

**For information**

**Legislative Council Panel on Economic Services**

**VISITOR ARRIVAL FIGURES IN HONG KONG AND  
ASIA PACIFIC DESTINATIONS**

**Purpose**

This note informs Members of the monthly statistics of visitor arrivals for Hong Kong and Asia Pacific destinations for the first nine months of 2003.

**Background**

2. At the meeting on 3 November 2003, Members noted vide LC Paper No. CB(1)116/03-04(03) the Progress Report on the Global Tourism Revival Campaign implemented by the Hong Kong Tourism Board as part of the Economic Relaunch Programme promulgated in the wake of SARS during the second quarter of 2003. Members requested that information on the monthly statistics of visitor arrivals for Hong Kong and nearby countries/places should be provided.

3. The Hong Kong Tourism Board has compiled the information requested at **Annex** to this paper.

**Members' Advice**

4. Members are requested to note the information provided in this paper.

Tourism Commission  
Economic Development and Labour Bureau  
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## Visitor arrivals figure in Hong Kong and Asia Pacific destinations

### 香港及亞太區部分旅遊目的地旅客數字

	2002 年	2003 年								
		一月	二月	三月	四月	五月	六月	七月	八月	九月
		January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September
Hong Kong 香港	16,566,382 (+20.7%)	1,545,978 (+31.0%)	1,408,139 (+26.2%)	1,347,386 (+3.9%)	493,666 (-64.8%)	427,254 (-67.9%)	725,236 (-38.2%)	1,291,828 (-5.6%)	1,644,878 (+9.6%)	1,478,699 (+7.9%)
Indonesia (1) 印尼 (1)	4,981,004 (-3.3%)	279,352 (-8.9%)	289,764 (-9.0%)	288,417 (-21.4%)	204,565 (-37.6%)	222,486 (-38.6%)	299,856 (-20.4%)	364,952 (-10.1%)	368,217 (-12.6%)	346,209 (-8.6%)
Malaysia 馬來西亞	13,292,010 (+4%)	1,070,428 (+28.3%)	985,343 (+1.7%)	819,376 (-35.6%)	459,374 (-58.5%)	541,267 (-53.1%)	719,047 (-44.6%)	753,029 (-33.7%)	826,234 (-29.0%)	943,526 (-8.3%)
The Philippines 菲律賓	1,932,677 (+7.6%)	175,728 (+13.2%)	162,626 (+6.0%)	157,036 (-9.9%)	125,576 (-24.4%)	109,803 (-33.0%)	130,874 (-18.4%)	166,045 (-2.8%)	162,076 (-1.3%)	140,652 (+2.5%)
Singapore 新加坡	7,565,792 (+0.6%)	641,159 (+7.4%)	612,897 (+2.3%)	559,289 (-14.6%)	203,282 (-67.3%)	177,543 (-70.7%)	315,878 (-47.5%)	540,373 (-20.5%)	601,819 (-10.4%)	556,263 (-6.9%)
Thailand 泰國	10,872,976 (+7.3%)	996,260 (+5.9%)	1,010,569 (+0.2%)	861,259 (-11%)	470,969 (-44.9%)	404,563 (-50.2%)	591,164 (-24.2%)	840,334 (-5.1%)	n.a.	n.a.
Australia 澳洲	4,841,200 (-0.3%)	396,600 (+4.6%)	427,500 (-2.2%)	392,500 (-12.1%)	321,500 (-10.8%)	260,900 (-20.9%)	308,300 (-9.2%)	415,500 (-0.6%)	362,200 (-2.6%)	385,600 (+7.5%)
New Zealand 新西蘭	2,044,950 (+7.1%)	220,860 (+7.9%)	222,200 (+4.7%)	193,850 (-4.3%)	150,420 (+4.5%)	102,740 (-13.1%)	111,982 (-2.8%)	145,660 (-4.3%)	135,350 (+1.6%)	148,420 (+9.1%)
Japan 日本	5,238,963 (+9.8%)	450,857 (+14.8%)	394,869 (-1.3%)	456,614 (+5.2%)	354,054 (-23.1%)	288,562 (-34.2%)	352,431 (-20.1%)	515,692 (-0.1%)	550,000* (+13.5%)	457,000* (+13.8%)
Korea (2) 南韓 (2)	5,347,468 (+3.9%)	384,940 (+6.2%)	408,524 (+3.3%)	404,639 (-10.0%)	317,519 (-28.6%)	265,204 (-39.4%)	295,566 (-26.7%)	376,969 (-17.9%)	454,411 (-4.8%)	440,182 (-9.9%)
Taiwan 台灣	2,726,411 (+4.2%)	237,979 (+19.8%)	259,861 (+21.7%)	258,023 (-0.2%)	110,632 (-50.7%)	40,256 (-81.9%)	57,131 (-74.0%)	154,174 (-27.2%)	200,614 (-11.1%)	218,594 (+0.3%)
Mainland China 內地 (只計算外籍人士 及海外華人)	13,439,500 (+19.7%)	1,024,400 (+18.2%)	1,042,600 (+32.7%)	1,138,900 (+4.3%)	561,600 (-53.5%)	337,300 (-70.5%)	516,500 (-50.7%)	833,600 (-25.3%)	1,098,100 (-10.8%)	1,147,500 (-27.2%)

\*provisional figure

( ) denote % changes as compared with the same period last year.

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(1) Figures for 2003 include arrivals through 13 selected Entry Ports. (2003數字包括13指定口岸的入境數字)

(2) Figures include Crew (數字包括船員)

### Source

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Malaysia: [www.tourism.gov.my](http://www.tourism.gov.my) : Malaysia Tourism Promotion Board (馬來西亞旅遊促進局)

Philippines: [www.tourism.gov.ph](http://www.tourism.gov.ph) : The Department of Tourism (旅遊署)

Singapore: [www.stb.com.sg](http://www.stb.com.sg) : Singapore Tourism Board (新加坡旅遊局)

Thailand: [www.tourismthailand.org](http://www.tourismthailand.org) : Tourism Authority of Thailand (泰國旅遊局)

Australia: [www.atc.net.au](http://www.atc.net.au) : Australian Tourist Commission (澳洲旅遊局)

New Zealand: [www.trcnz.govt.nz](http://www.trcnz.govt.nz) : Tourism Research Council (旅遊研究議會)

Japan: [www.tourism.jp](http://www.tourism.jp) : Japan Tourism Marketing Co. (日本旅遊推廣公司)

Korea: [www.knto.or.kr](http://www.knto.or.kr) : Korea National Tourism Organisation (韓國觀光公社)

Taiwan: [www.tboc.gov.tw](http://www.tboc.gov.tw) : Tourism Bureau, Republic of China (中華民國交通部觀光局)

China: [www.cnta.com](http://www.cnta.com) : China National Tourism Administration (中華人民共和國國家旅游局)