

ACTIVATING THE NORWAY BRAND

A report on holiday needs and segments in the Dutch market

for Innovation Norway

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The vision is **«we give local ideas global opportunities»**

Norway has unique advantages both in terms of natural resources and modern infrastructure that provides a great number of possibilities for tourists.

Innovation Norway manages not only one brand but the sum of all the brands that make up the destination Norway.

Some of these are **iconic brands** on a global scale.

The challenge is to secure a strong position for all of these so that the sum is stronger than individual parts, creating **truly global** power.

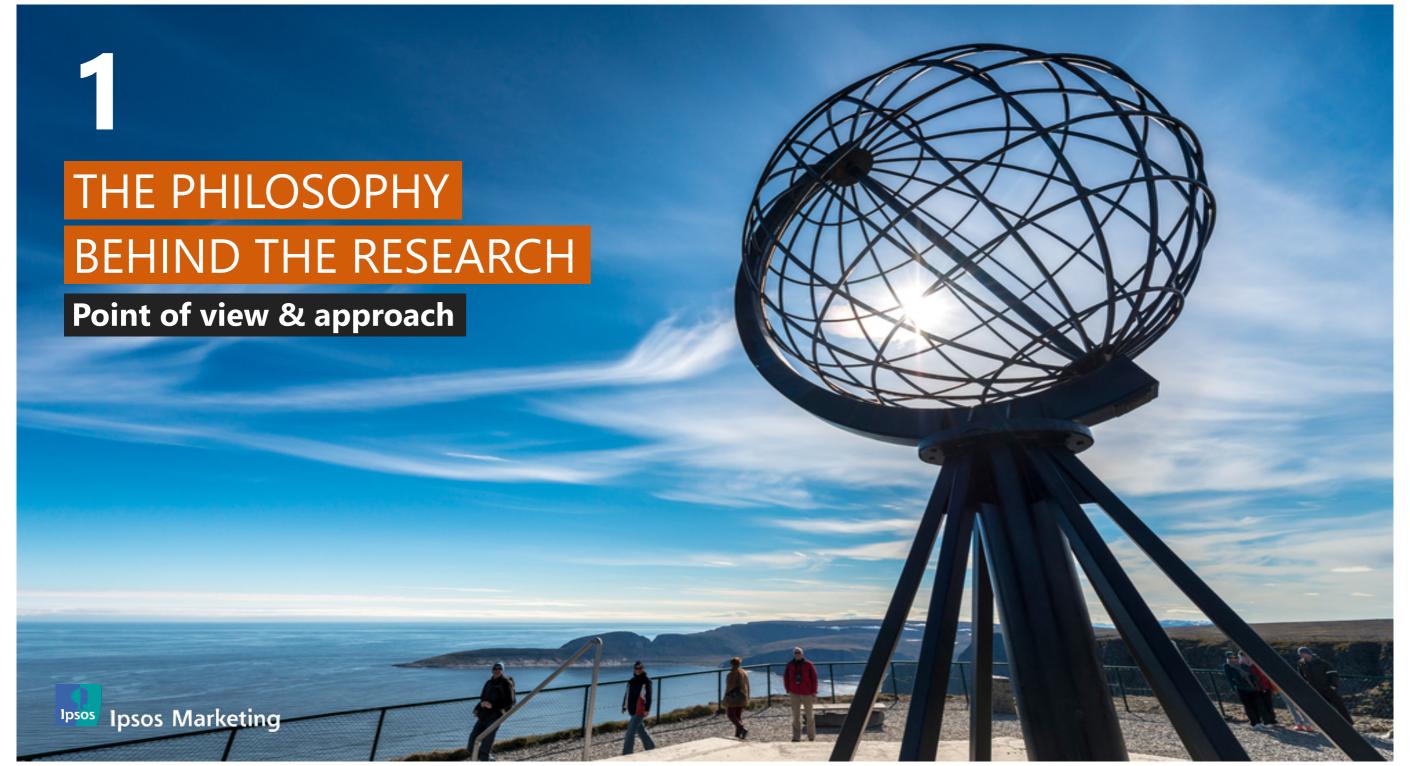
The world is changing.
The travel industry is changing.
People change. How they interact
with brands is changing. Their
behavior in relation to vacation
change.

You may have to adapt and make changes in the strategy to keep pace with the market.

Fundamental consumer insights in key markets is part of the basis for this.



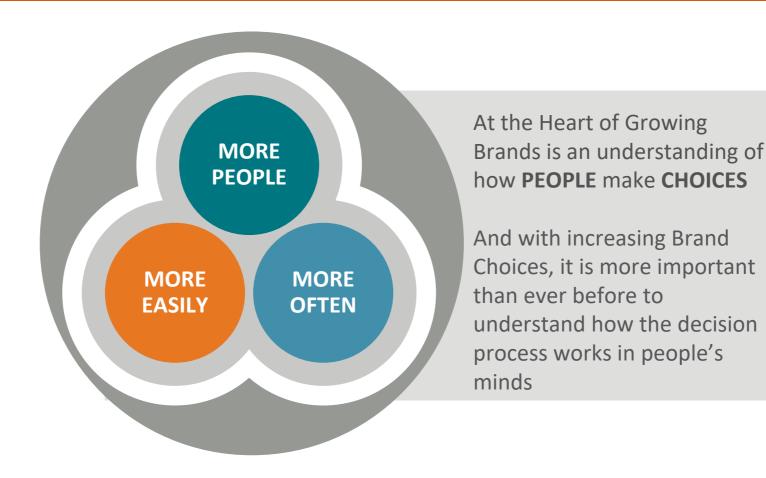




THE STARTING POINT:

UNDERSTANDING HOW BRAND BUILDING WORKS

Brands that grow are brands that are chosen by...





SO **HOW** CAN INNOVATION NORWAY MAKE IT **EASIER** FOR **MORE PEOPLE** TO COME TO NORWAY **MORE OFTEN?**

THE KEY TO BRAND BUILDING IS TO THINK **PEOPLE FIRST**

HOW PEOPLE MAKE DECISIONS

HOW PEOPLE THINK ABOUT BRANDS

HOW PEOPLE ARE INFLUENCED



Decision-making is often more unconscious than conscious, using mental shortcuts to reduce effort.



Brands exist in peoples' minds as a network: a unique memory structure of thoughts, feelings, experiences, images, stories, associations, colours, sounds, symbols and memories.



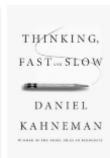
Memory salience refers to all the existing aspects of the brand's mental network. Attention salience is about the cues and stimuli that capture our attention at any touchpoint.

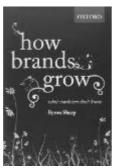


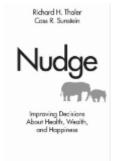
SO HOW DO PEOPLE MAKE CHOICES?

















ALL THE EVIDENCE POINTS

TO PEOPLE BEING MORE

LIKELY TO CHOOSE

BRANDS THAT...



ARE SALIENT

They must come readily to mind in the moments that matter. They have strong brand networks or associative memory structures so they are easily retrieved in a fast-processing, automatic decision environment

RANK FIRST

They must have the highest perceived value at the moment of choice, compared with alternatives

FORM RELATIONSHIPS

They must fulfil the key motivational criteria for selection: meeting functional and emotional needs and creating connections

ARE AVAILABLE

They must be accessible (e.g. pricing, distribution). The more easily people perceive that they can obtain one option rather than another similar option, the more likely it is to be selected

BUILDING DEEP BRAND RELATIONSHIPS WITH CENSYDIAM

BE RELEVANT

Associate your brand with relevant category roles



Censydiam

Motivational Framework

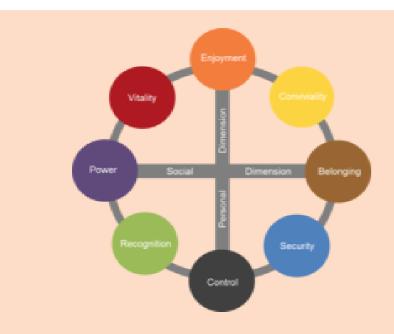
Censydiam offers a **validated approach** to understand the different roles brands can play in the category.

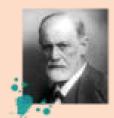
Censydiam captures the **needs & motivations** that drive relevance in the category, while acknowledging that these needs & motivations can differ across various situations and occasions.

Brands can **grow** if they succeed in connecting themselves to more emotional & functional needs.



CENSYDIAM IN A NUTSHELL





theories about the unconscious mind and the mechanisms of release and repression



The double mechanism for satisfaction: a striving for **power** & superiority and for **belonging** & community



Each is deconstructed on key emotional and functional benefits, brands need deliver on in order to be relevant for consumers in various usage occasions/situations.

These benefits help build rich networks and allow consumers to easily identify the best solutions for their needs.



People first

All decisions are made with fundamental consumer needs at the heart



Universal currency

Comparison possible across markets Common language



Customizable

Needs are tailored by context, category and markets.



Validated

Over 30+ years experience across the globe & scientific thesis

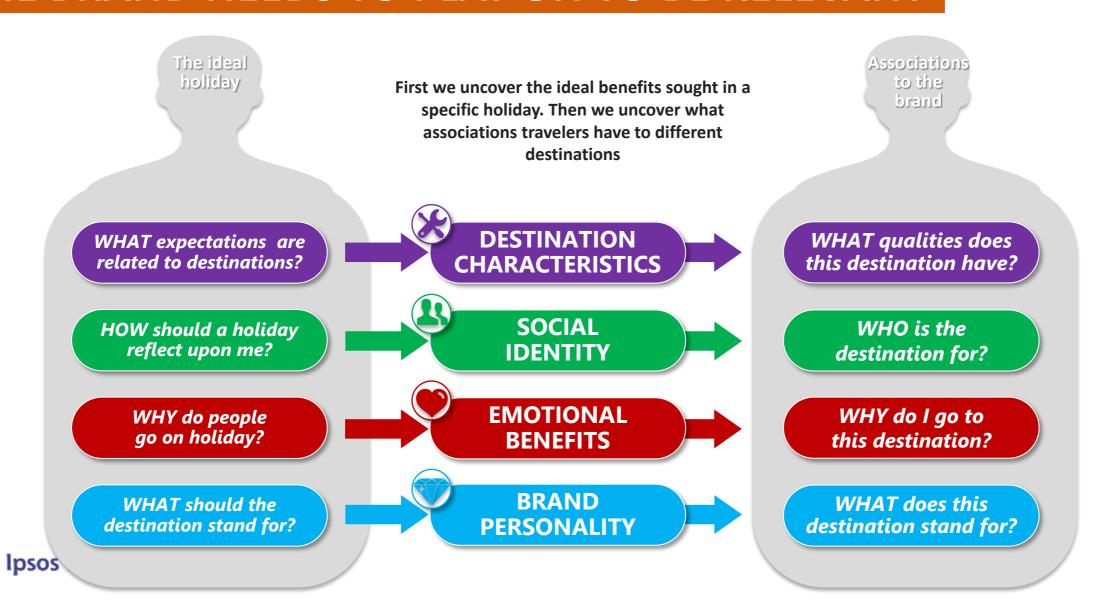


Comparison

Allows comparison over time and markets

CENSYDIAM SEEKS TO UNCOVER THE DIFFERENT DRIVERS

THE BRAND NEEDS TO PLAY ON TO BE RELEVANT



FROM CENSYDIAM HYPOTHESIS TO GLOBAL CATEGORY FRAME

WE HAVE CONDUCTED 1200 INTERVIEWS IN THE MARKET

EACH RESPONDENT HAS PROFILED 2 HOLIDAY OCCASIONS – SO WE HAVE 2400 CASES FOR ANALYSIS

1. We start with the Censydiam model and explore it qualitatively in focus groups. 2. The qualitative part then creates a hypothesis on how the Censydiam frame looks like within the holiday category.

3. At this stage this hypothesis have been tested quantitativly in several markets to create one global segmentation model.



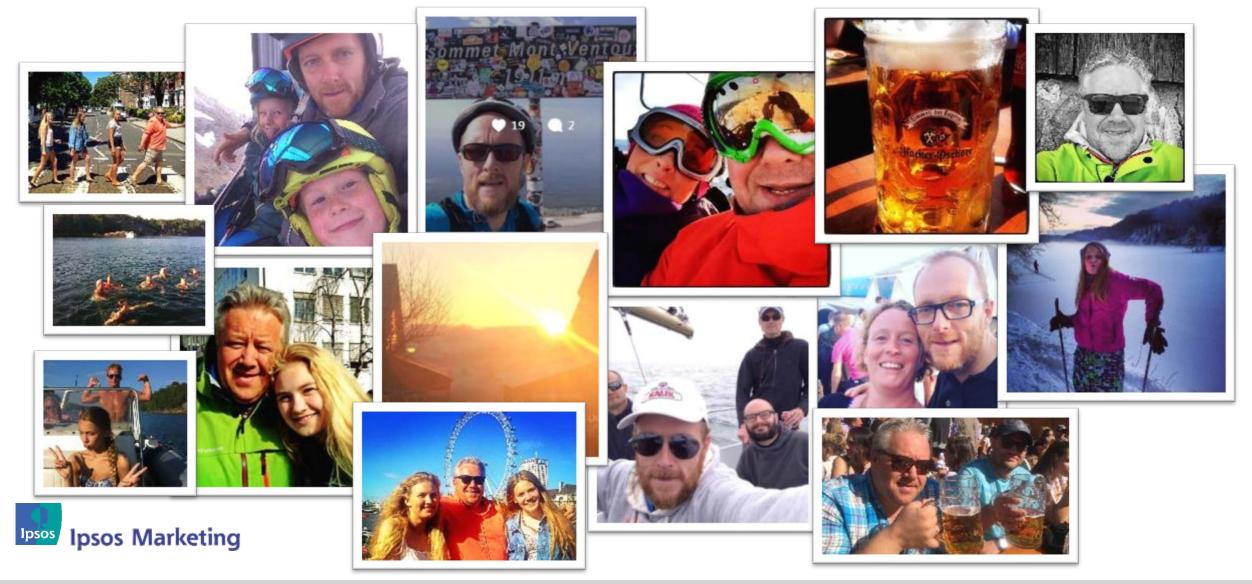






THE SAME PERSON, BUT DIFFERENT SITUATIONS AND DIFFERENT MOTIVATIONS

As consumers, we often have different needs depending on the situation. This also applies to holidays. A weekend getaway with a partner has to fulfil different needs than a skiing weekend with friends. This report is, therefore, based on **different occasions** – by occasion we mean **different holidays**. Each respondent has told us what the ideal holiday look like on **two different holiday occasions**.



QUESTIONNAIRE STRUCTURE IN THE QUANTITATIVE INTERVIEW

The model shows the structure of the interview the individual respondent was through

Section 1: Demographics and Screener

- Gender
- Age
- Income
- Etc.

 Have been abroad for holiday last 3 years.

Section 2: Category use

How often do you go on holiday abroad? Where did you go the last 5 holidays? Time of year, duration and type of holiday

Section 3: Awareness & usage

What destinations do you know of? How many times have you been on holiday to the following countries?

Section 4: Profiling of two holiday occasions

- Type of holiday
- Destination
- Duration
- Who were you with?
- Spending
- Accommodation
- Transport

- Information sources
- Influencers
- Activities
- Consideration set (what destinations would you consider).

Section 5: Profiling of 2 holiday occasions

- Emotional benefits
- Functional benefits
- Personality
- Social identity

Section 6: Profiling of destinations

Please choose the statements that you think are appropriate for each destination.

We use the same statements as in section 5.



HOW DOES THE NEEDS COME ALIVE IN THE ACTUAL INTERVIEW?

The needs are formulated as statements on 4 levels



Emotional benefits

Imagine that you would go on a similar holiday in the future (with the same people, the same destination, the same time, etc.), please tick the feelings and needs the ideal holiday experience should meet for this occasion

- Helps me to enjoy life to the fullest
- Makes me feel completely liberated
- Makes me feel full of energy
- Allows me to immerse myself in the local life
- Helps me to meet new people
- Allows me to share good times with others
- Creates precious moments of togetherness
- Allows me to intensify the relationship with my loved one(s)
- Allows me to spoil my loved ones
- Allows me to pamper myself
- Helps me to escape from my hectic daily life
- Restores my sense of harmony and balance
- Allows me to keep everything under control
- Helps me avoid too much surprises
- Gives me a safe feeling
- Allows me to broaden my horizon
- Allows me to broaden my knowledge
- Enriches my view on the world
- Allows me to indulge myself with a bit of luxury
- Makes me feel on top of the world
- Makes me stand out from the crowd
- Allows me to discover new and interesting places
- Gives me rich experiences
- Gives me new inspiration



Functional benefits

Which are the qualities and characteristics the holiday experience would ideally need to have for this occasion?

- Allows me to be physical active
- · Allows me to live close to nature
- Has a variety of accommodation offers
- Has a variety of different restaurant offers
- Has activities for kids
- Has beautiful nature
- Has environmentally friendly offers
- Has few language barriers
- Has friendly people
- Has good beaches
- Has good local cuisine
- Has good medical care
- Has good opportunities to meet local people
- Has good service
- · Has good shopping
- Has guaranteed sunshine
- Has interesting culture & art
- · Has interesting sights
- Has lots of organized trips and excursions
- Has places to go out partying
- Has quiet environments
- Has rich cultural heritage
- Has romantic spots
- Has unspoiled nature
- · Is easy to travel around
- Is easy to travel to
- · Is not for just anybody, is exclusive
- · Is not ruined by tourism
- Is not too warm
- Is well organized
- Offers a wide range of possible activities
- Good value for money



Personality

Please tick the words that fit the character of your IDEAL future holiday experience for this occasion

- Active
- Playful
- Fresh
- Open-minded
- Sociable
- Outgoing
- Caring
- Friendly
- Cozy
- Harmonious
- Peaceful
- Relaxed
- Practical
- Structured
- Predictable
- Authentic
- 7.00010110
- Unique
- Cultivated
- Extravagant
- Superior
- Classy
- Explorative
- Adventurous
- Daring



Social identity

Which of the following types of people would you expect to look for the same holiday experience as you?

- People who want to have as much fun as possible in life
- People that like to do things spontaneously, impulsively
- People who likes to party
- People who are always looking to connect with others
- People who enjoy spending time with friends
- · People who have an active and busy social life
- People for whom family comes first above all
- People who enjoy taking care of others
- People who have strong family values
- People who want to escape from the demands of life and relax and unwind
- People who needs time for themselves
- People who want to revitalize themselves
- People who make rational choices
- People who prefer the familiar over the unknown
- People who avoid risk
- People who are interested to learn more
- People who want to make a different choice
- People that like to do things the unconventional way
- People who want the best and are willing to pay for it
- People who like to have the best things, value high quality
- People who is sophisticated and classy
- People who like to explore and have new experiences
- People who like adventure
- People who wants a life changing experience

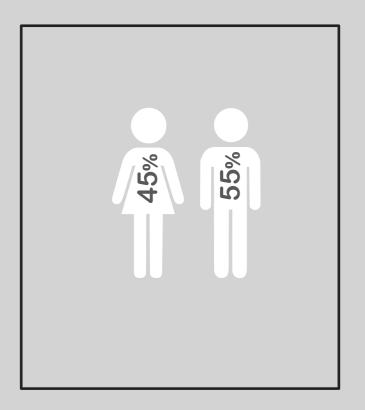
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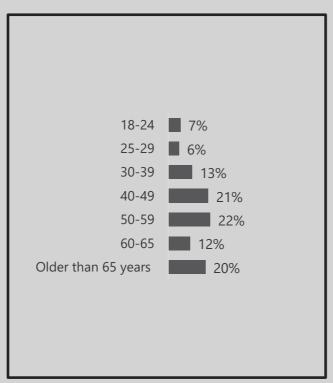
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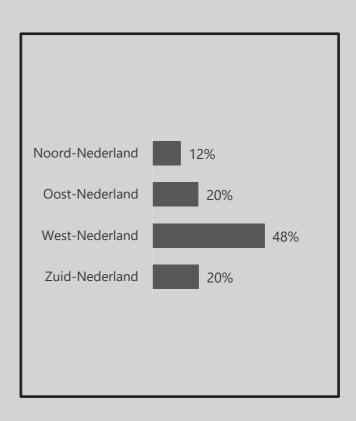


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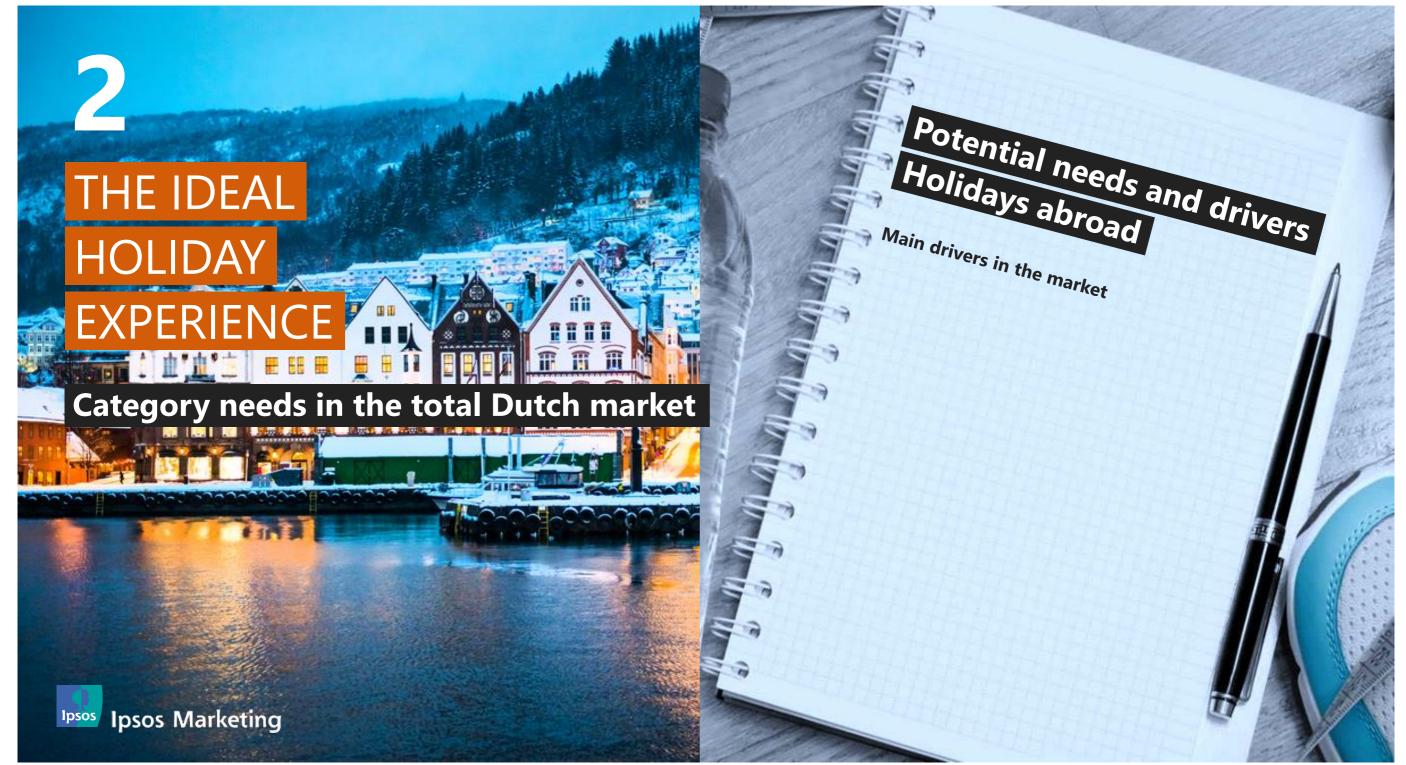
People that have been abroad for holiday last 3 years. Natural fall out.













IDEAL DESTINATION CHARACTERISTICS



WHAT expectations are related to specific destination characteristics?



IDEAL BRAND PERSONALITY

WHAT should the destination stand for?

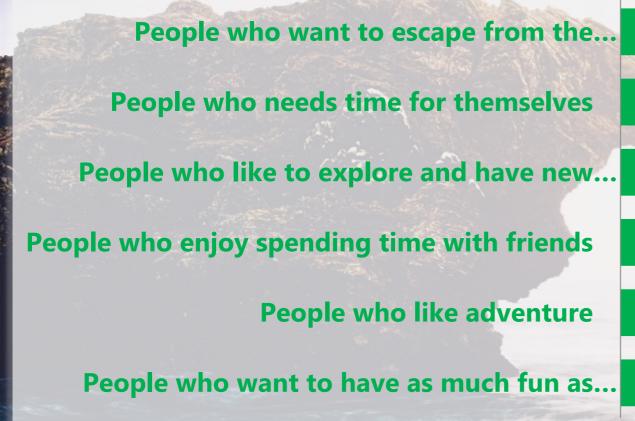


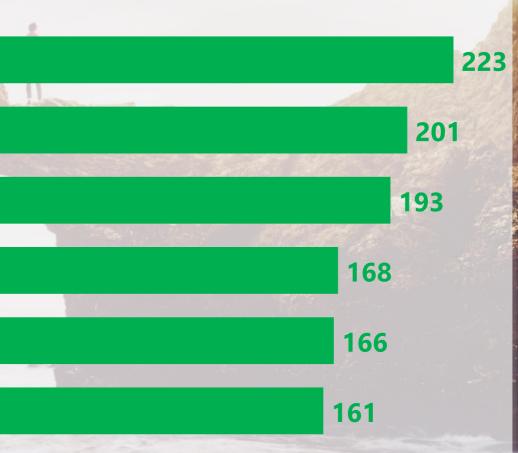


IDEAL SOCIAL IDENTITY

HOW should a holiday reflect upon me?







NOTE: Indexed vs. average of all items in facet
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WHEN, WHO, HOW, WHERE

Highlights on Dutch category behavior



TYPE OF ACCOMODATION

TRANSPORTATION

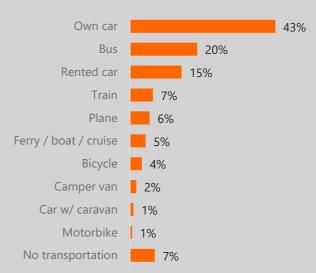
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Lived at a hotel, in most cases

Travels by car (own or

rented)







SOURCES OF INFORMATION BEFORE AND DURING TRAVEL

The digital channels are most important



72% Uses the internet in general as a source of information and inspiration before going on holiday. I.e. the large search engines are highly important to direct traffic to sites that present Norway as a tourist destination.

7% Guidebooks



Uses the homepage of the destination as a source of information and inspiration before going on holiday

13% Uses the homepage of carriers, including airlines etc.

27% Uses the homepage for hotels/ other accommodations

14% Uses the homepage for attractions and sights

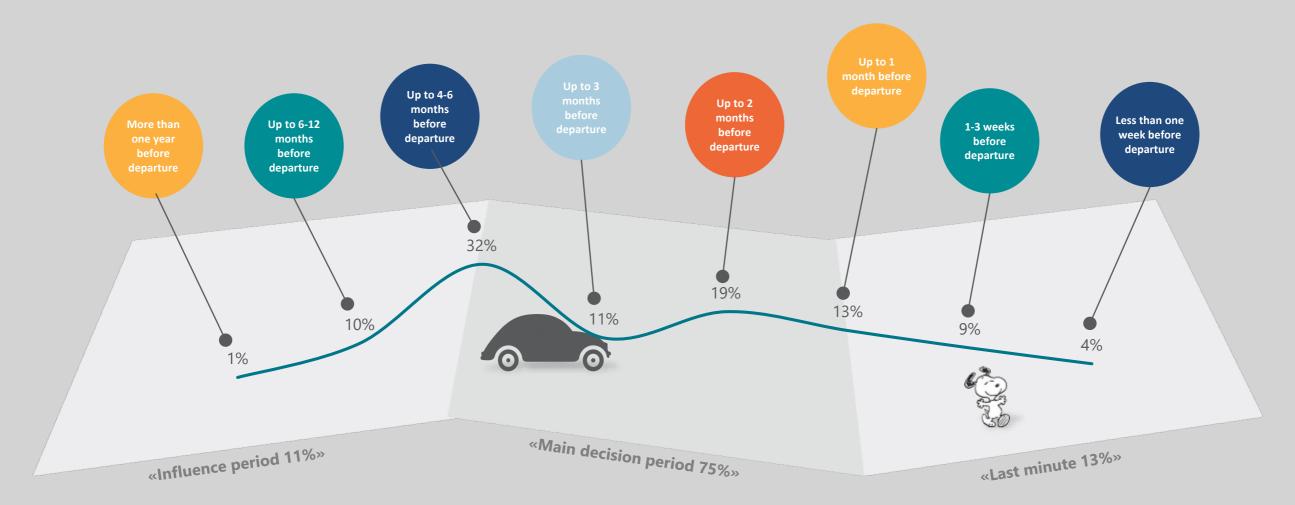
13% Uses booking sites such as Expedia and Lastminute





MOST TRAVELS ARE DECIDED UPON BETWEEN 1-6 MONTHS IN ADVANCE

How long before your departure did you settle for this trip on this occasion?

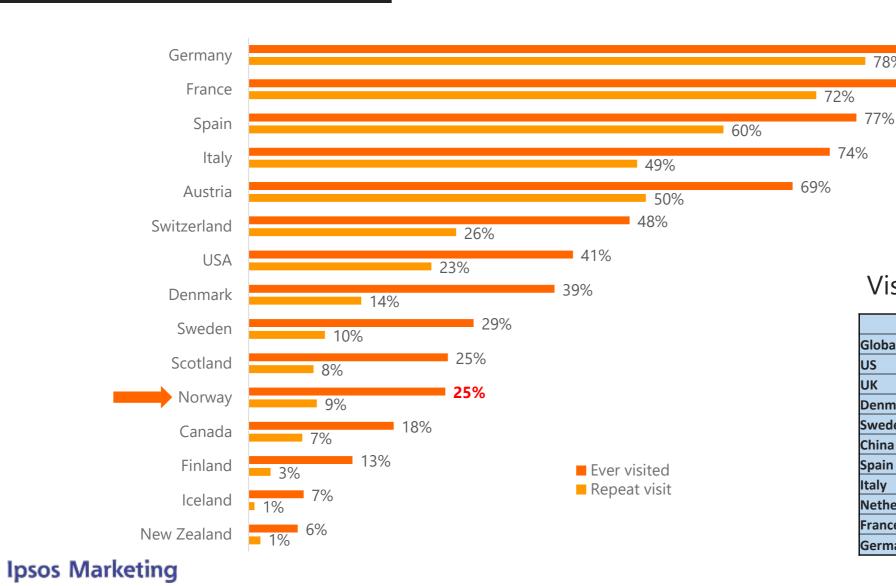






EVER VISITED THIS COUNTRY?

The Dutch goes to Germany



Visits to Norway all markets:

91%

87%

78%

| | Ever visited | Repeat visits | Repeat ratio | | | |
|-------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--|--|--|
| Global | 32 % | 18 % | 55 % | | | |
| US | 25 % | 11 % | 43 % | | | |
| UK | 20 % | 6 % | 30 % | | | |
| Denmark | 81 % | 62 % | 76 % | | | |
| Sweden | 79 % | 56 % | 71 % | | | |
| China | 16 % | 6 % | 36 % | | | |
| Spain | 10 % | 3 % | 28 % | | | |
| Italy | 17 % | 4 % | 25 % | | | |
| Netherlands | 25 % | 9 % | 35 % | | | |
| France | 15 % | 3 % | 19 % | | | |
| Germany | 26 % | 10 % | 39 % | | | |

A NOTE ON PLANNING HORIZONS

China, US and Italy has shorter planning horizon than the rest of the markets

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| | | Market | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Global | US | UK | Denmark | Sweden | China | Spain | Italy | Netherlands | France | Germany | |
| Antall intervju | 21928 | 2158 | 2134 | 2192 | 2258 | 2280 | 2213 | 2168 | 2179 | 2205 | 2141 | |
| Less than 3 weeks before departure | 18 % | 24 % | 8 % | 12 % | 12 % | 30 % | 12 % | 44 % | 13 % | 13 % | 10 % | |
| Up to 3 months before departure | 50 % | 49 % | 46 % | 50 % | 48 % | 64 % | 63 % | 44 % | 43 % | 50 % | 44 % | |
| Up to 4-12 months before departure | 28 % | 23 % | 40 % | 35 % | 36 % | 5 % | 23 % | 6 % | 41 % | 33 % | 42 % | |
| More than one year before departure | 1 % | 3 % | 3 % | 1 % | 3 % | 0 % | 1 % | 0 % | 1 % | 2 % | 2 % | |
| Don't know | 2 % | 1 % | 3 % | 2 % | 2 % | 0 % | 1 % | 7 % | 2 % | 1 % | 2 % | |

These differences will have impact on when to deploy marketing campaigns in the different markets

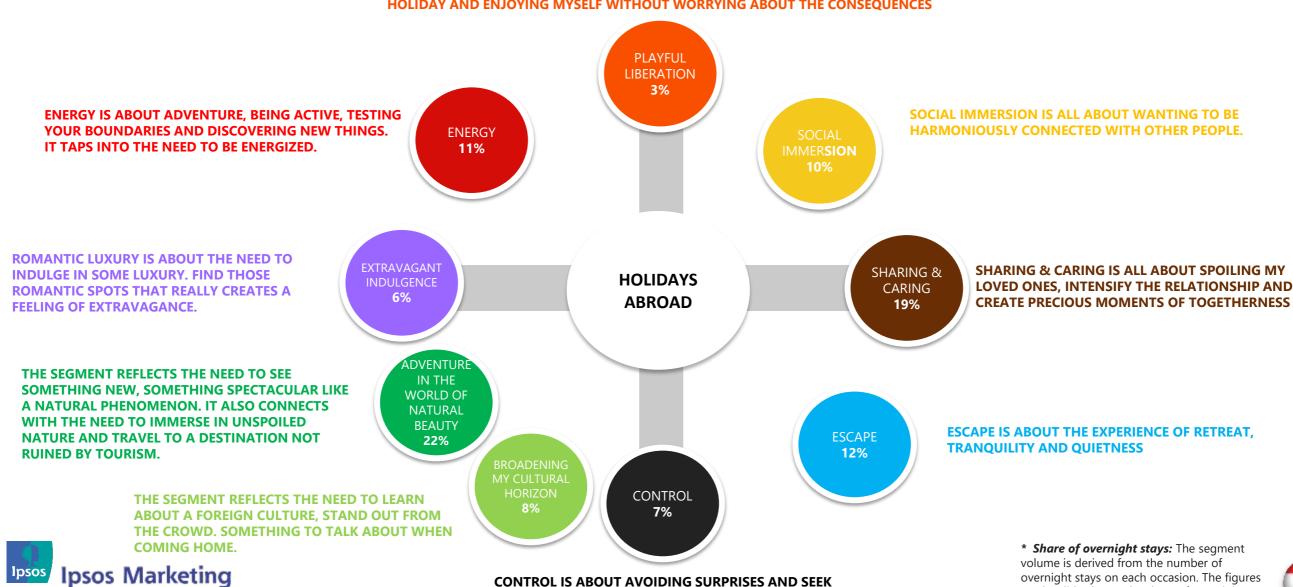




9 DISTINCT SEGMENTS SOCIAL SHARING & PLAYFUL **ESCAPE IMMERSION CARING** LIBERATON ADVENTURE IN BROADENING THE WORLD OF EXTRAVAGANT CONTROL MY CULTURAL INDULGENCE NATURAL HORIZON BEAUTY ENERGY

