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- r revised
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Highlights

International travel in 2006

- In 2006, international tourism worldwide exceeded all expectations, achieving positive growth for the third consecutive year. International tourist arrivals hit a high of 846 million, 5.4% higher than in 2005. As a result, worldwide receipts from international tourism reached US\$733 billion (constant dollars).
- United States residents made 13.9 million overnight trips to Canada, down 3.7% from 2005 and the lowest level since 1997. Overnight travel from the United States has fallen three of the last four years, or 14.3% since 2002.
- American residents only took 13.7 million same-day car trips to Canada, the lowest since record keeping started in 1972. Same-day car travel fell for the seventh year in a row, down a staggering 12.5% from the previous low observed in 2005.
- Overnight travel from countries other than the United States increased for a third consecutive year, climbing to 4.3 million trips, up 1.2% from 2005. As a result, overnight travel from overseas reached its highest level since 2000 and its third highest level ever.
- Overnight travel by Canadians to the United States reached 16.0 million trips, up 7.6% from 2005. Overnight travel south of the border increased for a third consecutive year, and in the process, reached its highest level since 1993.
- Same-day car travel by Canadians to the United States reached 23.5 million trips, up 5.3% from 2005. Since 2003, same-day car travel south of the border has jumped 12.4%.
- Canadians made a record 6.7 million overnight trips to overseas countries, an increase of 8.2% from the previous high observed in 2005. Increased travel overseas is nothing new, with gains in 14 of the last 15 years.
- Mexico replaced the United Kingdom as the top overseas destination visited by Canadian travellers. Also, about 35.3% of trips overseas, or 2.4 million, included at least one overnight stop in Europe.
- In 2006, Canada's international travel deficit jumped \$1.3 billion to a record \$6.7 billion. The travel deficit has increased every year since 2002, and in that span, has more than quadrupled. While there has been little movement in foreign spending in Canada compared to 2001, Canadian spending abroad has gone up 26.1% during the period.

Analysis

Overview of trends 2006

Worldwide international tourism more popular than ever in 2006

According to the World Tourism Organization, international tourism exceeded all expectations in 2006, achieving positive growth for the third consecutive year and climbing to record levels in the process.

International tourist arrivals (which exclude arrivals by same-day visitors) hit 846 million in 2006, 5.4% higher than the previous year. As a result, worldwide receipts from international tourism reached US\$733 billion (constant dollars), about US\$57 billion more than in 2005.

These higher levels were partly fuelled by a long period of sustained economic expansion, which contributed to the healthy performance of emerging destinations around the world.

Increases in international tourist arrivals were observed in all regions of the globe in 2006. Like in 2005, Africa led the way with a 9.2% gain in arrivals, followed by the Middle East (+8.9%), Asia and the Pacific (+7.7%), Europe (+5.0%) and the Americas (+2.0%). These regions have also shown a positive average annual growth over the last five years, ranging from 1.0% (Americas) to 9.3% (Middle East). Moreover, of all the sub-regions, only North America has shown an average annual decline since 2001 (-0.2%).

France remained the most visited country in 2006, with 79.1 million international tourist arrivals. However, the United States generated the most revenues, with US\$85.7 billion in international tourism receipts.

For the fourth year in a row, Canada failed to crack the top ten in international tourist arrivals as lower overnight travel from the United States continued to hamper Canada's tourism industry. In 2006, Canada ranked 13th in international tourist arrivals, its lowest ranking since the introduction of the current collection method in 1980.

Text table 1
International tourist arrivals in the five world tourism regions

	International tourist arrivals			Rank
	2005	2006	Percentage change 2005 to 2006	
	millions		percent	number
Europe	438.7	460.8	5.0	1
Asia and the Pacific	155.3	167.2	7.7	2
Americas	133.2	135.9	2.0	3
Middle East	38.3	41.8	8.9	4
Africa	37.3	40.7	9.2	5
World	803.0	846.0	5.4	

Source(s): World Tourism Organization.

Overnight travel from the United States lowest in nine years

Residents of the United States made 13.9 million overnight trips to Canada in 2006, down 3.7% from 2005 and the lowest level since 1997. Overnight travel to Canada by Americans has fallen three of the last four years, or 14.3% since 2002.

Overnight travel from the United States has yet to rebound from the drop in level recorded during the height of the Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS) health crisis in 2003. Also, the loonie, which averaged 63.7 US cents in 2002, has increased every year since to 88.2 US cents in 2006.

While fewer Americans are travelling to Canada, more are travelling to Mexico and the Caribbean, suggesting that Americans might be forgoing the cold Canadian climate for more sunny destinations.

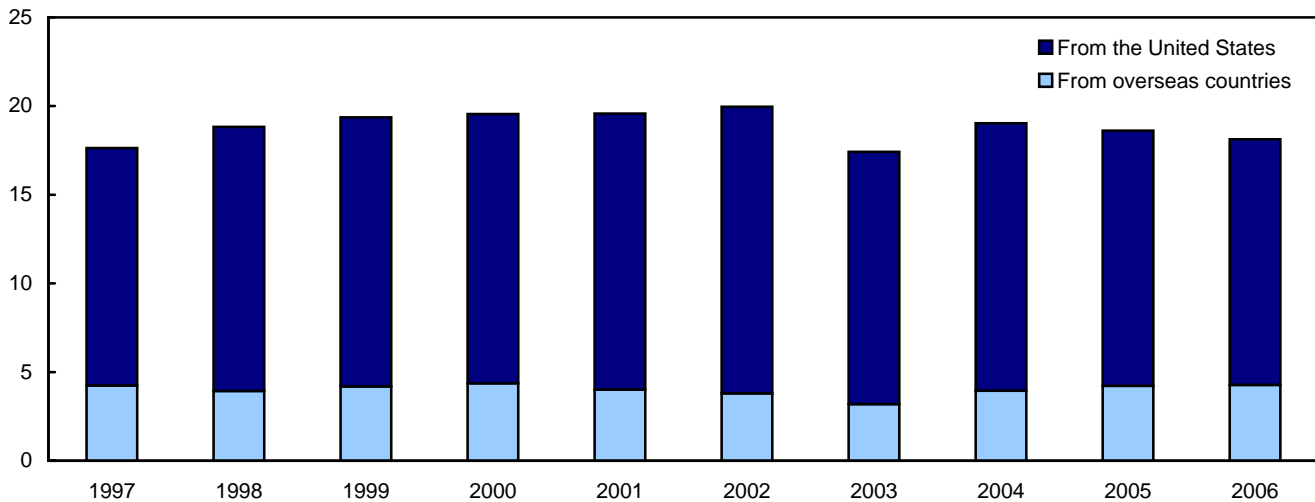
Overnight travel from overseas countries continues its upward trend

Overnight travel from countries other than the United States increased for a third consecutive year in 2006. As a result, it climbed to its highest level since 2000 and its third highest level ever.

Travellers from overseas countries made 4.3 million overnight trips to Canada in 2006, 1.2% more than in 2005.

Chart 1
Overnight trips to Canada

millions



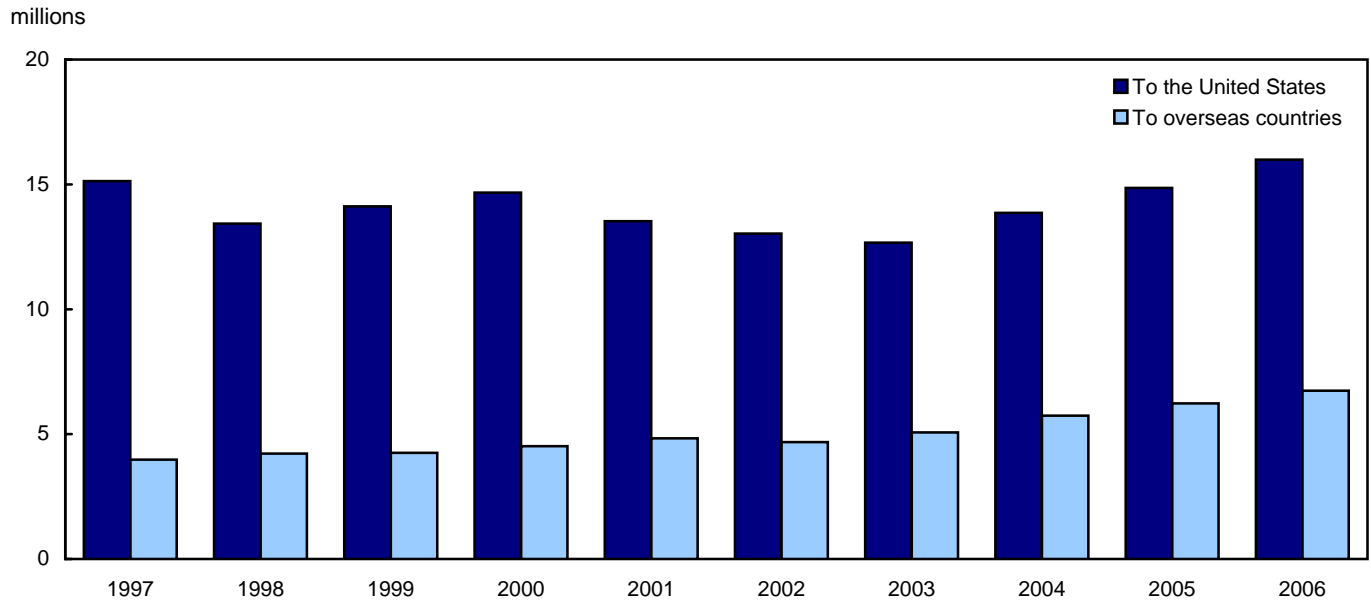
Canadians travelling more and more abroad

Travel to overseas countries set another record in 2006, as Canadians made 6.7 million overnight trips to non-US destinations, up 8.2% from 2005. Increased travel overseas is nothing new, with gains in 14 of the last 15 years. With Canadians still reeling from the aftermath of 9/11, travel to overseas countries fell 3.1% in 2002.

While one might assume that Canadians are increasingly choosing trips to overseas destinations over trips to the United States, it is not entirely the case. Overnight travel to the United States has gone up each of the last three years, with gains of 26.3% during that span. In 2006, overnight travel to the United States reached a 13-year high of 16.0 million trips.

Several factors such as increased curiosity by Canadians, globalization and increased accessibility and competitiveness might explain why Canadians are travelling more overseas. Finally, the changing demographics of the Canadian population may play a role in the increase in Canadian travel to overseas countries, as baby boomers entering retirement search for new ways to spend their time.

Chart 2
Overnight trips by Canadian residents



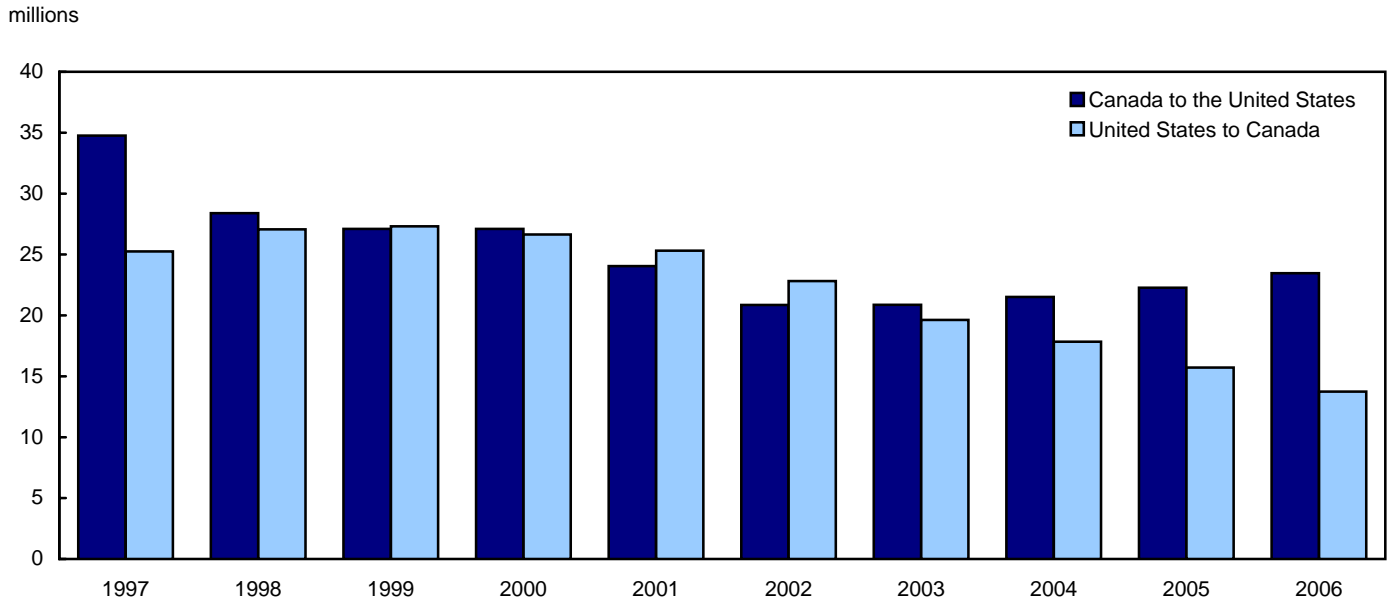
Same-day car travel between Canada and the United States going in opposite directions

American residents took only 13.7 million same-day car trips to Canada in 2006, the lowest since record keeping started in 1972. Same-day car travel fell for the seventh year in a row, down a staggering 12.5% from the previous low observed in 2005.

Record gas prices and a faltering US dollar may have kept same-day car travellers, often crossing over to do some shopping, from heading north. The Canadian dollar averaged 88.2 US cents in 2006, up 6.8% from the previous year's average and the highest since the late 1970s.

Conversely, same-day car travel by Canadians to the United States has increased in the last years. Since 2003, same-day car travel south of the border has jumped 12.4%. In 2006, it reached 23.5 million trips, up 5.3% from 2005.

Chart 3
Same-day car travel between Canada and the United States



United States market

Overnight trips from the United States fell in all trip purpose categories in 2006. Business and pleasure travel, which accounted for 91.5% of all overnight trips from the United States, fell 0.7% and 2.2% respectively. Travel for other purposes, which includes shopping, fell 19.1%.

Pleasure travel includes holidays and vacations, visiting friends and relatives, visiting a second home, cottage or condo and attending events and attractions. Business travel includes attending meetings, conventions, conferences, trade shows and seminars, and participating in other work-related matters.

Overnight travel by car and plane, the two most popular methods of transportation used to enter Canada, fell 5.2% and 0.9% respectively. They accounted for 88.0% of all overnight traffic from the United States. Travel by boat, which occurred mostly in British Columbia, increased 8.2%.

The 3.7% drop in overnight trips resulted in lower travel spending from the United States. American residents spent \$7.3 billion in Canada in 2006, down 2.5% from 2005. While the average length of overnight trips remained stable at 4.0 nights per trip, average spending per night increased by \$2 to \$132.

Overnight travel from bordering states down in 2006

Many of the border states observed declines in overnight trips made by their residents to Canada in 2006. Such was the case for Canada's three biggest US markets – New York State (-3.2%), Michigan (-13.3%) and Washington State (-5.3%). Of the top 15 states of origin, all five border states recorded declines in overnight travel to Canada.

Out of the top 15 states of origin, Florida showed the biggest decline in overnight trips to Canada (-18.2%). Travel from California posted the largest increase (+12.4%).

Text table 2
Top 15 states of origin for U.S. tourists to Canada

	Overnight trips		Percentage change 2005 to 2006
	2005	2006	
	thousands		percent
New York	1,771	1,714	-3.2
Michigan	1,689	1,464	-13.3
Washington	1,464	1,387	-5.3
California	877	986	12.4
Ohio	698	706	1.1
Massachusetts	554	599	8.3
Pennsylvania	642	597	-6.9
Minnesota	545	483	-11.3
Illinois	477	426	-10.8
Texas	419	420	0.2
New Jersey	417	408	-2.0
Florida	466	381	-18.2
Wisconsin	328	298	-9.2
Oregon	265	276	4.4
Maine	284	254	-10.5

Drops in overnight visits from the United States observed across the country

For the second year in a row, all provinces observed declines in overnight visits by American travellers. Saskatchewan was the hardest hit province, as overnight visits fell 12.1% in 2006.

Ontario remained the most visited province, with 6.9 million overnight visits by Americans, a 4.4% decline from 2005. This was almost twice as many visits as in British Columbia, the second most popular province. Quebec rounded out the top 3, welcoming 2.1 million tourists from the United States.

Text table 3
Overnight province-visits by United States residents

	2005	2006	Percentage change 2005 to 2006
	thousands		percent
Ontario	7,214	6,899	-4.4
British Columbia	3,536	3,518	-0.5
Quebec	2,196	2,108	-4.0
Alberta	961	938	-2.4
Nova Scotia	412	374	-9.2
New Brunswick	372	367	-1.3
Manitoba	293	283	-3.3
Territories ¹	257	251	-2.1
Saskatchewan	181	159	-12.1
Prince Edward Island	155	154	-0.4
Newfoundland and Labrador	51	49	-2.9

1. Includes Yukon Territory, Northwest Territories and Nunavut Territory.

Overseas market

Of the 4.3 million overnight trips from overseas, about 3.2 million were made for pleasure reasons, which was slightly more than in 2005. However, the 1.2% increase in overnight trips from overseas countries was mainly the result of more business trips. Business trips, which represented about one of six overnight trips from overseas, jumped 6.4% in 2006.

Despite the increase in trips, residents of overseas countries spent fewer nights in Canada in 2006. They stayed 68.0 million nights, a decline of 0.5% from 2005. As a result, the average length of trips fell from 16.2 nights to 15.9 nights.

Tourists from overseas countries also spent less in Canada, shelling out \$5.7 billion, a 0.6% decrease compared to 2005. This said, they spent \$1,342 per trip, slightly less than the previous year. Spending per night remained stable at \$84.

Europe only region with a drop in overnight trips to Canada

Travel to Canada increased for most of the overseas regions in 2006, with Europe being the lone exception. Overnight travel from Europe, the overseas region sending the most tourists to Canada, slipped to 2.2 million trips, down 1.1% from 2005.

Africa and South America were the two overseas regions that posted the largest increases in travel to Canada. Overnight travel from Africa climbed 19.7% and from South America, 11.3%.

One in five tourists from overseas countries comes from the United Kingdom

The United Kingdom remained Canada's most important overseas market in 2006, despite a 5.2% decline in overnight travel. Roughly one in five overnight trips from overseas countries, or 842,000, was made by tourists from the United Kingdom. This was more than twice as many overnight trips from Japan, Canada's second most important overseas market.

The top 12 overseas markets remained unchanged in 2006, with little movement within them. Among these markets, China posted the largest increase in overnight travel to Canada (+22.7%) while Japan recorded the biggest decline (-8.7%).

Text table 4
Canada's top 12 overseas tourist markets

	Overnight trips		Percentage change 2005 to 2006
	2005	2006	
	thousands		percent
United Kingdom	888	842	-5.2
Japan	398	364	-8.7
France	351	361	2.8
Germany	311	298	-4.2
Mexico	179	202	13.0
South Korea	173	189	9.2
Australia	179	178	-0.5
China	113	139	22.7
Netherlands	118	118	0.4
Hong Kong	109	107	-1.2
Taiwan	98	93	-5.2
Switzerland	97	92	-4.9

Outbound market

Canadian residents took a record 22.7 million overnight trips abroad in 2006, up 7.7% from the previous high observed in 2005. Like last year, about seven out of ten outbound overnight trips were to the United States.

About 10.6 million overnight trips abroad were done by Ontario residents, an increase of 7.0% from 2005. Far behind, Quebec and British Columbia rounded out the top 3, with its residents taking 4.2 million and 3.6 million overnight trips outside Canada, respectively.

Increases in outbound overnight travel were observed from all parts of the country. Travel from Alberta led the way, with a 17.5% jump in overnight trips, while overnight travel from the Atlantic provinces registered a 1.7% gain.

Both business and pleasure travel posted gains in overnight trips in 2006. Pleasure travel, which accounted for 78.5% of all overnight trips abroad, jumped 8.3%. Business travel, which represented 13.4% of overnight trips abroad, increased 6.8%.

Overnight travel to the United States highest in 13 years

Overnight travel south of the border increased for a third consecutive year in 2006, and in the process, reached its highest level since 1993. Canadians made 16.0 million overnight trips to the United States, up 7.6% from 2005.

The total number of nights spent in the United States also increased, but to a lesser extent. Canadians spent 120 million nights south of the border, a 2.4% increase from 2005. As a result, the average length of overnight trips to the United States fell from 7.9 nights to 7.5 nights.

Spending on overnight trips in the United States climbed to \$10.2 billion, an increase of 7.3% from the previous year. Average spending was \$640 per overnight trip, or \$85 per night.

The automobile remained the preferred method of transportation, as Canadians made 9.3 million overnight trips by car to the United States, up 8.2% from 2005. Canadians also took a record 5.5 million overnight trips by plane, an increase of 7.8% from the previous year.

Canadians visit New York State more often but spend more and stay longer in Florida

Canadians made 2.6 million overnight visits to New York State in 2006, a 10.8% increase over 2005. This was about 500,000 more visits than in Florida, the second most visited state. Washington State, Michigan and California rounded out the top 5.

However, Canadians spent the most time and money in Florida. In 2006, Canadians spent 37.8 million nights in Florida, or about 18.0 nights per overnight visit. On average, overnight visits in Florida lasted more than twice as long as those in any other top 12 state visited. In the process, Canadians spent \$2.4 billion in the Sunshine state, or \$1,131 per overnight visit. About 22.8% of travel spending in the United States was done on overnight visits in Florida.

Canadians spent \$196 per night on overnight visits in Nevada, more than in any other state.

Text table 5
Top 12 U.S. states visited by Canadian residents, 2006

	Overnight visits		
	Person-visits	Spending	Visit-nights
	thousands	millions of dollars	thousands
New York	2,596	769	7,240
Florida	2,098	2,372	37,816
Washington	1,775	363	5,161
Michigan	1,323	273	3,348
California	1,037	874	9,152
Nevada	902	799	4,082
Maine	746	200	2,477
Pennsylvania	696	133	1,687
Vermont	642	131	1,846
Minnesota	614	174	1,477
Massachusetts	583	240	2,249
Montana	513	127	1,671

Travel to overseas countries sets another record

Canadians made 6.7 million overnight trips to overseas countries in 2006, an increase of 8.2% from the previous high observed in 2005. As a result, Canadians spent \$9.9 billion in non-US destinations, up 5.4% from 2005. They also spent 113 million nights in overseas countries, or about 16.7 nights per trip, a slightly lower average than the one obtained the previous year. Spending per night remained stable at \$88.

About 35.3% of trips to overseas destinations, or 2.4 million, included at least one overnight stay in Europe in 2006.

Mexico replaces the United Kingdom as top overseas destination

Overnight visits to the United Kingdom fell 13.3% in 2006 and as a result, Mexico became the most visited country by Canadian residents, excluding the United States. Canadians made only 778,000 overnight visits to the UK, compared to 841,000 visits to Mexico. Overnight visits to Mexico increased 5.9%.

However, spending and the number of nights spent in the United Kingdom remained the highest. Canadians spent \$942 million over 9.6 million nights in the United Kingdom, which averaged out to 12.4 nights per visit and \$98 per night.

Among the top 12 overseas countries visited, Canadians stayed the longest in Hong Kong and China. Average spending per night was also the lowest in those countries.

Text table 6
Top 12 overseas countries visited by Canadian residents, 2006

	Overnight visits		
	Person-visits	Spending	Visit-nights
	thousands	millions of dollars	thousands
Mexico	841	894	9,177
United Kingdom	778	942	9,628
France	645	872	8,263
Cuba	638	579	5,295
Dominican Republic	536	508	4,644
Germany	334	291	3,035
Italy	315	490	3,498
China	250	451	5,290
Netherlands	239	194	1,967
Spain	182	252	1,998
Switzerland	177	138 ^E	1,392 ^E
Hong Kong	150	180	2,360

International travel account

Note: The International Travel Account is a component of the Balance of Payments. It includes spending as identified by the International Travel Survey, as well as education spending, medical spending and spending by crew members. For this reason, International Travel Account data differs from data collected by the International Travel Survey.

Canada's international travel deficit soared to an all-time high in 2006, as spending by Canadians in both the United States and overseas countries climbed to record levels.

The deficit – the difference between spending by Canadians abroad and spending by foreigners in Canada – jumped \$1.3 billion to an estimated \$6.7 billion in 2006. The travel deficit has increased every year since 2002, and in that span, has more than quadrupled.

The burgeoning deficit was the result of record spending abroad. Canadian residents spent an estimated \$23.3 billion outside the country, up 5.7% from the previous high recorded in 2005.

Foreigners in Canada spent an estimated \$16.6 billion, a 0.5% decline from the previous year.

While there has been little movement in foreign spending in Canada compared to 2001, Canadian spending abroad has gone up 26.1% during the period.

Travel deficit with the United States highest in 13 years

Canada's travel deficit with the United States climbed to \$4.3 billion in 2006, the highest since the early 1990s. Record deficits flirted with the \$6.0-billion mark in 1991 and 1992. In contrast, the travel deficit with the United States was as low as \$544 million in 2002.

The increase in the deficit, estimated at \$1.0 billion, was the result of higher spending by Canadians in the United States and lower spending by residents of the United States in Canada.

Canadian travellers spent a record \$12.9 billion in the United States in 2006, up 6.1% from the previous year. Meanwhile, travellers from the United States spent 3.3% less in Canada compared to 2005. Spending by United States residents in Canada slipped to \$8.7 billion, its lowest level since 1998.

