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Statistical Tables

Table 1 International trips to Canada¹

		April		Janua	January to April			
	2020	2021		2020	2021			
	numb	er	% change	number		% change		
Trips by non-residents	67,654	130,634	93.1	3,990,930	476,793	-88.1		
United States Residents	51,042	95,634	87.4	3,144,813	353,431	-88.8		
Automobile	46,596	88,798	90.6	2,293,147	321,102	-86.0		
Same Day	38,833	66,724	71.8	1,358,337	247,940	-81.7		
One or more nights	7,763	22,074	184.3	934,810	73,162	-92.2		
Plane	2,817	5,105	81.2	719,067	27,133	-96.2		
Bus	215	893	315.3	89,310	2,526	-97.2		
Train, boat and other methods	1,414	838	-40.7	43,289	2,670	-93.8		
All other countries residents	16,612	35,000	110.7	846,117	123,362	-85.4		
Direct	10,652	29,276	174.8	607,897	101,745	-83.3		
Via the United States ²	5,960	5,724	-4.0	238,220	21,617	-90.9		
Trips by residents of Canada	181,085	338,383	86.9	12,159,918	1,365,461	-88.8		
Returning from the United States	151,775	283,318	86.7	8,532,172	1,021,432	-88.0		
Automobile	137,980	256,058	85.6	5,783,433	864,658	-85.0		
Same day	105,493	194,550	84.4	3,858,212	716,479	-81.4		
One or more nights	32,487	61,508	89.3	1,925,221	148,179	-92.3		
Plane	10,969	23,586	115.0	2,575,588	147,303	-94.3		
Bus	638	894	40.1	131,457	2,051	-98.4		
Train, boat and other methods	2,188	2,780	27.1	41,694	7,420	-82.2		
Returning from other countries	29,310	55,065	87.9	3,627,746	344,029	-90.5		
Direct	26,063	48,815	87.3	3,371,476	316,818	-90.6		
Via the United States ²	3,247	6,250	92.5	256,270	27,211	-89.4		
Total	248,739	469,017	88.6	16,150,848	1,842,254	-88.6		

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

 $\textbf{Note:} \ \mathsf{For} \ \mathsf{more} \ \mathsf{information} \ \mathsf{on} \ \mathsf{the} \ \mathsf{methodology}, \ \mathsf{see} \ \underline{\mathsf{Frontier} \ \mathsf{Counts}}.$

^{2.} Entries and re-entries through or by way of the United States.

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

								April						
		N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Y.T.	Nvt.	Canada
United States	2020	13	0	5	253	777	4,168	216	308	918	2,394	565	0	9,617
	2021	1	0	1	538	3,868	11,655	449	611	2,673	5,492	1,146	0	26,434
	% change	-92.3		-80.0	112.6	397.8	179.6	107.9	98.4	191.2	129.4	102.8		174.9
Automobile	2020			0	252	586	3,267	185	299	741	1,871	562		7,763
	2021			0	532	2,999	9,934	448	605	1,894	4,519	1,143		22,074
	% change				111.1	411.8	204.1	142.2	102.3	155.6	141.5	103.4		184.3
Non-automobile	2020	13	0	5	1	191	901	31	9	177	523	3	0	1,854
	2021	1	0	1	6	869	1,721	1	6	779	973	3	0	4,360
	% change	-92.3		-80.0	500.0	355.0	91.0	-96.8	-33.3	340.1	86.0	0.0		135.2
Other countries	2020	460	0	514	37	3,331	7,339	208	8	307	1,776	3	21	14,004
	2021	293	0	550	333	6,472	19,431	477	18	1,066	5,391	0	20	34,051
	% change	-36.3		7.0	800.0	94.3	164.8	129.3	125.0	247.2	203.5	-100.0	-4.8	143.2
Total	2020 2021	473 294	0 0	519 551	290 871	4,108 10,340	11,507 31.086	424 926	316 629	1,225 3,739	4,170 10,883	568 1,146	21 20	23,621 60,485
	% change	-37.8		6.2	200.3	151.7	170.1	118.4	99.1	205.2	161.0	101.8	-4.8	156.1

