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**Outbound Tourism Survey**

**Questionnaire is filled only for persons with the age of 15 years or more**

**TO THE INTERVIEWER: READ THE TEXT BELOW TO EACH RESPONDENT!**

Good morning/afternoon/evening, my name is \_\_\_\_\_, (**TELL YOUR NAME**) from National Statistics Office of Georgia. I wonder if you could spare me a few minutes to answer some questions related to your travel abroad. Information provided by you is confidential and protected by "The Law of Georgia on Official Statistics". It is only used for calculation of statistical indicators.

(IF RESPONDENT AGREES THANK HIM (HER)) - Thank you

**SAMPLE POINT:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CODE:**

**NAME AND SURNAME OF INTERVIEWER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CODE:**

**DATE OF THE INTERVIEW:** \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
Day Month Year

**INTERVIEW START TIME:** \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
hr. min.

**INTERVIEW END TIME:** \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
hr. min.

**QUESTIONNAIRE LANGUAGE - ENGLISH**

**TO THE INTERVIEWER: USE FOLLOWING CODES IN QUESTIONNAIRE:**

No answer	77
I do not know/hard to answer	99

## SECTION F. FILTER QUESTIONS

**F1.** Please tell me, what is your country of citizenship? *(SINGLE ANSWER ONLY)* \_\_\_\_\_

**F2.** Please tell me, what is your country of residence? *(SINGLE ANSWER ONLY)* \_\_\_\_\_

**TO THE INTERVIEWER: A PERSON IS A RESIDENT OF A COUNTRY IF HE/SHE LIVES OR INTENDS TO LIVE IN THAT COUNTRY FOR 12 MONTHS OR MORE.**

**IF THE COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP IS GEORGIA AND COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE IS GEORGIA, PROCEED WITH QUESTION A1;**

**IF THE COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP IS GEORGIA AND COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE IS NOT GEORGIA, PROCEED WITH QUESTION F3;**

**IF THE COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP IS NOT GEORGIA AND COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE IS GEORGIA, PROCEED WITH QUESTION F4;**

**IF THE COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP IS NOT GEORGIA AND COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE IS NOT GEORGIA, TERMINATE THE INTERVIEW.**

**F3.** Please, tell me, are you a student studying/studied at any educational institution, Hospital patient or a family member accompanying them in the country stated in F2 question?

No	0	<b>Terminate the interview</b>  → A4, then → A10
Student	1	
Hospital patient	2	
Family member	3	

**F4.** Please, tell me, are you a student studying/studied at any educational institution, Hospital patient or a family member accompanying them in Georgia?

No	0
Student	1
Hospital patient	2
Family member	3

## SECTION A: TRAVELLING ABROAD

**A1.** Please, tell me, is this your first visit abroad?

Yes	1
No	2

**A2.** Please, tell me, what was the main purpose of your current visit abroad? *(SINGLE ANSWER ONLY)*

<b>Holiday, Leisure, Recreation</b> (sightseeing, visiting natural sites, attending sporting or cultural events, practicing sport (skiing, riding, diving, hiking, trekking, mountain climbing, etc.) as a non-professional activity; using beaches, swimming pools and any recreation and entertainment facilities, cruising, gambling, attending summer camps for youngsters, resting, camping, etc.)	1	<b>→ A3</b>
<b>Visiting friends/relatives</b> (visiting friend and relatives, attending weddings, funerals or any other family event; short-term caring for the sick or old, etc.)	2	
<b>Education or trainings</b> (to get education or upgrade knowledge, exchange students)	3	
<b>Health and Medical Care</b> (travelling to obtain medical care or treatment at hospitals)	4	
<b>Religion/Pilgrimage</b> (attending religious meetings and events, Pilgrimages, etc.)	5	
<b>Shopping, Buying goods with the aim of consumption</b> (purchasing consumer goods for own personal use or as gifts except for resale)	6	
<b>Business or Professional</b> (attending meetings, conferences or congresses, trade fairs and exhibitions; business trip; giving lectures, concerts, shows and plays; participating in scientific or academic research; participating in professional sports activities, other economic activities for getting income/gain (e.g. selling products, Buying goods with the aim of resale and etc.), international organization personnel)	7	<b>→ A4, then → A10</b>
<b>Other1:</b> Border Worker, Seasonal worker, Persons Arrived with the Aim of Employment, Nomad or Refugee, Member of Flight/Transport Crew or Their Dependant. Also, people who often cross the border (every week)	8	
<b>Other2:</b> Diplomat or Consular Officer accredited outside of Georgia (abroad), Member of Armed Forces on Assignment or Their Dependant	9	
<b>Other Personal Reason</b> <i>(Please specify)</i> _____	66	<b>→ A3</b>

**A3.** Please, tell me, which of the following activities have you taken part in or spent time doing during this visit?  
**(SEVERAL ANSWERS ARE PERMISSIBLE)**

