

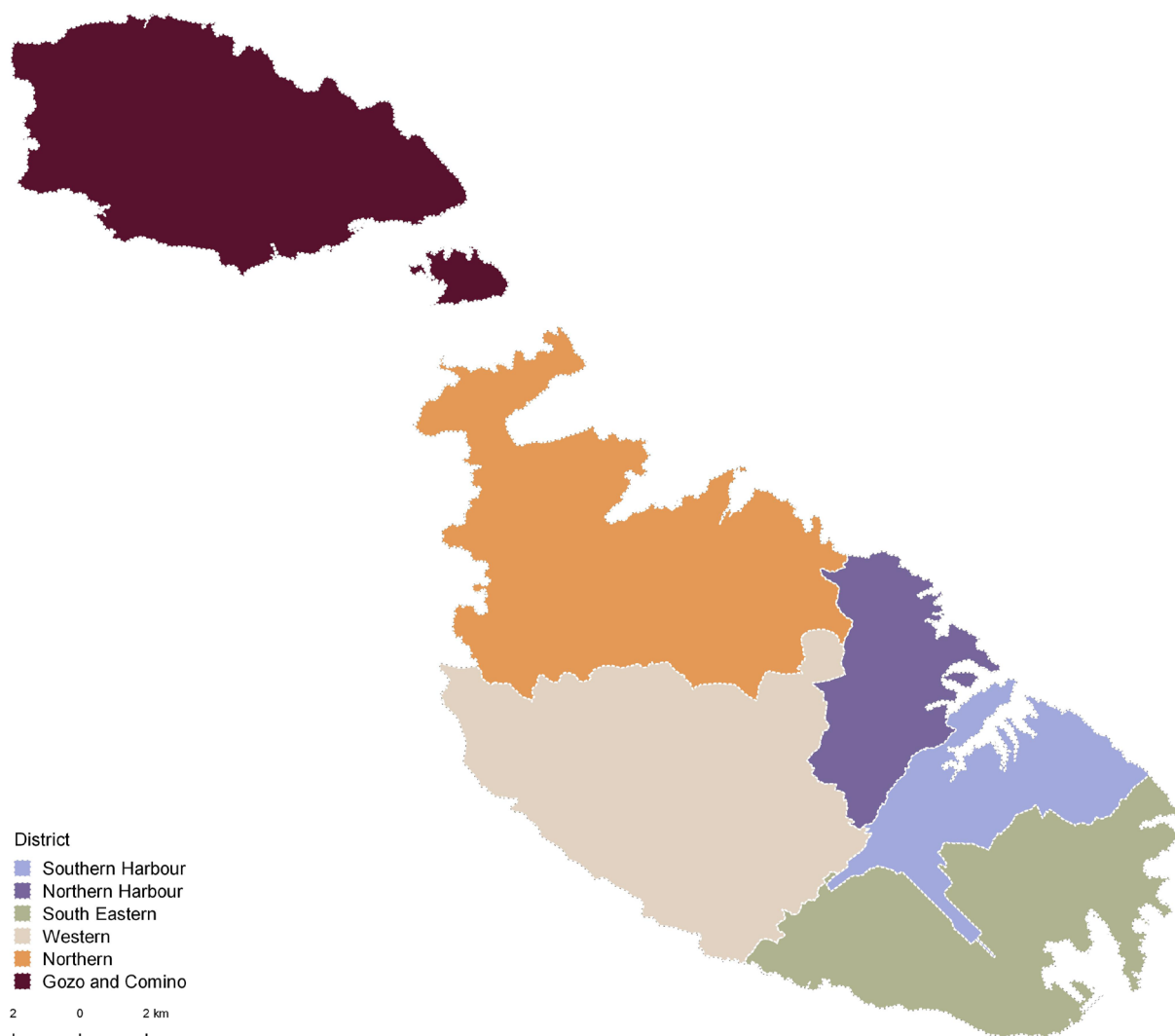
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Malta		
<b>Routes 210-226:</b>	210	Birżebbuġia
	212	Buġibba
	213	Isla
	218	Mqabba
	221	Buġibba
	222	Sliema
	223	Għajn Tuffieħa
	225	Għajn Tuffieħa
	226	Gudja
<b>Routes 233-280:</b>	233	Swieqi
	238	Mġarr
	250	Għadira
	260	Għargħur
	280	Buġibba
<b>Tallinja Direct Routes:</b>	TD2	San Ġiljan
	TD10	Marsaxlokk
	TD13	San Ġiljan
<b>Valletta Ferry Routes:</b>	VFS	Lascaris
	X133	Lascaris
	150	MCAST
	300	Mater Dei
Gozo		
<b>Routes 301-309:</b>	301	Vapur
	302	Ramla
	303	Vapur
	305	Victoria
	306	Xlendi
	307	Xagħra
	308	Għammar
	309	Żebbuġ
	<b>Routes 310-330:</b>	310
311		Dwejra
312		San Lawrenz
313		Santa Luċija
322		Vapur
323		Vapur
330		Xlendi
<b>Night Routes in Gozo:</b>	N301	Victoria

