

# ACTIVATING THE NORWAY BRAND

A report on holiday needs and segments in the UK 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.

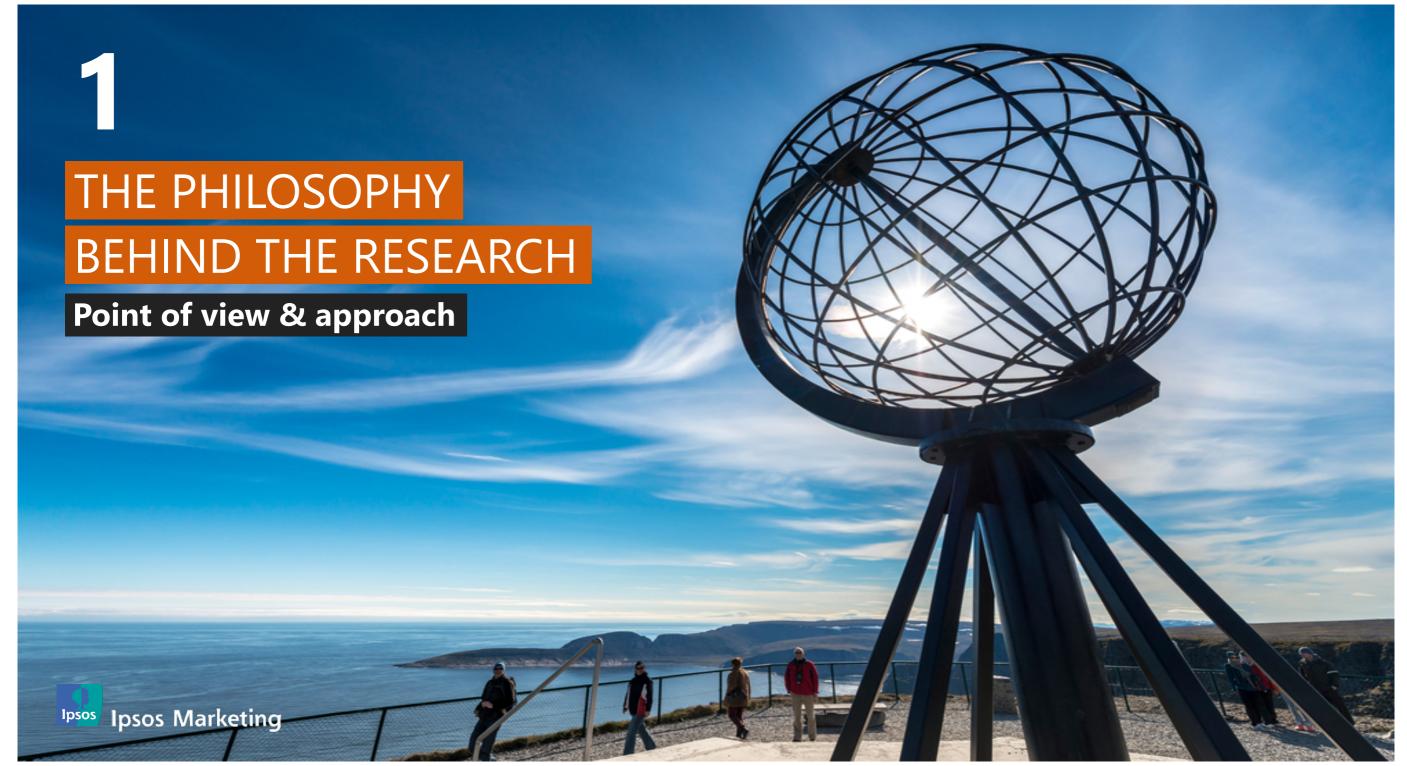
The world is changing.
The travel industry is changing.
People change. How they interact
with brands is changing. Their
behavior in relation to vacation
change.

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.



