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Number of visitor arrivals to Japan
12,100 in December 2021
(preliminary figures estimated by JNTO) (Compared to 2019)

Country/Area	Total			Total		
	2019 Dec.	2021 Dec.	growth rate (%)	2019 Jan.~Dec.	2021 Jan.~Dec.	growth rate (%)
Grand Total	2,526,387	12,100	-99.5	31,882,049	245,900	-99.2
South Korea	247,959	1,100	-99.6	5,584,597	19,000	-99.7
China	710,234	1,800	-99.7	9,594,394	42,300	-99.6
Taiwan	348,269	300	-99.9	4,890,602	5,100	-99.9
Hong Kong	249,642	70	-100.0	2,290,792	1,250	-99.9
Thailand	164,936	200	-99.9	1,318,977	2,700	-99.8
Singapore	100,376	50	-100.0	492,252	860	-99.8
Malaysia	78,250	60	-99.9	501,592	1,800	-99.6
Indonesia	59,203	300	-99.5	412,779	5,300	-98.7
Philippines	81,542	200	-99.8	613,114	5,500	-99.1
Vietnam	30,606	300	-99.0	495,051	26,500	-94.6
India	11,739	1,200	-89.8	175,896	8,800	-95.0
Australia	72,653	100	-99.9	621,771	3,300	-99.5
U.S.A.	144,498	1,000	-99.3	1,723,861	20,000	-98.8
Canada	35,132	100	-99.7	375,262	3,600	-99.0
Mexico	6,499	40	-99.4	71,745	1,120	-98.4
United Kingdom	27,750	200	-99.3	424,279	7,300	-98.3
France	20,261	200	-99.0	336,333	7,000	-97.9
Germany	13,639	100	-99.3	236,544	5,200	-97.8
Italy	11,196	70	-99.4	162,769	3,570	-97.8
Russia	8,833	80	-99.1	120,043	3,760	-96.9
Spain	7,295	60	-99.2	130,243	3,050	-97.7
Middle East	5,554	90	-98.4	95,160	2,830	-97.0
Others	90,321	4,480	-95.0	1,213,993	66,060	-94.6

◆**Note 1. We compared visitor arrivals figures for 2021 to those for 2019 to get rid of the effect of COVID-19.**

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◆Note 4. Visitor arrivals exclude permanent residents whose primary place of residence is in Japan and include travelers entering Japan for transit. Foreigners entering or re-entering Japan, such as expatriates and their families, and international students are included in visitor arrivals to Japan. Crew members are excluded.

◆Note 5. Middle East refers to Israel, Turkey, and the Gulf Cooperation Council countries (Saudi Arabia, UAE, Bahrain, Oman, Qatar, Kuwait).

◆Note 6. Foreigners who have stayed in countries or regions subject to denial of landing are denied permission to enter Japan unless there are exceptional circumstances (162 countries or regions are subject to denial of landing as of December 28th).

◇For more information on inbound statistics:

Japan Tourism Statistics <https://statistics.jnto.go.jp/en/>

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【Reference】

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in December 2021**
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Country/Area	Total			Total		
	2020 Dec.	2021 Dec.	growth rate (%)	2020 Jan.~Dec.	2021 Jan.~Dec.	growth rate (%)
Grand Total	58,673	12,100	-79.4	4,115,828	245,900	-94.0
South Korea	2,808	1,100	-60.8	487,939	19,000	-96.1
China	18,365	1,800	-90.2	1,069,256	42,300	-96.0
Taiwan	975	300	-69.2	694,476	5,100	-99.3
Hong Kong	287	70	-75.6	346,020	1,250	-99.6
Thailand	683	200	-70.7	219,830	2,700	-98.8
Singapore	121	50	-58.7	55,273	860	-98.4
Malaysia	300	60	-80.0	76,573	1,800	-97.6
Indonesia	3,322	300	-91.0	77,724	5,300	-93.2
Philippines	2,319	200	-91.4	109,110	5,500	-95.0
Vietnam	15,713	300	-98.1	152,559	26,500	-82.6
India	1,628	1,200	-26.3	26,931	8,800	-67.3
Australia	164	100	-39.0	143,508	3,300	-97.7
U.S.A.	1,348	1,000	-25.8	219,307	20,000	-90.9
Canada	183	100	-45.4	53,365	3,600	-93.3
Mexico	49	40	-18.4	9,528	1,120	-88.2
United Kingdom	353	200	-43.3	51,024	7,300	-85.7
France	449	200	-55.5	43,102	7,000	-83.8
Germany	296	100	-66.2	29,785	5,200	-82.5
Italy	153	70	-54.2	13,691	3,570	-73.9
Russia	389	80	-79.4	22,260	3,760	-83.1
Spain	134	60	-55.2	11,741	3,050	-74.0
Middle East	104	90	-13.5	7,806	2,830	-63.7
Others	8,530	4,480	-47.5	195,020	66,060	-66.1

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