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

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

							J	anuary to	April					
		N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Y.T.	Nvt.	Canada
United States	2020	583	3	3,727	15,280	279,018	725,274	29,648	7,780	95,400	477,672	4,327	11	1,638,723
	2021	29	3	8	1,795	15,293	45,446	1,673	1,583	8,212	19,343	3,121	0	96,506
	% change	-95.0	0.0	-99.8	-88.3	-94.5	-93.7	-94.4	-79.7	-91.4	-96.0	-27.9	-100.0	-94.1
Automobile	2020			0	14,827	162,814	423,065	19,284	5,683	11,519	293,329	4,289		934,810
	2021			0	1,780	11,057	35,615	1,449	1,565	4,727	13,873	3,096		73,162
	% change				-88.0	-93.2	-91.6	-92.5	-72.5	-59.0	-95.3	-27.8		-92.2
Non-automobile	2020	583	3	3,727	453	116,204	302,209	10,364	2,097	83,881	184,343	38	11	703,913
	2021	29	3	8	15	4,236	9,831	224	18	3,485	5,470	25	0	23,344
	% change	-95.0	0.0	-99.8	-96.7	-96.4	-96.7	-97.8	-99.1	-95.8	-97.0	-34.2	-100.0	-96.7
Other countries	2020	3,555	1	2,620	640	159,232	349,485	2,892	328	36,216	254,873	107	110	810,059
	2021	1,175	2	1,110	499	21,043	66,376	1,555	66	3,090	24,839	0	88	119,843
	% change	-66.9	100.0	-57.6	-22.0	-86.8	-81.0	-46.2	-79.9	-91.5	-90.3	-100.0	-20.0	-85.2
Total	2020	4,138	4	6,347	15,920	438,250	1,074,759	32,540	8,108	131,616	732,545	4,434	121	2,448,782
	2021	1,204	5	1,118	2,294	36,336	111,822	3,228	1,649	11,302	44,182	3,121	88	216,349
	% change	-70.9	25.0	-82.4	-85.6	-91.7	-89.6	-90.1	-79.7	-91.4	-94.0	-29.6	-27.3	-91.2

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Note: For more information on the methodology, see Frontier Counts.

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

	A	April			to April	
	2020	2021		2020	2021	
	number		% change	number		% change
Europe, total	2,375	5,039	112.2	319,967	25,457	-92.0
Belgium	43	82	90.7	6,809	498	-92.7
Denmark	18	50	177.8	4,759	209	-95.6
France	195	859	340.5	82,851	5,300	-93.6
Germany	402	799	98.8	33,865	3,765	-88.9
Greece	3	59	1,866.7	1,310	276	-78.9
Italy	37	313	745.9	10,054	1,659	-83.5
Netherlands	543	420	-22.7	13,937	1,946	-86.0
Portugal	44	114	159.1	4,172	473	-88.7
Spain	24	101	320.8	7,976	685	-91.4
Sweden	34	57	67.6	6,733	285	-95.8
Switzerland	72	222	208.3	11,570	878	-92.4
United Kingdom	526	831	58.0	84,557	4,191	-95.0
Other Europe	434	1,132	160.8	51,374	5,292	-89.7
Africa, Total	414	1,391	236.0	21,970	6,599	-70.0
Asia, Total	3,508	15,512	342.2	284,923	55,580	-80.5
China	930	1,663	78.8	86,495	6,262	-92.8
Hong Kong	204	327	60.3	25,837	1,667	-93.5
India	139	8,029	5,676.3	36,119	26,078	-27.8
Israel	23	114	395.7	6,016	457	-92.4
Japan	107	735	586.9	29,099	2,169	-92.5
Korea, South	122	432	254.1	29,413	2,277	-92.3
Malaysia	3	13	333.3	584	67	-88.5
Philippines	361	1,084	200.3	10,847	3,990	-63.2
Singapore	7	54	671.4	2,994	203	-93.2
Taiwan	122	243	99.2	17,572	715	-95.9
Other Asia	1,490	2,818	89.1	39,947	11,695	-70.7
North America, Central America and Caribbean, total	9,882	12,232	23.8	117,184	30,745	-73.8
Jamaica	2,554	2,163	-15.3	8,143	4,950	-39.2
Mexico	5,818	7,481	28.6	79,744	19,217	-75.9
Trinidad and Tobago	42	194	361.9	3,368	458	-86.4
Other North America, Central America and Caribbean	1,468	2,394	63.1	25,929	6,120	-76.4
South America, total	137	594	333.6	44,087	4,030	-90.9
Brazil	30	67	123.3	24,447	883	-96.4
Other South America	107	527	392.5	19,640	3,147	-84.0
Oceania and other islands, total	296	232	-21.6	57,986	951	-98.4
Australia	86	122	41.9	48,220	549	-98.9
New Zealand	194	36	-81.4	9,015	155	-98.3
Other Oceania and other Ocean Island	17	85	400.0	825	268	-67.5
Total	16,612	35,000	110.7	846,117	123,362	-85.4

Note: For more information on the methodology, see Frontier Counts.

