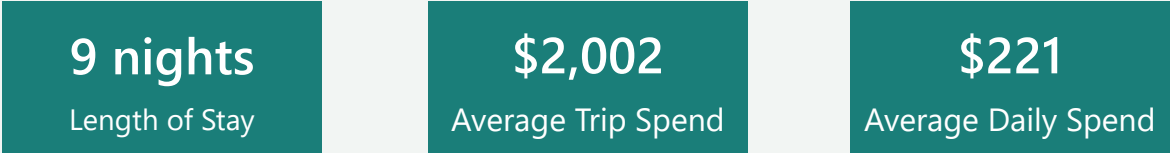
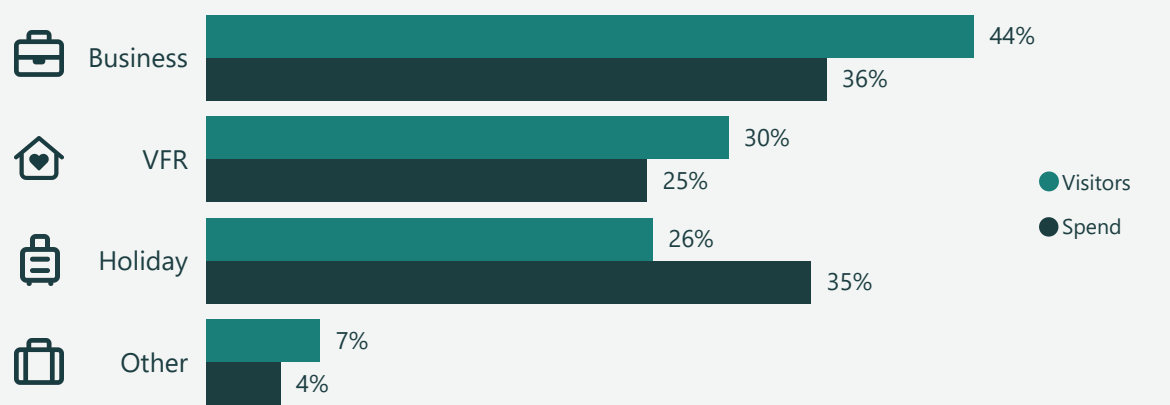


