

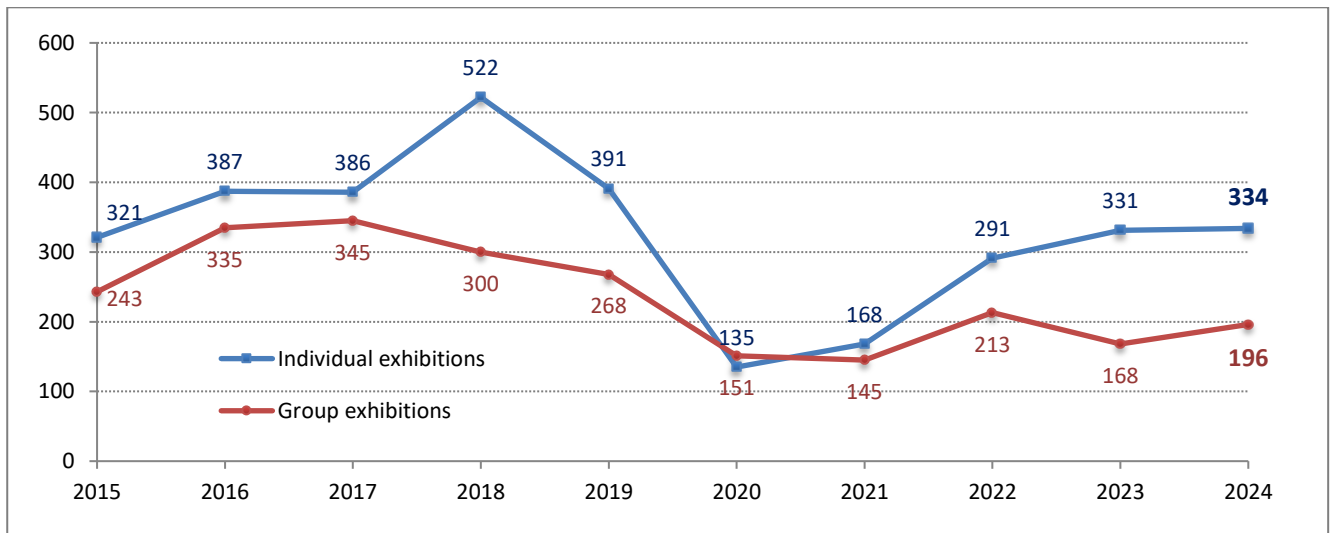


## SURVEY ON ART GALLERIES, 2024

The Hellenic Statistical Authority (ELSTAT) announces the data of the Survey on Art Galleries, conducted for the year 2024. According to data derived from the survey, the following are observed:

- The number of individual exhibitions amounted to 334, over 331 during the previous year, recording an increase of 0.9% (Table 1, Graph 1).  
Painting exhibitions account for the majority of individual exhibitions, namely for the 51.2%, followed by combined exhibitions which account for 20.4% and photography exhibitions for 10.5% (Table 1, Graphs 2 and 3).
- The number of group exhibitions amounted to 196 over 168 during the previous year, recording an increase of 16.7% (Table 2, Graph 1).  
Combined exhibitions account for the majority of the group exhibitions, namely for the 45.9% followed by painting exhibitions which account for 24.0% and photography exhibitions for 11.7% (Table 2, Graphs 4 and 5).
- The number of art works exhibited in individual and group exhibitions during 2024, amounted to 14,578 and 15,036 accordingly, recording an increase of 10.1% for individual exhibitions and of 46.1% for group exhibitions, when compared to the previous year (Tables 3 and 4).