SEGMENT OVERVIEW AND SIZE*

PLAYFUL LIBERATION IS ALL ABOUT MAXIMIZING THE PLEASURE I GET OUT OF A HOLIDAY AND ENJOYING MYSELF WITHOUT WORRYING ABOUT THE CONSEQUENCES



CONTROL IS ABOUT AVOIDING SURPRISES AND SEEK

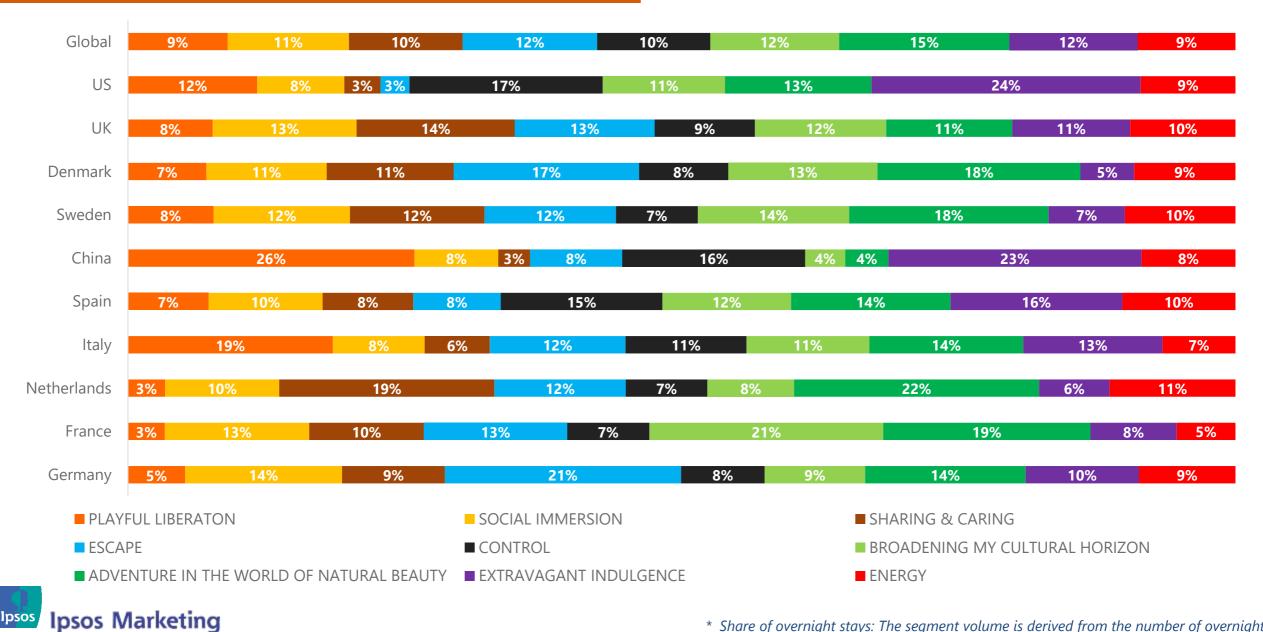
THE FAMILIAR INSTEAD OF THE UNKNOWN.

overnight stays on each occasion. The figures

on all holidays

on the slide shows the share of overnight stays

SEGMENT SIZE* PER MARKET



^{*} Share of overnight stays: The segment volume is derived from the number of overnight stays on each occasion. The figures on the slide shows the share of overnight stays on all holidays.

SEGMENTS SHARE OF OCCASION – GLOBAL

- ALL DESTINATIONS

| | Total | PLAYFUL LIBERATON | SOCIAL IMMERSION | SHARING & CARING | ESCAPE | CONTROL | BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON | ADVENTURES IN THE WORLD OF NATURAL BEAUTY | EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE | ENERGY |
|---|-------|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------|---------|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------------|--------|
| # interviews | 21928 | 2217 | 2202 | 2265 | 2574 | 2471 | 2828 | 2528 | 2780 | 2063 |
| Visits to historic sites | 57 % | 57 % | 61 % | 42 % | 47 % | 56 % | 72 % | 66 % | 58 % | 53 % |
| Sun and beach holiday | 53 % | 58 % | 48 % | 57 % | 63 % | 52 % | 37 % | 49 % | 59 % | 57 % |
| Holiday to experience nature, scenery and wildlife | 46 % | 46 % | 45 % | 31 % | 51 % | 43 % | 43 % | 68 % | 45 % | 46 % |
| Sightseeing/round trip | 45 % | 49 % | 48 % | 34 % | 36 % | 46 % | 48 % | 52 % | 49 % | 45 % |
| Cultural experience (focus on art, theatre etc.) | 42 % | 49 % | 43 % | 26 % | 29 % | 43 % | 54 % | 45 % | 48 % | 40 % |
| City break (focusing on cultural, shopping, Club, restaurant visits etc.) | 42 % | 41 % | 44 % | 38 % | 34 % | 39 % | 50 % | 43 % | 42 % | 43 % |
| Visiting friends and relatives | 31 % | 28 % | 37 % | 42 % | 26 % | 31 % | 27 % | 33 % | 30 % | 32 % |
| Culinary trip | 19 % | 29 % | 19 % | 12 % | 13 % | 21 % | 14 % | 18 % | 28 % | 18 % |
| Party & fun | 16 % | 23 % | 15 % | 14 % | 11 % | 16 % | 10 % | 14 % | 21 % | 20 % |
| Sports/active holiday | 15 % | 17 % | 10 % | 10 % | 10 % | 19 % | 7 % | 20 % | 20 % | 27 % |
| Travel to cottage/holiday home (hired/own/borrowed cottage/holiday home) | 15 % | 13 % | 12 % | 18 % | 20 % | 15 % | 8 % | 13 % | 17 % | 16 % |
| Ski holiday | 11 % | 15 % | 6 % | 7 % | 7 % | 17 % | 3 % | 7 % | 18 % | 22 % |
| Event holiday (festivals, sports etc.) | 10 % | 14 % | 9 % | 6 % | 5 % | 13 % | 5 % | 9 % | 16 % | 11 % |
| Countryside holiday | 10 % | 12 % | 9 % | 8 % | 12 % | 10 % | 6 % | 11 % | 10 % | 9 % |
| Health travel | 9 % | 15 % | 6 % | 5 % | 7 % | 15 % | 3 % | 6 % | 17 % | 10 % |
| Other type of winter holiday with snow | 7 % | 10 % | 4 % | 3 % | 4 % | 12 % | 2 % | 6 % | 13 % | 10 % |
| Cruise | 7 % | 7 % | 7 % | 5 % | 6 % | 7 % | 8 % | 8 % | 9 % | 5 % |



SEGMENTS SHARE OF OCCASION – NETHERLANDS

- ALL DESTINATIONS

| | Total | PLAYFUL LIBERATON | SOCIAL IMMERSION | SHARING & CARING | ESCAPE | CONTROL | BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON | ADVENTURES IN THE WORLD OF NATURAL BEAUTY | EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE | ENERGY |
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MAJOR CHANGES IN THE GLOBAL SEGMENTATION VS LAST TIME

NUMBER OF SEGMENTS

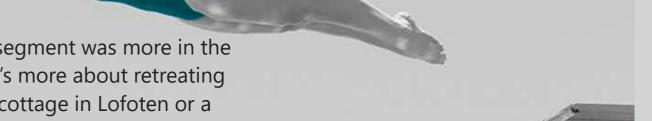
This time we have 9 decent sized segments, last there were 8. I.e. we see a more fragmented picture of holiday needs this time.



In the last segmentation the meaning of the blue segment was more in the direction of a «spa center» experience. This time it's more about retreating to a quiet place. This could be a quite fisherman's cottage in Lofoten or a cabin in the mountains.

THE PREVIOUS RED AND GREEN SEGMENTS ARE DIVIDED

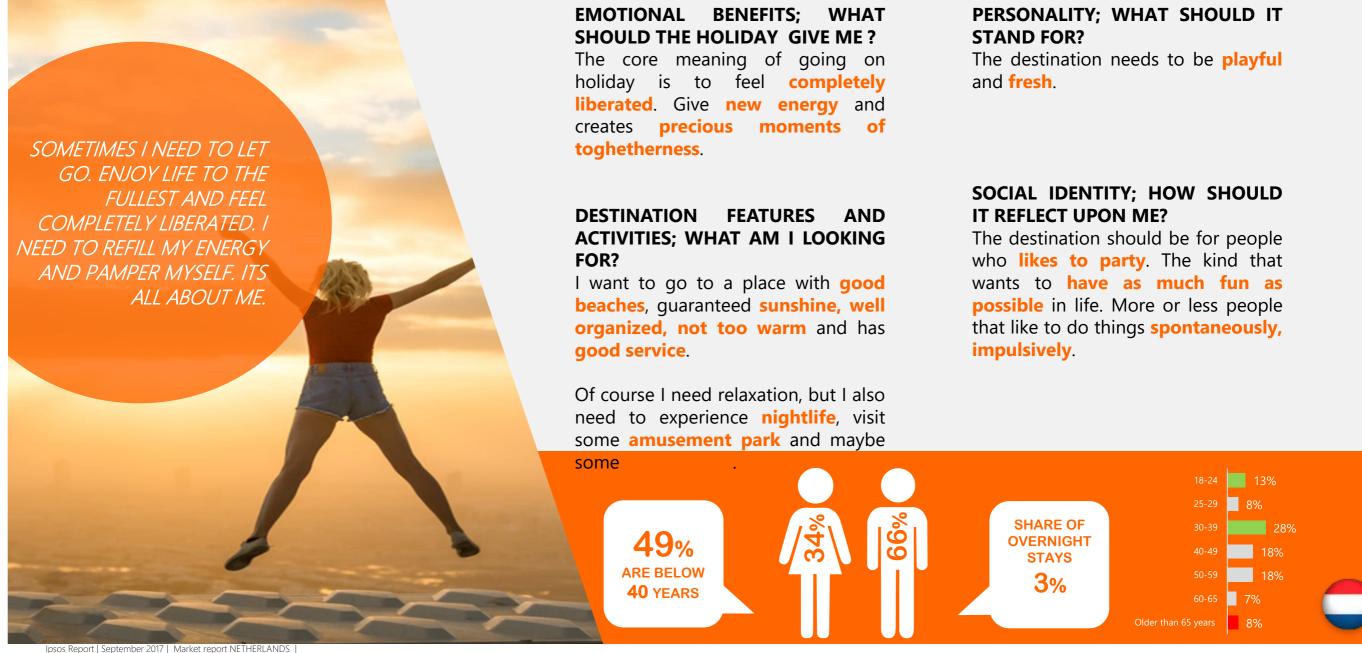
In stead of a pure "Exploration" segment and one "Broadening my horizon" segment, we have a red segment (Energy), all about activity and a two green segments (Adventures in the world of natural beauty) all about unspoiled nature, and "Broadening my cultural horizon" all about experiencing culture.







PLAYFUL LIBERATION



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TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

Of course you will find the typical sun and beach vacation in this segment, but you will also find sightseeing/round trip and visiting friends and family. Although, most of the time it's all about party and fun!

I TRAVEL TO FEEL GOOD

These consumers choose destinations that makes them **feel good**. They want to party, and **enjoy** themselves in the **company of others**. They want to travel to places that are **playful** and **fresh**. They want to have a informal, fun and relaxed holiday at the same time.

THE ROLE OF BRANDS

The segment is important for brands/destinations which wish to position themselves as **hedonistic** and **pleasure-seeking** (or giving); and for brands which will position themselves in the space of sensuality, sexuality and sensory enjoyment.

HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

These consumers are **spontaneous travellers**. They have their favourite spots, but they are driven by the "**feel good factor**" of what they see in social media or at booking sites. They would rather stay at home than travel without friends, and will often end up going somewhere if their friends tell them.

SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

These consumers don't spend a lot of time planning where to go. Most of them settle for the trip less than 2 months before they go. They act on what catches their eye in social media or on homepages for destinations, hotels and attraction and booking sites. It's more like "in the spur of the moment", a typical "last minute booker". partners and Friends and acquaintances heavily influences their choice.

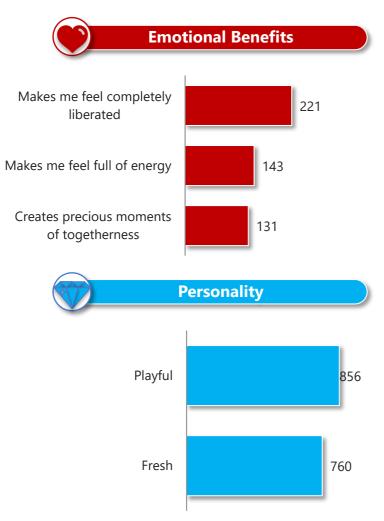


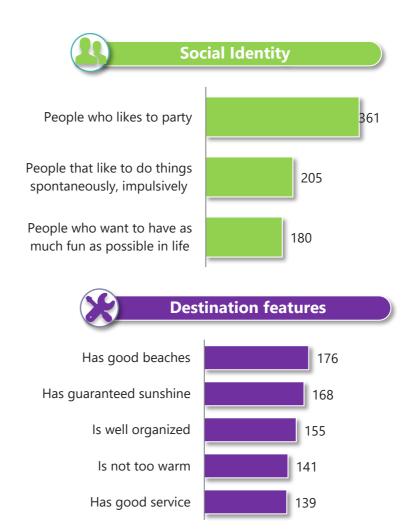




PLAYFUL LIBERATION - ACTIVE, RELAXED AND FRESH

Core motivations



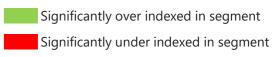




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SEGMENT PROFILE - PLAYFUL LIBERATION



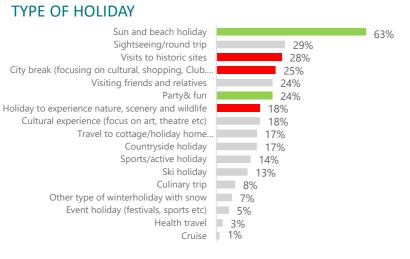






TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION



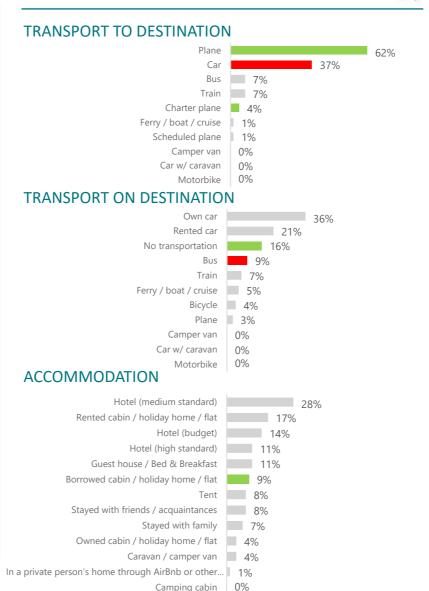






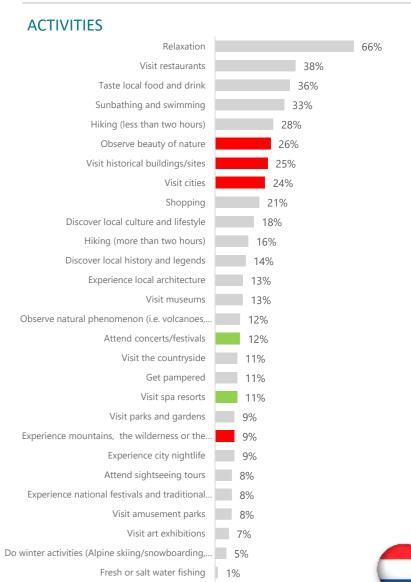






ACTIVITIES





SEGMENT PROFILE - PLAYFUL LIBERATION

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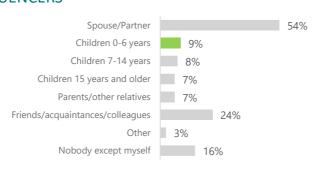




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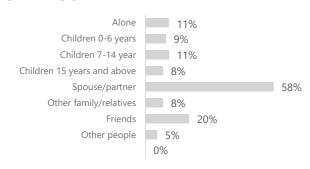
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TRAVEL COMPANIONS



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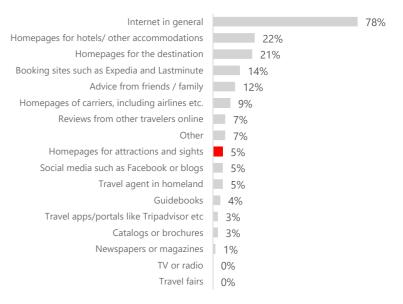
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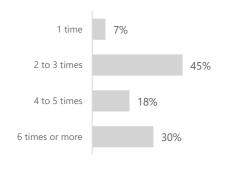


HOW DID YOU TRAVEL



INFORMATION SOURCES









SOCIAL IMMERSION



EMOTIONAL BENEFITS; WHAT SHOULD THE HOLIDAY GIVE ME?

