

Average Hotel Prices and Hotel Price Index in Georgia

July 2023

In Georgia, the average cost of a room in a 3-star hotel was 174 GEL per night in July 2023, while the average cost of a room in a 4-star hotel in Georgia was 267 GEL per night and the average cost of a room in a guesthouse² was 132 GEL per night.

The average cost of a room in a 5-star hotel in Georgia in July 2023 was 498 GEL per night. In Guria, the average price was 894 GEL, followed by Adjara - 550 GEL, Tbilisi - 505 GEL, and Kakheti - 466 GEL.

THE AVERAGE PRICES OF 3*, 4* STAR HOTELS AND GUESTHOUSES BY REGIONS (JULY 2023, IN GEL)



Graph 1: In the graph, average prices for standard double rooms in 3 and 4-star hotels and guesthouses are given by region. 5-star hotel prices are provided above.

Hotel Price Index

In July 2023, in Georgia the hotel price index³ increased by 0.6% compared to June 2023. The 3-star, 4-star, and 5-star hotel price index increased by 1.6%, while for guesthouses, the price index decreased by 8.7%.

In July 2023, compared to July 2022, hotel prices in Georgia decreased by 8.6%. The prices of 3*, 4*, 5* hotels decreased by 10.2% and the prices of guesthouses decreased by 10.4%.

Region	Hotel		3*, 4*, 5*		Guesthouse	
	2023 July/ 2023 June	2023 July/ 2022 July	2023 July/ 2023 June	2023 July/ 2022 July	2023 July/ 2023 June	2023 July/ 2022 July
Kakheti	0.2%	4.5%	0.7%	-3.9%	0.1%	8.0%
Imereti	1.1%	8.3%	0.0%	1.5%	2.1%	14.2%
Guria	16.3%	-10.7%	30.8%	-10.7%	3.3%	-
Kvemo Kartli	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	-	0.0%
Adjara	5.5%	-2.8%	2.6%	-4.7%	14.6%	15.0%
Racha	0.0%	0.0%	-	-	0.0%	0.0%
Shida Kartli	0.0%	19.8%	0.0%	6.5%	0.0%	51.7%
Samegrelo-Zemo Svaneti	-2.8%	8.0%	-5.5%	3.4%	-1.3%	11.2%
Samtskhe-Javakheti	7.9%	4.5%	22.8%	2.4%	-2.7%	6.0%
Mtskheta-Mtianeti	-11.9%	-9.4%	-16.1%	-15.1%	-6.6%	-3.9%
Tbilisi	-2.0%	-16.5%	-0.3%	-15.8%	-21.6%	-27.5%
Overall Price % Change	0.6%	-8.6%	1.6%	-10.2%	-8.7%	-10.4%

Table 1: Percentage change of prices in July 2023 over June 2023 and over July 2022.

1 The results are based on the surveying of standard double hotel room prices of 3, 4, 5-star hotels and guesthouses in 10 regions of Georgia. Hotels were chosen arbitrarily according to random sampling principle. The study contains 71% (312) of all 3, 4 and 5-star hotels and 25% (456 guesthouses) of all guesthouses registered on www.booking.comThe 3, 4 and 5-star hotel price data was collec-

ted by contacting hotels individually, while the prices of guesthouses were taken from booking.com. The average prices are arithmetic mean of standard double hotel room prices.

2 Guesthouse: a type of accommodation that is characterized by having a small number of rooms and services are usually offered by the resident family.

3 The calculation of the hotel price index is based on the recommendations given by the International Monetary Fund (IMF). The elementary aggregate price index is calculated by Jevons index (Consumer Price Index Manual-Theory and Practice (2004), Practical Guide to Producing Consumer Price Indices (2009)).