**Graph 1: Total Number of Individual and Group exhibitions, 2015-2024**



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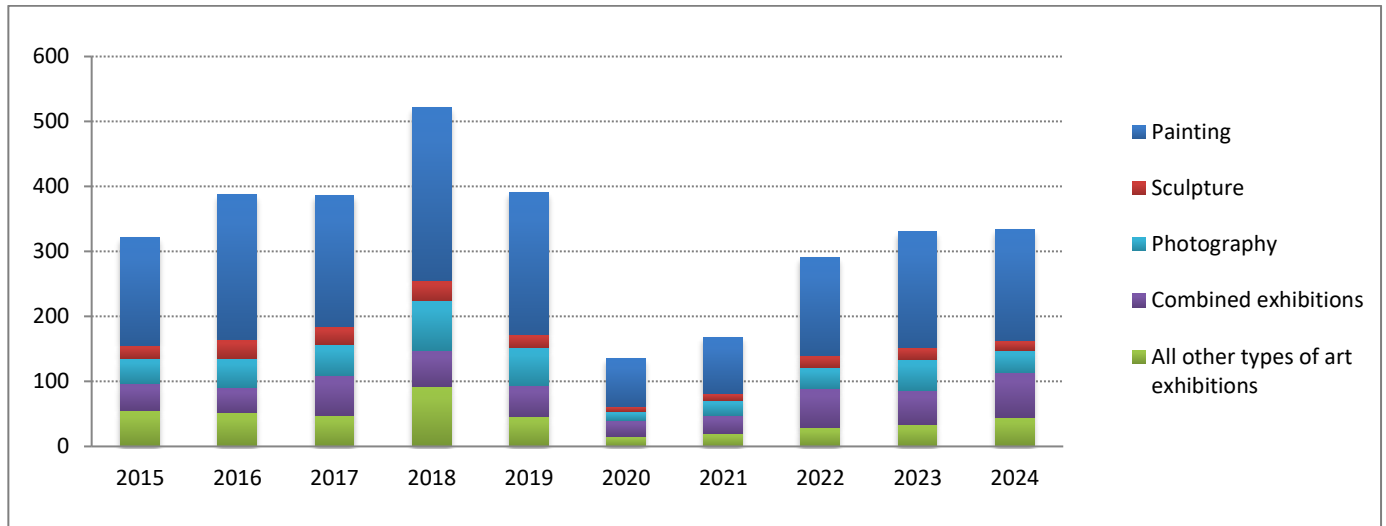
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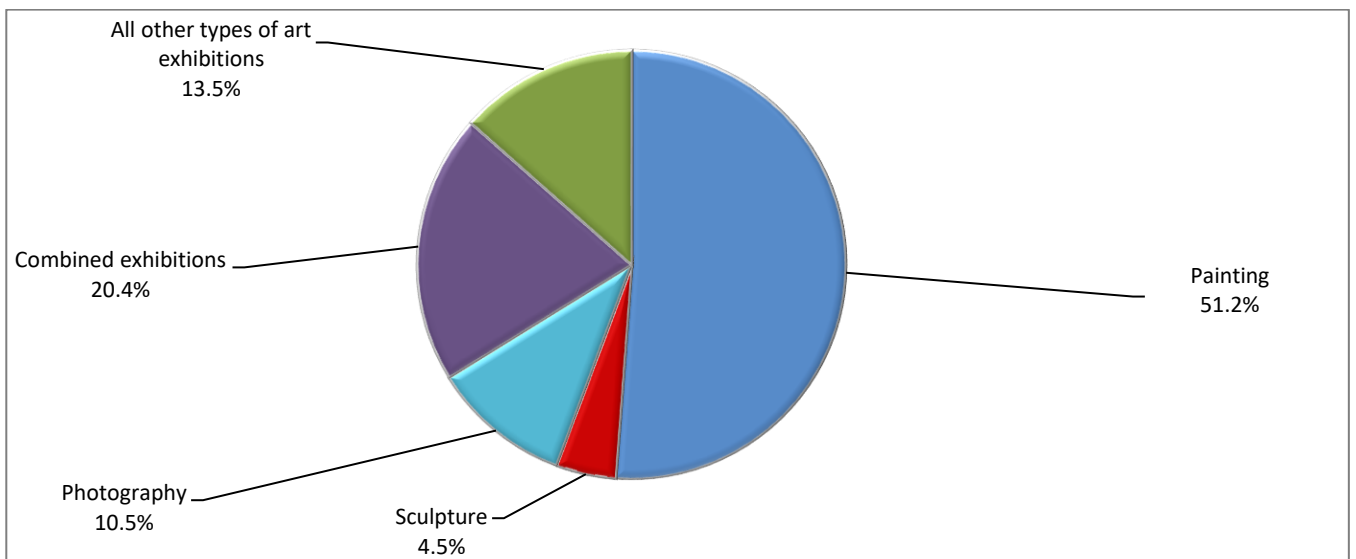
**Table 1: Individual exhibitions by type of art exhibition, 2015-2024**

Type of art exhibition	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Painting	165	222	202	267	218	73	86	151	178	171
Sculpture	20	30	27	31	21	8	11	18	19	15
Engraving	12	11	8	11	18	2	2	4	5	7
Decorative arts	2	1	1	2	3	0	0	2	1	4
Photography	39	45	48	76	59	14	23	33	48	35
Pottery	1	1	2	4	2	1	1	1	4	3
Technology	3	3	7	10	2	0	3	0	4	3
Construction	14	12	9	13	9	3	3	5	10	12
Stamps	5	3	7	5	0	1	0	0	0	3
Combined exhibitions	41	38	61	56	47	24	28	60	52	68
Other	19	21	14	47	12	9	11	17	10	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>334</b>