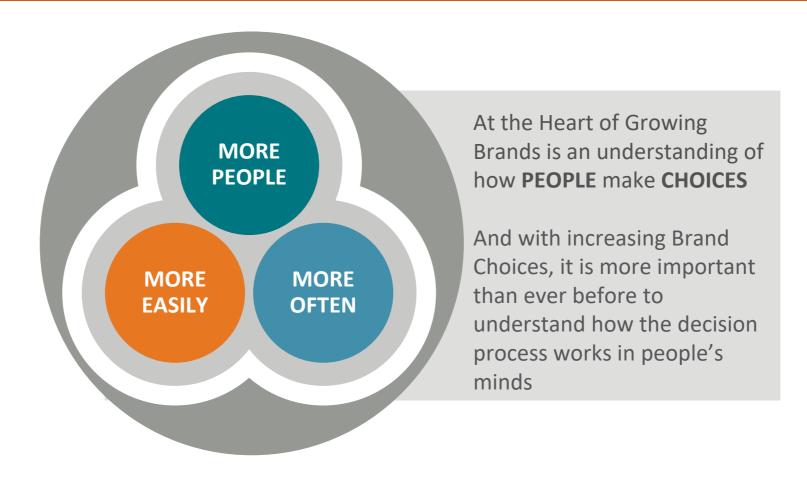




## THE STARTING POINT:

## 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.



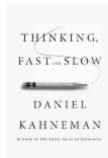
Memory salience refers to all the existing aspects of the brand's mental network. Attention salience is about the cues and stimuli that capture our attention at any touchpoint.



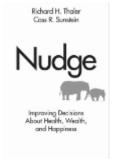
SO HOW DO PEOPLE MAKE CHOICES?

















## 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

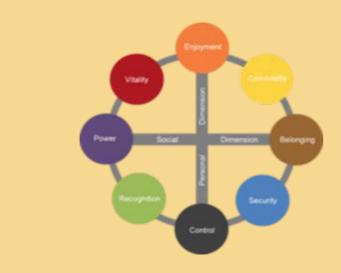
#### **ARE AVAILABLE**

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

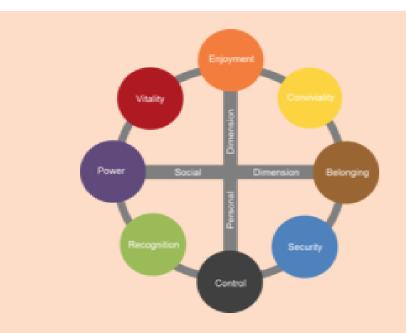
Censydiam offers a **validated approach** to understand the different roles brands can play in the category.

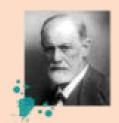
Censydiam captures the **needs & motivations** that drive relevance in the category, while acknowledging that these needs & motivations can differ across various situations and occasions.