The core meaning of going on holiday is to immerse myself in local life and meet new people. I want to go a place where I can broaden my knowledge and my horizon. A place that enriches my view on the world.

DESTINATION FEATURES AND ACTIVITIES; WHAT AM I LOOKING FOR?

I want to destinations that has good opportunities to meet local people. It needs to be known for its friendly people. I want good local cuisine, variety of restaurant offers. Interesting culture & art and a rich cultural heritage is also of importance.

PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

The destination needs to be **friendly**, **authentic** and **sociable**.

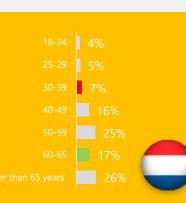
SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD IT REFLECT UPON ME?

The destination should be for people who are always looking to connect with others. People who like to do things spontaneously and impulsively. People who like to explore and have new experiences. People who enjoy spending time with friends and have an active and busy social life.

43%
ARE ABOVE
60 YEARS



SHARE OF OVERNIGHT STAYS 14%



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SOCIAL IMMERSION

TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

In this segment you will find trips to visit historical sites and at lot of sightseeing/round trips. There are of course some sun & beach holidays here but moreover you will find holidays to experience scenery and wildlife as well as city breaks.

I TRAVEL TO MEET THE LOCALS

These consumers want to taste local food and drink. They want to visit cities and discover historical buildings and sites. Local culture and lifestyle are also of interest. They want to experience local history and legends and visit restaurants. Museums is also on the list. The experience of national festivals and traditional celebrations are most appreciated.

THE ROLE OF BRANDS

The segment is important for brands which try to position themselves as enhancers of friendships, as social brands which help bring people together, and brands which are open, inclusive, and seeking to reflect shared pleasures. It is important for brands which seek to support collaboration with their customers.

HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

These are consumers that **travels in a** group with an organized tour as well as organize their trip themselves and **travels independently**. They often travel with **their partner or friends** and seek a **social experience** in a new to them culture. They want to immerse themselves in **local life and culture**, connect with others and **spend time with friends**.

SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

Most of these consumers make their decision less than 4 months before their departure (55%). They act on what catches their eye in social media or on internet in general. Their spouse/partner heavily influences their choice.

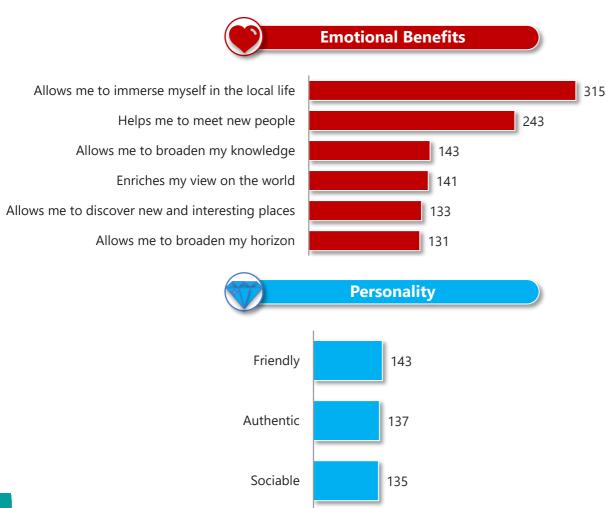






SOCIAL IMMERSION - ACTIVE, RELAXED AND FRESH

Core motivations





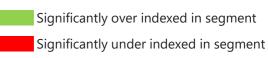




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SEGMENT PROFILE - SOCIAL IMMERSION





DURATION

TIME OF YEAR

TYPE OF HOLIDAY

City break (focusing on cultural, shopping, Club,...

Holiday to experience nature, scenery and wildlife

Cultural experience (focus on art, theatre etc)

Sightseeing/round trip

Sun and beach holiday

Visiting friends and relatives

Travel to cottage/holiday home...

Visits to historic sites

Sports/active holiday

Event holiday (festivals, sports etc) 4%

Other type of winterholiday with snow 3%

3 to 4 days

5 to 6 days

7 to 8 days

9 to 14 days

12%

15 or more days

Countryside holiday 14%

Culinary trip 6%

Ski holiday 5%

Health travel 0%

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15% 14%

Party& fun 9%





43%

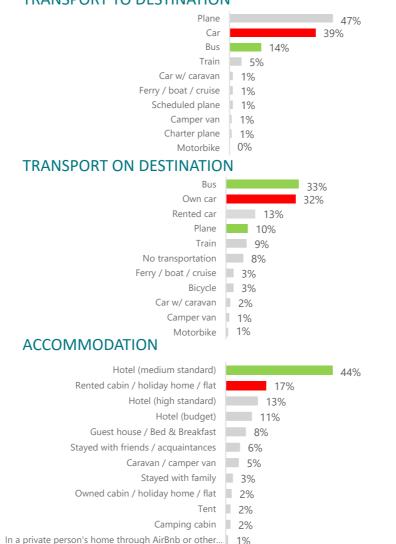
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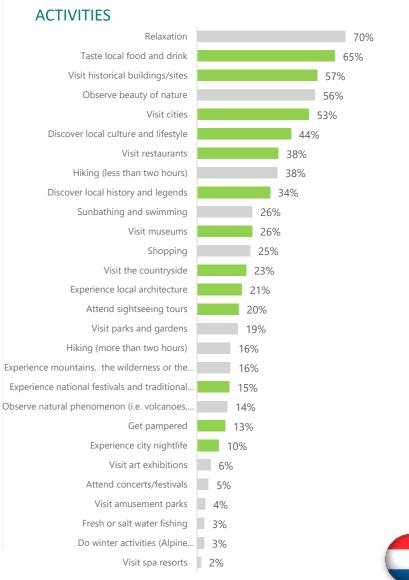




Borrowed cabin / holiday home / flat 0%

ACTIVITIES







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SEGMENT PROFILE - SOCIAL IMMERSION

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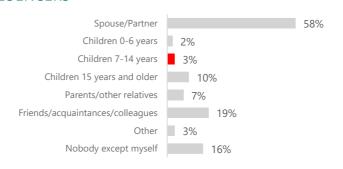




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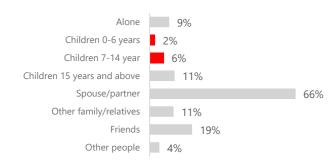
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TRAVEL COMPANIONS



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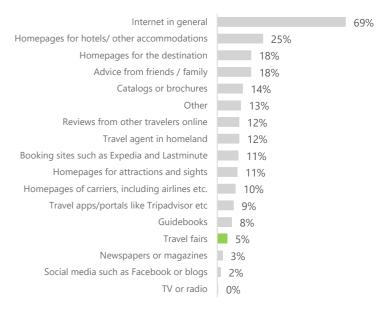
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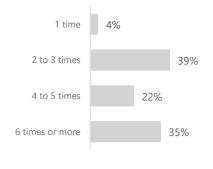


HOW DID YOU TRAVEL

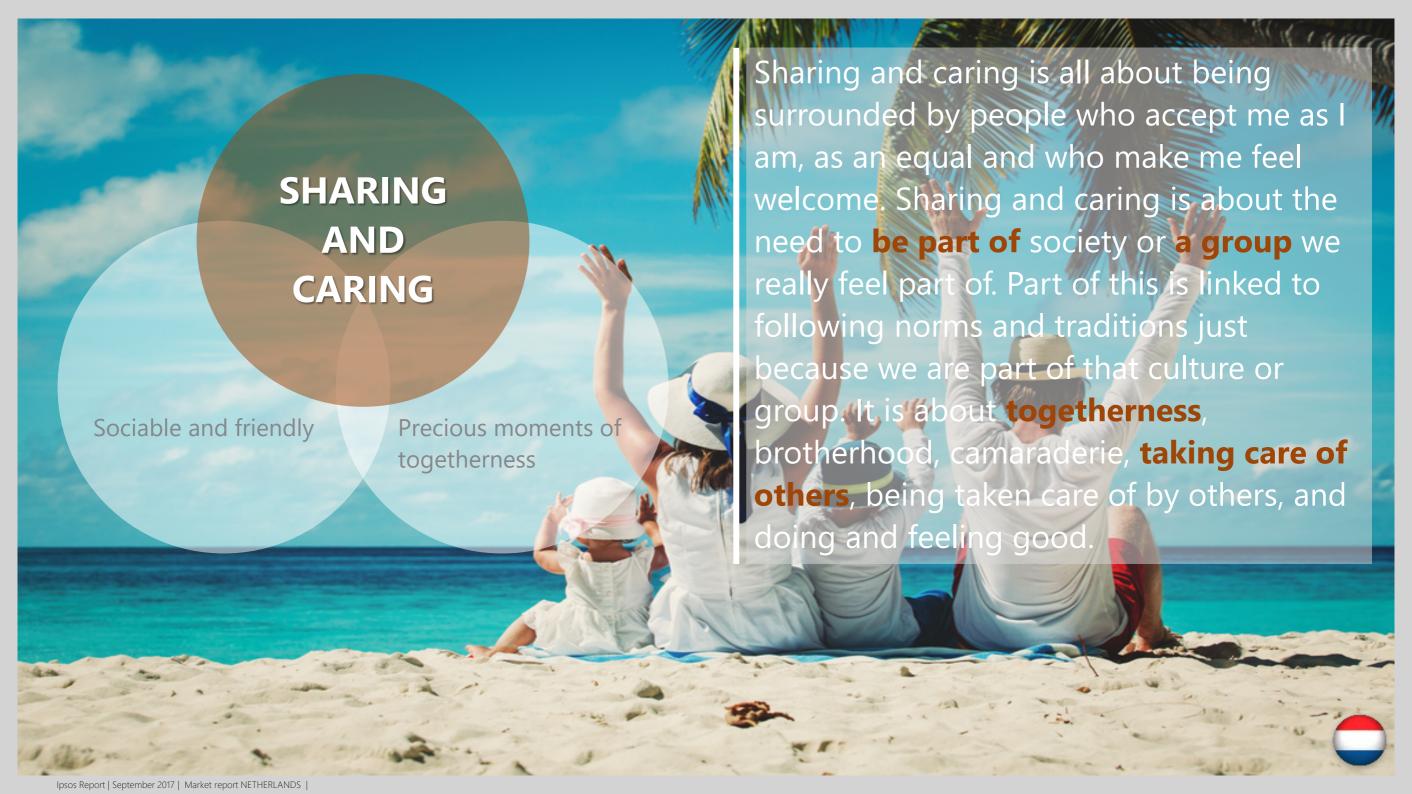


INFORMATION SOURCES









SHARING AND CARING



10%

22%

SHARING AND CARING

TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

You will find the typical sun and beach vacation in this segment also, but you will find more holidays to **visit friends and family** and travels to **cottage/holiday homes** here than in other segments. For these consumer it's **all about family**.

I TRAVEL TO FEEL INCLUDED

These consumers choose destinations that enables them to **spend time with their loved ones**. They want to travel to places that are **cozy**, **sociable**, **harmonious**, **friendly**, **relaxed** and **peaceful**. They want to create those **precious moments of togetherness**.

THE ROLE OF BRANDS

Brands that want to tap into the needs in this segment should focus on support, empathy, care giving and true, deep friendships. They should position themselves as familiar and appealing to a broader audience and tap into those feelings that people get when they feel warm, included and accepted by the people or tribe they are with.

HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

Relaxation is on top of the list. Activities like **sunbathing and swimming**, and **shopping** is also appreciated by this segment. They like to taste **local food** and drinks and **hiking** as long as the activities are slow, warm and friendly. No pushing boundaries please!

SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

Of course they use the internet, but more than in other segments they act on advice from friends/family. Their partner are the main influencer of their choice, but as they travel with children, the oldest children are a part of the decision process as well.



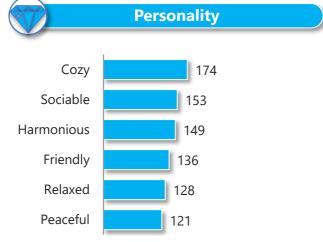


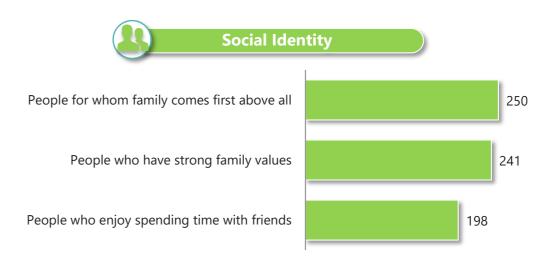


SHARING AND CARING

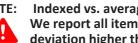
Core motivations









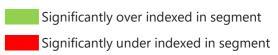


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SEGMENT PROFILE - SHARING AND CARING



TYPOLOGY

TYPE OF HOLIDAY

City break (focusing on cultural, shopping, Club,...

Holiday to experience nature, scenery and wildlife

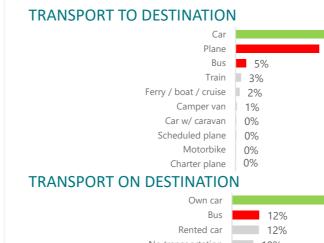
Cultural experience (focus on art, theatre etc)

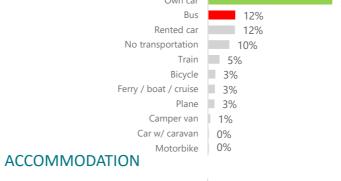


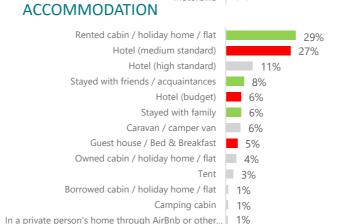


TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION



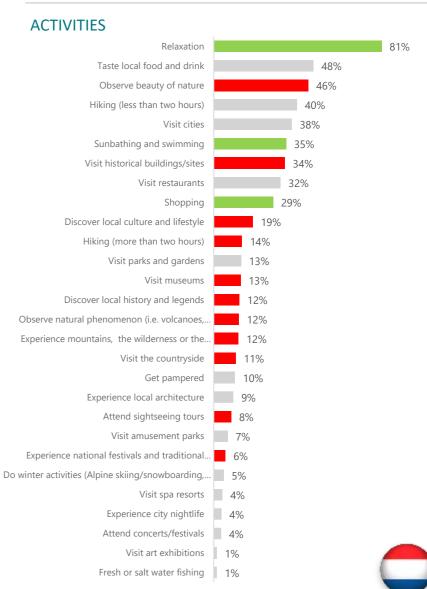






ACTIVITIES





DURATION



Sun and beach holiday

Visits to historic sites Visiting friends and relatives

Sightseeing/round trip

Sports/active holiday Countryside holiday

Event holiday (festivals, sports etc) 3%

Other type of winterholiday with snow 3%

Ski holiday

Party& fun 6%

Cruise 1%

Culinary trip 4%

Health travel 1%

Travel to cottage/holiday home...

TIME OF YEAR





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SEGMENT PROFILE - SHARING AND CARING

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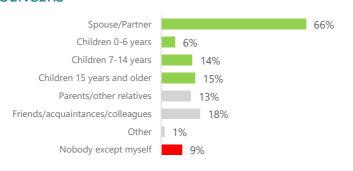




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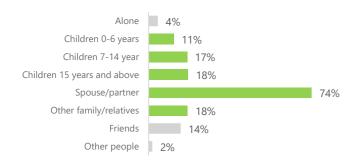
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TRAVEL COMPANIONS



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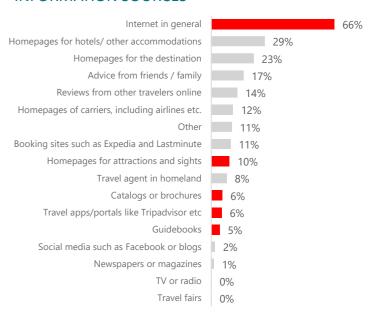
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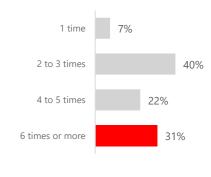


HOW DID YOU TRAVEL



INFORMATION SOURCES









ESCAPE



EMOTIONAL BENEFITS; WHAT SHOULD THE HOLIDAY GIVE ME?

The core meaning of going on holiday is to restore my sense of harmony and balance. I need to escape from my hectic daily life and feel completely liberated. I want a holiday which makes me feel full of energy and makes me enjoy life to the fullest and that also allows me to pamper myself.

DESTINATION FEATURES AND ACTIVITIES; WHAT AM I LOOKING FOR?

I want to go to a place that has quiet environments, and allows me to live close to nature. It should not be ruined by tourism. I need beautiful and unspoiled nature, not too warm and quaranteed sunshine.

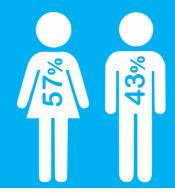
PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

The destination needs to be peaceful, harmonious, cozy and relaxed.

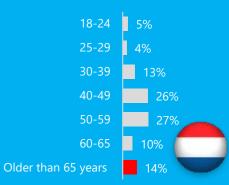
SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD IT REFLECT UPON ME?

The destination should be for people who needs time for themselves. People who want time for themselves and wants to escape from the demands of life and relax and unwind.

40% ARE BETWEEN 40-59 YEARS



SHARE OF OVERNIGHT STAYS 12%



ESCAPE

TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

Of course you will find the typical sun and beach vacation in this segment, but you will find more travels to experience nature, scenery and wildlife, travel to cottage/holiday homes and countryside holiday than in other segments.

