

Visitor Research 2018 Annual Travel Profile - DayTrip

Prepared for Pennsylvania





Travel USA Visitor Profile

Day Visitation

Introduction

- Longwoods International began tracking domestic American travelers in 1985, and has conducted large-scale syndicated visitor research quarterly since 1990.
- It is currently the largest ongoing study conducted of American travelers, providing our clients with more reliable data and greater ability to home in on key market segments of interest.
- An overnight trip is any journey for business or pleasure, outside your community and not part of your normal routine, where you spent one more nights away from home.
- A day trip is any journey for business or pleasure, outside your community and not part of your normal routine, that did not include an overnight stay. Day trips involve travel of more than 50 miles from home.
- This report provides an overview for Pennsylvania's domestic tourism business in 2018.

Methodology

Each quarter, a random, projectable sample of adult members (18 years of age and over) of a major U.S. consumer panel is invited to participate in the **Longwoods Travel USA®** survey. Respondents are selected to be representative of the U.S. adult population.

For Pennsylvania, the following sample was achieved in 2018:





Overnight Base Size

6,872

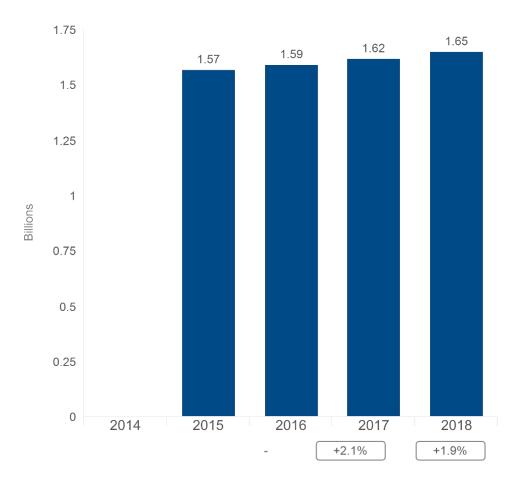
Day Base Size

4,837

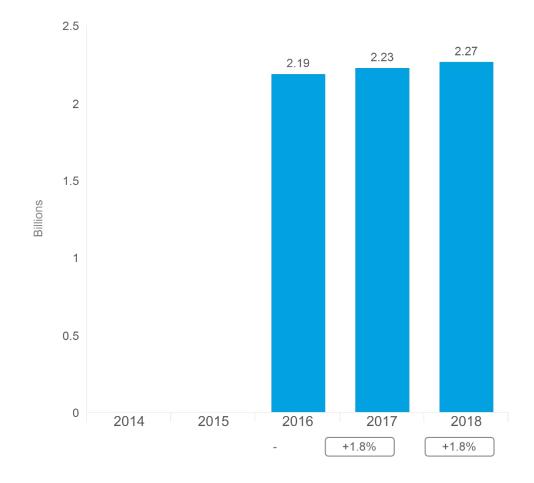
For analysis, data were weighted on key demographics to correct for any differences between the sample and U.S. population targets.



Total Size of U.S. Overnight Travel Market



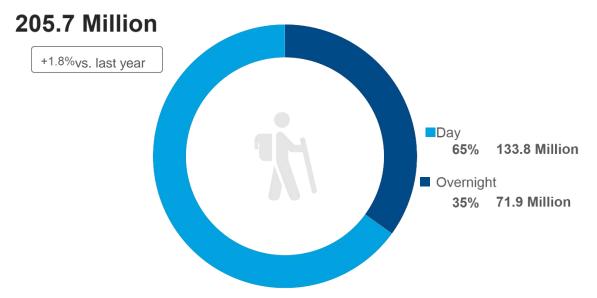
Total Size of U.S. Day Travel Market





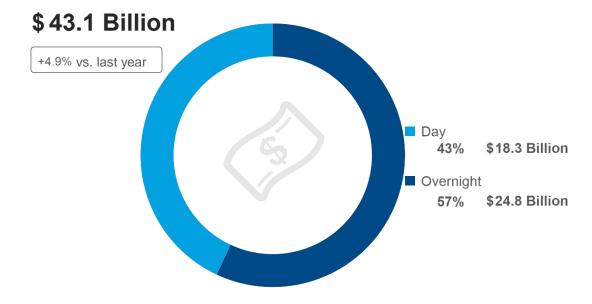
Total Size of Pennsylvania 2018 Domestic Travel Market





