

# Welcome to MODUL University Vienna! 12th TourMIS Workshop 2016

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Wireless LAN access: network name modul















#### Introduction



- Name, destination/origin, organisation
- Are you a registered TourMIS user? Since when?
  Do you use TourMIS on a regular basis? (d/w/m/a)
- Do you have data entry rights for a particular destination?
- How many times have you been at the TourMIS workshop?

#### www.tourmis.info



#### **TourMIS**

Information and decision support system for tourism managers, media, students, ...

- Provides free and easy access to tourism statistics
- Platform for tourism associations to exchange data/information/knowledge





- Supports the harmonization of tourism statistics
- Tool to learn about the actual usage of tourism market research information (bridging the gap between academia and industry)

#### International data compiled in TourMIS



- Arrivals (annual, monthly data, latest trends)
- Bednights (annual, monthly data, latest trends)
- 60 markets, including domestic visitors
- Capacities (# of hotels, spaces, annual data)
- Average occupancy rate
- Population (new)
- Number of visitors to major attractions
- Shopping barometer
- Website statistics
- Travel distance indicator (work in progress)
- MICE statistics (work in progress)
- Calculated:
  - Average length of stay
  - Occupancy rate assuming that capacities are available during the entire year
  - Tourism density

#### Development of www.tourmis.info



1984 ANTO decides to install a Management Information System (MIS) on a mainframe computer

1990 1st PC version (approx. 50 users)

1998 www.tourmis.info

1999/2000 European Cities Tourism (ECT/ECM) and the European Travel Commission (ETC) start using TourMIS

**2001** Number of visitations to Austrian attractions

2003 Executive summary tool

2004 Collection of monthly statistics (100,000+ online queries)

**2005** First TourMIS Workshop (Brussels)

**2007** Tool for analyzing seasonality

2008 ECM Shopping Barometer, UNWTO Ulysses Award

2011 www.citytourismbenchmark.com

**2016** 12th TourMIS Workshop & International Seminar



# TourMIS – number of inquiries



- 2015: >160,000 inquiries
- 13,300 per month
- every 3 minutes one inquiry!
- 22.000 registered users (Sep 2016)
- approx. 2,000 active users during the last 6 months
- 60% tourism industry

## Registration as data inputter



# TourMIS has 190 data inputters (130 ECM, 60 ETC) Authorized persons should ...

- ... have a minimum knowledge of tourism statistics in his/her region (how to get information and how to read and interpret the statistics)
- own a personal e-mail address (not an "office address" like office@modul.ac.at)
- be registered on TourMIS (for free!)
- be willing to enter statistics on a regular basis
- ... then send an email to tourmis@modul.ac.at and ask for data input authorization for your destination

#### Changes & new features 2015/16



- Bug fixes
- New Hardware: More storage, more memory (speed!)
- Data entry:
  - New markets: Belarus (BY), Taiwan (TW), Thailand (TH)\*
  - Interface for entering population data
- MyTourMIS Title of MyQueries can be edited\*\*
- Travel distance estimator
- Revision of table M4: ,aggregate months' function

<sup>\*</sup> Requested by Joanna Weglarcyk (Poland) on 23rd September 2015

<sup>\*\*</sup> Request by various users during last year's TourMIS workshop

#### Changes & new features 2015/16



- 'Attractions and sights' added ,visitors per day'
  (Tables: 1, 3)
- Tool for measuring the tourism intensity (Tables: J20, J21, M20, M21)
- TourMIS Webanalytics for ECM and ETC members (improved)

#### **Definitions and methodologies**



Before you start entering your figures you need to check the definitions available in TourMIS and the methodologies used for generating your data in your destination!

#### **Definitions available in TourMIS**



#### A few questions to think about ...

- Hotels or similar vs. collective/paid vs. all forms of accommodation (paid and unpaid/VFR)?
- Bednights or roomnights?
- Does data also include small accommodation units?
- Does capacity data (# of accommodation suppliers, # of bed spaces) cover the same units as the numbers on arrivals and/or bednights?
- For cities only: Does your statistics cover the surrounding region or the "city area"?
- See UNWTO & Eurostat definitions and read TourMIS information available on www.tourmis.info

## 12 measures compiled by ETC



- 1. Arrivals of visitors at frontiers
- 2. Arrivals of tourists at frontiers
- 3. Arrivals of tourists in all paid forms of accommodation establishments
- 4. Arrivals of tourists in hotels and similar establishments
- 5. Bednights of tourists in all paid forms of accommodation establishments
- 6. Bednights of tourists in hotels and similar establishments
- 7. Number of all paid forms of accommodation establishments
- 8. Number of bed spaces in all paid forms of accommodation establishments
- 9. Average occupancy rate in all paid forms of accommodation establishments
- 10. Number of hotels and similar establishments
- 11. Number of bed spaces in hotels and similar establishments
- 12. Average occupancy rate in hotels and similar establishments

# 26 measures compiled by ECM



Subject	Type of accommodation	Area/Scope	VFR	Arrivals	Bednights	Accomm. units	Bedspaces	Avg annual bed- occupancy
Visitors		Greater city		1				
		Inner city		2				
Tourists	all forms	Greater city	Exclusive	3	9	15	10	22
			Inclusive	4	10	15	19	23
		Inner city	Exclusive	5	11	16	20	24
			Inclusive	6	12	10	20	24
	Hotels and similar	Greater city		7	13	17	21	25
		Inner city		8	14	18	22	26

#### **Data input options**



- **1.** Online Form (60%)
- 2. By using the Standard Excel Template which can be downloaded from www.tourmis.info (20%)
- 3. By using your own Excel file and the TourMIS flexible Excel interface (20%)
- 4. By a full-automatic upload procedure (Austria and Belgium)