Note: Further route information can be accessed by using the link: <https://www.publictransport.com.mt/en/timetables>.



ANNEX 2 - Graphical Illustration of MALTA by LAU1 Classification



#### Districts classification

##### Southern Harbour

Bormla; Il-Fgura; Floriana;  al Luqa;  az- abbar; Il-Kalkara; Il-Marsa; Ra al  did; Santa Lu ija; L-Isla;  al Tarxien; Valletta; Il-Birgu; Ix-Xg ajra.

##### Northern Harbour

Birkirkara; Il-G ira;  al Qormi; Il- amrun; L-Imsida; Pembroke; San  wann; Santa Venera; San  iljan; Is-Swieqi; Ta' Xbiex; Tal-Piet ; Tas-Sliema.

##### South Eastern

Bir ebbu a; Il-Gudja;  al  haxaq;  al Kirkop;  al Safi; Marsaskala; Marsaxlokk; L-Imqabba; Il-Qrendi; Iz- ejtun; iz- urrieq.

##### Western

 ad-Dingli;  al Balzan;  al Lija;  Attard;  az- ebbu ; L-Iklin; L-Imdina; L-Imtarfa; Ir-Rabat; Is-Si  iewi.

##### Northern

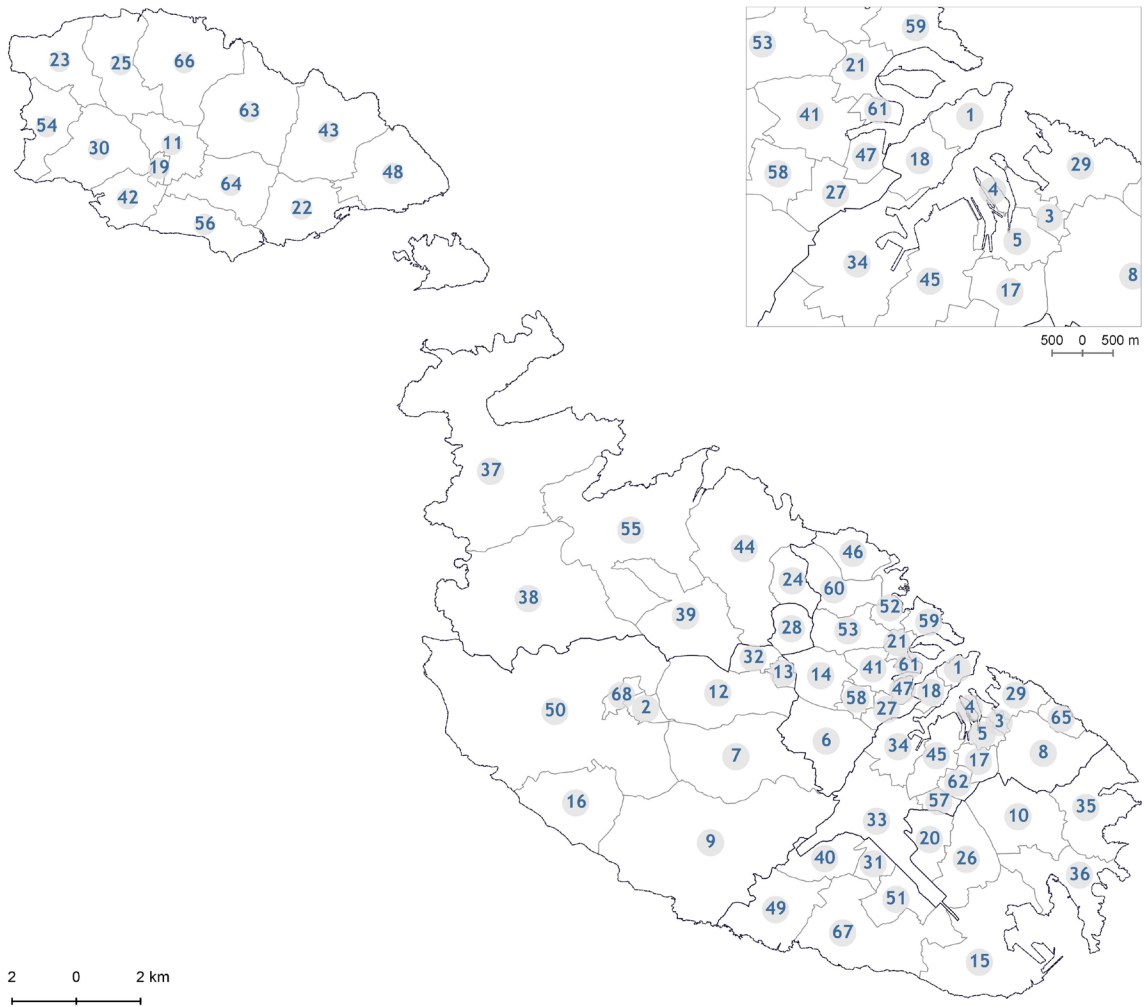
 al  arg ur; Il-Mellie a; L-Im arr; Il-Mosta; In-Naxxar; San Pawl Il-Ba ar.

