

Introduction

This chapter presents statistical information on radio and television programmes, press, books, public libraries, cinemas, museums, monuments, tourists arrived, and pilgrims of holy places. The following paragraphs summarize the history of data collection in these areas.

Regular data compilation on radio and television programmes and museums began in the years 1345 and 1347, respectively.

The earliest data on movies available in the Statistical Centre of Iran dates back to the year 1348. They were produced by the Culture and Art Ministry, renamed the Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance after the victory of the Islamic Revolution.

The Statistical Centre of Iran first undertook comprehensive data collection on the press under the title "The Survey of the Country's Publications" in the year 1349. Currently, the Domestic Press Department of the Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance is responsible for this task.

The establishment of the National Iranian Tourist Organization in the year 1342 marked the beginning of systematic data production on tourism. However, the Organization utilized existing records from the archives of government entities such as the Customs Administration and Passport Offices, along with other related sources, to compile retrospective data for the years 1331 to 1342. This data was first published in the year 1345

statistical yearbook.

Data on the number of visitors to museums and historical monuments were collected by the General Department of Museums (affiliated with the Cultural Heritage Organization) until the end of the year 1382, covering select museums and monuments. Subsequently, following the merger of the Cultural Heritage Organization and the Iran Touring and Tourism Organization into a newly established entity the "Cultural Heritage and Tourism Organization" (later renamed the "Ministry of Cultural Heritage, Tourism, and Handicrafts") the Ministry assumed responsibility for providing this data.

Data on pilgrims to holy places includes only those dispatched through the Hajj and Pilgrimage Organization.

Definitions and concepts

Production of radio and television programmes:

This process involves the technical integration of both contextual and structural message components through the utilization of necessary resources to create programming for broadcast across television, radio, and the internet.

National radio and television channels: These broadcasters are responsible for producing and distributing programming content to serve the general population across the country.

Provincial (Ostani) radio and television channels: These regional broadcasters produce and distribute

programming tailored to specific provincial audiences, incorporating local characteristics such as language, ethnicity, and cultural features unique to each Ostan.

Radio Monasebati (Occasional radio): This refers to a radio that produces and broadcasts various programmes on important national and religious occasions and events such as Moharram, Arbaeen, Daheyeh Fajr, elections, etc., or according to the necessities and important overseas events such as the Gaza war, axis of resistance, etc.

Animation: This is a movie that is made by animating fixed images or objects.

Combined program: This is a program that consists of different parts and uses different formats such as interviews, reports, anthems, animation and puppet show programs. The message of each part can be different from the other parts and includes two types of combined show and combined non-show programs.

News: This is the reflection of events that have one or more informational values for audiences. News is divided into four types: production, reception, coverage and integration.

Puppetry: This is a form of theatre in which the actors/actresses are puppets and are performed (animated or manipulated) by puppeteers.

Film: This is a series of images recorded on celluloid tapes, magnetic tapes, optical discs, or other technologies that induce motion when played back.

Serial: These are connected episodes of shows that are produced in different parts for television or home video.

Radio or TV report: This is a report, an independent program or a part of a program in which a specific event or topic is reflected to the audiences without prejudice from the reporter.

Television quiz show : This is a program in which the participants are asked questions in general or specialized fields. Its purpose is to entertain, educate, increase information, and create

competition for the participants and the audience.

Documentary film: This is a non-fiction film in which the subject, images, people, or concepts presented in it are real or based on reality and have the ability to be referenced.

Show: This is visual and audio art that is performed by an artist or a group of artists (actors/actresses) within a specific time frame and in front of an audience. It is divided into genres such as tragedy, comedy, melodrama, tragicomedy, and Fars (a joyful traditional show).

Spectator (audience) of artwork: This refers to a person who observes or watches the productions of artworks in spaces and places where cultural-artistic works are presented for acquaintance and recognition, pleasure, fun and entertainment.

Music This refers to the art of organizing sounds in time based on aesthetics, which dominates every musical culture and aims to please human nature.

Stage music performance (concert): This is a prearranged musical program that is performed live for a group of audiences.

Cinema: This is a place authorized by the Iranian Organization of Cinema and Audiovisual Affairs with suitable area and building features, technical and safety standards, consisting of one or more halls for playing movies, a waiting hall, a prayer room, an administrative division, a box office, a projection room, bathrooms, and a buffet.

Film viewer (audience): This is a person who buys a ticket from the cinema box office and other legitimate virtual platforms.

Film production: This comprises the process of producing a film from the stage of screenwriting, selection of production factors (producer, screenwriter, director, actor/actress, cameraman, etc.), film technical stages (cinematography, editing, dubbing, developing, and printing) to the production of a final copy of the film for making available on the screen.

Film Festival: This is a cultural event in which films are shown at a certain time and place, based

on the policies announced by the organizer, with competitive or non-competitive goals.

Printed media (the press): They are publications that are published regularly with a fixed title, date, and issue number in the form of printed papers in various political, social, scientific, sports, artistic, etc. fields. The press is classified as daily, weekly, monthly, quarterly, bi-quarterly, and yearly in terms of release orders. It is also classified as general and specialized in view of content, and as local, national, provincial, regional, and international in terms of distribution scope. Additionally, it is classified as public and specific in terms of readers, such as children, teenagers, young adults, and women.

Concessionaire of a publication: This is a legal or natural person whose qualification is approved by the Press Supervisory Board, and the Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance issues the license of the publication in his/her name. The concessionaire is considered the owner of the publication and is responsible for the general policy of the publication.

Publication: This is any kind of written or pictured material that is published in printed or electronic (online and offline) formats under a fixed name, date, and successive issue in various forms at the local, provincial, regional or national level in a specific publication order.

Library: This is a physical or non-physical space (independent or affiliated with an organization) that collects and organizes various types of sources and is accessible to users through the services provided by the librarian.

Book: This is a text that is produced in a handwritten, printed, electronic or audio format and is released independently and non-periodically.

Manuscript book: This is an old book that is handwritten and not printed.

Lithography book: This is a book that was printed using the stone printing method (planographic printmaking process). Lithography is a type of

printing that uses marble stone (calcium carbonate) on metal plates instead of letters or carving tools. It is based on the immiscibility and mutual repulsion of oil and water. Lithograph books have similarities with manuscripts, such as gilding (illumination), Tash'eer (a term and a method in Iranian gilding and painting that is used in the arrangement of books or pieces of calligraphy, miniatures, and anthology), fine binding, pagination (paging), tabulation, title page, author, and date of writing. However, due to the limitations of lithography, the variety and abundance of gilding in them is less than in manuscripts.

Exquisite book: This is a book whose materials used in its production, such as paper and color, its appearance, and content, have material and spiritual value. Books with limited editions and vintage books, known as national written heritage, are classified as exquisite books.

Printed book: This is a book whose content is typewritten and published on paper using the knowledge and technology of the printing industry.

Circulation: This is the number of copies of a publication published or reproduced at one time.

First edition: This is the first publication of a complete copy of a book.

New edition: This is the reprinting of a book without a change in the content or with a new edition of the original text.

Authoring (writing) a book: It refers to writing a book that is the result of the author's thought, analysis, and research.

Historical-cultural monuments: They are monuments that have one or more cultural, historical, artistic or event location values. The historical-cultural monument may belong to the contemporary period.

Museum: This is a permanent and non-profit institute that is open to the public and is used to serve the community and its development. The purpose of museums is to research the artefacts and pieces of evidence left by mankind and the

environment, to collect, preserve, and make connections between the artefacts left, especially to display them for study and spiritual utilization.

Tourism: This refers to the activities of people or a group of people who travel to places outside their usual residence for less than one consecutive year with the primary purpose of entertainment, etc., provided that they are not employed by any institution in the visited destination.

Domestic tourism: This is a collection of tourism activities by residents of a country within the borders of that country.

Inbound tourism: This refers to a visitor coming into a country, provided that their stay is at least one night and a maximum of one consecutive year.

Outbound tourism: This is a collection of tourism activities by residents of a country outside the borders of their own country.

Tourist: This refers to a visitor (domestic, inbound, or outbound) whose travel lasts at least one night and a maximum of one consecutive year.

Personal purposes of travel: They are the purposes containing cases that mainly depend on the individual or the individual's family components. These purposes directly connect the advantages of travel to the individual or their family. The World Tourism Organization considers the mentioned purposes to be leisure, recreation and entertainment, visiting friends and relatives, education/training, health and medical care, pilgrimage and religious activities, shopping, and transit stops.

Tourism with the aim of leisure, recreation and entertainment: This category includes activities such as sightseeing, historical sites, cultural sites, and places built for entertainment, watching sports and cultural events, performing a variety of sports in a non-professional way, and also for honeymoon, etc.

Tourism with the aim of visiting friends and relatives: This category mainly includes meeting relatives or

friends, attending weddings or funerals, and providing non-professional care for the sick or elderly.

Tourism with the aim of education/training: This category includes short-term training courses, in-service training, technical and skills training, language education, and sabbatical opportunities.

Tourism with the aim of health and medical care: This refers to a type of tourism that includes receiving services from hospitals, clinics, convalescent homes, and generally health-related services from specialized facilities, as well as receiving health services from natural sites such as hot springs.

