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Cities marked in blue are those whose countries were excluded from the Government safe travel list as at 27 August 2020



	1 L'VIV Ukraine	2 TIRANA Albania	3 BUCHAREST Romania	4 BELGRADE Serbia	5 VILNIUS Lithuania
Cup of coffee (regular filter)	£1.36	£0.74	£2.21	£1.43	£1.83
Bottle of beer/lager (330ml)	£1.72	£2.22	£2.61	£2.05	£2.29
Coca-Cola/Pepsi (330ml bottle/can)	£1.02	£1.33	£1.86	£1.71	£1.83
Glass of wine (175ml house)	£2.12	£2.22	£3.81	£2.59	£3.30
3 course evening meal for 2 with bottle of house wine	£34.15	£46.09	£47.01	£37.91	£47.95
Return bus or train transfer from airport to city centre	£1.13	£4.44	£2.01	£4.68	£1.83
48-hour travel card	£1.13	£1.78	£3.21	£3.90	£7.33
Sightseeing city bus tour	£4.24	£17.22	£5.01	£6.23	£10.09
Top tourist heritage attraction	£1.13 Radusha Tower	£0.00 St Nicholas Church	£8.02 Parliament Palace	£3.51 Belgrade Fortress	£0.00 Church of St Anne
Top museum	£1.41 Andriy Sheptytsky National Museum	£3.69 National Hiistorical Museum	£2.01 Theodor Pallady Museum	£2.34 National Museum	£7.33 National Museum
Top art gallery	£2.55 Potocki Palace Gallery	£1.48 National Gallery of Arts	£3.01 National Art Gallery	£1.56 Zepter Museum	£4.58 National Gallery of Art
COST OF LIVING	£51.96	£81.21	£80.77	£67.91	£88.36
2 nights' 3* accommodation (weekend) for 2 adults	£75.00	£61.00	£72.00	£89.00	£78.00
TOTAL COSTS	£126.96	£142.21	£152.77	£156.91	£166.36
August 2020 vs August 2019 % +/-	N/A	N/A	-10.2%	+2.9%	+10.9%
August 2020 vs March 2020 %+/-	-20.8%	-5.4%	-12.0%	-14.0%	-5.1%

	6 WARSAW Poland	7 KATOWICE Poland	8 ZAGREB Croatia	9 RIGA Latvia	10 LISBON Portugal
Cup of coffee (regular filter)	£2.15	£2.15	£1.52	£2.66	£1.38
Bottle of beer/lager (330ml)	£1.74	£1.96	£1.90	£4.13	£1.83
Coca-Cola/Pepsi (330ml bottle/can)	£1.52	£1.96	£1.90	£2.20	£2.06
Glass of wine (175ml house)	£1.96	£3.26	£3.30	£3.85	£3.21
3 course evening meal for 2 with bottle of house wine	£44.14	£55.45	£59.67	£71.15	£47.68
Return bus or train transfer from airport to city centre	£1.91	£1.74	£5.08	£1.83	£5.50
48-hour travel card	£5.22	£3.04	£3.05	£9.17	£12.19
Sightseeing city bus tour	£13.05	£9.57	£14.60	£18.34	£15.59
Top tourist heritage attraction	£6.52 Royal Castle	£2.17 Open Air Museum	£0.00 Zagreb Cathedral	£2.75 Dome Cathedral	£9.17 Jerónimos Monastery
Top museum	£5.87 Polin Museum	£5.22 Silesian Museum	£5.08 Museum of Broken Relationships	£4.58 Museum of History & Navigation	£9.17 Gulbenkian Museum
Top art gallery	£4.35 National Art Museum	£1.52 BWA Art Gallery	£5.08 Modern Gallery	£3.21 Latvian National Museum of Art	£4.58 Berardo Collection
COST OF LIVING	£88.43	£88.04	£101.18	£123.87	£112.36
2 nights' 3* accommodation (weekend) for 2 adults	£79.00	£82.00	£80.00	£66.00	£80.00
TOTAL COSTS	£167.43	£170.04	£181.18	£189.87	£192.36
August 2020 vs August 2019 % +/-	-0.6%	N/A	N/A	+5.2%	-8.4%
August 2020 vs March 2020 %+/-	-0.9%	+4.9%	+0.9%	-5.7%	-12.8%