I TRAVEL TO A QUIET PLACE

These consumers choose destinations that makes them **restore their sense of harmony**. They travel by **car** to a greater extent than other segments and they are also more prune to stay at a **cabin**, **holiday home** or **flat** and a **tent** than in other segments. They normally stay for 7-14 days.

THE ROLE OF BRANDS

This segment is important when brands want to profile themselves as supporting people in **relieving stress and tension**. These are the brands and companies that focus on protection and prevention against danger and harm in everyday life. These brands function as a **safety** net around us, our families and loved ones.

HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

Relaxation is on top of the list more than in other segments. The same goes for observing the beauty of nature. Activities like sunbathing and swimming, and getting pampered is also appreciated by this segment. They like to taste visit the countryside and do hiking. As long as the activities are in quiet environments close to nature we are in line with segment needs.

SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

Many of these consumers decide on the trip well ahead of departure. 34% of them settle for the trip four months or more before they go. They are only over indexing on Homepages for the destination as information source, and the internet in general is the largest point of inspiration.

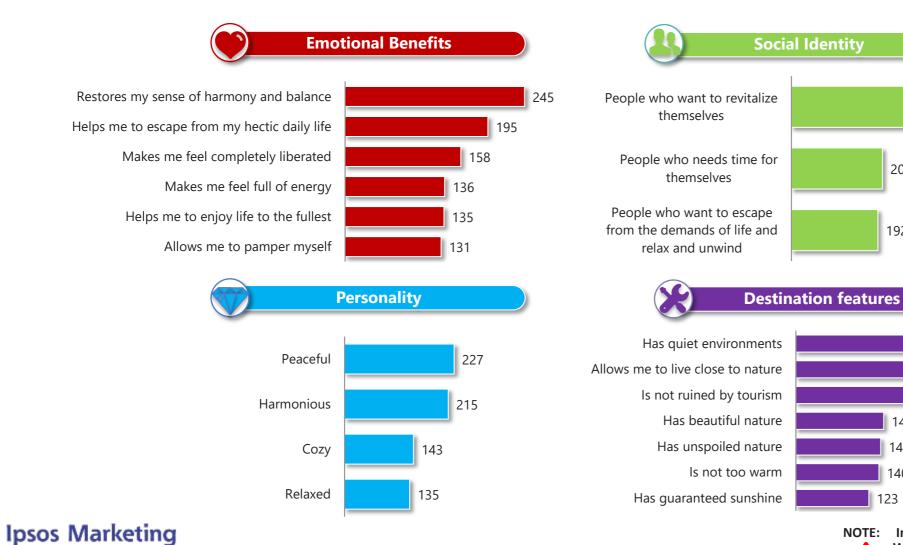






ESCAPE

Core motivations





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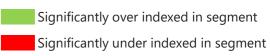
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SEGMENT PROFILE - ESCAPE



TYPOLOGY











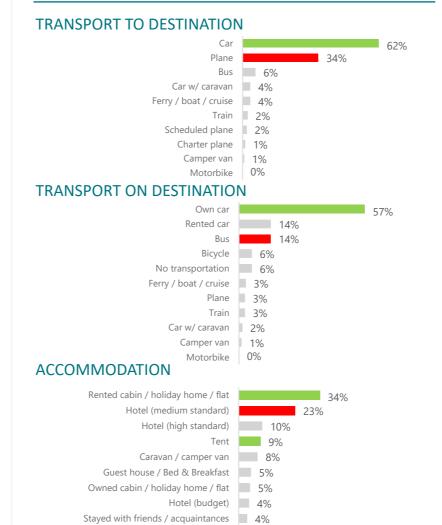
TIME OF YEAR





TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION





Borrowed cabin / holiday home / flat 2%

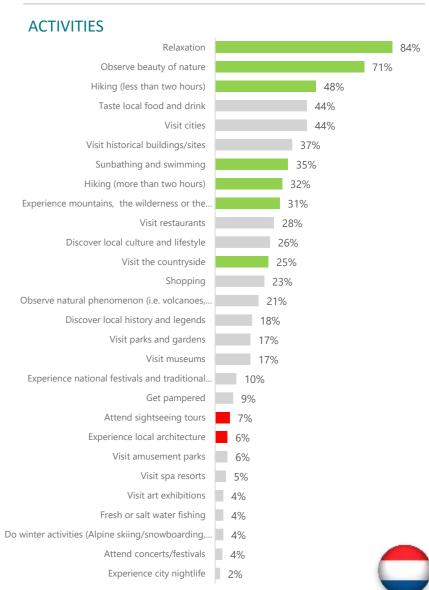
In a private person's home through AirBnb or other...

Stayed with family 1%

Camping cabin 0%

ACTIVITIES





SEGMENT PROFILE - ESCAPE

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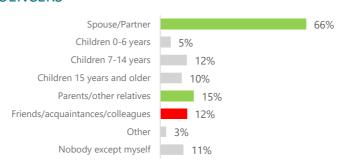








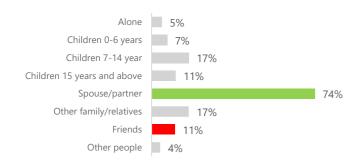
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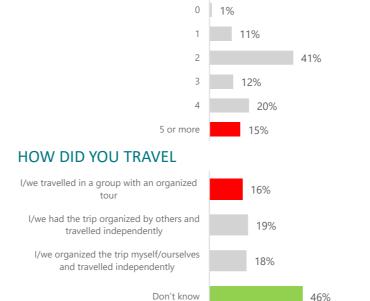
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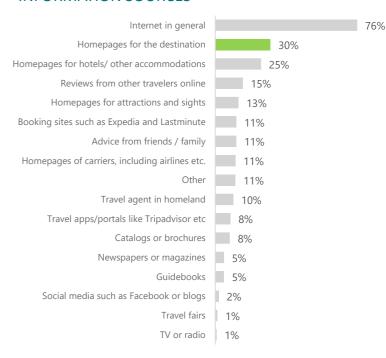
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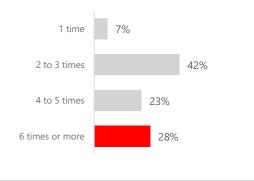


NUMBER OF TRAVEL COMPANIONS



INFORMATION SOURCES









CONTROL



EMOTIONAL BENEFITS; WHAT SHOULD THE HOLIDAY GIVE ME?

The core meaning of going on holiday is to **keep everything under control**. I want a holiday that gives me a **safe feeling**.

DESTINATION FEATURES AND ACTIVITIES; WHAT AM I LOOKING FOR?

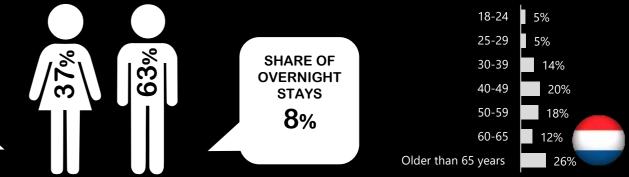
I want to go to a place that is **well organized** and **not too warm**. Good **service** is important to me. It has to be **easy to travel to**.

PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

The destination needs to be structured, practical, and predictable.

SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD IT REFLECT UPON ME?

The destination should be for people who make **rational choices**. People who prefer the **familiar** over the unknown. Basically people who **avoid risk**.



34% ARE BETWEEN **30-49** YEARS

CONTROL

TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

Although the typical sun and beach vacation dominates in this segment, you will also find **Sightseeing** and **holidays experience nature**, **scenery and wildlife** in this segment.

I TRAVEL TO AVOID SURPRISES

These consumers choose destinations that is **well organized**. They want to travel to places that are **practical**, **predictable** and **structured**. They want to have a informal, fun and relaxed holiday at the same time. I want to avoid too much surprises!

THE ROLE OF BRANDS

Control plays an important role for brands if they are aimed at **structuring people's lives** or when the focus is on risk management, simplifying life, avoiding surprises. Brands that want to position themselves on Control should offer **rational arguments** and focus on **functionality**, maturity, health, purity, hygiene, and less in impulsiveness and fun.

HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

Relaxation is on top of the list. This segment is under indexing on many activities, so a **less active segment**. They like **hiking** and **sunbathing and swimming** among many other activities.

SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

These consumers **travel with children** so they are highly influenced by their **spouse** and their **children**. Many **travel in a group** with an **organized tour** (24%), but also organize the trip themselves and **travels independently**. They do not use that many information sources because the **go to places they know**.



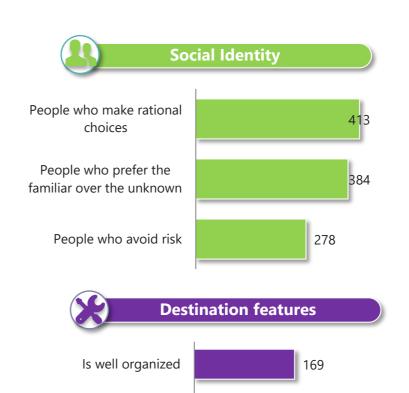




CONTROL

Core motivations





Has good service

Is not too warm

Is easy to travel to



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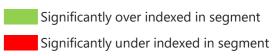
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SEGMENT PROFILE – CONTROL

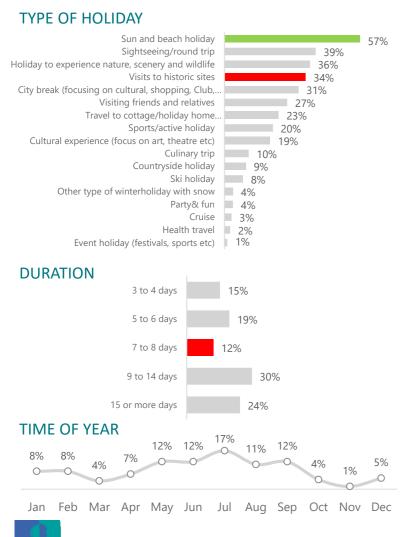




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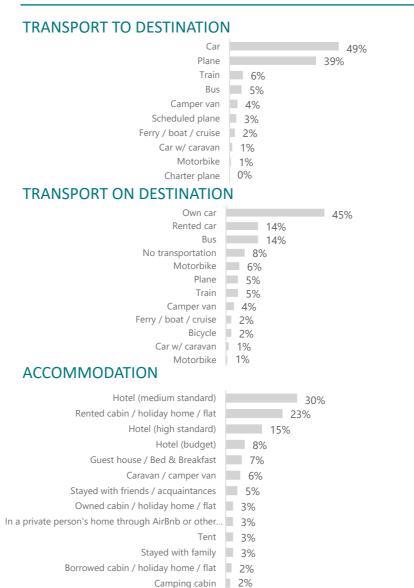






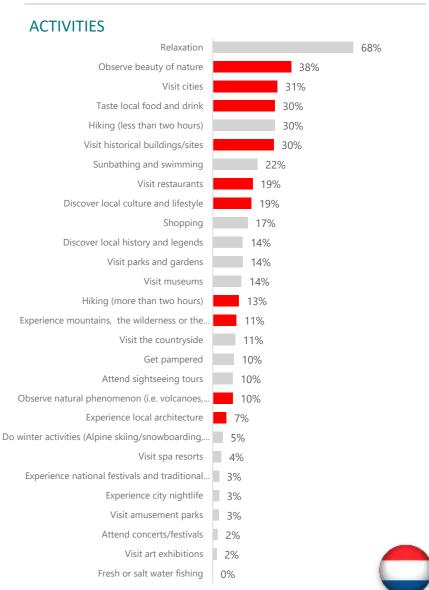
TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION





ACTIVITIES





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SEGMENT PROFILE - CONTROL

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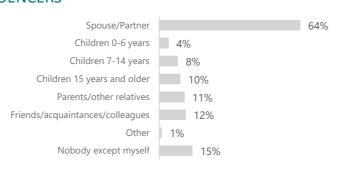




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INFLUENCERS



TRAVEL COMPANIONS





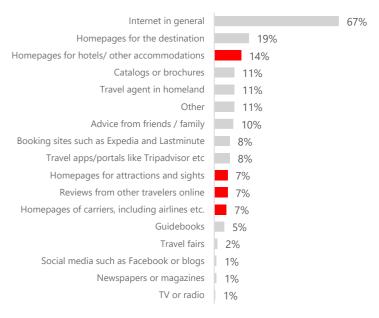
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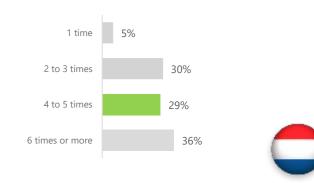






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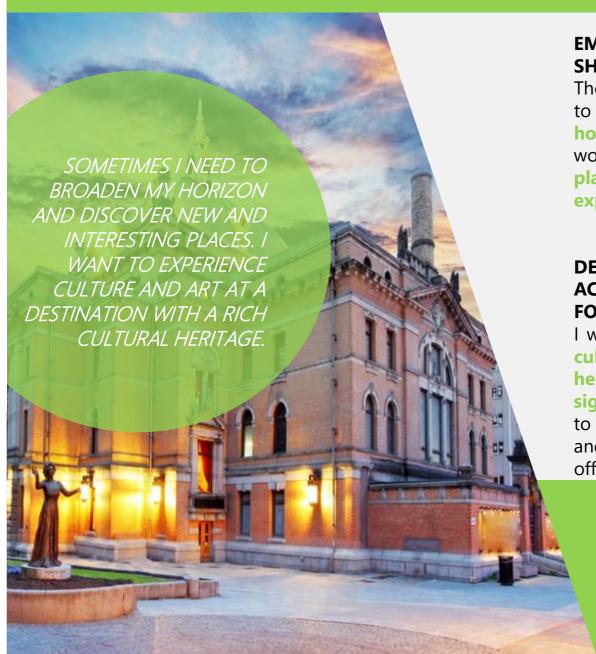








BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON



EMOTIONAL BENEFITS; WHAT SHOULD THE HOLIDAY GIVE ME?

The core meaning of going on holiday is to broaden my knowledge and my horizon. I want to enrich my view on the world and discover new and interesting places. All in all I would like rich experiences and new inspiration.

DESTINATION FEATURES AND ACTIVITIES; WHAT AM I LOOKING FOR?

I want to go to a place with interesting culture & art and a rich cultural heritage. There must be interesting sights. The destination needs to be easy to travel to and around, well organized and have a variety of different restaurant offers.

PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

The destination needs to be cultivated, explorative and authentic.

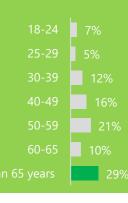
SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD IT REFLECT UPON ME?

The destination should be for people who are interested to **learn more**. Generally people who like to **explore** and have **new experiences**.

39% ARE ABOVE 60 YEARS



SHARE OF OVERNIGHT STAYS 8%



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BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON

TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

The dominant types of holiday is visits to historic sites, city break (cultural, shopping, Club, restaurant visits etc.), Sightseeing/round trip and cultural experiences (focus on art, theatre etc. It's all about broadening my horizon!

I TRAVEL TO EXPAND MY HORIZON

These consumers want to see and learn more than other travelers. They seek destinations with a rich cultural heritage. There must be interesting sights.

THE ROLE OF BRANDS

The segment is important for brands which try to position themselves as creatively **individualistic**, **unconventional**, trendy and ahead of the rest, or as a tool for consumers to express their intelligence and **cultural awareness**.

HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

These consumers you will find at historical buildings/sites, they visit cities, visit museums and discover local culture and lifestyle. Furthermore they want to experience local architecture, and local history and legends are of high interest. You will also find them in gardens/parks, at art exhibitions, sightseeing tours and at concerts/festivals.

SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

These consumers are, more than others inspired by homepages for hotels/other accommodation, homepages for carriers and for attractions and sites.