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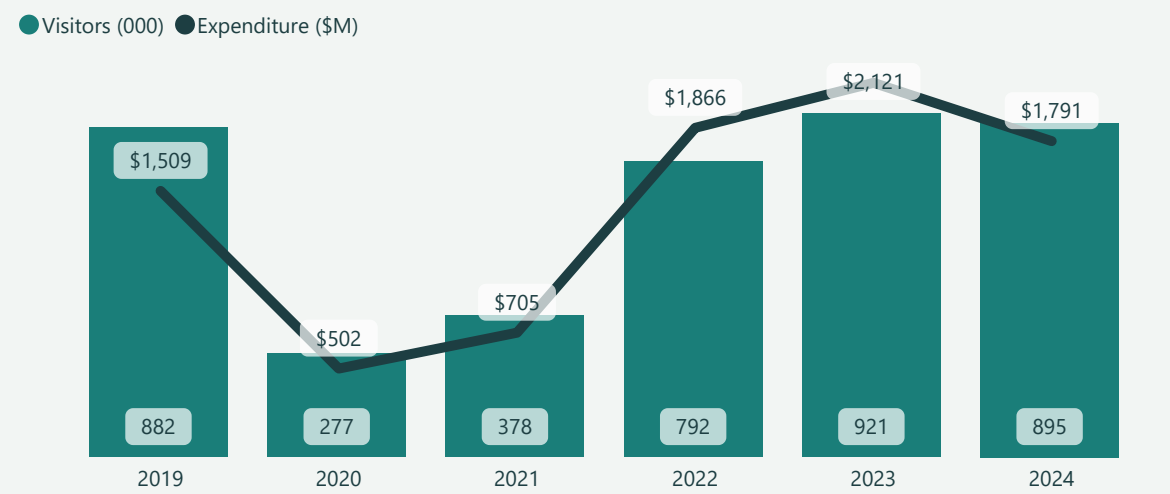
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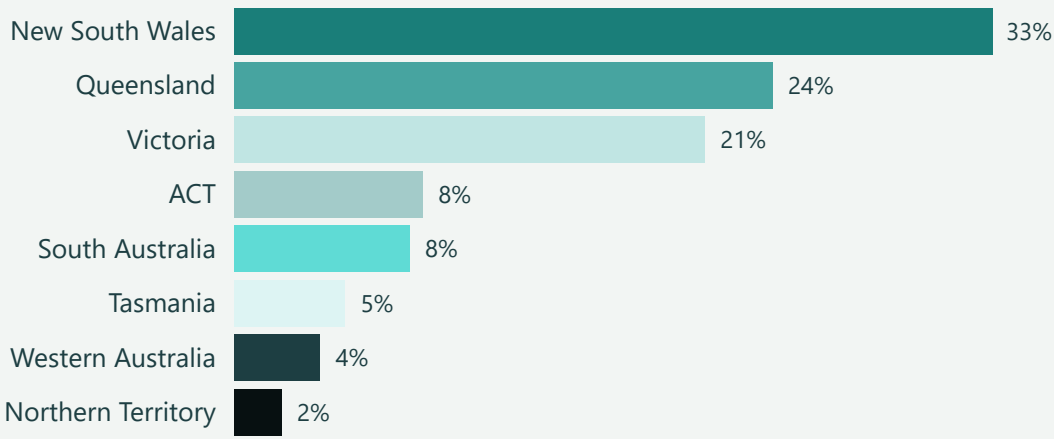
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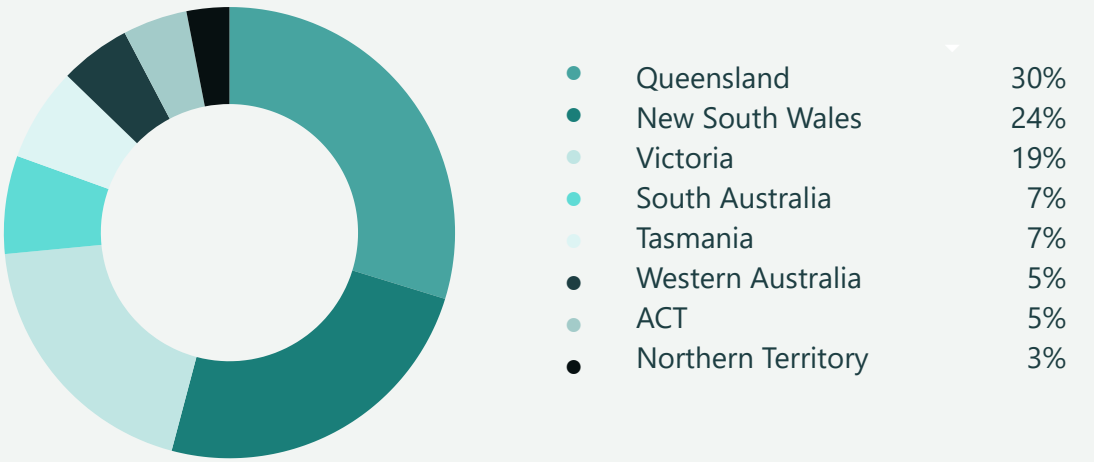
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Market Share of Interstate Leisure Visitors ¹



Market Share of Interstate Leisure Visitor Spend ¹

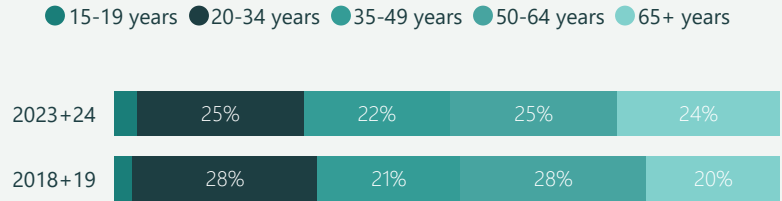


Explanatory note: 30% of all Interstate Leisure Visitor Spend in Australia was spent in Queensland (excludes WA residents).