Travel deficit with overseas hits record high

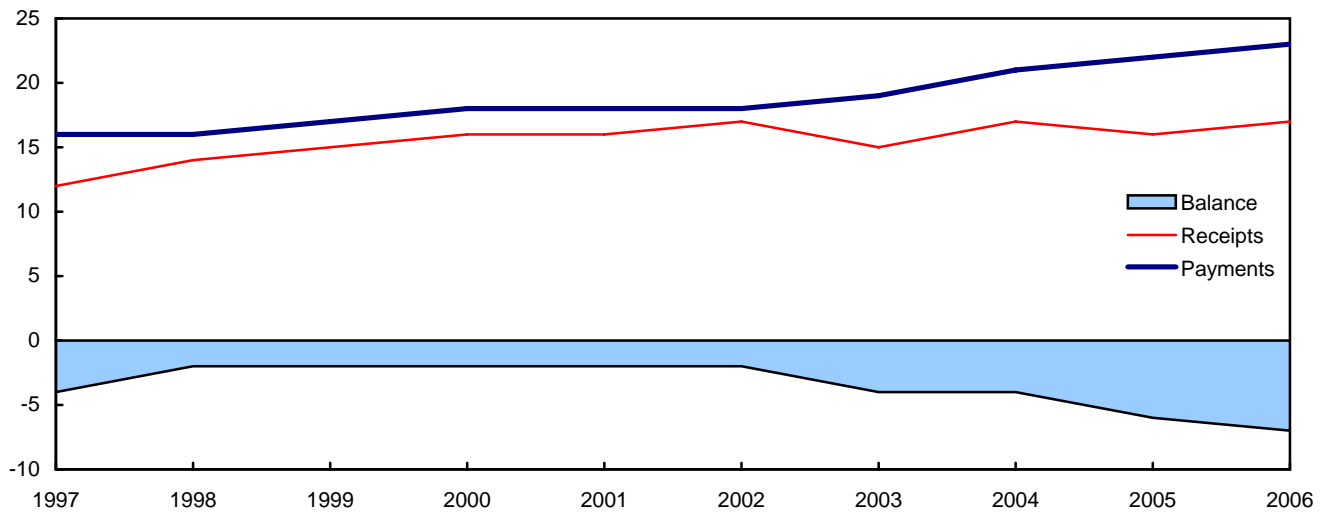
Canada’s travel deficit with overseas countries climbed to a record \$2.5 billion in 2006, an estimated \$295-million increase over the previous year. The rise in the deficit was attributable to higher spending by Canadian residents overseas, which climbed 5.2% to \$10.4 billion. Over the past 25 years, spending by Canadians overseas has fallen only once, in 1991.

Travellers from overseas countries spent \$7.9 billion in Canada, 2.8% more than the previous year.

The Canadian dollar edged up against other major international currencies in 2006, including the euro, the UK pound sterling and the Japanese yen.

Chart 4
Canada’s international travel deficit

billions of dollars



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13-009-X	National Tourism Indicators, Quarterly Estimates
66-001-P	International Travel: Advance Information
87-212-X	Canadian Travel Survey: Domestic Travel

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427-0004	Number of international tourists entering or returning to Canada, by province of entry (seasonally adjusted and non-seasonally adjusted), monthly
427-0005	Number of international travellers entering or returning to Canada, by province of entry, seasonally adjusted, monthly
427-0006	Number of non-resident travellers entering Canada, by selected country of residence, excluding the United States, seasonally adjusted, monthly

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3152	International Travel Survey: Mail-back Questionnaires and Air Exit Survey of Overseas Travellers
3810	Travel Survey of Residents of Canada
5005	International Travel Survey: Frontier Counts

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- *Travel by Canadians to foreign countries, top 15 countries visited*
- *Travellers to Canada by country of origin, top 15 countries of origin*
- *Travel by Canadians to the United States, top 15 states visited*
- *Travellers to Canada by United States state of origin, top 15 states of origin*
- *Non-resident travellers entering Canada*

Statistical tables

Table 1
Estimates of the balance of payments in the travel account between Canada and other countries¹

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
millions of dollars										
All countries										
Receipts	12,221	14,019	15,141	15,997	16,437	16,741	14,776	16,745	16,674	16,598
First quarter	1,708	1,975	2,297	2,527	2,765	2,767	2,779	2,739	2,997	2,956
Second quarter	3,154	3,598	3,755	4,089	4,342	4,103	3,465	4,217	4,182	4,241
Third quarter	5,178	5,892	6,336	6,502	6,558	6,760	5,672	6,540	6,290	6,153
Fourth quarter	2,181	2,553	2,754	2,879	2,772	3,111	2,860	3,250	3,205	3,248
Payments	15,873	16,029	17,092	18,444	18,487	18,401	18,727	20,747	22,059	23,311
First quarter	4,415	4,535	4,646	5,032	5,550	5,079	5,492	6,092	6,480	6,760
Second quarter	4,059	4,218	4,323	4,816	4,986	4,894	4,502	5,506	5,732	5,940
Third quarter	4,047	3,832	4,184	4,447	4,320	4,386	4,427	4,749	5,076	5,457
Fourth quarter	3,352	3,444	3,939	4,149	3,631	4,043	4,306	4,401	4,771	5,154
Balance	-3,652	-2,010	-1,951	-2,447	-2,050	-1,659	-3,951	-4,002	-5,385	-6,713
First quarter	-2,707	-2,559	-2,349	-2,506	-2,784	-2,311	-2,713	-3,353	-3,484	-3,803
Second quarter	-905	-620	-568	-727	-645	-791	-1,037	-1,289	-1,550	-1,699
Third quarter	1,131	2,060	2,152	2,056	2,238	2,375	1,244	1,791	1,214	696
Fourth quarter	-1,171	-890	-1,185	-1,270	-859	-932	-1,446	-1,151	-1,566	-1,907
United States										
Receipts	6,921	8,606	9,365	9,449	9,972	10,328	9,080	9,865	8,978	8,685
First quarter	878	1,140	1,381	1,469	1,586	1,599	1,524	1,450	1,447	1,322
Second quarter	1,803	2,192	2,305	2,373	2,669	2,562	2,155	2,487	2,318	2,302
Third quarter	3,022	3,721	4,004	3,955	4,086	4,371	3,788	4,136	3,658	3,537
Fourth quarter	1,218	1,553	1,675	1,652	1,631	1,795	1,613	1,793	1,554	1,523
Payments	10,280	9,951	10,801	11,517	11,170	10,872	10,713	11,545	12,195	12,935
First quarter	2,938	2,912	2,824	3,191	3,347	2,997	3,123	3,377	3,578	3,790
Second quarter	2,776	2,815	2,860	3,117	3,195	3,066	2,837	3,309	3,408	3,491
Third quarter	2,452	2,174	2,631	2,660	2,427	2,389	2,336	2,384	2,559	2,801
Fourth quarter	2,115	2,049	2,486	2,549	2,201	2,420	2,418	2,475	2,650	2,853
Balance	-3,359	-1,344	-1,436	-2,068	-1,199	-544	-1,633	-1,680	-3,216	-4,250
First quarter	-2,060	-1,772	-1,443	-1,722	-1,762	-1,398	-1,599	-1,927	-2,131	-2,467
Second quarter	-972	-623	-555	-744	-526	-503	-682	-822	-1,089	-1,189
Third quarter	570	1,547	1,373	1,295	1,659	1,983	1,452	1,752	1,100	737
Fourth quarter	-897	-496	-811	-897	-571	-624	-805	-682	-1,096	-1,330
Other countries										
Receipts	5,300	5,412	5,776	6,548	6,465	6,413	5,696	6,880	7,696	7,913
First quarter	830	835	916	1,058	1,180	1,168	1,255	1,288	1,550	1,634
Second quarter	1,351	1,406	1,450	1,716	1,673	1,541	1,310	1,730	1,864	1,939
Third quarter	2,156	2,171	2,332	2,547	2,472	2,389	1,884	2,404	2,632	2,615
Fourth quarter	963	1,000	1,078	1,227	1,141	1,316	1,247	1,457	1,651	1,724
Payments	5,593	6,078	6,291	6,927	7,317	7,529	8,014	9,202	9,864	10,376
First quarter	1,477	1,623	1,822	1,841	2,202	2,081	2,370	2,714	2,902	2,970
Second quarter	1,284	1,403	1,463	1,699	1,792	1,828	1,665	2,197	2,324	2,449
Third quarter	1,595	1,657	1,553	1,787	1,893	1,997	2,092	2,365	2,517	2,656
Fourth quarter	1,237	1,395	1,453	1,600	1,430	1,623	1,888	1,926	2,122	2,301
Balance	-294	-666	-514	-379	-851	-1,116	-2,318	-2,322	-2,169	-2,463
First quarter	-647	-787	-906	-784	-1,023	-913	-1,114	-1,426	-1,353	-1,336
Second quarter	67	3	-13	17	-119	-287	-355	-466	-460	-510
Third quarter	560	513	779	761	579	392	-208	39	115	-41
Fourth quarter	-274	-395	-375	-373	-289	-308	-641	-469	-470	-577

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 2
Components of the receipts and payments in the travel account¹

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
millions of dollars										
All countries										
Receipts	12,221	14,019	15,141	15,997	16,437	16,741	14,776	16,745	16,674	16,598
Spending in Canada	11,199	12,938	14,031	14,813	15,081	15,232	13,072	14,825	14,302	13,919
Selected supplementary:	1,022	1,081	1,111	1,184	1,355	1,509	1,705	1,920	2,372	2,679
Medical	88	90	92	94	98	100	103	106	110	114
Education	824	849	844	914	1,084	1,234	1,422	1,633	2,087	2,394
Crew spending	110	142	175	177	173	175	180	180	175	171
Payments	15,873	16,029	17,092	18,444	18,487	18,401	18,727	20,747	22,059	23,311
Spending abroad	14,804	14,856	15,746	16,976	16,949	16,650	16,905	18,880	20,299	21,499
Selected supplementary:	1,069	1,172	1,346	1,468	1,538	1,751	1,822	1,867	1,760	1,812
Medical	225	263	286	317	368	364	349	343	343	346
Education	715	776	889	982	1,008	1,216	1,290	1,331	1,206	1,246
Crew spending	129	133	171	169	162	170	183	193	211	219
United States										
Receipts	6,921	8,606	9,365	9,449	9,972	10,328	9,080	9,865	8,978	8,685
Spending in Canada	6,669	8,317	9,048	9,126	9,620	9,953	8,671	9,427	8,528	8,205
Selected supplementary:	252	290	317	323	351	375	409	439	450	480
Medical	65	70	71	72	77	80	83	83	84	86
Education	95	96	91	95	124	143	170	202	218	250
Crew spending	91	124	156	156	150	152	155	153	148	144
Payments	10,280	9,951	10,801	11,517	11,170	10,872	10,713	11,545	12,195	12,935
Spending in United States ²	9,373	8,961	9,716	10,349	9,936	9,499	9,262	10,052	10,845	11,555
Selected supplementary:	906	990	1,085	1,169	1,235	1,373	1,451	1,493	1,350	1,380
Medical	210	244	266	295	343	339	325	319	319	322
Education	582	628	665	722	750	882	963	1,001	839	859
Crew spending	115	117	155	151	142	152	164	172	191	199
Other countries										
Receipts	5,300	5,412	5,776	6,548	6,465	6,413	5,696	6,880	7,696	7,913
Spending in Canada	4,530	4,621	4,983	5,686	5,461	5,279	4,400	5,399	5,774	5,714
Selected supplementary:	770	791	794	861	1,004	1,134	1,296	1,481	1,922	2,199
Medical	22	20	21	22	21	20	20	23	26	28
Education	729	753	754	819	960	1,091	1,252	1,431	1,869	2,144
Crew spending	18	18	19	21	23	23	24	27	27	27
Payments	5,593	6,078	6,291	6,927	7,317	7,529	8,014	9,202	9,864	10,376
Spending in other countries ³	5,430	5,896	6,030	6,628	7,013	7,151	7,644	8,828	9,454	9,944
Selected supplementary:	163	183	261	299	304	378	370	374	411	432
Medical	16	18	20	22	26	25	24	24	24	24
Education	133	148	225	260	258	334	327	330	367	387
Crew spending	14	16	16	18	20	18	19	20	20	21

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 3-1
Receipts and payments in the travel account related to Canada's imports and exports (balance of payments basis)¹
— Receipts

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
	millions of dollars									
Travel receipts	12,221	14,019	15,141	15,997	16,437	16,741	14,776	16,745	16,674	16,598
Total current account receipts	385,415	414,777	461,219	531,961	513,754	514,913	496,899	539,081	575,151	594,207
Total services receipts	43,755	50,223	53,636	59,718	60,065	63,483	61,781	64,690	66,979	67,230
Total goods receipts	303,378	327,162	369,035	429,372	420,730	414,039	399,122	429,067	451,783	455,696
Exports by commodity groupings	303,378	327,162	369,035	429,372	420,730	414,039	399,122	429,067	451,783	455,696
Agricultural and fishing products	24,774	25,040	25,612	27,601	31,078	30,873	29,234	30,691	30,107	31,327
Energy products	27,178	23,812	29,876	53,158	55,770	49,330	60,521	68,063	86,805	86,784
Forestry products	35,105	35,441	40,083	42,775	40,287	37,246	34,519	39,283	36,410	33,262
Industrial goods	56,634	59,169	59,848	67,979	67,792	70,174	66,806	77,967	84,258	93,959
Machinery and equipment	68,934	80,704	88,677	110,050	102,553	97,091	88,676	91,122	94,111	94,673
Automotive products	69,470	78,461	97,292	97,886	92,527	96,676	87,385	90,389	88,077	82,539
Consumer goods	10,727	12,566	13,985	15,199	16,307	17,679	17,187	17,269	17,249	17,959
Other	10,556	11,969	13,662	14,724	14,416	14,970	14,794	14,283	14,766	15,193
	percent									
Contributions to total current account receipts	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.0	3.1	2.9	2.8
Contributions to total services receipts	27.9	27.9	28.2	26.8	27.4	26.4	23.9	25.9	24.9	24.7
Contributions to total goods receipts	4.0	4.3	4.1	3.7	3.9	4.0	3.7	3.9	3.7	3.6

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 3-2
Receipts and payments in the travel account related to Canada's imports and exports (balance of payments basis)¹
— Payments

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
	millions of dollars									
Travel payments	15,873	16,029	17,092	18,444	18,487	18,401	18,727	20,747	22,059	23,311
Total current account payments	396,812	426,140	458,649	502,692	488,649	495,135	482,250	510,030	547,208	570,629
Total service payments	52,619	56,549	60,272	65,500	67,874	70,707	73,302	76,680	79,141	82,394
Total goods payments	277,727	303,399	327,026	362,337	350,071	356,727	342,710	363,308	388,282	404,395
Imports by commodity groupings	277,727	303,399	327,026	362,337	350,071	356,727	342,710	363,308	388,282	404,395
Agricultural and fishing products	15,651	17,254	17,655	18,557	20,373	21,780	21,508	21,352	22,039	23,454
Energy products	10,628	8,634	10,708	17,853	17,747	16,567	19,813	24,782	33,669	34,578
Forestry products	2,386	2,503	2,743	3,065	2,887	3,138	3,008	3,172	3,135	3,083
Industrial goods	54,563	60,293	62,173	69,247	68,426	68,891	65,272	73,503	78,556	83,981
Machinery and equipment	91,339	101,124	108,247	122,913	111,947	105,947	98,684	104,099	110,972	114,638
Automotive products	60,826	66,790	75,934	77,433	72,574	81,469	76,492	77,365	78,376	79,783
Consumer goods	29,766	34,576	36,999	40,115	42,896	46,474	46,306	47,714	49,486	52,034
Other	12,568	12,225	12,567	13,154	13,221	12,461	11,627	11,321	12,049	12,844
	percent									
Contributions to total current account payments	4.0	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.9	4.1	4.0	4.1
Contributions to total services payments	30.2	28.3	28.4	28.2	27.2	26.0	25.5	27.1	27.9	28.3
Contributions to total goods payments	5.7	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.3	5.2	5.5	5.7	5.7	5.8

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 4
International travel accounts of selected countries¹

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
	millions of US dollars						
Receipts							
Australia	8,305	8,853	8,795	9,377	11,301	13,669	14,940
Austria	11,096	9,998	10,291	11,136	13,842	15,290	15,589
Belgium ²	7,318	7,447	7,613	6,935	8,193	9,208	9,842
Canada	10,203	10,778	10,623	10,687	10,601	12,847	13,590
China	14,098	16,231	17,792	20,385	17,406	25,739	29,296
Dominican Republic	2,483	2,860	2,798	2,730	3,128	3,152	3,508
France ³	31,578	30,981	30,363	32,437	36,617	40,693	42,167
Germany	18,231	18,611	18,031	19,278	23,124	27,613	29,151
Greece	8,786	9,219	9,155	9,909	10,766	12,715	13,578
Italy	28,350	27,493	25,822	26,873	31,247	35,378	35,319
Japan	3,431	3,373	3,306	3,497	8,848	11,265	12,430
South Korea	6,841	6,834	6,384	5,936	5,358	6,069	5,660
Mexico	7,223	8,294	8,401	8,858	9,362	10,796	11,803
Netherlands	6,977	7,197	6,708	7,710	9,164	10,310	10,383
Spain	31,214	29,802	30,550	31,880	39,634	45,067	47,681
Switzerland	7,840	7,788	7,505	7,885	9,169	10,542	11,063
United Kingdom	22,716	21,769	18,864	20,549	22,668	28,202	30,577
United States	89,401	97,943	88,779	84,752	83,305	94,090	102,014
Payments							
Australia	6,214	6,380	5,877	6,091	7,295	10,290	11,282
Austria	9,151	8,463	8,956	9,460	11,757	11,834	10,994
Belgium ²	10,437	10,182	10,569	10,185	12,210	13,956	14,814
Canada	11,499	12,438	11,961	11,722	13,337	15,914	18,341
China	10,864	13,114	13,909	15,398	15,187	19,149	21,759
Dominican Republic	264	309	291	295	272	310	352
France ³	18,746	17,906	18,109	19,518	23,395	28,544	31,180
Germany	55,879	52,823	51,810	52,660	64,628	70,614	72,488
Greece	3,991	4,558	4,177	2,436	2,431	2,872	3,039
Italy	16,891	15,685	14,795	16,924	20,589	20,460	22,371
Japan	32,772	31,884	26,531	26,656	28,958	38,252	37,565
South Korea	4,881	7,132	7,617	10,464	10,103	12,350	15,314
Mexico	4,541	5,499	5,702	6,060	6,253	6,959	7,600
Netherlands	12,029	12,191	11,994	12,976	14,592	16,346	16,082
Spain	5,862	5,922	6,529	7,295	9,071	12,153	15,046
Switzerland	6,745	6,335	6,235	6,674	7,462	8,779	9,262
United Kingdom	37,034	38,262	37,931	41,744	47,853	56,444	59,593
United States	61,058	67,043	62,820	61,738	60,932	69,662	73,558
Balance							
Australia	2,091	2,473	2,918	3,286	4,006	3,379	3,658
Austria	1,945	1,535	1,335	1,676	2,085	3,456	4,595
Belgium ²	-3,119	-2,735	-2,956	-3,250	-4,017	-4,748	-4,972
Canada	-1,296	-1,660	-1,338	-1,035	-2,736	-3,067	-4,751
China	3,234	3,117	3,883	4,987	2,219	6,590	7,537
Dominican Republic	2,219	2,551	2,507	2,435	2,856	2,842	3,156
France ³	12,832	13,075	12,254	12,919	13,222	12,149	10,987
Germany	-37,648	-34,212	-33,779	-33,382	-41,504	-43,001	-43,337
Greece	4,795	4,661	4,978	7,473	8,335	9,843	10,539
Italy	11,459	11,808	11,027	9,949	10,658	14,918	12,948
Japan	-29,341	-28,511	-23,225	-23,159	-20,110	-26,987	-25,135
South Korea	1,960	-298	-1,233	-4,528	-4,745	-6,281	-9,654
Mexico	2,682	2,795	2,699	2,798	3,109	3,837	4,203
Netherlands	-5,052	-4,994	-5,286	-5,266	-5,428	-6,036	-5,699
Spain	25,352	23,880	24,021	24,585	30,563	32,914	32,635
Switzerland	1,095	1,453	1,270	1,211	1,707	1,763	1,801
United Kingdom	-14,318	-16,493	-19,067	-21,195	-25,185	-28,242	-29,016
United States	28,343	30,900	25,959	23,014	22,373	24,428	28,456

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Source(s): Balance of Payments Statistics Yearbook, 2006, published by the International Monetary Fund.

Table 5
Person-trips by international travellers entering or returning to Canada, by duration

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
	thousands									
Non-resident travellers										
Same day	27,441	29,236	29,689	29,083	27,566	24,932	21,483	19,814	17,548	15,262
United States	27,089	28,965	29,450	28,805	27,301	24,710	21,278	19,539	17,265	15,017
Other countries	352	271	239	278	265	222	205	275	283	245
One or more nights	17,636	18,828	19,367	19,555	19,581	19,964	17,420	19,031	18,612	18,128
United States	13,401	14,893	15,180	15,188	15,570	16,168	14,232	15,088	14,390	13,856
Other countries	4,234	3,935	4,187	4,366	4,010	3,796	3,188	3,944	4,222	4,272
All trips	45,076	48,064	49,055	48,638	47,147	44,896	38,903	38,845	36,160	33,390
United States	40,490	43,857	44,630	43,994	42,871	40,878	35,509	34,626	31,655	28,873
Other countries	4,586	4,207	4,425	4,644	4,275	4,018	3,393	4,219	4,505	4,518
Resident travellers										
Same day	35,815	29,337	28,081	28,000	24,841	21,534	21,486	22,191	22,940	24,181
United States	35,815	29,337	28,081	28,000	24,841	21,534	21,486	22,191	22,932	24,181
Other countries	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	F	0
One or more nights	19,111	17,648	18,368	19,182	18,359	17,705	17,739	19,595	21,091	22,731
United States	15,127	13,430	14,116	14,666	13,527	13,025	12,666	13,856	14,862	15,992
Other countries	3,984	4,218	4,252	4,516	4,832	4,680	5,074	5,739	6,229	6,739
All trips	54,925	46,985	46,448	47,182	43,201	39,239	39,225	41,786	44,031	46,912
United States	50,942	42,768	42,196	42,666	38,368	34,559	34,151	36,047	37,794	40,173
Other countries	3,984	4,218	4,252	4,516	4,832	4,680	5,074	5,739	6,237	6,739
Other travellers	8,137	8,515	9,109	9,426	9,131	9,119	8,924	9,194	9,119	8,818
Non-resident crews	3,146	3,168	3,324	3,356	3,149	3,166	3,157	3,164	3,147	3,081
Resident crews	4,661	5,029	5,475	5,720	5,634	5,626	5,481	5,708	5,658	5,450
Other ¹	330	318	309	350	348	327	286	323	314	287
Grand total	108,139	103,564	104,613	105,246	99,478	93,254	87,052	89,825	89,310	89,121

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Table 6
Person-trips by United States residents entering Canada, by type of transportation

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
	thousands									
First quarter										
Same day – Total	5,245	5,600	5,597	5,727	5,910	4,986	4,486	3,991	3,520	3,180
One or more nights	1,693	1,804	2,008	2,099	2,220	2,294	2,140	2,064	2,100	1,910
Automobile	1,013	1,071	1,165	1,247	1,331	1,483	1,354	1,271	1,239	1,131
Plane	530	577	668	680	699	658	640	649	710	654
Bus	106	96	109	114	122	99	93	91	104	84
Other types ¹	45	60	67	58	69	54	53	54	48	41
Grand total	6,939	7,404	7,605	7,825	8,130	7,280	6,626	6,055	5,620	5,090
Second quarter										
Same day – Total	6,987	7,198	7,724	7,490	7,699	6,429	5,273	5,074	4,547	3,992
One or more nights	3,480	3,850	3,885	4,009	4,252	4,156	3,418	3,851	3,723	3,706
Automobile	2,118	2,367	2,421	2,441	2,577	2,672	2,160	2,405	2,248	2,172
Plane	843	958	962	1,009	1,074	985	850	1,002	1,026	1,075
Bus	246	242	252	237	227	196	129	133	156	140
Other types ¹	273	283	250	322	374	303	279	311	294	318
Grand total	10,467	11,047	11,609	11,500	11,951	10,585	8,691	8,925	8,270	7,698
Third quarter										
Same day – Total	8,865	9,448	9,614	9,352	8,892	7,819	6,819	6,288	5,565	4,774
One or more nights	5,939	6,566	6,631	6,464	6,555	6,920	6,050	6,517	6,100	5,780
Automobile	3,886	4,368	4,432	4,204	4,374	4,656	3,948	4,121	3,824	3,558
Plane	1,162	1,265	1,303	1,319	1,279	1,350	1,232	1,432	1,360	1,337
Bus	321	307	309	312	255	260	170	170	193	169
Other types ¹	570	626	587	629	647	654	700	793	723	716
Grand total	14,804	16,014	16,245	15,815	15,446	14,739	12,869	12,805	11,665	10,555
Fourth quarter										
Same day – Total	5,991	6,719	6,515	6,237	4,801	5,475	4,699	4,185	3,633	3,071
One or more nights	2,289	2,673	2,655	2,617	2,543	2,799	2,624	2,656	2,466	2,459
Automobile	1,382	1,596	1,591	1,565	1,608	1,797	1,657	1,612	1,464	1,457
Plane	689	823	827	828	730	798	780	849	819	815
Bus	140	159	140	134	104	105	84	105	93	83
Other types ¹	78	95	97	89	101	99	103	90	90	104
Grand total	8,281	9,393	9,171	8,853	7,344	8,274	7,323	6,841	6,099	5,530
Year										
Same day – Total	27,089	28,965	29,450	28,805	27,301	24,710	21,278	19,539	17,265	15,017
One or more nights	13,401	14,893	15,180	15,188	15,570	16,168	14,232	15,088	14,390	13,856
Automobile	8,399	9,402	9,609	9,457	9,889	10,607	9,120	9,409	8,774	8,318
Plane	3,224	3,623	3,760	3,835	3,782	3,790	3,501	3,932	3,915	3,881
Bus	813	804	810	798	708	661	476	498	546	477
Other types ¹	966	1,064	1,001	1,098	1,191	1,110	1,135	1,249	1,155	1,179
Grand total	40,490	43,857	44,630	43,994	42,871	40,878	35,509	34,626	31,655	28,873

