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Table 1

### Estimated Number of International Travellers Entering or Returning to Canada

Type of transportation	January			January-January		
	2002	2003	Change 2003	2002	2003	Change 2003
			%			%
<b>Number of trips by non-residents<sup>1</sup></b>						
United States residents	2,179,481	2,204,612	1.2	2,179,481	2,204,612	1.2
Automobile	1,869,342	1,873,290	0.2	1,869,342	1,873,290	0.2
Same day	1,497,489	1,462,214	-2.4	1,497,489	1,462,214	-2.4
One or more nights	371,853	411,076	10.5	371,853	411,076	10.5
Plane	220,961	220,739	-0.1	220,961	220,739	-0.1
Bus	70,361	91,103	29.5	70,361	91,103	29.5
Train, boat and other methods	18,817	19,480	3.5	18,817	19,480	3.5
All other countries residents	167,107	186,463	11.6	167,107	186,463	11.6
Direct	107,395	117,545	9.5	107,395	117,545	9.5
Via the United States <sup>2</sup>	59,712	68,918	15.4	59,712	68,918	15.4
<b>Total non-residents</b>	<b>2,346,588</b>	<b>2,391,075</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2,346,588</b>	<b>2,391,075</b>	<b>1.9</b>
<b>Number of trips by residents of Canada<sup>1</sup></b>						
Returning from the United States	2,424,297	2,488,296	2.6	2,424,297	2,488,296	2.6
Automobile	1,934,728	1,960,906	1.4	1,934,728	1,960,906	1.4
Same day	1,524,309	1,545,517	1.4	1,524,309	1,545,517	1.4
One or more nights	410,419	415,389	1.2	410,419	415,389	1.2
Plane	381,235	411,363	7.9	381,235	411,363	7.9
Bus	86,970	95,552	9.9	86,970	95,552	9.9
Train, boat and other methods	21,364	20,475	-4.2	21,364	20,475	-4.2
Returning from all other countries	493,175	581,330	17.9	493,175	581,330	17.9
Direct	409,380	489,421	19.6	409,380	489,421	19.6
Via the United States <sup>2</sup>	83,795	91,909	9.7	83,795	91,909	9.7
<b>Total residents</b>	<b>2,917,472</b>	<b>3,069,626</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>2,917,472</b>	<b>3,069,626</b>	<b>5.2</b>
<b>Total<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>5,264,060</b>	<b>5,460,701</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>5,264,060</b>	<b>5,460,701</b>	<b>3.7</b>

<sup>1</sup> Excludes immigrants, former residents, military personnel, diplomats and crews.

<sup>2</sup> Travellers entering or re-entering through or by way of the United States.

Source: Reports of entries and re-entries from border offices of the Canadian Customs and Revenue Agency.

