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Statistical Tables

Table 1
International trips to Canada^{1,2}

	October			January to October		
	2018	2019	% change	2018	2019	% change
	number			number		
Trips by non-residents³	2,330,091	2,432,630	4.4	27,378,752	28,464,974	4.0
United States Residents	1,795,847	1,854,177	3.2	21,304,532	21,817,575	2.4
Automobile	1,181,921	1,230,244	4.1	14,135,181	14,477,764	2.4
Same Day	652,994	668,570	2.4	6,948,331	7,040,063	1.3
One or more nights	528,927	561,674	6.2	7,186,850	7,437,701	3.5
Plane	435,419	442,252	1.6	4,730,780	4,883,020	3.2
Bus	69,362	59,635	-14.0	838,776	767,045	-8.6
Train, boat and other methods	109,145	122,046	11.8	1,599,795	1,689,746	5.6
All other countries residents	534,244	578,453	8.3	6,074,220	6,647,399	9.4
Direct	346,570	369,145	6.5	4,172,510	4,306,088	3.2
Via the United States ⁴	187,674	209,308	11.5	1,901,710	2,341,311	23.1
Trips by residents of Canada³	4,323,663	4,294,756	-0.7	48,026,071	47,642,089	-0.8
Returning from the United States	3,551,483	3,504,384	-1.3	37,803,898	37,135,294	-1.8
Automobile	2,637,649	2,574,795	-2.4	28,634,156	27,634,005	-3.5
Same day	1,858,805	1,788,430	-3.8	19,011,361	18,070,885	-4.9
One or more nights	778,844	786,365	1.0	9,622,795	9,563,120	-0.6
Plane	798,215	815,519	2.2	7,987,185	8,303,119	4.0
Bus	77,994	80,067	2.7	699,929	703,373	0.5
Train, boat and other methods	37,625	34,003	-9.6	482,628	494,797	2.5
Returning from other countries	772,180	790,372	2.4	10,222,173	10,506,795	2.8
Direct	716,021	745,699	4.1	9,404,899	9,703,793	3.2
Via the United States ⁴	56,159	44,673	-20.5	817,274	803,002	-1.7
Total³	6,653,754	6,727,386	1.1	75,404,823	76,107,063	0.9

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

4. Entries and re-entries through or by way of the United States.

Source: Reports of entries and re-entries from offices of the Canada Border Services Agency.

Table 2
Trips of one or more nights by non-residents to Canada, by province of entry, current month¹

		October												
		N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Y.T.	Nvt.	Canada
United States	2018	3,192	39	35,489	44,010	159,491	492,374	17,622	8,444	48,442	217,718	5,368	3	1,032,192
	2019	3,647	21	35,194	55,826	166,560	533,138	18,313	9,273	51,594	213,144	5,606	29	1,092,345
	% change	14.3	-46.2	-0.8	26.8	4.4	8.3	3.9	9.8	6.5	-2.1	4.4	866.7	5.8
Automobile	2018	...	...	475	18,401	77,952	290,521	11,393	5,694	6,779	112,374	5,338	...	528,927
	2019	...	...	0	19,181	83,757	316,472	11,019	6,120	6,606	113,314	5,205	...	561,674
	% change	...	...	-100.0	4.2	7.4	8.9	-3.3	7.5	-2.6	0.8	-2.5	...	6.2
Non-automobile ²	2018	3,192	39	35,014	25,609	81,539	201,853	6,229	2,750	41,663	105,344	30	3	503,265
	2019	3,647	21	35,194	36,645	82,803	216,666	7,294	3,153	44,988	99,830	401	29	530,671
	% change	14.3	-46.2	0.5	43.1	1.6	7.3	17.1	14.7	8.0	-5.2	1,236.7	866.7	5.4
Other countries ³	2018	4,030	2	9,966	5,475	114,491	234,576	1,188	225	17,879	131,697	252	67	519,848
	2019	4,182	0	9,531	12,942	114,177	267,611	1,204	229	16,618	130,350	241	24	557,109
	% change	3.8	-100.0	-4.4	136.4	-0.3	14.1	1.3	1.8	-7.1	-1.0	-4.4	-64.2	7.2
Total	2018	7,222	41	45,455	49,485	273,982	726,950	18,810	8,669	66,321	349,415	5,620	70	1,552,040
	2019	7,829	21	44,725	68,768	280,737	800,749	19,517	9,502	68,212	343,494	5,847	53	1,649,454
	% change	8.4	-48.8	-1.6	39.0	2.5	10.2	3.8	9.6	2.9	-1.7	4.0	-24.3	6.3

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Table 3
Trips of one or more nights by non-residents to Canada, by province of entry, year to date¹

		January to October												
		N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Y.T.	Nvt.	Canada
United States	2018	12,816	294	167,039	312,980	1,707,047	6,014,037	196,344	72,889	667,266	3,422,699	152,432	89	12,725,932
	2019	16,278	234	145,217	370,022	1,784,865	6,232,127	205,590	78,639	709,416	3,525,600	166,143	90	13,234,221
	% change	27.0	-20.4	-13.1	18.2	4.6	3.6	4.7	7.9	6.3	3.0	9.0	1.1	4.0
Automobile	2018	...	...	17,139	234,998	953,463	3,883,736	136,260	53,813	150,915	1,668,478	88,048	...	7,186,850
	2019	...	...	0	249,662	988,599	4,047,428	137,412	59,107	154,811	1,716,506	84,176	...	7,437,701
	% change	...	...	-100.0	6.2	3.7	4.2	0.8	9.8	2.6	2.9	-4.4	...	3.5
Non-automobile ²	2018	12,816	294	149,900	77,982	753,584	2,130,301	60,084	19,076	516,351	1,754,221	64,384	89	5,539,082
	2019	16,278	234	145,217	120,360	796,266	2,184,699	68,178	19,532	554,605	1,809,094	81,967	90	5,796,520
	% change	27.0	-20.4	-3.1	54.3	5.7	2.6	13.5	2.4	7.4	3.1	27.3	1.1	4.6
Other countries ³	2018	43,325	27	87,720	19,701	1,085,808	2,413,936	12,831	2,186	288,530	1,956,534	19,858	2,157	5,932,613
	2019	41,909	25	59,680	34,605	1,168,666	2,722,916	16,420	2,863	290,275	2,004,037	17,058	3,002	6,361,456
	% change	-3.3	-7.4	-32.0	75.7	7.6	12.8	28.0	31.0	0.6	2.4	-14.1	39.2	7.2
Total	2018	56,141	321	254,759	332,681	2,792,855	8,427,973	209,175	75,075	955,796	5,379,233	172,290	2,246	18,658,545
	2019	58,187	259	204,897	404,627	2,953,531	8,955,043	222,010	81,502	999,691	5,529,637	183,201	3,092	19,595,677
	% change	3.6	-19.3	-19.6	21.6	5.8	6.3	6.1	8.6	4.6	2.8	6.3	37.7	5.0

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Table 4
Trips by residents of countries other than the United States to Canada¹

	October			January to October		
	2018	2019	% change	2018	2019	% change
	number			number		
Europe, total	231,011	252,259	9.2	2,623,097	2,877,783	9.7
Belgium	4,849	4,941	1.9	67,095	72,270	7.7
Denmark	3,618	3,151	-12.9	40,493	36,890	-8.9
France	55,185	61,687	11.8	546,174	617,436	13.0
Germany	35,803	40,373	12.8	388,924	397,528	2.2
Greece	983	1,129	14.9	10,944	11,218	2.5
Italy	8,785	9,504	8.2	113,435	122,775	8.2
Netherlands	9,635	11,322	17.5	128,869	129,386	0.4
Portugal	2,384	2,772	16.3	26,136	31,817	21.7
Spain	5,587	5,429	-2.8	86,226	88,058	2.1
Sweden	3,856	3,807	-1.3	42,800	42,087	-1.7
Switzerland	9,623	8,545	-11.2	112,747	113,793	0.9
United Kingdom	61,160	67,822	10.9	727,786	833,445	14.5
Other Europe	29,543	31,777	7.6	331,468	381,080	15.0
Africa, Total	12,026	14,231	18.3	136,982	165,973	21.2
Asia, Total	197,128	204,101	3.5	2,104,215	2,229,328	5.9
China	66,313	60,821	-8.3	679,723	682,789	0.5
Hong Kong	10,423	13,111	25.8	136,074	163,932	20.5
India	17,630	22,356	26.8	262,996	309,235	17.6
Israel	5,280	6,555	24.1	61,600	61,364	-0.4
Japan	26,318	29,750	13.0	231,055	231,600	0.2
Korea, South	24,067	19,590	-18.6	228,794	199,437	-12.8
Malaysia	635	607	-4.4	10,954	10,078	-8.0
Philippines	6,627	7,652	15.5	71,809	91,534	27.5
Singapore	2,575	2,776	7.8	31,330	34,936	11.5
Taiwan	14,776	14,471	-2.1	117,069	113,471	-3.1
Other Asia	22,484	26,412	17.5	272,811	330,952	21.3
North America, Central America and Caribbean, total	46,673	57,095	22.3	534,577	688,650	28.8
Jamaica	2,229	3,102	39.2	29,687	45,948	54.8
Mexico	29,591	35,683	20.6	347,964	444,639	27.8
Trinidad and Tobago	1,880	2,788	48.3	22,682	32,034	41.2
Other North America, Central America and Caribbean	12,973	15,522	19.6	134,244	166,029	23.7
South America, total	23,916	26,217	9.6	299,885	296,121	-1.3
Brazil	14,202	15,565	9.6	167,700	162,159	-3.3
Other South America	9,714	10,652	9.7	132,185	133,962	1.3
Oceania and other islands, total	23,490	24,550	4.5	375,464	389,544	3.8
Australia	19,219	20,237	5.3	312,137	321,466	3.0
New Zealand	3,778	3,712	-1.7	57,558	62,401	8.4
Other Oceania and other Ocean Island	600	655	9.2	6,710	6,216	-7.4
Total	534,244	578,453	8.3	6,074,220	6,647,399	9.4

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Table 5
Trips of one or more nights by residents returning to Canada, by province of re-entry, current month^{1,2}

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United States	2018	964	2	7,466	25,949	245,881	799,511	43,776	13,502	145,470	370,390	1,948	68	1,654,927
	2019	704	0	8,714	26,929	251,744	763,773	38,851	13,167	142,453	340,180	2,020	31	1,588,566
	% change	-27.0	-100.0	16.7	3.8	2.4	-4.5	-11.3	-2.5	-2.1	-8.2	3.7	-54.4	-4.0
Automobile	2018	...	...	174	22,383	130,704	377,797	32,047	8,996	20,646	184,157	1,940	...	778,844
	2019	...	...	0	23,731	135,601	390,451	26,843	9,149	19,558	179,022	2,010	...	786,365
	% change	...	...	-100.0	6.0	3.7	3.3	-16.2	1.7	-5.3	-2.8	3.6	...	1.0
Non-automobile ³	2018	964	2	7,292	3,566	115,177	421,714	11,729	4,506	124,824	186,233	8	68	876,083
	2019	704	0	8,714	3,198	116,143	373,322	12,008	4,018	122,895	161,158	10	31	802,201
	% change	-27.0	-100.0	19.5	-10.3	0.8	-11.5	2.4	-10.8	-1.5	-13.5	25.0	-54.4	-8.4
Other countries	2018	4,368	0	10,656	0	181,467	393,951	647	172	53,406	127,442	1	70	772,180
	2019	424	0	5,755	258	194,165	409,483	930	271	47,780	131,170	0	136	790,372
	% change	-90.3	...	-46.0	...	7.0	3.9	43.7	57.6	-10.5	2.9	-100.0	94.3	2.4
Total	2018	5,332	2	18,122	25,949	427,348	1,193,462	44,423	13,674	198,876	497,832	1,949	138	2,427,107
	2019	1,128	0	14,469	27,187	445,909	1,173,256	39,781	13,438	190,233	471,350	2,020	167	2,378,938
	% change	-78.8	-100.0	-20.2	4.8	4.3	-1.7	-10.4	-1.7	-4.3	-5.3	3.6	21.0	-2.0

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United States	2018	11,895	782	90,865	297,290	3,024,287	8,414,244	582,178	192,284	1,553,957	4,206,135	38,959	274	18,413,150
	2019	7,828	92	91,255	285,363	3,039,135	8,040,802	560,088	187,184	1,389,247	4,043,426	38,732	132	17,683,284
	% change	-34.2	-88.2	0.4	-4.0	0.5	-4.4	-3.8	-2.7	-10.6	-3.9	-0.6	-51.8	-4.0
Automobile	2018	...	...	3,081	268,365	1,754,145	4,281,961	441,998	130,923	341,228	2,364,731	36,363	...	9,622,795
	2019	...	...	0	263,445	1,779,142	4,283,522	422,658	137,195	333,623	2,306,855	36,680	...	9,563,120
	% change	...	...	-100.0	-1.8	1.4	0.0	-4.4	4.8	-2.2	-2.4	0.9	...	-0.6
Non-automobile ³	2018	11,895	782	87,784	28,925	1,270,142	4,132,283	140,180	61,361	1,212,729	1,841,404	2,596	274	8,790,355
	2019	7,828	92	91,255	21,918	1,259,993	3,757,280	137,430	49,989	1,055,624	1,736,571	2,052	132	8,120,164
	% change	-34.2	-88.2	4.0	-24.2	-0.8	-9.1	-2.0	-18.5	-13.0	-5.7	-21.0	-51.8	-7.6
Other countries	2018	51,058	1,807	137,153	29,519	2,438,727	5,044,854	86,826	58,806	787,450	1,584,917	196	860	10,222,173
	2019	19,458	2,328	116,409	30,917	2,597,983	5,094,656	89,751	57,205	853,776	1,643,156	256	900	10,506,795
	% change	-61.9	28.8	-15.1	4.7	6.5	1.0	3.4	-2.7	8.4	3.7	30.6	4.7	2.8
Total	2018	62,953	2,589	228,018	326,809	5,463,014	13,459,098	669,004	251,090	2,341,407	5,791,052	39,155	1,134	28,635,323
	2019	27,286	2,420	207,664	316,280	5,637,118	13,135,458	649,839	244,389	2,243,023	5,686,582	38,988	1,032	28,190,079
	% change	-56.7	-6.5	-8.9	-3.2	3.2	-2.4	-2.9	-2.7	-4.2	-1.8	-0.4	-9.0	-1.6

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