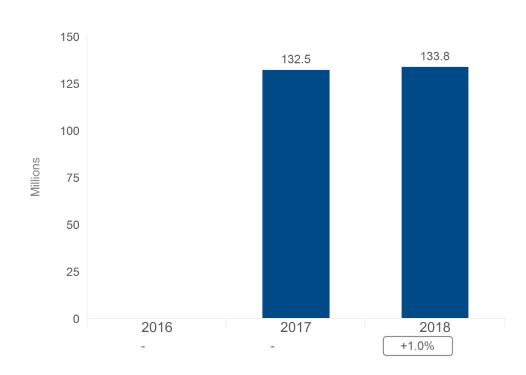
Total Expenditures for Pennsylvania 2018 Domestic Travel Market

Total Spending





Day Trips to Pennsylvania



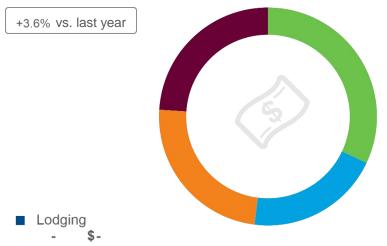
Size of Pennsylvania Day Travel Market - Adults vs. Children





Domestic Day Expenditures - by Sector



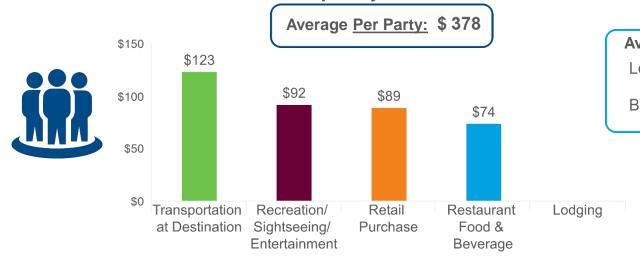


- Transportation at Destination32% \$5,950 Million
- Restaurant Food & Beverage 20% \$3,577 Million
- Retail Purchase 24% \$4,331 Million
- Recreation/Entertainment 24% \$4,452 Million





Average Per Party Expenditures on Domestic Day Trips - by Sector



Average Per Party:

Leisure \$373

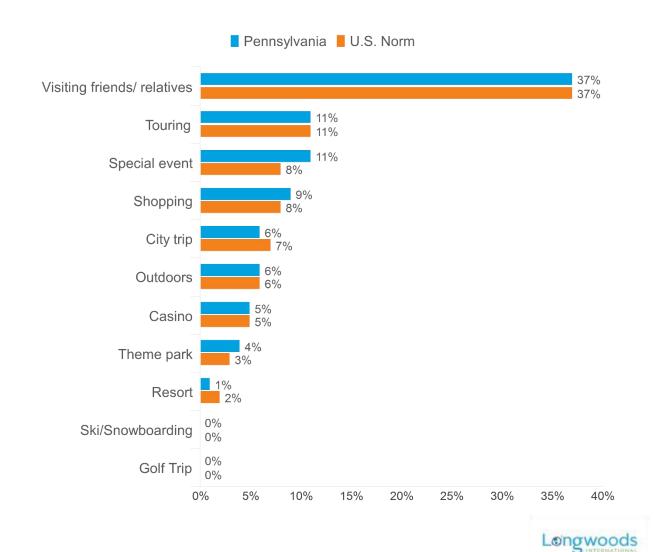
Business \$332



Main Purpose of Trip



Main Purpose of Leisure Trip



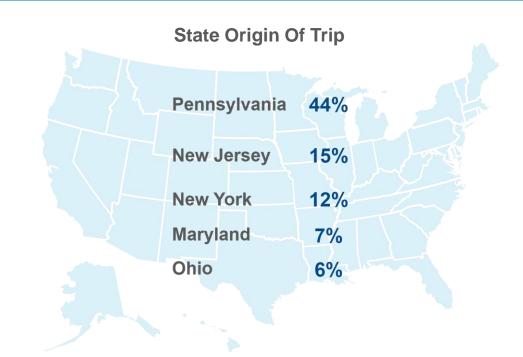
2018 U.S. Day Trips



2018 Pennsylvania Day Trips



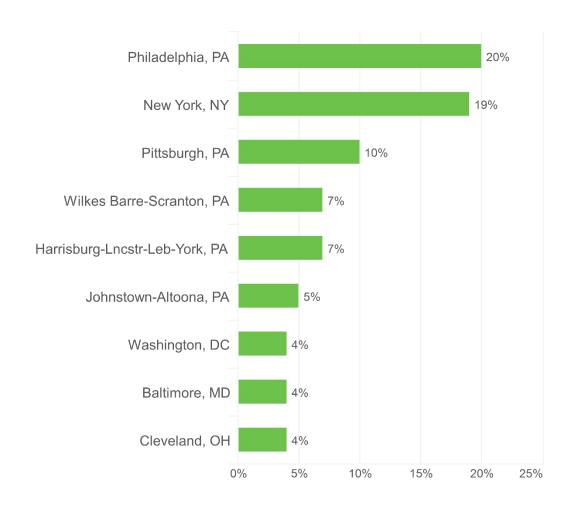






Season of Trip Total Day Person-Trips

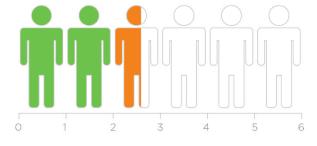
DMA Origin Of Trip





Size of Travel Party

Pennsylvania

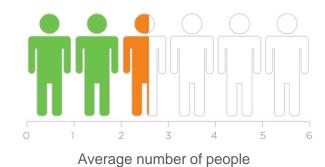


Total

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Average number of people

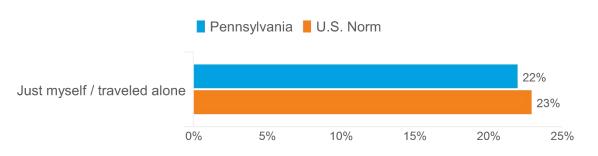
U.S. Norm



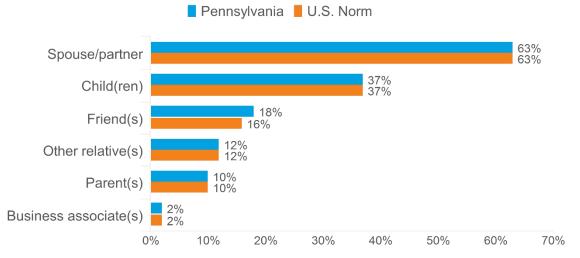
Total

2.6

Percent Who Traveled Alone



Composition of Immediate Travel Party





Activity Groupings

Outdoor Activities

U.S. Norm: 25%

Entertainment Activities

U.S. Norm: 43%