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

								April						
		N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Y.T.	Nvt.	Canada
United States	2020	3	0	11	1,432	4,114	22,579	1,329	1,043	5,159	6,225	31	1	41,927
	2021	0	0	4	967	19,009	40,426	1,678	1,269	9,169	9,691	47	1	82,261
	% change	-100.0		-63.6	-32.5	362.1	79.0	26.3	21.7	77.7	55.7	51.6	0.0	96.2
Automobile	2020			0	1,422	3,133	16,936	1,277	1,012	4,402	4,275	30		32,487
	2021			0	911	14,993	30,643	1,624	1,175	4,866	7,249	47		61,508
	% change				-35.9	378.6	80.9	27.2	16.1	10.5	69.6	56.7		89.3
Non-automobile	2020	3	0	11	10	981	5,643	52	31	757	1,950	1	1	9,440
	2021	0	0	4	56	4,016	9,783	54	94	4,303	2,442	0	1	20,753
	% change	-100.0		-63.6	460.0	309.4	73.4	3.8	203.2	468.4	25.2	-100.0	0.0	119.8
Other countries	2020	16	0	49	0	5,651	16,215	8	2	395	6,966	0	8	29,310
	2021	1	0	32	15	11,544	29,614	5	0	2,355	11,499	0	0	55,065
	% change	-93.8		-34.7		104.3	82.6	-37.5	-100.0	496.2	65.1		-100.0	87.9
Total	2020	19	0	60	1,432	9,765	38,794	1,337	1,045	5,554	13,191	31	9	71,237
	2021	1	0	36	982	30,553	70,040	1,683	1,269	11,524	21,190	47	1	137,326
	% change	-94.7		-40.0	-31.4	212.9	80.5	25.9	21.4	107.5	60.6	51.6	-88.9	92.8

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Table 6
Trips of one or more nights by residents returning to Canada, by province of re-entry, year to date

							J	anuary to	April					
		N.L.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Y.T.	Nvt.	Canada
United States	2020	1,405	59	28,363	54,454	681,410	2,086,724	136,200	54,317	450,028	849,101	1,314	10	4,343,385
	2021	4	0	7	2,408	55,649	142,094	4,540	3,184	34,070	35,011	149	3	277,119
	% change	-99.7	-100.0	-100.0	-95.6	-91.8	-93.2	-96.7	-94.1	-92.4	-95.9	-88.7	-70.0	-93.6
Automobile	2020			0	52,293	290,123	990,604	79,574	32,068	91,703	387,642	1,214		1,925,221
	2021			0	2,316	32,759	77,972	3,856	3,014	9,778	18,335	149		148,179
	% change				-95.6	-88.7	-92.1	-95.2	-90.6	-89.3	-95.3	-87.7		-92.3
Non-automobile	2020	1,405	59	28,363	2,161	391,287	1,096,120	56,626	22,249	358,325	461,459	100	10	2,418,164
	2021	4	0	7	92	22,890	64,122	684	170	24,292	16,676	0	3	128,940
	% change	-99.7	-100.0	-100.0	-95.7	-94.2	-94.2	-98.8	-99.2	-93.2	-96.4	-100.0	-70.0	-94.7
Other countries	2020	1,204	850	34,514	13,297	897,911	1,728,080	73,842	45,013	305,760	527,260	0	15	3,627,746
	2021	4	0	72	16	91,911	177,267	80	0	20,185	54,493	1	0	344,029
	% change	-99.7	-100.0	-99.8	-99.9	-89.8	-89.7	-99.9	-100.0	-93.4	-89.7		-100.0	-90.5
Total	2020	2,609	909	62,877	67,751	1,579,321	3,814,804	210,042	99,330	755,788	1,376,361	1,314	25	7,971,131
	2021	8	0	[′] 79	2,424	147,560	319,361	4,620	3,184	54,255	89,504	150	3	621,148
	% change	-99.7	-100.0	-99.9	-96.4	-90.7	-91.6	-97.8	-96.8	-92.8	-93.5	-88.6	-88.0	-92.2

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