

Latest statistics on levy income, inbound arrivals, Mainland inbound tour group registration, air ticket sales and complaints

Levy income

-	December 2008 / December 2007	HK\$3,172,000 / 2,706,000	+17.2%
-	Jan - Dec 2008 / Jan - Dec 2007	HK\$31,264,000 / 32,187,000	-2.9%

Inbound arrivals

(Source: HKTB)

-	Total arrivals in November 2008 / November 2007	2,421,457 / 2,448,135	
	Difference:		-1.1%
-	Total arrivals in Jan - Nov 2008 / Jan - Nov 2007	26,723,008 / 25,379,939	
	Difference:		+5.3%

- Arrivals from individual markets in November 2008:

	<u>No. of visitors</u>	<u>Compared with</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>Market</u> <u>share</u>
Mainland China	1,363,167	+5.6%	56.3%
Taiwan	170,969	-5.0%	7.1%
Japan	117,348	-2.7%	4.8%
USA	100,233	-17.5%	4.1%

- Arrivals from individual markets in Jan - Nov 2008:

	<u>No. of visitors</u>	<u>Compared with</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>Market</u> <u>share</u>
Mainland China	15,241,175	+9.2%	57.0%
Taiwan	2,063,193	+1.2%	7.7%
Japan	1,193,126	-0.5%	4.5%
USA	1,058,429	-6.0%	4.0%

Mainland inbound tour group registration

December 2008 / December 2007	6,461 / 5,399	+19.7%
Aug - Dec 2008 / Aug - Dec 2007 (Registration implemented from August 2007)	24,587 / 25,993	-5.5%
Jan - Dec 2008	58,530	

Air ticket sales

(Source: IATA)

Total billing:

- 01 - 15 December 2008	HK\$ 744 million
- 01 - 15 December 2007	HK\$ 751 million
Difference:	-0.9%
- January - 15 December 2008	HK\$ 18,589 million
- January - 15 December 2007	HK\$ 17,764 million
Difference:	+4.6%

No. of transactions:

- 01 - 15 December 2008	238,427
- 01 - 15 December 2007	235,817
Difference:	+1.1%
- January - 15 December 2008	5,414,334
- January - 15 December 2007	5,415,487
Difference:	-0.0%

Complaints

Outbound travellers:

- December 2008 / December 2007	86 / 86	0.0%
- Jan - Dec 2008 / Jan - Dec 2007	1,129 / 929	+21.5%

