

# Characterization of trips and related statistics



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# Transit visitors

- Difference between REC93 and REC00
  - REC93 excluded them on the basis of non additivity
  - REC00 included them on the basis of their consumption activity
- Need to analyze the different situations: by air (transit zones in airports going or not through customs), land (to a destination or through a country or region), water (cruise ships and yachts) and give answers proper to each case.....

# What is an overnight visitor ?

- Different existing definitions:
  - REC93: stay in a collective or private accommodation: what happens if in a different kind of accommodation (or no accommodation used...)
  - Less than 24 hours (what happens when there is a stay in collective or private accommodation but less than 24 hours...)
  - Over the night : what is a “night”?
- Apparent contradiction with the fact of most “activities” happening during day time....
- Need to correct number of nights into number of days?

The topic can be extended to travelers

# Tourism “products”

- Is it an issue? From marketing perspective, no doubt
- How to integrate them into our recommendations and our statistics?

# Classifying accommodation used by visitors

- Second homes
- Treatment of Time share as accommodation or real estate...
- How to update REC93 classification: relationship to ISIC rev 4 and CPC rev 2.0

# New proposals

- Refining the definition of transit visitors
- Updating the concept of visitor
- Interpreting “tourism products” in the revised REC93
- Updating classification of accommodation used by visitors