Non-tourist: This refers to a person who leaves their permanent place of residence for the purpose of employment, permanent residency, asylum, education, or assignment in political missions abroad. Examples include: border traders, temporary migrants, permanent immigrants, nomads, transit passengers, refugees, members of the armed forces, council representatives, and diplomats.

Tourism with the aim of pilgrimage and religious activities: This category consists of participating in religious and pilgrimage places and ceremonies or performing religious activities such as Hajj.

Traditional gymnasium¹ (the Zurkhāneh): This is a place with a specific octagonal or circular pit in the centre and a special place for Morshed (coach) where traditional sport (Varzesh-e Bastani) is performed.

Public sport: This refers to a sport that improves hilarity, and physical and mental health, can form social relationships, and provides an opportunity for all people to participate.

Track: This is a sports venue with a specific route constructed according to sports type based on the technical standards to practice the exercises and competitions.

Sport complex (independent sports venue): This refers to a space that has been created for the purpose of carrying out sports activities in

1 . "House of Strength" or "Heroic sport"

compliance with technical and executive regulations.

Sports hall: This is an indoor (covered) place constructed based on technical standards for sports activities in a specific field.

Sports centre: This is a sports venue concentrated in a building area with shared or separate welfare facilities.

Sports complex: This is a large area consisting of sports places or buildings with separate facilities and equipment to perform activities for multiple sports simultaneously. The terms "sports complex" and "sports club" are no longer considered synonymous as of the year 1395 and have different meanings.

Selected information

In the year 1402, the national radio channels produced the highest number of programmes on social issues, with over 17,700 hours, and the lowest on science and technology, with approximately 4,400 hours. Similarly, the national TV channels produced the most programmes on social issues, exceeding 16,500 hours, and the fewest on science and technology, with about 840 hours. Furthermore, in the year 1402, the number of attendances in 837 active cinemas was 27837 thousand persons.

In the year 1402, the number of press titles published in Tehran was 2,626, and in other cities across the country, it was 2,939, representing

increases of 1.7% and 1.3% respectively compared to the year 1401. The publication frequency of the press in the country included daily, weekly, bi-weekly, monthly, bi-monthly, quarterly, bi-annually, and annually, with the highest number of titles (1,900) being published quarterly and the lowest (93 titles) being published annually. In the same year, the number of public libraries affiliated with the Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance was 3,664, showing a 1.4% increase compared to the previous year.

In the year 1402, over 115,000 book titles were printed and published with the authorization of the Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance, totaling more than 107,400,000 copies. This represents a 7% increase in the number of titles and a 1.8% decrease in the number of copies compared to the previous year.

During the same year, the Sa'dabad Palace Museum in Tehran, with 48%, and the Tomb of Hafez in Shiraz, with 14.8%, recorded the highest number of visitors to museums and historical sites, respectively.

In the year 1402, the number of inbound tourists to the country exceeded 6,383,000, showing an increase of approximately 51% compared to the previous year. Additionally, around 500,000 trips were made to the holy shrines in Iraq (Atabat Aliyat) in the same year.

19.1. PROGRAMMES PRODUCED BY NATIONAL RADIO CHANNELS BY TOPIC (hour)

Year and channel	Total	Social	Islamic knowledge	Political	Cultural	Economic	Science and technology
1398	74391	23419	13698	3997	22367	5352	5558
1399	76734	20134	17145	4535	21233	8224	5463
1400	77269	21150	18344	4588	22409	6181	4597
1401	61236	17292	14441	3917	15378	6192	4016
1402	64996	17737	15907	5292	15512	6151	4397
Iran channel	5932	1725	773	543	1667	652	572
Farhang (culture) channel.....	4435	351	730	145	3076	51	82
Payam (message) channel.....	2977	634	766	233	683	513	148
Quran channel.....	3945	267	3030	366	201	70	11
Maaref (religious knowledge) channel.....	5050	983	2956	335	580	120	76
Javan (youth) channel.....	5720	2382	698	544	942	414	740
Varzesh (sports) channel	5417	3679	191	203	972	218	154
Salamat (health) channel	4960	1726	310	78	708	486	1652
Goftegoo (talks) channel	4945	943	332	1079	1602	603	386
Eghtesad (economy) channel.....	4010	674	163	123	338	2567	145
Radio Namayesh (show)	2964	962	524	166	1223	59	30
Radio Ava (music)	1470	402	362	84	497	69	56
Radio Saba (traditional music) .	4094	1321	542	92	1657	195	287
Radio Talavat (reciting Quran)..	2232	0	2232	0	0	-	-
Radio Tartil (Reciting Quran)....	0	0	0	0	0	-	-
Radio Ziyarat	3088	931	1181	170	706	70	30
Radio Monasebati (Occasional radio).....	3757	757	1117	1131	660	64	28

Source: I.R.I.B.

19.2. PROGRAMMES PRODUCED BY CENTRES OF OSTANS BY TOPIC (hour)

Year and channel	Total	Social	Islamic knowledge	Political	Cultural	Economic	Science and technology
1398	138597	35971	29971	5642	43196	7713	16104
1399	137565	53434	25462	9550	32140	11842	5137
1400	139695	54079	26499	11448	32050	11686	3933
1401	136302	54400	26373	9468	32616	9974	3471
1402	135961	49954	26959	12523	33820	9910	2795
Abadan.....	2421	1457	675	102	26	110	51
East Azarbayegan	4051	1176	972	740	1012	121	30
West Azarbayegan.....	3793	2036	636	178	740	171	32
Ardebil	4112	1688	904	442	383	482	213
Esfahan	6292	1868	1103	1017	1304	557	443
Alborz	3915	1304	720	252	1093	378	168
Ilam.....	3549	1294	483	475	893	389	15
Bushehr.....	3982	1502	1336	147	802	182	13
Tehran	6701	2060	1398	894	1838	371	140
Chaharmahal&Bakhtiyari.....	3651	1197	451	346	1011	600	46
South Khorasan.....	3515	1365	720	323	954	117	36
Khorasan-e-Razavi	5202	1691	1138	362	1242	554	215
North Khorasan.....	2817	866	755	139	750	148	159
Khalije Fars (Persian Gulf)...	3366	1374	541	267	858	294	32
Khuzestan	4909	2063	958	189	1332	231	136
Zanjan.....	3422	1180	719	307	877	306	33
Semnan	3708	1323	726	143	1323	125	68
Sistan&Baluchestan.....	4823	2268	621	571	972	329	62
Fars	4029	1221	1097	614	922	135	40
Qazvin	3598	1657	361	290	900	350	40
Qom	3881	1056	1111	319	1199	178	18
Kordestan.....	4947	1995	245	445	1387	635	240
Kerman	4949	2076	1720	535	245	310	63
Kermanshah	3512	1737	380	270	715	340	70
Kohgiluyeh&Boyerahmad....	3697	1446	801	179	1049	212	10
Kish.....	2909	757	374	163	1130	441	44
Golestan.....	4137	1033	1061	594	1163	235	51
Gilan	3964	1187	754	198	1595	223	7
Lorestan	4298	1421	718	271	1393	429	66
Mazandaran	4103	1772	820	185	1030	275	21
Markazi.....	3266	1345	658	262	849	138	14
Mahabad	3318	1180	497	331	1114	171	25
Hamedan.....	3789	1146	766	711	757	234	175
Yazd	3335	1213	740	262	962	139	19

Source: I.R.I.B.

19.3. TV PROGRAMMES PRODUCED BY NATIONAL CHANNELS BY TOPIC (hour)

Year and channel	Total	Social	Islamic knowledge	Political	Cultural	Economic	Science and technology
1398	33579	13027	5569	2379	7370	3218	2016
1399	38268	13133	6275	2381	8244	5141	3094
1400	36752	11241	8255	757	10650	5096	753
1401	28792	9860	4727	2194	9380	2008	623
1402	40370	16493	5307	6560	7851	3319	840
Channel 1	2756	527	480	660	708	342	39
Channel 2	1774	1026	180	0	454	110	4
Channel 3	4033	1576	1079	174	1094	110	0
Channel 4	1032	80	100	61	485	183	123
Channel 5	2195	580	595	262	541	175	42
Namayesh channel	44	0	0	0	44	0	0
Tamasha channel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quran channel	1466	88	1128	29	221	0	0
Mostanad channel	575	184	22	81	196	75	17
Salamat channel	1788	1544	58	11	113	53	9
Amoozesh channel	2139	478	53	0	1519	66	23
Nasim channel	2190	1200	80	9	901	0	0
Varzesh channel	7131	7131	0	0	0	0	0
children channel	283	115	102	6	52	8	0
Omid channel	780	338	104	50	258	9	21
Ofogh channel	2239	531	419	810	226	178	75
News channel	8757	742	694	4253	671	1975	422
iFilm persian channel	82	26	11	2	39	2	2
Faratar channel	99	98	0	0	1	0	0
Independent production centers of the I.R.I.B. ⁽¹⁾	1007	229	202	152	328	33	63

1. There are independent production centers within the organization that create programs but do not broadcast them, such as IRIB Sima Film Centre, Saba Centre, Basij Centre, IRIB General Office of Research, IRIB Special and Documentary Productions, the Head's Office, etc..

Source: I.R.I.B.

19.4. TV PROGRAMMES PRODUCED BY CENTRES OF OSTANS BY TOPIC (hour)

Year and channel	Total	Social	Islamic knowledge	Political	Cultural	Economic	Science and technology
1398	54279	18915	10825	5855	10499	5846	2339
1399	54365	21373	10837	4418	10637	5393	1707
1400	58211	23346	10496	5691	11386	5733	1559
1401	57131	22774	12218	4675	11310	4693	1461
1402	58896	21539	12178	8027	11756	4091	1305
Abadan.....	1432	687	290	84	158	197	16
East Azarbayejan	2275	853	459	326	437	174	26
West Azarbayejan.....	2232	709	418	405	448	193	59
Ardebil	2070	1040	410	141	156	156	167
Esfahan	2343	930	402	448	337	97	129
Alborz	1862	781	245	111	483	168	74
Ilam.....	1825	768	399	178	329	133	18
Bushehr.....	1505	401	411	191	448	48	6
Chaharmahal&Bakhtiyari.....	1637	443	385	132	466	168	43
South Khorasan.....	1801	625	450	341	309	72	4
Khorasan-e-Razavi	2428	721	797	300	487	107	16
North Khorasan.....	1371	378	293	242	276	107	75
Khalije Fars (Persian Gulf)....	1585	581	353	228	336	73	14
Khuzestan	2498	613	632	509	641	79	24
Zanjan	1716	714	375	138	391	71	27
Semnan	1530	733	165	112	434	66	20
Sistan&Baluchestan.....	1488	556	150	272	195	278	37
Fars	1952	629	339	323	448	202	11
Qazvin	2008	695	407	270	398	219	19
Qom	2217	590	740	314	450	99	24
Kordestan.....	1777	422	253	84	680	253	85
Kerman	1543	863	217	382	18	52	11
Kermanshah	1275	470	250	160	240	80	75
Kohgiluyeh&Boyerahmad.....	1533	864	458	62	112	37	0
Kish.....	1098	384	189	104	373	38	10
Golestan.....	1541	682	327	202	244	67	19
Gilan	2319	755	381	429	557	183	14
Lorestan	1533	385	342	395	293	103	15
Mazandaran	1928	745	325	214	574	65	5
Markazi.....	1861	1078	302	204	95	124	58
Mahabad	1191	429	312	118	301	18	13
Hamedan.....	1728	341	300	346	308	260	173
Yazd	1794	674	402	262	334	104	18

Source: I.R.I.B.

19.5. PROGRAMMES PRODUCED BY NATIONAL RADIO CHANNELS BY AUDIENCE (hour)

Year and channel	Total	Young children	Children	Teenager	Youth	Adult	Public
1398	74390	0	389	445	415	8010	65131
1399	76734	0	363	377	4773	5382	65839
1400	77270	0	819	587	2878	6688	66298
1401	61236	0	309	1067	3975	5950	49935
1402	64999	0	135	1222	5660	6025	51957
Iran channel	5932	0	26	0	0	0	5906
Farhang (culture) channel.....	4435	0	13	192	1000	2446	784
Payam (message) channel.....	2977	0	0	0	0	0	2977
Quran channel.....	3945	0	0	0	0	0	3945
Maaref (religious knowledge) channel	5050	0	0	0	0	0	5050
Javan (youth) channel	5720	0	0	300	4343	0	1077
Varzesh (sports) channel	5417	0	0	109	0	2376	2932
Salamat (health) channel	4959	0	87	0	41	75	4756
Goftegoo (talks) channel	4946	0	0	0	0	0	4946
Eghtesad (economy) channel.....	4011	0	0	0	0	0	4011
Radio Namayesh (show)	2964	0	0	0	0	0	2964
Radio Ava (music)	1470	0	0	0	0	0	1470
Radio Saba (traditional music)	4094	0	0	65	0	0	4029
Radio Talavat (reciting Quran).....	2232	0	0	0	0	0	2232
Radio Tartil (Reciting Quran).....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Radio Ziyarat	3088	0	9	556	201	1043	1279
Radio Monasebati (Occasional radio)	3759	0	0	0	75	85	3599

Source: I.R.I.B.

19.6. RADIO PROGRAMMES PRODUCED BY CENTRES OF OSTANS BY AUDIENCE (hour)

Year and channel	Total	Young children	Children	Teenager	Youth	Adult	Public
1398	138596	1270	2118	3919	17177	17092	97020
1399	137565	1714	2746	4466	15793	23690	89156
1400	139695	1245	2267	4414	16043	24637	91089
1401	136302	1007	2508	5797	13810	23898	89282
1402	135961	745	3013	4131	12049	27504	88519
Abadan.....	2421	26	129	180	191	51	1844
East Azarbayejan	4050	0	29	30	140	272	3579
West Azarbayejan.....	3792	33	124	262	591	893	1889
Ardebil	4112	30	47	166	486	173	3210
Esfahan	6292	90	113	125	425	511	5028
Alborz	3915	19	153	89	162	24	3468
Ilam.....	3549	60	114	387	729	913	1346
Bushehr.....	3982	1	0	7	17	545	3412
Tehran.....	6702	0	0	34	0	3444	3224
Chaharmahal&Bakhtiari.....	3651	62	16	94	365	806	2308
South Khorasan.....	3515	1	1	60	539	1003	1911
Khorasan-e-Razavi	5202	0	396	402	498	1706	2200
North Khorasan.....	2817	49	38	74	179	642	1835
Khalije Fars (Persian Gulf).....	3366	1	50	68	154	1071	2022
Khuzestan	4909	0	10	48	505	1043	3303
Zanjan.....	3423	0	17	62	125	215	3004
Semnan	3708	0	45	360	568	829	1906
Sistan&Baluchestan.....	4823	47	166	297	660	1437	2216
Fars	4029	24	64	77	510	913	2441
Qazvin	3598	0	15	47	294	767	2475
Qom	3881	32	23	102	178	464	3082
Kordestan.....	4947	0	24	73	184	1589	3077
Kerman	4949	0	25	55	343	1613	2913
Kermanshah	3512	5	20	90	521	583	2293
Kohgiluyeh&Boyerahmad.....	3697	4	55	82	559	278	2719
Kish.....	2909	6	18	13	105	219	2548
Golestan.....	4137	59	65	138	544	782	2549
Gilan	3964	6	38	67	531	548	2774
Lorestan	4298	14	12	13	359	701	3199
Mazandaran	4103	82	852	56	569	316	2228
Markazi.....	3266	0	41	110	235	1271	1609
Mahabad	3318	0	53	49	281	685	2250
Hamedan.....	3789	94	253	365	378	987	1712
Yazd	3335	0	7	49	124	210	2945

Source: I.R.I.B.

19.7. TV PROGRAMMES PRODUCED BY NATIONAL CHANNELS BY AUDIENCE (hour)

Year and channel	Total	Young children	Children	Teenager	Youth	Adult	Public
1398	33581	464	1227	2431	5149	6632	17678
1399	38270	440	554	6401	3150	9074	18651
1400	38753	336	697	5427	3820	8549	19924
1401	28792	229	756	3018	3623	3777	17389
1402	40370	207	496	1247	2868	4782	30770
Channel 1	2756	0	0	0	0	0	2756
Channel 2	1774	0	40	22	0	312	1400
Channel 3	4033	0	0	0	2419	1210	404
Channel 4	1032	0	0	0	0	1032	0
Channel 5	2195	43	43	20	119	920	1050
Namayesh channel	44	0	0	0	0	0	44
Tamasha channel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quran channel	1466	0	18	0	0	0	1448
Mostanad channel	575	0	0	0	0	0	575
Salamat channel	1788	0	0	0	0	1243	545
Amoozesh channel	2139	0	167	395	292	60	1225
Nasim channel	2190	0	0	0	0	0	2190
Varzesh channel	7131	0	0	0	0	0	7131
Children channel	283	112	171	0	0	0	0
Omid channel	780	0	0	780	0	0	0
Ofogh channel	2239	0	0	0	0	0	2239
News channel	8757	0	0	0	0	0	8757
iFilm persian channel	83	0	0	0	0	0	83
Faratar channel	99	0	0	0	0	0	99
Independent production centres of the I.R.I.B. ⁽¹⁾	1006	52	57	30	38	5	824

1. There are centers that produce programs but do not broadcast them, such as the IRIB Sima Film Center, Saba Center, Basij Center, IRIB General Office of Research, IRIB Special and Documentary Productions, Head's Office, and so on.
Source: I.R.I.B.

