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VISITOR ARRIVALS

The total number of visitor arrivals reached 1,949,583 in November 2006, representing a year-on-year increase of 21.4%. Visitors from Mainland China; Hong Kong; and Taiwan, China grew 14.5%, 33.9% and 9.1% respectively. In addition, same-day visitors accounted for 51.5% of the total arrivals, at 1,003,355.

In November, 48.0% of the visitor arrivals from Mainland China travelled to Macao under the Individual Visit Scheme, at 513,119.

In the first eleven months of 2006, visitor arrivals totalled 19,835,205, which have surpassed the annual total of 2005 (18,711,187), up 16.4% over the same period of last year. Same-day visitors, at 10,237,410, made up 51.6% of the total.

Compared with the same period of last year, visitor arrivals by sea rose 13.2% to 6,900,231 in the first eleven months of 2006, with 6,562,275 arriving at the Outer Harbour. The cumulative arrivals through the Border Gate soared 25.9% to 11,816,570. Arrivals by air totalled 1,118,404 (+17.2%), with 1,109,147 arriving at the Macao International Airport (+17.4%).

Visitor arrivals by place of residence
November 2006

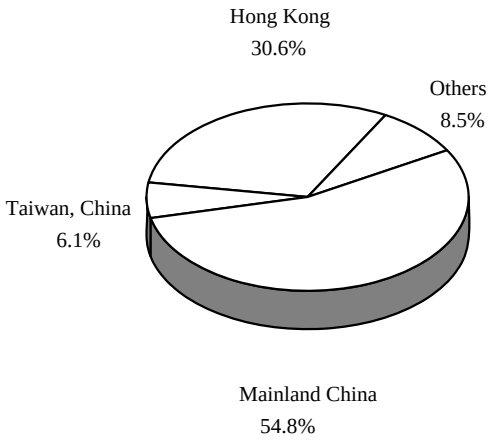


TABLE 1: VISITOR ARRIVALS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE

Place of residence	Nov.			Nov. 2006			Jan.- Nov.		
	2005	2006	Δ%	By sea	By land	By air	2005	2006	Δ%
TOTAL	**1 605 589**	**1 949 583**	**21.42**	**646 327**	**1 195 621**	**107 635**	**17 043 667**	**19 835 205**	**16.38**
East Asia	1 516 189	1 822 348	20.19	581 279	1 157 400	83 669	16 280 324	18 742 453	15.12
Mainland China	934 132	1 069 214	14.46	177 571	868 648	22 995	9 537 939	10 843 042	13.68
Hong Kong	445 182	596 085	33.90	360 957	233 266	1 862	5 098 508	6 234 347	22.28
Taiwan, China	108 291	118 113	9.07	13 516	50 436	54 161	1 379 936	1 319 590	-4.37
Japan	17 202	25 187	46.42	21 214	3 009	964	152 773	198 164	29.71
Republic of Korea	10 870	13 406	23.33	7 919	1 839	3 648	106 260	143 758	35.29
Others	512	343	-33.01	102	202	39	4 908	3 552	-27.63
South Asia	2 415	3 315	37.27	1 967	1 067	281	28 616	37 365	30.57
Southeast Asia	44 703	69 856	56.27	25 630	24 646	19 580	346 780	597 213	72.22
Americas	18 768	23 651	26.02	15 402	6 156	2 093	165 370	196 994	19.12
Europe	16 727	20 868	24.76	15 927	3 458	1 483	148 511	171 922	15.76
Oceania	5 980	7 718	29.06	5 468	1 866	384	64 356	74 365	15.55
Others	807	1 827	126.39	654	1 028	145	9 710	14 893	53.38

Δ% Year-on-year percentage change

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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	Checkpoint of Border Gate	Checkpoint of CoTai [a]	Airport	Heliport
TOTAL	**616 083**	**30 244**	**1 195 621**	**-**	**106 586**	**1 049**
East Asia	553 492	27 787	1 157 400	-	82 858	811
Mainland China	163 198	14 373	868 648	-	22 684	311
Hong Kong	359 007	1 950	233 266	-	1 433	429
Taiwan, China	4 590	8 926	50 436	-	54 154	7
Japan	20 156	1 058	3 009	-	910	54
Republic of Korea	6 443	1 476	1 839	-	3 639	9
Others	98	4	202	-	38	1
South Asia	1 852	115	1 067	-	263	18
Southeast Asia	24 422	1 208	24 646	-	19 541	39
Americas	14 908	494	6 156	-	2 013	80
Europe	15 482	445	3 458	-	1 407	76
Oceania	5 381	87	1 866	-	366	18
Others	546	108	1 028	-	138	7

[a] All passages of this Checkpoint, except that of cargo transport, are temporarily closed since 17 September 2005

- Absolute value equals zero

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

Place of residence	Mode of transport								Jan. – Nov. 2006	
	Total	Δ%	By sea	Δ%	By land	Δ%	By air	Δ%	Total	Δ%
TOTAL	**1 003 355**	**22.64**	**257 708**	**7.93**	**679 631**	**28.43**	**66 016**	**31.55**	**10 237 410**	**15.47**
East Asia	943 379	21.37	224 349	6.39	663 615	27.71	55 415	18.49	9 746 780	14.36
Mainland China	495 241	17.77	27 391	-28.38	463 135	21.83	4 715	123.25	5 087 284	14.71
Hong Kong	324 600	32.07	171 832	11.18	151 949	67.60	819	41.45	3 307 256	21.50
Taiwan, China	104 012	8.37	10 972	41.92	46 202	-0.80	46 838	12.38	1 167 659	-5.02
Japan	13 086	32.64	11 187	37.26	1 700	10.61	199	11.17	107 971	28.37
Republic of Korea	6 340	27.44	2 952	34.98	547	-4.87	2 841	28.38	75 643	46.23
Others	100	-27.54	15	-42.31	82	-23.36	3	-40.00	967	-11.28
South Asia	1 124	38.59	638	9.81	431	128.04	55	34.15	13 087	20.03
Southeast Asia	31 613	75.97	12 099	22.96	10 184	87.03	9 330	248.13	244 030	88.69
Americas	12 138	19.48	8 563	14.54	2 963	30.18	612	50.37	100 375	14.07
Europe	10 475	24.73	8 800	21.26	1 205	29.85	470	120.66	88 028	16.66
Oceania	3 740	18.13	2 973	16.27	654	17.41	113	117.31	38 248	10.65
Others	886	141.42	286	61.58	579	250.91	21	-16.00	6 862	64.60

Δ% Year-on-year percentage change