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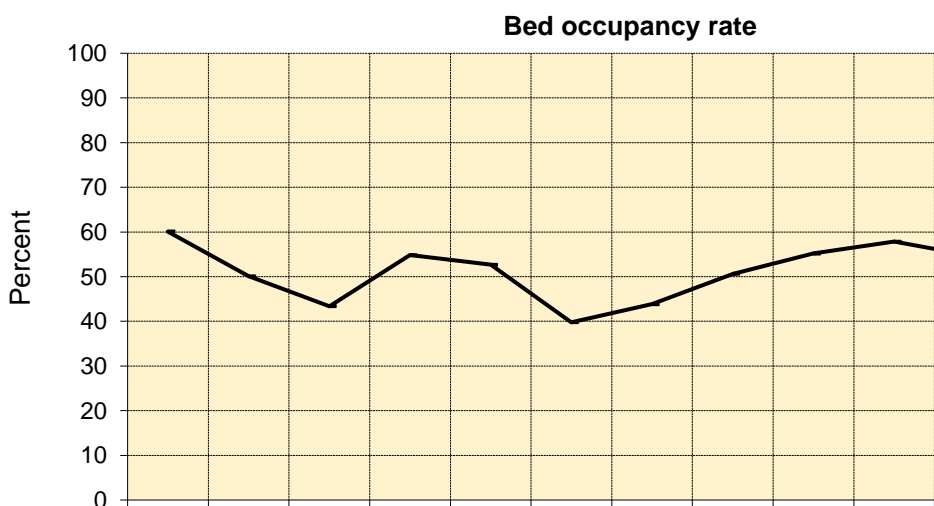
HOTEL STATISTICS November, 2023

The National Bureau of Statistics conducts a monthly sample survey of hotel statistics to produce hotel bed occupancy rate. In the month of November, out of 184 hotels surveyed, 53 responded.

The occupancy rate for November was estimated at 52.9 percent. There were 170,012 beds occupied out of which 40.6 percent were international visitors.

Results further showed that in the month of November the bed occupancy rate decreased by 12.4 percent compared to the previous month.

When compared with the same month last year (i.e. November, 2022) the result shows that there was a decrease of 7.2 percent bed occupancy rate as can be calculated from the table.



HOTEL STATISTICS				
Indicator	Nov 2022	Sep 2023	Oct 2023	Nov 2023
Number of hotels in survey	184	185	185	185
Number of beds available	10,705	10,705	10,705	10,705
Number of days in month	30	30	31	30
Bed-nights available	321,150	321,150	331,855	321,150
Number of hotels responding	52	53	57	53
Bed-nights occupied	193,009	175,245	217,041	170,012
of which international	120,349	86,045	118,464	68,981
Bed occupancy rate	60.1	54.6	65.3	52.9

Note:

- Sample replacement due to closure and emergency of hotels with 30 or more employees.
- The Sample survey covers: -
 - All hotels on the Mainland with 30 or more employees.
 - Systematically sampled hotels with 29 employees or less.
- Provisional estimates are made for the hotels not responding.
- Bed occupancy rate is expressed as the percentage of the total number of beds utilized over the total number of beds available.
- Bed nights available are a function of the number of days in a month.

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