

## TOURISM INDICATORS

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### VISITOR ARRIVALS

In October 2000, the number of visitor arrivals in Macao was 781,056, equivalent to an increase of 22.6% over October 1999. Visitors came mainly from Hong Kong (51.6%), Mainland China (25.1%), Taiwan (16.3%) and Southeast Asia (1.6%).

In the first ten months of 2000, the cumulative number of visitor arrivals reached 7,621,400, up 24.0% over the same period of 1999. Furthermore, this figure exceeds the total number of 7,443,924 arrivals recorded in 1999.

Compared with the first ten months of 1999, the cumulative number of arrivals by sea rose 18.6%, with 4,375,175. Among these visitors, 4,119,627 arrived at the Outer Harbour, which represented a 15.2% growth. Arrivals by land totalled at 2,545,074, an increase of 33.7%, 2,510,386 arrived through the Border Gate and 34,688 visitors arrived through the Checkpoint of CoTai. Arrivals by air went up 26.1%, with 701,151; meanwhile, arrivals at the Macao International Airport increased by 28.6%, with 682,055.

#### VISITOR ARRIVALS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE

PLACE OF RESIDENCE	OCTOBER 2000			OCT. 1999	OCT. 2000	Δ%	JAN.-OCT. 1999	JAN.-OCT. 2000	Δ%
	BY SEA	BY LAND	BY AIR						
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>410, 733</b>	<b>296, 741</b>	<b>73, 582</b>	<b>637, 098</b>	<b>781, 056</b>	<b>22.60</b>	<b>6,147, 849</b>	<b>7,621, 400</b>	<b>23.97</b>
EAST ASIA	382, 450	288, 383	70, 705	597, 585	741, 538	24.09	5,822, 975	7,274, 656	24.93
SOUTH KOREA	2, 616	412	420	2, 484	3, 448	38.81	26, 659	37, 016	38.85
MAINLAND CHINA	61, 401	130, 048	4, 798	153, 246	196, 247	28.06	1,324, 537	1,873, 916	41.48
HONG KONG	304, 891	96, 738	1, 300	345, 374	402, 929	16.66	3,537, 403	4,159, 795	17.59
TAIWAN	4, 280	59, 222	63, 920	84, 803	127, 422	50.26	814, 367	1,083, 472	33.04
JAPAN	9, 250	1, 884	246	11, 512	11, 380	-1.15	118, 479	118, 741	0.22
OTHERS	12	79	21	166	112	-32.53	1, 530	1, 716	12.16
SOUTH ASIA	1, 323	179	77	1, 561	1, 579	1.15	11, 111	13, 412	20.71
SOUTHEAST ASIA	7, 883	3, 220	1, 602	10, 051	12, 705	26.41	92, 590	113, 033	22.08
PHILIPPINES	2, 339	1, 260	729	3, 361	4, 328	28.77	29, 669	35, 208	18.67
INDONESIA	1, 143	299	44	928	1, 486	60.13	7, 167	13, 027	81.76
MALAYSIA	1, 190	650	206	1, 546	2, 046	32.34	15, 707	19, 692	25.37
SINGAPORE	1, 258	462	215	1, 380	1, 935	40.22	14, 161	19, 396	36.97
THAILAND	1, 618	408	389	2, 238	2, 415	7.91	21, 223	20, 052	-5.52
OTHERS	335	141	19	598	495	-17.22	4, 663	5, 658	21.34
AMERICAS	7, 383	2, 489	596	9, 537	10, 468	9.76	78, 615	88, 702	12.83
EUROPE	8, 962	1, 753	478	14, 666	11, 193	-23.68	110, 361	98, 092	-11.12
OCEANIA	2, 364	589	98	3, 167	3, 051	-3.66	27, 951	29, 175	4.38
OTHERS	368	128	26	531	522	-1.69	4, 246	4, 330	1.98