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Total transport of passengers and goods

First half of 2026

Number of transported passengers in the first six months of 2026, relative to the same period 2025, increased by 0.8%, whereof number of passengers in domestic transport increased by 0.6% and in international transport, by 2.6%. Goods transported in the first half of 2026 decreased by 0.5%, relative to the same period 2025. Regarding the same period, expressed in tkm, operations volume decreased by 3.0%.

Road passenger transport decreased by 3.0%, relative to the first half of the previous year, with volume operations fall of 6.9%. Referring to the road transport of goods, there was an increase of 0.9%, and operations volume noted decrease of 1.0%, expressed in tkm and relative to the same period 2025.

Air transport expressed increase referring to passengers transport by 2.8% and realized passenger kilometres increased by 2.3%. Quantity of transported goods increased by 23.7% and operations volume, expressed in tkm, noted increase of 37.6%.

Increased number of transported passengers in railway transport in the first half of 2026 amounted to 24.8%. Recorded was the increased number of transported passengers in domestic transport by 25.3%, while in international transport, the increase of 11.3% was noted. In the same period goods transport showed the increase of 6.5%. Operations volume, expressed in tkm, noted decrease of 2.7% relative to the same period 2025.

Inland waterways transport noted decrease regarding transported quantities of goods, by 15.6% and regarding operations volume expressed in tkm, it decreased by 11.3%.

The oil transport via pipelines increased by 0.9% regarding the transported oil quantities and operations volume remained unchanged regarding the tkm made. The natural gas transport decreased by 7.1%.

In the border traffic of entering road passengers' vehicles in the first half of 2026 recorded was decrease of number of vehicles with Serbian registration plates by 1.8%, if compared to the same period 2025. Out of the total number of vehicles with foreign registration plates that came into Serbia, the majority referred to those from Germany and Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Postal services in the first half of 2026 compared to the same period 2025 noted the decrease: letter mails decreased by 7.4%, and parcels noted increase of 5.7%. Payment traffic services decreased by 2.9%.

Fixed telephony noted decrease of 14.2%, and mobile telephony increase of 2.4%.

Total number of the employed in transport section increased by 7.9% respective to the same period of the previous year.

1. Total transport of passengers and goods

	I–VI 2025	I–VI 2026	I–VI 2026 / I–VI 2025
PASSENGER TRANSPORT			
Transported passengers, thousand ¹⁾	29536*	29775	100.8
Domestic transport	26654*	26818	100.6
International transport	2882*	2957	102.6
Land transport ¹⁾	27547*	27730	100.7
Railway transport	3642*	4546	124.8
Road transport	23905	23184	97.0
Urban transport	485442	501399	103.3
Air transport	1989	2045	102.8
Passenger kilometers, million ¹⁾	5053*	5049	99.9
Domestic transport	1762*	1769	100.4
International transport	3291*	3280	99.7
Land transport¹⁾	2312*	2246	97.1
Railway transport	243*	319	131.3
Road transport	2069	1927	93.1
Urban transport	2913	3008	103.3
Air transport	2.741	2.803	102.3
TRANSPORT OF GOODS			
Transported goods, thousand tons²⁾	21830*	21716	99.5
Domestic transport	10487*	10408	99.2
Export	3558	3613	101.5
Import	6442*	6514	101.1
Transit	1024*	885	86.4
Road cabotage transport	319	296	92.8
Land transport	19063*	19380	101.7
Railway transport	4641	4942	106.5
Road transport	11090	11191	100.9
Pipeline transport	3332*	3247	97.4
Inland waterways transport	2767	2336	84.4
Air transport	2807	3473	123.7
Ton kilometers, million²⁾	7365*	7142	97.0
Domestic transport	1234*	1188	96.3
Export	2279	2203	96.7
Import	3176*	3109	97.9
Transit	385*	326	84.7
Road cabotage transport	291	316	108.6
Land transport	6282*	6181	98.4
Railway transport	1117	1087	97.3
Road transport	4677	4632	99.0
Pipeline transport	488*	462	94.7
Inland waterways transport	1083	961	88.7
Air transport	11.125	15.306	137.6

* Corrected data.

¹⁾ No urban transport.

²⁾ No air transport.

2. Transport of passengers and goods, by transport modes

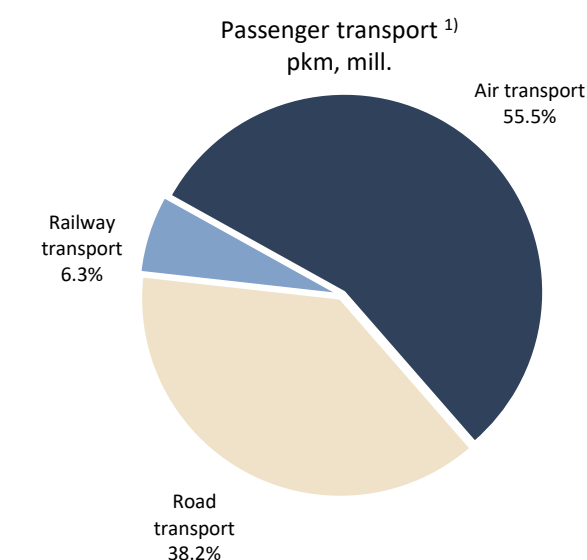
	I–VI 2025	I–VI 2026	I–VI 2026 / I–VI 2025
RAILWAY TRANSPORT			
PASSENGER TRANSPORT			
Transported passengers, thousand	3642*	4546	124.8
Domestic transport	3518*	4408	125.3
International transport	124*	138	111.3
Passenger kilometers, million	243*	319	131.3
Domestic transport	216*	297	137.5
International transport	27*	22	81.5
TRANSPORT OF GOODS			
Transported goods, thousand tons	4641	4842	106.5
Domestic transport	1293	1316	101.8
Export	1333	1342	100.7
Import	1197	1569	131.1
Transit	818	715	87.4
Ton kilometers, million	1117	1087	97.3
Domestic transport	203	208	102.5
Export	339	313	92.3
Import	252	324	128.6
Transit	323	242	74.9
ROAD TRANSPORT			
PASSENGER TRANSPORT			
Transported passengers, thousand	23905	23184	97.0
Domestic transport	23130	22406	96.9
International transport	775	778	100.4
Passenger kilometers, million	2069	1927	93.1
Domestic transport	1545	1471	95.2
International transport	524	456	87.0
TRANSPORT OF GOODS			
Transported goods, thousand tons	11090	11191	100.9
Domestic transport	6874	6943	101.0
Export	1930	1979	102.5
Import	1918	1954	101.9
Road cabotage transport	368	315	85.6
Of which: transit	56	35	62.5
Ton kilometers, million	4677	4632	99.0
Domestic transport	835	797	95.4
Export	1786	1743	97.6
Import	1745	1764	101.1
Road cabotage transport	311	328	105.5
Of which: transit	22	15	68.2
URBAN TRANSPORT			
PASSENGER TRANSPORT			
Transported passengers, million	485	501	103.3
Passenger kilometers, million	2913	3008	103.3
PIPELINE TRANSPORT			
OIL PIPELINES			
Transported oil, thousand tons			
Domestic transport	1903*	1920	100.9
Import	652*	684	104.9
Transit	1251*	1236	98.8
Transit	-	-	-
Ton kilometers, million	242*	242	100.0
Domestic transport	49*	51	104.1
Import	193*	191	99.0
Transit	-	-	-
GAS PIPELINES			
Transported gas, thousand tons	1429*	1327	92.9
Domestic transport	186*	199	107.0
Import	1116*	1035	92.7
Transit	127*	93	73.2
Ton kilometers, million	246*	220	89.4
Domestic transport	16*	10	62.5
Import	218*	198	90.8
Transit	12*	12	100.0

* Corrected data.

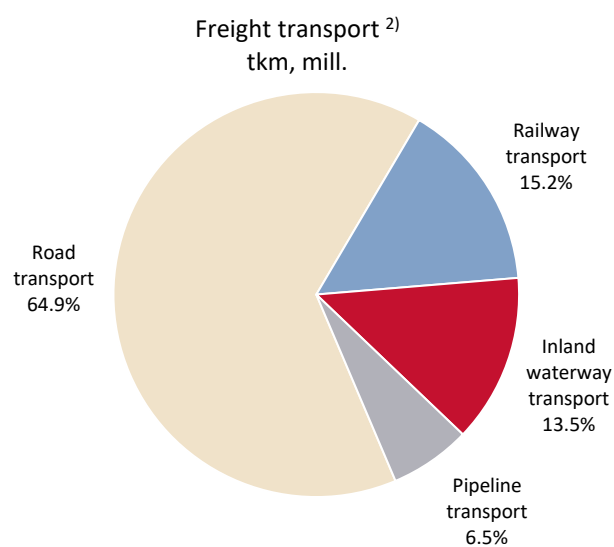
2. Transport of passengers and goods, by transport modes (continued)

	I–VI 2025	I–VI 2026	I–VI 2026 / I–VI 2025
INLAND WATERWAYS TRANSPORT			
TRANSPORT OF GOODS			
Transported goods, thousand tons	2767	2336	84.4
Domestic transport	1482	1266	85.4
Export	295	292	99.0
Import	960	720	75.0
Transit	23	42	182.6
Cross-trade	7	16	228.6
Ton kilometers, million	1083	961	88.7
Domestic transport	131	122	93.1
Export	154	147	95.5
Import	768	632	82.3
Transit	28	57	203.6
Cross-trade	2	3	150.0
AIR TRANSPORT			
PASSENGER TRANSPORT			
Transported passengers, thousand	1989	2045	102.8
Domestic transport	6	4	66.7
International transport	1983	2041	102.9
Passenger kilometers, million	2741	2803	102.3
Domestic transport	1	1	100.0
International transport	2740	2802	102.3
TRANSPORT OF GOODS			
Transported goods, tons	2.807	3.473	123.7
Domestic transport	0	0	-
International transport	2.807	3.473	123.7
Ton kilometers, thousand	11.125	15.306	137.6
Domestic transport	0	0	-
International transport	11.125	15.306	137.6

**Graph. 1. Transport performance, by transport modes, I–VI 2026
– Republic of Serbia –**



¹⁾ Urban transport excluded.



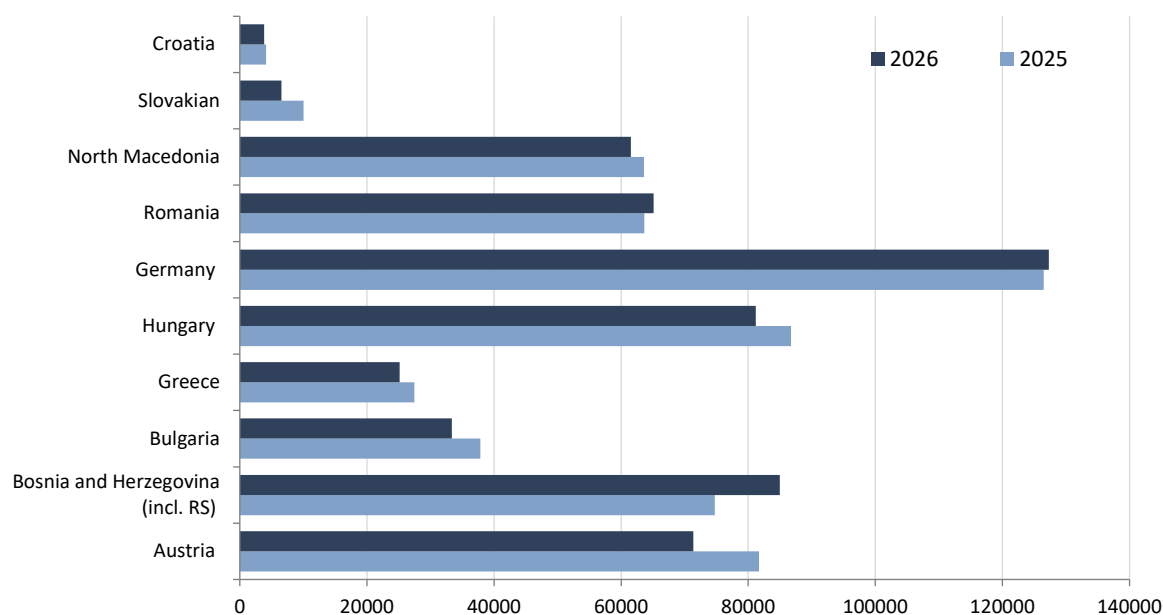
²⁾ No air transport.

3. Additional and supplementary activities in transport

	I–VI 2025	I–VI 2026	I–VI 2026 / I–VI 2025
SERVICES IN RAILWAY TRANSPORT			
Total goods traffic, thousand tons	5116	5430	106.1
Traffic volume, thousand tons	3823	4148	108.5
Domestic traffic – unloading	1293	1282	99.1
Export	1333	1331	99.8
Import	1197	1535	128.2
Transit	818	698	85.3
BORDER TRAFFIC OF ROAD MOTOR VEHICLES			
Total passenger cars traffic, entry	3528200*	3498358	99.2
Domestic vehicles	1486321*	1459851	98.2
Foreign vehicles	2041879*	2038507	99.8
Austria	81678	71340	87.3
Bosnia and Herzegovina (incl. RS)	74728	84962	113.7
Bulgaria	37832*	33373	88.2
Greece	27454	25152	91.6
Hungary	86745	81202	93.6
Germany	126516	127313	100.6
Romania	63644	65083	102.3
North Macedonia	63593	61528	96.8
Slovakian	10029	6541	65.2
Croatia	4139	3823	92.4
Montenegro	10631	23296	219.1
Switzerland	39398	27982	71.0
Other	1415492*	1426912	100.8
Passengers vehicles, entry	3528200*	3560390	100.9
Passenger cars	3469521*	3504544	101.0
Buses	56913*	53396	93.8
Motorcycles	1766	2450	138.7
Freight road vehicles			
Entry	366909*	377119	102.8
Domestic vehicles	192751*	201715	104.7
Foreign vehicles	174158*	175404	100.7
Exit	493877*	493399	99.9
Domestic vehicles	361023*	357586	99.0
Foreign vehicles	132854*	135813	102.2

* Corrected data.