Table 2

## Estimated Number of One or More Nights Trips to Canada, by Non-residents, by Province of Entry

Categories of travellers	Nfld.Lab.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Qué.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Yukon	Canada
January												
<b>United States</b>												
Automobile												
2002	...	...	0	6,873	54,345	186,829	6,849	1,900	5,343	107,709	2,005	371,853
2003	...	...	0	6,925	64,264	202,358	7,438	2,060	5,518	120,769	1,744	411,076
Per cent	...	...	...	0.8	18.3	8.3	8.6	8.4	3.3	12.1	-13.0	10.5
Non-automobile												
2002	160	0	1,394	1,447	42,954	102,997	2,884	853	18,525	67,164	76	238,454
2003	361	9	1,399	1,548	48,035	104,916	3,065	914	20,701	59,892	35	240,875
Per cent	125.6	...	0.4	7.0	11.8	1.9	6.3	7.2	11.7	-10.8	-53.9	1.0
<b>Total</b>												
2002	160	0	1,394	8,320	97,299	289,826	9,733	2,753	23,868	174,873	2,081	610,307
2003	361	9	1,399	8,473	112,299	307,274	10,503	2,974	26,219	180,661	1,779	651,951
Per cent	125.6	...	0.4	1.8	15.4	6.0	7.9	8.0	9.9	3.3	-14.5	6.8
<b>Other countries <sup>1</sup></b>												
2002	1,889	2	1,411	50	27,869	52,527	377	115	11,981	66,406	108	162,735
2003	2,039	0	1,032	51	30,890	60,387	515	83	14,820	71,772	56	181,645
Per cent	7.9	-100.0	-26.9	2.0	10.8	15.0	36.6	-27.8	23.7	8.1	-48.1	11.6
<b>Total</b>												
<b>2002</b>	<b>2,049</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2,805</b>	<b>8,370</b>	<b>125,168</b>	<b>342,353</b>	<b>10,110</b>	<b>2,868</b>	<b>35,849</b>	<b>241,279</b>	<b>2,189</b>	<b>773,042</b>
<b>2003</b>	<b>2,400</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2,431</b>	<b>8,524</b>	<b>143,189</b>	<b>367,661</b>	<b>11,018</b>	<b>3,057</b>	<b>41,039</b>	<b>252,433</b>	<b>1,835</b>	<b>833,596</b>
<b>Per cent</b>	<b>17.1</b>	<b>350.0</b>	<b>-13.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>-16.2</b>	<b>7.8</b>
January-January												
<b>United States</b>												
Automobile												
2002	...	...	0	6,873	54,345	186,829	6,849	1,900	5,343	107,709	2,005	371,853
2003	...	...	0	6,925	64,264	202,358	7,438	2,060	5,518	120,769	1,744	411,076
Per cent	...	...	...	0.8	18.3	8.3	8.6	8.4	3.3	12.1	-13.0	10.5
Non-automobile												
2002	160	0	1,394	1,447	42,954	102,997	2,884	853	18,525	67,164	76	238,454
2003	361	9	1,399	1,548	48,035	104,916	3,065	914	20,701	59,892	35	240,875
Per cent	125.6	...	0.4	7.0	11.8	1.9	6.3	7.2	11.7	-10.8	-53.9	1.0
<b>Total</b>												
2002	160	0	1,394	8,320	97,299	289,826	9,733	2,753	23,868	174,873	2,081	610,307
2003	361	9	1,399	8,473	112,299	307,274	10,503	2,974	26,219	180,661	1,779	651,951
Per cent	125.6	...	0.4	1.8	15.4	6.0	7.9	8.0	9.9	3.3	-14.5	6.8
<b>Other countries <sup>1</sup></b>												
2002	1,889	2	1,411	50	27,869	52,527	377	115	11,981	66,406	108	162,735
2003	2,039	0	1,032	51	30,890	60,387	515	83	14,820	71,772	56	181,645
Per cent	7.9	-100.0	-26.9	2.0	10.8	15.0	36.6	-27.8	23.7	8.1	-48.1	11.6
<b>Total</b>												
<b>2001</b>	<b>2,049</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2,805</b>	<b>8,370</b>	<b>125,168</b>	<b>342,353</b>	<b>10,110</b>	<b>2,868</b>	<b>35,849</b>	<b>241,279</b>	<b>2,189</b>	<b>773,042</b>
<b>2002</b>	<b>2,400</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2,431</b>	<b>8,524</b>	<b>143,189</b>	<b>367,661</b>	<b>11,018</b>	<b>3,057</b>	<b>41,039</b>	<b>252,433</b>	<b>1,835</b>	<b>833,596</b>
<b>Per cent</b>	<b>17.1</b>	<b>350.0</b>	<b>-13.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>-16.2</b>	<b>7.8</b>

<sup>1</sup> Excludes entries by land same day via the United States.  
... figures not applicable.

