

## E-commerce exceeds 57.7 billion euros in Spain in 2021- up 11.7% from last year

**Madrid, 1 July 2022.** – E-commerce turnover in Spain has increased in the fourth quarter of 2021 with a year-on-year growth of 15.8% to total 16.916 billion euros, according to the latest e-commerce data available on the **CNMCData** website.

### QUARTERLY TREND IN E-COMMERCE TURNOVER AND YEAR-ON-YEAR VARIATION (millions of euros and percentage)

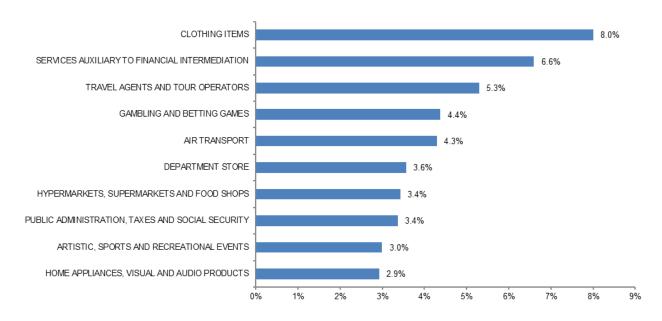


Source: CNMC

The activity sectors with the highest revenue were clothing, with 8.0% of the total turnover; followed by services auxiliary to financial intermediation, with 6.6%, and travel agencies taking third place with 5.3%.



# THE TEN AREAS OF ACTIVITY WITH THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE OF E-COMMERCE TURNOVER (IV-21, percentage)

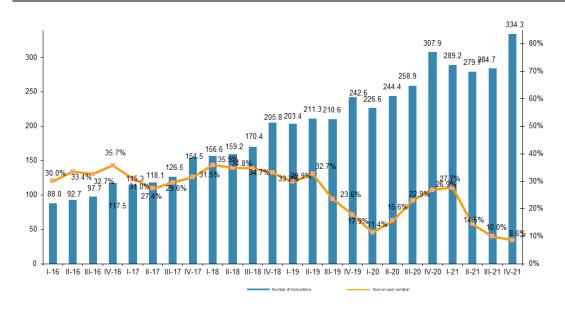


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As regards the number of transactions, in the fourth quarter of 2021 more than 334 million transactions were registered - up 8.6%. Gambling and betting games lead the ranking in terms of sales (7.3%).

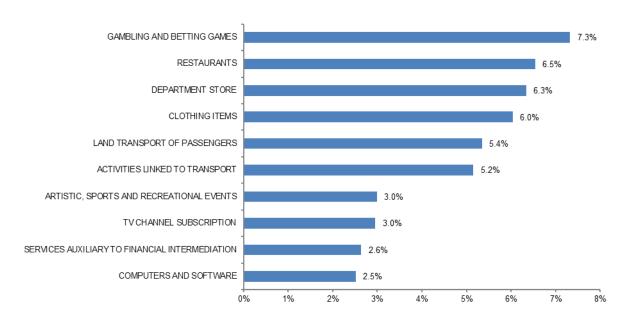


### QUARTERLY TREND IN THE NUMBER OF E-COMMERCE TRANSACTIONS AND YEAR-ON-YEAR VARIATION (millions of transactions and percentage)



Source: CNMC

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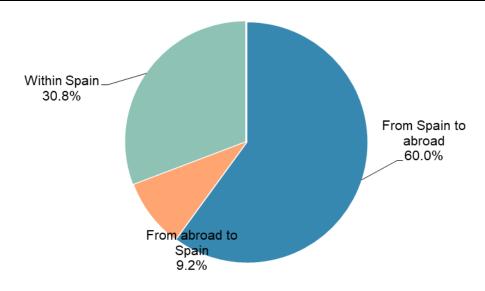


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In terms of geographical segmentation, 40.0% of the revenue from the fourth quarter of 2021 was to Spain. The remaining 60.0% corresponds to purchases originating in Spain carried out through foreign locations.

#### E-COMMERCE TURNOVER SEGMENTED GEOGRAPHICALLY (IV-21, percentage)



Source: CNMC

The external balance (the difference between what is purchased in Spain from foreign locations and what is purchased from Spain to foreign locations) shows a deficit of 8.601 billion euros.



## QUARTERLY TREND IN E-COMMERCE TURNOVER SEGMENTED GEOGRAPHICALLY (millions of euros)

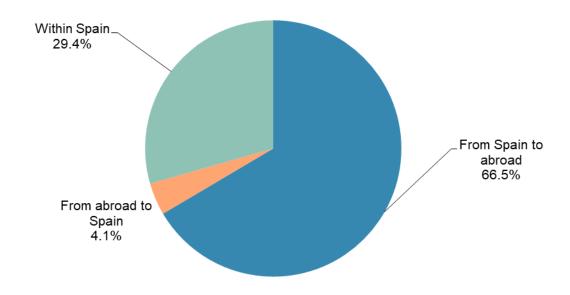


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Broken down into number of transactions, 33.5% of sales were registered in Spain and 66.5% abroad.