19.8. TV PROGRAMMES PRODUCED BY CENTRES OF OSTANS BY AUDIENCE (hour)

Year and channel	Total	Young children	Children	Teenager	Youth	Adult	Public
1398	54279	665	2104	1575	4177	6507	39251
1399	54366	1013	2821	2171	4611	9511	34239
1400	58212	838	2812	2135	4341	10818	37268
1401	57131	1043	3105	2115	4512	10802	35554
1402	58896	1085	2604	2038	4285	12027	36857
Abadan.....	1434	0	0	0	103	148	1183
East Azarbayejan.....	2274	10	136	69	434	788	837
West Azarbayejan.....	2232	61	56	61	248	575	1231
Ardebil	2070	94	206	112	172	294	1192
Esfahan	2343	42	147	26	82	305	1741
Alborz	1862	11	31	48	62	988	722
Ilam.....	1825	22	59	17	246	384	1097
Bushehr.....	1504	0	135	18	29	1	1321
Chaharmahal&Bakhtiari.....	1637	18	170	50	119	353	927
South Khorasan.....	1801	1	1	56	300	599	844
Khorasan-e-Razavi	2428	0	61	229	203	901	1034
North Khorasan.....	1371	0	65	58	88	133	1027
Khalije Fars (Persian Gulf).....	1585	50	11	15	110	363	1036
Khuzestan	2498	175	149	230	218	389	1337
Zanjan.....	1716	20	140	22	9	661	864
Semnan	1530	0	73	69	82	160	1146
Sistan&Baluchestan.....	1488	27	83	59	39	283	997
Fars	1952	4	4	11	220	534	1179
Qazvin	2008	14	10	17	142	297	1528
Qom	2217	16	51	60	98	245	1747
Kordestan.....	1777	83	83	84	169	506	852
Kerman	1543	0	72	0	70	106	1295
Kermanshah	1275	173	173	152	145	240	392
Kohgiluyeh&Boyerahmad.....	1533	58	57	2	9	259	1148
Kish.....	1098	0	13	30	76	220	759
Golestan.....	1541	2	73	19	2	26	1419
Gilan	2319	18	42	9	73	138	2039
Lorestan	1533	0	45	0	5	96	1387
Mazandaran	1928	0	54	12	99	94	1669
Markazi.....	1861	0	100	4	54	498	1205
Mahabad	1191	3	78	44	87	421	558
Hamedan.....	1728	43	81	160	165	450	829
Yazd	1794	140	145	295	327	572	315

Source: I.R.I.B.

19.9. TV PROGRAMMES PRODUCED BY NATIONAL CHANNELS BY STRUCTURE (hour)

Year and channel	Total	Animation	Mixed programmes	News	Puppetry	Movies and series
1398	33582	177	23141	0	0	810
1399	38265	166	21501	391	13	764
1400	38750	173	23605	2251	31	837
1401	28792	338	20944	0	33	602
1402	40370	215	20204	6250	9	264
Channel 1	2756	0	3	0	0	2
Channel 2	1774	0	1534	0	0	0
Channel 3	4033	0	3211	0	0	0
Channel 4	1032	10	720	0	0	0
Channel 5	2195	0	1569	0	0	0
Namayesh channel	44	0	42	0	0	0
Tamasha channel	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quran channel	1466	0	652	0	0	0
Mostanad channel	575	0	118	0	0	0
Salamat channel	1788	4	819	33	0	4
Amoozesh channel	2139	0	1603	0	0	0
Nasim channel	2190	0	1887	0	0	0
Varzesh channel	7131	0	4427	0	0	0
Children channel	283	30	210	0	9	0
Omid channel	780	0	472	0	0	0
Ofogh channel	2239	0	1500	0	0	20
News channel	8757	4	1094	6217	0	0
iFilm persian channel	83	2	2	0	0	14
Faratar channel	99	0	98	0	0	0
Independent production centers of the I.R.I.B ⁽¹⁾	1006	165	243	0	0	224

19.9. TV PROGRAMMES PRODUCED BY NATIONAL CHANNELS BY STRUCTURE (continued)
(hour)

Year and channel	Graphics	Report	Talk show	Dialogue-based programs	Competition	Documentary	Namava
1398	0	0	5023	0	2120	2311	0
1399	60	1782	4797	3716	2932	1804	339
1400	39	2532	3727	1308	1867	2077	303
1401	256	626	1130	1178	1509	1947	229
1402	314	1158	1040	6307	1820	2501	288
Channel 1	35	342	625	1067	19	416	247
Channel 2	3	0	23	73	65	76	0
Channel 3	0	45	53	353	325	12	34
Channel 4	5	10	0	103	0	184	0
Channel 5	65	127	21	197	175	41	0
Namayesh channel	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Tamasha channel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quran channel	0	256	291	223	13	31	0
Mostanad channel	0	0	0	0	0	457	0
Salamat channel	3	130	19	494	275	7	0
Amoozesh channel	0	126	0	391	19	0	0
Nasim channel	0	0	0	0	303	0	0
Varzesh channel	0	0	0	2587	26	91	0
Children channel	0	0	0	0	34	0	0
Omid channel	0	0	0	6	296	0	6
Ofogh channel	0	74	0	300	155	190	0
News channel	203	44	0	391	0	804	0
IFilm persian channel	0	0	8	19	38	0	0
Faratar channel	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Independent production centers of the I.R.I.B. ⁽¹⁾	0	2	0	103	77	192	0

1. There are centres that produce programs but do not broadcast the produced programs, such as the IRIB Sima Film Centre, Saba Centre, Basij Centre, IRIB General Office of Research, IRIB Special and Documentary Productions, Head's Office, etc.

Source: I.R.I.B.

19.10. TV PROGRAMMES PRODUCED BY CENTRES OF OSTANS BY STRUCTURE (hour)

Year and channel	Total	Animation	Mixed programmes	News	Puppetry	Movies and series
1398	54281	22	30072	2681	0	404
1399	54367	494	34179	2222	444	396
1400	58212	101	36426	2588	367	369
1401	57131	57	36683	2573	435	260
1402	58896	54	36696	2973	253	174
Abadan.....	1432	5	596	35	0	0
East Azarbayejan.....	2274	2	1583	0	17	8
West Azarbayejan.....	2232	0	1243	336	0	25
Ardebil	2070	0	1411	0	0	23
Esfahan	2343	0	1489	0	0	3
Alborz	1862	0	874	22	0	0
Ilam.....	1825	0	1616	0	0	0
Bushehr.....	1504	0	918	106	0	0
Chaharmahal&Bakhtiyari.....	1637	0	1266	0	0	5
South Khorasan.....	1801	0	1050	0	0	10
Khorasan-e-Razavi	2428	1	1483	304	77	6
North Khorasan.....	1371	0	601	170	0	0
Khalije Fars (Persian Gulf).....	1585	0	1425	0	0	0
Khuzestan	2499	0	1439	0	0	5
Zanjan	1716	0	895	294	0	6
Semnan	1530	0	646	305	0	0
Sistan&Baluchestan.....	1488	0	1069	0	0	0
Fars	1952	0	1476	0	7	11
Qazvin	2008	0	1455	0	0	0
Qom	2217	27	1011	226	0	0
Kordestan.....	1777	0	988	0	0	24
Kerman	1543	0	982	300	102	10
Kermanshah	1276	4	540	325	50	9
Kohgiluyeh&Boyerahmad.....	1533	3	1032	0	0	0
Kish.....	1098	0	554	254	0	0
Golestan.....	1541	3	1041	0	0	8
Gilan	2319	0	1484	0	0	2
Lorestan	1533	0	688	0	0	0
Mazandaran	1928	0	1120	0	0	5
Markazi.....	1861	0	1068	296	0	14
Mahabad	1191	2	1157	0	0	0
Hamedan.....	1728	7	1119	0	0	0
Yazd	1794	0	1377	0	0	0

19.10. TV PROGRAMMES PRODUCED BY CENTRES OF OSTANS BY STRUCTURE (continued)
(hour)

Year and channel	Graphics	Report	Speech-based program	Dialogue-based programs	Competition	Documentary	Namava (Video on Demand)
1398.....	0	5362	2681	10724	525	1810	0
1399.....	65	6857	1911	5906	1045	841	7
1400.....	166	7647	3119	5437	897	939	156
1401.....	58	5842	4027	4675	1121	1121	279
1402.....	88	7102	3653	5276	826	1468	333
Abadan	8	245	215	221	26	9	72
East Azarbayejan.....	4	223	121	175	7	89	45
West Azarbayejan	0	240	208	122	0	57	1
Ardebil	0	179	108	221	62	65	1
Esfahan	0	409	152	174	4	112	0
Alborz.....	0	526	16	151	5	89	179
Ilam	0	46	83	71	0	9	0
Bushehr	44	321	30	50	0	35	0
Chaharmahal&Bakhtiari	1	53	86	205	0	16	5
South Khorasan	1	272	140	264	0	64	0
Khorasan-e-Razavi.....	1	83	150	143	0	180	0
North Khorasan	0	180	0	190	220	10	0
Khalije Fars (Persian Gulf) ...	0	10	105	21	0	24	0
Khuzestan	0	822	24	24	98	81	6
Zanjan.....	1	88	94	277	61	0	0
Semnan.....	15	224	93	195	24	27	1
Sistan&Baluchestan	0	295	60	64	0	0	0
Fars	3	264	101	37	10	41	2
Qazvin	0	360	43	27	49	74	0
Qom	0	200	422	287	30	12	2
Kordestan	0	375	115	267	0	7	1
Kerman	10	55	10	48	0	11	15
Kermanshah	0	180	40	117	0	11	0
Kohgiluyeh&Boyerahmad	0	71	156	258	0	13	0
Kish	0	16	106	37	116	15	0
Golestan	0	117	177	149	42	4	0
Gilan.....	0	1	0	764	0	68	0
Lorestan.....	0	514	32	196	0	103	0
Mazandaran	0	200	259	236	13	95	0
Markazi	0	161	181	109	0	29	3
Mahabad.....	0	6	11	14	0	1	0
Hamedan	0	253	98	120	35	96	0
Yazd	0	113	217	42	24	21	0

Source: I.R.I.B.