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Table 3

## Estimated Number of Trips to Canada, by Residents of Countries Other Than the United States

Country of residence	January			January-January		
	2002	2003	Change 2003	2002	2003	Change 2003
			%			%
<b>Europe, total</b>	<b>80,962</b>	<b>89,381</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>80,962</b>	<b>89,381</b>	<b>10.4</b>
Belgium	1,619	1,725	6.5	1,619	1,725	6.5
Denmark	1,075	959	-10.8	1,075	959	-10.8
France	14,171	15,855	11.9	14,171	15,855	11.9
Germany	9,389	10,387	10.6	9,389	10,387	10.6
Greece	724	630	-13.0	724	630	-13.0
Italy	2,732	3,500	28.1	2,732	3,500	28.1
Netherlands, The	3,061	3,583	17.1	3,061	3,583	17.1
Portugal	536	643	20.0	536	643	20.0
Spain	938	1,504	60.3	938	1,504	60.3
Sweden	1,678	1,730	3.1	1,678	1,730	3.1
Switzerland	3,584	3,180	-11.3	3,584	3,180	-11.3
United Kingdom	32,702	36,690	12.2	32,702	36,690	12.2
Other Europe	8,753	8,995	2.8	8,753	8,995	2.8
<b>Africa, total</b>	<b>2,663</b>	<b>2,962</b>	<b>11.2</b>	<b>2,663</b>	<b>2,962</b>	<b>11.2</b>
<b>Asia, total</b>	<b>55,641</b>	<b>59,403</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>55,641</b>	<b>59,403</b>	<b>6.8</b>
China	6,166	6,417	4.1	6,166	6,417	4.1
Hong Kong	5,532	7,682	38.9	5,532	7,682	38.9
India	2,039	2,611	28.1	2,039	2,611	28.1
Israel	4,708	3,482	-26.0	4,708	3,482	-26.0
Japan	14,866	16,417	10.4	14,866	16,417	10.4
Malaysia	629	384	-39.0	629	384	-39.0
Philippines	1,835	1,683	-8.3	1,835	1,683	-8.3
Singapore	1,027	1,205	17.3	1,027	1,205	17.3
South Korea	9,769	10,691	9.4	9,769	10,691	9.4
Taiwan	5,170	5,200	0.6	5,170	5,200	0.6
Other Asia	3,900	3,631	-6.9	3,900	3,631	-6.9
<b>North America, Central America and Caribbean, total</b>	<b>10,710</b>	<b>13,776</b>	<b>28.6</b>	<b>10,710</b>	<b>13,776</b>	<b>28.6</b>
Jamaica	401	430	7.2	401	430	7.2
Mexico	5,388	7,363	36.7	5,388	7,363	36.7
Trinidad and Tobago	538	563	4.6	538	563	4.6
Other North America, Central America and Caribbean	4,383	5,420	23.7	4,383	5,420	23.7
<b>South America, total</b>	<b>4,928</b>	<b>4,687</b>	<b>-4.9</b>	<b>4,928</b>	<b>4,687</b>	<b>-4.9</b>
Brazil	1,890	2,068	9.4	1,890	2,068	9.4
Other South America	3,038	2,619	-13.8	3,038	2,619	-13.8
<b>Oceania and other Ocean Islands, total</b>	<b>12,203</b>	<b>16,254</b>	<b>33.2</b>	<b>12,203</b>	<b>16,254</b>	<b>33.2</b>
Australia	10,567	14,297	35.3	10,567	14,297	35.3
New Zealand	1,530	1,821	19.0	1,530	1,821	19.0
Other Oceania	106	136	28.3	106	136	28.3
<b>Total non-resident travellers other than United States</b>	<b>167,107</b>	<b>186,463</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>167,107</b>	<b>186,463</b>	<b>11.6</b>