Cultural Activities



16%

U.S. Norm: 15%

Sporting Activities

U.S. Norm: 5%

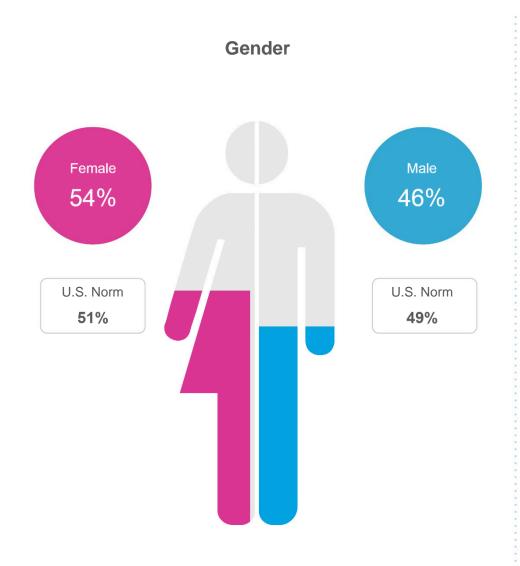
Business Activities

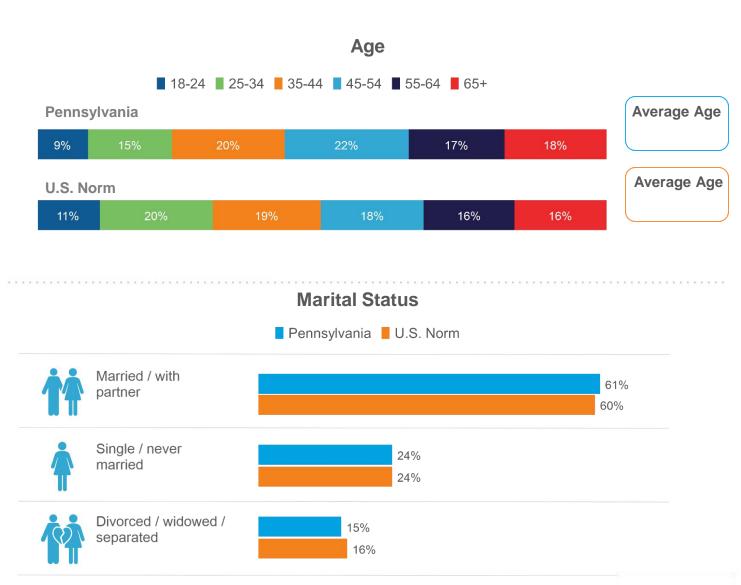


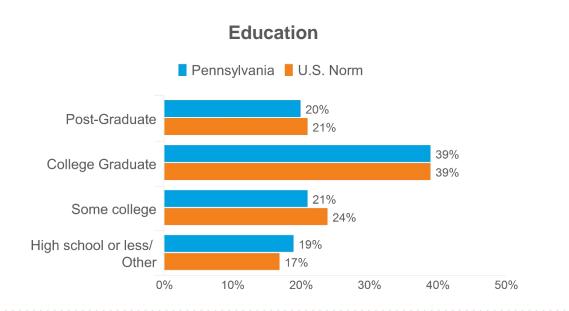
U.S. Norm: 6%

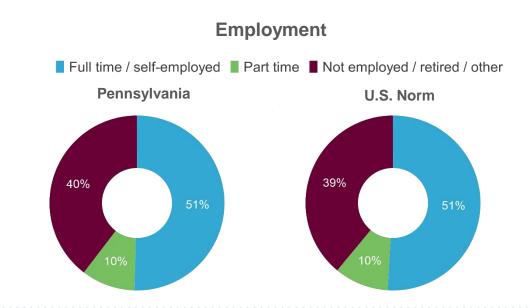
Activities and Experiences (Top 10)

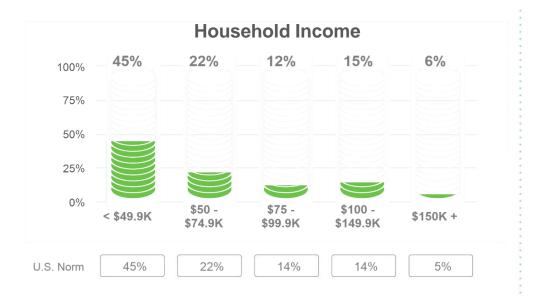
		Pennsylvania	U.S. Norm
	Shopping	26%	25%
	Landmark/historic site	9%	7%
	Casino	8%	7%
	Museum	7%	7%
	National/state park	6%	6%
	Fine/upscale dining	6%	6%
	Bar/nightclub	5%	5%
	Theme park	5%	5%
	Beach/waterfront	5%	7%
PK	Fair/exhibition/festival	5%	3%

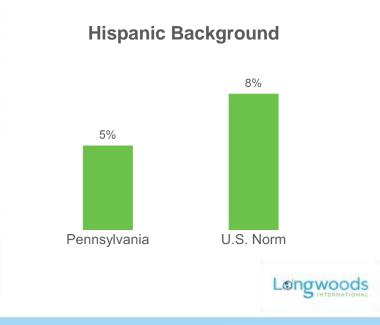












Household Size



59%

19%

19%

14%

Children in Household





No children under 18 Any 13-17 Any 6-12 Any child under 6 17%

U.S. Norm