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Table 7
Person-trips by residents of countries other than the United States entering Canada, by type of entry

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
	thousands									
First quarter										
Direct air and sea	347	336	372	391	426	383	382	390	454	450
Via the United States										
Land, same day	44	19	17	26	16	13	13	14	13	11
Land, one or more nights	113	58	52	64	51	52	48	46	49	47
Total, land	157	77	69	89	67	66	60	61	62	58
Air and sea	117	109	123	135	143	133	133	110	128	137
Total, via the United States	274	186	192	225	209	199	193	171	190	195
Grand total	622	521	564	616	636	582	574	561	644	645
Second quarter										
Direct air and sea	695	691	707	797	774	665	531	737	780	809
Via the United States										
Land, same day	84	73	48	62	55	30	24	36	38	32
Land, one or more nights	209	146	139	146	125	90	71	90	107	97
Total, land	293	219	187	208	180	121	95	125	145	129
Air and sea	238	243	260	279	275	238	183	247	262	283
Total, via the United States	530	461	447	487	455	358	278	372	407	412
Grand total	1,225	1,152	1,154	1,284	1,229	1,023	808	1,109	1,187	1,221
Third quarter										
Direct air and sea	1,094	1,032	1,068	1,169	1,089	1,062	876	1,130	1,171	1,207
Via the United States										
Land, same day	149	100	96	82	77	61	36	70	55	49
Land, one or more nights	388	301	282	254	204	192	136	170	197	172
Total, land	537	401	378	336	281	253	172	240	252	220
Air and sea	371	375	462	402	384	344	295	368	417	386
Total, via the United States	907	776	840	738	664	597	467	608	669	607
Grand total	2,001	1,808	1,908	1,907	1,754	1,659	1,343	1,738	1,840	1,814
Fourth quarter										
Direct air and sea	420	438	459	520	426	475	446	525	554	568
Via the United States										
Land, same day	42	37	33	35	19	23	19	41	20	17
Land, one or more nights	103	95	96	95	73	71	58	71	69	64
Total, land	146	132	129	130	91	94	77	112	89	81
Air and sea	172	155	211	187	140	185	145	174	191	189
Total, via the United States	318	287	340	317	231	279	222	286	281	269
Grand total	738	725	799	837	657	754	668	811	835	838
Year										
Direct air and sea	2,557	2,496	2,606	2,877	2,715	2,585	2,234	2,782	2,959	3,034
Via the United States										
Land, same day	319	229	194	205	166	128	91	161	125	108
Land, one or more nights	813	600	568	559	453	405	313	376	423	380
Total, land	1,132	829	763	764	619	533	404	538	548	488
Air and sea	897	881	1,057	1,003	941	900	754	899	999	996
Total, via the United States	2,030	1,710	1,819	1,767	1,560	1,433	1,159	1,437	1,546	1,483
Grand total	4,586	4,207	4,425	4,644	4,275	4,018	3,393	4,219	4,505	4,518

Table 8
Person-trips by Canadian residents returning from the United States, by type of transportation

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
	thousands									
First quarter										
Same day – Total	8,035	6,769	5,828	6,261	5,974	4,807	4,699	4,992	5,035	5,332
One or more nights	3,375	3,040	2,883	3,254	3,194	2,809	2,783	3,049	3,383	3,530
Automobile	1,732	1,455	1,318	1,483	1,446	1,449	1,369	1,541	1,683	1,730
Plane	1,456	1,422	1,411	1,595	1,572	1,213	1,280	1,364	1,531	1,653
Bus	159	136	127	147	140	118	108	117	145	124
Other types ¹	28	27	27	29	36	29	26	27	23	23
Grand total	11,410	9,809	8,711	9,515	9,169	7,616	7,482	8,041	8,418	8,862
Second quarter										
Same day – Total	9,223	8,091	7,154	7,196	6,826	5,456	5,232	5,648	5,670	6,165
One or more nights	3,721	3,531	3,534	3,702	3,556	3,218	2,995	3,416	3,617	3,888
Automobile	2,210	2,034	1,960	1,959	1,874	1,846	1,738	1,950	2,006	2,171
Plane	1,136	1,116	1,191	1,340	1,260	1,047	987	1,127	1,273	1,342
Bus	199	199	205	215	202	146	109	160	180	207
Other types ¹	176	182	179	187	221	178	161	178	158	168
Grand total	12,945	11,622	10,688	10,898	10,383	8,674	8,227	9,063	9,287	10,053
Third quarter										
Same day – Total	10,337	7,994	8,261	8,108	7,267	6,123	6,184	6,050	6,493	6,704
One or more nights	5,072	4,166	4,704	4,761	4,427	4,341	4,180	4,404	4,803	5,183
Automobile	3,645	2,792	3,122	3,106	2,990	2,961	2,893	3,043	3,290	3,587
Plane	913	887	1,050	1,119	922	886	867	907	1,068	1,157
Bus	207	186	200	205	179	158	123	129	147	155
Other types ¹	307	301	332	330	335	337	298	325	297	285
Grand total	15,409	12,160	12,965	12,869	11,694	10,465	10,364	10,454	11,296	11,887
Fourth quarter										
Same day – Total	8,219	6,484	6,838	6,434	4,774	5,148	5,371	5,501	5,734	5,980
One or more nights	2,959	2,693	2,994	2,950	2,349	2,657	2,708	2,987	3,060	3,391
Automobile	1,616	1,325	1,469	1,419	1,282	1,435	1,494	1,594	1,617	1,810
Plane	1,130	1,178	1,310	1,317	902	1,036	1,040	1,185	1,248	1,369
Bus	163	139	162	161	108	126	117	156	147	165
Other types ¹	50	51	54	53	58	60	56	52	47	48
Grand total	11,178	9,177	9,832	9,384	7,123	7,804	8,078	8,488	8,793	9,371
Year										
Same day – Total	35,815	29,337	28,081	28,000	24,841	21,534	21,486	22,191	22,932	24,181
One or more nights	15,127	13,430	14,116	14,666	13,527	13,025	12,666	13,856	14,862	15,992
Automobile	9,203	7,605	7,869	7,967	7,593	7,691	7,495	8,129	8,596	9,298
Plane	4,636	4,603	4,962	5,372	4,655	4,181	4,173	4,583	5,120	5,521
Bus	728	661	694	728	629	548	457	562	620	650
Other types ¹	561	561	592	599	649	604	540	582	527	523
Grand total	50,942	42,768	42,196	42,666	38,368	34,559	34,151	36,047	37,794	40,173

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Table 9
Overnight travel abroad by Canadian residents, related to selected economic and demographic series

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
	thousands									
Person-trips, one or more nights	19,111	17,648	18,368	19,182	18,359	17,705	17,739	19,595	21,091	22,731
Population of Canada	29,907	30,157	30,404	30,689	31,021	31,373	31,676	31,989	32,299	32,623
Adult population (18 years and over)	22,705	22,967	23,246	23,551	23,899	24,283	24,636	24,986	25,321	25,665
Employed labour force	13,706	14,046	14,407	14,764	14,946	15,310	15,672	15,947	16,170	16,484
GDP at market prices (millions of dollars)	882,733	914,973	982,441	1,076,577	1,108,048	1,152,905	1,213,175	1,290,828	1,375,080	1,446,307
CPI (1992=100)	107.6	108.6	110.5	113.5	116.4	119.0	122.3	124.6	127.3	129.9
Disposable income ¹ (millions of dollars)	546,166	568,766	596,227	639,567	669,196	694,010	720,855	758,569	791,486	842,302
Per capita disposable income ¹ (dollars)	18,262	18,860	19,610	20,840	21,572	22,121	22,757	23,713	24,505	25,819
	percent									
Change, person-trips, one or more nights	0.7	-7.7	4.1	4.4	-4.3	-3.6	0.2	10.5	7.6	7.8
Change, population of Canada	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Change, adult population (18 years and over)	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.4
Change, employed labour force	2.1	2.5	2.6	2.5	1.2	2.4	2.4	1.8	1.4	1.9
Change, GDP at market prices	5.5	3.7	7.4	9.6	2.9	4.0	5.2	6.4	6.5	5.2
Change, CPI	1.6	0.9	1.7	2.7	2.6	2.2	2.8	1.9	2.2	2.0
Change, disposable income ¹	3.5	4.1	4.8	7.3	4.6	3.7	3.9	5.2	4.3	6.4
Change, per capita disposable income ¹	2.5	3.3	4.0	6.3	3.5	2.5	2.9	4.2	3.3	5.4
	currency									
Exchange rate (in Canadian currency) ²										
Australia (dollar)	1.0295	0.9330	0.9589	0.8633	0.8008	0.8535	0.9105	0.9582	0.9243	0.8543
China (renminbi)	0.1681	0.1792	0.1795	0.1794	0.1871	0.1897	0.1693	0.1573	0.1479	0.1422
East Caribbean (dollar)	0.5128	0.5493	0.5504	0.5501	0.5765	0.5881	0.5248	0.4874	0.4535	0.4242
European Monetary Union (EURO)	1.5847	1.3704	1.3868	1.4832	1.5826	1.6169	1.5090	1.4237
Hong Kong (dollar)	0.1788	0.1915	0.1915	0.1906	0.1985	0.2013	0.1800	0.1671	0.1558	0.1460
Israel (shekel)	0.4017	0.3914	0.3590	0.3642	0.3681	0.3317	0.3080	0.2904	0.2704	0.2547
Japan (yen)	0.0115	0.0114	0.0131	0.0138	0.0128	0.0126	0.0121	0.0120	0.0110	0.0098
Mexico (nuevo peso)	0.1749	0.1628	0.1556	0.1571	0.1659	0.1630	0.1301	0.1154	0.1112	0.1041
South Korea (won)	0.0015	0.0011	0.0013	0.0013	0.0012	0.0013	0.0012	0.0011	0.0012	0.0012
Switzerland (franc)	0.9548	1.0258	0.9901	0.8793	0.9184	1.0112	1.0418	1.0473	0.9746	0.9050
Taiwan (new Taiwan dollar)	0.0484	0.0443	0.0461	0.0476	0.0459	0.0455	0.0408	0.0390	0.0378	0.0349
United Kingdom (pound)	2.2682	2.4587	2.4038	2.2499	2.2298	2.3582	2.2883	2.3842	2.2067	2.0886
United States (dollar)	1.3844	1.4831	1.4858	1.4852	1.5484	1.5704	1.4015	1.3015	1.2116	1.1341

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Table 10
Person-trips, person-nights and expenditures of non-resident travellers entering Canada and resident travellers returning to Canada

	Non-resident travellers				Resident travellers			
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2003	2004	2005	2006
All countries								
Same day								
Person-trips (thousands)	21,483	19,814	17,548	15,262	21,486	22,191	22,940	24,181
Spending (millions of dollars)	1,388	1,268	1,073	946	1,110	1,307	1,231	1,216
Average spending per person-trip (dollars)	65	64	61	62	52	59	54	50
One or more nights								
Person-trips (thousands)	17,420	19,031	18,612	18,128	17,739	19,595	21,091	22,731
Spending (millions of dollars)	11,683	13,557	13,229	13,008	15,698	17,475	18,965	20,165
Average spending per person-trip (dollars)	671	712	711	718	885	892	899	887
Person-nights (thousands)	107,698	123,426	125,656	123,265	183,055	204,740	223,840	232,542
Average number of nights per trip	6.2	6.5	6.8	6.8	10.3	10.4	10.6	10.2
Average spending per person-night (dollars)	108	110	105	106	86	85	85	87
Total								
Person-trips (thousands)	38,903	38,845	36,160	33,390	39,225	41,786	44,031	46,912
Spending (millions of dollars)	13,072	14,825	14,302	13,954	16,809	18,782	20,196	21,381
United States								
Same day								
Person-trips (thousands)	21,278	19,539	17,265	15,017	21,486	22,191	22,932	24,181
Spending (millions of dollars)	1,383	1,259	1,065	937	1,110	1,307	1,228	1,216
Average spending per person-trip (dollars)	65	64	62	62	52	59	54	50
One or more nights								
Person-trips (thousands)	14,232	15,088	14,390	13,856	12,666	13,856	14,862	15,992
Spending (millions of dollars)	7,288	8,168	7,463	7,275	8,075	8,664	9,537	10,229
Average spending per person-trip (dollars)	512	541	519	525	638	625	642	640
Person-nights (thousands)	56,723	60,738	57,331	55,295	97,333	107,067	117,164	119,996
Average number of nights per trip	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	7.7	7.7	7.9	7.5
Average spending per person-night (dollars)	128	134	130	132	83	81	81	85
Total								
Person-trips (thousands)	35,509	34,626	31,655	28,873	34,151	36,047	37,794	40,173
Spending (millions of dollars)	8,671	9,427	8,528	8,212	9,185	9,971	10,765	11,445
Other countries								
Same day								
Person-trips (thousands)	205	275	283	245	0	0	F	0
Spending (millions of dollars)	5	9	8	9	0	0	F	0
Average spending per person-trip (dollars)	27	34	28	39	0	0	F	0
One or more nights								
Person-trips (thousands)	3,188	3,944	4,222	4,272	5,074	5,739	6,229	6,739
Spending (millions of dollars)	4,395	5,389	5,766	5,732	7,624	8,811	9,428	9,937
Average spending per person-trip (dollars)	1,379	1,367	1,366	1,342	1,503	1,535	1,514	1,475
Person-nights (thousands)	50,975	62,688	68,325	67,971	85,722	97,672	106,676	112,546
Average number of nights per trip	16.0	15.9	16.2	15.9	16.9	17.0	17.1	16.7
Average spending per person-night (dollars)	86	86	84	84	89	90	88	88
Total								
Person-trips (thousands)	3,393	4,219	4,505	4,518	5,074	5,739	6,237	6,739
Spending (millions of dollars)	4,400	5,399	5,774	5,742	7,624	8,811	9,431	9,937

Table 11
Trip characteristics of non-residents entering Canada and staying one or more nights

	2003		2004		2005		2006	
	thousands	percent	thousands	percent	thousands	percent	thousands	percent
Number and percentage of person-trips								
Quarter of entry	17,420	100.0	19,031	100.0	18,612	100.0	18,128	100.0
First	2,687	15.4	2,597	13.6	2,720	14.6	2,528	13.9
Second	4,170	23.9	4,892	25.7	4,817	25.9	4,853	26.8
Third	7,301	41.9	8,147	42.8	7,826	42.0	7,499	41.4
Fourth	3,261	18.7	3,395	17.8	3,248	17.5	3,249	17.9
Country of residence	17,420	100.0	19,031	100.0	18,612	100.0	18,128	100.0
Australia	136	0.8	174	0.9	179	1.0	178	1.0
China ¹	77	0.4	95	0.5	113	0.6	139	0.8
France ²	275	1.6	337	1.8	351	1.9	361	2.0
Germany	253	1.5	296	1.6	311	1.7	298	1.6
Hong Kong	87	0.5	115	0.6	109	0.6	107	0.6
India ³	67	0.4	73	0.4	94	0.5	108	0.6
Israel	47	0.3	61	0.3	72	0.4	68	0.4
Italy ⁴	57	0.3	86	0.5	91	0.5	88	0.5
Japan	250	1.4	391	2.1	398	2.1	364	2.0
Mexico	132	0.8	169	0.9	179	1.0	202	1.1
Netherlands	104	0.6	114	0.6	118	0.6	118	0.7
South Korea	133	0.8	164	0.9	173	0.9	189	1.0
Switzerland ⁵	83	0.5	89	0.5	97	0.5	92	0.5
Taiwan	68	0.4	106	0.6	98	0.5	93	0.5
United Kingdom ⁶	691	4.0	801	4.2	888	4.8	842	4.6
United States	14,232	81.7	15,088	79.3	14,390	77.3	13,856	76.4
Other countries	729	4.2	871	4.6	952	5.1	1,026	5.7
Purpose of trip	17,420	100.0	19,031	100.0	18,612	100.0	18,128	100.0
Business, convention or employment	2,231	12.8	2,571	13.5	2,622	14.1	2,650	14.6
Visiting friends or relatives	3,818	21.9	3,993	21.0	4,161	22.4	4,133	22.8
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	9,669	55.5	10,595	55.7	9,951	53.5	9,744	53.8
Other	1,701	9.8	1,872	9.8	1,877	10.1	1,600	8.8
Sex	17,420	100.0	19,031	100.0	18,612	100.0	18,128	100.0
Male	8,093	46.5	9,009	47.3	8,757	47.0	8,415	46.4
Female	7,778	44.6	8,645	45.4	8,446	45.4	8,203	45.2
Not stated	1,549	8.9	1,377	7.2	1,409	7.6	1,510	8.3
Age group	17,420	100.0	19,031	100.0	18,612	100.0	18,128	100.0
Under 12 years	904	5.2	967	5.1	928	5.0	890	4.9
12 to 19 years	849	4.9	1,001	5.3	950	5.1	913	5.0
20 to 24 years	647	3.7	762	4.0	746	4.0	684	3.8
25 to 34 years	2,000	11.5	2,157	11.3	2,174	11.7	1,923	10.6
35 to 44 years	2,698	15.5	2,927	15.4	2,797	15.0	2,634	14.5
45 to 54 years	3,276	18.8	3,564	18.7	3,371	18.1	3,304	18.2
55 to 64 years	3,081	17.7	3,462	18.2	3,456	18.6	3,476	19.2
65 years and over	2,417	13.9	2,813	14.8	2,781	14.9	2,794	15.4
Not stated	1,549	8.9	1,377	7.2	1,409	7.6	1,510	8.3
Length of stay	17,420	100.0	19,031	100.0	18,612	100.0	18,128	100.0
1 night	2,986	17.1	3,018	15.9	2,913	15.7	2,794	15.4
2 to 6 nights	9,841	56.5	10,801	56.8	10,510	56.5	10,218	56.4
7 to 13 nights	2,963	17.0	3,276	17.2	3,177	17.1	3,098	17.1
14 nights and over	1,629	9.4	1,936	10.2	2,012	10.8	2,018	11.1

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 12
Person-trips, person-nights and expenditures of United States residents entering Canada and staying one or more nights, by selected trip characteristics, 2006

	Person-trips		Person-nights	Average number of nights per trip	Spending in Canada	Average spending per person-trip	Average spending per person-night
	thousands	percent	thousands	number	millions of dollars	dollars	
Quarter of entry	13,856	100.0	55,295	4.0	7,275	525	132
First	1,910	13.8	6,223	3.3	963	504	155
Second	3,706	26.7	14,608	3.9	1,943	524	133
Third	5,780	41.7	25,718	4.4	3,171	549	123
Fourth	2,459	17.7	8,746	3.6	1,198	487	137
Region of residence	13,856	100.0	55,295	4.0	7,275	525	132
New England	1,495	10.8	5,488	3.7	663	444	121
Middle Atlantic	2,720	19.6	9,815	3.6	1,222	449	125
South Atlantic	1,346	9.7	6,803	5.1	975	724	143
East North Central	3,097	22.4	10,803	3.5	1,383	447	128
West North Central	922	6.7	4,020	4.4	553	599	137
East South Central	252	1.8	1,123	4.5	183	726	163
West South Central	552	4.0	2,387	4.3	411	744	172
Mountain	694	5.0	3,239	4.7	444	640	137
Pacific	2,649	19.1	10,953	4.1	1,361	514	124
Other states	128	0.9	665	5.2	80	624	120
Purpose of trip	13,856	100.0	55,295	4.0	7,275	525	132
Business, convention or employment	1,950	14.1	6,241	3.2	1,546	793	248
Visiting friends or relatives	2,754	19.9	12,527	4.5	820	298	65
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	7,970	57.5	32,430	4.1	4,383	550	135
Other	1,183	8.5	4,097	3.5	526	445	128
Type of transportation	13,856	100.0	55,295	4.0	7,275	525	132
Automobile	8,318	60.0	31,795	3.8	3,157	380	99
Other	5,538	40.0	23,499	4.2	4,118	744	175
Plane	3,881	28.0	18,348	4.7	3,436	885	187
Bus	477	3.4	1,427	3.0	215	450	151
Other types ¹	1,179	8.5	3,724	3.2	467	396	125
Length of stay	13,856	100.0	55,295	4.0	7,275	525	132
1 night	2,636	19.0	2,636	1.0	509	193	193
2 to 6 nights	9,037	65.2	29,780	3.3	4,608	510	155
7 to 13 nights	1,838	13.3	15,501	8.4	1,716	934	111
14 nights and over	345	2.5	7,378	21.4	443	1,284	60

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 13
Trip characteristics of United States residents entering Canada and staying one or more nights in province visited, 2006

	Atlantic provinces ¹	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia ²	Total
Person-visits (thousands)	944	2,108	6,899	283	159	938	3,770	15,100
Spending in province (millions of dollars)	429	1,202	2,891	143	101 ^E	669	1,841	7,275
Average spending per person-visit (dollars)	454	570	419	504	634 ^E	714	488	482
Person-nights (thousands)	3,935	7,779	24,314	1,080	678	4,375	13,132	55,295
Average number of nights per visit	4.2	3.7	3.5	3.8	4.3	4.7	3.5	3.7
Average spending per person-night (dollars)	109	154	119	132	149 ^E	153	140	132
	thousands							
Person-visits								
Quarter of entry	944	2,108	6,899	283	159	938	3,770	15,100
First	38	367	900	37	13	96	519	1,970
Second	217	545	1,870	81	45	273	1,005	4,036
Third	560	779	2,873	106	64	413	1,699	6,494
Fourth	129	416	1,255	59	37	156	547	2,600
Region of residence	944	2,108	6,899	283	159	938	3,770	15,100
New England	408	713	377	F	F	31 ^E	82	1,622
Middle Atlantic	104	569	1,893	F	F	81	194	2,868
South Atlantic	117	269	643	22 ^E	12 ^E	104	324	1,491
East North Central	89	205	2,580	36	27	106	252	3,294
West North Central	35 ^E	72	520	147	46	70	139	1,028
East South Central	18 ^E	30 ^E	122	F	F	F	68	283
West South Central	F	47	222	11 ^E	F	80	208	631
Mountain	40 ^E	49	163	12 ^E	15 ^E	166	357	802
Pacific	75 ^E	151	367	26	24 ^E	243	2,004	2,890
Other states	F	F	F	F	F	26 ^E	142	191
Purpose of trip	944	2,108	6,899	283	159	938	3,770	15,100
Business, convention or employment	55 ^E	371	987	38	22	202	367	2,043
Visiting friends or relatives	229	399	1,403	58	42	198	580	2,909
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	604	1,183	3,903	145	73	447	2,465	8,820
Other	56 ^E	154	605	42	22 ^E	91	357	1,328
Type of transportation	944	2,108	6,899	283	159	938	3,770	15,100
Automobile	505	1,190	4,786	180	92	360	1,962	9,076
Non-automobile	439	918	2,112	103	66	578	1,807	6,024
Plane	189	714	1,651	89	60	525	984	4,212
Bus	34	151	240	9	2	40 ^E	59	533
Other types ³	217	54	221	F	F	14 ^E	765	1,279
Length of stay	944	2,108	6,899	283	159	938	3,770	15,100
1 night	175	289	1,628	67	46	143	903	3,251
2 to 6 nights	610	1,599	4,455	171	77	592	2,433	9,937
7 to 13 nights	127	196	687	40	32	170	376	1,628
14 nights and over	32 ^E	24 ^E	128	F	F	33 ^E	58	283

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 14
Person-trips by residents of the United States entering Canada and staying one or more nights, by selected trip characteristics and purpose of trip

	2005				2006			
	Business, convention or employment	Visiting friends or relatives	Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	Total ¹	Business, convention or employment	Visiting friends or relatives	Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	Total ¹
	thousands							
Quarter of entry	1,964	2,824	8,141	14,390	1,950	2,754	7,970	13,856
First	436	393	1,023	2,100	409	387	893	1,910
Second	556	659	2,038	3,723	556	691	2,094	3,706
Third	531	1,082	3,995	6,100	522	965	3,905	5,780
Fourth	440	689	1,084	2,466	464	710	1,077	2,459
Region of residence	1,964	2,824	8,141	14,390	1,950	2,754	7,970	13,856
New England	143	438	797	1,558	136	400	820	1,495
Middle Atlantic	300	504	1,737	2,830	287	494	1,689	2,720
South Atlantic	280	309	746	1,436	268	310	689	1,346
East North Central	459	550	2,024	3,402	400	504	1,923	3,097
West North Central	150	159	574	979	163	132	571	922
East South Central	48	25 ^E	117	205	74 ^E	27 ^E	139	252
West South Central	138	92	237	530	152	83	269	552
Mountain	140	147	357	706	155	142	341	694
Pacific	297	580	1,494	2,606	304	637	1,468	2,649
Other states	10 ^E	20 ^E	57	139	F	F	58	128
Type of transportation	1,964	2,824	8,141	14,390	1,950	2,754	7,970	13,856
Automobile	500	1,731	5,565	8,774	483	1,703	5,344	8,318
Plane	1,410	884	1,268	3,915	1,438	864	1,296	3,881
Bus	26 ^E	F	443	546	12 ^E	F	390	477
Other types ²	28 ^E	199	865	1,155	16 ^E	174	940	1,179
Sex	1,964	2,824	8,141	14,390	1,950	2,754	7,970	13,856
Male	1,204	1,186	3,647	6,672	1,170	1,113	3,532	6,332
Female	598	1,406	3,833	6,485	585	1,407	3,672	6,205
Not stated	162	232	660	1,233	194	233	765	1,319
Age group	1,964	2,824	8,141	14,390	1,950	2,754	7,970	13,856
Under 12 years	26 ^E	230	463	782	22 ^E	206	482	752
12 to 19 years	15 ^E	112	494	697	14 ^E	121	458	654
20 to 24 years	28 ^E	117	232	424	19 ^E	128	212	396
25 to 34 years	216	304	702	1,354	206	287	600	1,209
35 to 44 years	432	446	1,057	2,105	427	375	964	1,912
45 to 54 years	568	426	1,418	2,685	553	430	1,362	2,577
55 to 64 years	408	466	1,617	2,769	405	470	1,638	2,726
65 years and over	109	490	1,497	2,342	109	504	1,489	2,312
Not stated	162	232	660	1,233	194	233	765	1,319
Length of stay	1,964	2,824	8,141	14,390	1,950	2,754	7,970	13,856
1 night	423	364	1,536	2,770	395	349	1,501	2,636
2 to 6 nights	1,441	1,889	5,147	9,302	1,461	1,879	5,066	9,037
7 to 13 nights	85	461	1,243	1,959	75	408	1,212	1,838
14 nights and over	15 ^E	110	215	359	F	117	190	345