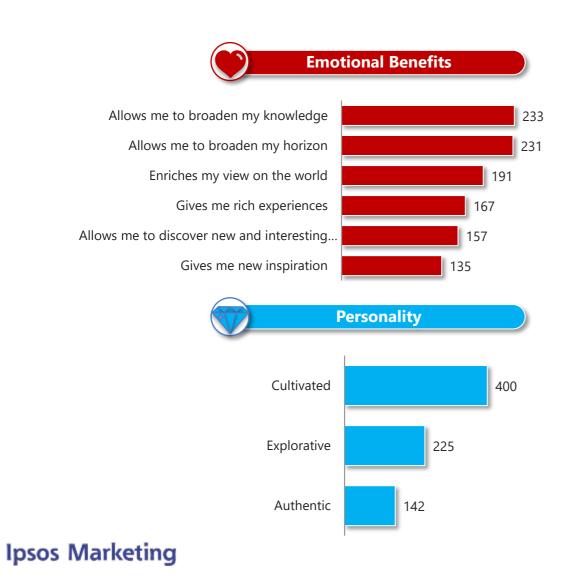


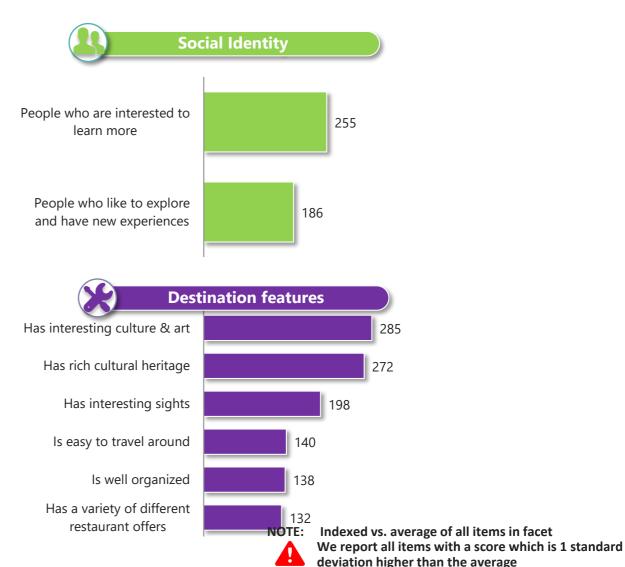




BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON

Core motivations







SEGMENT PROFILE - BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON

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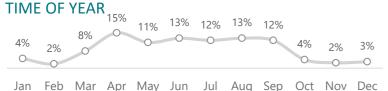




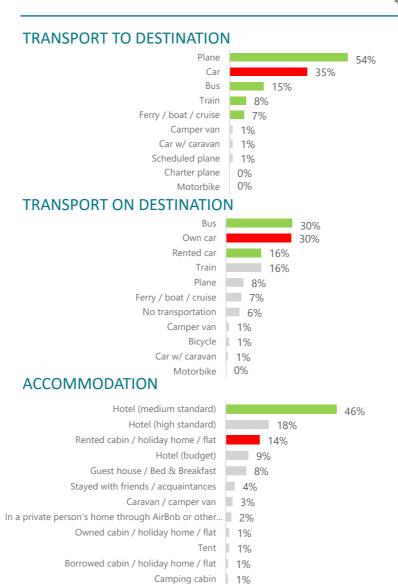




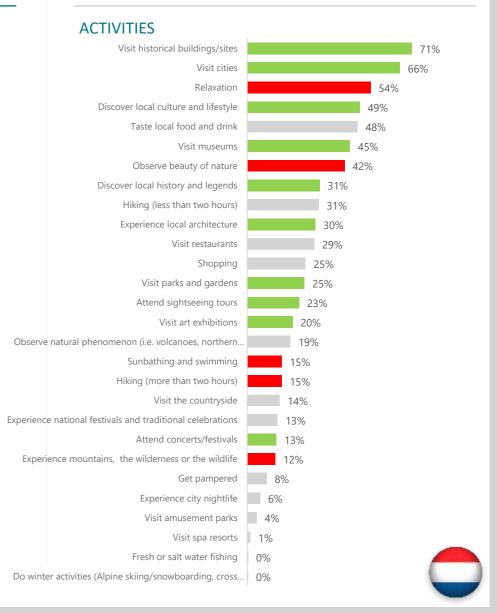








Stayed with family 1%



SEGMENT PROFILE – BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON

Significantly over indexed in segment

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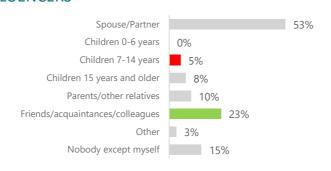
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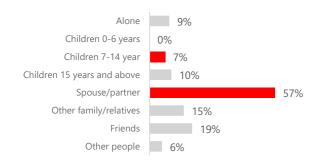
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TRAVEL COMPANIONS



WHO DID YOU TRAVEL WITH



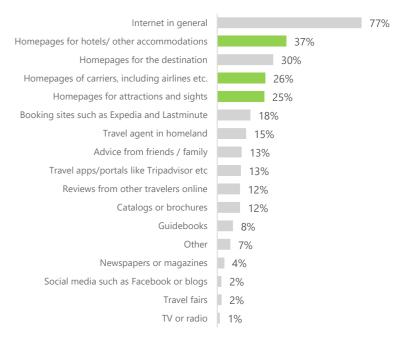
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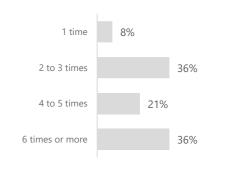






INFORMATION SOURCES









ADVENTURE IN THE WORLD OF NATURAL BEAUTY



PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

The destination needs to be **daring**, **adventurous**, explorative, **unique**, authentic and active.

SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD IT REFLECT UPON ME?

The destination should be for people who wants a **life changing experience** and who like **adventure**. People who want to do things the **unconventional** way and make **different choices**. All in all people who like to **explore** and have **new experiences** and are interested to **learn more**.

8% 8%

9%

18%

ADVENTURE IN THE WORLD OF NATURAL BEAUTY

TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

The most common holiday type is a holiday to experience nature, scenery and wildlife. They are also over indexing on Visits to historic sites, Sightseeing/round trips, Cultural experiences and sport/active holiday.

I TRAVEL TO SOMETHING UNIQUE

These consumers choose destinations that makes them **feel adventurous and daring**. They want to experience something **unique**. They want to travel to places that are fuelling their **explorative** side.

THE ROLE OF BRANDS

The segment is important for brands which try to position themselves as creatively individualistic, unconventional, trendy and ahead of the rest, or as a tool for consumers to express their uniqueness, seeing something others has not seen. Also act as a tool for consumers to express their environmental awareness. A sustainable destination, not ruined by tourism.

HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

This is a very active segment. They want to observe beauty of nature and visit historical buildings and sites, discover local culture and lifestyle, experience natrural phenomenon, mountains, the wilderness or the wildlife, discover local history and legends, visit the countryside and also experience national festivals and traditional celebrations.

SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

This segment seek their information on the internet in general, in homepages for the destination, carriers and attractions and sights. They also read reviews from other travelers and travel agents. Catalogues or brochures are also popular as well as Guidebooks.

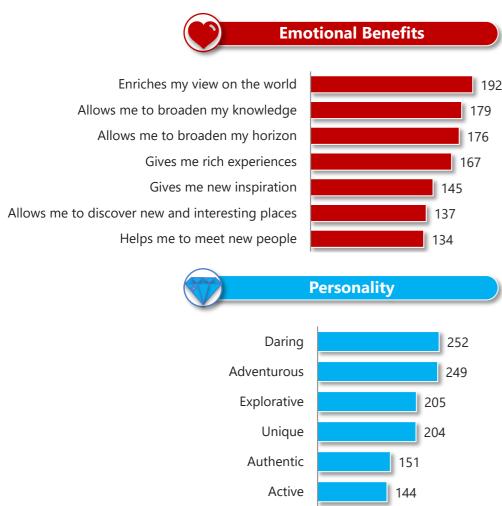






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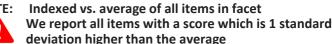
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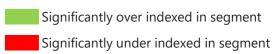








SEGMENT PROFILE - ADVENTURE IN THE WORLD OF NATURAL BEAUTY



TYPOLOGY

DURATION

TIME OF YEAR

TYPE OF HOLIDAY

Holiday to experience nature, scenery and wildlife

City break (focusing on cultural, shopping, Club,...

Cultural experience (focus on art, theatre etc)

Visits to historic sites

Sightseeing/round trip

Sun and beach holiday

Sports/active holiday

Countryside holiday 12%

Culinary trip 8%

Party& fun 4%

Health travel 1%

Cruise 4%

Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec

28%

Ski holiday 7%

Visiting friends and relatives

Travel to cottage/holiday home...

Other type of winterholiday with snow 5%

3 to 4 days

5 to 6 days

7 to 8 days

9 to 14 days

15 or more days

Event holiday (festivals, sports etc) 4%

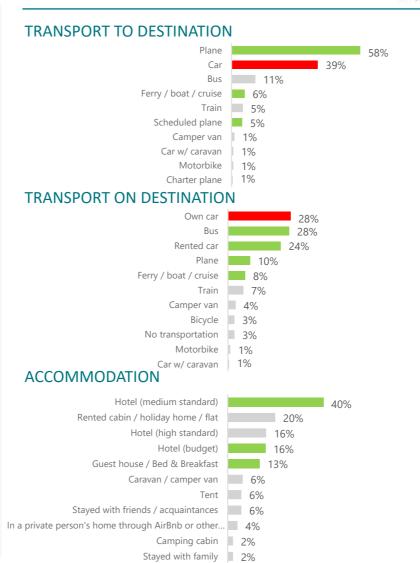




39%

TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION



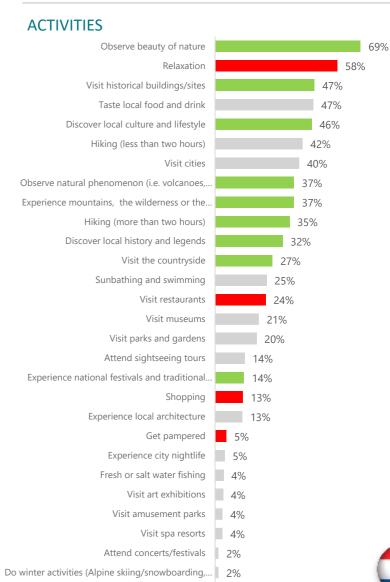


Borrowed cabin / holiday home / flat 2%

Owned cabin / holiday home / flat 1%

ACTIVITIES





SEGMENT PROFILE - ADVENTURE IN THE WORLD OF NATURAL BEAUTY

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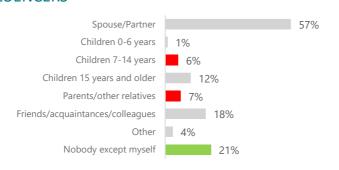








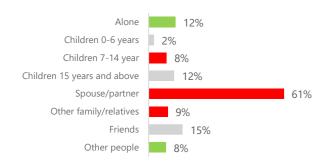
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TRAVEL COMPANIONS



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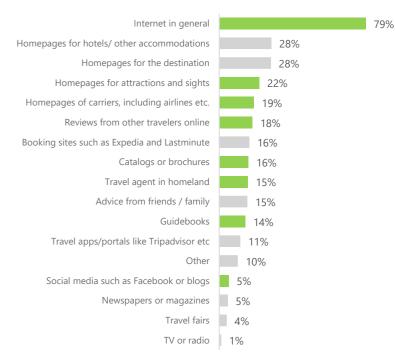


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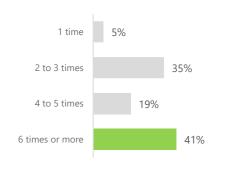




INFORMATION SOURCES



TRAVEL FREQUENCY (NUMBER OF TIMES ABROAD)







EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE



EMOTIONAL BENEFITS; WHAT SHOULD THE HOLIDAY GIVE ME?

The core meaning of going on holiday is to allow me to **indulge** myself with a bit of **luxury**. I want a vacation that allows me **to pamper myself**.

DESTINATION FEATURES AND ACTIVITIES; WHAT AM I LOOKING FOR?

I want to go to a place that has good shopping and good service is important. I want a destination that is well organized. Of course it needs to have a variety of different restaurant and accommodation offers.

56%

ARE BELOW

50 YEARS

PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

The destination needs to be **superior**, **classy** and **unique**.

SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD IT REFLECT UPON ME?

The destination should be for people who is **sophisticated** and **classy**. People who **want the best** and are willing to pay for it. Basically people who like to have the best things and value **high quality**.



EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE

TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

You will find most of the typical **sun and beach** vacations in this segment, but you will also find **Cultural experiences**, **culinary trips**, countryside holidays and health travel on the list. Although, most of the time **it's all about romance!**

I TRAVEL FOR ROMANCE AND LUXURY

These consumers choose destinations that enables them **to indulge in a bit of luxury**. Although most of the trips are in summertime it can even be in the winter. They most often travel on **organized tours**.

THE ROLE OF BRANDS

The segment is important for brands trying to position themselves as **premium**, **high-class** and **powerful**. It appeals to the need to be **respected** and revered, to feel strong and 'on-top-of-the-world'. It is also an important dimension for brands who want to be perceived as **exclusive** and only available for the lucky few.

HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

These consumers likes to get pampered and over index on **spa resorts**. They like visiting restaurants and to go **shopping**. They also stay at **high standard hotels** more than in other segments.

SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

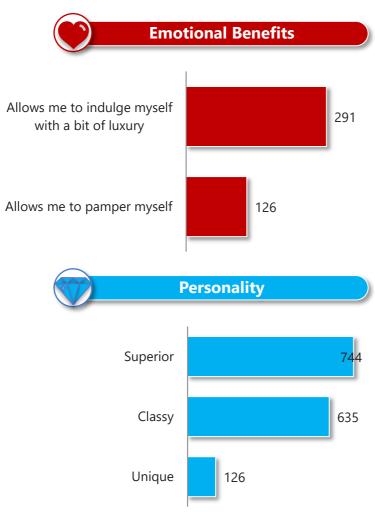
These consumers spend some of time planning. 52% of them settle for the trip more than four weeks before they go. They get inspired by booking sites such as Expedia and Last minute. They also browse the internet in general to get luxurious romantic inspiration. They travel with their partner and gets inspired by him or her.





EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE

Core motivations





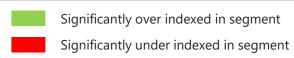




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SEGMENT PROFILE - EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE





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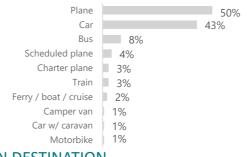




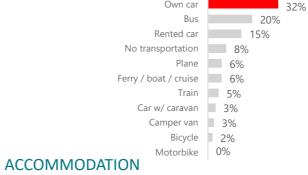
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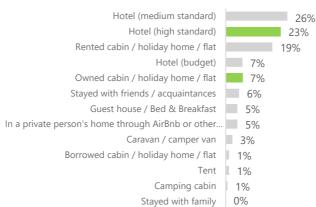






TRANSPORT ON DESTINATION







ACTIVITIES

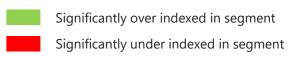






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SEGMENT PROFILE - EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE



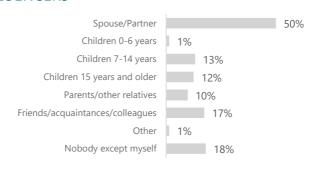




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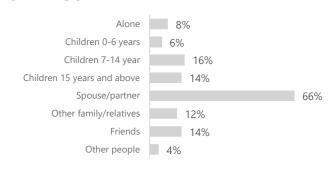
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TRAVEL COMPANIONS



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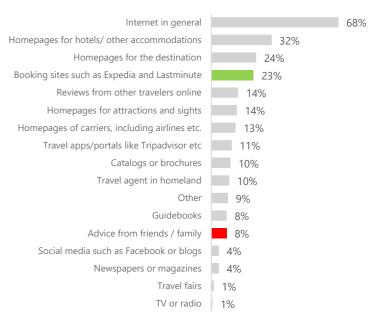
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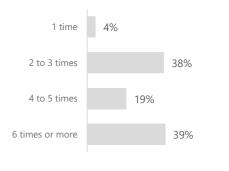
HOW DID YOU TRAVEL



INFORMATION SOURCES



TRAVEL FREQUENCY (NUMBER OF TIMES ABROAD)









ENERGY



EMOTIONAL BENEFITS; WHAT SHOULD THE HOLIDAY GIVE ME?

The core meaning of going on holiday is to feel **full of energy**. A holiday should give me **new inspiration** and course it should create **precious moments of togetherness**.

DESTINATION; WHAT AM I LOOKING FOR?

I want to go to a place that offers a wide range of possible activities. A destination that allows me to be physical active.

PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

The destination needs to be **active**, **adventurous** and **daring**.

SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD IT REFLECT UPON ME?

The destination should be for people who like **adventure** and want to have as much **fun** as possible in life. People that do things **spontaneously**, **impulsively**. People who like **adventure**. People who have an active and **busy social life**, and who enjoy **spending time with friends**.



SHARE OF OVERNIGHT STAYS 11%

18-24 10%
25-29 7%
30-39 17%
40-49 22%
50-59 22%
60-65 8%

Older than 65 years

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ENERGY

TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

As in most segments you will find the typical sun and beach vacation in this segment, but you will also find **ski/active holidays** and **party and fun!**

HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

More than in other segments you will find winter activities (Alpine skiing/snowboarding, cross country skiing, dog-sleigh, snowmobile etc. And of course they enjoy relaxation, observe beauty of nature and taste local food and drink as much as the next man.

I TRAVEL TO GET ENERGY

These consumers choose destinations that enables them to feel full of energy. They often travel in larger groups (4 or more) with friends and with children, so the social element is also important. Many of them travel by car and they stay at a hotels (medium standard) and rented cabin/holiday home. More than in other segments they travel in wintertime.

SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

These consumers don't spend a lot of time planning where to go. Most of them settle for the trip less than **3 months before they** go. Their main source of information is the internet in general. I.e. it will be important to use search engines as a vehicle to reach this segment. Their children, friends and acquaintances heavily influences their choice.

THE ROLE OF BRANDS

The energy segment is important for brands who position themselves as **vital** and **energetic** and who are always **pushing the boundaries** and stimulating consumers with change and **challenge**. A brand that wants to adopt a Vitality strategy needs to position itself as inquisitive and **curious** about the world, a brand that is entertaining, **surprising** and sometimes perhaps even shocking for its (temporary) consumers. It is important for these brands to offer **constant renewal**.

