## MACAU STATISTICS AND CENSUS DEPARTMENT

# TOURISM INDICATORS

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# VISITOR MOVEMENT

The number of visitor arrivals in Macau, by different modes of transport, was 690,736 in August 1999 which showed a decrease of 2.7% when compared with the same month of 1998.

In the first eight months of 1999, there was a total number of 4,978,163 visitor arrivals by sea (through Outer Harbour and Pier No. 14), by land, and by air, represented an increase of 5.5% over the same period of 1998.

From January to August of 1999, visitor arrivals by sea through Outer Harbour were 2,932,996, corresponded to a decrease of 7.8% over the same period of 1998. Visitor arrivals by air totalled at 446,003, represented an increase of 33.1%. The number of visitor arrivals through Macau International Airport increased by 33.0% over the same period of last year, at 426,106.

There were 1,513,929 visitor arrivals by land, equivalent to an increase of 35.3% compared with the same period of 1998.

#### VISITOR ARRIVALS BY DIFFERENT MODES OF TRANSPORT - BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE

PLACE OF RESIDENCE	BY SEA	BY AIR	BY LAND	AUG. 1999	AUG. 1998	VARIATION (%)	JANAUG. 1999	JANAUG . 1998	VARIATION (%)
TOTAL	399,037	60,894	230,805	690,736	709,848	-2.69	4,978,163	4,718,305	5.51
EAST ASIA	377,343	57,645	224,535	659,523	677,000	-2.58	4,719,682	4,461,938	5.78
S. KOREA	2,987	68	328	3,383	2,382	42.02	21,473	14,846	44.64
TAIWAN	4,751	48,227	36,207	89,185	80,778	10.41	653,023	538,872	21.18
HONG KONG, CHINA	291,014	3,511	80,590	375,115	484,415	-22.56	2,906,260	3,347,129	-13.17
JAPAN	10,884	376	1,493	12,753	13,500	-5.53	93,515	107,436	-12.96
P.R.CHINA	67,700	5,439	105,819	178,958	95,765	86.87	1,044,194	452,535 *	130.74
OTHERS	7	24	98	129	160	-19.38	1,217	1,120	8.66
SOUTHEAST ASIA	5,228	1,426	2,329	8,983	9,172	-2.06	74,778	70,119	6.64
PHILIPPINES	1,641	569	900	3,110	3,168	-1.83	23,566	20,191	16.72
INDONESIA	398	61	170	629	461	36.44	5,722	3,472	64.80
MALAYSIA	838	186	390	1,414	1,503	-5.92	12,754	13,025	-2.08
SINGAPORE	934	159	276	1,369	1,606	-14.76	11,584	13,599	-14.82
THAILAND	1,146	420	281	1,847	2,077	-11.07	17,513	17,385	0.74
OTHERS	271	31	312	614	357	71.99	3,639	2,447	48.71
AMERICAS	4,697	605	1,693	6,995	7,551	-7.36	63,201 <sup>2</sup>	$63,560^2$	-0.56
EUROPE	8,931	935	1,569	11,435	12,467	-8.28	86,644	88,276 <sup>2</sup>	-1.85
OCEANIA	1,855	134	402	2,391	2,042	17.09	22,095	21,092	4.76
OTHERS	983	149	277	1,409	1,616	-12.81	11,763 <sup>2</sup>	13,320 <sup>2</sup>	-11.69

Note: 1) Since January 1999, DSEC publishes information of Tourism Indicators by place of residence of visitors.

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THE USERS MAY ACCESS TO ANY STATISTICAL INFORMATION THROUGH THE DOCUMENTATION AND INFORMATION CENTRE (CDDI):

<sup>2)</sup> Corrected figure

<sup>\*</sup> This figure does not include chinese visitors with double entry visa from January to July 1998