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Table 15
Person-trips by residents of countries other than the United States entering Canada, by country of residence and type of entry, 2006

	Direct air and sea	Via the United States				Total	Grand total
		Land, same day	Land, one or more nights	Total land	Air and sea		
thousands							
Europe	1,722	53	185	238	374	612	2,335
Austria	24	0	3	3	6	9	33
Belgium ¹	32	1	3	4	13	17	49
Denmark ²	19	1	4	5	4	9	28
France ³	278	4	21	25	72	97	375
Germany	219	11	42	52	42	94	313
Ireland (Republic)	34	1	4	5	11	16	50
Italy ⁴	58	8	11	19	18	37	95
Netherlands	86	3	17	19	16	36	122
Norway	16	0	2	3	3	6	22
Poland	22	0	1	2	2	3	26
Portugal ⁵	16	0	1	1	3	5	21
Spain ⁶	36	4	6	9	11	21	57
Sweden	21	1	3	3	7	10	31
Switzerland ⁷	69	2	7	9	15	24	94
United Kingdom ⁸	683	15	51	66	133	199	882
Other	109	2	9	11	19	30	138
Africa	64	1	3	4	15	19	83
Asia	871	39	144	183	273	457	1,328
China ⁹	113	3	11	15	21	35	148
Hong Kong	71	2	12	14	27	41	112
India ¹⁰	72	3	19	22	21	43	115
Israel	46	2	7	9	23	32	78
Japan	247	15	33	48	107	155	401
Philippines	32	1	9	11	8	19	50
South Korea	137	8	30	38	27	65	202
Singapore	11	1	3	4	9	13	24
Taiwan	65	2	13	15	14	30	95
Other	77	1	6	7	18	25	102
Central America	6	0	1	1	9	10	16
Bermuda and Caribbean	91	1	4	5	38	43	134
Bermuda	17	0	0	0	6	6	23
Jamaica	19	0	0	1	4	5	24
Trinidad and Tobago	20	0	0	1	4	4	25
Other	35	1	3	3	24	28	62
South America	85	1	6	8	49	56	142
Brazil	44	0	2	2	19	21	66
Other	41	1	4	5	30	35	76
North America	149	3	12	16	66	82	231
Mexico	133	3	12	16	65	81	214
Other	17	0	0	0	1	1	17
Oceania and other ocean islands	45	8	25	33	171	204	249
Australia	39	7	19	26	142	168	207
New Zealand	6	2	6	7	26	34	39
Other	1	0	0	0	2	2	3
Grand total	3,034	108	380	488	996	1,483	4,518

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 16
Person-trips by residents of countries other than the United States entering Canada, by country of residence and length of stay

	2003		2004		2005		2006	
	One or more nights	Total	One or more nights	Total	One or more nights	Total	One or more nights	Total
	thousands							
Europe	1,778	1,860	2,092	2,210	2,260	2,371	2,235	2,335
Austria	24	25	28	31	31	32	31	33
Belgium ¹	39	40	43	47	44	47	45	49
Denmark ²	22	23	24	26	26	27	28	28
France ³	275	282	337	343	351	363	361	375
Germany	253	272	296	318	311	337	298	313
Ireland (Republic)	29	31	35	39	42	43	48	50
Italy ⁴	57	62	86	96	91	101	88	95
Netherlands	104	106	114	120	118	122	118	122
Norway	16	17	18	19	20	21	21	22
Poland	20	20	23	23	22	23	25	26
Portugal ⁵	16	16	19	20	19	20	20	21
Spain ⁶	29	32	40	43	44	51	54	57
Sweden	26	26	30	31	31	33	31	31
Switzerland ⁷	83	84	89	93	97	99	92	94
United Kingdom ⁸	691	723	801	847	888	921	842	882
Other	96	99	110	113	126	129	134	138
Africa	58	60	65	68	68	72	82	83
Asia	848	923	1,156	1,276	1,220	1,324	1,237	1,328
China ⁹	77	78	95	105	113	121	139	148
Hong Kong	87	94	115	121	109	114	107	112
India ¹⁰	67	74	73	89	94	103	108	115
Israel	47	60	61	69	72	83	68	78
Japan	250	274	391	437	398	442	364	401
Philippines	31	33	35	38	42	44	49	50
Singapore	17	17	23	24	25	26	22	24
South Korea	133	149	164	191	173	191	189	202
Taiwan	68	69	106	109	98	101	93	95
Other	72	75	90	93	96	99	99	102
Central America	16	17	16	16	15	16	15	16
Bermuda and Caribbean	104	107	123	125	127	129	132	134
Bermuda	23	23	24	24	24	24	23	23
Jamaica	16	16	21	21	21	21	24	24
Trinidad and Tobago	17	18	21	21	22	22	25	25
Other	48	50	57	58	60	62	61	62
South America	73	78	95	105	123	131	137	142
Brazil	29	32	43	51	56	62	62	66
Other	44	46	52	55	67	69	74	76
North America	143	159	184	193	194	210	219	231
Mexico	132	144	169	177	179	194	202	214
Other	11	15	16	16	15	16	17	17
Oceania and other ocean islands	168	189	213	225	215	253	215	249
Australia	136	157	174	185	179	209	178	207
New Zealand	29	30	37	38	33	40	34	39
Other	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3
Grand total	3,188	3,393	3,944	4,219	4,222	4,505	4,272	4,518

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 17
Person-trips, person-nights and expenditures of residents of countries other than the United States entering Canada and staying one or more nights, by selected trip characteristics, 2006

	Person-trips		Person-nights	Average number of nights per trip	Spending in Canada	Average spending per person-trip	Average spending per person-night
	thousands	percent	thousands	number	millions of dollars	dollars	
Quarter of entry	4,272	100.0	67,971	15.9	5,732	1,342	84
First	618	14.5	10,558	17.1	874	1,414	83
Second	1,146	26.8	16,973	14.8	1,493	1,302	88
Third	1,718	40.2	27,587	16.1	2,374	1,382	86
Fourth	790	18.5	12,853	16.3	992	1,255	77
Area of residence	4,272	100.0	67,971	15.9	5,732	1,342	84
Europe	2,235	52.3	32,036	14.3	2,981	1,334	93
France 1	361	8.5	5,705	15.8	464	1,285	81
Germany	298	7.0	4,594	15.4	407	1,367	89
Netherlands	118	2.8	1,728	14.6	142	1,203	82
United Kingdom 2	842	19.7	10,598	12.6	1,148	1,364	108
Other Europe	616	14.4	9,411	15.3	820	1,330	87
Africa	82	1.9	1,809	22.1	111	1,356	61
Asia	1,237	29.0	22,448	18.1	1,653	1,336	74
China	139	3.3	4,007	28.8	257	1,846	64
Hong Kong	107	2.5	1,707	15.9	118	1,094	69
Japan	364	8.5	4,061	11.2	493	1,357	121
South Korea	189	4.4	4,192	22.2	270	1,435	65
Taiwan	93	2.2	1,352	14.6	98	1,061	73
Other Asia	346	8.1	7,128	20.6	416	1,204	58
Central America, Bermuda and Caribbean	148	3.5	2,396	16.2	169	1,142	70
South America	137	3.2	2,371	17.4	211	1,543	89
North America	219	5.1	4,110	18.8	284	1,298	69
Mexico	202	4.7	4,004	19.8	274	1,354	68
Oceania and other ocean islands	215	5.0	2,801	13.0	324	1,507	116
Australia	178	4.2	2,238	12.6	278	1,564	124
Purpose of trip	4,272	100.0	67,971	15.9	5,732	1,342	84
Business, convention or employment	701	16.4	7,696	11.0	1,115	1,591	145
Visiting friends or relatives	1,379	32.3	25,748	18.7	1,333	967	52
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	1,775	41.5	22,662	12.8	2,651	1,494	117
Other	418	9.8	11,865	28.4	633	1,515	53
Length of stay	4,272	100.0	67,971	15.9	5,732	1,342	84
1 to 6 nights	1,338	31.3	5,079	3.8	1,151	860	227
7 to 13 nights	1,261	29.5	11,822	9.4	1,637	1,298	138
14 to 20 nights	795	18.6	12,805	16.1	1,110	1,396	87
21 nights and over	879	20.6	38,265	43.5	1,835	2,088	48

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 18
Trip characteristics of residents of countries other than the United States entering Canada and staying one or more nights in province visited, 2006

	Atlantic provinces ¹	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia ²	Total
Person-visits (thousands)	258	1,090	2,046	79	51	793	1,477	5,794
Spending in province (millions of dollars)	207	1,027	1,952	56	34	780	1,675	5,732
Average spending per person-visit (dollars)	803	942	954	715	671	984	1,135	989
Person-nights (thousands)	2,304	12,312	24,711	849	545 ^E	7,608	19,642	67,971
Average number of nights per visit	8.9	11.3	12.1	10.8	10.7 ^E	9.6	13.3	11.7
Average spending per person-night (dollars)	90	83	79	66	63	103	85	84
	thousands							
Person-visits								
Quarter of entry	258	1,090	2,046	79	51	793	1,477	5,794
First	20	131	255	6 ^E	6 ^E	88	217	723
Second	65	269	562	21	18	242	423	1,599
Third	140	498	832	31	19	349	605	2,474
Fourth	34	192	397	21	F	114	232	998
Area of residence	258	1,090	2,046	79	51	793	1,477	5,794
Europe	181	732	1,018	42	32	444	607	3,056
France ³	11 ^E	294	110	F	F	16	22	457
Germany	37	72	122	8 ^E	5 ^E	70	121	435
Netherlands	12 ^E	17	51	F	F	38	46	168
United Kingdom ⁴	74	133	402	20	19	225	294	1,166
Other Europe	46	216	334	F	F	95	124	829
Africa	F	46	29	F	F	F	16^E	104
Asia	29^E	158	621	19^E	9^E	242	609	1,686
China	F	32	97	F	F	17 ^E	65	217
Hong Kong	F	8 ^E	48	F	F	16 ^E	58	133
Japan	F	37	169	7 ^E	F	88	188	502
South Korea	F	20 ^E	70	F	F	42	120	260
Taiwan	F	F	9 ^E	F	F	37	88	137
Other Asia	F	58	229	F	F	42	90	437
Central America, Bermuda and Caribbean	11^E	20^E	122	F	F	F	9^E	170
South America	F	32	94	F	F	14^E	27	181
North America	19	79	96	F	F	18	62	276
Mexico	F	74	96	F	F	18	62	254
Oceania and other ocean islands	10^E	23	65	10^E	F	62	147	321
Australia	10 ^E	19	56	F	F	46	122	262
Purpose of trip	258	1,090	2,046	79	51	793	1,477	5,794
Business, convention or employment	36	201	358	8 ^E	F	76	153	839
Visiting friends or relatives	63	299	753	36	16	191	344	1,702
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	135	508	746	29	21	475	829	2,743
Other	24	82	189	F	F	50	151	510
Length of stay	258	1,090	2,046	79	51	793	1,477	5,794
1 to 6 nights	151	581	926	44	34	452	737	2,924
7 to 13 nights	64	253	533	15 ^E	9 ^E	205	377	1,454
14 nights and over	43	256	587	20 ^E	9 ^E	137	363	1,415

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 19

Person-trips by residents of countries other than the United States entering Canada and staying one or more nights, by selected trip characteristics and purpose of trip

	2005				2006			
	Business, convention or employment	Visiting friends or relatives	Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	Total ¹	Business, convention or employment	Visiting friends or relatives	Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	Total ¹
	thousands							
Quarter of entry	659	1,338	1,811	4,222	701	1,379	1,775	4,272
First	112	172	265	620	124	208	223	618
Second	193	340	456	1,094	220	350	471	1,146
Third	198	533	832	1,726	186	532	835	1,718
Fourth	155	293	257	782	171	289	246	790
Area of residence	659	1,338	1,811	4,222	701	1,379	1,775	4,272
Europe	325	721	1,069	2,260	360	717	1,013	2,235
France ²	43	111	172	351	48	109	173	361
Germany	57	78	158	311	57	75	147	298
Netherlands	15	45	51	118	14	45	54	118
United Kingdom ³	92	286	461	888	98	274	429	842
Other Europe	118	200	228	592	142	214	211	616
Africa	17^E	35	12^E	68	14^E	44	19^E	82
Asia	209	390	435	1,220	211	424	420	1,237
China	42	41	8 ^E	113	43	44	24	139
Hong Kong	12 ^E	59	26	109	10 ^E	62	26	107
Japan	56	71	220	398	61	70	184	364
South Korea	26	53	35	173	32	67	44	189
Taiwan	F	18	64	98	F	18	57	93
Other Asia	69	147	82	329	59	163	86	346
Central America, Bermuda and Caribbean	17^E	52	48	142	23^E	54	48	148
South America	33	37	40	123	29	41	43	137
North America	35	37	91	194	39	43	110	219
Mexico	34	36	86	179	37	42	102	202
Oceania and other ocean islands	22	66	115	215	26	56	121	215
Australia	16 ^E	50	102	179	20	43	105	178
Sex	659	1,338	1,811	4,222	701	1,379	1,775	4,272
Male	477	563	847	2,085	499	581	801	2,083
Female	146	720	892	1,961	159	755	883	1,998
Not stated	36	54	72	176	42	43	91	192
Age group	659	1,338	1,811	4,222	701	1,379	1,775	4,272
Under 12 years	F	57	70	146	F	56	71	139
12 to 19 years	7 ^E	76	108	253	F	76	109	259
20 to 24 years	26	83	121	322	18	78	102	288
25 to 34 years	141	216	375	821	146	187	298	714
35 to 44 years	207	141	293	692	231	167	273	722
45 to 54 years	148	201	298	686	167	203	311	727
55 to 64 years	73	279	302	687	74	316	323	750
65 years and over	14 ^E	231	173	439	13 ^E	252	197	482
Not stated	36	54	72	176	42	43	91	192
Length of stay	659	1,338	1,811	4,222	701	1,379	1,775	4,272
1 to 6 nights	386	231	621	1,352	422	220	587	1,338
7 to 13 nights	155	392	585	1,218	172	435	558	1,261
14 to 20 nights	52	348	339	789	37	341	362	795
21 nights and over	66	367	266	863	70	384	267	879

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Table 20
Trip characteristics of Canadian residents returning after a stay of one or more nights abroad

	2003		2004		2005		2006	
	thousands	percent	thousands	percent	thousands	percent	thousands	percent
Number and percentage of person-trips								
Quarter of re-entry	17,739	100.0	19,595	100.0	21,091	100.0	22,731	100.0
First	4,476	25.2	4,967	25.3	5,452	25.8	5,740	25.2
Second	4,025	22.7	4,722	24.1	5,102	24.2	5,454	24.0
Third	5,414	30.5	5,751	29.4	6,261	29.7	6,773	29.8
Fourth	3,824	21.6	4,155	21.2	4,277	20.3	4,765	21.0
Province of residence	17,739	100.0	19,595	100.0	21,091	100.0	22,731	100.0
Atlantic provinces ¹	651	3.7	758	3.9	840	4.0	854	3.8
Quebec	3,345	18.9	3,656	18.7	3,901	18.5	4,206	18.5
Ontario	8,384	47.3	9,292	47.4	9,904	47.0	10,594	46.6
Manitoba	607	3.4	727	3.7	775	3.7	877	3.9
Saskatchewan	264	1.5	291	1.5	330	1.6	347	1.5
Alberta	1,494	8.4	1,657	8.5	1,853	8.8	2,177	9.6
British Columbia ²	2,995	16.9	3,214	16.4	3,489	16.5	3,677	16.2
Purpose of trip	17,739	100.0	19,595	100.0	21,091	100.0	22,731	100.0
Business, convention or employment	2,511	14.2	2,527	12.9	2,853	13.5	3,047	13.4
Visiting friends or relatives	3,635	20.5	4,038	20.6	4,268	20.2	4,388	19.3
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	10,114	57.0	11,382	58.1	12,213	57.9	13,461	59.2
Other	1,479	8.3	1,649	8.4	1,757	8.3	1,835	8.1
Sex	17,739	100.0	19,595	100.0	21,091	100.0	22,731	100.0
Male	7,664	43.2	8,465	43.2	9,028	42.8	9,691	42.6
Female	8,606	48.5	9,617	49.1	10,358	49.1	11,224	49.4
Not stated	1,469	8.3	1,514	7.7	1,705	8.1	1,817	8.0
Age group	17,739	100.0	19,595	100.0	21,091	100.0	22,731	100.0
Under 12 years	917	5.2	1,064	5.4	1,152	5.5	1,233	5.4
12 to 19 years	791	4.5	922	4.7	1,006	4.8	1,002	4.4
20 to 24 years	609	3.4	665	3.4	668	3.2	794	3.5
25 to 34 years	1,886	10.6	2,021	10.3	2,163	10.3	2,332	10.3
35 to 44 years	2,831	16.0	3,004	15.3	3,036	14.4	3,200	14.1
45 to 54 years	3,579	20.2	3,877	19.8	4,174	19.8	4,493	19.8
55 to 64 years	3,243	18.3	3,629	18.5	4,007	19.0	4,509	19.8
65 years and over	2,415	13.6	2,900	14.8	3,179	15.1	3,352	14.7
Not stated	1,469	8.3	1,514	7.7	1,705	8.1	1,817	8.0
Length of stay	17,739	100.0	19,595	100.0	21,091	100.0	22,731	100.0
1 night	1,547	8.7	1,684	8.6	1,744	8.3	1,812	8.0
2 to 6 nights	7,330	41.3	7,946	40.5	8,625	40.9	9,552	42.0
7 to 13 nights	4,948	27.9	5,500	28.1	5,895	27.9	6,389	28.1
14 to 20 nights	2,071	11.7	2,409	12.3	2,549	12.1	2,624	11.5
21 nights and over	1,844	10.4	2,057	10.5	2,278	10.8	2,354	10.4

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 21

Person-trips, person-nights and expenditures of Canadian residents returning from the United States after a stay of one or more nights, by selected trip characteristics, 2006

	Person-trips		Person-nights	Average number of nights per trip	Spending	Average spending per person-trip	Average spending per person-night
	thousands	percent	thousands	number	millions of dollars	dollars	
Type of transportation	15,992	100.0	119,996	7.5	10,229	640	85
Automobile	9,298	58.1	68,929	7.4	4,341	467	63
Other	6,694	41.9	51,066	7.6	5,887	879	115
Plane	5,521	34.5	45,617	8.3	5,436	985	119
Bus	650	4.1	2,506	3.9	251	385	100
Other types ¹	523	3.3	2,943	5.6	200	383	68
Quarter of re-entry	15,992	100.0	119,996	7.5	10,229	640	85
First	3,530	22.1	34,682	9.8	2,939	833	85
Second	3,888	24.3	38,835	10.0	2,879	740	74
Third	5,183	32.4	26,364	5.1	2,290	442	87
Fourth	3,391	21.2	20,114	5.9	2,121	625	105
Region of destination	15,992	100.0	119,996	7.5	10,229	640	85
New England	1,777	11.1	8,110	4.6	723	407	89
Middle Atlantic	3,354	21.0	9,629	2.9	983	293	102
South Atlantic	1,989	12.4	33,094	16.6	2,479	1,246	75
East North Central	1,915	12.0	6,460	3.4	646	337	100
West North Central	1,077	6.7	3,595	3.3	398	370	111
East South Central	106	0.7	764	7.2	90	851	118
West South Central	281	1.8	2,225	7.9	263	938	118
Mountain	1,697	10.6	14,184	8.4	1,660	978	117
Pacific	2,543	15.9	14,786	5.8	1,254	493	85
Alaska	207	1.3	1,670	8.0	112	540	67
Hawaii	271	1.7	4,574	16.9	496	1,833	109
Touring ²	775	4.8	20,905	27.0	1,124	1,449	54
Purpose of trip	15,992	100.0	119,996	7.5	10,229	640	85
Business, convention or employment	2,341	14.6	10,223	4.4	2,063	882	202
Visiting friends or relatives	3,192	20.0	18,899	5.9	1,048	328	55
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	8,994	56.2	83,248	9.3	6,511	724	78
Other	1,466	9.2	7,626	5.2	605	413	79
Length of stay	15,992	100.0	119,996	7.5	10,229	640	85
1 night	1,797	11.2	1,797	1.0	272	151	151
2 to 6 nights	9,125	57.1	29,582	3.2	4,071	446	138
7 to 13 nights	3,401	21.3	29,518	8.7	2,867	843	97
14 nights and over	1,669	10.4	59,099	35.4	3,019	1,809	51

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Table 22
Trip characteristics of Canadian residents returning from the United States, by province of residence, 2006

	Atlantic provinces ¹	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia ²	Canada
Same day								
Person-trips (thousands)	3,796	1,968	13,210	600	131	164	4,312	24,181
Spending (millions of dollars)	154	77	684	67 ^E	9 ^E	10 ^E	215	1,216
Average spending per person-trip (dollars)	40	39	52	111 ^E	71 ^E	63 ^E	50	50
One or more nights								
Person-trips (thousands)	642	2,822	7,319	734	266	1,519	2,691	15,992
Spending (millions of dollars)	436	1,638	4,751	357	197	1,358	1,491	10,229
Average spending per person-trip (dollars)	680	580	649	487	742	894	554	640
Person-nights (thousands)	5,154	20,067	58,445	3,606	2,283	12,513	17,927	119,996
Average number of nights per trip	8.0	7.1	8.0	4.9	8.6	8.2	6.7	7.5
Average spending per person-night (dollars)	85	82	81	99	86	109	83	85
Total								
Person-trips (thousands)	4,438	4,790	20,529	1,335	397	1,683	7,003	40,173
Spending (millions of dollars)	590	1,715	5,435	424	207	1,368	1,706	11,445
thousands								
Person-trips, one or more nights								
Type of transportation								
Automobile	379	1,713	4,399	531	140	525	1,612	9,298
Other	263	1,109	2,920	203	126	994	1,079	6,694
Region of destination								
New England	369	1,020	350	F	F	18 ^E	15 ^E	1,777
Middle Atlantic	52	892	2,288	9 ^E	F	64	44 ^E	3,354
South Atlantic	108	475	1,121	49 ^E	18 ^E	104	114	1,989
East North Central	15 ^E	86	1,667	37	F	59	38 ^E	1,915
West North Central	F	23 ^E	335	519	105	67	F	1,077
East South Central	F	F	67	F	F	F	F	106
West South Central	F	28	123	F	F	61 ^E	F	281
Mountain	16 ^E	103	419	45	51	705	358	1,697
Pacific	F	94	276	29 ^E	F	270	1,843	2,543
Alaska	F	F	64 ^E	F	F	F	55	207
Hawaii	F	F	50 ^E	F	F	76 ^E	110	271
Touring ³	43	71	559	18 ^E	F	31 ^E	46	775
Quarter of re-entry								
First	129	512	1,758	160	64	319	587	3,530
Second	185	677	1,741	172	64	374	674	3,888
Third	193	1,142	2,201	245	79	486	838	5,183
Fourth	135	490	1,618	157	59	340	592	3,391
Sex								
Male	275	1,251	3,200	294	108	661	1,077	6,866
Female	332	1,332	3,547	391	138	721	1,407	7,867
Not stated	35	239	572	50	20 ^E	136	208	1,259
Age group								
Under 12 years	24	229	407	63	10 ^E	74	152	959
12 to 19 years	21	145	313	40	15 ^E	79	105	718
20 to 24 years	22	104	245	25	7 ^E	42 ^E	86	530
25 to 34 years	54	322	726	73	22 ^E	127	216	1,541
35 to 44 years	101	482	1,025	100	28	228	387	2,352
45 to 54 years	117	499	1,583	130	47	317	449	3,142
55 to 64 years	158	456	1,419	134	64	284	560	3,075
65 years and over	110	345	1,027	119	54	231	531	2,416
Not stated	35	239	572	50	20 ^E	136	208	1,259
Length of stay								
1 night	59	234	917	84	16	79	409	1,797
2 to 6 nights	351	1,730	4,057	506	143	809	1,529	9,125
7 to 13 nights	165	578	1,550	105	70	419	515	3,401
14 nights and over	66	280	795	39	37	212	238	1,669

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 23-1
Trip characteristics of Canadian residents returning from the United States after a stay of one or more nights
— Purpose of trip

