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Table 1

Estimated Number of International Travellers Entering or Returning to Canada

Type of transportation	May			January-May		
	2001	2002	Change 2002	2001	2002	Change 2002
			%			%
Number of trips by non-residents¹						
United States residents	3,897,711	3,508,501	-10.0	15,193,092	13,529,691	-10.9
Automobile	3,126,102	2,822,833	-9.7	12,733,062	11,357,382	-10.8
Same day	2,343,181	1,962,013	-16.3	10,058,506	8,459,883	-15.9
One or more nights	782,921	860,820	9.9	2,674,556	2,897,499	8.3
Plane	379,704	357,729	-5.8	1,464,213	1,362,669	-6.9
Bus	210,099	178,986	-14.8	637,367	538,173	-15.6
Train, boat and other methods	181,806	148,953	-18.1	358,450	271,467	-24.3
All other countries residents	396,226	343,103	-13.4	1,321,714	1,155,044	-12.6
Direct	243,523	219,393	-9.9	853,204	752,646	-11.8
Via the United States ²	152,703	123,710	-19.0	468,510	402,398	-14.1
Total non-residents	4,293,937	3,851,604	-10.3	16,514,806	14,684,735	-11.1
Number of trips by residents of Canada¹						
Returning from the United States	3,506,538	2,962,295	-15.5	16,159,524	13,397,713	-17.1
Automobile	2,843,516	2,430,784	-14.5	12,830,339	10,773,295	-16.0
Same day	2,234,039	1,806,300	-19.1	10,089,539	8,086,205	-19.9
One or more nights	609,477	624,484	2.5	2,740,800	2,687,090	-2.0
Plane	438,167	365,860	-16.5	2,549,174	2,012,484	-21.1
Bus	134,564	100,959	-25.0	555,504	442,964	-20.3
Train, boat and other methods	90,291	64,692	-28.4	224,507	168,970	-24.7
Returning from all other countries	367,422	355,052	-3.4	2,477,787	2,239,289	-9.6
Direct	313,466	306,374	-2.3	2,082,703	1,890,595	-9.2
Via the United States ²	53,956	48,678	-9.8	395,084	348,694	-11.7
Total residents	3,873,960	3,317,347	-14.4	18,637,311	15,637,002	-16.1
Total¹	8,167,897	7,168,951	-12.2	35,152,117	30,321,737	-13.7

¹ Excludes immigrants, former residents, military personnel, diplomats and crews.

² Travellers entering or re-entering through or by way of the United States.

Source: Reports of entries and re-entries from border offices of the Canadian Customs and Revenue Agency.

Table 2

Estimated Number of One or More Nights Trips to Canada, by Non-residents, by Province of Entry

Categories of travellers	Nfld.Lab.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Qué.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Yukon	Canada
May												
United States												
Automobile												
2001	...	...	2,703	22,169	84,542	454,093	17,337	5,285	13,784	175,852	7,156	782,921
2002	...	...	3,825	23,491	100,892	510,578	18,575	5,737	14,382	175,438	7,902	860,820
Per cent	...	...	41.5	6.0	19.3	12.4	7.1	8.6	4.3	-0.2	10.4	9.9
Non-automobile												
2001	1,073	16	21,409	3,320	80,095	252,150	6,105	2,849	28,831	150,402	4,994	551,244
2002	213	20	17,341	2,262	78,525	206,198	6,948	2,862	29,173	146,460	2,977	492,979
Per cent	-80.1	25.0	-19.0	-31.9	-2.0	-18.2	13.8	0.5	1.2	-2.6	-40.4	-10.6
Total												
2001	1,073	16	24,112	25,489	164,637	706,243	23,442	8,134	42,615	326,254	12,150	1,334,165
2002	213	20	21,166	25,753	179,417	716,776	25,523	8,599	43,555	321,898	10,879	1,353,799
Per cent	-80.1	25.0	-12.2	1.0	9.0	1.5	8.9	5.7	2.2	-1.3	-10.5	1.5
Other countries ¹												
2001	2,272	2	8,098	310	56,971	152,192	669	275	22,846	130,238	1,728	375,601
2002	2,280	0	4,182	370	50,172	127,932	683	264	18,811	125,573	1,143	331,410
Per cent	0.4	-100.0	-48.4	19.4	-11.9	-15.9	2.1	-4.0	-17.7	-3.6	-33.9	-11.8
Total												
2001	3,345	18	32,210	25,799	221,608	858,435	24,111	8,409	65,461	456,492	13,878	1,709,766
2002	2,493	20	25,348	26,123	229,589	844,708	26,206	8,863	62,366	447,471	12,022	1,685,209
Per cent	-25.5	11.1	-21.3	1.3	3.6	-1.6	8.7	5.4	-4.7	-2.0	-13.4	-1.4
January-May												
United States												
Automobile												
2001	...	...	2,703	59,886	354,394	1,412,056	53,834	15,951	39,355	720,164	16,213	2,674,556
2002	...	...	3,875	64,672	429,723	1,547,893	57,865	15,762	41,158	718,598	17,953	2,897,499
Per cent	...	...	43.4	8.0	21.3	9.6	7.5	-1.2	4.6	-0.2	10.7	8.3
Non-automobile												
2001	1,678	25	30,100	12,715	304,956	883,283	21,307	7,799	123,703	440,410	5,682	1,831,658
2002	1,746	32	24,349	10,167	285,336	723,799	21,361	7,238	119,304	439,780	3,879	1,636,991
Per cent	4.1	28.0	-19.1	-20.0	-6.4	-18.1	0.3	-7.2	-3.6	-0.1	-31.7	-10.6
Total												
2001	1,678	25	32,803	72,601	659,350	2,295,339	75,141	23,750	163,058	1,160,574	21,895	4,506,214
2002	1,746	32	28,224	74,839	715,059	2,271,692	79,226	23,000	160,462	1,158,378	21,832	4,534,490
Per cent	4.1	28.0	-14.0	3.1	8.4	-1.0	5.4	-3.2	-1.6	-0.2	-0.3	0.6
Other countries ¹												
2001	9,953	2	15,949	548	214,537	481,279	2,604	850	84,095	460,492	2,150	1,272,459
2002	10,911	2	11,000	580	186,577	402,338	2,529	720	71,851	434,631	1,667	1,122,806
Per cent	9.6	0.0	-31.0	5.8	-13.0	-16.4	-2.9	-15.3	-14.6	-5.6	-22.5	-11.8
Total												
2001	11,631	27	48,752	73,149	873,887	2,776,618	77,745	24,600	247,153	1,621,066	24,045	5,778,673
2002	12,657	34	39,224	75,419	901,636	2,674,030	81,755	23,720	232,313	1,593,009	23,499	5,657,296
Per cent	8.8	25.9	-19.5	3.1	3.2	-3.7	5.2	-3.6	-6.0	-1.7	-2.3	-2.1