19.11. LIVE PERFORMANCE OF PLAYS AND MUSIC

Year	TV show	Number of performances of a play	Audiences (1000 persons)	Number of music performances
1385	3383	38131	1296	489
1390	4712	64997	2144	813
1395	6924	102525	4241	000
1398	6415	95502	5632	6908
1399 ⁽¹⁾	1811	9828	601	1455
1400	3172	20799	1024	2034
1401	4596	35628	2383	3664
1402	5679	56103	5717	7466

1. The decrease in the number of audiences in the year 1399 was due to the outbreak of the coronavirus.

Source: Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance.

19.12. CINEMAS AND FEATURE FILMS ATTENDANCES

Year and Ostan	Number of cinemas	Number of cinema halls	Capacity (number of seats)	Attendances of the Iranian films (1000 persons)
1385	228	228	118581	15659
1390	246	261	110351	14143
1395	279	415	128943	25443
1398	355	635	161636	26311
1399	356	636	162486	679 ⁽¹⁾
1400	341	682	153507	7198
1401	350	720	161806	11297
1402	381	837	166859	27837
East Azarbayejan	20	38	7096	684
West Azarbayejan	7	13	2923	272
Ardebil	7	7	2923	46
Esfahan	33	73	14420	2450
Alborz	7	20	3755	1489
Ilam	3	3	540	12
Bushehr	5	5	1224	39
Tehran	90	290	51854	10962
Chaharmahal and Bakhtiyari	3	7	1124	117
South Khorasan	3	3	668	107
Khorasan-e-Razavi	17	81	9924	3434
North Khorasan	8	9	2303	57
Khuzestan	22	32	9574	582
Zanjan	2	4	631	214
Semnan	9	11	2374	211
Sistan and Baluchestan	7	7	2110	49
Fars	19	35	8949	1853
Qazvin	2	4	492	278
Qom	7	15	2297	546
Kordestan	8	18	3544	318
Kerman	18	21	6009	230
Kermanshah	7	12	1892	347
Kohgiluyeh and Boyerahmad	3	3	721	26
Golestan	9	21	3552	459
Gilan	11	12	4773	564
Lorestan	6	10	2716	298
Mazandaran	14	24	5501	1176
Markazi	7	11	3525	58
Hormozgan	7	9	1745	316
Hamedan	8	15	2987	411
Yazd	12	24	4713	232

1. The decrease in the number of audiences in the year 1399 was caused by the outbreak of the coronavirus.

Source: Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance.

19.13. NUMBER OF TITLES OF PRODUCED FEATURE FILMS AND NUMBER OF THE HELD FILM FESTIVALS

Year	Title of produced feature films	Number of held film festivals
1385	92	20
1390	97	34
1395	81	113
1398	88	152
1399	63	93
1400	48	111
1401	50	100
1402	85	121

Source: Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance.

19.14. NUMBER OF FEATURE FILMS TITLES EXPORTED ABROAD AND PARTICIPATING IN THE INTERNATIONAL FEATUR FILMS FESTIVALS

Year	Feature films titles exported	Participating films in international feature films festivals
1385	11	231
1390	21	324
1395	35	101
1398	20	20
1399	37	52
1400	24	19
1401	66	35
1402	65	83

Source: Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance.

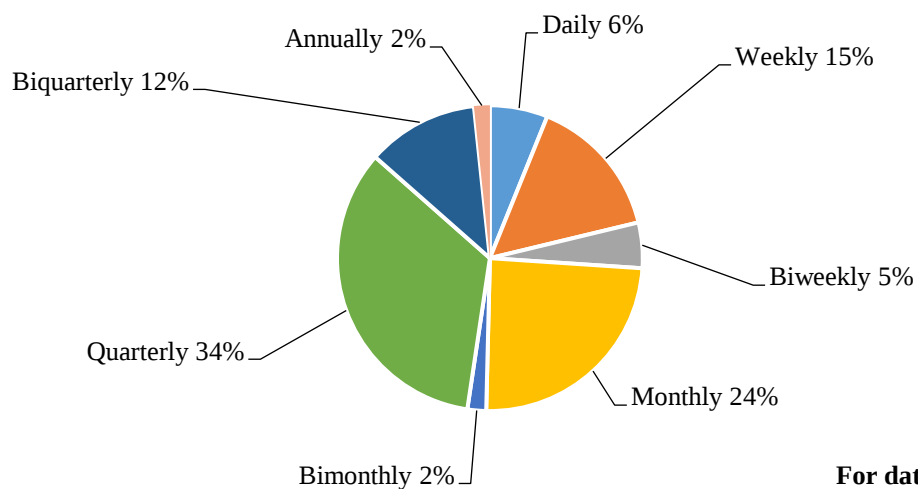
19.15. NUMBER OF NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS TITLES BY PLACE AND PERIOD OF PUBLICATION

Year	Tehran								
	Total	Daily	Weekly	Biweekly	Monthly	Bimonthly	Quarterly	Biquarterly	Annually
1385.....	2053	106	196	86	696	81	732	000	156
1390.....	2640	103	177	129	746	130	1095	000	260
1395.....	3000	139	321	207	1049	192	881	000	211
1398.....	3382	161	309	196	1111	173	1100	000	332
1399.....	3138	137	243	148	923	113	1214	000	360
1400.....	2991	140	236	112	798	84	1256	000	365
1401.....	2582	147	223	103	749	78	1010	000	272
1402.....	2626	139	220	92	749	76	1056	245	49

Year	Other Shahr (cities)								
	Total	Daily	Weekly	Biweekly	Monthly	Bimonthly	Quarterly	Biquarterly	Annually
1385	1329	77	433	115	307	26	270	101	000
1390	2259	93	539	291	447	44	621	224	000
1395	3049	155	767	455	668	96	625	283	000
1398	3898	195	1027	491	824	94	807	460	000
1399	3394	193	840	295	641	61	866	498	000
1400	3501	193	769	237	693	37	1008	564	000
1401	2902	200	636	187	583	33	809	454	000
1402	2939	202	621	176	605	34	844	413	44

Source: Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance.

19.1. NATIONAL NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS DISTRIBUTION BY PERIOD OF PUBLICATION, THE YEAR 1402



For data see Table 19.15.

19.16. NUMBER OF PRESSES BY PLACE OF PUBLICATION AND CONCESSIONAIRE

Year	Tehran			
	Total	Natural persons	Government organizations, institutions and foundations	Non-government organizations and institutions
1385.....	2053	1188	437	428
1390.....	2640	1203	657	780
1395.....	3855	2301	795	759
1398.....	3382	1880	597	905
1399.....	3138	1713	581	844
1400.....	2991	1589	695	707
1401.....	2582	1282	647	653
1402.....	2626	1318	669	639

Year	Other Shahr (cities)			
	Total	Natural persons	Government organizations, entities, and institutions	Non-government organizations and institutions
1385.....	1329	1008	161	160
1390.....	2259	1446	418	395
1395.....	4271	3253	628	390
1398.....	3898	2895	426	577
1399.....	3394	2401	412	581
1400.....	3501	2413	572	516
1401.....	2902	۱۸۵۳	551	498
1402.....	2939	1950	480	509

Source: Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance.

19.17. PUBLIC LIBRARIES, MEMBERS AND AVAILABLE BOOKS BY OSTAN

Year and Ostan	Public libraries	Members (1000 persons)	Books available (1000 copies)
1385	1729	1080	15497
1390	2804	2571	29703
1395	3346	2378	41686
1398	3533	2487	44623
1399	3557	1471	44788
1400	3605	1756	46604
1401	3614	2413	48596
1402	3664	2675	51147
East Azarbayejan	150	176	3047
West Azarbayejan	100	72	1655
Ardebil	84	62	1064
Esfahan	299	161	4441
Alborz	73	74	1273
Ilam	57	40	641
Bushehr	80	52	1210
Tehran	339	208	3684
Chaharmahal and Bakhtiari	67	44	1066
South Khorasan	84	64	1212
Khorasan-e-Razavi	237	259	3725
North Khorasan	75	62	1011
Khuzestan	217	132	2818
Zanjan	102	74	1466
Semnan	76	50	1166
Sistan and Baluchestan	85	38	877
Fars	267	154	3299
Qazvin	58	73	1093
Qom	42	52	623
Kordestan	82	56	963
Kerman	137	130	1815
Kermanshah	111	64	1222
Kohgiluyeh and Boyer-Ahmad	72	47	625
Golestan	76	44	779
Gilan	103	63	1328
Lorestan	61	44	854
Mazandaran	123	89	2060
Markazi	87	53	1294
Hormozgan	90	46	862
Hamedan	118	83	1464
Yazd	112	109	2510

Source: Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance.