	2005				2006			
	Business, convention or employment	Visiting friends or relatives	Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	Total ¹	Business, convention or employment	Visiting friends or relatives	Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	Total ¹
thousands								
Person-trips								
Province of residence	2,206	3,086	8,182	14,862	2,341	3,192	8,994	15,992
Atlantic provinces ²	71	126	320	601	72	125	358	642
Quebec	332	498	1,646	2,625	354	475	1,836	2,822
Ontario	1,187	1,559	3,475	6,929	1,264	1,607	3,704	7,319
Manitoba	52	95	383	628	69	101	450	734
Saskatchewan	30	44 ^E	145	247	32	42	157	266
Alberta	237	215	756	1,284	250	258	878	1,519
British Columbia ³	297	548	1,457	2,548	300	584	1,611	2,691
Quarter of re-entry	2,206	3,086	8,182	14,862	2,341	3,192	8,994	15,992
First	533	704	1,925	3,383	590	686	1,989	3,530
Second	613	662	2,007	3,617	617	734	2,168	3,888
Third	518	979	2,826	4,803	547	995	3,203	5,183
Fourth	542	741	1,424	3,060	586	776	1,633	3,391
Region of destination	2,206	3,086	8,182	14,862	2,341	3,192	8,994	15,992
New England	148	381	978	1,676	144	365	1,099	1,777
Middle Atlantic	345	735	1,613	3,060	362	732	1,844	3,354
South Atlantic	344	263	1,192	1,862	410	289	1,225	1,989
East North Central	424	591	588	1,854	400	599	648	1,915
West North Central	109	148	527	950	138	148	602	1,077
East South Central	34	21 ^E	29 ^E	89	47	28 ^E	25 ^E	106
West South Central	155	54 ^E	47	270	150	77 ^E	44 ^E	281
Mountain	276	186	949	1,506	281	223	1,108	1,697
Pacific	300	586	1,292	2,375	331	610	1,402	2,543
Alaska	F	F	150	174	F	F	191	207
Hawaii	F	F	226	258	F	F	242	271
Touring ⁴	51	106	591	789	63	106	564	775
Sex	2,206	3,086	8,182	14,862	2,341	3,192	8,994	15,992
Male	1,266	1,196	3,456	6,443	1,311	1,227	3,787	6,866
Female	718	1,686	4,142	7,260	811	1,741	4,541	7,867
Not stated	222	204	584	1,160	219	223	665	1,259
Age group	2,206	3,086	8,182	14,862	2,341	3,192	8,994	15,992
Under 12 years	27	226	596	906	26 ^E	219	654	959
12 to 19 years	24 ^E	149	475	723	33 ^E	136	472	718
20 to 24 years	49	96	234	456	46	122	281	530
25 to 34 years	319	331	658	1,463	339	339	699	1,541
35 to 44 years	572	357	1,140	2,232	571	374	1,222	2,352
45 to 54 years	632	519	1,530	2,937	658	534	1,683	3,142
55 to 64 years	284	612	1,551	2,709	358	631	1,810	3,075
65 years and over	77	592	1,414	2,278	90	614	1,508	2,416
Not stated	222	204	584	1,160	219	223	665	1,259
Length of stay	2,206	3,086	8,182	14,862	2,341	3,192	8,994	15,992
1 night	334	351	712	1,734	331	362	743	1,797
2 to 6 nights	1,561	1,718	4,062	8,189	1,680	1,845	4,700	9,125
7 to 13 nights	263	698	2,143	3,242	277	718	2,274	3,401
14 nights and over	49	319	1,266	1,698	52	268	1,276	1,669

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Table 23-2
Trip characteristics of Canadian residents returning from the United States after a stay of one or more nights —
Quarter of re-entry

	2005					2006				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Total
thousands										
Person-trips										
Region of destination	3,383	3,617	4,803	3,060	14,862	3,530	3,888	5,183	3,391	15,992
New England	247	322	803	303	1,676	246	333	861	337	1,777
Middle Atlantic	556	747	1,167	589	3,060	612	836	1,217	690	3,354
South Atlantic	710	477	281	393	1,862	736	527	283	443	1,989
East North Central	333	475	604	442	1,854	330	476	651	457	1,915
West North Central	167	211	357	214	950	185	266	407	219	1,077
East South Central	F	26	23 ^E	18 ^E	89	20 ^E	32	22 ^E	32 ^E	106
West South Central	81	78	49 ^E	61	270	65	66	80 ^E	70	281
Mountain	349	384	418	355	1,506	445	413	437	402	1,697
Pacific	547	544	772	511	2,375	512	623	857	551	2,543
Alaska	F	75	87	F	174	F	55	139	F	207
Hawaii	107	49	49	53	258	134	38 ^E	F	70	271
Touring 1	260	228	191	111	789	238	224	201	113	775
Purpose of trip	3,383	3,617	4,803	3,060	14,862	3,530	3,888	5,183	3,391	15,992
Business, convention or employment	533	613	518	542	2,206	590	617	547	586	2,341
Visiting friends or relatives	704	662	979	741	3,086	686	734	995	776	3,192
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	1,925	2,007	2,826	1,424	8,182	1,989	2,168	3,203	1,633	8,994
Other	220	336	479	352	1,388	265	369	438	395	1,466
Sex	3,383	3,617	4,803	3,060	14,862	3,530	3,888	5,183	3,391	15,992
Male	1,479	1,555	2,101	1,308	6,443	1,572	1,582	2,265	1,447	6,866
Female	1,616	1,750	2,406	1,487	7,260	1,699	1,896	2,594	1,678	7,867
Not stated	287	312	295	265	1,160	258	411	324	266	1,259
Age group	3,383	3,617	4,803	3,060	14,862	3,530	3,888	5,183	3,391	15,992
Under 12 years	230	186	382	109	906	205	190	434	130	959
12 to 19 years	203	109	313	98	723	165	129	317	107	718
20 to 24 years	110	104	165	78	456	116	108	201	105	530
25 to 34 years	321	377	484	281	1,463	317	390	500	334	1,541
35 to 44 years	474	509	760	488	2,232	484	539	814	514	2,352
45 to 54 years	655	679	957	645	2,937	707	697	1,035	703	3,142
55 to 64 years	627	659	800	623	2,709	761	735	873	707	3,075
65 years and over	477	682	647	473	2,278	516	690	685	526	2,416
Not stated	287	312	295	265	1,160	258	411	324	266	1,259
Length of stay	3,383	3,617	4,803	3,060	14,862	3,530	3,888	5,183	3,391	15,992
1 night	340	411	592	391	1,734	334	436	613	415	1,797
2 to 6 nights	1,475	2,063	2,917	1,735	8,189	1,638	2,283	3,187	2,018	9,125
7 to 13 nights	918	693	994	637	3,242	935	712	1,095	659	3,401
14 nights and over	651	451	299	297	1,698	624	458	288	299	1,669

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 23-3
Trip characteristics of Canadian residents returning from the United States after a stay of one or more nights
— Type of transportation

	2005			2006		
	Automobile	Other	Total	Automobile	Other	Total
	thousands					
Person-trips						
Region of destination	8,596	6,266	14,862	9,298	6,694	15,992
New England	1,311	365	1,676	1,397	379	1,777
Middle Atlantic	2,294	765	3,060	2,508	846	3,354
South Atlantic	362	1,500	1,862	402	1,588	1,989
East North Central	1,272	581	1,854	1,355	559	1,915
West North Central	713	237	950	830	248	1,077
East South Central	21 ^E	68	89	22 ^E	84	106
West South Central	16	253	270	13 ^E	267	281
Mountain	508	998	1,506	581	1,116	1,697
Pacific	1,412	963	2,375	1,515	1,028	2,543
Alaska	36	139	174	32	176	207
Hawaii	F	253	258	F	269	271
Touring ¹	645	144	789	641	134	775
Purpose of trip	8,596	6,266	14,862	9,298	6,694	15,992
Business, convention or employment	529	1,677	2,206	607	1,734	2,341
Visiting friends or relatives	2,063	1,022	3,086	2,110	1,082	3,192
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	4,970	3,213	8,182	5,469	3,524	8,994
Other	1,034	354	1,388	1,112	355	1,466
Sex	8,596	6,266	14,862	9,298	6,694	15,992
Male	3,719	2,723	6,443	3,994	2,872	6,866
Female	4,430	2,831	7,260	4,760	3,107	7,867
Not stated	447	712	1,160	544	715	1,259
Age group	8,596	6,266	14,862	9,298	6,694	15,992
Under 12 years	671	235	906	707	252	959
12 to 19 years	547	176	723	542	177	718
20 to 24 years	278	178	456	321	210	530
25 to 34 years	734	728	1,463	825	716	1,541
35 to 44 years	1,144	1,087	2,232	1,229	1,122	2,352
45 to 54 years	1,615	1,322	2,937	1,693	1,449	3,142
55 to 64 years	1,714	995	2,709	1,891	1,184	3,075
65 years and over	1,446	832	2,278	1,546	870	2,416
Not stated	447	712	1,160	544	715	1,259
Length of stay	8,596	6,266	14,862	9,298	6,694	15,992
1 night	1,417	316	1,734	1,475	322	1,797
2 to 6 nights	4,951	3,238	8,189	5,526	3,600	9,125
7 to 13 nights	1,326	1,915	3,242	1,415	1,986	3,401
14 nights and over	901	797	1,698	882	787	1,669

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 24-1

Trip characteristics of Canadian residents returning from countries other than the United States after a stay of one or more nights — Purpose of trip

	2005				2006			
	Business, convention or employment	Visiting friends or relatives	Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	Total ¹	Business, convention or employment	Visiting friends or relatives	Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	Total ¹
	thousands							
Quarter of re-entry	647	1,183	4,030	6,229	707	1,196	4,467	6,739
First	138	277	1,554	2,069	170	280	1,633	2,210
Second	187	313	905	1,485	195	316	987	1,566
Third	144	398	793	1,458	166	405	930	1,590
Fourth	177	195	778	1,217	176	194	917	1,374
Province of residence	647	1,183	4,030	6,229	707	1,196	4,467	6,739
Atlantic provinces ²	35 ^E	30 ^E	165	239	40 ^E	21 ^E	137	212
Quebec	141	124	979	1,275	146	147	1,046	1,384
Ontario	301	671	1,799	2,975	348	635	2,111	3,275
Manitoba	F	F	102	146	F	F	87 ^E	143
Saskatchewan	F	F	54	82	F	F	62	81
Alberta	68	89	377	569	63	117	444	658
British Columbia ³	82	231	554	941	93	241	582	986
Area of destination ⁴	647	1,183	4,030	6,229	707	1,196	4,467	6,739
Europe	327	724	1,170	2,375	361	675	1,198	2,380
Africa	F	F	61 ^E	129	42	F	80 ^E	167
Asia	136	284	263	745	155	335	278	852
Central America	F	F	70 ^E	83	F	F	121	154
Bermuda and Caribbean	44	64	1,232	1,406	48 ^E	33 ^E	1,391	1,534
South America	30 ^E	33 ^E	71	146	32 ^E	F	62 ^E	146
Other areas ⁵	62	47	743	902	43	56	846	977
Cruises	F	F	416	437	F	F	490	519
Sex	647	1,183	4,030	6,229	707	1,196	4,467	6,739
Male	408	463	1,589	2,585	422	471	1,806	2,825
Female	178	594	2,151	3,097	229	618	2,323	3,357
Not stated	60	125	291	546	56	107	338	557
Age group	647	1,183	4,030	6,229	707	1,196	4,467	6,739
Under 12 years	F	72	159	246	F	93	161	274
12 to 19 years	F	46	197	284	F	68	186	284
20 to 24 years	F	45	133	212	F	49	165	264
25 to 34 years	92	136	417	701	100	123	509	791
35 to 44 years	139	123	512	804	144	125	545	848
45 to 54 years	178	191	823	1,238	181	214	921	1,351
55 to 64 years	127	229	877	1,298	158	225	988	1,434
65 years and over	25 ^E	216	623	901	45	192	654	936
Not stated	60	125	291	546	56	107	338	557
Length of stay	647	1,183	4,030	6,229	707	1,196	4,467	6,739
1 to 6 nights	206	36 ^E	177	446	211	29 ^E	182	442
7 to 13 nights	229	254	2,013	2,653	285	237	2,331	2,988
14 to 20 nights	92	373	1,158	1,686	98	340	1,298	1,817
21 nights and over	119	520	684	1,444	112	590	657	1,492

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 24-2

Trip characteristics of Canadian residents returning from countries other than the United States after a stay of one or more nights — Quarter of re-entry

	2005					2006				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Total
	thousands									
Area of destination ¹	2,069	1,485	1,458	1,217	6,229	2,210	1,566	1,590	1,374	6,739
Europe	365	643	890	477	2,375	305	679	856	539	2,380
Africa	28 ^E	34 ^E	30 ^E	37 ^E	129	75 ^E	29 ^E	22 ^E	41 ^E	167
Asia	238	154	190	164	745	253	170	267	162	852
Central America	30 ^E	F	F	F	83	107 ^E	F	F	F	154
Bermuda and Caribbean	703	324	139	240	1,406	785	311	186	252	1,534
South America	62 ^E	42 ^E	26 ^E	15 ^E	146	F	33 ^E	31 ^E	F	146
Other areas ²	509	171	83	139	902	453	198	105	220	977
Cruises	133	102	82	121	437	159	124	104	133	519
Purpose of trip	2,069	1,485	1,458	1,217	6,229	2,210	1,566	1,590	1,374	6,739
Business, convention or employment	138	187	144	177	647	170	195	166	176	707
Visiting friends or relatives	277	313	398	195	1,183	280	316	405	194	1,196
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	1,554	905	793	778	4,030	1,633	987	930	917	4,467
Other	99	80	122	67	369	127 ^E	67	88	87	369
Sex	2,069	1,485	1,458	1,217	6,229	2,210	1,566	1,590	1,374	6,739
Male	846	597	612	530	2,585	966	597	673	589	2,825
Female	1,055	744	710	588	3,097	1,102	773	819	662	3,357
Not stated	167	144	136	98	546	142	195	98	122	557
Age group	2,069	1,485	1,458	1,217	6,229	2,210	1,566	1,590	1,374	6,739
Under 12 years	87	56	79	24 ^E	246	85	48	106	34	274
12 to 19 years	100	39 ^E	120	26 ^E	284	78	35	140	30	284
20 to 24 years	59	48	76	29 ^E	212	79	76	70	39	264
25 to 34 years	215	164	177	144	701	234	174	209	174	791
35 to 44 years	299	193	168	144	804	310	183	201	154	848
45 to 54 years	433	275	297	232	1,238	512	251	324	265	1,351
55 to 64 years	409	328	249	312	1,298	484	346	265	339	1,434
65 years and over	299	237	157	208	901	286	257	177	215	936
Not stated	167	144	136	98	546	142	195	98	122	557
Length of stay	2,069	1,485	1,458	1,217	6,229	2,210	1,566	1,590	1,374	6,739
1 to 6 nights	129	105	113	99	446	132	93	85	132	442
7 to 13 nights	1,027	646	430	551	2,653	1,144	679	510	655	2,988
14 to 20 nights	512	408	458	308	1,686	530	437	499	351	1,817
21 nights and over	401	326	458	259	1,444	404	357	495	235	1,492

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 24-3
Trip characteristics of Canadian residents returning from countries other than the United States after a stay of one or more nights — Province of residence, 2006

	Atlantic provinces ¹	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia ²	Canada
Person-trips (thousands)	212	1,384	3,275	143	81	658	986	6,739
Spending (millions of dollars)	266	1,889	4,568	199	111	1,131	1,773	9,937
Average spending per person-trip (dollars)	1,251	1,365	1,395	1,394	1,378	1,718	1,798	1,475
Person-nights (thousands)	2,856	20,714	51,816	2,526 ^E	1,164	12,277	21,194	112,546
Average number of nights per trip	13.4	15.0	15.8	17.7	14.4	18.7	21.5	16.7
Average spending per person-night (dollars)	93	91	88	79	96	92	84	88
	thousands							
Person-trips, one or more nights								
Quarter of re-entry	212	1,384	3,275	143	81	658	986	6,739
First	63	466	1,034	83 ^E	41	209	313	2,210
Second	71	324	755	F	23 ^E	146	231	1,566
Third	50 ^E	331	810	F	F	160	217	1,590
Fourth	29 ^E	263	677	28 ^E	F	143	225	1,374
Area of destination³	212	1,384	3,275	143	81	658	986	6,739
Europe	71	558	1,217	28 ^E	F	179	308	2,380
Africa	F	43 ^E	85 ^E	F	F	F	22 ^E	167
Asia	F	57	359	F	F	127	253	852
Central America	F	74 ^E	59 ^E	F	F	F	F	154
Bermuda and Caribbean	64	477	779	22	F	97	86	1,534
South America	F	F	106 ^E	F	F	F	F	146
Other areas ⁴	24 ^E	86	396	F	33	193	203	977
Cruises	F	74	273	F	F	41 ^E	92	519
Purpose of trip	212	1,384	3,275	143	81	658	986	6,739
Business, convention or employment	40 ^E	146	348	F	F	63	93	707
Visiting friends or relatives	21 ^E	147	635	F	F	117	241	1,196
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	137	1,046	2,111	87 ^E	62	444	582	4,467
Other	F	F	181	F	F	34 ^E	70 ^E	369
Sex	212	1,384	3,275	143	81	658	986	6,739
Male	84	601	1,381	56	30	259	413	2,825
Female	114	679	1,616	79	39	332	498	3,357
Not stated	14 ^E	104	278	F	F	67	75	557
Age group	212	1,384	3,275	143	81	658	986	6,739
Under 12 years	F	55	135	F	F	36	39	274
12 to 19 years	F	58	114	F	F	39	51 ^E	284
20 to 24 years	F	61	124	F	F	28	32 ^E	264
25 to 34 years	17 ^E	198	384	F	11 ^E	64	95	791
35 to 44 years	30 ^E	185	407	15 ^E	9 ^E	85	119	848
45 to 54 years	55	294	604	36 ^E	21 ^E	147	194	1,351
55 to 64 years	50	305	699	32	F	128	208	1,434
65 years and over	19 ^E	124	531	17 ^E	7 ^E	65	173	936
Not stated	14 ^E	104	278	F	F	67	75	557
Length of stay	212	1,384	3,275	143	81	658	986	6,739
1 to 6 nights	28 ^E	90	246	F	F	31 ^E	38 ^E	442
7 to 13 nights	117	670	1,517	55	34	265	330	2,988
14 to 20 nights	30	399	869	F	27 ^E	181	263	1,817
21 nights and over	38 ^E	225	642	F	F	180	355	1,492

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 25
Person-visits, visit-nights and expenditures of Canadian residents returning from the United States, by state, 2006

	Same day ¹		One or more nights					Total		
	Person-visits	Spending	Person-visits	Spending	Visit-nights	Average length of stay	Average spending per person-visit	Average spending per visit-night	Person-visits	Spending
	thousands	millions of dollars	thousands	millions of dollars	thousands	nights	dollars		thousands	millions of dollars
Total	12,820	277.2	21,987	10,105.0	118,272	5.4	460	85	34,806	10,382.3
Alabama	49	F	51	F	199 ^E	3.9	303 ^E	77 ^E	100	F
Alaska	129	25.6	95	86.7	551	5.8	913	157	224	112.2
Arizona	117	6.3 ^E	496	544.1	7,455	15.0	1,096	73	614	550.4
Arkansas	F	F	41	10.2 ^E	99 ^E	2.4	248 ^E	103	59	10.4 ^E
California	245	F	1,037	873.9	9,152	8.8	843	95	1,282	879.0
Colorado	42	F	146	118.8	845	5.8	816	141	187	119.9
Connecticut	67	F	124	40.5 ^E	552 ^E	4.5 ^E	327	73 ^E	191	42.5 ^E
Delaware	28 ^E	F	F	F	F	2.2	F	93 ^E	44	F
Florida	166	F	2,098	2,372.5	37,816	18.0	1,131	63	2,264	2,391.9
Georgia	468	6.6	384	96.9	1,079	2.8	252	90	852	103.5
Hawaii	36 ^E	F	284	499.2	4,317	15.2	1,759	116	320	502.7
Idaho	281	4.4	233	55.3	687	2.9	238	81	514	59.7
Illinois	381	5.6 ^E	424	190.1	1,355	3.2	449	140	805	195.7
Indiana	345	4.6	202	54.4 ^E	F	F	270	74	547	59.0
Iowa	60	1.0 ^E	96	21.8 ^E	307	3.2	228	71	156	22.9 ^E
Kansas	37 ^E	F	37	F	F	F	325 ^E	71 ^E	74	F
Kentucky	214	3.1	267	38.1	560	2.1	143	68	481	41.2
Louisiana	F	F	72	54.6 ^E	321 ^E	4.5	761	170	90	54.9 ^E
Maine	194	5.1	746	199.9	2,477	3.3	268	81	940	205.0
Maryland	417	3.6	251	96.4 ^E	1,001 ^E	4.0 ^E	385 ^E	96 ^E	667	100.0 ^E
Massachusetts	212	4.6	583	240.1	2,249	3.9	412	107	795	244.7
Michigan	986	24.4	1,323	273.0	3,348	2.5	206	82	2,310	297.5
Minnesota	294	11.4	614	174.3	1,477	2.4	284	118	908	185.7
Mississippi	28 ^E	F	46 ^E	F	146 ^E	3.2	346 ^E	108 ^E	73	F
Missouri	30 ^E	F	134	58.7	588	4.4	437	100	165	59.8
Montana	93	1.8	513	127.4	1,671	3.3	248	76	605	129.2
Nebraska	26	0.5 ^E	51 ^E	F	134 ^E	2.7	349 ^E	131 ^E	76	F
Nevada	80	F	902	798.9	4,082	4.5	886	196	982	800.9
New Hampshire	493	7.3	360	89.1	1,045	2.9	248	85	853	96.5
New Jersey	84	F	264	95.6	997	3.8	362	96	348	99.3
New Mexico	17 ^E	F	66	28.7 ^E	254 ^E	3.8 ^E	432 ^E	113 ^E	83	28.9 ^E
New York	2,281	43.9	2,596	768.9	7,240	2.8	296	106	4,876	812.8
North Carolina	467	5.5	408	105.5	1,584	3.9	258	67	875	111.0
North Dakota	171	6.0	496	107.8	1,009	2.0	217	107	667	113.8
Ohio	368	5.3	507	115.0	1,283	2.5	227	90	875	120.3
Oklahoma	25 ^E	0.3 ^E	66 ^E	28.9 ^E	F	4.6	438 ^E	96 ^E	91 ^E	29.3 ^E
Oregon	64	1.4 ^E	325	82.1	1,125	3.5	252	73	390	83.6
Pennsylvania	845	11.6	696	133.3	1,687	2.4	191	79	1,541	144.9
Rhode Island	28 ^E	F	49	20.1 ^E	166 ^E	3.4	413 ^E	121	77	21.1 ^E
South Carolina	317	3.9	450	253.9	3,261	7.2	564	78	768	257.8
South Dakota	38	0.7 ^E	120	29.8	334	2.8	249	89	157	30.5
Tennessee	168	2.5	328	80.6	838	2.6	246	96	497	83.1
Texas	69	F	333	250.0	3,144	9.4	751	79	402	250.7
Utah	79	F	157	68.2	648	4.1	435	105	236	70.1
Vermont	851	10.7	642	130.6	1,846	2.9	203	71	1,493	141.2
Virginia	439	4.6	466	94.9	1,365	2.9	204	70	905	99.5
Washington	423	11.9	1,775	362.7	5,161	2.9	204	70	2,198	374.6
Washington D.C.	72	2.2 ^E	140	83.4	512	3.7	597	163	212	85.5
West Virginia	277	3.4 ^E	207	15.2	292	1.4	73	52	484	18.6
Wisconsin	130	2.2 ^E	189	51.9	542	2.9	275	96	319	54.1
Wyoming	53	1.3 ^E	82	18.7	232 ^E	2.8 ^E	227	81 ^E	136	20.0

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 26
Person-trips, person-nights and expenditures of Canadian residents returning from countries other than the United States after a stay of one or more nights, by selected trip characteristics, 2006

	Person-trips		Person-nights	Average number of nights per trip	Spending	Average spending per person-trip	Average spending per person-night
	thousands	percent	thousands	number	millions of dollars	dollars	
Quarter of re-entry	6,739	100.0	112,546	16.7	9,937	1,475	88
First	2,210	32.8	32,949	14.9	2,809	1,271	85
Second	1,566	23.2	26,872	17.2	2,353	1,503	88
Third	1,590	23.6	32,361	20.4	2,606	1,639	81
Fourth	1,374	20.4	20,365	14.8	2,168	1,579	106
Region of destination ¹	6,739	100.0	112,546	16.7	9,937	1,475	88
Europe	2,380	35.3	44,375	18.6	4,373	1,837	99
Africa	167	2.5	5,182	31.0	447	2,671	86
Asia	852	12.6	23,274	27.3	1,647	1,934	71
Central America	154	2.3	2,262 ^E	14.6	191	1,238	85
Bermuda and Caribbean	1,534	22.8	14,173	9.2	1,507	982	106
South America	146	2.2	2,789 ^E	19.1	188	1,284	67
Other areas ²	977	14.5	13,650	14.0	1,272	1,303	93
Cruises	519	7.7	6,330	12.2	276	531	44
Purpose of trip	6,739	100.0	112,546	16.7	9,937	1,475	88
Business, convention or employment	707	10.5	10,636	15.0	1,367	1,934	129
Visiting friends or relatives	1,196	17.7	29,230	24.4	1,597	1,336	55
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	4,467	66.3	63,184	14.1	6,330	1,417	100
Other	369	5.5	9,496	25.7	643	1,742	68
Length of stay	6,739	100.0	112,546	16.7	9,937	1,475	88
1 to 6 nights	442	6.6	1,972	4.5	394	892	200
7 to 13 nights	2,988	44.3	24,662	8.3	3,105	1,039	126
14 to 20 nights	1,817	27.0	28,594	15.7	2,965	1,632	104
21 nights and over	1,492	22.1	57,318	38.4	3,472	2,328	61

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

Table 27
Person-visits, visit-nights and expenditures of Canadian residents in selected countries, 2006

	One or more nights						Total 1		
	Person-visits	Spending	Visit-nights	Average length of stay	Average spending per person-visit	Average spending per visit-night	Person-visits	Spending	Average spending per person-visit
	thousands	millions of dollars	thousands	nights	dollars		thousands	millions of dollars	dollars
Europe	3,982	4,491	44,122	11.1	1,128	102	4,799	4,551	948
Austria	136	81	679 ^E	5.0	591	119	159	82	517
Belgium	112	78 ^E	675 ^E	6.0	697	116	128	79 ^E	616
France	645	872	8,263	12.8	1,352	106	707	877	1,240
Germany	334	291	3,035	9.1	871	96	421	294	699
Greece	126	169	1,551 ^E	12.3	1,339	109	168	175	1,040
Ireland (Republic)	140	176	1,594	11.4	1,253	110	155	179	1,159
Italy	315	490	3,498	11.1	1,555	140	372	495	1,332
Netherlands	239	194	1,967	8.2	810	99	294	197	668
Portugal	132	191 ^E	2,026 ^E	15.3	1,442	94	146	192 ^E	1,315
Spain	182	252	1,998	11.0	1,388	126	226	255	1,129
Switzerland	177	138 ^E	1,392 ^E	7.9 ^E	780	99	197	139 ^E	706
United Kingdom	778	942	9,628	12.4	1,210	98	836	945	1,131
Other	665	618	7,817	11.8	930	79	990	642	648
Africa	279	457	5,143	18.4	1,637	89	307	459	1,493
Asia	1,216	1,668	23,036	18.9	1,371	72	1,289	1,671	1,297
China	250	451	5,290	21.1	1,801	85	257	451	1,752
Hong Kong	150	180	2,360	15.7	1,201	76	170	182	1,065
India	108 ^E	124 ^E	3,493 ^E	32.4	1,150	36 ^E	108 ^E	124 ^E	1,150
Japan	111	178	1,520	13.7	1,612	117	125	178	1,426
Other	597	734	10,372	17.4	1,229	71	628	736	1,172
Central America	173	192	2,250^E	13.0	1,107	85	271	198	729
Bermuda and Caribbean	1,585	1,521	13,916	8.8	960	109	2,396	1,575	658
Cuba	638	579	5,295	8.3	906	109	638	579	906
Dominican Republic	536	508	4,644	8.7	947	109	541	508	938
Other	410	434	3,977	9.7	1,060	109	1,216	489	402
South America	168	193	2,715^E	16.1	1,148	71	213	197	923
North America	864	900	9,221	10.7	1,042	98	1,070	922	862
Mexico	841	894	9,177	10.9	1,062	97	1,047	916	874
Other	23	6	44	1.9	284	146	23	6	284
Oceania and other ocean islands	187	388	4,340	23.2	2,072	89	193	388	2,017
Australia	136	305	3,648	26.9	2,246	84	137	305	2,224
Other	F	83 ^E	692 ^E	13.5 ^E	1,614 ^E	120	F	84 ^E	1,505 ^E
Grand total	8,454	9,808	104,742	12.4	1,160	94	10,537	9,962	945

Note(s): See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.