¹ Excludes entries by land same day via the United States.
... figures not applicable.

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Table 3

Estimated Number of Trips to Canada, by Residents of Countries Other Than the United States

Country of residence	May			January-May		
	2001	2002	Change 2002	2001	2002	Change 2002
			%			%
Europe, total	208,959	172,360	-17.5	681,024	582,446	-14.5
Belgium	4,272	3,320	-22.3	14,297	11,785	-17.6
Denmark	2,675	2,013	-24.7	8,611	6,501	-24.5
France	27,524	20,915	-24.0	106,425	88,392	-16.9
Germany	39,181	29,811	-23.9	96,525	77,652	-19.6
Greece	1,163	1,048	-9.9	4,154	4,098	-1.3
Italy	8,370	6,008	-28.2	25,614	19,815	-22.6
Netherlands, The	12,336	10,743	-12.9	30,494	28,027	-8.1
Portugal	2,043	1,582	-22.6	5,695	4,672	-18.0
Spain	2,871	2,417	-15.8	8,847	7,355	-16.9
Sweden	2,836	2,365	-16.6	13,004	10,037	-22.8
Switzerland	7,101	6,226	-12.3	24,703	23,345	-5.5
United Kingdom	77,803	67,404	-13.4	276,200	242,863	-12.1
Other Europe	20,784	18,508	-11.0	66,455	57,904	-12.9
Africa, total	6,264	5,244	-16.3	19,857	16,392	-17.4
Asia, total	123,324	114,377	-7.3	421,320	381,908	-9.4
China	7,086	7,374	4.1	27,252	29,145	6.9
Hong Kong	12,091	10,590	-12.4	45,373	40,237	-11.3
India	7,992	7,187	-10.1	19,902	19,388	-2.6
Israel	6,189	5,710	-7.7	25,643	24,574	-4.2
Japan	41,913	37,236	-11.2	148,796	125,556	-15.6
Malaysia	3,305	3,531	6.8	7,612	6,177	-18.9
Philippines	5,236	5,672	8.3	14,053	15,707	11.8
Singapore	3,637	2,755	-24.3	8,528	6,667	-21.8
South Korea	14,812	14,053	-5.1	49,139	51,624	5.1
Taiwan	12,255	10,749	-12.3	46,944	35,810	-23.7
Other Asia	8,808	9,520	8.1	28,078	27,023	-3.8
North America, Central America and Caribbean, total	23,624	24,084	1.9	86,530	85,317	-1.4
Jamaica	1,490	1,622	8.9	4,783	4,775	-0.2
Mexico	12,001	12,093	0.8	45,766	44,445	-2.9
Trinidad and Tobago	1,573	1,475	-6.2	4,615	4,397	-4.7
Other North America, Central America and Caribbean	8,560	8,894	3.9	31,366	31,700	1.1
South America, total	10,296	7,572	-26.5	36,444	27,141	-25.5
Brazil	4,247	3,245	-23.6	15,567	10,818	-30.5
Other South America	6,049	4,327	-28.5	20,877	16,323	-21.8
Oceania and other Ocean Islands, total	23,759	19,466	-18.1	76,539	61,840	-19.2
Australia	20,359	16,463	-19.1	64,554	52,005	-19.4
New Zealand	3,208	2,767	-13.7	11,074	9,096	-17.9
Other Oceania	192	236	22.9	911	739	-18.9
Total non-resident travellers other than United States	396,226	343,103	-13.4	1,321,714	1,155,044	-12.6