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Table 4

## Estimated Number of One or More Nights Trips by Residents Returning to Canada, by Province of Re-entry

Categories of travellers	Nfld.Lab.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Qué.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Yukon	Canada
January												
<b>United States</b>												
Automobile												
2002	...	...	0	11,595	68,842	215,247	16,275	4,701	12,501	80,893	365	410,419
2003	...	...	0	11,507	73,095	217,385	16,749	4,686	13,150	78,477	340	415,389
Per cent	...	...	...	-0.8	6.2	1.0	2.9	-0.3	5.2	-3.0	-6.8	1.2
Non-automobile												
2002	77	10	2,707	483	65,771	216,007	10,803	3,742	36,695	77,470	125	413,890
2003	95	1	2,032	558	73,386	226,374	11,741	3,578	51,536	79,011	66	448,378
Per cent	23.4	-90.0	-24.9	15.5	11.6	4.8	8.7	-4.4	40.4	2.0	-47.2	8.3
<b>Total</b>												
2002	77	10	2,707	12,078	134,613	431,254	27,078	8,443	49,196	158,363	490	824,309
2003	95	1	2,032	12,065	146,481	443,759	28,490	8,264	64,686	157,488	406	863,767
Per cent	23.4	-90.0	-24.9	-0.1	8.8	2.9	5.2	-2.1	31.5	-0.6	-17.1	4.8
<b>Other countries</b>												
2002	673	0	2,486	2	99,521	242,448	7,763	4,518	32,757	102,993	14	493,175
2003	609	0	2,749	0	127,477	277,656	12,436	5,882	44,135	110,382	4	581,330
Per cent	-9.5	...	10.6	-100.0	28.1	14.5	60.2	30.2	34.7	7.2	-71.4	17.9
<b>Total</b>												
2002	<b>750</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5,193</b>	<b>12,080</b>	<b>234,134</b>	<b>673,702</b>	<b>34,841</b>	<b>12,961</b>	<b>81,953</b>	<b>261,356</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>1,317,484</b>
2003	<b>704</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4,781</b>	<b>12,065</b>	<b>273,958</b>	<b>721,415</b>	<b>40,926</b>	<b>14,146</b>	<b>108,821</b>	<b>267,870</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>1,445,097</b>
Per cent	<b>-6.1</b>	<b>-90.0</b>	<b>-7.9</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>32.8</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>-18.7</b>	<b>9.7</b>
January-January												
<b>United States</b>												
Automobile												
2002	...	...	0	11,595	68,842	215,247	16,275	4,701	12,501	80,893	365	410,419
2003	...	...	0	11,507	73,095	217,385	16,749	4,686	13,150	78,477	340	415,389
Per cent	...	...	...	-0.8	6.2	1.0	2.9	-0.3	5.2	-3.0	-6.8	1.2
Non-automobile												
2002	77	10	2,707	483	65,771	216,007	10,803	3,742	36,695	77,470	125	413,890
2003	95	1	2,032	558	73,386	226,374	11,741	3,578	51,536	79,011	66	448,378
Per cent	23.4	-90.0	-24.9	15.5	11.6	4.8	8.7	-4.4	40.4	2.0	-47.2	8.3
<b>Total</b>												
2002	77	10	2,707	12,078	134,613	431,254	27,078	8,443	49,196	158,363	490	824,309
2003	95	1	2,032	12,065	146,481	443,759	28,490	8,264	64,686	157,488	406	863,767
Per cent	23.4	-90.0	-24.9	-0.1	8.8	2.9	5.2	-2.1	31.5	-0.6	-17.1	4.8
<b>Other countries</b>												
2002	673	0	2,486	2	99,521	242,448	7,763	4,518	32,757	102,993	14	493,175
2003	609	0	2,749	0	127,477	277,656	12,436	5,882	44,135	110,382	4	581,330
Per cent	-9.5	...	10.6	-100.0	28.1	14.5	60.2	30.2	34.7	7.2	-71.4	17.9
<b>Total</b>												
2002	<b>750</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5,193</b>	<b>12,080</b>	<b>234,134</b>	<b>673,702</b>	<b>34,841</b>	<b>12,961</b>	<b>81,953</b>	<b>261,356</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>1,317,484</b>
2003	<b>704</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4,781</b>	<b>12,065</b>	<b>273,958</b>	<b>721,415</b>	<b>40,926</b>	<b>14,146</b>	<b>108,821</b>	<b>267,870</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>1,445,097</b>
Per cent	<b>-6.1</b>	<b>-90.0</b>	<b>-7.9</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>32.8</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>-18.7</b>	<b>9.7</b>

... figures not applicable.