##### Gozo and Comino

Il-Fontana;  hajnsielem and Comino; L- harb; L- hasri; Il-Munxar; In-Nadur; Il-Qala; San Lawrenz; Ta' Ker em; Ta' Sannat; Ir-Rabat; Ix-Xag ra; Ix-Xewkija; Iz- ebbu .

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ANNEX 3 - Graphical Illustration of MALTA by LAU2 Classification



Key

1 Valletta	18 Floriana	35 Marsaskala	52 San Ġiljan
2 L-Imdina	19 Il-Fontana	36 Marsaxlokk	53 San Ġwann
3 Il-Birgu	20 Il-Gudja	37 Il-Mellieħa	54 San Lawrenz
4 L-Isla	21 Il-Gzira	38 L-Imġarr	55 San Pawl Il-Baħar
5 Bormla	22 Ġhajnsielem and Comino	39 Il-Mosta	56 Ta' Sannat
6 Ħal Qormi	23 L-Għarb	40 L-Imqabba	57 Santa Luċija
7 Ħaż-Żebbuġ	24 Ħal Ġharghur	41 L-Imsida	58 Santa Venera
8 Ħaż-Żabbar	25 L-Għasri	42 Il-Munxar	59 Tas-Sliema
9 Is-Siġġiewi	26 Ħal Ġhaxaq	43 In-Nadur	60 Is-Swieqi
10 Iż-Żejtun	27 Il-Ħamrun	44 In-Naxxar	61 Ta' Xbiex
11 Ir-Rabat, Ġhawdex	28 L-Iklin	45 Raħal Ġdid	62 Ħal Tarxien
12 Ħ'Attard	29 Il-Kalkara	46 Pembroke	63 Ix-Xagħra
13 Ħal Balzan	30 Ta' Kerċem	47 Tal-Pieta'	64 Ix-Xewkija
14 Birkirkara	31 Ħal Kirkop	48 Il-Qala	65 Ix-Xgħajra
15 Birżebbuġa	32 Ħal Lija	49 Il-Qrendi	66 Iż-Żebbuġ, Ġhawdex
16 Ħad-Dingli	33 Ħal Luqa	50 Ir-Rabat, Malta	67 Iż-Żurriq
17 Il-Fgura	34 Il-Marsa	51 Ħal Safi	68 L-Imtarfa