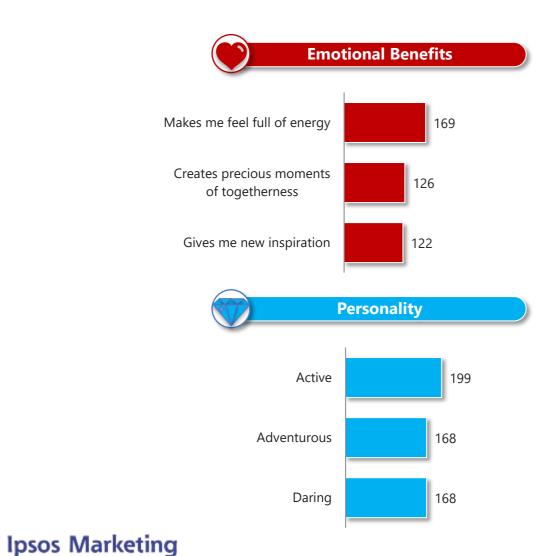


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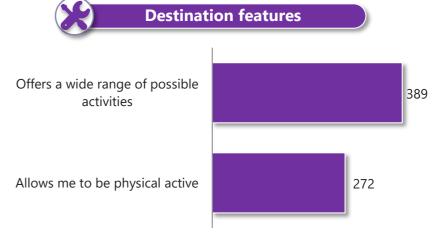
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ENERGY

Core motivations





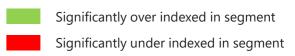




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SEGMENT PROFILE - ENERGY



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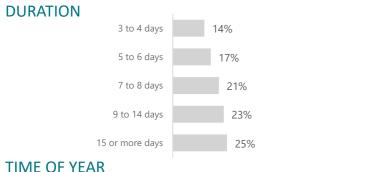
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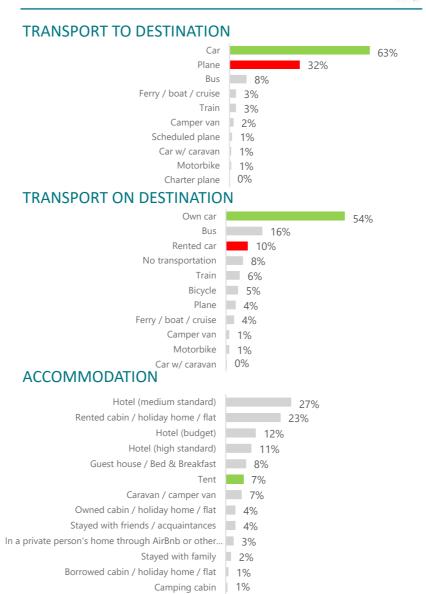


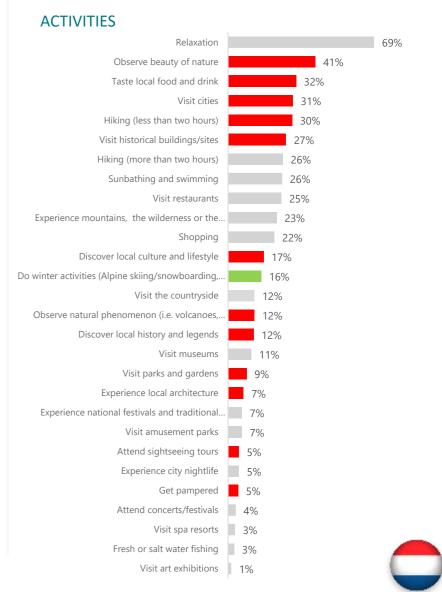




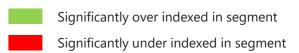








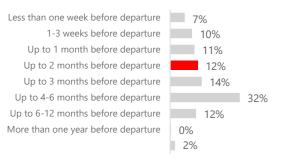
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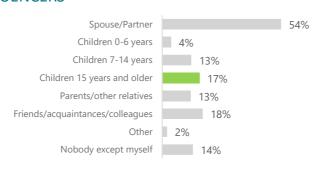




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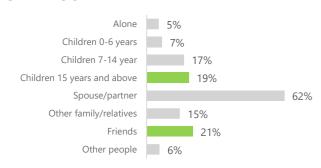
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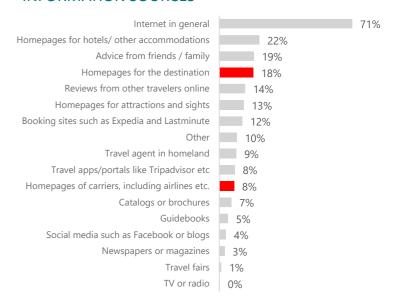


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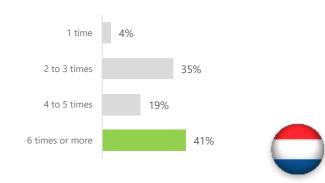




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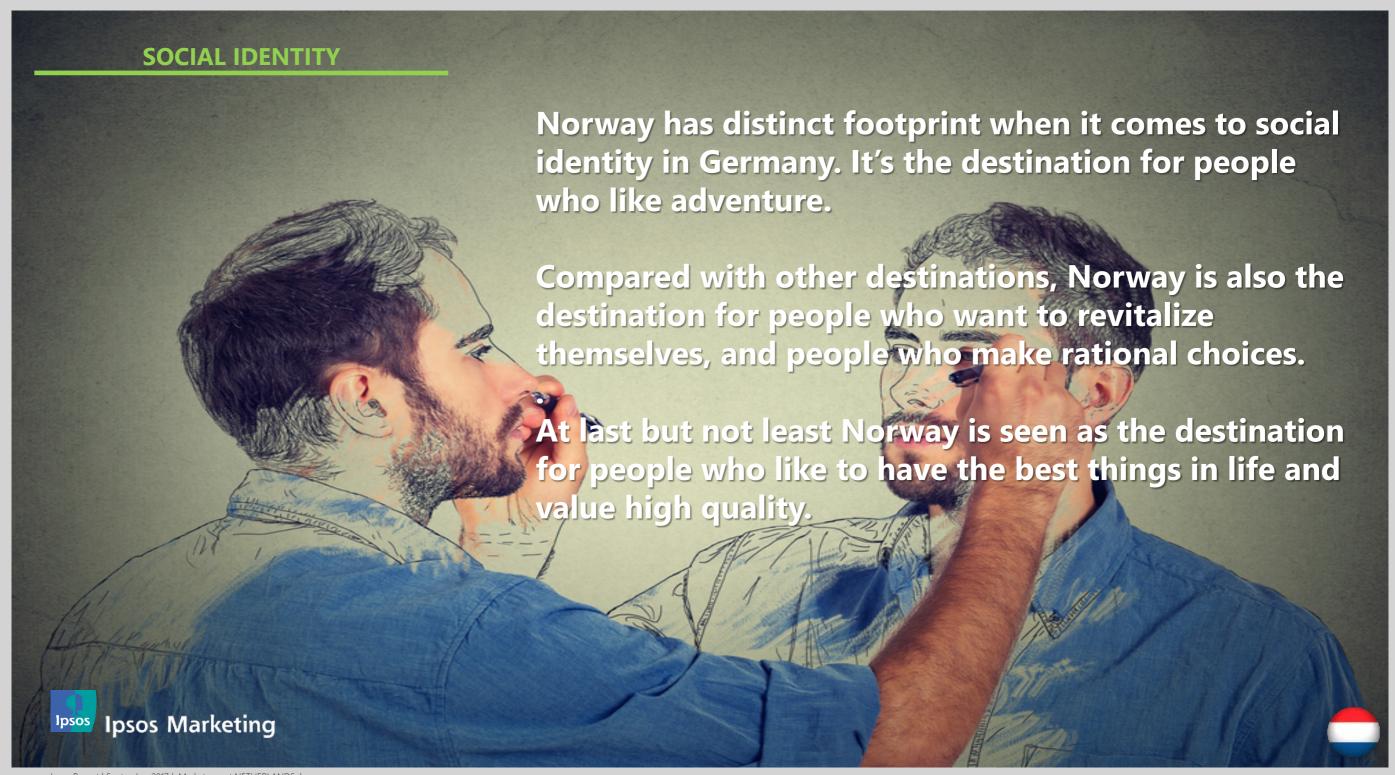
BRAND PERSONALITY

In The Netherlands, Norway is first and foremost seen as the active, adventurous and daring, as well as an open-minded destination compared to other destinations.

For the Dutch traveler Norway is also seen as the peaceful, harmonious and structured destination compared to other destinations.

Who am i?





TOP ASSOCIATIONS TO NORWAY ON ALL FOUR FACETS

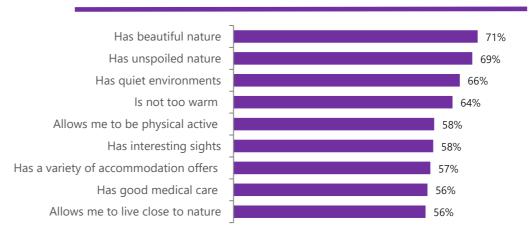
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BRAND PERSONALITY



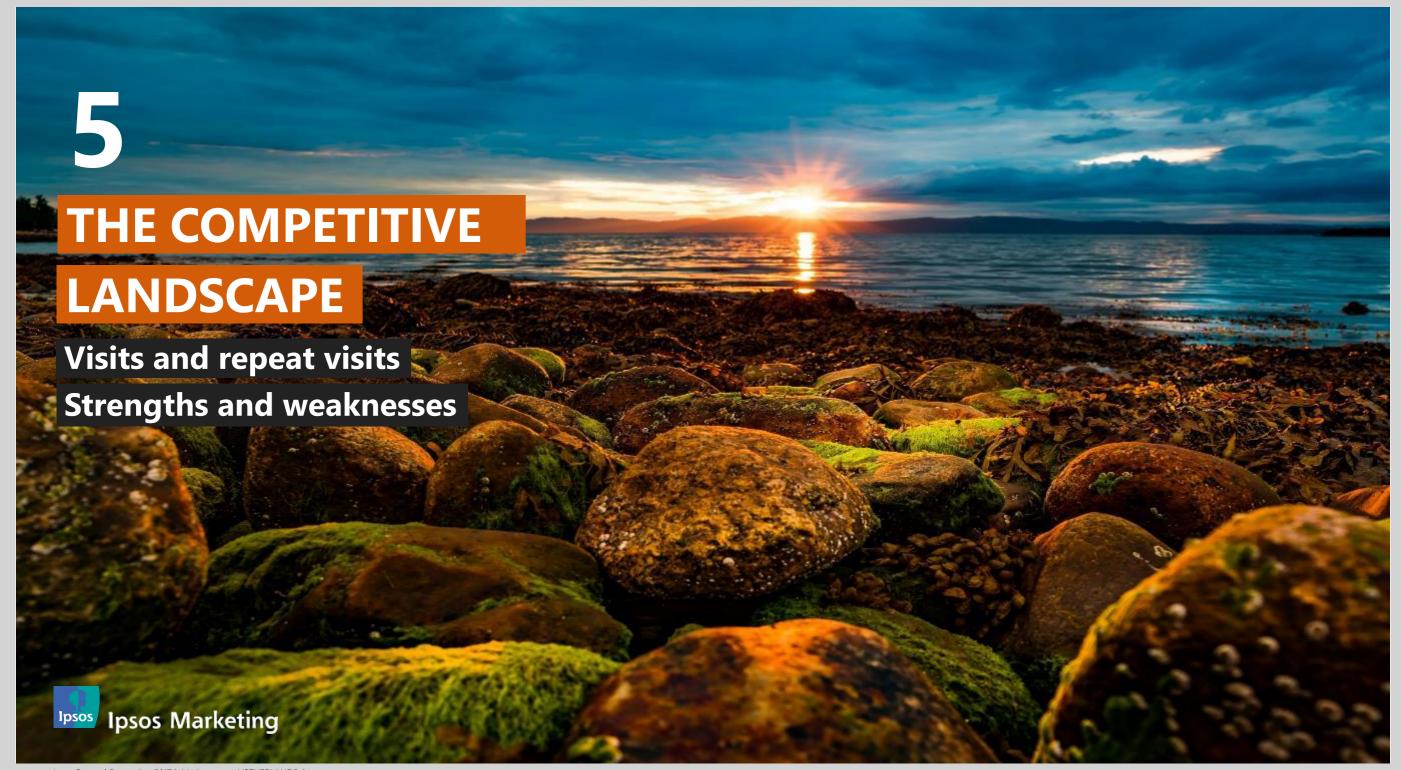
DESTINATION CHARACTERISTICS



SOCIAL IDENTITY







NORWAY'S FIT TO SEGMENTS IN ALL MARKETS

A clear fit to «Exploring the world of natural beauty» in most markets

| | Broadening My Cultural Horizon | Extravagant indulgence | Escape | Adventures in the World of Natural Beauty | Sharing & Caring | Control | Energy | Playful Liberation | Social Immersion |
|------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------|--------|---|---------------------|---------|--------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| UK | 0.22 | -0.19 | 0.23 | 0.51 | -0.35 | -0.16 | -0.07 | -0.19 | -0.06 |
| GERMANY | 0.13 | -0.09 | 0.24 | 0.51 | -0.39 | -0.14 | -0.02 | -0.10 | -0.16 |
| USA | 0.45 | -0.34 | 0.25 | 0.32 | -0.08 | -0.26 | -0.09 | -0.31 | 0.21 |
| DENMARK | -0.27 | -0.22 | 0.29 | -0.24 | 0.19 | 0.50 | 0.05 | 0.02 | -0.26 |
| SWEDEN | -0.25 | -0.15 | 0.14 | -0.09 | 0.01 | 0.54 | 0.00 | 0.04 | -0.28 |
| CHINA | 0.07 | -0.03 | 0.14 | 0.35 | -0.27 | -0.17 | -0.05 | 0.06 | -0.24 |
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| NETHER- LANDS | 0.09 | -0.17 | 0.28 | 0.43 | -0.25 | -0.05 | 0.13 | -0.15 | -0.19 |
| FRANCE | 0.06 | -0.11 | 0.26 | 0.36 | -0.36 | 0.03 | -0.09 | -0.06 | -0.19 |
| | | | | | | | | | |
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Good fit
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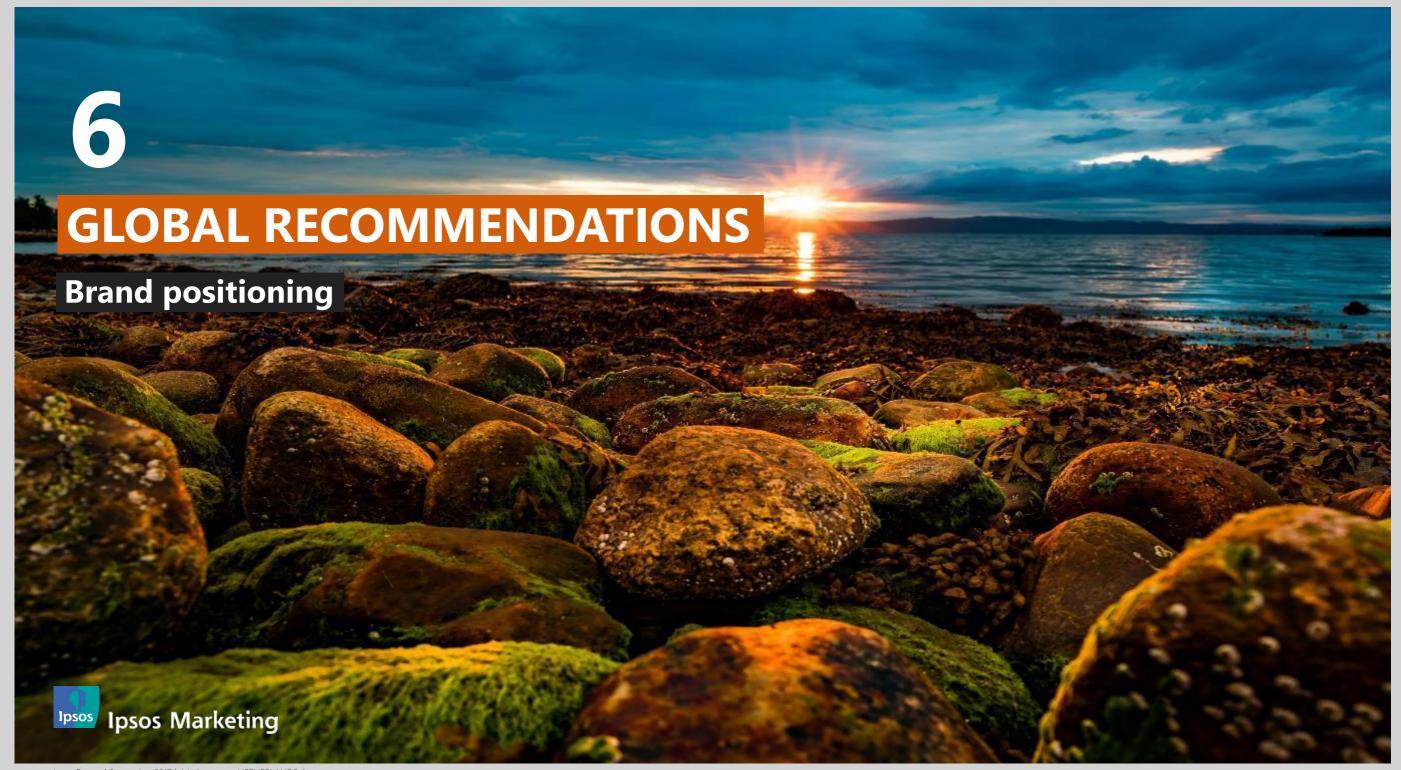
OVERVIEW DESTINATIONS FIT IN THE DUTCH MARKET

| Segments/ destinations | Playful Liberation | Social Immersion | Sharing & Caring | Escape | Control | Broadening My Cultural Horizon | Adventures in the World of Natural Beauty | Extravagant indulgence | Energy |
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| Austria | -0.05 | -0.11 | 0.44 | 0.16 | 0.42 | -0.19 | -0.46 | -0.22 | 0.15 |
| Canada | -0.15 | -0.08 | -0.33 | 0.01 | -0.01 | 0.03 | 0.49 | -0.02 | 0.19 |
| Croatia | 0.26 | 0.24 | 0.27 | 0.08 | -0.12 | 0.02 | -0.25 | -0.30 | 0.02 |
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| Finland | -0.16 | -0.19 | -0.17 | 0.29 | -0.17 | 0.03 | 0.45 | -0.18 | 0.14 |
| France | 0.04 | -0.12 | 0.42 | 0.07 | 0.20 | -0.08 | -0.63 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Germany | -0.10 | -0.09 | 0.32 | -0.12 | 0.67 | -0.03 | -0.58 | -0.05 | -0.12 |
| Iceland | 0.02 | -0.23 | -0.50 | 0.08 | -0.17 | -0.06 | 0.62 | 0.11 | 0.16 |
| Italy | 0.14 | 0.02 | 0.32 | -0.02 | -0.15 | -0.04 | -0.52 | 0.16 | -0.07 |
| New Zealand | -0.02 | -0.15 | -0.50 | 0.01 | -0.26 | -0.02 | 0.69 | 0.09 | 0.17 |
| Norway | -0.15 | -0.19 | -0.25 | 0.28 | -0.05 | 0.09 | 0.43 | -0.17 | 0.13 |
| Portugal | 0.23 | 0.26 | 0.52 | 0.23 | -0.09 | -0.25 | -0.51 | -0.15 | 0.00 |
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IN CONCLUSION ...

