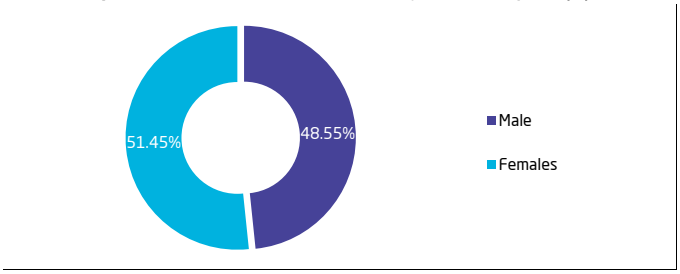
Umrah performers exceed 4 million in Q2 of 2026

The total number of Umrah performers reached 4,094,293 in Q2 of 2026. Males accounted for approximately 58.3%, while females represented about 41.7% of the total number of Umrah performers. Saudi Umrah performers accounted for 45.9% of the total number of Umrah performers during Q2 of 2026.

External Umrah performers by sex

Total number of external Umrah performers reached 861,748 in Q2 of 2026, with 418,379 males representing 48.55% and 443,369 females representing 51.45% of the total external Umrah performers (Figure 1).

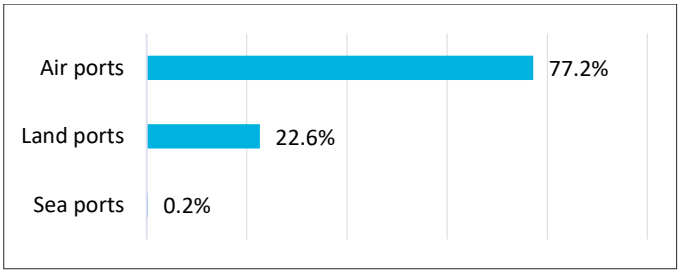
Figure1. Distribution of external Umrah performers by sex (%)



External Umrah performers by entry ports

Results indicated that 77.2% of external Umrah performers entered through airports, while 22.6% arrived via land ports, and 0.2% arrived through seaports, out of the total external Umrah performers in Q2 of 2026 (Figure 2).

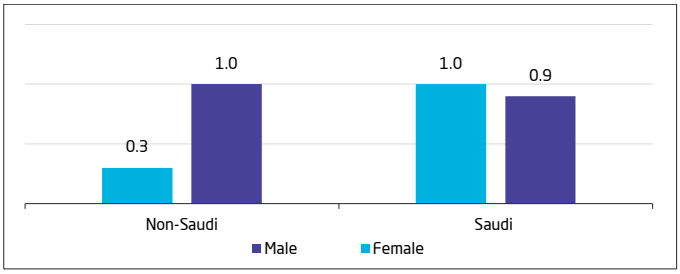
Figure2. Distribution of external Umrah performers by entry ports (%)



Internal Umrah performers by sex and nationality

The total number of internal Umrah performers reached approximately 3,232,545 during Q2 of 2026, with 1,881,103 Saudis, accounting for 58.2% of the total. Meanwhile, 1,351,442 were non-Saudis, representing 41.8% of the total. The number of male internal Umrah performers was approximately 1,969,732, accounting for 60.9%, while females reached around 1,262,813, accounting for 39.1% of the total internal Umrah performers in Q2 of 2026 (Figure 3).

Figure3. Distribution of internal Umrah performers by sex and nationality (million Umrah performers)



Internal Umrah performers by trip type

Statistics showed that 78.8% of internal Umrah performers performed Umrah with their families, followed by 15.9% who performed Umrah individually, while those who performed Umrah with friends represented the lowest share, at 5.2% of all internal Umrah performers in Q2 of 2026.

Internal Umrah performers by administrative region

Riyadh Region recorded the highest number of internal Umrah performers during Q2 of 2026, totaling 843,283, which represents 26.1% of total internal Umrah performers. This was followed by Makkah Region with 815,748 performers, accounting for 25.2%, while Northern Borders Region recorded the lowest number with 10,108 performers, representing 0.3% of total internal Umrah performers.

Internal Umrah performers by frequency

Statistics showed that the number of internal Umrah performers who performed Umrah once reached 2,971,974, with males accounting for 61.1% of the total and females accounting for 38.9%. Meanwhile, the number of internal Umrah performers who performed Umrah more than once reached 260,571, representing 8.1% of the total internal Umrah performers during Q2 of 2026.

External and internal Umrah performers by month

June recorded the highest number of external Umrah performers compared to other months, accounting for 71.0%, with a total of 612,256 performers. In contrast, May recorded the lowest number of external Umrah performers, with a total of 45,634 performers. Meanwhile, April recorded the highest number of internal Umrah performers compared to other months, with a total of 1,628,800 performers, representing 50.4% of the total number of internal Umrah performers during Q2 of 2026. May recorded the lowest number, reaching 535,093 internal Umrah performers.

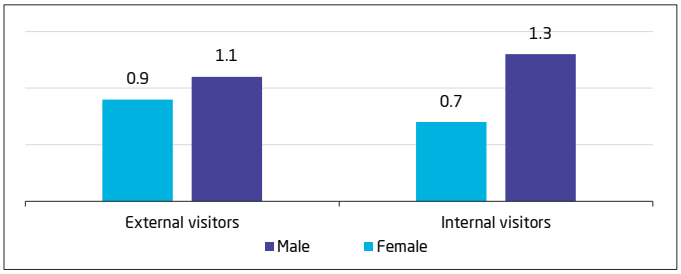
External and internal Umrah performers by age group

Among external Umrah performers, the age group (35-44 years) accounted for the largest share during Q2 of 2026 at 18.7%, while the age group of 65 years and above accounted for the lowest share, representing 9.1% of the total. As for internal Umrah performers, the age group (25-34 years) recorded the highest share, accounting for 25% of the total. The age group of 65 years and above represented the lowest share among internal Umrah performers, at 3% of the total.

External and internal visitors to Medina

According to administrative records, the total number of external visitors to Medina reached 2,069,443 during Q2 of 2026. Males accounted for 52.8%, while females accounted for 47.2% of the total number of external visitors to Medina. Statistics also showed that the total number of internal visitors to Medina for religious purposes reached 1,432,406 during Q2 of 2026, with males accounting for 61.4% and females accounting for 38.6%. The number of Saudi visitors reached 828,717, accounting for 57.9%, while the number of non-Saudi visitors reached 603,689, representing 42.1% of the total number of internal visitors to Medina for religious purposes (Figure 4).

Figure4. Distribution of visitors to Medina by sex and visitor type (million visitors)



Worshippers at the Two Holy Mosques

The number of worshippers at the Two Holy Mosques reached approximately 130,594,284 during Q2 of 2026, with 67,863,677 in the Grand Mosque and 62,730,607 in the Prophet's Mosque. May recorded the highest number of worshippers at the Two Holy Mosques during this period, with 51,918,683 worshippers.

Key Umrah and Visit Indicators for Q2 of 2026

Indicators	Unit	Value
Number of external Umrah performers	(Number) million	0.9
Number of internal Umrah performers		3.2
Total number of Umrah performers		4.1
External visitors to Medina		2.1
Internal visitors to Medina for religious purposes		1.4
Total visitors to Medina		3.5
Total worshippers at the two Holy Mosques		130.6

Source :**Tables.**

Methodology and quality

Umrah Statistics for Q2 of 2026 present the numbers and percentages of internal and external Umrah performers and visitors to Medina, based on multiple statistical sources, including statistical surveys and administrative records. For more detailed information, please refer to the Methodology and Quality Report.