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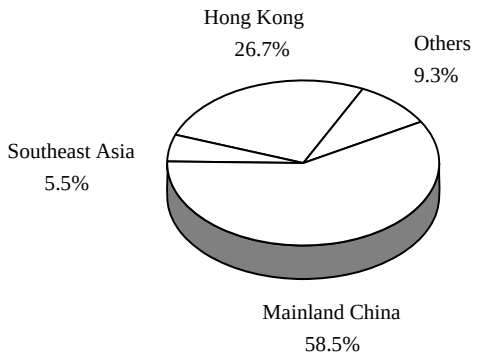
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VISITOR ARRIVALS

- Visitor arrivals totalled 2,623,548 in October 2008, a year-on-year increase of 8.0%. Same-day visitors accounted for 54.9% of the total arrivals, at 1,440,047. In the first ten months of 2008, visitor arrivals reached 25,109,041, up by 14.5% over the same period of last year. Same-day visitors made up 53.1% of the total, at 13,342,487.
- In October 2008, 1,534,609 visitors came from Mainland China, with 470,049 travelling to Macao under the Individual Visit Scheme, down by 25.9% year-on year.
- In the first ten months of 2008, 7,955,716 visitors arrived in Macao by sea, 15,729,987 by land and 1,423,338 by air, up by 9.4%, 16.9% and 19.7% respectively year-on-year.

Visitor arrivals by place of residence
October 2008



1. VISITOR ARRIVALS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE

No.

Place of residence	Oct.			Oct. 2008			Jan. - Oct.		
	2007 [r]	2008	Δ%	By sea	By land	By air	2007 [r]	2008	Δ%
TOTAL	**2 428 776**	**2 623 548**	**8.02**	**789 536**	**1 683 862**	**150 150**	**21 919 748**	**25 109 041**	**14.55**
East Asia	2 224 661	2 399 799	7.87	668 221	1 638 076	93 502	20 421 497	23 109 524	13.16
Mainland China	1 367 321	1 534 609	12.23	124 531	1 377 574	32 504	12 018 193	14 650 492	21.90
Hong Kong	693 289	701 429	1.17	488 853	207 964	4 612	6 792 172	6 795 279	0.05
Taiwan, China	121 108	112 292	-7.28	13 867	47 272	51 153	1 197 651	1 118 728	-6.59
Japan	25 645	31 105	21.29	25 775	3 221	2 109	233 388	291 527	24.91
Republic of Korea	16 824	19 991	18.82	15 038	1 862	3 091	176 299	249 425	41.48
Others	474	373	-21.31	157	183	33	3 794	4 073	7.35
South Asia	7 268	8 105	11.52	6 645	972	488	50 772	82 632	62.75
Southeast Asia	115 593	143 234	23.91	62 118	33 067	48 049	875 643	1 253 263	43.12
Malaysia	33 009	33 487	1.45	10 872	9 797	12 818	289 261	362 128	25.19
Philippines	24 432	26 852	9.91	13 947	3 594	9 311	200 591	273 736	36.46
Thailand	13 685	28 243	106.38	10 804	4 431	13 008	105 884	209 325	97.69
Singapore	14 617	22 567	54.39	8 323	7 078	7 166	133 494	194 667	45.82
Others	29 850	32 085	7.49	18 172	8 167	5 746	146 413	213 407	45.76
Americas	34 004	27 872	-18.03	19 244	5 804	2 824	237 081	269 559	13.70
Europe	27 532	25 985	-5.62	21 037	2 716	2 232	201 976	230 453	14.10
Oceania	15 218	16 585	8.98	11 161	2 648	2 776	102 462	137 668	34.36
Others	4 500	1 968	-56.27	1 110	579	279	30 317	25 942	-14.43

[r] Revised figures

Δ% Year-on-year percentage change

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2. VISITOR ARRIVALS BY MODE OF TRANSPORT AND PLACE OF RESIDENCE

No.