**Graph.2. Border traffic of passenger vehicles, first half 2026, entry
– Republic of Serbia –**



3. Additional and supplementary activities in transport (continued)

	I–VI 2025	I–VI 2026	I–VI 2026 / I–VI 2025
INLAND WATERWAYS TRANSPORT SERVICES, GOODS TRAFFIC IN PORTS			
Total goods traffic, thousand tons	6628	5733	86.5
Traffic volume, thousand tons	5887	5100	86.6
Domestic traffic	1482	1266	85.4
Unloading	741	633	85.4
Loading	741	633	85.4
International traffic	5146	4467	86.8
Exports	1533	1327	86.6
Domestic boats	243	237	97.5
Foreign boats	1290	1090	84.5
Imports	3613	3140	86.9
Domestic boats	858	655	76.3
Foreign boats	2755	2485	90.2
Transit	1123	975	86.8
Domestic boats	18	40	222.2
Foreign boats	1105	935	84.6
AIR TRANSPORT SERVICES, AIRPORT PASSENGER TRAFFIC			
Passenger traffic volume, thousand	4089	4413	107.9
Domestic traffic – departures	5	4	66.7
International traffic	4083	4409	108.0
Departures	2055	2217	107.9
Domestic planes	1007	1037	103.0
Foreign planes	1048	1180	112.6
Arrivals	2028	2192	108.1
Domestic planes	982	1023	104.2
Foreign planes	1046	1169	111.8
CARGO HANDLING			
Handled tons, thousand	3239	3805	117.5
Operation tons, thousand	4466	5306	118.8
Whereof: Mechanical	4465	5306	118.8
Manual	1	0	-

4. Postal activities and telecommunications

	I–VI 2025	I–VI 2026	I–VI 2026 / I–VI 2025
POSTAL ACTIVITIES – TRANSPORT AND DELIVERY			
Letter mails, million	95	88	92.6
Domestic traffic, dispatched	92	86	93.5
International traffic, dispatched and received	3	2	66.7
Parcel mails, thousand	1250	1321	105.7
Domestic traffic, dispatched	1189	1260	106.0
International traffic, dispatched and received	61	61	100.0
Payment traffic services, thousand pcs.	31937	31022	97.1
TELECOMMUNICATIONS			
Fixed telephone lines, minutes, million	670*	575	85.8
Cellular lines, minutes, million	10254*	10496	102.4

* Corrected data.

5. Employed in transport, storage and communications¹⁾

	I–VI 2025	I–VI 2026	I–VI 2026 / I–VI 2025
Transport – total	48456*	52270	107.9
Land transport	45388*	49212	108.4
Railway transport	10249	9840	96.0
Road transport	24416*	25823	105.8
Urban transport	9172	11971	130.5
Pipeline transport	538*	540	100.4
Cargo handling	1013	1038	102.5
Inland waterways transport	1292	1256	97.2
Air transport	1776	1802	101.5
Postal activities	18326	17698	96.6
Telecommunications	14559	14972	102.8

* Corrected data.

¹⁾ In the end of June.

6. Passenger transport, by months, I–VI 2026

	Transported passengers, thousand					Passenger kilometres, mill.				
	Total	Land transport			air	Total	Land transport			air
		all	railway	road			all	railway	road	
Total	29775	27730	4546	23184	2045	5049	2246	319	1927	2803
January	4534	4270	661	3609	264	682	335	45	290	347
February	4523	4278	685	3593	245	668	343	46	297	325
March	5028	4730	817	3913	298	801	378	55	323	423
April	5192	4843	782	4061	349	863	387	56	331	476
May	5354	4948	827	4121	406	965	411	60	351	554
June	5144	4661	774	3887	483	1070	392	57	335	678

7. Goods transport, by months, I–VI 2026

	Transported cargo, thousand t							Ton kilometres, million						
	Total	Land transport				river	air	Total	Land transport				river	air
		all	railway	road	pipe-line				all	railway	road	pipe-line		
Total	21719	19380	4942	11191	3247	2336	3.473	7157	6181	1087	4632	462	961	15.306
January	3105	2822	733	1460	629	283	0.482	1054	908	162	651	95	144	1.933
February	3497	3104	795	1736	573	392	0.565	1187	1015	174	749	92	169	2.716
March	3875	3483	928	2021	534	391	0.543	1299	1126	206	832	88	171	2.335
April	3677	3261	836	1883	542	415	0.552	1171	1023	185	764	74	146	2.218
May	3773	3299	808	1985	506	473	0.660	1237	1028	173	789	66	206	2.970
June	3794	3411	842	2106	463	382	0.671	1209	1081	187	847	47	125	3.134

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