19.18. BOOKS AND DOCUMENTS COLLECTION OF NATIONAL LIBRARY OF THE I. R. IRAN

Description	Unit	Year			
		1385	1390	1395	1398
Persian and Arabic manuscripts and scrap-books.....	Copy	24165	34380	40011	41450
Books with lithographic print	Copy	26393	31142	36014	36282
Precious and exquisite books	Copy	-	9257	17080	20146
Printed books in Farsi and Arabic ⁽¹⁾	Copy	-	318514	2764949	3280823
Soft sources ⁽²⁾	Document	-	321020	497903	612792
Archival documents ⁽³⁾	File	281246	569842	692497	899489
Documents on oral history interviews ⁽⁴⁾	Hour	536	719	2502	3214
Periodicals (Publications) ⁽⁵⁾	Volume	-	187854	249774	318738
Other sources	000	0	0	0	0

Description	Year			
	1399	1400	1401	1402
Persian and Arabic manuscripts and scrap-books	42716	43690	46806	47142
Books with lithographic print.....	36283	37303	37508	38602
Precious and exquisite books	21202	22582	22761	22773
Printed books ⁽¹⁾	3417093	3560581	3620684	3762551
Soft sources ⁽²⁾	637328	673452	691708	709109
Archival documents ⁽³⁾	5414820	5577097	5808691	5959939
Documents on oral history interviews ⁽⁴⁾	3363	3535	3600	1080
Periodicals (Publications) ⁽⁵⁾	332704	346940	353853	360805
Other sources.....	0	0	0	0

1. Printed books include Persian, Arabic, and Latin books, Iranology and Islamic Studies resources, children's and young adult resources, and resources for the blind and visually impaired.

2. Non-book resources include audiovisual materials, geographical materials (maps, atlases, globes), theses, standards, pamphlets, brochures, research proposals, etc.

3. Archival documents include documents arranged and described at various levels according to the ISAD(G) archival standard, and unarranged and undescribed documents.

4. Oral history interview records are indicated in units of minutes, with the interviewee being the stated subject.

5. The periodicals consist of issues of newspapers and magazines.

Source: National Library and Archives of the I.R of Iran.

19.19 NUMBER OF DIGITAL BOOKS AND DOCUMENTS OF THE NATIONAL LIBRARY AND ARCHIVES OF THE I.R OF IRAN

Description	Year					
	1395	1398	1399	1400	1401	1402
Document (archive)	429	100003	394011	414239	414240	414263
Manuscript.....	22226	33782	33791	34367	36396	36396
lithographic print	11495	6184	6167	7201	7674	7674
Lead printing.....	17	17	17	17	17	17
Book	1515	14483	14598	14601	14619	14620
Thesis (dissertation).....	187685	290356	326625	330978	343684	349476
Article	7	8	600008	658126	852620	959724
Periodicals ⁽¹⁾	7410	7412	67412	518188	561638	600195
Other sources ⁽²⁾	48017	45449	89640	90378	96936	96936

1. Periodicals are the editions of newspapers and magazines.

2. Other digital sources include photos, notices, maps, oral histories, interviews, slides, research projects, music, films, and audiobooks.

Source: National Library and Archives of the I.R of Iran.

19.20. NUMBER OF TITLES OF BOOKS PUBLISHED BY TYPE OF WORKS

Year and Ostan	Total	Writing (authoring)	Translation
1385.....	53362	42296	11066
1390.....	68772	46313	22459
1395.....	88619	69901	18718
1398.....	105486	75617	29869
1399.....	95044	68002	27042
1400.....	111189	80351	30838
1401.....	107826	77831	29995
1402.....	115404	82350	33054
East Azarbayejan.....	2276	1930	346
West Azarbayejan	572	502	70
Ardebil	732	637	95
Esfahan	2353	1987	366
Alborz	2367	1960	407
Ilam	330	266	64
Bushehr	178	157	21
Tehran	81010	53245	27765
Chaharmahal and Bakhtiyari.....	110	90	20
South Khorasan	93	85	8
Khorasan-e-Razavi.....	4359	3792	567
North Khorasan	529	476	53
Khuzestan	756	683	73
Zanjan	105	93	12
Semnan.....	233	211	22
Sistan and Baluchestan.....	253	240	13
Fars	1178	1100	78
Qazvin	869	467	402
Qom	10812	8804	2008
Kordestan	525	402	123
Kerman	445	411	34
Kermanshah	384	350	34
Kohgiluyeh and Boyerahmad.....	92	83	9
Golestan	817	747	70
Gilan.....	1106	1029	77
Lorestan.....	421	383	38
Mazandaran.....	1132	962	170
Markazi	368	318	50
Hormozgan.....	164	156	8
Hamedan	413	386	27
Yazd	422	398	24

Source: Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance.

19.21. NUMBER OF TITLES AND CIRCULATION OF BOOKS PUBLISHED BY TITLE, TYPE OF WORKS, EDITION, AND PLACE OF PUBLICATION

Year and subject	Title	Circulation (1000 copies)	Type of works			
			Writing (authoring)		Translation	
			Title	Circulation (1000 copies)	Title	Circulation (1000 copies)
1385	53560	228891	42458	184424	11102	44467
1390	68656	203495	54444	168305	14212	35191
1395	88619	144066	69901	118613	18718	25452
1398	105486	148638	75617	114720	29869	33918
1399	95044	119317	68002	89480	27042	29837
1400	111189	121356	80351	91242	30838	30113
1401	107826	109364	77831	81975	29995	27389
1402	115404	107410	82350	80173	33054	27237
Generalities	1292	752	977	593	315	159
Philosophy	7594	5559	3244	2059	4350	3500
Religion	10121	8370	8622	6823	1499	1547
Social sciences	14021	8892	11009	7045	3012	1847
Language	1835	1447	1644	1341	191	106
Natural sciences & mathematics	1424	904	1033	690	391	214
Applied sciences	12233	7933	8049	5275	4184	2658
Arts	4152	2923	2795	2050	1357	873
Literature	18545	11866	12701	7919	5844	3947
History and geography	5697	4901	4806	4340	891	561
Supplementary	17658	22710	16439	22142	1219	568
Children	20832	31153	11031	19896	9801	11257

19.21. NUMBER OF TITLES AND CIRCULATION OF BOOKS PUBLISHED BY TITLE, TYPE OF WORKS, EDITION, AND PLACE OF PUBLICATION (continued)

Year and subject	Edition times				Place of publication			
	First edition		Reprint		Tehran		Shahrestan (sub-province)	
	Title	Circulation (1000 copies)	Title	Circulation (1000 copies)	Title	Circulation (1000 copies)	Title	Circulation (1000 copies)
1385	25015	97459	28545	131432	38088	159060	15472	69831
1390	35022	82206	33634	162466	51209	143466	17447	60030
1395	55146	70232	33473	73834	67653	109828	20966	34238
1398	57832	79955	47654	68683	82256	114942	23230	33696
1399	58096	54318	36948	65099	71196	89924	23848	29393
1400	69610	56048	41579	65307	79619	87947	31570	33408
1401	66757	50253	41069	59111	75821	76745	32005	32619
1402	68690	48673	46714	58737	80938	74928	34466	32482
Generalities	1105	631	187	121	901	501	391	252
Philosophy	4136	2419	3458	3141	5559	4099	2035	1460
Religion	6720	4606	3401	3763	3919	3121	6202	5248
Social sciences	10876	6329	3145	2563	9762	5822	4259	3070
Language	1203	904	632	543	1254	1027	581	420
Natural sciences & mathematics	1131	745	293	159	913	565	511	340
Applied sciences	9355	5793	2878	2140	8729	5287	3504	2646
Arts	2679	1604	1473	1319	3232	2028	920	895
Literature	11396	6605	7149	5260	12770	7658	5775	4208
History and geography	3579	2531	2118	2370	3394	2938	2303	1962
Supplementary	7905	6311	9753	16399	15081	19004	2577	3706
Children	8605	10195	12227	20959	15424	22878	5408	8275

Source: Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance.

**19.22. ATTENDANCES AT MUSEUMS AND HISTORICAL MONUMENTS MANAGED BY
CULTURAL HERITAGE, HANDCRAFTS AND TOURISM ORGANIZATION BY OSTAN
(1000 persons)**

Ostan	Museum							
	Year							
	1385	1390	1395	1398	1399 ⁽¹⁾	1400 ⁽¹⁾	1401 ⁽²⁾	1402
Total country.....	3921	6724	6623	8659	1030	2992	11258	13692
East Azarbayejan.....	324	592	363	378	17	35	223	306
West Azarbayejan.....	56	75	68	25	000	3	29	66
Ardebil	153	268	221	218	5	15	230	263
Esfahan	547	1067	45	130	40	127	521	611
Alborz	000	000	000	7	000	3	6	9
Ilam.....	000	22	21	53	1	3	9	16
Bushehr.....	20	108	41	31	000	000	61	50
Tehran	1139	2047	3970	5565	753	1763	6076	8398
Chaharmahal&Bakhtiari.....	13	13	49	24	2	000	25	26
South Khorasan.....	24	67	66	32	2	17	55	58
Khorasan-e-Razavi	379	561	75	590	13	489	190	278
North Khorasan.....	12	32	21	38	000	3	24	31
Khuzestan	41	79	68	73	000	000	368	463
Zanjan.....	39	97	90	143	5	9	93	124
Semnan	18	20	14	18	1	13	17	21
Sistan&Baluchestan.....	000	26	27	40	000	6	13	19
Fars	645	360	407	26	29	172	615	595
Qazvin	39	136	75	110	3	22	122	190
Qom	000	7	62	82	50	33	34	37
Kordestan.....	12	20	138	72	3	12	98	109
Kerman	205	379	156	223	13	42	565	672
Kermanshah	12	22	35	62	4	3	4	000
Kohgiluyeh&Boyerahmad.....	000	10	4	4	4	1	1	000
Golestan.....	55	137	21	48	000	14	21	21
Gilan	27	167	140	148	19	46	117	143
Lorestan	000	5	192	235	19	46	246	295
Mazandaran	17	94	64	34	1	12	48	37
Markazi.....	42	92	32	30	30	9	29	38
Hormozgan	2	13	6	10	000	8	11	6
Hamedan.....	000	10	110	131	10	64	444	532
Yazd	100	198	42	79	6	22	963	278