NORWAY NEEDS TO DIVERSIFY IT'S RELEVANCE AS A HOLIDAY DESTINATION

1

WE SEE A FURTHER FRAGMENTATION OF NEEDS IN THE HOLIDAY SEGMENTATION

- We have 9 decent size segments today
- There are important differences by market

2

NORWAY CONNECTS REASONABLY WELL WITH MULTIPLE NEEDS

- Highly relevant for one segment
- Relevance for aditional 5 segments

3

IT'S THE ONLY WAY TO STAY COMPETITIVE

- Competitive destinations too are playing on multiple needs
- Nature is a highly competitive area

4

NORWAY HAS A LOT TO OFFER

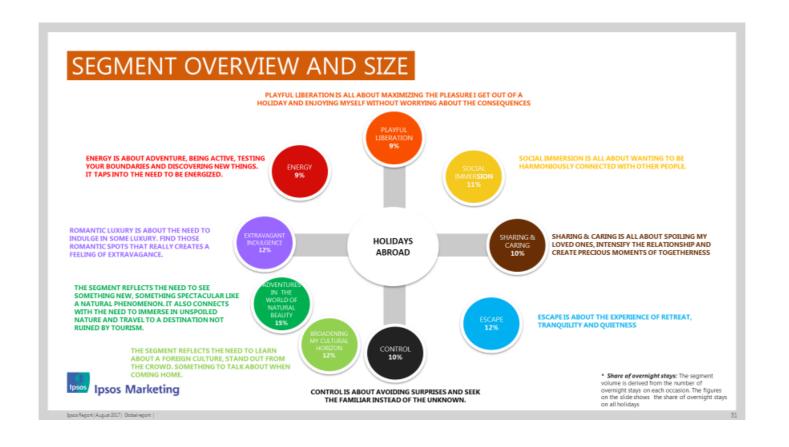
- Norway is already associated with a wide variety of holiday needs & activities
- The whole of Norway, the whole year round

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WE SEE A FURTHER FRAGMENTATION OF HOLIDAY NEEDS

We have 9 decent size segments today (vs only 5 > 6% in 2011)



There are a lot of differences in size by market

TOP 3 (% overnight stays*)

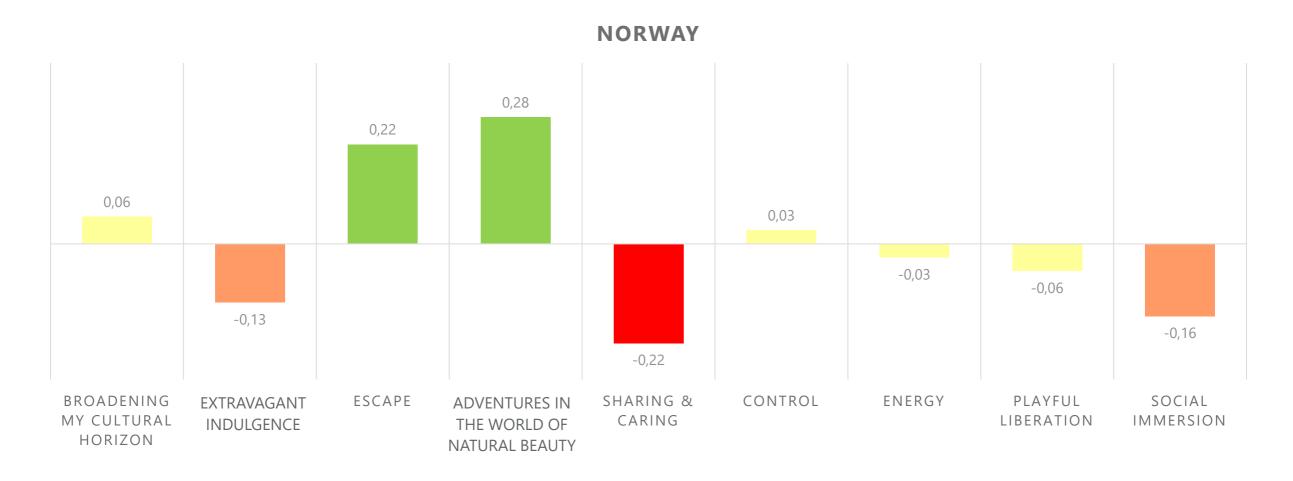
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| | 13% | | 12% | | | | | 13% | 14% | 11% |
| | 14% | | | | | | 19% | | | 10% |
| | 13% | 17% | | | | | 12% | | 21% | 12% |
| 17% | | | | 16% | 15% | | | | | 10% |
| | | 13% | 14% | | | | | 21% | | 12% |
| 13% | | 18% | 18% | | 14% | 14% | 22% | 19% | 14% | 15% |
| 24% | | | | 23% | 16% | 13% | | | | 12% |
| | | | | | | | | | | 9% |



^{*} Share of overnight stays: The segment volume is derived from the number of overnight stays on each occasion. The figures on the slide shows the share of overnight stays on all holidays.

NORWAY CONNECTS WELL WITH MULTIPLE NEEDS

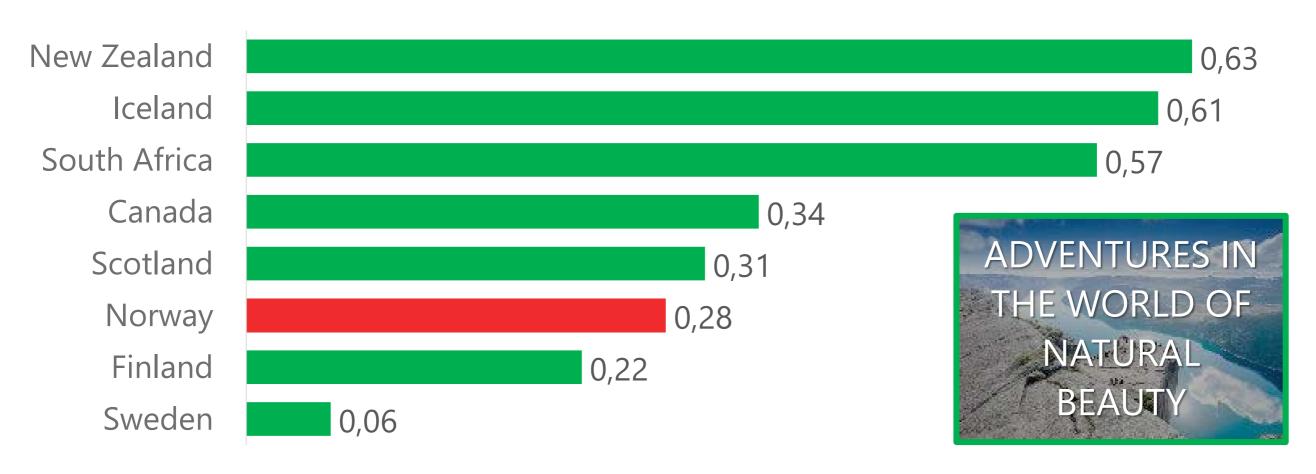
Highly relevant for one segment, decent relevance for additional 5 segments





DIVERSIFICATION IS NECESSARY TO STAY COMPETITIVE

Nature is a highly competitive area

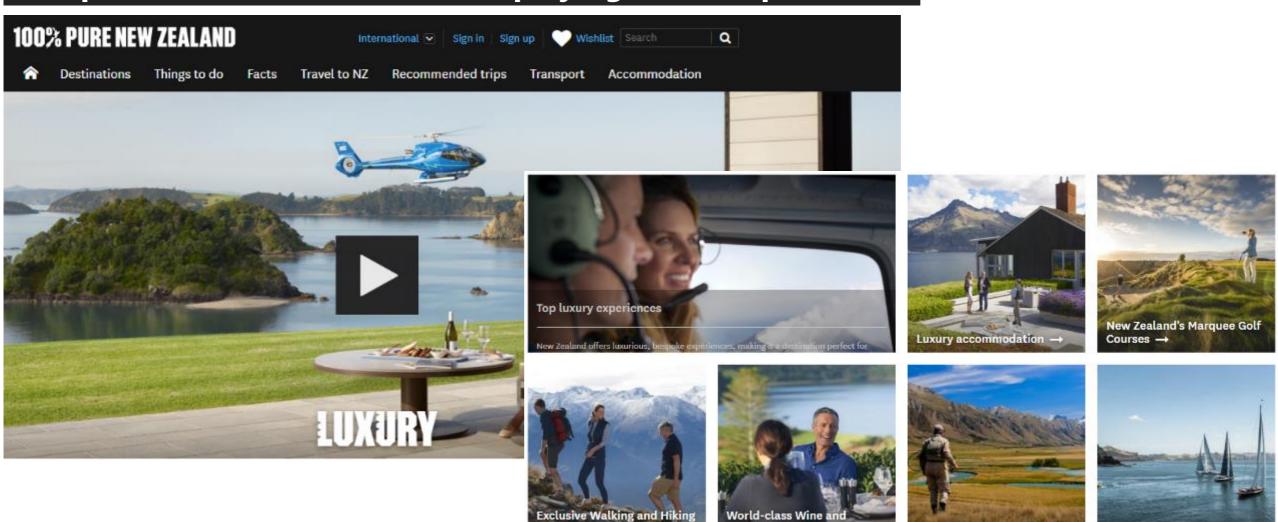




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DIVERSIFICATION IS NECESSARY TO STAY COMPETITIVE

Competitive destinations too are playing on multiple needs



Private Fly Fishing -

Super yacht cruising -

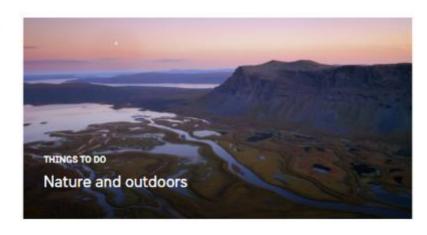




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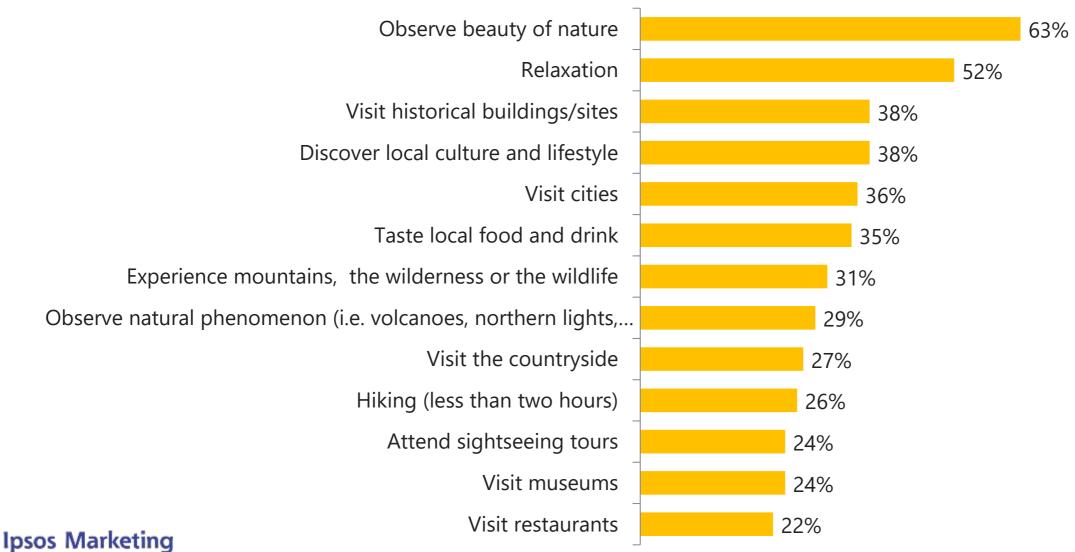






NORWAY HAS A LOT TO OFFER

Norway is used for a wide variety of holiday needs & activities



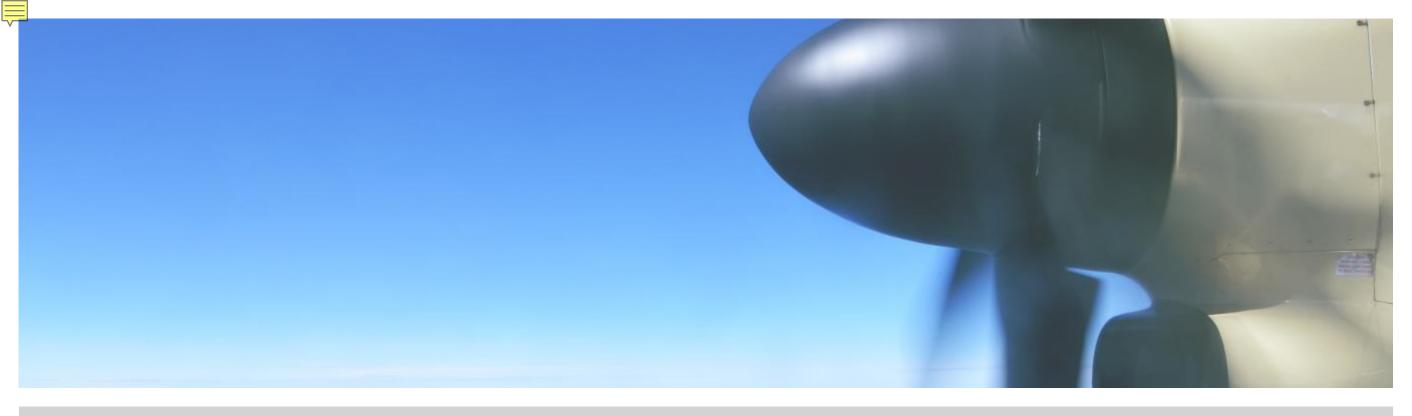
Base: holidays to Norway

NORWAY HAS A LOT TO OFFER

This fits with the ambition to promote "the whole of Norway, the whole year round"



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Where do we go from here?



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NORWAY NEEDS TO CONTINUE TO WORK ON HOLIDAY BASICS

Norway fails to meet some basic holiday expectations

Sharing good times with others

Interesting sights, rich experiences



Beautiful nature

Relaxed, sociable, friendly

Easy to travel to

For people who wants to escape

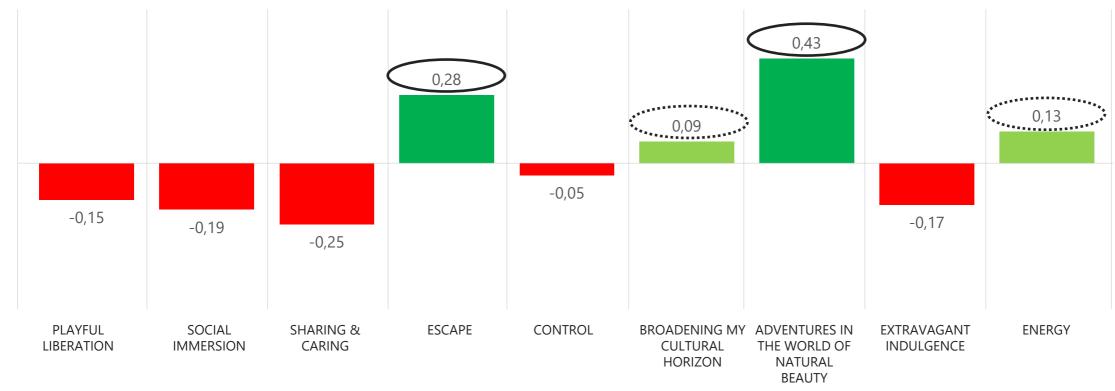
For people who like adventure





NORWAY CONNECTS WELL WITH MULTIPLE NEEDS IN GERMANY

Highly relevant for two segments, and decent relevance for additionally two segments







LOOKING AT NORWAY'S CURRENT STRENGTHS

AND POSITION DIFFERENT ROUTES THAT CAN BE EXPLORED

THE OBVIOUS TARGET



POSSIBLE ADDITIONS



Norway's nature is a perfect place for Dutch travelers to escape from their hectic daily life, pamper themselves and restore their sense of harmony and balance. A peaceful and harmonious place to revitalize themselves.



For ski/sports/active holidays, Norway should be a excellent destination for Dutch travelers. An active, adventurous and daring destination. Norway must offer a wide range of possible activities, allowing them to be physical active. Giving the traveler energy and creating precious moments of togetherness.



Norway has comparative advantages in combining nature and culture. It's a unique possibility to broaden my knowledge and my horizon. Get rich experiences and enrich my view on the world. Norway should allow me to discover new and interesting places. But we need to work on interesting sights, cultural heritage and art.







QUESTIONS?

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