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	11 MOSCOW Russia	12 BUDAPEST Hungary	13 PORTO Portugal	14 BRATISLAVA Slovakia	15 KRAKOW Poland
Cup of coffee (regular filter)	£2.26	£1.88	£0.92	£1.83	£2.16
Bottle of beer/lager (330ml)	£3.45	£2.44	£1.83	£2.29	£2.18
Coca-Cola/Pepsi (330ml bottle/can)	£1.98	£1.61	£1.83	£2.38	£1.96
Glass of wine (175ml house)	£3.53	£2.72	£3.67	£2.75	£4.35
3 course evening meal for 2 with bottle of house wine	£51.54	£57.09	£55.01	£55.65	£86.66
Return bus or train transfer from airport to city centre	£10.58	£4.99	£3.67	£1.65	£3.92
48-hour travel card	£4.70	£9.15	£12.84	£6.42	£5.23
Sightseeing city bus tour	£27.04	£26.33	£16.50	£11.00	£13.06
Top tourist heritage attraction	£5.88 St Basil's Cathedral	£4.99 Matthias Church	£10.09 Palácio da Bolsa	£8.16 UFO Tower	£4.35 Wawel Royal Castle State Rooms
Top museum	£8.23 Kremlin Museum	£7.21 Hungarian National Museum	£2.02 Casa do Infante	£9.17 Bratislava Castle	£4.57 Rynek Underground
Top art gallery	£4.70 Pushkin Museum of Fine Arts	£8.87 Hungarian National Gallery	£11.00 Fundacao Serralves	£4.58 Nedbalka Gallery	£3.48 Sukiennice 19th Century Polish Art Gallery
COST OF LIVING	£123.89	£127.28	£119.38	£105.88	£131.92
2 nights' 3* accommodation (weekend) for 2 adults	£70.00	£72.00	£80.00	£101.00	£75.00
TOTAL COSTS	£193.89	£199.28	£199.38	£206.88	£206.92
August 2020 vs August 2019 % +/-	-9.1%	+1.0%	+12.9%	+11.5%	-0.7%
August 2020 vs March 2020 %+/-	-10.7%	-7.5%	-10.4%	-6.8%	-6.6%

	16 PRAGUE Czech Republic	17 LILE France	18 STRASBOURG France	19 TALLINN Estonia	20 ATHENS Greece
Cup of coffee (regular filter)	£2.34	£2.93	£2.02	£2.20	£3.21
Bottle of beer/lager (330ml)	£1.71	£5.41	£4.13	£5.00	£3.90
Coca-Cola/Pepsi (330ml bottle/can)	£1.78	£3.58	£3.30	£2.84	£2.75
Glass of wine (175ml house)	£1.78	£3.76	£5.04	£5.41	£3.67
3 course evening meal for 2 with bottle of house wine	£41.45	£60.97	£71.51	£69.91	£57.76
Return bus or train transfer from airport to city centre	£4.45	£9.17	£4.13	£3.67	£11.00
48-hour travel card	£8.16	£8.07	£8.43	£8.25	£7.52
Sightseeing city bus tour	£14.84	£12.84	£12.38	£22.92	£18.34
Top tourist heritage attraction	£12.99 Prague Castle	£0.00 Grand Place/Vieille Bourse (Old Stock Exchange)	£0.00 Cathédrale Notre Dame de Strasbourg	£7.33 St Nicholas Church	£18.34 Rock of Acropolis
Top museum	£7.42 National Museum	£6.42 Palais des Beaux Arts de Lille	£3.21 Alsatian Museum	£13.75 Seaplane Harbour	£9.17 The Acropolis Museum
Top art gallery	£18.55 National Gallery, Kinsky Palace	£6.42 LaM Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art	£3.21 Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art	£9.17 Kumu Art Museum	£4.58 National Museum of Contemporary Art
COST OF LIVING	£115.47	£119.57	£117.36	£150.45	£140.24
2 nights' 3* accommodation (weekend) for 2 adults	£92.00	£98.00	£114.00	£85.00	£99.00
TOTAL COSTS	£207.47	£217.57	£231.36	£235.45	£239.24
August 2020 vs August 2019 % +/-	+7.8%	-15.1%	+6.7%	-0.6%	+17.0%
August 2020 vs March 2020 %+/-	-16.7%	-4.9%	-4.5%	-14.4%	+8.4%

