

Government Travel Survey of Visitors to Canada

Welcome to Canada!

We are currently conducting a travel survey between overseas countries and Canada and we would be interested in knowing about the trip you have taken in Canada. Information from this voluntary survey will be used by members of the Canadian tourism industry and government tourism organizations to better understand and serve you, the travelling public.

complete this questionnaire. When completed, please return the questionnaire to us by using the postage paid envelope.

This survey is conducted under the authority of the Statistics Act (R.S.C. 1985, c. S-19) and individual information from your questionnaire will be kept strictly confidential.

Upon completion of your trip, we would appreciate it if you could spare 10 to 15 minutes of your time to

Thank you for your co-operation on this important survey.

Confidential when completed
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9. Does anyone in the **travelling party** own any of the accommodations used on this trip? 1 Yes 2 No

10. When **entering** Canada, did you travel . . . 1 from U.S.A. only 2 directly from another country 3 from another country via the U.S.A.
 When **leaving** Canada, did you travel . . . 4 to U.S.A. only 5 directly to another country 6 to another country via the U.S.A.

11. For this trip, what means of transportation did you use . . . **to enter** Canada? *Check one only.*
Commercial 01 Plane 02 Train 03 Boat 04 Bus
Other 05 Private automobile 06 Rented automobile 07 Private plane 08 Private boat 09 Other
 . . . **to leave** Canada? *Check one only.*
 10 Plane 11 Train 12 Boat 13 Bus 14 Private automobile 15 Rented automobile 16 Private plane 17 Private boat 18 Other
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If commercial transportation was **not** used **to enter or leave** Canada, then go to Question 15.

12. If **commercial transportation** (plane, bus, train or boat) was used to enter or leave Canada, please report the routes, carriers and fares (including taxes). *Please print.*
 ▼ *Please report country (if outside U.S.A.) or city (if in U.S.A.)*

Where did the **travelling party** come from immediately before entering Canada (excluding stop-overs at airports)?
 Name of airline or other carrier: _____
 Entry fare for entire **travelling party**: _____ Currency (if other than CAN \$): _____
 OR Round trip fare (including package tours) for entire **travelling party**: _____

Where did the **travelling party** go immediately upon leaving Canada (excluding stop-overs at airports)?
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13. What type of fare was used? *Check all that apply.*
 1 First class 2 Business class 3 Economy class 4 Charter 5 Frequent flyer plan

14. Were these fares part of a package? No 1 Yes
 Which of the following item(s) was (were) also included? *Check all that apply.*
 2 Accommodation / meals 3 Accommodation only 4 Rented car 5 Other

15. For this trip, what was the **total spending in Canada** for all persons in the **travelling party**?
Include cash/credit transactions for food, accommodation, entertainment, merchandise, gifts, auto operation, local transportation, etc., even if paid for by someone else or a business. Include all taxes and tips. Exclude fares and/or packages reported in Question 12. Estimates appreciated.
 Amount: _____ Currency (if other than CAN \$): _____
 Number of persons included in spending: _____

16. Please distribute **total spending** (as reported in Question 15) in each of the following categories. *Estimates appreciated.*
If estimates can not be provided, report approximate percentages (%) of total spending.
The sums in Questions 15 and 16 should agree.

Category	Amount	or	%
Accommodation	_____	.00 or	____%
Transportation in Canada (include gasoline expenditures, rented car, intercity plane, bus and train fares, boat tours, local bus, taxi)	_____	.00 or	____%
Food and beverages	_____	.00 or	____%
Recreation and entertainment	_____	.00 or	____%
Other (souvenirs, shopping, photos, etc.) ▼ Specify major items _____	_____	.00 or	____%

17. What percentage of these expenditures (including fares) was paid . . .
 personally? (including family/friends) _____% by business? _____% by government? _____%

18. After your first arrival in Canada, did you at any time during this trip leave Canada for the U.S.A. and then return?
 1 Yes 2 No
 ▼ How many times? _____
 If yes, please report the place(s) and date(s) of exit and the place(s) of re-entry. *Please print.*

Place of exit from Canada (border crossing/airport)	Date of exit (Day Month Year)	Place of re-entry to Canada (border crossing/airport)	Number of nights in U.S.A.
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19. If you visited the U.S.A. **before** entering Canada, how long did you stay in the U.S.A.?
 1 Under 24 hours 2 1 - 2 nights 3 3 or more nights 4 Not applicable

Comments:
 We welcome comments on any aspect of your trip especially those which would help us to better understand your responses.
 Please use attached postage paid envelope to mail your questionnaire upon completion of your trip.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION