

TOURISM INDICATORS

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VISITOR ARRIVALS

The number of visitor arrivals reached 2,618,823 in December 2007, representing a year-on-year increase of 21.1%. Visitors from Mainland China and Hong Kong rose by 26.8% and 2.7% respectively, with those from Southeast Asia soared by 81.2%. Meanwhile, same-day visitors accounted for 50.6% of the total arrivals, at 1,324,030.

Among the Mainland visitors, 47.4% travelled to Macao under the Individual Visit Scheme, at 687,000.

Visitor arrivals for the whole year of 2007 surged by 22.8% over 2006 to an all-time record of 27,003,370. Same-day visitors made up 52.1% of the total, at 14,058,164.

Visitor arrivals by sea increased by 17.3% to 8,980,381 over 2006. Meanwhile, arrivals by land grew by 26.3% to 16,549,235 and arrivals by air rose by 19.2% to 1,473,754.

Visitor arrivals by place of residence
December 2007

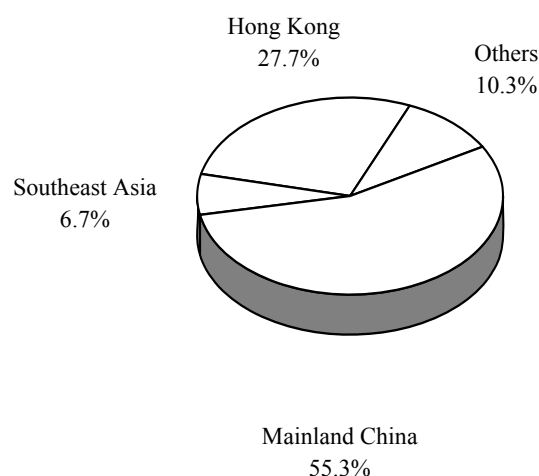


TABLE 1: VISITOR ARRIVALS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE

Place of residence	Dec.			Dec. 2007			Jan.- Dec.		
	2006	2007	Δ%	By sea	By land	By air	2006	2007	Δ%
TOTAL	2 162 917	2 618 823	21.08	902 162^a	1 570 824^b	145 837	21 998 122	27 003 370	22.75
East Asia	2 008 477	2 358 903	17.45	766 045	1 501 140	91 718	20 750 930	25 024 422	20.59
Mainland China	1 142 575	1 448 243	26.75	226 415	1 192 439	29 389	11 985 617	14 873 490	24.09
Hong Kong	706 309	725 543	2.72	475 185	247 919	2 439	6 940 656	8 176 964	17.81
Taiwan, China	118 234	123 032	4.06	17 623	52 717	52 692	1 437 824	1 444 342	0.45
Japan	22 026	32 861	49.19	26 850	3 792	2 219	220 190	299 406	35.98
Republic of Korea	18 951	28 642	51.14	19 763	3 944	4 935	162 709	225 417	38.54
Others	382	582	52.36	209	329	44	3 934	4 803	22.09
South Asia	4 349	7 162	64.68	4 947	1 744	471	41 714	64 028	53.49
Southeast Asia	96 161	174 246	81.20	77 524	50 481	46 241	693 374	1 179 431	70.10
Americas	22 616	33 131	46.49	22 493	7 994	2 644	219 610	306 324	39.49
Europe	19 080	24 560	28.72	18 874	3 805	1 881	191 002	257 335	34.73
Oceania	9 857	17 180	74.29	10 911	3 599	2670	84 222	134 118	59.24
Others	2 377	3 641	53.18	1 368	2 061	212	17 270	37 712	118.37

^a Including 7 890 visitor arrivals through the Border Checkpoint at the Provisional Ferry Terminal in Taipa

^b Including 1 977 visitor arrivals through the Checkpoint of the Trans-Border Industrial Park

Δ% Year-on-year percentage change

Source : Public Security Police

TABLE 2: VISITOR ARRIVALS BY MODE OF TRANSPORT AND PLACE OF RESIDENCE

Place of residence	Mode of transport					
	By sea		By land		By air	
	Outer Harbour	Inner Harbour	Border Gate	Checkpoint of CoTai ^c	Airport	Heliport of Outer Harbour
TOTAL	848 518	45 754	1 477 978	90 869	145 733	104
East Asia	718 576	40 594	1 410 835	88 337	91 621	97
Mainland China	203 882	20 554	1 130 926	60 090	29 361	28
Hong Kong	462 755	7 682	235 632	11 754	2 371	68
Taiwan, China	10 388	7 150	36 580	16 125	52 691	1
Japan	24 927	1 884	3 597	195	2 219	-
Republic of Korea	16 432	3 307	3 774	170	4 935	-
Others	192	17	326	3	44	-
South Asia	4 750	171	1 733	11	471	-
Southeast Asia	73 804	3 298	48 867	1611	46 237	4
Americas	21 518	763	7 521	467	2 644	-
Europe	18 150	525	3 635	170	1 878	3
Oceania	10 550	209	3 342	257	2670	-
Others	1 170	194	2 045	16	212	-

^c The checkpoint of CoTai has resumed full service since 30 April 2007

- Absolute value equals zero

TABLE 3: SAME-DAY VISITOR ARRIVALS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE

Place of residence	Mode of transport								Jan. – Nov. 2007	
	By sea		By land		By air					
	Total	Δ%	Total	Δ%	Total	Δ%	Total	Δ%	Total	Δ%
TOTAL	1 324 030	22.82	343 093^a	18.13	914 102^b	26.98	66 835	-1.31	14 058 164	24.24
East Asia	1 219 189	20.80	285 846	13.52	886 817	26.36	46 526	-16.36	13 188 512	22.61
Mainland China	730 524	38.53	53 011	65.36	671 485	37.21	6 028	2.22	7 432 783	32.38
Hong Kong	367 354	1.73	200 181	3.04	166 087	0.30	1 086	-11.42	4 314 669	17.62
Taiwan, China	94 437	-5.90	11 464	-3.03	45 924	2.98	37 049	-15.69	1 203 525	-5.09
Japan	13 732	28.54	11 433	27.61	1 935	27.30	364	78.43	134 013	12.94
Republic of Korea	12 955	34.64	9 722	111.16	1 242	87.05	1 991	-54.27	101 987	19.61
Others	187	16.88	35	-46.97	144	53.19	8	-	1 535	36.20
South Asia	2 305	63.13	1 541	69.71	684	51.66	80	48.15	20 537	41.63
Southeast Asia	66 236	60.64	29 813	65.21	18 477	48.82	17 946	66.63	486 752	70.63
Americas	15 203	37.82	10 548	32.90	4 026	60.98	629	6.07	151 503	35.99
Europe	11 608	24.38	9 672	23.65	1 332	29.32	604	25.57	127 321	30.77
Oceania	7 462	59.82	5 086	42.95	1 383	46.82	993	487.57	62 983	46.76
Others	2 027	81.79	587	52.86	1 383	97.01	57	96.55	20 556	157.69

^a Including 3 331 visitor arrivals through the Border Checkpoint at the Provisional Ferry Terminal in Taipa^b Including 1 452 visitor arrivals through the Checkpoint of the Trans-Border Industrial Park

Δ% Year-on-year percentage change

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Source : Public Security Police