International travel statistics

Background

Statistical series on travel between Canada and other countries originated in the early 1920s primarily as a requirement for the Canadian Balance of International Payments.

The method of collection relied heavily on the detailed administrative records of Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA) and Citizenship and Immigration Canada (CIC) authorities to obtain the number of border crossings and on the officers from these departments to distribute questionnaires to a sample of travellers in order to collect information on their trip spending.

The accuracy of these methods depended on the completeness of the records of traveller movements and the representativeness of the sample expenditures derived for each category of traveller.

The statistical processes continued to rely on the administrative records of co-operating departments until 1972. Several changes in the methods of documenting visitors and resident travellers, resultant from policy revisions by CBSA and CIC programs, have led in the past to changes in definitions and breaks in statistical continuity. The purpose of the change in 1972 was to standardize definitions, methods and requirements for the collection of traveller counts, in light of the movement toward facilitation of traffic flows, and as a means of more adequately controlling the survey results.

The original purpose of the questionnaire surveys was to collect expenditure data only, to be applied to the traveller movements, to derive aggregate expenditures on visitors to Canada and residents returning from abroad. The first questionnaires were short and contained only three or four questions. Response was large and consistent.

As travel gained in size and importance to the Canadian economy, the tourism industry voiced the need for more detailed information on the travellers for market research and industry planning. The questionnaires were gradually expanded to include as many as 19 questions on different characteristics, including purpose of trip, duration, locations visited, types of accommodation used, activities and expenditures. The last major changes to the questionnaires were made in 1990. However, minor modifications were introduced in 2001.

Prior to 1990, questionnaires for United States residents visiting Canada were distributed to these travellers when returning to their country by United States Customs officials. The questionnaires were processed by the United States Department of Commerce and the results were sent to Statistics Canada. Since 1990, questionnaires are distributed to residents of the United States upon entering Canada during sampling periods by CBSA officials. Completed questionnaires are mailed to Statistics Canada for processing.

Between 2000 and 2001, several methodological initiatives were developed to improve the quality of the estimates based on the questionnaire surveys. These initiatives include a bias adjustment to the population weights, a procedure for imputing international transportation fares and total trip spending, an air exit survey of overseas visitors, a regional weighting of questionnaires from overseas visitors, a new production schedule to accommodate the inclusion of new questionnaires and a new method for calculating the coefficients of variation.

In 2002, the 2000 and 2001 data from the questionnaire surveys were revised to incorporate the results of these initiatives. Since 2002, these initiatives are part of the new methodology used to produce estimates from the questionnaire surveys. This new methodology is summarized under "Questionnaire surveys" in the "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Description of methods" section. Also, documents describing in a more detailed fashion the new methodology and each of the new initiatives are available upon request.

The introduction of this new methodology results in a break in the time series of estimates based on the questionnaire surveys. Consequently, data from previous years are not comparable to revised 2000 and 2001 data and data published since 2002. However, revised 2000 and 2001 data allow users to make comparisons back to 2000.

The methodology used may be subject to two types of bias: a distribution bias, that is, the questionnaires may not be handed to a random selection of travellers and a non-response bias, that is, returns may not be representative of the travelling public.

Although about 95,700 non-resident travellers entering Canada and 95,200 returning residents were covered by the survey to produce the 2006 estimates, these numbers represent less than 1.0% of the total traffic.

Given the size of the sample, the basic purpose of the questionnaire surveys (the estimation of visitors' spending at the Canada and regional level and spending of resident travellers by region of the world) continues to be met with reasonable levels of reliability providing the assumption of negligible biases is not violated. Estimations of expenditures and other characteristics at lower levels of aggregation, such as certain provincial data and detailed cross-classifications, strain the capacity of the survey; the resultant estimates are less reliable and several of them are not sufficiently reliable to be published, as can be seen in several tables of this publication.

Travel and the balance of payments

Spending by non-residents visiting Canada (receipts) and spending by Canadian residents returning from trips abroad (payments) are incorporated in the travel account which is an integral part of the current account of the Canadian Balance of International Payments. In 2006, travel receipts, included in exports as part of "services", represented about 2.8% of all current account receipts while travel payments, included in imports as part of "services", represented approximately 4.1% of all current account payments.

In the context of the Canadian Balance of Payments, receipts in the travel account are defined to include all expenses incidental to travel in Canada by non-residents. Among these are expenditures in Canada for lodging, food, entertainment, local and intercity transportation and all other purchases of goods and services (including gifts) made by travellers. The series thus includes any purchases of personal goods to be exported by travellers. Also included are medical expenses and education expenses of non-residents in Canada as well as foreign crew members' spending in the country.

Payments in the travel account are correspondingly defined to include all expenses incidental to travel abroad by residents of Canada. Among these are expenditures abroad for lodging, food, entertainment, local and intercity transportation and all other purchases of goods and services (including gifts) made by the travellers. The series thus includes any purchases of goods to be imported for personal use by travellers. Also included are medical expenses and education expenses of Canadian residents outside Canada as well as Canadian crew members' spending in other countries.

The travel account does not conform precisely to the concepts recommended by the International Monetary Fund (IMF). Under those concepts, personal expenditures of foreign migrant workers or Canadian migrant workers, including temporary and seasonal workers and commuters, are part of other balance of payments accounts. However, due to survey limitations, these expenditures are included in the Canadian international travel account.

Furthermore, it should be noted that travel receipts exclude international transportation fares paid by non-resident travellers to Canadian carriers. Also, travel payments do not include international transportation fares paid by Canadian residents to foreign carriers. In both cases, these expenditures are included in another balance of payments account, in accordance to the IMF conceptual framework.

Description of methods

Two methods are presently used to collect international travel statistics: the "Frontier counts" and the "Questionnaire surveys". Both of these methods depend greatly on the co-operation of CBSA in the collection of the number of border crossings and the distribution of questionnaires to international travellers.

Frontier counts

All ports of entry across Canada participate in determining the number of travellers by selected categories and by type of transportation, as well as the number of cars, trucks, motorcycles, snowmobiles and bicycles in the case of highway and ferry points.

The forms used by Customs officials in the enumeration process are described as follows:

E-62 Entry tally. Form used to record the number of daily travellers and vehicles arriving by land and by ferry, at points of entry on the United States-Canada border. Each form indicates the number of automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, bicycles, snowmobiles and their associated travellers cleared for entry by CBSA agents, as well as the travellers coming in to Canada by other modes of transport such as bus, train and on foot. In 1998, the Primary Automated Lookout System (PALS) was introduced at a few test ports to replace the manual E-62 tally. Presently, 31 ports across Canada utilize this automated system to record over 86.2% of Canada's international automobile traffic.

E-63 Commercial and private craft/passenger and crew arrivals. Form used to record travellers entering Canada by private plane or boat. This form is also used to record travellers and crews on commercial freighters, passenger ferries, cruises and some commercial air flights. The CANPASS telephone reporting system also records the number of travellers entering Canada by private plane or boat. The CANPASS system also allows pre-authorized travellers, as well as special permit holders, to cross the border by car without CBSA's agents interaction.

E-311 Customs declaration card. Form used to record on a census basis travellers entering Canada by commercial plane, including schedule and charter arrivals, at the 18 major international airports. The family Customs Declaration Card was introduced in April 1999. The purpose of this card is to facilitate the clearing of international travellers at the point of entry. Up to four family members living at the same address are allowed on the same card compared to only one person on the old individual E-311 card. In order to estimate the number of travellers recorded on the family Customs Declaration Cards, data capture is done on a sample or census basis depending on the traveller type and airport size (see text table 1). For other airports, census based administrative data is obtained from E-63 forms to produce the estimates.

Detailed instructions are provided to aid Customs officials in the task of collecting data on these documents. A continual liaison function is performed by the International Travel Section with the supplying department, CBSA, to review, discuss and resolve inconsistencies in the reported figures.

A monitoring system has been established to compare incoming data with information available from independent sources, such as airport management reports, toll figures, provincial road counters, etc. The above, as well as reference to weather reports, special events and direct contacts with port authorities, helps the verification and the explanation of irregular fluctuations in reported figures.

The completed forms are submitted continuously to Statistics Canada for processing, analysis and publication. In 2006, the number of documents processed was estimated as follows: 156,800 E-62; 572,600 E-63; and 15,800,200 E-311.

Text table 1
Sampling rates of the family Customs Declaration Cards by type of traveller and size of airport

	Size of airport 1,2						
	April 1999 to May 2001			Since June 2001			
	Large	Medium	Small	Large	Medium-large	Medium-small	Small
	percent						
Canadian residents returning from the U.S.	10	25	100	5	10	25	100
Canadian residents returning directly from overseas ³	10	25	100	5	10	25	100
Canadian residents returning from overseas via the U.S.	10	100	100	5	100	100	100
U.S. travellers	10	25	100	5	10	100	100
	All airports						
	April 1999 to October 2002			Since November 2002			
	percent						
Overseas travellers coming directly to Canada				100	50		
Overseas travellers coming to Canada via the U.S.				100	50		
Crew members				100	50		
Military, immigrants and former residents				100	100		

1. Prior to June 2001, size of airport was defined as follows: large for Montreal (Dorval), Toronto (T1, T2, T3), Calgary and Vancouver; medium for Halifax, Montreal (Mirabel), Ottawa, Winnipeg and Edmonton; small for St. John's, Gander, Quebec (Jean Lesage), London, Saskatoon, Regina and Victoria.
2. Since June 2001, size of airport is defined as follows: large for Montreal (Trudeau), Toronto (T1, T2, T3), Calgary and Vancouver; medium-large for Halifax, Winnipeg and Edmonton; medium-small for Montreal (Mirabel) and Ottawa; small for St. John's, Gander, Quebec (Jean Lesage), London, Saskatoon, Regina and Victoria.
3. Canadian residents returning directly from overseas are sampled at a rate of 10% at terminal T2 of Toronto airport.

Questionnaire surveys

Continuous questionnaire surveys are used to secure information on the expenditures and other characteristics of international trips and travellers to and from Canada.

Collection methods of mailback questionnaires

Mail-back questionnaires are handed out each quarter to the travel party on entry (non-residents) or re-entry (residents of Canada) by CBSA officials according to pre-arranged schedules. Five different questionnaires are used in the collection process.

Since 1979, a stint distribution system is used to distribute these questionnaires to travellers at all border ports sampled. A stint consists of a selected period of several days during which questionnaires are to be distributed to eligible travellers. Each port involved in this scheme receives, for each of its stints, a specific quantity of numbered questionnaires and a date on which to start the distribution. On the start date, the officers hand out the questionnaires on a continuous basis to the appropriate travelling population until they have all been distributed. The Liaison staff of the International Travel Section call each port the day before the stint is to start to make sure the questionnaires have arrived and to remind the officers to start the distribution the next day. In this way, the questionnaire return rate of each stint and the length of the stint can all be used as a measure of performance for each stint.

The number of questionnaires distributed in each port for each quarter is set by taking into account the number of travellers who cleared customs through the port in that quarter during the previous year, as estimated by the frontier counts. Respondents are requested to mail back their completed questionnaires in Canada (for Canadian and overseas travellers) or from the United States (for U.S. travellers).

Here is a brief description of the mail-back questionnaires.

Questionnaire (8-2200-356) for United States travellers visiting Canada. Distributed by CBSA officials during sampling periods to travellers residing in the United States at most land, air and some sea ports. However, at land ports, questionnaires are distributed only to United States residents taking an overnight car trip to Canada or entering Canada by a transportation mode other than auto. The questionnaires are completed by the travellers and returned to Statistics Canada for processing.

Questionnaire (8-2200-337) for residents of countries other than the United States visiting Canada. Distributed by CBSA officials during sampling periods to travellers residing in overseas countries at most land, air and some sea ports; the questionnaires are completed by the travellers and returned to Statistics Canada for processing.

Questionnaire (8-2200-336) for Canadian residents returning from trips outside Canada. Distributed by CBSA officials during sampling periods to Canadian residents re-entering Canada, at most land, air and some sea ports. However, at land ports, questionnaires are distributed to Canadian residents who took a trip abroad except those returning from a same-day car trip to the United States. The questionnaires are completed by the travellers and mailed to Statistics Canada for processing.

Questionnaire (8-2200-338) for Canadian residents returning from a same-day trip to the United States by auto (a visit of less than 24 hours). Distributed by CBSA officials to Canadian residents who return to Canada after a same-day trip to the United States by auto (one questionnaire per vehicle). The questionnaires are completed and mailed to Statistics Canada for processing. Since the same-day traffic is considered to be fairly homogeneous, a less frequent sample is taken than for the longer-term traffic.

Questionnaire (8-2200-345) for United States residents entering Canada by auto for a same-day trip (a visit of less than 24 hours). Distributed by CBSA officials to United States residents taking a same-day trip to Canada (one questionnaire per vehicle). The questionnaires are completed and mailed to Statistics Canada for processing. Since the same-day traffic is considered to be fairly homogeneous, a less frequent sample is taken than for the longer-term traffic.

Collection methods of Air-Exit Survey of Overseas Visitors

In the case of overseas travellers returning directly (as opposed to via the United States) to selected overseas countries, additional questionnaires are obtained via the Air-Exit Survey of Overseas Visitors (AES).

This survey has been conducted by Statistics Canada since 2000. Its primary objective is to improve the quality of estimates on the characteristics of trips and travellers by air from overseas countries. Personal interviews are conducted in designated airports in Canada. It is an add-on to mail-back questionnaires distributed by CBSA officials to residents of overseas countries visiting Canada.

At the international airports in five cities (Vancouver, Calgary, Toronto, Montreal and Halifax), Statistics Canada's interviewers conduct personal interviews with a sample of overseas travellers as they await their return flights to targeted overseas countries. The countries targeted are those from whom we attract the most visitors. They include principally the United Kingdom, Germany, Japan and France, as well as a number of smaller markets, such as Mexico and China. These interviews are conducted each month and the collection period lasts 3-5 days.

The number of interviews targeted at each airport for a particular month and a particular overseas country is obtained by selecting a representative sample of flights to the selected country. During the collection period, interviewers arrive at the departure lounges for the selected flights in order to interview departing overseas visitors. All overseas visitors waiting to embark on the selected flights are interviewed until the first boarding call, whether or not they are of the targeted countries. The interviewing team consists of interviewers of different language skills, enabling interviews to be conducted in the native language of the travellers where possible. The questionnaire used (**Questionnaire 8-2200-400**) is a customized version of questionnaire 8-2200-337 and is available in 10 languages.

About 7,800 interviews were completed in 2006. Since 2000, this collection method has achieved a response rate of over 95.0%.

Processing and imputation of questionnaires

All mail-back and AES questionnaires for a given quarter are submitted to a complex control system and the reported data are captured, coded and verified. Only questionnaires accepted by the system are ultimately used for the production of the estimates for the quarter.

A certain amount of data imputation is performed in specific fields of accepted questionnaires. Missing international transportation fares and/or total trip spending are imputed if the remainder of the fields on the questionnaire are valid. The imputed values of the recipient questionnaire are calculated by taking into account the mean of corresponding fields on donor questionnaires that have trip characteristics identical to those of the recipient questionnaire.

Total imputation (i.e. imputation of complete questionnaires) is carried out for all Port Factor groups (PFGs)¹ or strata that are outside the scope of mail-back questionnaire distribution. There are 122 Canadian and American PFGs for which Statistics Canada never receives questionnaires. These PFGs refer to modes of entry that are not targeted by the questionnaire distribution (train, private plane or boat, motorcycle, bicycle, pedestrians, etc.) or to ports of entry that do not participate in the distribution of questionnaires. For these out-of-scope PFGs, the characteristics of travellers and trips are estimated, using imputed questionnaires. These imputed questionnaires are duplicates of questionnaires that were obtained in 1990 for the same quarter and same PFGs. In 2006, these questionnaires represented only 3.7% of total visitors from the United States to Canada and 1.3% of Canadian residents who travelled outside Canada.

Total imputation is also performed for any in-scope PFG for which we have received an insufficient number of questionnaires for the quarter. In these instances, all the questionnaires from the same quarter of the previous year that belong to the PFG are brought forward and added to the sample of that PFG for the reference quarter.

In 2006, 47,900 questionnaires from non-resident travellers and 47,600 questionnaires completed by resident travellers were used to produce estimates.

Weighting

For estimation purposes, the responses obtained through the questionnaire surveys must be treated as a simple random sample from the total traffic in each stratum (port or group of ports, by type of traffic, by quarter). The data may in fact be subject to some degree of "distribution bias", due to the fact that the questionnaires may not be handed to a random selection of travellers, or to a "non-response bias" due to the fact that the individuals replying may not be representative of the population.

Weighting techniques used in the estimation process attempt to reduce the effect of these two types of bias. In order to do so, the questionnaires completed by the international travellers are disaggregated by known characteristics into homogenous groups (PFGs). In the case of questionnaires obtained from the United States and Canadian travellers, those characteristics are port of entry, type of traveller, mode of entry and duration of stay. In the case of questionnaires obtained from overseas travellers, the characteristics used are country of residence and type of entry. For example, three of the main factor groups include questionnaires from American travellers entering and leaving on the same day by car, those from American travellers entering by car and staying one night and those from American travellers entering by car and staying two or more nights.

The questionnaires for each PFG are first weighted according to frontier counts. The weights assigned to all questionnaires for a given PFG are such that the estimate of the number of travellers derived from these questionnaires matches the frontier count for that PFG.

A second stage of weighting called the bias adjustment is done for questionnaires completed by certain categories of air travellers. These include U.S. travellers, Canadian travellers returning from the U.S. and Canadian travellers returning directly from overseas countries who all came through the international airports of Vancouver, Toronto,

1. In the International Travel Survey, the target populations (American, overseas and Canadian international travellers) are partitioned into 583 Port Factor Groups, based on selected characteristics such as country of residence, mode of entry and duration of stay.

and Montreal. They also include overseas air travellers originating from the United Kingdom, Germany, France and Japan.

This second stage consists of modifying the initial weights of questionnaires that were obtained from these travellers in order to incorporate more reliable information on trip purpose and duration. This information is derived from a sample of Customs declaration cards (E-311 cards) filled by these travellers. Adjustments to the initial weights are such that estimates on trip purpose and duration compiled from the questionnaires correspond to those obtained from the E-311 cards.

By using more data from the E-311 cards, the procedure for weighting air traveller questionnaires has become more accurate. The use of more precise weights provides better quality estimates and limits the possibility of bias in the questionnaire results obtained for air travellers.

In addition, a supplementary adjustment, called the regional weighting adjustment, is done to the weights assigned to overseas questionnaires to take into account the region of entry of the travellers. Using the raking-ratio statistical technique, this adjustment ensures that the derived estimates of the number of travellers from the questionnaires closely match the frontier counts at the region of entry level (by type of entry), while maintaining an exact match at the country of residence level. However, the raking-ratio technique does not guarantee an exact match when the country of residence as well as the region of entry or type of entry are considered. The provincial composition of the five regions used in the process is as follows: Atlantic (Newfoundland, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick), Quebec, Ontario, Prairies (Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta) and British Columbia (including Yukon Territory, Northwest Territories and Nunavut Territory).

In general, this adjustment allows for the production of more consistent and more reliable estimates on the characteristics of overseas visitors at the regional level.

Production schedule

Each quarter's data on the characteristics of international trips are first released as preliminary estimates, about five months after the end of the quarter. These estimates are based on all questionnaires for the quarter that are obtained before the preliminary cut-off date for the collection, which is about two and a half months after the end of the quarter.

Three months later, the revised estimates for the quarter are released, together with the preliminary estimates for the next quarter. Included in the production of the revised estimates are all questionnaires for the quarter that are received before the final cut-off date for the collection, which is about five and a half months after the end of the quarter.

Reliability indicators

In sample surveys, since inference is made about the entire population covered by the survey on the basis of data obtained from only a part (sample) of the population, the results are likely to be different from the "true" population values. The true population values in this context refer to the values that would have been obtained when the entire population was surveyed under the same conditions. The error arising due to drawing inferences about the population on the basis of information from the sample is termed sampling error.

The sampling error, in addition to the size of the sample, depends on factors such as variability in the population, sampling design and method of estimation.

Additionally, even if the sample design, the size of the sample, and the estimation procedure were the same, different characteristics (on which data have been collected from the sample) would possess different sampling errors, due to the fact that they have different degrees of variability in the population. For instance, the sampling error for expenditure estimates would be different from the sampling error for length of stay, both estimates being based on the same sample. Each of the possible samples would yield somewhat different sets of results. The sampling errors are measures of the variation of all the possible sample estimates around the true values.

The expected value of a variable is the average of the variable taken over all possible samples weighted by the probability of drawing the sample. The difference between the expected value of an estimate and the corresponding true value is called the bias of the estimate. The mean square error of an estimate is defined as the expected value of the square of the deviation of the estimate from the true value. The variance of an estimate is defined as the expected value of the square of the deviation of the estimate from its expected value. Thus, when an estimate is unbiased (i.e., its bias is zero), its variance and mean square error are equal.

The accuracy of estimates from sample surveys is affected by both variance and bias. Under the assumption of simple random sampling within each stratum and with the further assumption of absence of bias, the variance of an estimated characteristic value is a good indicator of its reliability. Since the true variance of the estimate depends, like the estimate itself, on the whole population, it must be estimated from the available sample.

A notable feature of probability sampling is that the quality of the estimates may be estimated from the sample itself. The estimated coefficient of variation is defined as the ratio of the square root of the estimated variance to the estimate itself. Guides to the potential size of sampling errors are provided by the estimated coefficients of variation. The quality of the estimate increases as the corresponding coefficient of variation decreases.

Given the complex nature of the sampling design of the questionnaire surveys, simple calculations of the variance using standard methods tend to underestimate it. Consequently, Statistics Canada uses the "bootstrap" method for estimating the variance. Under this method, the sample units are sub-sampled and re-weighted many times over. From these sub-samples, an estimated variance is obtained to calculate the estimated coefficient of variation.

In all tables in the publication, the estimated coefficients of variation were used to evaluate the reliability of estimates derived from the questionnaire surveys. The reliability of these estimates is identified as follows:

Text table 2
Reliability of the estimates

Identification in tables and reliability level	Coefficient of variation
Estimates released without restrictions - Good	0.0 to 16.5
Estimates followed by the letter E - Fair	16.6 to 25.0
Estimates are not released and replaced by the letter F - Poor to very poor	25.1 and over

Dissemination

In addition to this publication, international travel statistics can be obtained by accessing or purchasing the following products.

Data from the frontier counts are available in CANSIM, tables 427-0001 to 427-0006. Data on the international travel account are also available in CANSIM, tables 376-0001, 376-0003 and 376-0005.

Annual data on the characteristics of international trips are available free of charge on Statistics Canada's website.

Statistics Canada Daily, Travel between Canada and other countries, catalogue no. 11-001-X. Publishes preliminary monthly counts of international travellers as soon as they become available – usually six weeks after the reference month. This release covers the four travelling populations, at the national level: United States residents visiting Canada, residents from overseas countries visiting Canada, Canadian residents returning from the United States and Canadian residents returning from overseas countries.

Statistics Canada Daily, Characteristics of international travellers, catalogue no. 11-001-X. Approximately five months after the end of the quarter, an analytical text about the trends in the main characteristics of international

travellers is released in the Daily to announce the availability of preliminary data on international travellers characteristics.

Statistics Canada Daily, International travel account, catalogue no. 11-001-X. Approximately two months after the end of the quarter, an analysis of the trends in the international travel account is released in the Daily to announce the availability of preliminary data on the international travel account.

International Travel, Advance Information, catalogue no. 66-001-X. A monthly four-page document listing preliminary figures on international trips is usually available six weeks after the reference month. Page one breaks down the number of trips by foreign visitors and trips by Canadian travellers returning to Canada by mode of transport and length of stay. Page two outlines a selected list of categories of foreign overnight travellers to Canada by province of entry. Page three gives a detailed list of Canada's major overseas travel markets and page four provides a breakdown of overnight trips by Canadians returning by province of re-entry from both the United States and all other countries.

