LAGOS

Residents' Perception - Fact Sheet | High Season 2023









Primary School 14.1% High School 51.1% University 31.5% DK/DA 3.3%

Group 11 18-24 years old 17.4% 25-64 years old 75.0% + 65 years 7.6%

Current State of Tourism Development

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•Very Weak •Weak •Moderate •Strong •Very Strong •DK/DA

Perception of Economic Impacts

Positive Economic Impacts*



Global Impact 3.70

Tourism is the main economic activity **4.24**Tourism increases employment opportunities **4.10**Tourism promotes more investment in the municipality **3.99**

Negative Economic Impacts*



Global Impact 4.07

Tourism increases the price of houses and land **4.68**Tourism increases the cost of living **4.58**Goods/services are more expensive because of tourism (food, clothing, transport, etc.) **4.39**

Perception of Sociocultural Impacts

Positive Sociocultural Impacts*



Global Impact 3.20

The residents of my municipality are hospitable and welcome tourists with courtesy **3.82**Tourism stimulates cultural activities, festivals and local traditions **3.67**Tourism contributes to the recognition, prestige and image of my municipality **3.58**

Negative Sociocultural Impacts*



Global Impact 3.47

Tourism increases drug and alcohol consumption
4.08

Tourism increases stress and disturbs calm **3.86**My municipality is overcrowded because of tourism **3.78**

SOME FACTS

Approximately 58.7% of respondents consider that the municipality registers **strong tourism development**.

Regarding residents' perception of **economic impacts** in Lagos, the respondents moderately agree with the positive impacts (3.70) agree with the negative ones (4.07). They specifically agree with the increase of prices of houses and land (4.48), as well as cost of living (4.58). However, they recognize that tourism is the main economic activity in the municipality (4.24) and that it increases employment opportunities (4.10).

Concerning the **sociocultural impacts**, the respondents are neutral with regards to both the positive (3.20) and negative impacts (3.47). They show moderate agreement that residents are hospitable and welcome tourists with courtesy (3.82) but that, at the same time, tourism increases drug and alcohol consumption (4.08).

As for the perceived **environmental impacts**, the respondents moderately agree with the negative impacts (3.80) and disagreed with the positive ones (2.59). The negative indicators with the highest level of agreement are "Tourism increases pollution, noise, litter, etc." (4.23) and "Tourism generates traffic, parking and accident issues" (4.12).

Perception of Environmental Impacts



Positive Environmental Impacts*

Global Impact 2.59

Tourism improves signage system (for access to accommodation, monuments, etc.) **2.83**

Tourism improves public infrastructure (roads, railways, sports facilities, etc.) **2.76**

Tourism improves cleanliness of public spaces 2.62



Negative Environmental Impacts*

Global Impact 3.80

Tourism increases pollution, noise, litter, etc. **4.23**Tourism generates traffic, parking and

accident issues 4.12

Tourism occupies natural areas that residents have free use of (beaches, mountains, protected areas, etc.) **3.94**

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In terms of the respondents' perception of how tourists treat and respect residents, as well as how much they spend during their holidays it is considered that respect is neutral (57.6%) and they feel they are treated normally (59.8%). Finally, respondents consider that tourists spend an average amount in the municipality (51.1%) and that the current number of tourists should be maintained (56.5%).

With regard to professional activity, around 60% of respondents, or someone in their household, work in the tourism sector, although tourism is not the only source of family income.



Respect

57.6%

•Very Disrespectful •Disrespectful •Neutral •Respectful •Very Respectful •DK/DA

Treatment

15.2% 59.8%

•Very Unpleasant •Unpleasant •Normal •Pleasant •Very Pleasant •DK/DA

Expenditure

8.7% 15.2% 51.1% 28.8%

•Spend Very Little •Spend Little •Spend Average •Spend a Lot •Spend too Much •DK/DA

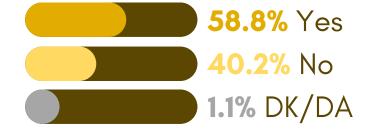
Growth of Tourists in the Municipality

56.5% 22.8%

•Receive Less Tourists •Keep the Same Number of Tourists •Recieve More Tourists •DK/DA

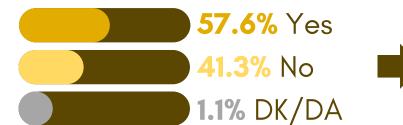
Tourism Related Activity

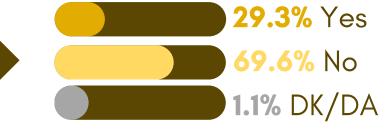
Professional activity related to the tourism sector



Someone in the household works in the tourism sector

Household income exclusively from tourism





Scale: 1- Strongly Disagree; 5-Strongly Agree | DK/DA-Do not know/Do not answer *The indicators presented are the three with the highest average scores (top 3).

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Global Impact 3.89

I think my municipality should continue to be a tourist destination 4.12

I believe that, overall, the impacts of tourism in my area are positive 3.65

Support to

Behaviour towards Tourism

Satisfaction with Tourism

Tourism

Global Impact 3.42

I am willing to receive tourists with kindness and

hospitality 4.18

I am willing to protect the natural and environmental resources on which tourism

depends 3.98

I am willing to accept some sacrifices in order to receive the benefits of tourism 3.46

I am willing to pay more fees to contribute to the

development of tourism 2.05

Global Impact 3.17

Overall, I am satisfied with tourism in my municipality 3.36

I am satisfied with the current level of tourism development in my municipality 3.23

Personally, I benefit from the development of

tourism in my municipality 3.12

I am satisfied with the way tourism is being managed in my municipality 2.95



In general, I consider myself to be a happy person 3.88

Overall, I am satisfied with my life 3.71

In general, I am satisfied with my quality of life 3.54

Respondents show moderate support for the tourist activity (3.89), namely by agreeing that the municipality should continue to be a tourist destination and by showing moderate agreement that, overall, the impacts of tourism in their area are positive. In parallel, they are neutral regarding their willingness to assume pro-tourism behaviours (3.42). The respondents reveal a certain neutrality with regard to the degree of satisfaction with tourism (3.13).

Finally, the respondents reveal, in general terms, an almost neutral position concerning individual happiness (3.32).

> Additional information may be found in the global report at https://monitur.ualg.pt/en/residents-global-report/<a href="