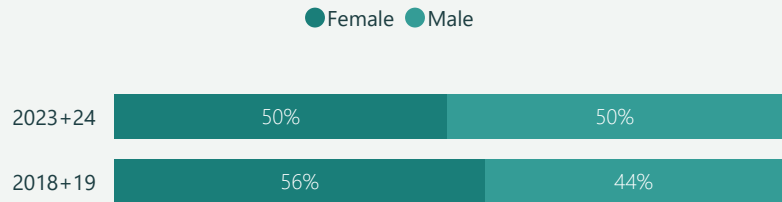
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LEISURE VISITOR PROFILE AND TRIP BEHAVIOUR

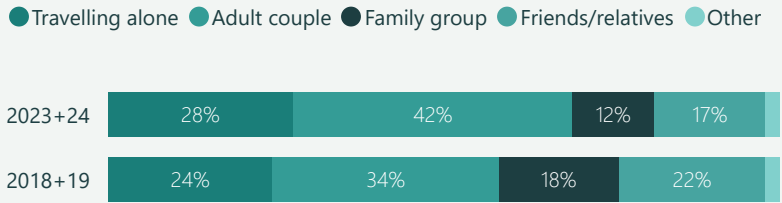
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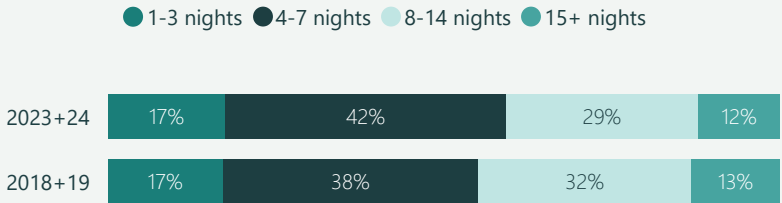
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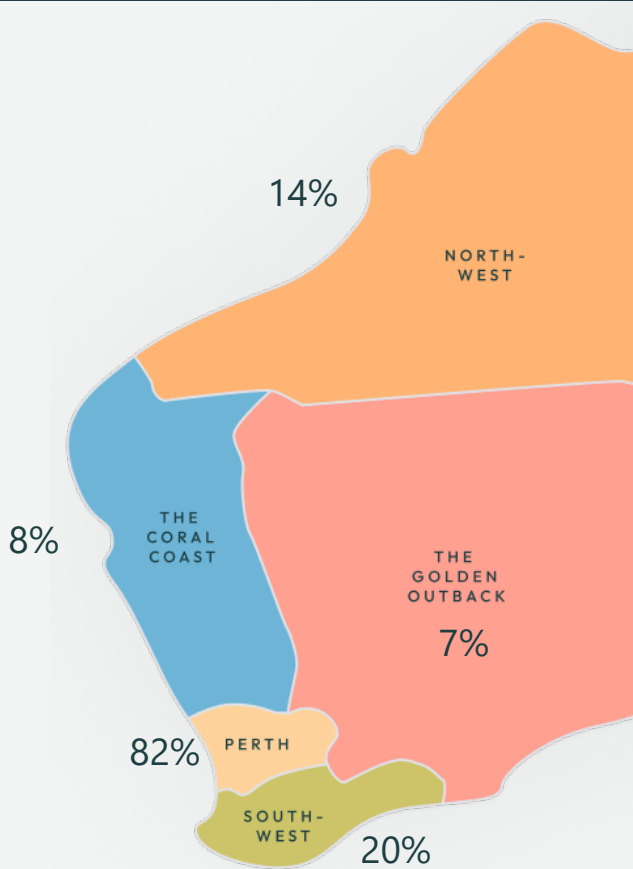
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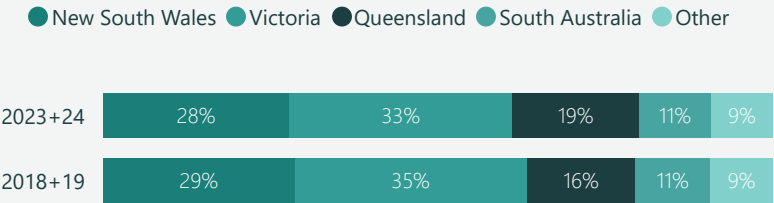
Length of Trip ³



