

INTERNATIONAL VISITOR ARRIVALS

CUSTOMS ENTRIES TO BC AND CANADA



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Year-to-Date

	BC	% change*	Canada	% change*	BC	% change*	Canada	% change*
Total U.S.A.	26,494	-92.8%	112,513	-93.9%	969,272	-82.5%	3,778,229	-82.7%
U.S.A. Overnight	7,174	-96.7%	36,726	-96.6%	522,667	-85.8%	1,846,461	-86.1%
U.S.A. Same Day	19,320	-86.8%	75,787	-90.1%	446,605	-76.2%	1,931,768	-77.4%
Total Asia/Pacific	4,588	-94.5%	11,290	-94.4%	195,277	-84.0%	373,141	-84.4%
Japan	163	-98.8%	247	-99.1%	19,878	-84.5%	30,707	-86.8%
Taiwan	114	-98.7%	168	-98.8%	14,766	-82.5%	18,829	-83.7%
Hong Kong	384	-93.5%	648	-94.8%	20,026	-78.3%	30,878	-80.1%
Australia	135	-98.6%	263	-98.7%	36,802	-82.8%	49,503	-84.7%
South Korea	191	-97.6%	391	-97.9%	17,360	-83.6%	32,640	-86.3%
China	1,196	-94.5%	2,183	-96.3%	46,366	-85.2%	97,539	-85.6%
New Zealand	29	-98.7%	39	-98.9%	7,776	-82.4%	9,380	-84.9%
India	1,473	-73.1%	4,934	-77.7%	14,030	-87.5%	56,925	-81.7%
Total Europe	1,182	-95.8%	8,498	-96.6%	56,443	-90.3%	367,532	-87.2%
United Kingdom	330	-97.0%	1,989	-97.0%	23,522	-89.4%	94,578	-88.5%
Germany	164	-96.9%	1,000	-97.5%	8,476	-92.5%	38,797	-90.4%
Netherlands	60	-96.3%	653	-94.2%	2,435	-94.0%	17,517	-86.4%
Austria	9	-98.1%	65	-97.8%	906	-90.7%	4,978	-86.9%
Switzerland	24	-97.8%	221	-97.4%	1,959	-92.8%	13,286	-88.3%
France	213	-88.7%	1,839	-97.0%	4,080	-89.4%	93,063	-84.8%
Italy	36	-95.7%	270	-97.1%	1,674	-90.4%	11,654	-91.2%
Brazil	16	-99.2%	402	-97.4%	5,313	-84.2%	25,767	-84.2%
Mexico	273	-96.5%	1,380	-96.1%	32,369	-76.7%	97,705	-77.6%
Total International** (Includes USA Overnight)	13,538	-96.1%	64,120	-96.1%	822,536	-85.6%	2,855,177	-85.6%

*All percentage comparisons versus same period in 2019

** This publication includes overseas arrivals for all durations, including same-day and overnight. Due to Covid-19, Statistics Canada is not producing overnight arrivals data for countries other than the United States at this time. Destination BC normally publishes data for overnight visitors only.

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Note: Customs entries include international visitors who cross Canada Customs in British Columbia. These figures do not account for all visitors to BC, as domestic visitors are excluded as well as international visitors who cross Canada Customs outside BC, yet still travel to BC. Likewise, customs entries include visitors that cross Canada Customs in BC, but who continue on to other provinces.

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