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Table 1

Estimated Number of International Travellers Entering or Returning to Canada

Type of transportation	September			January-September		
	2001	2002	Change 2002	2001	2002	Change 2002
			%			%
Number of trips by non-residents¹						
United States residents	3,166,956	3,524,827	11.3	35,526,871	32,604,393	-8.2
Automobile	2,481,964	2,763,319	11.3	29,086,040	26,467,363	-9.0
Same day	1,680,264	1,904,995	13.4	20,804,591	17,656,801	-15.1
One or more nights	801,700	858,324	7.1	8,281,449	8,810,562	6.4
Plane	304,777	371,965	22.0	3,426,663	3,356,369	-2.1
Bus	140,277	146,792	4.6	1,410,174	1,276,717	-9.5
Train, boat and other methods	239,938	242,751	1.2	1,603,994	1,503,944	-6.2
All other countries residents	447,297	462,563	3.4	3,618,103	3,264,070	-9.8
Direct	292,400	290,601	-0.6	2,289,132	2,109,693	-7.8
Via the United States ²	154,897	171,962	11.0	1,328,971	1,154,377	-13.1
Total non-residents	3,614,253	3,987,390	10.3	39,144,974	35,868,463	-8.4
Number of trips by residents of Canada¹						
Returning from the United States	2,697,528	2,941,547	9.0	31,244,957	26,754,501	-14.4
Automobile	2,303,205	2,469,237	7.2	25,753,575	22,136,127	-14.0
Same day	1,652,202	1,746,853	5.7	19,442,462	15,880,074	-18.3
One or more nights	651,003	722,384	11.0	6,311,113	6,256,053	-0.9
Plane	217,735	287,344	32.0	3,832,826	3,191,862	-16.7
Bus	90,266	93,514	3.6	997,871	827,453	-17.1
Train, boat and other methods	86,322	91,452	5.9	660,685	599,059	-9.3
Returning from all other countries	340,990	344,512	1.0	3,986,278	3,717,371	-6.7
Direct	304,676	304,436	-0.1	3,422,183	3,195,947	-6.6
Via the United States ²	36,314	40,076	10.4	564,095	521,424	-7.6
Total residents	3,038,518	3,286,059	8.1	35,231,235	30,471,872	-13.5
Total¹	6,652,771	7,273,449	9.3	74,376,209	66,340,335	-10.8

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
September												
United States												
Automobile												
2001	...	...	11,222	35,821	85,554	441,778	18,688	6,888	18,884	167,167	15,698	801,700
2002	...	...	12,404	37,247	93,260	483,301	17,745	6,045	17,388	175,449	15,485	858,324
Per cent	...	...	10.5	4.0	9.0	9.4	-5.0	-12.2	-7.9	5.0	-1.4	7.1
Non-automobile												
2001	11,772	29	38,907	14,851	60,921	189,099	4,695	2,770	25,776	134,322	8,799	491,941
2002	5,918	74	49,553	14,296	72,667	211,895	6,205	3,922	34,711	151,592	6,479	557,312
Per cent	-49.7	155.2	27.4	-3.7	19.3	12.1	32.2	41.6	34.7	12.9	-26.4	13.3
Total												
2001	11,772	29	50,129	50,672	146,475	630,877	23,383	9,658	44,660	301,489	24,497	1,293,641
2002	5,918	74	61,957	51,543	165,927	695,196	23,950	9,967	52,099	327,041	21,964	1,415,636
Per cent	-49.7	155.2	23.6	1.7	13.3	10.2	2.4	3.2	16.7	8.5	-10.3	9.4
Other countries ¹												
2001	9,866	270	15,334	1,964	73,311	158,255	1,158	236	26,111	141,594	3,151	431,250
2002	5,345	0	8,504	2,515	77,558	176,222	1,089	333	26,383	147,791	3,166	448,906
Per cent	-45.8	-100.0	-44.5	28.1	5.8	11.4	-6.0	41.1	1.0	4.4	0.5	4.1
Total												
2001	21,638	299	65,463	52,636	219,786	789,132	24,541	9,894	70,771	443,083	27,648	1,724,891
2002	11,263	74	70,461	54,058	243,485	871,418	25,039	10,300	78,482	474,832	25,130	1,864,542
Per cent	-47.9	-75.3	7.6	2.7	10.8	10.4	2.0	4.1	10.9	7.2	-9.1	8.1
January-September												
United States												
Automobile												
2001	...	...	70,576	289,932	935,069	4,673,085	175,230	59,172	174,344	1,787,286	116,755	8,281,449
2002	...	...	77,059	308,420	1,073,505	4,986,263	184,434	57,301	177,675	1,823,690	122,215	8,810,562
Per cent	...	...	9.2	6.4	14.8	6.7	5.3	-3.2	1.9	2.0	4.7	6.4
Non-automobile												
2001	14,920	275	185,568	98,905	667,167	2,034,430	63,106	26,356	317,306	1,265,797	71,704	4,745,534
2002	11,877	418	180,933	83,954	659,119	1,812,878	65,616	26,877	326,747	1,327,849	52,568	4,548,836
Per cent	-20.4	52.0	-2.5	-15.1	-1.2	-10.9	4.0	2.0	3.0	4.9	-26.7	-4.1
Total												
2001	14,920	275	256,144	388,837	1,602,236	6,707,515	238,336	85,528	491,650	3,053,083	188,459	13,026,983
2002	11,877	418	257,992	392,374	1,732,624	6,799,141	250,050	84,178	504,422	3,151,539	174,783	13,359,398
Per cent	-20.4	52.0	0.7	0.9	8.1	1.4	4.9	-1.6	2.6	3.2	-7.3	2.6
Other countries ¹												
2001	30,648	280	65,497	6,936	587,492	1,341,029	7,910	2,415	229,578	1,173,469	25,330	3,470,584
2002	27,086	36	39,214	5,549	538,183	1,227,723	7,537	2,324	188,344	1,101,125	21,848	3,158,969
Per cent	-11.6	-87.1	-40.1	-20.0	-8.4	-8.4	-4.7	-3.8	-18.0	-6.2	-13.7	-9.0
Total												
2001	45,568	555	321,641	395,773	2,189,728	8,048,544	246,246	87,943	721,228	4,226,552	213,789	16,497,567
2002	38,963	454	297,206	397,923	2,270,807	8,026,864	257,587	86,502	692,766	4,252,664	196,631	16,518,367
Per cent	-14.5	-18.2	-7.6	0.5	3.7	-0.3	4.6	-1.6	-3.9	0.6	-8.0	0.1

