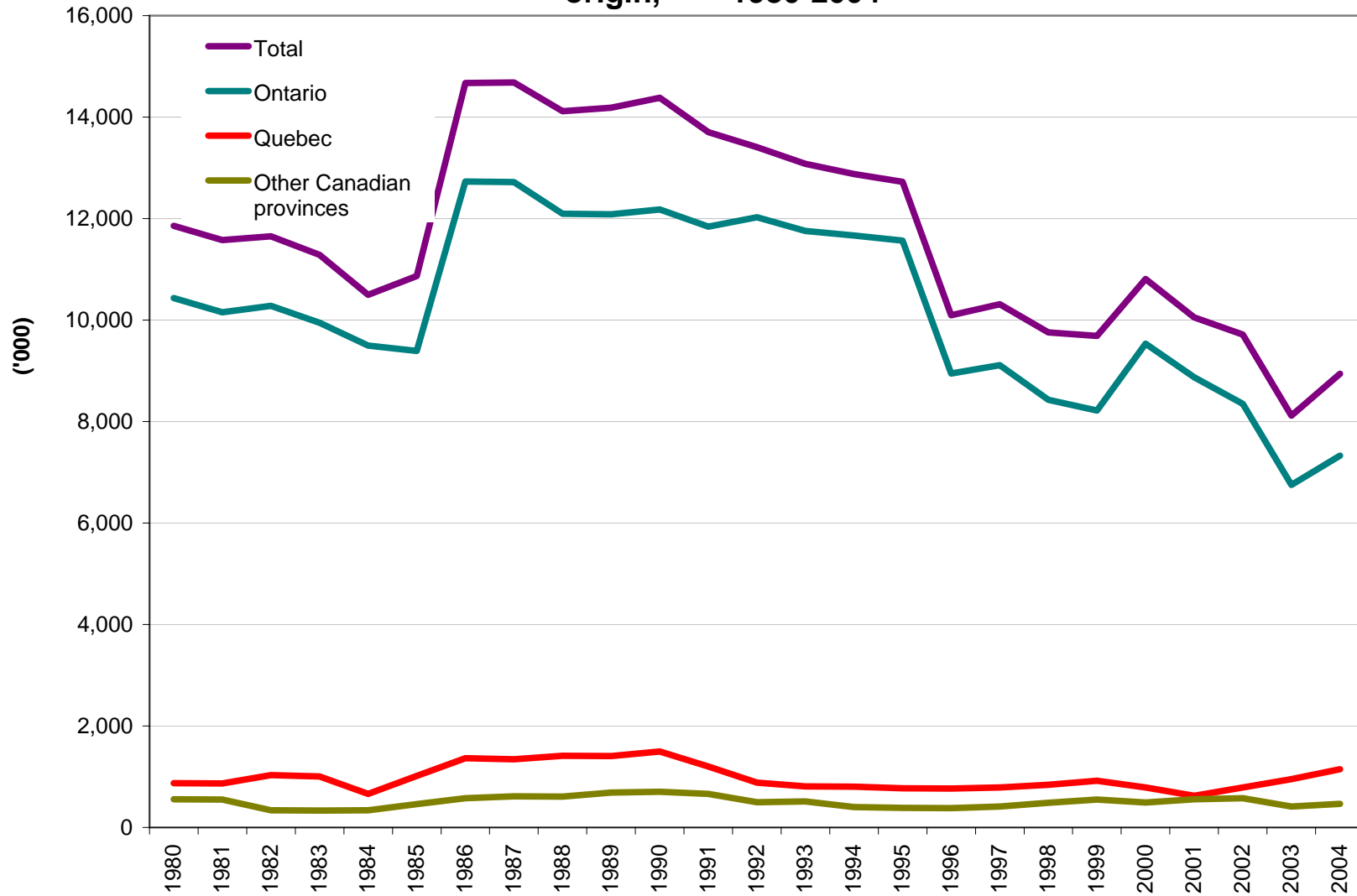


**Person Visits in Ontario by Canadian Business Visitors
 1980-2004 ('000), by origin**

	Total	Ontario	Quebec	Other Canadian provinces
1980	11,858	10,432	871	555
1981	11,575	10,154	869	552
1982	11,652	10,279	1,032	341
1983	11,286	9,949	1,004	333
1984	10,499	9,499	660	340
1985	10,866	9,389	1,015	462
1986	14,674	12,728	1,367	579
1987	14,680	12,721	1,344	615
1988	14,119	12,097	1,412	610
1989	14,185	12,086	1,409	690
1990	14,381	12,180	1,498	703
1991	13,702	11,841	1,201	660
1992	13,407	12,026	884	497
1993	13,080	11,759	810	511
1994	12,876	11,669	805	402
1995	12,724	11,568	771	385
1996	10,093	8,947	767	379
1997	10,311	9,110	789	412
1998	9,756	8,431	840	485
1999	9,688	8,219	919	550
2000	10,812	9,532	786	494
2001	10,052	8,875	624	553
2002	9,715	8,351	789	575
2003	8,118	6,751	953	414
2004	8,943	7,328	1,148	467

Source: Statistics Canada, Canadian Travel Survey
 Ontario Ministry of Tourism

Person Visits in Ontario by Canadian Residents for Business Purpose, by origin, 1980-2004



Notes:

1. Person-visit

All persons visiting an area during their **trips** are registered as having made one person-visit.

Person-visits in Ontario refer to Canadian or international residents who have a visit in Ontario irrespective of the destination of the trip.

All the travel data released by the Ontario Ministry of Tourism adopt a different definition of "trip" than that used by Statistics Canada for domestic trips and for international trips to Ontario.

A **domestic trip** is defined by **Statistics Canada** as travel to a Canadian destination at least 80 km one-way from home for any reasons except: travel to and from work or school (i.e., commuting); one way travel involving a change of residence; travel of operating crew members of buses, airplanes, boats, etc; travel in an ambulance to a hospital or clinic; trips that did not originate in Canada; trips longer than a year. A same-day trip does not include a night away from home, while an overnight trip includes at least one night away from home.

In addition, Ontario imposes the restriction that the same day visitors from Ontario must have travelled at least 40 km one-way from home in order to reach their destination, while same day visitors from other parts of Canada must have travelled 80 kms or more one-way away from home. Ontario does not impose any restrictions on overnight travellers with respect to the minimum distance travelled to reach their destination.

2. Discrepancies are due to roundings.