### MACAU STATISTICS AND CENSUS DEPARTMENT

# TOURISM INDICATORS

## SEPTEMBER/98

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#### VISITOR MOVEMENT

The number of visitor arrivals in Macau, by different modes of transport, was 517,391 in September 1998 which showed an increase of 4.0% compared with the same month of 1997.

In the first nine months of 1998, there was a total number of 5,235,696 visitors arrived by sea (through Outer Harbour and Pier No. 14), by land, and by air, represented a decrease of 2.0% over the same period of last year.

In the period of analysis, visitor arrivals by sea (through Outer Harbour) recorded a decrease of 2.4%, at 3,507,396 over the same period of 1997. Visitor arrivals by air totalled at 377,347, represented a decrease of 7.4%. The number of visitor arrivals through the Macau International Airport decreased by 7.7% over the same period of last year, at 360,496.

There were 1,259,081 visitors arrived by land, equivalent to an increase of 3.8% over the same period of 1997.

#### VISITOR ARRIVALS BY DIFFERENT MODES OF TRANSPORT - BY NATIONALITY

NATIONALITY	BY SEA	BY AIR	BY LAND	SEP. 1998	SEP. 1997	VARIATION (%)	JANSEP. 1998	JANSEP. 1997	VARIATION (%)
TOTAL	335,276	42,347	139,768	517,391	497,436	4.01	5,235,696 <sup>3</sup>	5,340,996	-1.97
EAST ASIA	288,011	38,580	132,041	458,632	450,690	1.76	4,736,665	4,728,031	0.18
S. KOREA	1,457	157	283	1,897	4,921	-61.45	17,383	79,298	-78.08
TAIWAN	5,235	34,088	27,291	66,614	73,733	-9.66	606,228	693,756	-12.62
JAPAN	15,681	249	1,387	17,317	14,210	21.86	128,994	248,142	-48.02
P.R.CHINA	265,636	4,063	102,969	372,668 <sup>1</sup>	357,742	4.17	3,982,740	3,705,503	7.48
OTHERS	2	23	111	136	84	61.90	1,320	1,332	-0.90
SE ASIA	5,431	1,364	2,044	8,839	9,635	-8.26	84,960	140,101	-39.36
PHILIPPINES	1,488	357	814	2,659	2,382	11.63	25,723	29,558	-12.97
INDONESIA	412	42	62	516	629	-17.97	4,598	9,614	-52.17
MALAYSIA	1,138	134	597	1,869	2,576	-27.45	15,874	32,032	-50.44
SINGAPORE	960	246	251	1,457	1,912	-23.80	15,283	21,967	-30.43
THAILAND	1,224	556	219	1,999	1,906	4.88	20,434	45,056	-54.65
OTHERS	209	29	101	339	230	47.39	3,048	1,874	62.65
AMERICAS	5,882	505	1,346	7,733	7,250	6.66	80,135	93,507	-14.30
EUROPE	32,337	1,625	3,734	37,696 <sup>2</sup>	12,357	205.06	233,378	190,133	22.74
OCEANIA	2,413	120	409	2,942	2,242	31.22	27,320	30,728	-11.09
OTHERS	1,202	153	194	1,549	15,262	-89.85	73,238	158,496	-53.79

Since July 1998, Macau Security Force has classified visitor according to his/her nationality declared.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes 288 223 visitors of Hong Kong

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Includes 22 685 visitors of Hong Kong

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Rectified data