¹ Excludes entries by land same day via the United States.
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Table 3

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

Country of residence	September			January-September		
	2001	2002	Change 2002	2001	2002	Change 2002
			%			%
Europe, total	273,654	255,616	-6.6	1,969,477	1,721,856	-12.6
Belgium	5,729	5,028	-12.2	40,167	33,996	-15.4
Denmark	2,340	2,119	-9.4	22,979	18,071	-21.4
France	47,670	43,347	-9.1	311,448	264,869	-15.0
Germany	52,243	50,775	-2.8	312,191	263,824	-15.5
Greece	825	977	18.4	10,551	10,909	3.4
Italy	9,042	8,890	-1.7	89,104	86,820	-2.6
Netherlands, The	13,854	13,315	-3.9	102,302	94,308	-7.8
Portugal	1,375	1,296	-5.7	17,011	13,715	-19.4
Spain	3,426	4,786	39.7	34,995	39,123	11.8
Sweden	2,557	2,481	-3.0	27,907	23,021	-17.5
Switzerland	11,242	11,119	-1.1	83,965	76,365	-9.1
United Kingdom	102,691	91,088	-11.3	734,083	627,792	-14.5
Other Europe	20,660	20,395	-1.3	182,774	169,043	-7.5
Africa, total	6,107	6,028	-1.3	58,215	49,322	-15.3
Asia, total	114,219	143,721	25.8	1,072,692	996,394	-7.1
China	9,623	11,247	16.9	69,364	76,976	11.0
Hong Kong	8,809	10,521	19.4	110,629	99,682	-9.9
India	5,015	5,763	14.9	48,371	48,275	-0.2
Israel	7,499	6,991	-6.8	68,137	63,130	-7.3
Japan	43,948	69,209	57.5	389,685	345,911	-11.2
Malaysia	1,706	1,679	-1.6	15,505	13,085	-15.6
Philippines	4,494	3,864	-14.0	30,105	34,472	14.5
Singapore	1,964	1,762	-10.3	21,642	16,896	-21.9
South Korea	13,222	14,634	10.7	132,002	134,713	2.1
Taiwan	9,560	9,953	4.1	104,104	85,162	-18.2
Other Asia	8,379	8,098	-3.4	83,148	78,092	-6.1
North America, Central America and Caribbean, total	22,197	26,124	17.7	253,757	259,793	2.4
Jamaica	1,601	1,726	7.8	15,765	16,172	2.6
Mexico	10,381	13,889	33.8	132,690	136,982	3.2
Trinidad and Tobago	1,344	1,549	15.3	15,974	15,984	0.1
Other North America, Central America and Caribbean	8,871	8,960	1.0	89,328	90,655	1.5
South America, total	8,639	8,594	-0.5	91,012	79,877	-12.2
Brazil	3,347	3,581	7.0	35,350	30,972	-12.4
Other South America	5,292	5,013	-5.3	55,662	48,905	-12.1
Oceania and other Ocean Islands, total	22,481	22,480	0.0	172,950	156,828	-9.3
Australia	18,790	18,642	-0.8	142,663	128,590	-9.9
New Zealand	3,430	3,628	5.8	28,104	26,210	-6.7
Other Oceania	261	210	-19.5	2,183	2,028	-7.1
Total non-resident travellers other than United States	447,297	462,563	3.4	3,618,103	3,264,070	-9.8