19.22. ATTENDANCES AT MUSEUMS AND HISTORICAL MONUMENTS MANAGED BY CULTURAL HERITAGE, HANDCRAFTS AND TOURISM ORGANIZATION BY OSTAN (continued) (1000 persons)

Ostan	Historical monuments							
	Year							
	1385	1390	1395	1398	1399 ⁽¹⁾	1400 ⁽¹⁾	1401	1402
Total country.....	8026	15067	10021	12872	2041	4853	12649	11619
East Azarbayejan.....	70	132	407	441	33	30	235	292
West Azarbayejan.....	77	109	35	107	17	38	85	93
Ardebil	000	000	000	190	5	15	118	121
Esfahan	1593	2608	2242	2723	178	556	2067	1392
Alborz	000	000	000	46	000	25	4	1
Ilam.....	13	32	000	000	000	25	28	000
Bushehr.....	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000
Tehran	82	149	23	10	000	3	10	9
Chaharmahal&Bakhtiyari.....	24	46	000	34	000	1	25	000
South Khorasan.....	000	000	000	000	000	828	000	54
Khorasan-e-Razavi	1785	1923	1021	2344	175	000	1273	1071
North Khorasan.....	000	000	000	73	4	000	79	47
Khuzestan	214	308	145	121	000	000	299	266
Zanjan.....	83	134	123	140	15	22	110	85
Semnan	5	8	11	11	000	3	8	8
Sistan&Baluchestan.....	000	297	000	000	000	220	142	7
Fars	2393	5964	4093	3968	1278	1899	4495	4771
Qazvin	80	262	000	000	000	2	1740	189
Qom	000	55	000	12	000	913	192	407
Kordestan.....	21	131	000	000	2	5	61	74
Kerman	305	588	357	434	32	118	180	662
Kermanshah	267	269	456	574	169	000	565	670
Kohgiluyeh&Boyerahmad.....	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000
Golestan.....	80	116	112	98	000	50	103	108
Gilan	000	120	158	142	56	31	89	102
Lorestan	141	314	219	435	000	000	245	295
Mazandaran	7	67	44	48	6	2	21	13
Markazi.....	2	9	000	2	2	000	2	1
Hormozgan	15	132	000	000	000	17	12	9
Hamedan.....	692	1081	295	566	46	42	164	528
Yazd	77	213	280	353	23	000	297	344

1. Due to the outbreak of the coronavirus, several museums and historical monuments have been closed.

2. The increase in the number of visitors in various Ostans is attributed to the opening of new museums, the collection of statistics from museums supervised by other organizations and the private sector, and the rise in the number of tourists and visitors following the outbreak of the coronavirus.

Source: Ministry of Cultural Heritage, Tourism and Handicrafts

19.23. THE CHARACTERISTICS OF THE MOST VISITED MUSEUMS ⁽¹⁾, THE YEAR 1402

Museum	Ostan	City	Number of visitors	Percent of the total visitors
Sa'dabad complex (Palace)	Tehran	Tehran	5541411	48
Niavaran complex (Palace).....	Tehran	Tehran	1765288	15
Golestan Complex (Palace)	Tehran	Tehran	750915	6
Chehel-Sotun (Museum)	Esfahan	Esfahan	460231	4
Falak-ol-Aflak (castle)	Lorestan	Khorramabad	304210	3
National Museum of Iran.....	Tehran	Tehran	277548	2
Takht-e-Jamshid (Persepolis)	Fars	Marvdasht	232771	2
Naderi Complex (Tomb of Nader Shah)	Khorasan-e-Razavi	Mashhad	218543	1.9
Saint Stephen's Museum (old church)	East Azarbayejan	Jolfa	210638	1.8
Ganjali Khan Bathhouse Museum	Kerman	Kerman	147151	1.3
National Museum of Kashan	Esfahan	Kashan	139071	1.2
Gilan Rural Museum	Gilan	Rasht	115340	1
Sheikh Safi Al-Din Ardabili complex	Ardebil	Ardebi	114862	1
Azarbayejan Museum	East Azarbayejan	Tabriz	109320	1
Chehel-Sotun (Museum)	Qazvin	Qazvin	95835	1
Hegmataneh Museum	Hamedan	Hamedan	92755	0.8
Qajar Museum	East Azarbayejan	Tabriz	89432	0.8
Rakhtshooy Khaneh Edifice	Zanjan	Zanjan	63582	0.6
Abgineh and Sofalineh (Glassware and Ceramic Museum of Iran) Museum.....	Tehran	Tehran	28903	0.3
Qasr Khorshid Tourism Complex	Khorasan Razavi	Kalat	24881	0.2

1. Including the characteristics of the 20 most-visited museum.

Source: Ministry of Cultural Heritage, Tourism and Handicrafts

19.24. THE CHARACTERISTICS OF THE MOST VISITED HISTORICAL MONUMENTS ⁽¹⁾: THE YEAR 1402

Historical monument	Ostan	Shahr (city)	Number of visitors	Percent of the total visitors
Hafez Mausoleum (Hafeziyeh).....	Fars	Shiraz	1732701	14. 8
Sadi Mausoleum (Sa'diyeh)	Fars	Shiraz	974963	8. 3
Bagh-e-Fin (Paradise)	Esfahan	Kashan	905272	7. 7
Persepolis (Takht-e-Jamshid)	Fars	Marvdasht	863755	7. 4
Arg-e- Karimkhan(castle).....	Fars	Shiraz	658222	5. 6
Ferdosi Mausoleum (Tous).....	Khorasan-e-Razavi	Tous	544298	4. 7
Ālī Qāpū Palace	Esfahan	Esfahan	525939	4. 5
Taq-e- Bostan	Kermanshah	Kermanshah	411421	3. 51
Pasargard	Fars	Marvdasht	407997	3. 48
Mahan Prince (Paradise).....	Kerman	Kerman	376792	3. 21
Mausoleum of Omar Khayyám	Khorasan-e-Razavi	Neyshabur	336100	2. 87
Emam Jāmeḥ Mosque.....	Esfahan	Esfahan	224123	1. 91
Avicenna Mausoleum	Hamedan	Hamedan	217979	1. 86
Shush World Heritage Site	Khuzestan	Shush	210618	1. 80
Bistun.....	Kermanshah	Bistun	193602	1. 65
Baba Taher Mausoleum.....	Hamedan	Hamedan	185604	1. 58
Borujerdi House.....	Esfahan	Kashan	174094	1. 48
Minar Jonban (shaking minaret).....	Esfahan	Esfahan	165856	1. 41
Sheikh Lotfollah Mosque	Esfahan	Esfahan	146023	1. 24
Zendan-e Eskandar (Alexander's Prison).....	Yazd	Yazd	141225	1. 20

1. Including the characteristics of the 20 most visited museums.

Source: Ministry of Cultural Heritage, Tourism and Handicrafts

19.25. FOREIGN TOURISTS ARRIVED IN IRAN BY ARRIVAL BORDER

Year	Total	By air	By land	By sea
1385.....	2735000	000	000	000
1390.....	3294126	638557	2627673	27896
1395.....	4911920	1702645	3180747	28528
1398.....	8832050	1454797	7355814	21439
1399 ⁽¹⁾	558039	90372	467572	95
1400 ⁽¹⁾	1341293	492766	848142	385
1401.....	4230568	1185266	3023889	21413
1402.....	6382755	1553986	4809943	18826

1. Due to the outbreak of the coronavirus, the number of tourists arriving in Iran has decreased.

Source: Ministry of Cultural Heritage, Tourism and Handicrafts

19.26. NUMBER OF PILGRIMS TO MECCA AND HOLY SHRINES

Year	Total	Major pilgrimage	Minor pilgrimage	Holy Shrines
1385.....	928599	91195	508865	328539
1390.....	1895813	88787	761466 ⁽¹⁾	1045560
1395.....	719996	0	0	719996
1398.....	318813	82437	0	236376
1399	0	0	0	0
1400.....	46230	0	0	46230
1401.....	386154	36520	0	349634
1402.....	582076	82086	0	499990

1. Statistics relates to the time span from the year 1389/ 12 /10 to the year1390/ 05/ 19.

Source: Ministry of Culture and Islamic Guidance.