Micro-data files. Available per flow per quarter. Four flows exist: Canadian residents returning from the United States, Canadian residents returning from overseas countries, United States residents visiting Canada and residents from overseas countries visiting Canada.

Definition of terms

The definitions of terms described in this section relate to the statistics of international travel by Canada and, although close, they do not necessarily coincide precisely with definitions developed internationally or elsewhere nationally. The definitions are restricted by the nature of the survey and the physical limitations of the collection process at border points. The frontier counts and the questionnaire distribution are conducted at points of entry by Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA) and target Canadian residents returning to Canada and non-residents entering Canada. Interviews targeting selected non-residents are also conducted at points of exit at Canadian airports.

International traveller

The term "international traveller" applies to all persons arriving in Canada who are cleared through CBSA points of entry. Any person may cross into Canada more than once in the same period. The method of collection counts each crossing made. The numbers, therefore, represent numbers of crossings (entries or re-entries), and include multiple counting of travellers crossing the border more than once over the same period. The term "international traveller" is divided into three groups: non-resident traveller, resident traveller and other traveller.

Non-resident traveller. A non-resident traveller is an international traveller resident of a country other than Canada who enters through Canadian customs on a visit for a period of less than 12 months. Canadian citizens residing in other countries who come to Canada on leave or for other reasons are included.

Resident traveller. A resident traveller is an international traveller resident of Canada who has travelled outside of Canada for a period of less than 12 months and who is returning to Canada through Canadian customs. Foreign citizens, who are residing in Canada, travelling abroad on leave or for other reasons are included.

Other travellers. Other travellers include the following types of international travellers:

- **Immigrants.** Citizens of other countries entering Canada to take up permanent residence for more than one year.
- **Former residents.** Canadian citizens returning to Canada to re-establish permanent residence after residing outside Canada for more than one year.
- **Military personnel, diplomats and dependents.** Canadian citizens and dependents who have been stationed abroad for more than one year and who are returning from postings. Foreign citizens and dependents entering Canada on a military or diplomatic posting.
- **Crews.** Persons engaged in the operation of a transport; plane, boat, truck, etc.

International tourist

An international tourist is a resident international traveller staying overnight outside Canada or a non-resident international traveller staying overnight in Canada.

United States

Includes the United States mainland, Hawaii and Alaska.

Overseas

Includes all countries except Canada and the United States, as defined above.

Transportation mode

Automobile. Motorized highway passenger car having a designated seating capacity of 10 or less. This also includes motor homes (single unit motorized vehicles designed for camping), truck campers (shells attached to a truck to convert it into a vehicle that can be used for camping) and buses for private use. Taxis are also included. Vehicles on car ferries that meet this definition are also considered as automobile traffic.

Bus. Motorized highway vehicle used for carrying passengers for commercial purposes (to lease as a charter or on a seat basis). This category also includes vehicles used to transport students or employees of a company.

Air. Commercial and charter services and private plane.

Other methods. Train, boat, pedestrian, bicycle, motorcycle, etc.

Type of entry

Direct to Canada. Non-residents entering Canada directly or Canadian residents returning to Canada directly from countries other than the United States, irrespectively of mode of transportation used.

Via the United States. Non-residents from countries other than the United States entering Canada or Canadian residents returning to Canada from countries other than the United States via the United States. The length of stay in the United States has no bearing on the classification; a person could be in transit through the United States or could have stayed several days. Three examples follow:

1. A non-resident from countries other than the United States visiting the United States, who during his/her visit enters Canada, would be counted as entering via the United States;
2. A non-resident from countries other than the United States entering Canada directly, who visits the United States during his/her trip, would be counted direct on his/her first entry and via the United States on his/her second entry;
3. A returning resident vacationing in the southern United States who travels to the Caribbean or other countries during his/her trip would be classified as returning via the United States. This latter group is difficult to identify at the border point and may be categorized as returning from the United States only.

By land. Travel by land includes automobile, bus and rail traffic as well as pedestrians and traffic entering by bicycle, motorcycle, etc. Included is traffic entering on car ferries.

By air and sea. Commercial and chartered services, as well as travel by private boat and plane.

Person-trip

Each time a non-resident traveller enters Canada marks the beginning of a person-trip. The traveller's entry is recorded by CBSA. The person-trip concludes when the traveller leaves Canada. For Canadian residents, a person-trip begins when a person departs from Canada and ends when the traveller returns to Canada. His/her re-entry is recorded by CBSA. Person-trips are divided in two categories according to length of trip: same day and one or more nights (or overnight).

For residents, person-trips are either to U.S. destinations or non-U.S. destinations, also known as countries other than the United States or overseas countries. To avoid double-counting, in cases where resident travellers have visited both the United States and countries other than the United States, the person-trip is classified according to where the traveller spent the most nights. Therefore, unless specified, statistics on resident travel in the United

States include only those on trips to U.S. destinations. Likewise, statistics on resident travel in countries other than the United States include only those on trips to non-U.S. destinations.

Person-visit

A non-resident traveller may visit several locations on one trip to Canada; each stay represents a person-visit.

A resident traveller may visit several countries or states before being recorded as having re-entered Canada; each of these visits represents a person-visit.

Person-visits are divided in two categories according to length of visit: same day and one or more nights (or overnight). As one person-trip may encompass several person-visits, the number of person-visits is often greater than the number of person-trips.

Trip or visit duration

Same day. Same-day trips include resident travellers who leave and re-enter Canada the same day and non-resident travellers who enter and leave Canada the same day. Same-day visits include Canadian travellers who visit a foreign country or U.S. state and leave the same day. Same-day visits also include foreign visitors who visit a Canadian location and leave the same day. This category includes persons resident in one country and commuting daily to and from work in another country.

One or more nights. Trips of one or more nights include resident travellers staying overnight outside Canada and non-resident travellers who stay in Canada overnight. Overnight visits include Canadian travellers who visit a foreign country or U.S. state and stay one or more nights. Overnight visits also include foreign visitors who visit a Canadian location and stay one or more nights.

Person-night

Each night a non-resident traveller spends in Canada, or a resident traveller spends outside Canada during a person-trip, is considered a person-night.

Origin or residence

The origin or residence is the place of last permanent residence normally summarized by census region for United States residents, by country for other non-residents and by province for Canadian residents.

Area or region of destination

For resident travel to U.S. destinations, census regions are used to determine the area of destination. For resident travel to non-U.S. destinations, country groupings (or regions) are used to determine the area of destination. If the traveller indicated two areas of destination, they are coded and split evenly in the tabulations. Trips with three or more areas of destination are coded in a separate category.

Purpose of trip

The main reason for the trip to a country is generally summarized for publication as follows:

- **Business.** Includes attending meetings or conventions, conferences, trade shows or seminars, or other work.
- **Visiting friends or relatives.**

- **Other pleasure.** Includes holiday, vacation, visiting a second home, cottage or condo, and attending events and attractions.
- **Other purposes.** Includes travel for personal reasons, in transit, shopping, educational study and other.

Expenditures

They refer to trip expenditures made by all members of the travelling party and related to the trip. Expenditures may have been paid for by individuals, by government or by a private sector business. Expenditures include the following categories: accommodation, transportation within a country, food and beverages, recreation and entertainment and others (souvenirs, shopping, photos, etc.). Expenditures are reported in Canadian dollars or converted in Canadian dollars. Expenditures exclude medical expenses, expenses on education and spending by crews. Fares paid to travel between countries, known as international passenger fares, are also excluded.

Travel receipts

Travel receipts are only found in tables on the travel account. They include the expenditures made in Canada by non-resident travellers on the above-mentioned categories, as well as the following supplementary expenditures: medical expenses, expenses on education and spending by foreign crews.

Travel payments

Travel payments are only found in tables on the travel account. They include the expenditures made abroad by Canadian resident travellers on the above-mentioned categories as well as the following supplementary expenditures: medical expenses, expenses on education and expenses made by Canadian crews.

U.S. census regions and corresponding states

Census region	States
New England	Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island.
Middle Atlantic	New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey.
South Atlantic	Maryland, Delaware, Washington D.C., West Virginia, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida.
East North Central	Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio.
West North Central	North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri.
East South Central	Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama.
West South Central	Oklahoma, Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana.
Mountain	Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Nevada, Utah, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona.
Pacific	Washington, Oregon, California.
Alaska	Alaska
Hawaii	Hawaii

Explanatory notes for tables

Note to readers: For Canadian residents, person-trips are either to U.S. destinations or non-U.S. destinations. Statistics compiled by person-trip include spending and nights spent in the main destination, and exclude spending and nights spent while travelling to and from the main destination. Statistics compiled by person-visit include spending and nights spent in the state or country visited, regardless of the main destination.

For example, a Canadian resident, whose main destination is the United States, travels to Mexico. The spending and nights spent in Mexico will not be included in data compiled by person-trip to the United States and will be excluded from data compiled by person-trip to non-U.S. destinations. The spending and nights spent in Mexico will be included in data compiled by person-visit to Mexico.

Table 1

1. Subject to revision.

Table 2

1. Subject to revision.
2. Includes spending in the United States by Canadian residents, regardless of the main destination of the trip.
3. Includes spending in countries other than the United States by Canadian residents, regardless of the main destination of the trip.

Table group 3

1. Subject to revision.

Table 4

1. Subject to revision. Data for 2006 are not available.
2. Includes Luxembourg up to and including 2001.
3. France comprises the departments of metropolitan France, the Principality of Monaco, the overseas departments (French Guiana, Martinique, Guadeloupe, Reunion Island) and the local governments of Mayotte and Saint Pierre and Miquelon.

Table 5

1. Includes immigrants, former residents, diplomats, military personnel and dependants.

Table 6

1. Includes train, boat, pedestrians, bicycle, motorcycle, etc.

Table 8

1. Includes train, boat, pedestrians, bicycle, motorcycle, etc.

Table 9

1. Disposable income figures relate to all Canadian residents and not only those who travel.
2. Source: Bank of Canada.

Table 11

1. Also includes Mongolia and Tibet.
2. Also includes Andorra and Monaco.
3. Also includes Bhutan, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Pakistan and Bangladesh.
4. Also includes Malta and Gozo (except 2003), San Marino and Vatican City State.
5. Also includes Liechtenstein.
6. Also includes Gibraltar (except 2003).

Table 12

1. Includes train, boat, pedestrians, bicycle, motorcycle, etc.

Table 13

1. Includes sum of visits to Newfoundland and Labrador, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.
2. Includes sum of visits to British Columbia, Yukon Territory, Northwest Territories and Nunavut Territory.
3. Includes train, boat, pedestrians, bicycle, motorcycle, etc.

Table 14

1. Also includes other purposes of trip.
2. Includes train, boat, pedestrians, bicycle, motorcycle, etc.

Table 15

1. Also includes Luxembourg.
2. Also includes Faeroe Islands.
3. Also includes Andorra and Monaco.
4. Also includes Malta and Gozo, San Marino and Vatican City State.
5. Also includes Azores and Madeira.
6. Also includes Canary Islands.
7. Also includes Liechtenstein.
8. Also includes Gibraltar.
9. Also includes Mongolia and Tibet.

10. Also includes Bangladesh, Bhutan, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka.

Table 16

1. Also includes Luxembourg.
2. Also includes Faeroe Islands.
3. Also includes Andorra and Monaco.
4. Also includes Malta and Gozo (except 2003), San Marino and Vatican City State.
5. Also includes Azores and Madeira.
6. Also includes Canary Islands.
7. Also includes Liechtenstein.
8. Also includes Gibraltar (except 2003).
9. Also includes Mongolia and Tibet.
10. Also includes Bangladesh, Bhutan, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka.

Table 17

1. Also includes Andorra and Monaco.
2. Also includes Gibraltar.

Table 18

1. Includes sum of visits to Newfoundland and Labrador, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.
2. Includes sum of visits to British Columbia, Yukon Territory, Northwest Territories and Nunavut Territory.
3. Also includes Andorra and Monaco.
4. Also includes Gibraltar.

Table 19

1. Also includes other purposes of trip.
2. Also includes Andorra and Monaco.
3. Also includes Gibraltar.

Table 20

1. Includes Newfoundland and Labrador, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.
2. Also includes Yukon Territory, Northwest Territories and Nunavut Territory.

Table 21

1. Includes train, boat, pedestrians, bicycle, motorcycle, etc.
2. Persons stating three or more regions visited.

Table 22

1. Includes Newfoundland and Labrador, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.
2. Also includes Yukon Territory, Northwest Territories and Nunavut Territory.
3. Persons stating three or more regions visited.

Table 23-1

1. Also includes other purposes of trip.
2. Includes Newfoundland and Labrador, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.
3. Also includes Yukon Territory, Northwest Territories and Nunavut Territory.
4. Persons stating three or more regions visited.

Table 23-2

1. Persons stating three or more regions visited.

Table 23-3

1. Persons stating three or more regions visited.

Table 24-1

1. Also includes other purposes of trip.
2. Includes Newfoundland and Labrador, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.
3. Also includes Yukon Territory, Northwest Territories and Nunavut Territory.
4. Includes Saint Pierre and Miquelon, Mexico, Greenland and Oceania (including Australia).
5. Also includes persons visiting three or more regions of destination.

Table 24-2

1. Includes Saint Pierre and Miquelon, Mexico, Greenland and Oceania (including Australia).
2. Also includes persons visiting three or more regions of destination.

Table 24-3

1. Includes Newfoundland and Labrador, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.
2. Also includes Yukon Territory, Northwest Territories and Nunavut Territory.
3. Includes Saint Pierre and Miquelon, Mexico, Greenland and Oceania (including Australia).
4. Also includes persons visiting three or more regions of destination.

Table 25

1. Excludes Canadian travellers leaving and returning to Canada by automobile on the same day.

Table 26

1. Includes Saint Pierre and Miquelon, Mexico, Greenland and Oceania (including Australia).
2. Also includes persons visiting three or more regions of destination.

Table 27

1. Also includes same-day visits to overseas countries by Canadian residents, as well as their spending on those visits.

Appendix I

Forms and questionnaires

The forms and questionnaires appear at the end of the PDF version of this publication. In the HTML version, they can be accessed via Related products - Survey 3152 and 5005.



Entry Tally **Pointes des entrées** **E-62**
K1A 0T6

Port - Bureau	Date D-J M Y-A	Init.
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U.S. Residents Résidents des É.-U.	Residents Returning from U.S. Only Résidents revenant des É.-U. seulement
3 Auto Same Day En auto le même jour	4
5 One Night Une nuit	6
7 Two or More Nights Deux ou plus	8
9 Bicycles	10

Residents Returning from Overseas Résidents revenant d'outre-mer	11
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Residents of overseas countries Résidents de pays d'outre-mer	Same day Même jour	One or more nights Une nuit ou plus
U.K. - R.-U.	0 0 7 7	12
Germany-Allemagne	1 0 2 9	13
France	1 0 2 5	

Port - Bureau	Date D-J M Y-A	Init.
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COMMERCIAL TRUCKS - CAMIONS COMMERCIAUX	
U.S. Residents Résidents des É.-U.	Residents Returning from U.S. Only Résidents revenant des É.-U. seulement
14	15

MONTHLY TOTAL - TOTAL MENSUEL		
Type Moyen	U.S. Residents Résidents des É.-U.	Residents Returning from U.S. only Résidents revenant des É.-U. seulement
Bus - Autobus	Same day Même jour	16
	One or more nights Une nuit ou plus	17
Train	Passengers Passager	18
	Crew Équipage	19
	20	21
	22	23
	24	25
		26



Welcome to Canada

Your Customs Declaration Card – Completion Guide

Use this guide to complete the attached Customs Declaration Card.

Part A – All travellers

All travellers must be identified on a Customs Declaration Card. You may list up to four family members living at the **same address** on one declaration card. Make sure that each traveller's answers are included on the card. **Each traveller is responsible for his or her own declaration.**

You must declare all goods—part of your exemption or not—that you are bringing into Canada. A customs officer may examine your goods. Note that goods that do not qualify for a personal exemption may be subject to duties, taxes, and/or fees.

Under Canadian law, you have to declare all animals, plants, and their products. You also have to declare all currency and monetary instruments (e.g., stocks/bonds, cheques, traveller's cheques, money orders, bank drafts, treasury bills) totalling CAN\$10,000 or more. Failure to do so could result in penalties, seizure, and/or prosecution.

The following items may be **restricted, controlled, or prohibited** in Canada, or you may need a **special permit**:

- Firearms or other weapons (e.g., Mace, switchblades, fireworks);
- Drugs;
- Endangered species (live specimens or products made from wild plants or animals, e.g., ivory, corals, reptile skin products);
- Cultural property (e.g., antiquities, cultural objects).

Customs officers may seize any goods or items that you do not declare or that you falsely declare. You may also face fines, arrest and/or prosecution.

There are specific personal exemption limits for importing alcohol and tobacco into Canada. Determine your limit from the following table.

Minimum age	Province or territory	Alcohol and tobacco
18 years	Alberta, Manitoba, Quebec	1.5 L of wine or 1.14 L of liquor or 24 x 355 mL (12 oz.) bottles/cans of beer or ale (8.5 L)
19 years	All others	
18 years	Alberta, Manitoba, Quebec, Saskatchewan, Yukon Territory, Northwest Territories, Nunavut	200 cigarettes, 200 tobacco sticks, 50 cigars or 50 cigarillos, and 200 grams manufactured tobacco
19 years	All others	

During your travels, you may have been exposed to infectious diseases not common in Canada. While the risks posed by most of these illnesses are low, some, such as malaria, may be life threatening. If you develop a fever or flu-like illness within three months of travel to a tropical country, **Health Canada** advises you to get immediate medical attention, inform your doctor of your travel history, and ask for a blood test to rule out malaria.

Part B – Visitors to Canada

All visitors identified in Part A must be included in Part B.

You can bring in **personal goods** without paying duty or tax, as long as you do not leave them in Canada. You can also bring in the amounts of alcohol and tobacco listed in Table 1 without paying duty or tax.

You can bring in **gifts** without paying duty or tax, as long as they are not alcohol or tobacco or business goods, and they have a value of CAN\$60 or less per gift. Gifts over CAN\$60 each are subject to duty and tax on the amount over CAN\$60.

Citizenship and Immigration Canada advises you that all visitors admitted to Canada will be permitted to stay for a maximum of six months, unless otherwise notified in writing by an examining officer.

Part C – Residents of Canada

Each resident must complete Part C in the **same order** as in Part A.

Your declaration must include the total value of all goods (including gifts) that you have purchased, received, or acquired abroad or at duty-free shops and that you are bringing into Canada.

The following table lists the available exemptions.

Minimum absence from Canada	Exemption limit – CAN\$	Alcohol and tobacco
24 hours	\$50	No
48 hours	\$200	Yes – See Table 1
7 days	\$750	Yes – See Table 1

Each traveller is allowed only **one** of these exemptions a trip.

The \$50 exemption does not apply if the total value of your goods is more than \$50. The \$750 exemption can include goods (other than alcohol and tobacco) you acquired during your trip, which are not accompanying you. To calculate the number of days absent, do not count the day you left Canada, but include the day you return.

Residents of Canada only: you must pay duty on cigarettes, tobacco sticks, and manufactured tobacco that you include in your personal exemption, unless they are marked "CANADA DUTY PAID – DROIT ACQUITTÉ."

Part D – Signatures

Each traveller must sign the declaration in the **same order** as in Part A.

Information from this declaration will be used for customs control purposes, and may be shared with other government departments to enforce Canadian laws. Details are available in the Treasury Board of Canada publication called *Infosource*, under the reference number RC PPU 043. *Infosource* is available at public libraries, government public reading rooms, and on the Internet at: <http://infosource.gc.ca>

Each person 16 years and older must sign. Detach your declaration card and prepare your proof of citizenship to show to a customs officer.

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Customs Declaration Card

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Part A – All travellers (living at the same home address)

1	Last name, first name, and initials	
	Date of birth Y Y Y Y M M D D	Citizenship
2	Last name, first name, and initials	
	Date of birth Y Y Y Y M M D D	Citizenship
3	Last name, first name, and initials	
	Date of birth Y Y Y Y M M D D	Citizenship
4	Last name, first name, and initials	
	Date of birth Y Y Y Y M M D D	Citizenship
Home address – Number, street		Town/city
Province or state		Country Postal/Zip code

Arriving by	Purpose of trip	Arriving from
Airline _____	Study <input type="checkbox"/>	U.S. only <input type="checkbox"/>
Flight no. _____	Personal <input type="checkbox"/>	Other country direct <input type="checkbox"/>
	Business <input type="checkbox"/>	Other country via the U.S. <input type="checkbox"/>

I am/we are bringing into Canada:

• Firearms or other weapons	Yes	No
• Goods related to my/our profession and/or commercial goods, whether or not for resale (e.g., samples, tools, equipment)	Yes	No
• Food (fruits, vegetables, meats, eggs, dairy products), animals, birds, insects, plants, plant parts, soil, living organisms, vaccines	Yes	No
• Articles made or derived from endangered species	Yes	No
• Currency and monetary instruments totalling CAN\$10,000 or more	Yes	No

I/we have shipped goods which are not accompanying me/us.

I/we will be visiting a farm or a farm show in Canada within the next 14 days.

I/we have been on a farm in a country other than Canada during the last 14 days. (If you answered yes, list country/countries)

1 _____	3	
2 _____	4	

Part B – Visitors to Canada

Duration of stay in Canada (days)	Full value of each gift over CAN\$60	Specify quantities	
days		Alcohol	Tobacco

Part C – Residents of Canada (Complete in the same order as Part A)

Date left Canada Y - M - D	Value of goods – CAN\$ (including gifts, alcohol, & tobacco)	Specify quantities	
		Alcohol	Tobacco
1			
2			
3			
4			

Part D – Signatures (age 16 and older)

1 _____	3	
2 _____	4	



Government travel survey of U.S. visitors to Canada

Welcome to Canada!

We are currently conducting a travel survey between U.S. and Canada and we would be interested in knowing about the trip you have taken in Canada. Information from this voluntary survey, which is a cooperative effort between the U.S. and Canadian governments, will be used by members of the tourism industry and government tourism organizations to better understand and serve you, the travelling public.

Upon your return to the U.S., we would appreciate it if you could spare 10 to 15 minutes of your time to complete this questionnaire. When completed, please return the questionnaire to us by using the postage paid envelope.

This survey is conducted under the authority of the Statistics Act (R.S.C. 1985, c. S19) and individual information from your questionnaire will be kept strictly confidential.

Thank you for your co-operation on this important survey.

Confidential when completed
La version française est disponible sur demande

1. Where do you live?
Usual place of residence
PLEASE PRINT

City/Town: _____
State: _____
Country: **U S A** _____ Zip code: _____

2. Where and when did you enter Canada?
Name of Canadian border crossing or airport: _____ Month Day Year: _____
Where and when did you leave Canada?

The next questions refer to your travelling party. Your travelling party is either yourself (if travelling alone) OR yourself, your friends and family members travelling with you. In your travelling party, include only those for whom you are able to report spending and activities.

3. How many people including yourself were in the travelling party?

4. How many people in the travelling party were in each of the following groups?

Age groups	Under 2 years	2 to 11	12 to 14	15 to 19	20 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 to 74	75 and over
Female	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11
Male	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22

5. What was the travelling party's main reason for taking this trip to Canada?
Check one only.
(e.g. If a person on a business trip took his/her family along to visit relatives, check reason for trip as "business".)

Business
01 Meetings
02 Convention, conference, trade show, seminar
03 Other work
12 Other - Specify _____

Pleasure
04 Holiday, vacation
05 Visit friends or relatives
06 Visit second home, cottage, condo
07 Attend events, attractions

Other
08 Personal (medical, wedding, etc.)
09 In transit to / from other countries
10 Educational study
11 Shopping

6. On this trip in Canada, did anyone in the travelling party...
Check all that apply.

21 <input type="radio"/> Visit friends or relatives	32 <input type="radio"/> Visit a theme or amusement park
22 <input type="radio"/> Attend a festival or fair	33 <input type="radio"/> Visit a national or provincial nature park
23 <input type="radio"/> Attend a cultural performance (a play / a concert, etc.)	34 <input type="radio"/> Participate in sports or outdoor activities - Specify ▼
24 <input type="radio"/> Visit a museum or art gallery	35 <input type="radio"/> Boating - motor boat, sail boat, kayak, canoe or other
25 <input type="radio"/> Visit a historic site	36 <input type="radio"/> Golfing
26 <input type="radio"/> Visit a zoo, aquarium or botanical garden	37 <input type="radio"/> Downhill skiing or snowboarding
27 <input type="radio"/> Attend a sports event	38 <input type="radio"/> Hunting
28 <input type="radio"/> Go shopping	39 <input type="radio"/> Fishing
29 <input type="radio"/> Go sightseeing	40 <input type="radio"/> Other sports or outdoor activities
30 <input type="radio"/> Go to a bar or night club	Specify ► _____
31 <input type="radio"/> Go to a casino	

7. How would you rate the following aspects of your trip in Canada?

Transportation services	Good	Average	Poor	Not applicable
01 <input type="radio"/>	06 <input type="radio"/>	11 <input type="radio"/>		
Accommodation services	02 <input type="radio"/>	07 <input type="radio"/>	12 <input type="radio"/>	
Hospitality of local people	03 <input type="radio"/>	08 <input type="radio"/>	13 <input type="radio"/>	
Value for your money	04 <input type="radio"/>	09 <input type="radio"/>	14 <input type="radio"/>	
Variety of things to see and do	05 <input type="radio"/>	10 <input type="radio"/>	15 <input type="radio"/>	

8. While in Canada, what place(s) did the travelling party visit?
Please name all places visited even if you did not stay overnight. (Exclude stop-overs at airports.)
Please print.

