

# Global changes in taxis and ride-hailing: UITP launches newest Statistics Brief



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Taxi and ride-hailing services are being increasingly recognised as an important complement to, and extension of, public transport networks.

They have the potential to enlarge the catchment area of public transport, particularly through shorter, cost-effective, transport-extending trips in peripheral or low-density urban areas.

The newest Statistics Brief from UITP, "<u>The Global Taxi and Ride-Hailing Figures 2024</u>", presents a snapshot of taxi and ride-hailing services across the globe, focusing on aspects such as operational information, workforce, decarbonisation, digitalisation and fares, evolving role in mobility, and short-term outlook.

The goal is to provide a better understanding of current trends and how taxi and ridehailing services in selected cities stand in relation to the regional and global status quo.

### The newest data...on an evolving sector

How is demand within the taxi and ride-hailing sector changing? Are vehicles getting cleaner?

Covering operational data, workforce demographics, decarbonisation efforts, and trends in digitalisation, valuable insights are offered into the evolving role of taxis and ride-hailing in urban mobility.

Data includes fleet size and variation, trips per passengers, drivers and share of selfemployed drivers, propulsion type of fleets, and fare regulation systems.

The publication covers the years 2022 and 2023 for taxis, defined as car-based, on-demand, and point-to-point services, and ride-hailing, defined as the platform-based matching of drivers and riders for similarly defined services.

The data was collected via an online survey of local public authorities over the period of March-May 2024, with the goal of aggregating comparable public data related to taxi companies and TNCs at the urban area of jurisdiction covered by the authority.

From trends and statistics, to developments and conclusions, the newest UITP Statistics Brief is available to download now.

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