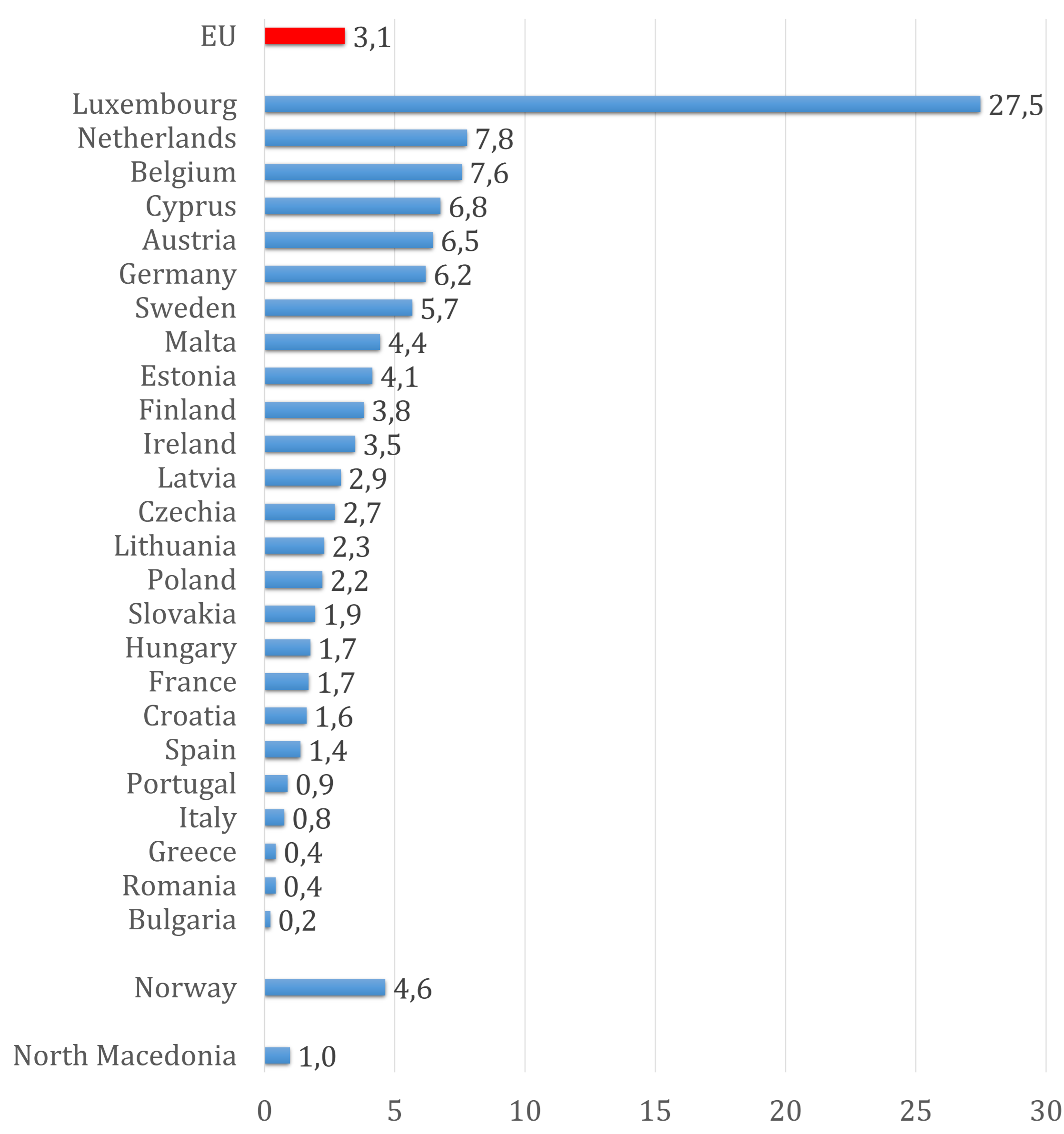




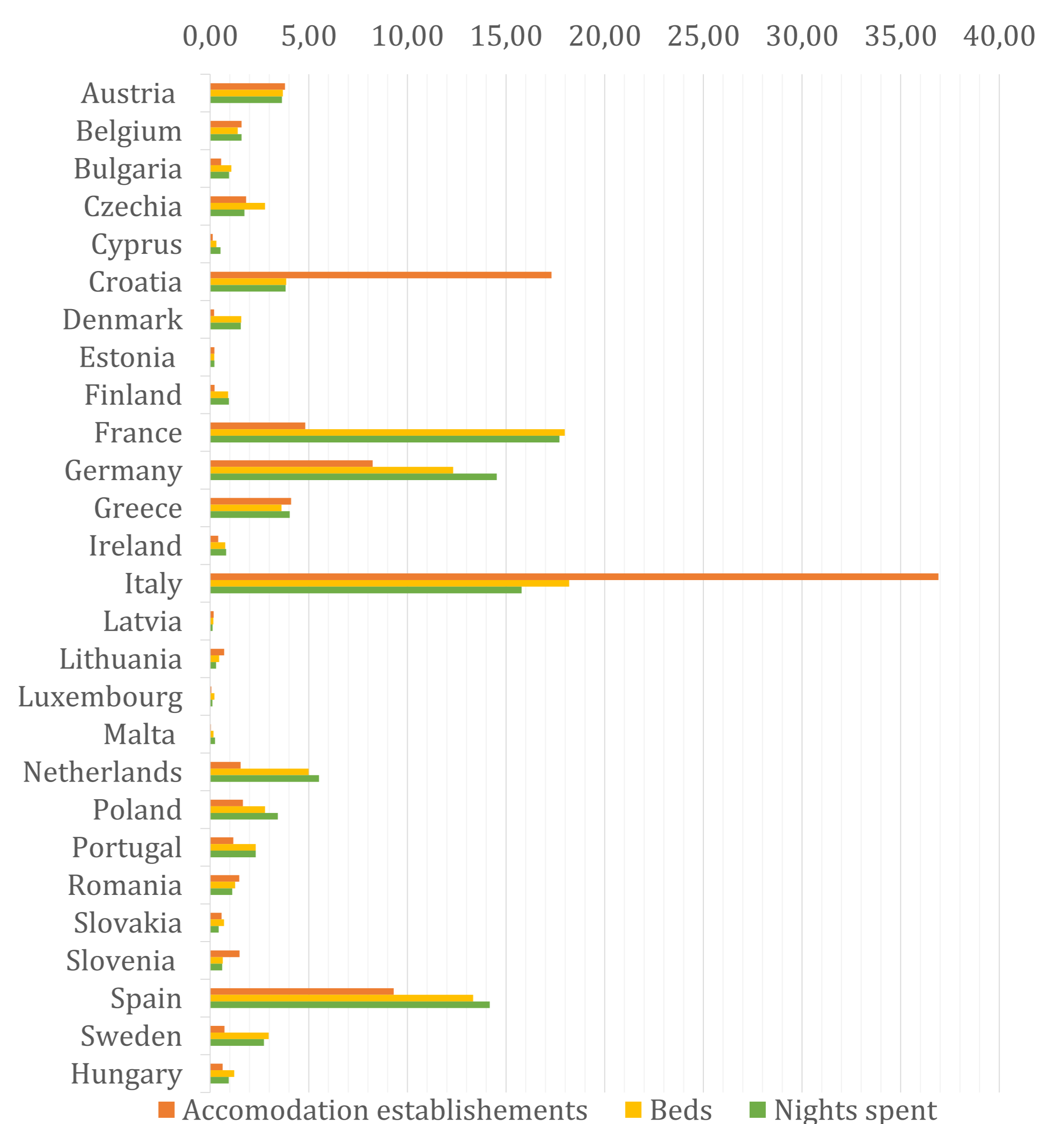
COVID-19 IMPACT ON EUROPEAN TOURISM- CASE STUDY

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Abstract: *European tourism has experienced sustained development over time, becoming one of the most important sectors of the European economy. The need to protect citizens by introducing restrictive measures has led to a huge impact on the tourism sector across Europe. In this paper we have analyzed tourism in terms of the population participating in the tourist activity, the type of trips, the number of overnight stays as well as country of origin to outline a picture of tourism in 2021, compared to the period before the pandemic.*



Country of residence for outbound trips (average number of nights spent abroad by persons older than 15 years)



Percentage of nights spent, beds and accommodation establishments in total reported to European Union level in 2021