Name of cities / towns visited	Name of provinces / territories visited	Number of nights spent at each place	Where did the travelling party stay? <i>Check all that apply.</i>					
			Hotel	Motel	Home of friends or relatives	Camping or trailer park	Cottage or cabin	Other
			1 <input type="radio"/>	2 <input type="radio"/>	3 <input type="radio"/>	4 <input type="radio"/>	5 <input type="radio"/>	6 <input type="radio"/>
			1 <input type="radio"/>	2 <input type="radio"/>	3 <input type="radio"/>	4 <input type="radio"/>	5 <input type="radio"/>	6 <input type="radio"/>
			1 <input type="radio"/>	2 <input type="radio"/>	3 <input type="radio"/>	4 <input type="radio"/>	5 <input type="radio"/>	6 <input type="radio"/>
			1 <input type="radio"/>	2 <input type="radio"/>	3 <input type="radio"/>	4 <input type="radio"/>	5 <input type="radio"/>	6 <input type="radio"/>
			1 <input type="radio"/>	2 <input type="radio"/>	3 <input type="radio"/>	4 <input type="radio"/>	5 <input type="radio"/>	6 <input type="radio"/>
			1 <input type="radio"/>	2 <input type="radio"/>	3 <input type="radio"/>	4 <input type="radio"/>	5 <input type="radio"/>	6 <input type="radio"/>
			1 <input type="radio"/>	2 <input type="radio"/>	3 <input type="radio"/>	4 <input type="radio"/>	5 <input type="radio"/>	6 <input type="radio"/>
			1 <input type="radio"/>	2 <input type="radio"/>	3 <input type="radio"/>	4 <input type="radio"/>	5 <input type="radio"/>	6 <input type="radio"/>
			1 <input type="radio"/>	2 <input type="radio"/>	3 <input type="radio"/>	4 <input type="radio"/>	5 <input type="radio"/>	6 <input type="radio"/>
			1 <input type="radio"/>	2 <input type="radio"/>	3 <input type="radio"/>	4 <input type="radio"/>	5 <input type="radio"/>	6 <input type="radio"/>
			1 <input type="radio"/>	2 <input type="radio"/>	3 <input type="radio"/>	4 <input type="radio"/>	5 <input type="radio"/>	6 <input type="radio"/>

9. Does anyone in the travelling party own any of the accommodations used on this trip? 1 Yes 2 No

10. When entering Canada, did you travel . . . 1 from U.S.A. only 2 directly from another country ▶ Name of country

When leaving Canada, did you travel . . . 4 to U.S.A. only 5 directly to another country ▶ Name of country

11. For this trip, what means of transportation did you use . . . to enter Canada? Check one only.
 Commercial: 01 Plane 02 Train 03 Boat 04 Bus
 Other: 05 Private automobile 06 Rented automobile 07 Private plane 08 Private boat 09 Other
 . . . to leave Canada? Check one only.
 Commercial: 10 Plane 11 Train 12 Boat 13 Bus
 Other: 14 Private automobile 15 Rented automobile 16 Private plane 17 Private boat 18 Other
 . . . while in Canada? Check all that apply.
 Commercial: 19 Plane 20 Train 21 Boat 22 Bus
 Other: 23 Private automobile 24 Rented automobile 25 Private plane 26 Private boat 27 Other (metro, subway, taxi)

If commercial transportation was not used to enter or leave Canada, then go to Question 15.

12. If commercial transportation (plane, bus, train or boat) was used to enter or leave Canada, please report the routes, carriers and fares (including taxes). Please print.

From where did the travelling party leave? Name of city and state/province	To where did the travelling party go? Name of city and state/province	What was the name of the carrier(s) used?	Were the fares . . . one way round trip package tour. Check one.			How much were these fares (including package tours) for the entire travelling party?			Currency	
			1	2	3	U.S.\$	CAN\$	U.S.\$	CAN\$	
			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>			<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	

13. What type of fare was used? Check all that apply.
 1 First class 2 Business class 3 Economy class 4 Charter 5 Frequent flyer plan

14. Were these fares part of a package? No Yes ▶ Which of the following item(s) was (were) also included? Check all that apply.
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 Amount: .00 Currency: U.S.\$ CAN\$
 Number of persons included in spending:

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	Amount	or	%
Accommodation	<input type="text"/> .00	or	<input type="text"/>
Transportation in Canada (include gasoline expenditures, rented car, intercity plane, bus and train fares, boat tours, local bus, taxi)	<input type="text"/> .00	or	<input type="text"/>
Food and beverages	<input type="text"/> .00	or	<input type="text"/>
Recreation and entertainment	<input type="text"/> .00	or	<input type="text"/>
Other (souvenirs, shopping, photos, etc.) ▼	<input type="text"/> .00	or	<input type="text"/>

Specify major items

17. What percentage of total expenditures (including fares) was paid . . . personally? (including family/friends) % by business? % by government? %

18. After your first arrival in Canada, did you at any time during this trip leave Canada for the U.S.A. and then return? Yes ▶ How many times? No

If yes, please report the place(s) and date(s) of exit and the place(s) of re-entry. Please print.

Place of exit from Canada (border crossing/airport)	Date of exit Month Day Year	Place of re-entry to Canada (border crossing/airport)	Number of nights in U.S.A.
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19. Is this your first visit to Canada? Yes No ▶ If No, how many times, including this trip, have you visited Canada for one or more nights, in the last 5 years?

Check one only.

We welcome comments on any aspect of your trip especially those which would help us to better understand your responses.

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This survey is conducted under the authority of the Statistics Act (R.S.C. 1985, c. S19) and individual information from your questionnaire will be kept strictly confidential.

Upon completion of your trip, we would appreciate it if you could spare 10 to 15 minutes

Thank you for your co-operation on this important survey.

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1. Where do you live?
Usual place of residence
PLEASE PRINT

City/Town: _____
State/Province/Territory: _____
Country: _____ Postal/Zip code: _____

2. Where and when did you enter Canada?
Name of Canadian border crossing or airport: _____ Day Month Year: _____
Where and when did you leave Canada?
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3. How many people including yourself were in the travelling party?

4. How many people in the travelling party were in each of the following groups?

Age groups	Under 2 years	2 to 11	12 to 14	15 to 19	20 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 to 74	75 and over
Female	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11
Male	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22

5. What was the travelling party's main reason for taking this trip to Canada?
Check one only.
(e.g. If a person on a business trip took his/her family along to visit relatives, check reason for trip as "business".)

Business
01 Meetings
02 Convention, conference, trade show, seminar
03 Other work
12 Other – Specify _____

Pleasure
04 Holiday, vacation
05 Visit friends or relatives
06 Visit second home, cottage, condo
07 Attend events, attractions

Other
08 Personal (medical, wedding, etc.)
09 In transit to / from other countries
10 Educational study
11 Shopping

6. On this trip in Canada, did anyone in the travelling party . . .
Check all that apply.

21 Visit friends or relatives
22 Attend a festival or fair
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29 Go sightseeing
30 Go to a bar or night club
31 Go to a casino
32 Visit a theme or amusement park
33 Visit a national or provincial nature park
34 Participate in sports or outdoor activities – Specify ▼
35 Boating - motor boat, sail boat, kayak, canoe or other
36 Golfing
37 Downhill skiing or snowboarding
38 Hunting
39 Fishing
40 Other sports or outdoor activities
Specify ► _____

7. How would you rate the following aspects of your trip in Canada?

Transportation services	Good	Average	Poor	Not applicable
	01 <input type="radio"/>	06 <input type="radio"/>	11 <input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Accommodation services	02 <input type="radio"/>	07 <input type="radio"/>	12 <input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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8. While in Canada, what place(s) did the travelling party visit?
Please name all places visited even if you did not stay overnight. (Exclude stop-overs at airports.)
Please print.

Name of cities / towns visited	Name of provinces / territories visited	Number of nights spent at each place	Where did the travelling party stay? <i>Check all that apply.</i>					
			Hotel	Motel	Home of friends or relatives	Camping or trailer park	Cottage or cabin	Other
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9. Does anyone in the **travelling party** own any of the accommodations used on this trip? 1 Yes 2 No

10. When **entering** Canada, did you travel . . . 1 from U.S.A. only 2 directly from another country 3 from another country via the U.S.A.
 When **leaving** Canada, did you travel . . . 4 to U.S.A. only 5 directly to another country 6 to another country via the U.S.A.

11. For this trip, what means of transportation did you use . . . **to enter** Canada?
 . . . **to leave** Canada?
 . . . **while in** Canada?
 Check one only.
 Check one only.
 Check all that apply.
 If commercial transportation was **not** used to enter or leave Canada, then go to Question 15.

Commercial 01 Plane 02 Train 03 Boat 04 Bus
Other 05 Private automobile 06 Rented automobile 07 Private plane 08 Private boat
 09 Other
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12. If commercial transportation (plane, bus, train or boat) **was used** to enter or leave Canada, please report the routes, carriers and fares (including taxes). *Please print.*
 ▼ Please report country (if outside U.S.A.) or city (if in U.S.A.)

Where did the **travelling party** come from immediately before entering Canada (excluding stop-overs at airports)?
 Name of airline or other carrier
 Entry fare for entire travelling party
 Currency (if other than CAN \$)
 OR Round trip fare (including package tours) for entire travelling party

Where did the **travelling party** go immediately upon leaving Canada (excluding stop-overs at airports)?
 Name of airline or other carrier
 Return fare for entire travelling party
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13. What type of fare was used?
 Check all that apply. 1 First class 2 Business class 3 Economy class 4 Charter 5 Frequent flyer plan

14. Were these fares part of a package? No 1 Yes
 Which of the following item(s) was (were) also included?
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19. If you visited the U.S.A. before entering Canada, how long did you stay in the U.S.A.?
 1 Under 24 hours 2 1 - 2 nights 3 3 or more nights 4 Not Applicable

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10. If commercial transportation (plane, bus, train or boat) was used, please report the routes, carriers and fares (including taxes). Please print.

From where did the travelling party leave? <i>Name of city and country</i>	To where did the travelling party go? <i>Name of city and country</i>	What was the name of the carrier(s) used?	Were the fares . . .			How much were these fares (including package tours) for the entire travelling party?	Currency <i>(if other than CAN\$)</i>
			one way	round trip	package tour		
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11. What type of fare was used? First class Business class Economy class Charter Frequent flyer plan
Check all that apply.

12. Were these fares part of a package? No Yes Which of the following item(s) was (were) also included? Check all that apply. Accommodation / meals Rented car Accommodation only Other

13. Did your trip include . . . a cruise a Eurail pass

14. For this trip, what was the total spending outside Canada for all persons in the travelling party? *Include cash/credit transactions for food, accommodation, entertainment, merchandise, gifts, auto operation, local transportation, etc., even if paid for by someone else or a business. Include all taxes and tips. Exclude fares and/or packages reported in Question 10. Estimates appreciated.*

Amount:

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 Currency (if other than CAN\$):

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Number of persons included in spending:

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15. What country(ies) or U.S. state(s) did the travelling party visit? <i>Please name all places visited even if you did not stay overnight. (Exclude stop-overs at airports.)</i> <i>Please print.</i>	What was the total amount spent by the travelling party in each country or state?	Currency <i>(if other than CAN\$)</i>	How many nights were spent in each country or state?	Where did the travelling party stay? <i>Check all that apply.</i>					
				Hotel	Motel	Home of friends or relatives	Camping or trailer park	Cottage or cabin	Other
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16. Please distribute total spending (as reported in Question 14) in each of the following categories. Estimates appreciated.

If estimates can not be provided, report approximate percentages (%) of total spending.

The sums in Questions 14, 15 and 16 should agree.

	Total spending <i>(in same currency as question 14)</i>	or	%																		
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Specify major items _____

17. Does anyone in the travelling party own any of the accommodations used on this trip? Yes No

18. What percentage of these expenditures (including fares) was paid . . .
 personally? (including family/friends)

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 %
 by business?

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 by government?

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 %

We welcome comments on any aspect of your trip especially those which would help us to better understand your responses.

Please use attached postage paid envelope to mail your questionnaire.

Comments



**Canadian Resident
Questionnaire for
Same Day Automobile
Travel Between the
U.S. and Canada**

Welcome!

In a given year, more than 40 million international automobile trips of less than 24 hours are taken by both U.S. and Canadian residents. This voluntary sample survey measures the level of same day international travel – an economic and cultural activity that is beneficial to hundreds of communities on both sides of the border.

Please take the time to tell us about this same day trip. The survey is conducted under the authority of the Statistics Act (R.S.C. 1985, c S19) and your answers will be kept confidential. Your cooperation is essential and appreciated. Please print.

**Questionnaire destiné aux
résidents canadiens revenant
d'un voyage effectué aux
États-Unis en automobile le
même jour**

Bienvenue!

Au cours d'une année, il y a plus de 40 millions de voyages internationaux par automobile de moins de vingt-quatre heures effectués par des résidents américains et canadiens. Cette enquête volontaire par échantillonnage vise à déterminer les caractéristiques des voyages internationaux du même jour – une activité culturelle et économique bénéfique pour des centaines de localités des deux côtés de la frontière.

Veuillez s.v.p. prendre le temps de nous renseigner sur ce voyage d'un même jour. L'enquête est menée selon les dispositions de la Loi sur la statistique (L.R.C. 1985 ch. S19) et vos réponses seront tenues confidentielles. Votre collaboration est essentielle et appréciée. Écrire en lettres moulées s.v.p.

1. Where do you live? Country: 1 Canada 2 United States 3 Other
Où habitez-vous? Pays: Canada États-Unis Autres

Province: _____
City/Town: _____
Ville: _____
Postal Code: _____
Code postal: _____

2. On this trip, where and when did you enter Canada?
Lors de ce voyage, où et quand êtes-vous entré(e) au Canada?

_____ Date
M D / J Y / A

Canadian border crossing – Nom du poste-frontière

Your **travelling party** includes yourself and only those for whom you are able to report spending. *Votre **groupe de voyage** se compose de vous-même et seulement les personnes pour qui vous êtes en mesure de rapporter les dépenses.*

3. How many people, including yourself, were in the travelling party?
Combien de personnes, y compris vous-même, étaient incluses dans votre **groupe de voyage**?

4. What was the main destination on this trip?
Quelle était votre destination principale lors de ce voyage?

State: _____
État: _____
City/Town: _____
Ville: _____

5. What was the TOTAL SPENDING (including cash and credit transactions) on this trip for all persons reported in Question 3? Estimates are appreciated or if no spending occurred, please check the appropriate box. *Quelles étaient LES DÉPENSES TOTALES (incluant les transactions au comptant et à crédit) au cours de ce voyage pour toutes les personnes déclarées à la question 3? Des estimations seraient appréciées ou s'il n'y a pas eu de dépenses, veuillez cocher la case appropriée.*

6 Spending Currency 8 \$ Canadian 9 \$ U.S.
Dépenses \$ _____ .00 **Devise** Canadien U.S.

7 No Spending Aucune dépense

6 What was the MAIN reason for this trip? / Quelle était la raison PRINCIPALE de ce voyage?

1 Commuting to work 2 Business 3 Pleasure (including shopping or entertainment)
Navette travail/domicile Affaires Agrément (y compris magasinage ou divertissements)

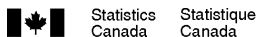
4 Visit friends or relatives 5 Other (specify) _____
Visite à des amis ou des parents Autre (précisez)

Confidential when completed
THANK YOU. Please drop this card in
any mail box in Canada.



Confidentiel une fois rempli
MERCI. Veuillez déposer cette carte dans
n'importe quelle boîte postale au Canada.

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Canada



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Please take the time to tell us about this same day trip. This voluntary survey is conducted under the authority of the Statistics Act (R.S.C. 1985, c S19) and your answers will be kept confidential. Your cooperation is essential and appreciated. Please print.

1. Where do you live? Country: 2 United States 1 Canada 3 Other
 State: _____
 City/Town: _____
 ZIP Code: _____

2. On this trip, where and when did you enter Canada?
 Name of Canadian border crossing: _____
 Date: _____ (Month / Day / Year)

Your **travelling party** includes yourself and only those for whom you are able to report spending. ▼

3. On this trip, how many people, including yourself, were in the **travelling party**?

4. What was the main destination on this trip?
 Province: _____
 City/Town: _____


5. What was the **TOTAL SPENDING** (including cash or credit transactions) on this trip for all persons reported in Question 3? Estimates are appreciated or if no spending occurred, please check the appropriate box.

6 Spending ► \$ _____ .00 ► **Currency** 8 \$ Canadian
 OR 7 No spending 9 \$ U.S.

6. What was the **MAIN** reason for this trip?
 1 Commuting to work 2 Business 3 Pleasure (including shopping or entertainment)
 4 Visit friends or relatives 5 Other (specify) _____

THANK YOU. Please drop this card in any mail box on your return to the U.S.
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Government Travel Survey of Visitors to Canada



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Dear visitor :

We are currently conducting a travel survey between Canada and overseas countries and we would be interested in knowing about the trip you have taken to Canada. Information from this voluntary survey will be used by members of the Canadian travel industry and government tourism organizations to better understand and serve you, the travelling public.

We would appreciate it if you could spare 10 to 15 minutes of your time to complete this questionnaire. If you require assistance, do not hesitate to ask our Statistics Canada representative. Upon completion, please return the questionnaire to her/him.

This survey is conducted under the authority of the *Statistics Act* (R.S.C. 1985, c. S19) and individual information from your questionnaire will be kept strictly confidential.

Thank you for your co-operation on this important survey and have a nice flight.

1. Where do you live? Usual place of residence

Country

- 01 United Kingdom 03 Germany
 02 France 04 Japan

Other, specify _____
If Canada or United States, please return the questionnaire to our representative.

City/Town

State/Province/Territory

1a. Are you travelling as a member of i) a crew or ii) a military or diplomatic corps or one of their dependents?

- 1 Yes If «yes», please return the questionnaire to our representative.
 2 No

2a. Where and when did you enter Canada?

Name of Canadian border crossing or airport

Day Month Year

____|____|____|____|____|____|____|____|____|____|

2b. Where will you leave Canada?

- 01 Halifax International Airport
 02 Trudeau International Airport, Montreal
 03 Pearson International Airport, Toronto (T1, T2, T3)
 04 Calgary International Airport
 05 Vancouver International Airport

When will you leave Canada?

Day Month Year

Nights

____|____|____|____|____|____|____|____|____|____|

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2c. When entering Canada, did you travel...

- 1 from U.S.A. only 2 directly from another country 3 from another country via the U.S.A.

▼
 Please return the questionnaire to our representative.

2d. When leaving Canada, will you travel...

- 4 to U.S.A. only 5 directly to another country 6 to another country via the U.S.A.

3. The next questions refer to your **travelling party**. Your travelling party is either yourself (if travelling alone) **OR** yourself, your friends and family members travelling with you. In your travelling party, include only those for whom you are able to report **spending and activities**.

How many people including yourself were in the **travelling party**?

4. How many people in the **travelling party** were in each of the following groups?

Age groups ▶	Under 2 years	2 to 11	12 to 14	15 to 19	20 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 to 74	75 and over
Female ▶	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11
Male ▶	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22

5. What was the **travelling party's main reason** for taking this trip to Canada?

Check one only.

(e.g. If a person on a business trip took his/her family along to visit relatives, check reason for trip as "business".)

Business

- 01 Meetings 02 Convention, conference, trade show, seminar 03 Other work

Pleasure

- 04 Holiday, vacation 05 Visit friends or relatives 06 Visit second home, cottage, condo 07 Attend events, attractions

Other

- 08 Personal (medical, wedding, etc.) 09 In transit to / from other countries **and** passing through Canada Customs In transit to / from other countries **without** passing through Canada Customs
- 10 Educational study 11 Shopping 12 Other - Specify

▶ If «In transit to / from other countries **without** passing through Canada Customs », please return the questionnaire to our representative.

6. On this trip in Canada did anyone in the **travelling party**...

Check all that apply.

- 21 Visit friends or relatives 32 Visit a theme or amusement park
- 22 Attend a festival or fair 33 Visit a national or provincial nature park
- 23 Attend a cultural performance (a play, a concert, etc.) 34 Participate in sports or outdoor activities
Specify ▼
- 24 Visit a museum or art gallery 35 Boating - motor boat, sail boat, kayak, canoe or other
- 25 Visit a historic site 36 Golfing
- 26 Visit a zoo, aquarium or botanical garden 37 Downhill skiing or snow boarding
- 27 Attend a sports event 38 Hunting
- 28 Go shopping 39 Fishing
- 29 Go sightseeing 40 Other sports or outdoor activities
Specify ▼
- 30 Go to a bar or night club
- 31 Go to a casino

7. How would you rate the following aspects of your trip in Canada?

	Good	Average	Poor	Not applicable
Transportation services	01 <input type="radio"/>	06 <input type="radio"/>	11 <input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Accommodation services	02 <input type="radio"/>	07 <input type="radio"/>	12 <input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hospitality of local people	03 <input type="radio"/>	08 <input type="radio"/>	13 <input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Value for your money	04 <input type="radio"/>	09 <input type="radio"/>	14 <input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Variety of things to see and do	05 <input type="radio"/>	10 <input type="radio"/>	15 <input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

8. While in Canada, what place(s) did the <u>travelling party</u> visit? <i>Please name all places visited even if you did not stay overnight. (Exclude stop-overs at airports.)</i>		Number of nights spent at each place	Where did the travelling party stay? <i>Check all that apply.</i>					
Name of city / towns visited	Name of provinces / territories visited		Hotel	Motel	Home of friends or relatives	Camping or trailer park	Cottage or cabin	Other
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9. Does anyone in the travelling party own any of the accommodations used on this trip?

1 Yes ▶ Go to Question 11 2 No ▶ Go to Question 11

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10. When entering Canada, did you travel ...

1 from U.S.A. only 2 directly from another country 3 from another country via the U.S.A.

When leaving Canada, will you travel ...

4 to U.S.A. only 5 directly to another country 6 to another country via the U.S.A.

11. For this trip, what means of transportation did you use

a) ... to enter Canada?
Check one only.

Commercial	Other
01 <input type="radio"/> Plane	03 <input type="radio"/> Boat
02 <input type="radio"/> Train	04 <input checked="" type="radio"/> Bus
	05 <input type="radio"/> Private automobile
	06 <input type="radio"/> Rented automobile
	07 <input type="radio"/> Private plane
	08 <input type="radio"/> Private boat
	09 <input type="radio"/> Other

b) ... to leave Canada?
Check one only.

10 <input checked="" type="radio"/> Plane	12 <input type="radio"/> Boat	14 <input type="radio"/> Private automobile	16 <input type="radio"/> Private plane	18 <input type="radio"/> Other
11 <input type="radio"/> Train	13 <input type="radio"/> Bus	15 <input type="radio"/> Rented automobile	17 <input type="radio"/> Private boat	

c) ... while in Canada?
Check all that apply.

19 <input type="radio"/> Plane	21 <input type="radio"/> Boat	23 <input type="radio"/> Private automobile	25 <input type="radio"/> Private plane	27 <input type="radio"/> Other (metro, subway, taxi)
20 <input type="radio"/> Train	22 <input type="radio"/> Bus	24 <input type="radio"/> Rented automobile	26 <input type="radio"/> Private boat	

12. Please report the routes, carriers and fares (including taxes) to enter and leave Canada.
Please print.

a) From which country did the travelling party come immediately before entering Canada (excluding stop-overs at airports)?

Name of airline or other carrier: _____

c) Fares

Round trip fare (including package tours) for entire travelling party

Entry fare for the travelling party

Currency (if other than CAN \$)

EMU Euro

British pound

Japanese yen

US dollar

Other, specify _____

OR

b) To which country is the travelling party going to immediately upon leaving Canada (excluding stop-overs at airports)?

France

United Kingdom

Germany

Japan

Other, specify _____

Name of airline or other carrier: _____

Currency (if other than CAN \$)

EMU Euro

British pound

Japanese yen

US dollar

Other, specify _____

Return fare for the travelling party

Currency (if other than CAN \$)

EMU Euro

British pound

Japanese yen

US dollar

Other, specify _____

13. What class of fares were used? *Check all that apply.*

1 First class 3 Economy class 5 Frequent flyer plan
2 Business class 4 Charter class

14. Were these fares part of a package? Which of the following item(s) was (were) also included? *Check all that apply.*

No 1 Yes ▶

2 Accommodation / meals 4 Rented car
3 Accommodation only 5 Other

15. For this trip, what was the **total spending in Canada** for all persons in the **travelling party?**

Include cash/credit transactions for food, accommodation, entertainment, merchandise, gifts, auto operation, local transportation, etc. even if paid for by someone else or a business. Include all taxes and tips. Exclude fares and/or packages reported in Question 12. Estimates appreciated.

Amount .00

Currency (if other than CAN \$)
 EMU Euro
 British pound
 Japanese yen
 US dollar
 Other, specify _____

Number of persons included in spending ▶

16. Please distribute **total spending** (as reported in Question 15) in each of the following categories. Estimates appreciated.

If estimates can not be provided, report approximate percentages (%) of total spending.

The sums in Questions 15 and 16 should agree.

	Amount	or	%
Accommodation	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	.00	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Transportation in Canada (include gasoline expenditures, rented car, intercity plane, bus and train fares, boat tours, local bus, taxi)	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	.00	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Food and beverage	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	.00	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Recreation and entertainment	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	.00	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Other (souvenirs, shopping, photos, etc.) <i>Specify major items.</i>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	.00	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>

17. What percentage of total expenditures (including fares) was paid ...

personally? (including family/friends) % by business? % by government? %

18. After your first arrival to Canada, did you at any time during this trip leave Canada for the U.S.A. and then return?

1 Yes ▶ How many times? 2 No

Place of exit from Canada (border crossing / airport)	Date of exit Day Month Year	Place of re-entry to Canada (border crossing / airport)	Number of nights in U.S.A.
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If yes, please report the place(s) and date(s) of exit and the place(s) of re-entry.


Please print.

19. If you visited the U.S.A. before entering Canada, how long did you stay in the U.S.A.?

1 Under 24 hours 2 1 – 2 nights 3 3 or more nights 4 Not applicable

COMMENTS

We welcome comments on any aspect of your trip especially those which would help us to better understand your responses.



THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION