

INTERNATIONAL VISITOR ARRIVALS

CUSTOMS ENTRIES TO BC AND CANADA



	July-2022						Year-to-Date					
	BC			Canada			BC			Canada		
	Visitor Arrivals	% change*		Visitor Arrivals	% change*		Visitor Arrivals	% change*		Visitor Arrivals	% change*	
	2021	2019	2021	2019	2021	2019	2021	2019	2021	2019	2021	2019
Total U.S.A	674,047	1433.3%	-27.0%	2,193,729	1026.2%	-39.3%	2,139,253	1010.0%	-42.0%	6,789,330	759.3%	-51.8%
U.S.A. Overnight	362,884	1510.5%	-43.9%	1,483,493	1263.4%	-36.7%	1,210,809	1959.6%	-49.9%	4,496,906	1469.6%	-46.7%
U.S.A. Same Day	311,163	1352.1%	12.8%	710,236	726.0%	-44.2%	928,444	593.2%	-27.0%	2,292,424	355.2%	-59.5%
Total Asia/Pacific	64,379	933.7%	-66.8%	135,131	507.8%	-65.0%	222,951	653.0%	-73.0%	485,672	392.3%	-70.7%
Japan	4,692	1296.4%	-73.2%	7,439	1272.5%	-75.3%	13,636	352.4%	-82.2%	20,149	471.3%	-84.7%
Taiwan	2,674	1314.8%	-77.8%	3,740	1091.1%	-77.1%	7,317	930.6%	-86.7%	11,055	668.8%	-85.0%
Hong Kong	3,904	263.8%	-77.2%	6,924	231.6%	-75.9%	13,186	366.3%	-79.3%	21,659	327.3%	-79.2%
Australia	16,817	9295.0%	-43.1%	23,041	5617.4%	-51.4%	54,473	11343.9%	-62.3%	72,980	5632.9%	-65.6%
China	4,993	203.5%	-90.6%	8,047	134.2%	-92.3%	18,538	216.8%	-90.9%	31,733	133.9%	-92.5%
New Zealand	3,938	3075.8%	-52.5%	5,268	2980.7%	-55.2%	10,410	4064.0%	-64.7%	13,348	2789.2%	-67.6%
India	7,966	1563.0%	-50.9%	28,029	687.8%	-27.1%	38,020	444.9%	-53.8%	137,360	327.2%	-36.9%
Total Europe	78,016	1826.3%	-30.6%	371,232	1226.3%	-29.8%	228,616	2133.7%	-38.4%	1,056,503	1349.1%	-40.6%
United Kingdom	28,833	2358.1%	-22.0%	111,621	1437.7%	-21.0%	93,949	4550.9%	-32.4%	320,884	2074.7%	-35.0%
Germany	15,336	2526.0%	-27.3%	46,503	1479.0%	-37.9%	42,258	2260.8%	-37.8%	125,886	1386.8%	-45.4%
Netherlands	5,500	2663.8%	-48.6%	21,067	1787.7%	-23.3%	13,512	2674.5%	-49.4%	51,250	1073.3%	-35.9%
Austria	1,267	1819.7%	-37.0%	4,979	1330.7%	-28.2%	3,128	1918.1%	-47.3%	12,592	1128.5%	-45.6%
Switzerland	4,884	2150.7%	-34.3%	19,246	925.9%	-30.6%	10,134	2408.4%	-42.7%	41,566	1155.4%	-44.3%
France	4,623	605.8%	-42.2%	77,043	1073.4%	-27.4%	12,218	779.6%	-45.6%	224,509	1431.2%	-36.1%
Italy	1,590	1490.0%	-35.1%	10,234	1146.5%	-53.3%	5,356	810.9%	-43.7%	29,975	826.3%	-56.9%
Brazil	2,076	2865.7%	-62.0%	10,993	2125.3%	-50.3%	5,586	3833.8%	-76.1%	41,316	2016.6%	-62.0%
Mexico	19,503	2088.9%	-18.9%	47,200	1316.6%	-36.4%	68,617	830.9%	-31.3%	190,684	522.8%	-36.5%
Total International** (Includes USA Overnight)	531,967	1439.2%	-46.2%	2,104,744	1120.3%	-38.8%	1,752,261	1498.8%	-53.5%	6,472,954	1110.2%	-48.7%

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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.

*There are large variations in percent changes between 2022, 2021, and 2019 International Visitor Arrivals. Please note, a percent change is amplified when an increase or decrease is seen on smaller values and should be interpreted with caution.

** Definitions for 'Europe' and 'Asia-Pacific' continents were updated in January 2022.

*** 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. Please note that prior to Covid-19 adjustments, Destination BC published data for overnight visitors only.

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