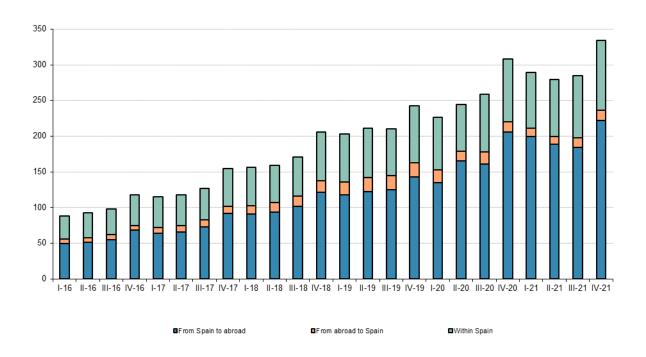
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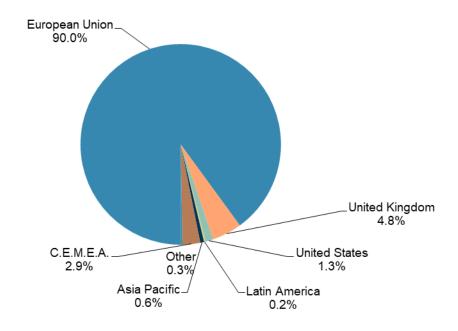


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The turnover of transactions originating in Spain that were sent to foreign locations totalled 10.156 billion euros - up 14.0% on the figure from the fourth quarter of the previous year. 90.0% of purchases from Spain with destinations in foreign locations was sent to businesses within the European Union.



# E-COMMERCE TURNOVER FROM SPAIN TO FOREIGN LOCATIONS BY GEOGRAPHICAL AREA (IV-21, percentage)

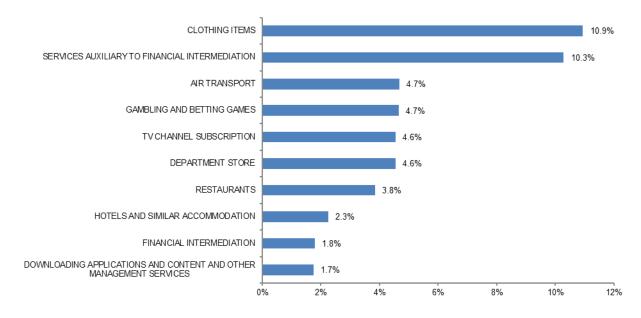


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The areas of activity with the greatest turnover from Spain sent to foreign locations are clothing (with 10.9%), services auxiliary to financial intermediation (10.3%), and air transport (4.7%).



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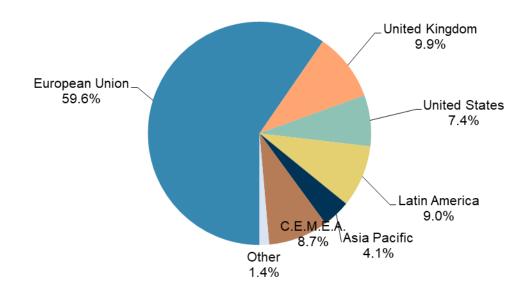


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Meanwhile, transactions from foreign locations to Spain have reached a turnover of 1,556 million euros - up 27.7% on the figure from the fourth quarter of the previous year. 59.6% of purchases from foreign locations originated in countries within the European Union.



DISTRIBUTION OF E-COMMERCE TURNOVER FROM FOREIGN LOCATIONS TO SPAIN BY GEOGRAPHICAL AREA (IV-21, percentage)

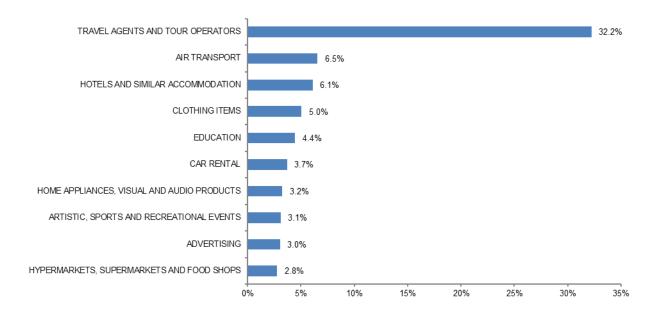


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Furthermore, areas of activity related with the tourism sector (including travel agencies, air transport, land transport, car rental and hotels) account for 50.2% of the purchases to Spain from foreign locations.



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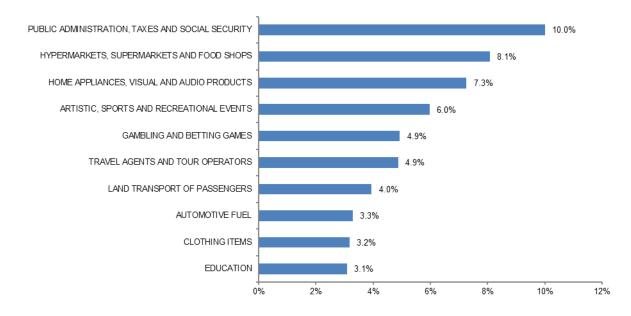


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Revenue from e-commerce within Spain experienced a year-on-year increase of 16.0%, reaching 5.204 billion euros. Public administration, taxes and social security accounts for 10.0% of turnover within Spain, followed by hypermarkets and supermarkets (8.1%).



# THE TEN AREAS OF ACTIVITY WITH THE HIGHEST PERCENTAGE OF E-COMMERCE TURNOVER WITHIN SPAIN (IV-21, percentage)



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More data on **CNMCData**.