



Press Release

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The Oktoberfest in numbers

The festival grounds

Theresienwiese: 42 hectares (104 acres)

Large Oktoberfest grounds: The "Grosse Wiesn" (for the full-scale festival) covers 34.5 hectares (85 acres), including the Oide Wiesn ("Vintage Oktoberfest"), which takes up 3.5 hectares (8.6 acres)

Small Oktoberfest grounds: The "Kleine Wiesn" (for the scaled-down festival) covers 26 hectares (64 acres; every 4 years, when the grounds are shared with the Bavarian Central Agricultural Festival)

Applicants in 2018

Total: 1,067

Admitted: 551

Vendors: 231

Fairground attractions: 167

Caterers: 146 (including 17 large tents and 21 midsized caterers)

Service facilities: 7

Staff

Approximately 8,000 permanent employees and 5,000 temporary staff

Oktoberfest caterers

Seating (total): about 120,000

Largest tent (including garden):

Hofbräu (9,991 seats)

Smallest caterers: Café Schiebl (60 seats)

Price of beer

2019: EUR 10.80 – EUR 11.80

(2018: EUR 10.70 – EUR 11.50)





Sanitary facilities Approx. 1,400 full toilets and approx. 1 km of urinals, 43 toilets for disabled people. All toilets can be used free of charge.

Review of the Oktoberfest 2018

Visitors: 6.3 million

Liters of beer served:	7.9 million
Roast chickens consumed:	436,492
Pairs of pork sausages:	193,501
Pork knuckles:	74,220
Oxen:	130
Calves:	27
Roasted almonds:	48,132 kg

Electricity consumption:	2,925,157 kW/h
Gas consumption:	200,937 m ³
Water consumption:	107,184 m ³

Residual waste:	986 tons
Food waste/bones:	511 tons
Broken glass:	66 tons

Lost and found: 2,952 items,
including 895 IDs and credit cards, 488 wallets/purses, 405 items of clothing, 392 cell phones, 322 sets of keys, 160 pairs of glasses, 135 items of jewelry and watches, 118 bags and backpacks, 32 umbrellas and 5 cameras/accessories.

Curiosities: a Tenor Horn, a lyre, a badminton racket, two luxury watches (Rolex and Nomos), two wedding rings of one couple, a hot-water bottle, a blood pressure monitor, a set of teeth, a packed traditional costume shirt, golden shoes, a brochure display stand, a lunch box of a delivery service, a laptop, a dog leash, a license plate of Munich, documents of a company-internal shooting match.

993 items were successfully returned to their rightful owners.



Number of visitors to the Oktoberfest since 1980

Year	Visitors (in millions)
1980	5.1
1981*	6.2
1982	5.8
1983	6.6
1984*	7.0
1985 (Anniversary Oktoberfest)	7.1
1986	6.7
1987*	6.5
1988	5.7
1989	6.2
1990*	6.7
1991	6.4
1992	5.9
1993*	6.5
1994	6.6
1995	6.7
1996*	6.9
1997	6.4
1998	6.5
1999	6.5
2000***	6.9
2001	5.5
2002	5.9
2003	6.3
2004*	5.9
2005****	6.1
2006*****	6.5
2007	6.2
2008*	6.0
2009	5.7
2010 (Anniversary Oktoberfest)	6.4
2011****(+ Oide Wiesn)	6.9
2012*	6.4
2013 (+ Oide Wiesn)	6.4
2014 (+ Oide Wiesn)	6.3
2015 (+ Oide Wiesn)	5.9
2016**	5.6
2017*****(+Oide Wiesn)	6.2
2018 (+ Oide Wiesn)	6,3



Food and beverage consumption since 1980

Year	Beer (hectoliter s)	Roast chickens	Pairs of pork sausages
1980	38 438	552 198	287 693
1981*	42 434	560 549	346 057
1982	43 323	587 157	277 850
1983	45 760	588 683	305 059
1984*	49 713	660 326	325 592
1985 (Anniversary Oktoberfest)	54 541	629 520	360 734
1986	53 807	698 137	337 755
1987*	52 817	732 859	349 594
1988	50 951	720 139	320 338
1989	51 241	775 674	320 573
1990*	54 300	750 947	303 352
1991	54 686	807 710	250 546
1992	48 888	725 612	190 536
1993	51 933	733 517	224 547
1994	52 108	663 135	215 369
1995	50 162	628 890	183 504
1996*	52 622	595 580	254 788
1997	55 891	699 562	210 268
1998	54 782	603 746	176 590
1999	60 054	609 661	152 025
2000***	64 591	681 242	235 474
2001	48 698	351 705	145 506
2002	57 614	459 259	219 410
2003	62 294	487 487	190 640
2004	61 163	481 649	179 890
2005****	61 012	479 610	179 560
2006*****	68 617	494 135	144 640
2007	69 406	521 872	142 253
2008*	64 922	459 356	116 758
2009	66 436	488 137	116 923
2010 (Anniversary Oktoberfest)	71 000	505 901	119 302
2011*** *(+ Oide Wiesn)	79 225	522 821	124 520
2012*	74 025	508 958	115 015
2013 (+ Oide Wiesn)	77 031	482 361	112 772
2014 (+ Oide Wiesn)	76 808	509 420	122 658
2015 (+ Oide Wiesn)	75 134	503 510	235 356



Year	Beer (hectoliter s)	Roast chickens	Pairs of pork sausages
2016**	66 231	366 878	151 857
2017***** (+Oide Wiesn)	77 836	466 747	103 267
2018 (+ Oide Wiesn)	78 705	436 492	193 501

* Scaled-down Oktoberfest together with Bavarian Central Agricultural Festival

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*** Scaled-down Oktoberfest together with Bavarian Central Agricultural Festival plus two extra days due to a national holiday on October 3 (Tuesday)

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2010: 200th anniversary Oktoberfest extended by two days

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