#### Albania

#### **Inbound -Tourism**

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# Development implemented since WORKSHOP I

- BoP Survey
- Changes on the questionnaire sections

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|---|------------------------------|----------|--|
| The questionnaire   |                              |          |  |
| Questionnaire for the nonresidents who is leaving Albania                             |                              |          |  |
| Questionnaire No.   |                              |          |  |
| Name of border crossing<br>Interviewer (Name, Surname<br>Date of interview            | ,                            |          |  |
| 1   |                              | Select   |  |
| Do you live in Albania (more t  |                              | Select   |  |
|   | 1.Yes<br><b>2.No</b>         |          |  |
| Migrant   | 1 Yes                        |          |  |
|   | 2.No                         |          |  |
| A. Actual residency<br>B. Duration of staying in All                                  | pania (number of overnights) | Fill in  |  |
| C. Purpose of journey   |                              | Select   |  |
| 1.Holidays  |                              |          |  |
| 2.Medical treatment<br>3.Study  |                              |          |  |
| 4. Visits with friends or relative<br>5. For religious purpose                        | S                            |          |  |
| 6.Sport and cultural activities   |                              |          |  |
| 7.Transit   |                              |          |  |
| <ol> <li>Seasonal or border employr</li> <li>Official meetings, commercial</li> </ol> |                              |          |  |
| 10.Seminars or technical assi   | stance                       |          |  |
| 11. Other, explain  D. Place of staying   |                              | Select   |  |
| 1. Hotel  |                              | Select   |  |
| Motel or Pension     Relatives or friends   |                              |          |  |
| 4. Rent a flat or house   |                              |          |  |
| 5. Other, explain   |                              |          |  |
| E. Journey expenses   |                              | Currency |  |
| 1.Specify the currency of you   | r journey expenses           | Sum      |  |
| 2.Total of expenses (per person):   |                              |          |  |
| <ol><li>Your average expenses on:<br/>(excluding the ticket)</li></ol>                |                              |          |  |
| (   |                              | Fill in  |  |
| a. Accommodation  |                              |          |  |
| b. Food and beverages c. Other (shopping)   |                              |          |  |

| Residence Section                               |                                    |  |  |
|---|------------------------------------|--|--|
| Part 2 (Old)                                    | Part 2 (Revised)                   |  |  |
| Do not live in Albania<br>(more than 12 months) | Do you live in Albania ?<br>Yes No |  |  |
| Leave Albania                                   | Emigrant                           |  |  |
| Albanian  | Yes No                             |  |  |

| Purpose Section |  |  |
|-----------------|--|--|
| Old             | Revised  |  |
| 1. Personal     | 1. Holyday   |  |
| 2. Business     | 2. Medical treatment                                       |  |
|                 | 3.Study  |  |
|                 | 4.Excursionists  |  |
|                 | 5. Visit with friends or relatives                         |  |
|                 | 6. For religious purposes                                  |  |
|                 | 7. Sport and cultural activities                           |  |
|                 | 8. Transit   |  |
|                 | 9. Seasonal and border employment                          |  |
|                 | 10. Official meetings commercial negotiations, exhibitions |  |
|                 | 11. Seminars or technical assistance                       |  |
|                 | 12.Other,explain.  |  |

### **Tourism expenditure section**

Exclusion of the question for benefit gifts and other services free.

Tourism expenditure does not include all types of payments that visitors might make.

All transfers in cash such as donations to charities or to other individuals (in particular to family and relatives), as they do not correspond to the purchase of consumption goods or services. (IRTS 2008 para. 4.6)

#### **Tourism expenditure section**

Inclusion of question on package journey.
Only for outbound tourism!

## Improving benchmark data

Ad- hoc survey was carried out at minor border crossings at lower frequency (twice/year)- full coverage of border entries.

#### Planes in the future

- Working with MOI to separate data on excursionists from those overnight travelers.
- A new survey to estimate the excursionists data.

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#### **Inbound tourism**

Flow of inbound visitors

Passports administrative procedure – Yes Entry cards – No Inbound Surveys- Yes