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 578,181 in March 1998 which showed a sign of decrease when compared with the same month of 1997.

In the first three months of 1998, there was a total number of 1,784,117 visitors arrived by sea (through Outer Harbour and Pier No. 14), by land and by air, represented a decrease of 10.9% over the same period of 1997.

In the period of analysis, visitor arrivals by sea (through Outer Harbour) recorded a decrease of 12.9%, at 1,218,284 over the same period of 1997. Visitor arrivals by air totalled at 116,712, represented a decrease of 6.6%. The number of visitor arrivals through the Macau International Airport decreased by 5.9% over the same period of last year, at 111,924.

There were 412,028 visitors arrived by land, equivalent to a decrease of 2.5% over the same period of 1997.

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY DIFFERENT MODES OF TRANSPORT - BY NATIONALITY

NATIONALITY	BY SEA	BY AIR	BY LAND	MAR. 1998	MAR. 1997	VARIATION (%)	JANMAR. 1998	JANMAR. 1997	VARIATION (%)
TOTAL	403,892	39,439	134,850	578,181	713,476	-18.96	1,784,117	2,001,942	-10.88
EAST ASIA	366,842	35,949	124,202	526,993	621,509	-15.21	1,631,956	1,760,593	-7.31
S. KOREA	1,365	44	245	1,654	10,109	-83.64	4,965	35,457	-86.00
TAIWAN	4,968	32,033	27,735	64,736	73,547	-11.98	186,195	217,994	-14.59
HONG KONG	315,861	1,783	78,833	396,477	439,871	-9.87	1,251,052	1,221,176	2.45
JAPAN	9,365	757	1,971	12,093	43,522	-72.21	34,799	124,119	-71.96
P.R.CHINA	35,283	1,300	15,309	51,892	54,242	-4.33	154,534	161,317	-4.20
OTHERS	0	32	109	141	218	-35.32	411	530	-22.45
SE ASIA	5,549	1,197	1,870	8,616	17,827	-51.67	27,069	51,525	-47.46
PHILIPPINES	1,347	271	682	2,300	3,722	-38.21	7,373	10,521	-29.92
INDONESIA	318	25	28	371	963	-61.47	1,581	4,155	-61.95
MALAYSIA	1,135	130	479	1,744	4,220	-58.67	5,390	12,098	-55.45
SINGAPORE	1,196	209	362	1,767	3,728	-52.60	5,484	8,110	-32.38
THAILAND	1,380	533	259	2,172	4,966	-56.26	6,416	16,047	-60.02
OTHERS	173	29	60	262	228	14.91	825	594	38.89
AMERICAS	6,639	624	2,009	9,272	14,243	-34.90	26,395	35,884	-26.44
EUROPE	11,584	1,370	1,819	14,773	33,589	-56.02	41,825	83,918	-50.16
OCEANIA	3,274	106	547	3,927	5,505	-28.66	9,960	13,344	-25.36
OTHERS	10,004	193	4,403	14,600	20,803	-29.82	46,912	56,678	-17.23

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