1. Sightseeing/Visiting cultural and historical heritage/Museums	2. Going to the beach/ Swimming in the sea/lake/river	3. Skiing/Snowboarding/Heliskiing
4. Visiting national parks/Nature/Landscape, exploring remote and exotic places	5. Visiting entertainment parks	6. Taking part in agricultural activities
7. Attending concerts/Festivals/Exhibitions, going to a cinema/theatre, participating in local holidays	8. Nightlife/Visiting night clubs	9. Hunting/Fishing
10. Resting on a recreational resorts (e.g.: sanatorium, spa-resorts)	11. Gambling (casinos, totalizators, etc.)	12. Boating/Rafting/Canoeing
13. Tasting local cuisine	14. Attending sport events (e.g. attending tournaments, Olympiads, championships, favorite club match, etc.)	15. Horse riding
16. Cycling	17. Mountaineering /Climbing	18. Getting known with local art, culture, language, history (e.g. getting known to local ceremonies and traditions, etc.)
19. Pilgrimage (includes also attending religious meetings and events, etc.)	20. Shopping (purchasing consumer goods for own personal use or as gifts except for resale)	21. Visiting friends/relatives
66.1 Other (Please specify) _____	66.2 Other (Please specify) _____	66.3 Other (Please specify) _____

**A3.1** Please, tell me, who accompanied you during this visit abroad? **(SEVERAL ANSWERS ARE PERMISSIBLE)**

Alone	1	→ A3.2
Family/Relatives	2	
Friends	3	
Co-workers/colleagues	4	
Tourist group	5	
Other (Please specify) _____	66	

**A3.2.** Please, tell me, how many persons accompanied you during this visit abroad? \_\_\_\_\_

**A4.** Concerning this current visit, how many **nights** did you spend abroad in total? \_\_\_\_\_  
**(CLARIFY THAT WE ARE INTERESTED IN NUMBER OF NIGHTS, NOT DAYS SPENT ABROAD)**

**A5.** Please, state the number of nights according to the type of accommodation for each country visited? **(SEVERAL ANSWERS ARE PERMISSIBLE)**

1. Countries visited		2. Types of accommodation									
		Didn't spend a night	Hotels	Guesthouse, hostel, Group Accommodation	Rented Rooms in Family Houses, Rented House/Apartment	Personal Home/Apartment	Private Home of a Friend or Relative	Campsite, Work and Holiday Camps, Public Means of Transport with Sleeping Accommodation	Health-related Establishments, Hospital or Medical Clinic	Other Accommodation (Please specify) _____	Total nights spent at this place
1	2	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	66	9
1											
2											
3											
4											
5											

**A6.** Please, tell me, by which means of transport did you go abroad? (Indicate transport for going abroad and for moving within foreign country (countries)) **(SEVERAL ANSWERS ARE PERMISSIBLE)**

	International transport	Local transport
Georgian airlines (Georgian Airways, Georgian Wings (Geo Sky))	1	
Other (non-Georgian) airlines	2	2
Train	3	3
Sea	4	4
Bus/Minibus	5	5
Own/Relative's car	6	6
Hired car	7	7
Taxi	8	8
Metro/Underground		9
Other (Please specify) _____	66	66

**A7.** Please, tell me, are you travelling on a package tour purchased by you or other on your behalf at a travel agency for this trip? If yes, was this package tour provided by a Georgian-based or other non-Georgian travel agency?

Did not have a package tour	0	→A10
Georgian-based Travel agency / Tour operator	1	→A8
Other (non-Georgian) Travel agency / Tour operator	2	

**A8.** Please, tell me, how much was paid by you or on your behalf for the package tour?

**A8.1** Please, specify the currency.

**A8.2** How many nights of stay abroad did the package tour cover?

**A8.3** Including you, how many people of age 15 or older does the package tour cover?

**A8.3.1** How many children under 15 did the package tour cover?

A8	Cost	
A8.1	Currency	
A8.2	Number of nights abroad	
A8.3	Number of people (15 or older)	
A8.3.1	Number of children (under 15)	

**A9.** Did your package tour include the following? **(SEVERAL ANSWERS ARE PERMISSIBLE)**

Travel fare	Sightseeing tours	Transfer	Car Hire	Accommodation	Food and Drinks	Guide	Other (Please specify)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	_____
							66

**A10.** Following questions are about the expenditure made during your visit abroad. Please, tell me, did you have any personal expenses during this visit?

I had personal expenses (for myself and/or other accompanying persons)	1	→A10.1
Did not have personal expenditure (the expenditure was paid by a Georgian resident or other person)	3	→A10.6
Did not have personal expenditure (only the accompanying person paid the expenditure)	4	→A12

**A10.1** Please, tell me, how much did you spend on any services and/or goods for this trip before going abroad but excluding the cost of package tour?