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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
September												
United States												
Automobile												
2001	...	...	1,106	25,110	138,260	288,095	28,616	8,341	20,029	139,219	2,227	651,003
2002	...	...	1,247	26,512	146,519	326,408	29,227	8,058	19,641	162,283	2,489	722,384
Per cent	...	...	12.7	5.6	6.0	13.3	2.1	-3.4	-1.9	16.6	11.8	11.0
Non-automobile												
2001	1,745	1	2,707	7,053	52,388	177,436	6,756	1,938	21,046	76,923	359	348,352
2002	36	0	3,204	5,925	64,120	215,536	8,640	2,652	28,406	88,814	328	417,661
Per cent	-97.9	-100.0	18.4	-16.0	22.4	21.5	27.9	36.8	35.0	15.5	-8.6	19.9
Total												
2001	1,745	1	3,813	32,163	190,648	465,531	35,372	10,279	41,075	216,142	2,586	999,355
2002	36	0	4,451	32,437	210,639	541,944	37,867	10,710	48,047	251,097	2,817	1,140,045
Per cent	-97.9	-100.0	16.7	0.9	10.5	16.4	7.1	4.2	17.0	16.2	8.9	14.1
Other countries												
2001	1,218	0	4,594	484	72,897	180,156	565	158	17,217	63,690	11	340,990
2002	1,872	2	2,471	5	73,325	186,065	617	235	15,725	64,104	91	344,512
Per cent	53.7	...	-46.2	-99.0	0.6	3.3	9.2	48.7	-8.7	0.7	727.3	1.0
Total												
2001	2,963	1	8,407	32,647	263,545	645,687	35,937	10,437	58,292	279,832	2,597	1,340,345
2002	1,908	2	6,922	32,442	283,964	728,009	38,484	10,945	63,772	315,201	2,908	1,484,557
Per cent	-35.6	100.0	-17.7	-0.6	7.7	12.7	7.1	4.9	9.4	12.6	12.0	10.8
January-September												
United States												
Automobile												
2001	...	...	8,413	235,793	1,273,000	2,898,650	267,422	81,263	199,901	1,320,484	26,187	6,311,113
2002	...	...	8,609	233,223	1,206,261	2,941,147	265,759	74,166	189,529	1,310,286	27,073	6,256,053
Per cent	...	...	2.3	-1.1	-5.2	1.5	-0.6	-8.7	-5.2	-0.8	3.4	-0.9
Non-automobile												
2001	5,487	67	49,389	52,040	778,218	2,612,630	119,179	39,959	386,534	817,665	5,244	4,866,412
2002	2,116	83	35,442	43,798	631,421	2,132,884	94,692	33,939	335,858	764,706	4,710	4,079,649
Per cent	-61.4	23.9	-28.2	-15.8	-18.9	-18.4	-20.5	-15.1	-13.1	-6.5	-10.2	-16.2
Total												
2001	5,487	67	57,802	287,833	2,051,218	5,511,280	386,601	121,222	586,435	2,138,149	31,431	11,177,525
2002	2,116	83	44,051	277,021	1,837,682	5,074,031	360,451	108,105	525,387	2,074,992	31,783	10,335,702
Per cent	-61.4	23.9	-23.8	-3.8	-10.4	-7.9	-6.8	-10.8	-10.4	-3.0	1.1	-7.5
Other countries												
2001	16,346	11	78,409	4,218	880,526	1,986,341	49,100	11,434	247,313	712,531	49	3,986,278
2002	21,238	157	49,200	2,951	787,362	1,870,167	32,336	14,845	218,840	719,384	891	3,717,371
Per cent	29.9	1,327.3	-37.3	-30.0	-10.6	-5.8	-34.1	29.8	-11.5	1.0	1,718.4	-6.7
Total												
2001	21,833	78	136,211	292,051	2,931,744	7,497,621	435,701	132,656	833,748	2,850,680	31,480	15,163,803
2002	23,354	240	93,251	279,972	2,625,044	6,944,198	392,787	122,950	744,227	2,794,376	32,674	14,053,073
Per cent	7.0	207.7	-31.5	-4.1	-10.5	-7.4	-9.8	-7.3	-10.7	-2.0	3.8	-7.3

... figures not applicable.