Place of residence	Mode of transport						
	By sea			By land		By air	
	Outer Harbour	Inner Harbour	Provisional Ferry Terminal in Taipa	Border Gate	Checkpoint of CoTai	Airport	Heliport of Outer Habour
TOTAL	**512 285**	**33 337**	**243 914**	**1597 489**	**86 373**	**147 461**	**2 689**
East Asia	415 283	29 662	223 276	1 554 084	83 992	91 652	1 850
Mainland China	79 539	14 924	30 068	1 319 396	58 178	31 943	561
Hong Kong	295 742	5 865	187 246	199 410	8 554	3 495	1 117
Taiwan, China	7 259	5 312	1 296	30 295	16 977	51 122	31
Japan	22 187	1 493	2 095	3 018	203	2 023	86
Republic of Korea	10 420	2 049	2 569	1 786	76	3 037	54
Others	136	19	2	179	4	32	1
South Asia	4 806	58	1 781	951	21	464	24
Southeast Asia	48 144	2 755	11 219	31 378	1 689	47 838	211
Malaysia	8 189	741	1 942	9 052	745	12 792	26
Philippines	11 323	73	2 551	3 549	45	9 281	30
Thailand	7 962	265	2 577	4 283	148	13 000	8
Singapore	6 838	239	1 246	6 522	556	7 132	34
Others	13 832	1 437	2 903	7 972	195	5 633	113
Americas	16 032	386	2 826	5 439	365	2 597	227
Europe	17 755	321	2 961	2 580	136	2 013	219
Oceania	9 320	134	1 707	2 485	163	2 664	112
Others	945	21	144	572	7	233	46

3. SAME-DAY VISITOR ARRIVALS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE

No.

Place of residence	Oct. 2008								Jan. - Oct. 2008	
	Mode of transport									
	Total	Δ%	By sea	Δ%	By land	Δ%	By air	Δ%	Total	Δ%
TOTAL	**1 440 047**	**12.52**	**336 991**	**5.68**	**1 034 929**	**15.75**	**68 127**	**2.00**	**13 342 487**	**16.54**
East Asia	1 353 662	13.42	287 115	5.55	1 017 207	16.82	49 340	-2.81	12 559 499	16.51
Mainland China	868 872	23.44	23 005	-51.74	835 374	28.63	10 493	55.84	7 897 946	31.89
Hong Kong	381 604	1.47	239 686	19.03	139 220	-19.89	2 698	191.68	3 575 309	-0.43
Taiwan, China	83 310	-14.12	8 205	-19.55	40 131	-10.95	34 974	-16.22	852 575	-15.65
Japan	10 831	13.21	8 995	13.27	1 614	12.55	222	15.63	116 907	8.33
Republic of Korea	8 959	30.29	7 200	50.16	812	-10.67	947	-19.20	115 549	42.64
Others	86	-43.42	24	-57.14	56	-41.67	6	..	1 213	1.51
South Asia	2 220	9.36	1 876	54.79	283	-61.29	61	-29.89	21 326	30.78
Southeast Asia	49 859	11.21	21 595	27.98	11 874	-15.87	16 390	18.39	451 598	23.13
Malaysia	16 705	-13.08	4 326	13.90	5 200	-24.60	7 179	-15.78	187 628	6.69
Philippines	7 139	29.49	5 513	61.72	481	-64.34	1 145	51.66	64 960	44.10
Thailand	9 011	73.26	3 643	55.55	1 803	32.67	3 565	137.67	66 864	57.84
Singapore	8 247	36.86	3 048	17.77	2 814	24.51	2 385	102.46	75 581	17.55
Others	8 757	-1.31	5 065	6.92	1 576	-29.92	2 116	12.14	56 565	44.39
Americas	13 256	-20.26	9 478	-21.21	3 063	-20.34	715	-4.41	125 093	5.51
Europe	12 234	-9.09	10 754	-4.54	872	-41.00	608	-14.73	111 282	9.18
Oceania	8 139	11.39	5 808	15.33	1 345	-19.46	986	64.06	62 888	27.74
Others	677	-66.39	365	-17.98	285	-81.43	27	-20.59	10 801	-35.29

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