19.27. SHARE OF TOURISTS BY TRAVEL PURPOSE , THE YEAR 1402 (Percent)

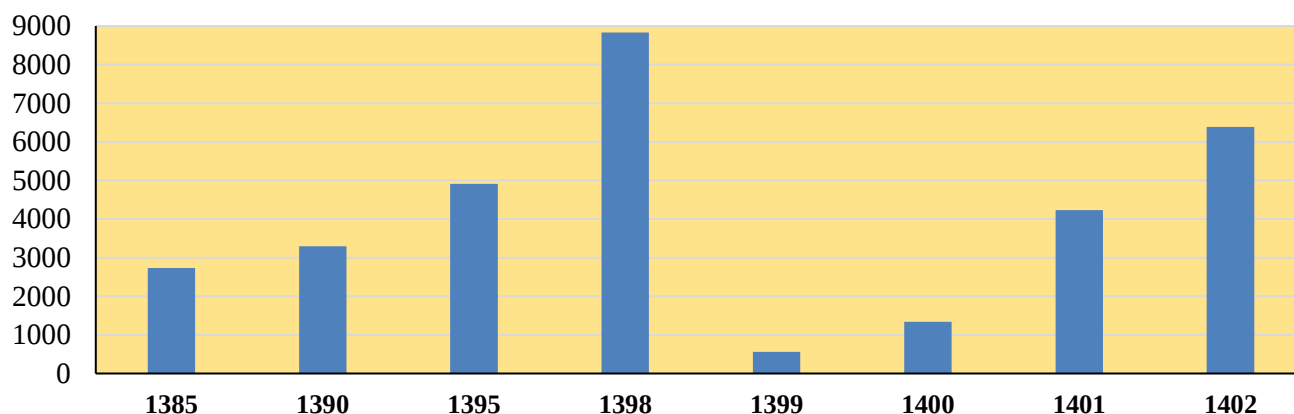
Description	Domestic	Inbound	Outbound
Total	000	100.00	000
Recreation, entertainment and holidays.....	000	75.50	000
Visiting friends and relatives	000	0.24	000
Business and profession.....	000	0.47	000
Medical treatment	000	000	000
Pilgrimage and religious purposes.....	000	6.65	000
Miscellaneous purposes ⁽¹⁾	000	17.14	000

1. Miscellaneous issues in the column of domestic tourists include purposes such as education, shopping, and business. In the column of inbound tourists, they include free zones, residents, most-travelled people for providing service, press affairs, etc.

Source: Ministry of Cultural Heritage, Tourism and Handicrafts

19.2. FOREIGN TOURISTS ARRIVED IN IRAN

1000 persons



For data see Table 19.25.

19.28. NUMBER OF SPORT PLACES BY TYPE OF PLACE, THE YEAR 1402

Ostan	Total	Gym	Sports ground	Swimming pool	Coliseum	Sports track	Palestra	Other
Total country	10903	5791	4082	399	231	180	210	10
East Azarbayejan	488	318	117	17	19	9	8	0
West Azarbayejan	430	246	152	16	8	2	6	0
Ardebil	221	148	55	11	3	1	3	0
Esfahan	632	366	211	21	14	7	12	1
Alborz	144	95	36	10	0	0	3	0
Ilam	134	84	41	6	1	1	1	0
Bushehr	229	149	51	4	21	4	0	0
Tehran	414	300	57	35	10	5	6	1
Chaharmahal&Bakhtiari	163	105	34	9	2	2	11	0
South Khorasan	281	106	156	10	0	4	5	0
Khorasan-e-Razavi	916	288	535	25	28	14	24	2
North Khorasan	202	110	81	4	3	0	4	0
Khuzestan	533	264	195	27	26	12	9	0
Zanjan	174	111	45	10	0	1	5	2
Semnan	248	135	80	13	1	5	14	0
Sistan&Baluchestan	551	149	389	12	1	0		0
Fars	912	486	328	26	10	46	16	0
Qazvin	224	120	91	5	4	0	4	0
Qom	124	68	38	6	3	5	4	0
Kordestan	206	141	28	11	0	17	9	0
Kerman	283	189	58	8	14	2	12	0
Kermanshah	438	215	180	15	6	13	8	1
Kohgiluyeh&Boyerahmad	217	110	84	12	3	3	5	0
Golestan	261	208	39	5	6	1	2	0
Gilan	362	189	152	11	6	3	1	0
Lorestan	295	148	127	11	1	1	7	0
Mazandaran	534	288	218	9	11	2	6	0
Markazi	203	137	47	10	1	1	5	2
Hormozgan	417	159	231	9	13	4	1	0
Hamedan	301	193	72	18	5	10	2	1
Yazd	366	166	154	13	11	5	17	0

Source: Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports.

19.29. SPORTS PLACES BY NATURE OF THE PROPERTY, THE YEAR 1402

Ostan	Gymnasium (independent sports places)	Club	Complex
Total country	10903	75	912
East Azarbayejan	488	22	1
West Azarbayejan.....	430	3	43
Ardebil	221	1	20
Esfahan	632	0	84
Alborz	144	0	15
Ilam.....	134	0	10
Bushehr.....	229	0	37
Tehran	414	9	38
Chaharmahal&Bakhtiari.....	163	0	36
South Khorasan.....	281	0	54
Khorasan-e-Razavi	916	0	74
North Khorasan.....	202	0	8
Khuzestan	533	9	62
Zanjan	174	1	6
Semnan	248	1	45
Sistan&Baluchestan.....	551	0	14
Fars	912	13	85
Qazvin	224	0	22
Qom	124	1	9
Kordestan.....	206	0	33
Kerman	283	0	9
Kermanshah	438	0	34
Kohgiluyeh&Boyerahmad.....	217	0	5
Golestan.....	261	0	0
Gilan	362	0	37
Lorestan	295	0	8
Mazandaran	534	3	15
Markazi.....	203	8	27
Hormozgan	417	0	13
Hamedan.....	301	0	39
Yazd	366	4	29

Source: Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports.

19.30. ATHLETES WITH SPORTS INSURANCE BY SEX, THE YEAR 1402

Description	Both sexes	Male	Female
Total country.....	4057275	2306503	1750772
East Azarbayejan.....	190433	116095	74338
West Azarbayejan.....	114146	75949	38197
Ardebil	62543	42890	19653
Esfahan	302043	161213	140830
Alborz	191051	92832	98219
Ilam.....	37286	22801	14485
Bushehr.....	71204	42034	29170
Tehran	718384	366629	351755
Chaharmahal and Bakhtiari	50307	30478	19829
South Khorasan.....	39070	22840	16230
Khorasan-e-Razavi	274482	160440	114042
North Khorasan.....	32546	20464	12082
Khuzestan	250328	149849	100479
Zanjan.....	62970	35290	27680
Semnan	46874	24805	22069
Sistan and Baluchestan	48040	30803	17237
Fars	248885	137927	110958
Qazvin	89982	46026	43956
Qom	58688	36130	22558
Kordestan.....	73730	47101	26629
Kerman	126987	76242	50745
Kermanshah	88774	55065	33709
Kohgiluyeh and Boyerahmad	30478	17750	12728
Golestan.....	73589	46907	26682
Gilan	157099	87338	69761
Lorestan	77179	48710	28469
Mazandaran	197151	113665	83486
Markazi.....	90398	48722	41676
Hormozgan	65660	43383	22277
Hamedan.....	95269	54760	40509
Yazd.....	86543	48348	38195
Kish.....	5156	3017	2139

Source: Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports.

19.31. ATHLETES WITH SPORTS INSURANCE BY FIELDS OF SPORT AND SEX, THE YEAR 1402

Sports fields	Both sexes	Male	Female
Total	4057275	2306503	1750772
Skate	44144	13226	30918
Squash.....	2257	1020	1237
Ski.....	1752	1041	711
Martial arts associations	180522	100985	79537
Sport associations	24649	15063	9586
Badminton	24798	6424	18374
Fitness and body building.....	455265	216581	238684
Basketball	93494	45637	47857
Bowling and billiard	1660	1385	275
Boxing	62606	62595	11
Tennis	7283	3943	3340
Table tennis	17939	11756	6183
Taekwondo	207618	87050	120568
Shooting.....	12776	8200	4576
Archery shooting	2397	1247	1150
Judo.....	36718	27482	9236
Polo.....	102	46	56
Track and field.....	16565	7483	9082
Cycling	8060	5347	2713
Gymnastics	260946	113767	147179
Prisons' organization.....	1018	905	113
Rural sports and traditional and local games	88693	62752	25941
Horsemanship	12025	5596	6429
Chess.....	7020	3884	3136
Fencing	1711	898	813
Swimming.....	164761	70689	94072
Football.....	850327	817475	32852
Canoeing.....	2293	1246	1047

19.31. ATHLETES WITH SPORTS INSURANCE BY FIELDS OF SPORT AND SEX, THE YEAR 1402(continued)

Sports fields	Both sexes	Male	Female
Golf.....	1337	551	786
Motorcycling and auto racing.....	7780	6856	924
Lifesaving.....	12242	7406	4836
Hockey.....	2441	1058	1383
Public sports	162269	38038	124231
Handball	20863	7803	13060
Volleyball	261739	94860	166879
Workers' sports.....	1632	1277	355
The deaf sports.....	1039	737	302
Sports for special and transplant patients	1161	482	679
Ancient sports and Pahlavani wrestling.....	12076	12076	0
School students' sports	18360	9529	8831
University students' sports.....	4996	2716	2280
Triple sports.....	2056	577	1479
The blind and semi-blind's sports.....	1197	768	429
Weightlifting.....	5953	3799	2154
Wushu.....	59268	34795	24473
Karate	213094	94919	118175
Kabaddi.....	2883	1641	1242
Wrestling	165901	164978	923
Kung Fu and martial arts	64617	39937	24680
Mountaineering and sport climbing.....	67638	41024	26614
Physical fitness	371571	42775	328796
Sports for the Janbazan (veterans wounded) and people with disability.....	4729	3413	1316
Other	1034	765	269

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