Regional Dispersal ²



Home State ³



Top 5 Leisure Activities ³

	2018+19	2023+24
Eat out / dine at a restaurant and/or cafe	86%	84%
Visit friends & relatives	62%	52%
Go to the beach	56%	48%
Sightseeing/looking around	47%	34%
Pubs, clubs, discos etc	30%	40%

Top 3 Accommodation Choices ³

	2018+19	2023+24
Friends or relatives property	50%	49%
Hotel/resort/motel or motor Inn	37%	42%
Rented house/apartment/flat or unit	16%	10%

Top LGAs Visited ³

	2018+19	2023+24
Perth	47%	50%
Augusta-Margaret River	14%	9%
Fremantle	9%	10%
Broome	9%	8%
Busselton	7%	6%

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MOTIVATIONS AND ASSOCIATIONS

WHAT TRAVELLERS ARE LOOKING FOR IN A HOLIDAY DESTINATION GENERALLY ⁴

Interstate Market (NSW / VIC / QLD)



Value for money (worth what it costs to visit)



A place where I can relax and unwind



Great food and/or local produce



Easy to get to, and around



Friendly and welcoming people/service



Beaches and coastal experiences



Easy to plan and book



Not crowded with other tourists



Truly unique places and experiences



Unspoilt nature and local wildlife

WHAT INSPIRES TRAVELLERS TO VISIT WA ⁴

Interstate Market (NSW / VIC / QLD)



Beaches and coastal experiences



Road Trips



Easy to plan and book



Aboriginal experiences



Unspoilt nature and local wildlife



Premium accommodation options



Truly unique places and experiences



Great food and/or local produce



Active adventures and experiences



Great wineries, breweries and / or distilleries

WHAT INSPIRES TRAVELLERS TO VISIT WA ⁴

Visited WA in past 2 years or have upcoming trip booked



To visit a friend or relative



I have been there before and wanted to return



To tick an experience off my bucket list



I've always wanted to visit WA



To attend a public event









A good package deal

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MOTIVATIONS, DESTINATIONS AND BARRIERS







TOP MOTIVATIONS TO VISIT WA ⁵

Interstate Visitors

-  Beaches/coastal scenery
-  To visit friends and/or relatives
-  New place or bucket list
-  Unique natural sights
-  Good food, wine and local cuisine
-  Pristine natural environments

TOP BARRIERS TO VISITING WA ⁴

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-  There are other places I'd rather visit
-  Flights cost too much
-  It's just not on my radar, I might go there later in life
-  I don't feel excited enough about having a holiday there
-  It takes too long to get there
-  I don't know enough about what there is to do there

Notes

'Interstate Visitors' Australian Residents (excl. WA residents) aged 15 years and over who spent at least one night away from home in Western Australia. FIFO travel is included.

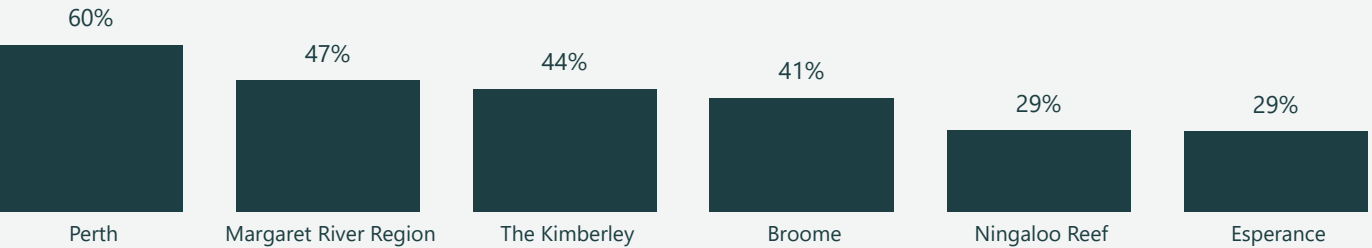
'Leisure' comprises both holiday visitors and those visiting friends and relatives (VFR).

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CONSIDERATION OF WA HOLIDAY DESTINATIONS ⁴

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