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	21 TOULOUSE France	22 BELFAST N.Ireland	23 DUBROVNIK Croatia	24 ROME Italy	25 NICE France
Cup of coffee (regular filter)	£1.83	£2.45	£2.54	£2.29	£2.29
Bottle of beer/lager (330ml)	£3.67	£4.00	£5.33	£5.04	£3.67
Coca-Cola/Pepsi (330ml bottle/can)	£3.21	£2.10	£4.06	£3.21	£2.29
Glass of wine (175ml house)	£4.58	£5.35	£4.95	£4.77	£3.67
3 course evening meal for 2 with bottle of house wine	£70.60	£76.85	£71.48	£60.51	£72.34
Return bus or train transfer from airport to city centre	£3.12	£4.00	£10.16	£8.25	£2.75
48-hour travel card	£11.19	£4.40	£7.62	£11.46	£9.17
Sightseeing city bus tour	£12.84	£11.50	£7.62	£12.84	£21.09
Top tourist heritage attraction	£19.71 Cité de l'espace	£19.00 Titanic Belfast	£25.39 Dubrovnik City Walls	£14.67 Colosseum	£5.50 Massena Museum
Top museum	£8.25 Natural History Museum	£0.00 Ulster Museum	£12.70 The Rector's Palace	£15.59 Vatican Museum	£9.17 Matisse Museum
Top art gallery	£3.67 Musée des Augustins	£0.00 Metropolitan Arts Centre	£16.51 Gallery of Contemporary Art	£11.92 Borghese Gallery	£0.00 Villa Arson
COST OF LIVING	£142.67	£129.65	£168.36	£150.55	£131.94
2 nights' 3* accommodation (weekend) for 2 adults	£108.00	£123.00	£89.00	£115.00	£134.00
TOTAL COSTS	£250.67	£252.65	£257.36	£265.55	£265.94
August 2020 vs August 2019 % +/-	+5.6%	-23.7%	+16.9%	-1.0%	+20.3%
August 2020 vs March 2020 %+/-	+1.1%	-25.2%	+1.0%	-20.4%	+1.8%

	26 MILAN Italy	27 LJUBLJANA Slovenia	28 PALMA Majorca	29 EDINBURGH Scotland	30 CARDIFF Wales
Cup of coffee (regular filter)	£1.83	£1.65	£1.88	£2.80	£1.75
Bottle of beer/lager (330ml)	£5.23	£2.48	£2.84	£4.95	£4.45
Coca-Cola/Pepsi (330ml bottle/can)	£3.21	£2.29	£1.93	£2.95	£2.50
Glass of wine (175ml house)	£4.58	£1.83	£3.21	£4.75	£4.25
3 course evening meal for 2 with bottle of house wine	£71.66	£75.18	£54.83	£70.80	£59.00
Return bus or train transfer from airport to city centre	£18.34	£7.52	£9.17	£9.00	£8.00
48-hour travel card	£11.00	£8.99	£13.75	£24.00	£8.00
Sightseeing city bus tour	£9.17	£7.33	£16.50	£16.00	£14.00
Top tourist heritage attraction	£2.75 Duomo di Milano	£9.17 Ljubljana Castle	£6.42 Palma Cathedral	£15.50 Edinburgh Castle	£14.50 Cardiff Castle
Top museum	£4.58 Castello Sforzesco	£7.79 Museum of Illusions	£0.00 Musee Fondacion Juan March	£0.00 National Museum of Scotland	£0.00 St Fagans National Museum of History
Top art gallery	£0.00 Pinacoteca di Brera	£6.42 National Gallery of Slovenia	£5.50 Es Baluard	£0.00 National Galleries of Scotland	£0.00 National Museum Cardiff
COST OF LIVING	£132.35	£130.65	£116.03	£150.75	£116.45
2 nights' 3* accommodation (weekend) for 2 adults	£134.00	£136.00	£151.00	£118.00	£157.00
TOTAL COSTS	£266.35	£266.65	£267.03	£268.75	£273.45
August 2020 vs August 2019 % +/-	N/A	+9.3%	-9.1%	-9.9%	-7.1%
August 2020 vs March 2020 %+/-	-18.7%	-13.1%	-6.5%	-19.0%	-6.1%

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	31 VERONA Italy	32 BERLIN Germany	33 MADRID Spain	34 BARCELONA Spain	35 ANTWERP Belgium
Cup of coffee (regular filter)	£2.20	£2.75	£1.70	£1.65	£2.93
Bottle of beer/lager (330ml)	£4.66	£3.21	£2.98	£2.68	£2.57
Coca-Cola/Pepsi (330ml bottle/can)	£3.14	£2.66	£2.61	£2.46	£2.48
Glass of wine (175ml house)	£3.19	£4.58	£2.75	£2.86	£3.67
3 course evening meal for 2 with bottle of house wine	£61.43	£84.35	£62.76	£59.70	£86.18
Return bus or train transfer from airport to city centre	£11.00	£5.12	£9.17	£8.25	£10.82
48-hour travel card	£7.33	£21.09	£13.02	£14.94	£13.75
Sightseeing city bus tour	£9.17	£25.67	£20.17	£27.51	£14.67
Top tourist heritage attraction	£5.50 Juliet's House	£0.00 Brandenburg Gate	£9.17 Royal Palace	£18.34 Sagrada Familia	£7.33 Cathedral of Our Lady
Top museum	£4.13 Museo di Storia Naturale	£7.33 Natural History Museum	£2.75 Prado Museum	£11.00 Museu Picasso	£7.33 Rubens House
Top art gallery	£3.67 Achille Forti Modern Art Gallery	£9.17 Alte Nationalgalerie	£6.88 Thyssen Museum	£11.92 Joan Miró Museum	£11.00 The Museum of Contemporary Art
COST OF LIVING	£115.42	£165.93	£133.96	£161.31	£162.73
2 nights' 3* accommodation (weekend) for 2 adults	£164.00	£115.00	£159.00	£152.00	£153.00
TOTAL COSTS	£279.42	£280.93	£292.96	£313.31	£315.73
August 2020 vs August 2019 % +/-	-3.8%	+9.4%	-8.8%	-12.0%	-13.9%
August 2020 vs March 2020 %+/-	-17.8%	-5.3%	-7.9%	-19.2%	+2.6%

	36 LONDON England	37 VIENNA Austria	38 DUBLIN Ireland	39 GALWAY CITY Ireland	40 VENICE Italy
Cup of coffee (regular filter)	£2.66	£3.03	£2.29	£2.38	£2.75
Bottle of beer/lager (330ml)	£4.49	£2.75	£5.32	£5.13	£5.04
Coca-Cola/Pepsi (330ml bottle/can)	£2.82	£3.03	£2.75	£2.84	£3.90
Glass of wine (175ml house)	£5.06	£3.12	£6.33	£5.96	£4.58
3 course evening meal for 2 with bottle of house wine	£63.13	£74.63	£95.35	£71.33	£91.30
Return bus or train transfer from airport to city centre	£12.00	£7.70	£10.09	£21.09	£13.75
48-hour travel card	£27.00	£12.93	£18.34	£4.40	£27.51
Sightseeing city bus tour	£30.00	£22.92	£18.15	£11.00	£16.50
Top tourist heritage attraction	£25.00 Tower of London	£16.50 Schönbrunn Palace	£7.33 Kilmainham Gaol	£4.58 Nora Barnacle House	£0.00 St Mark's Square
Top museum	£0.00 British Museum	£14.67 Kunsthistorisches Museum	£0.00 National Museum of Ireland	£0.00 Galway City Museum	£22.92 Doge Palace Museum
Top art gallery	£0.00 National Gallery	£15.49 Albertina	£0.00 National Gallery of Ireland	£0.00 Galway Arts Centre	£11.00 Gallerie dell'Accademia
COST OF LIVING	£172.16	£176.77	£165.95	£128.71	£199.25
2 nights' 3* accommodation (weekend) for 2 adults	£146.00	£117.00	£158.00	£205.00	£157.00
TOTAL COSTS	£318.16	£293.77	£323.95	£333.71	£356.25
August 2020 vs August 2019 % +/-	-14.4%	+5.5	-19.3%	N/A	+8.1%
August 2020 vs March 2020 %+/-	-13.2%	-10.6%	-25.5%	-22.0%	-6.6%

