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VISITOR ARRIVALS

In February 2001, the number of visitor arrivals in Macao was 710,485, fell by 12.6% over the same period of 2000. The decrease was caused by the effect of the Chinese New Year holidays that changed from February in 2000 to January in 2001. Visitors came mainly from Hong Kong (52.4%), Mainland China (26.9%), Taiwan (14.2%) and Japan (1.8%).

In the first two months of 2001, the cumulative number of visitor arrivals reached 1,596,147, up 9.7% over the same period of 2000.

Compared with the first two months of 2000, the cumulative number of arrivals by sea went down 1.8%, with 860,976. Among these visitors, 837,399 arrived at the Outer Harbour, which represented a slight growth of 0.1%. Arrivals by land totalled at 615,008, an increase of 33.9%, 602,048 arrived through the Border Gate and 12,960 visitors arrived through the Checkpoint of CoTai. Arrivals by air went up 0.4%, with 120,163; meanwhile, arrivals at the Macao International Airport increased by 2.1%, with 117,335.

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE

Place of residence	February 2001			Feb. 2000	Feb. 2001	Δ%	Jan.-Feb. 2000	Jan.-Feb. 2001	Δ%
	By sea	By land	By air						
GRAND TOTAL	376 319	272 382	61 784	813 204	710 485	-12.63	1 455 256	1 596 147	9.68
East Asia	356 208	265 450	59 467	781 767	681 125	-12.87	1 391 198	1 531 935	10.12
Republic of Korea	2 946	351	418	3 801	3 715	-2.26	7 605	8 078	6.22
Mainland China	52 998	134 062	4 206	192 277	191 266	-0.53	373 966	421 577	12.73
Hong Kong	286 209	84 534	1 453	482 017	372 196	-22.78	821 130	877 371	6.85
Taiwan	3 393	44 420	53 054	91 788	100 867	9.89	164 914	199 272	20.83
Japan	10 632	2 002	324	11 713	12 958	10.63	23 256	25 384	9.15
Others	30	81	12	171	123	-28.07	327	253	-22.63
South Asia	1 105	141	51	1 240	1 297	4.60	2 183	2 694	23.41
Southeast Asia	5 418	2 636	1 435	10 243	9 489	-7.36	21 208	21 376	0.79
Philippines	1 595	1 017	753	3 423	3 365	-1.69	6 330	7 210	13.90
Indonesia	490	335	25	838	850	1.43	3 557	2 688	-24.43
Malaysia	1 090	375	107	1 715	1 572	-8.34	3 334	3 769	13.05
Singapore	980	316	152	1 787	1 448	-18.97	3 280	3 235	-1.37
Thailand	995	263	373	1 768	1 631	-7.75	3 666	3 322	-9.38
Others	268	330	25	712	623	-12.50	1 041	1 152	10.66
Americas	5 161	1 950	452	7 980	7 563	-5.23	15 746	16 248	3.19
Europe	6 273	1 502	262	9 302	8 037	-13.60	18 565	16 994	-8.46
Oceania	1 987	595	98	2 315	2 680	15.77	5 588	6 244	11.74
Others	167	108	19	357	294	-17.65	768	656	-14.58

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