**A10.2** Please, indicate the currency for **A10.1**

**A10.3** Now, please, tell me, what is the total sum of money you believe you have spent for this trip before going abroad but excluding the cost of package tour? **(WRITE DOWN THE TOTAL AMOUNT)**

Type of expenses		A10.1 Expenditure	A10.2 Currency
1	<b>Accommodation</b>		
2	<b>Cultural activities</b>		
3	<b>Holiday, leisure, recreation and sporting activities</b>		
4	<b>Shopping</b>		
5	<b>International transport</b>		
6	<b>Local transport</b> (bus, train, etc.)		
7	<b>Fuel</b> (petrol, diesel, gas, etc.)		
8	<b>Health care</b> (for less than one year)		
9	<b>Food and drinks</b> (excluding restaurants, cafes and bars)		
10	<b>Food and drinks in restaurants, cafes and bars</b>		
11	<b>Insurance</b>		
66	<b>Other expenditure</b> (please specify) _____		
<b>A10.3</b>	<b>Total expenditure</b>		

**A10.4** Please, tell me, how much did you spend on the items listed below during this visit abroad (excluding the services included in the package tour, if applicable)?

**A10.5** Please, indicate the currency for A10.4.

**A10.6** Please, tell me, the amount of expenditure that non-Georgian (people who did not accompany you) resident(s) have incurred on your behalf?

**A10.7** Please, indicate the currency for A10.6.

**A10.8** Please, tell me, the amount of expenditure made by Georgian residents, using internet or other means of payment that was covered on your behalf by the person(s) not accompanying you on this trip (excluding the services included in the package tour, if applicable)?

**A10.9** Please, indicate the currency for A10.8.

**A11.** Now, please, tell me, what is the total sum of money you believe you have spent during your visit outside of Georgia (abroad), including all types of expenses, but excluding the cost of package tour? (Write down the total amount)

Type of expenses		A10.4 Own cost	A10.5 Currency	A10.6 Non- Georgian resident's cost	A10.7 Currency	A10.8 Others' cost (via internet, etc.)	A10.9 Currency
1	<b>Accommodation</b> (including utilities)						
2	<b>Food and drinks</b> (Excluding restaurants, cafes and bars)						
3	<b>Food and drinks in restaurants, cafes and bars</b>						
4	<b>Cultural activities</b>						
5	<b>Holiday, leisure, recreation and sporting activities</b>						
6	<b>Shopping</b> (excluding commercial purchases, also purchases of consumer durable goods and valuables with the cost of 300 GEL or more)						
7	<b>Purchase of consumer durable goods</b> (computers, cars, boats, etc. with the cost of 300 GEL or more)						
8	<b>Purchase of valuables</b> (paintings, pieces of art, jewelry, etc. with the cost of 300 GEL or more)						
9	<b>Commercial purchases</b> (purchase of goods for resale)						
10	<b>International transport</b>						
11	<b>Local transport</b> (bus, minibus, taxi, etc.)						
12	<b>Fuel</b> (petrol, diesel, gas, etc.)						
13	<b>Health care</b> (for less than one year)						
14	<b>Expenses to purchase real estate</b> (house, flat, land)						
15	<b>Money given as a gift/donation</b>						
16	<b>Insurance</b>						
66	<b>Other expenditure</b> (please specify) _____						
<b>A11</b>	<b>Total expenditure</b>						

**A12** Please, tell me, what is the total amount of money you have spent in Georgia on presents for non-Georgian residents? Cost: \_\_\_\_\_ Currency: \_\_\_\_\_

**A13.** Please, tell me, for this trip, how did you get information about the visited country? **(SEVERAL ANSWERS ARE PERMISSIBLE)**

Previous visit	1
Friends & relatives	2
Organization/business partner	3
Television/Radio	4
Travel agency/Tour operator	5
Internet	6
Other (Please specify) _____	66

**A14.** Now, please, tell me, overall, how satisfied you are with your visit abroad? **USE 5 POINT SCALE FOR EVALUATION, WHERE "1" STANDS FOR "VERY DISSATISFIED" AND "5" VERY SATISFIED**

		VERY DISSATISFIED	DISSATISFIED	NEITHER SATISFIED NOR DISSATISFIED	SATISFIED	VERY SATISFIED	I DON'T KNOW/HARD TO ANSWER
<b>A14</b>	Overall satisfaction	1	2	3	4	5	99

**SECTION B: RESPONDENT'S SOCIO-DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE**

**B1.** Respondent's age \_\_\_\_\_

**B2.** Respondent's gender: 1. Female 2. Male

**B3.** Respondent's economic activity status **(SINGLE ANSWER ONLY)**

Hired employee	1
Owner of a business which employs others	2
Self-employed without employed persons	3
Pensioner/Retired	4
Unemployed	5
Housewife/Unpaid Family Workers	6
Student/pupil	7
Outside the labour force (except for housewife/student)	8
Other (please specify) _____	66
Refused to answer	77

**THANK YOU FOR TAKING PART IN THIS SURVEY!**

**Interviewer's comments:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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