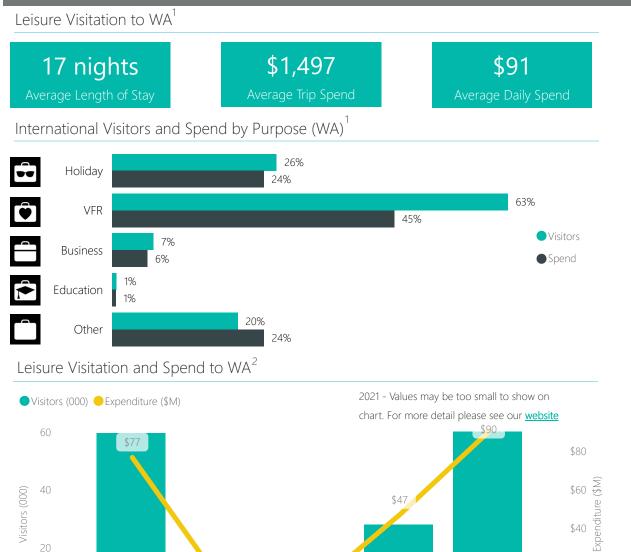
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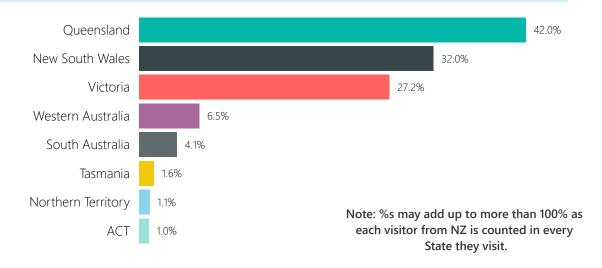
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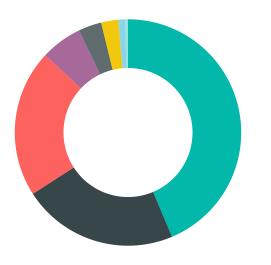
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2019

Market Share of International Leisure Visitors to Australia¹



Market Share of International Leisure Visitor Spend in Australia¹



Queensland	43.6%
New South Wales	22.2%
Victoria	21.1%
Western Australia	5.9%
South Australia	3.3%
Tasmania	2.5%
Northern Territory	1.0%
ACT	0.4%

Explanatory note: 5.9% of all NZ leisure visitor spend in Australia was spent in WA.

●WA ●NSW ●VIC ●QLD ●SA ●TAS ●NT ●ACT

TRIP PROFILE (TWO YEAR AVERAGE - 2019/23)



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Top 5 Activities for Leisure Visitors to WA³

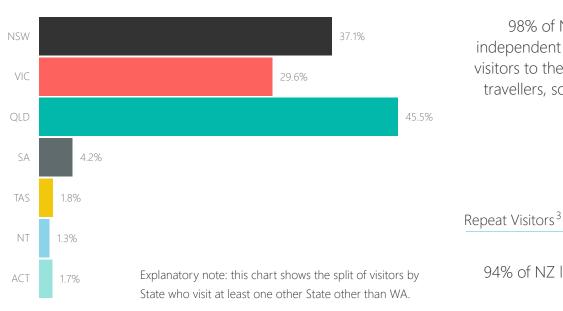
1	Eat out / dine at a restaurant and/or cafe	92%
2	Go shopping for pleasure	77%
3	Go to the beach	65%
4	Pubs, clubs, discos etc	48%
5	Sightseeing/looking around	70%

NOTE: Activity may have taken in place in WA or elsewhere in Australia during the trip.

Top 3 Accommodation Choices for Leisure Visitors to WA^3

1	Other Private Accommodation	75%
2	Friends or relatives property	72%
3	Hotel/resort/motel or motor Inn	31%

Other States Visited³

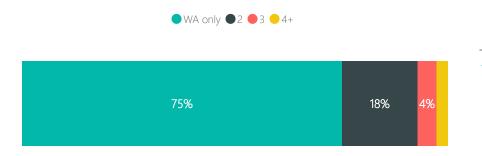


Group Tour v Free Independent Travellers (FIT)³

98% of NZ leisure visitors to WA are free independent travellers. Equally, 99% of NZ leisure visitors to the rest of Australia are free independent travellers, so only a small proportion are likely to be on a group tour.

94% of NZ leisure visitors to WA are on a return visit to Australia

Number of States Visited ³



Travel Packages³

14% of NZ leisure visitors to WA arrived on a travel package

IMPORTANCE FACTORS, DESTINATION CONSIDERATIONS AND ASSOCIATIONS

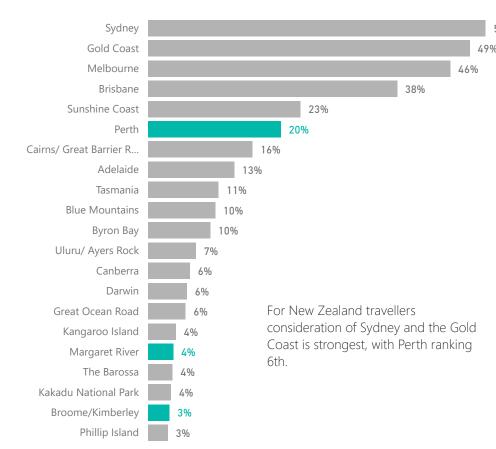
Out of region (OOR) travellers



Travelled outside of their region within the last 5 years for leisure and/or intend to travel outside of their region for leisure within the next 2 years

Consideration of Australian Destinations ⁵

(those considering a trip to Australia in the next 4 years)



Which factors are most important when choosing a destination ⁵

1	A safe and secure destination	50%	
2	Value for money	49%	New Zeala looking fo
3	Appealing climate or weather	33%	well as val
4	Good food, wine/beverages, local cuisine and produce	26%	view.
5	A family friendly destination	24%	
6	Beautiful natural environments e.g. mountains, rivers, forests	23%	

New Zealand travellers state that they are looking for a safe and secure destination as well as value for money when deciding upon a holiday destination, similar to the global view.

What OOR travellers associate with destinations ⁵

A family friendly destination
A vibrant city lifestyle
Beautiful natural environments
Different and interesting local wildlife
Good food, wine/beverages
Interesting events and festivals
Value for money

52%

Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Perth	Margaret River	Broome/Kimberley region
38%	39%	36%	22%	7%	6%
67%	61%	37%	22%	2%	3%
18%	15%	13%	14%	20%	16%
11%	11%	11%	11%	12%	13%
43%	48%	28%	19%	11%	5%
51%	48%	29%	16%	4%	4%
24%	26%	22%	12%	4%	3%

New Zealand travellers associate Margaret RIver most strongly with beautiful natural environments, while Sydney and Melbourne are strongly associated with a vibrant city lifestyle and interesting events/festivals.

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'Leisure' comprises both holiday visitors and those visiting friends and relatives (VFR).

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