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	41 OSLO Norway	42 PARIS France	43 BRUGES Belgium	44 REYKJAVIK Iceland	45 STOCKHOLM Sweden
Cup of coffee (regular filter)	£4.17	£3.39	£2.75	£3.23	£2.74
Bottle of beer/lager (330ml)	£10.65	£5.78	£3.21	£6.43	£7.21
Coca-Cola/Pepsi (330ml bottle/can)	£3.55	£4.49	£2.75	£3.20	£3.56
Glass of wine (175ml house)	£7.99	£4.31	£4.58	£7.38	£10.04
3 course evening meal for 2 with bottle of house wine	£119.29	£81.60	£73.35	£91.93	£116.39
Return bus or train transfer from airport to city centre	£23.88	£18.89	£39.42	£23.63	£7.12
48-hour travel card	£9.85	£19.71	£14.67	£27.07	£28.30
Sightseeing city bus tour	£19.70	£14.67	£18.34	£24.61	£31.04
Top tourist heritage attraction	£14.20 Norwegian Folk Museum	£11.92 Notre Dame	£11.00 Belfry Tower	£10.71 The Settlement Exhibition	£12.78 Drottningholm Palace
Top museum	£10.65 Munch Museum	£13.75 The Louvre	£11.00 Gruuthuse Museum	£12.31 National Musuem of Iceland	£15.52 Vasa Museum
Top art gallery	£11.54 Astrup Fernely Art Gallery	£12.84 Centre Pompidou	£11.00 Groeninge Museum	£11.32 Reykjavík Art Museum	£0.00 Moderna Museet
COST OF LIVING	£235.47	£191.35	£192.07	£221.82	£234.70
2 nights' 3* accommodation (weekend) for 2 adults	£129.00	£177.00	£179.00	£153.00	£144.00
TOTAL COSTS	£364.47	£368.35	£371.07	£374.82	£378.70
August 2020 vs August 2019 % +/-	-25.6%	+11.2%	+2.3%	-25.6%	-5.3%
August 2020 vs March 2020 %+/-	-6.8%	-13.7%	-12.0%	-7.4%	-7.1%

	46 HELSINKI Finland	47 GENEVA Switzerland	48 COPENHAGEN Denmark	49 AMSTERDAM Holland	50 ZURICH Switzerland
Cup of coffee (regular filter)	£3.21	£3.03	£3.18	£2.38	£4.06
Bottle of beer/lager (330ml)	£6.88	£4.32	£4.45	£3.67	£4.93
Coca-Cola/Pepsi (330ml bottle/can)	£3.21	£4.32	£3.81	£2.93	£4.32
Glass of wine (175ml house)	£11.00	£6.05	£8.26	£3.94	£5.38
3 course evening meal for 2 with bottle of house wine	£110.94	£108.04	£114.37	£72.80	£120.94
Return bus or train transfer from airport to city centre	£7.52	£0.00	£4.57	£8.25	£11.75
48-hour travel card	£11.00	£0.00	£19.06	£12.38	£15.21
Sightseeing city bus tour	£29.34	£21.61	£20.08	£19.25	£29.39
Top tourist heritage attraction	£7.33 Suomenlinna Museum	£15.56 St Peter's Cathedral	£0.00 The Little Mermaid Statue	£15.13 100 highlights canal cruise	£0.00 Altstadt
Top museum	£13.75 Amos Rex Museum	£12.96 International Red Cross Museum	£12.71 National Museum of Denmark	£17.42 Van Gogh Museum	£8.64 Swiss National Museum
Top art gallery	£15.59 Ateneum Art Museum	£12.96 Mamco Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art	£15.25 National Gallery of Denmark	£18.34 Rijksmuseum	£22.47 Kunsthaus Zurich
COST OF LIVING	£219.77	£188.85	£205.74	£176.49	£227.09
2 nights' 3* accommodation (weekend) for 2 adults	£165.00	£203.00	£189.00	£222.00	£193.00
TOTAL COSTS	£384.77	£391.85	£394.74	£398.49	£420.09
August 2020 vs August 2019 % +/-	-15.0%	+12.4%	-4.7%	-12.0%	+2.8%
August 2020 vs March 2020 %+/-	-8.8%	-7.0%	-7.6%	-32.4%	-8.1%

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