

**Table 23-2**  
**Trip characteristics of Canadian residents returning from the United States after a stay of one or more nights —**  
**Quarter of re-entry**

	2009					2010				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Total
thousands										
<b>Person-trips</b>										
<b>Region of destination</b>	<b>3,963</b>	<b>4,294</b>	<b>5,800</b>	<b>3,920</b>	<b>17,977</b>	<b>4,338</b>	<b>4,890</b>	<b>6,419</b>	<b>4,317</b>	<b>19,964</b>
New England	247	384	915	366	1,912	231	428	991	363	2,012
Middle Atlantic	694	930	1,369	805	3,798	745	1,082	1,569	919	4,315
South Atlantic	870	542	396	549	2,358	933	638	438	610	2,619
East North Central	335	448	647	468	1,897	338	481	732	494	2,044
West North Central	183	253	390	249	1,075	203	304	457	279	1,243
East South Central	28 <sup>E</sup>	36	30	32 <sup>E</sup>	126	21 <sup>E</sup>	38	29	35 <sup>E</sup>	122
West South Central	59	81	63 <sup>E</sup>	83	285	51	94	71	95	312
Mountain	561	498	512	469	2,040	629	589	608	519	2,344
Pacific	558	712	1,039	630	2,938	699	832	1,103	704	3,338
Alaska	2	80	149	F	236	2	67	148	F	221
Hawaii	159	52 <sup>E</sup>	49 <sup>E</sup>	107	367	198	62 <sup>E</sup>	55 <sup>E</sup>	134	449
Touring 1	268	278	241	158	946	288	277	218	161	944
<b>Purpose of trip</b>	<b>3,963</b>	<b>4,294</b>	<b>5,800</b>	<b>3,920</b>	<b>17,977</b>	<b>4,338</b>	<b>4,890</b>	<b>6,419</b>	<b>4,317</b>	<b>19,964</b>
Business, convention or employment	550	523	452	532	2,057	609	611	478	573	2,272
Visiting friends or relatives	718	793	1,094	838	3,443	724	803	1,084	774	3,385
Other pleasure, recreation or holiday	2,428	2,604	3,731	2,042	10,804	2,743	3,014	4,283	2,395	12,434
Other	266	374	524	508	1,672	262	462	573	575	1,872
<b>Sex</b>	<b>3,963</b>	<b>4,294</b>	<b>5,800</b>	<b>3,920</b>	<b>17,977</b>	<b>4,338</b>	<b>4,890</b>	<b>6,419</b>	<b>4,317</b>	<b>19,964</b>
Male	1,790	1,811	2,450	1,673	7,723	1,979	2,071	2,721	1,876	8,647
Female	1,919	2,197	2,977	1,979	9,073	2,119	2,486	3,332	2,176	10,113
Not stated	254	286	373	269	1,181	239	333	366	266	1,204
<b>Age group</b>	<b>3,963</b>	<b>4,294</b>	<b>5,800</b>	<b>3,920</b>	<b>17,977</b>	<b>4,338</b>	<b>4,890</b>	<b>6,419</b>	<b>4,317</b>	<b>19,964</b>
Under 12 years	285	203	464	144	1,095	299	212	532	154	1,197
12 to 19 years	217	137	407	124	885	221	149	457	111	938
20 to 24 years	120	139	199	91	550	125	141	172	92	530
25 to 34 years	365	392	542	377	1,676	373	422	551	376	1,722
35 to 44 years	541	533	837	575	2,486	525	589	877	560	2,551
45 to 54 years	774	795	1,134	808	3,511	830	842	1,221	822	3,715
55 to 64 years	786	921	1,036	839	3,581	958	1,068	1,207	1,000	4,232
65 years and over	622	887	808	694	3,011	768	1,133	1,034	937	3,873
Not stated	254	286	373	269	1,181	239	333	366	266	1,204
<b>Length of stay</b>	<b>3,963</b>	<b>4,294</b>	<b>5,800</b>	<b>3,920</b>	<b>17,977</b>	<b>4,338</b>	<b>4,890</b>	<b>6,419</b>	<b>4,317</b>	<b>19,964</b>
1 night	335	413	583	424	1,755	350	479	622	468	1,920
2 to 6 nights	1,742	2,513	3,612	2,264	10,131	1,929	2,837	4,003	2,456	11,225
7 to 13 nights	1,158	764	1,213	839	3,974	1,237	914	1,364	936	4,450
14 nights and over	728	604	393	393	2,118	822	661	430	457	2,369

**Note(s):** See "Data quality, concepts and methodology — Explanatory notes for tables" section.