**Graph 2: Individual exhibitions by type of art exhibition, 2015-2024**



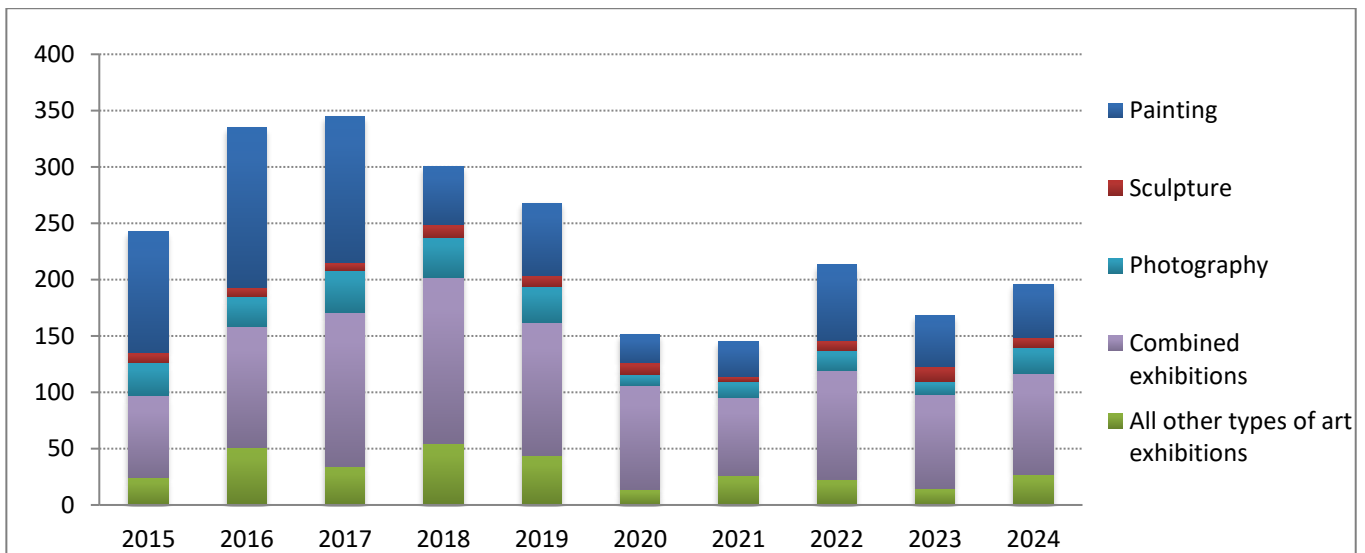
**Graph 3: Percentage (%) distribution of Individual exhibitions by type of art exhibition, 2024**



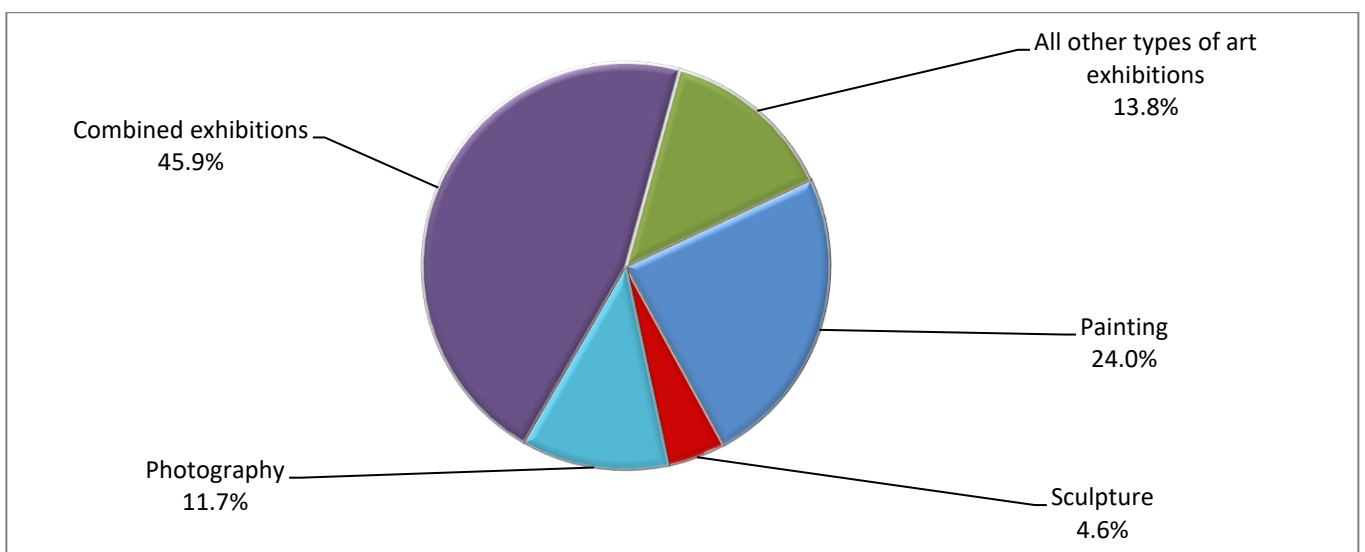
**Table 2: Group exhibitions by type of art exhibition, 2015-2024**