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Table 4

Estimated Number of One or More Nights Trips by Residents Returning to Canada, by Province of Re-entry

Categories of travellers	Nfld.Lab.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Qué.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Yukon	Canada
May												
United States												
Automobile												
2001	...	...	432	24,203	103,848	295,180	22,190	6,512	15,804	139,193	2,115	609,477
2002	...	...	745	22,845	101,181	316,196	22,805	6,444	16,046	136,116	2,106	624,484
Per cent	...	...	72.5	-5.6	-2.6	7.1	2.8	-1.0	1.5	-2.2	-0.4	2.5
Non-automobile												
2001	537	9	7,102	7,106	86,174	322,540	12,626	4,340	41,393	109,592	379	591,798
2002	667	10	4,711	4,754	66,153	246,924	10,697	3,760	40,858	96,977	352	475,863
Per cent	24.2	11.1	-33.7	-33.1	-23.2	-23.4	-15.3	-13.4	-1.3	-11.5	-7.1	-19.6
Total												
2001	537	9	7,534	31,309	190,022	617,720	34,816	10,852	57,197	248,785	2,494	1,201,275
2002	667	10	5,456	27,599	167,334	563,120	33,502	10,204	56,904	233,093	2,458	1,100,347
Per cent	24.2	11.1	-27.6	-11.8	-11.9	-8.8	-3.8	-6.0	-0.5	-6.3	-1.4	-8.4
Other countries												
2001	2,527	11	10,228	71	74,762	182,515	1,087	309	22,247	73,656	9	367,422
2002	3,684	0	6,817	445	67,462	181,189	652	315	19,655	74,813	20	355,052
Per cent	45.8	-100.0	-33.3	526.8	-9.8	-0.7	-40.0	1.9	-11.7	1.6	122.2	-3.4
Total												
2001	3,064	20	17,762	31,380	264,784	800,235	35,903	11,161	79,444	322,441	2,503	1,568,697
2002	4,351	10	12,273	28,044	234,796	744,309	34,154	10,519	76,559	307,906	2,478	1,455,399
Per cent	42.0	-50.0	-30.9	-10.6	-11.3	-7.0	-4.9	-5.8	-3.6	-4.5	-1.0	-7.2
January-May												
United States												
Automobile												
2001	...	...	432	94,410	430,532	1,416,788	107,164	33,271	90,377	562,762	5,064	2,740,800
2002	...	...	754	96,460	413,052	1,422,509	106,929	30,195	86,382	526,114	4,695	2,687,090
Per cent	...	...	74.5	2.2	-4.1	0.4	-0.2	-9.2	-4.4	-6.5	-7.3	-2.0
Non-automobile												
2001	3,597	46	34,093	18,518	469,663	1,570,810	84,624	27,700	262,019	474,493	943	2,946,506
2002	1,863	63	20,466	10,286	351,507	1,212,115	60,729	22,254	212,684	419,766	977	2,312,710
Per cent	-48.2	37.0	-40.0	-44.5	-25.2	-22.8	-28.2	-19.7	-18.8	-11.5	3.6	-21.5
Total												
2001	3,597	46	34,525	112,928	900,195	2,987,598	191,788	60,971	352,396	1,037,255	6,007	5,687,306
2002	1,863	63	21,220	106,746	764,559	2,634,624	167,658	52,449	299,066	945,880	5,672	4,999,800
Per cent	-48.2	37.0	-38.5	-5.5	-15.1	-11.8	-12.6	-14.0	-15.1	-8.8	-5.6	-12.1
Other countries												
2001	8,075	11	57,246	2,016	537,424	1,216,805	46,225	10,509	164,822	434,645	9	2,477,787
2002	10,011	5	38,395	2,898	453,897	1,105,820	29,883	13,784	147,235	436,807	554	2,239,289
Per cent	24.0	-54.5	-32.9	43.8	-15.5	-9.1	-35.4	31.2	-10.7	0.5	6,055.6	-9.6
Total												
2001	11,672	57	91,771	114,944	1,437,619	4,204,403	238,013	71,480	517,218	1,471,900	6,016	8,165,093
2002	11,874	68	59,615	109,644	1,218,456	3,740,444	197,541	66,233	446,301	1,382,687	6,226	7,239,089
Per cent	1.7	19.3	-35.0	-4.6	-15.2	-11.0	-17.0	-7.3	-13.7	-6.1	3.5	-11.3

... figures not applicable.