Type of art exhibition	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Painting	108	142	130	51	64	25	31	67	45	47
Sculpture	9	8	7	12	10	10	4	9	13	9
Engraving	3	14	5	7	7	2	1	5	2	2
Decorative arts	0	3	0	1	2	0	2	1	0	4
Photography	29	27	37	35	32	10	15	18	12	23
Pottery	2	2	4	2	4	2	6	4	4	6
Technology	1	5	0	0	1	0	1	3	1	5
Construction	1	1	10	7	2	2	2	2	3	5
Stamps	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Combined exhibitions	73	107	137	147	118	92	69	96	83	90
Other	17	23	12	38	28	8	14	8	5	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>196</b>

**Graph 4: Group exhibitions by type of art exhibition, 2015-2024**



**Graph 5: Percentage (%) distribution of Group exhibitions by type of art exhibition, 2024**



**Table 3: Number of art works of Individual exhibitions by type of art exhibition, 2022-2024**

Type of art exhibition	2022	2023	2024
Painting	6,280	7,041	6,603
Sculpture	598	383	346
Engraving	118	309	323
Decorative arts	55	70	306
Photography	1,796	2,376	1,435
Pottery	10	132	102
Technology	0	21	35
Construction	44	227	304
Stamps	0	0	84
Combined exhibitions	2,584	2,370	3,305
Other	522	308	1,735
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,007</b>	<b>13,237</b>	<b>14,578</b>

**Table 4: Number of artists and art works of Group exhibitions by type of art exhibition, 2022-2024**

Type of art exhibition	2022		2023		2023	
	Artists	Art works	Artists	Art works	Artists	Art works
Painting	732	3,325	1,007	3,225	990	2,833
Sculpture	118	471	165	998	68	499
Engraving	170	315	10	205	404	770
Decorative arts	2	10	0	0	52	349
Photography	436	1,388	262	773	847	2,474
Pottery	61	79	206	281	155	306
Technology	16	29	2	2	98	174
Construction	51	52	9	18	340	264
Stamps	0	0	0	0	0	0
Combined exhibitions	2,409	6,596	1,976	4,438	2,135	6,752
Other	272	453	336	355	176	615
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,267</b>	<b>12,718</b>	<b>3,973</b>	<b>10,295</b>	<b>5,265</b>	<b>15,036</b>

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

<b>Survey on Art Galleries</b>	<p>The Survey on Art Galleries is conducted since 1979 and it collects data from art galleries pertaining to the individual and group exhibitions that were held, as well as data on the number of artists that participated in such exhibitions.</p> <p>The survey records individual and group exhibitions held in art galleries and other places of art and more specifically, data on the number of individual and group exhibitions, by type of artwork exposed (painting, sculpture, photography etc.), on the number of works of art and the number of artists.</p>
<b>Legal framework</b>	<p>The survey is conducted by virtue of the Law 3832/2010, as amended and in force.</p>
<b>Reference period</b>	<p>The year 2024.</p>
<b>Methodology</b>	<p>It is a census survey, carried out by means of questionnaires transmitted electronically, which are completed by the Art Galleries.</p>
<b>References</b>	<p>More information on the Survey on Art Galleries are available on the website of the Hellenic Statistical Authority (<a href="http://www.statistics.gr">www.statistics.gr</a>) at: <a href="https://www.statistics.gr/en/statistics/-/publication/SCI03/">https://www.statistics.gr/en/statistics/-/publication/SCI03/</a></p>