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

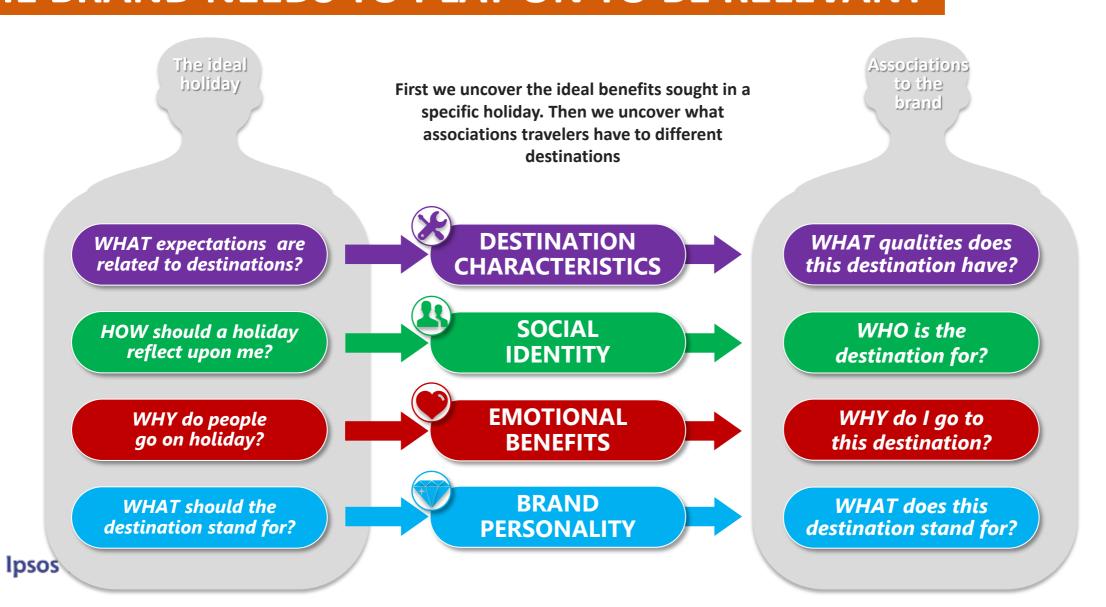


#### Comparison

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

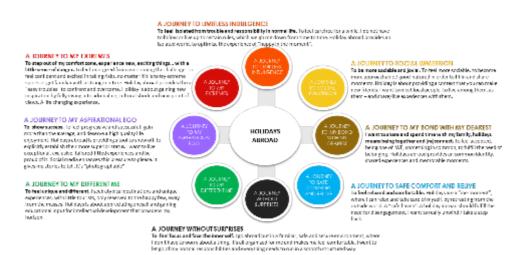
WE HAVE CONDUCTED 1200 INTERVIEWS IN THE MARKET

#### 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.



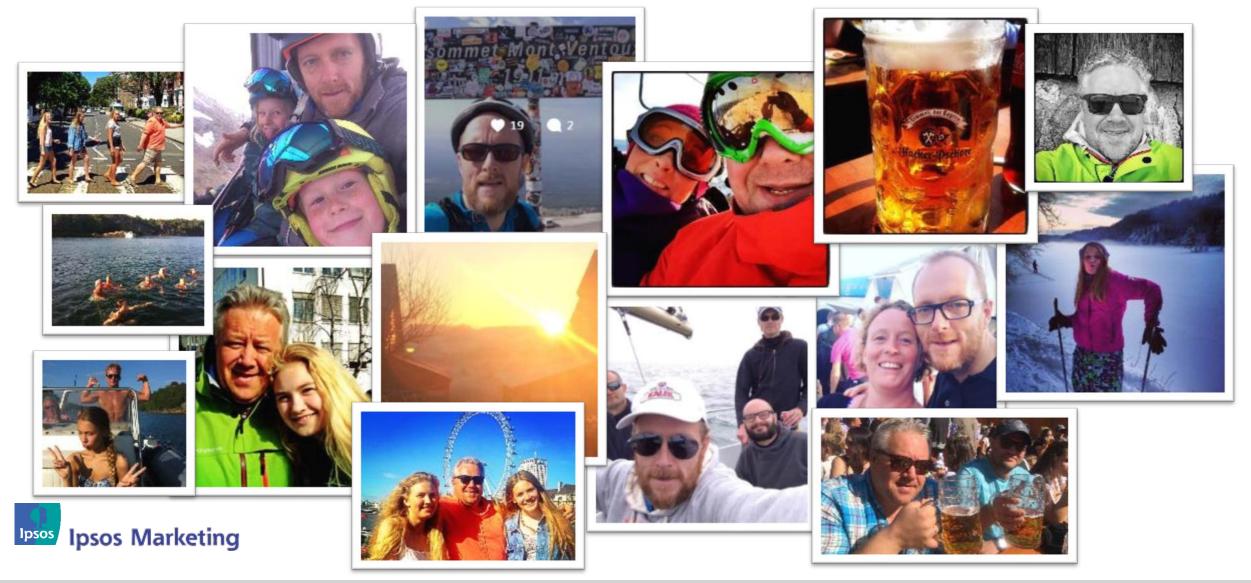






## THE SAME PERSON, BUT DIFFERENT SITUATIONS AND DIFFERENT MOTIVATIONS

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?

**Functional benefits** 

#### 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

## 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
- 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
- People that like to do things spontaneously, impulsively
- People who likes to party
- People who are always looking to connect with
- 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
- People who want the best and are willing to pay
- 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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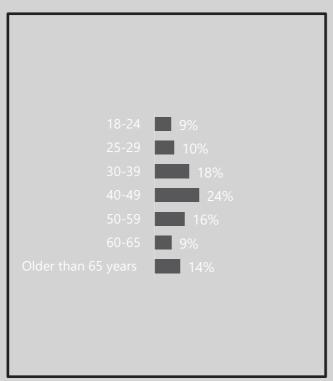
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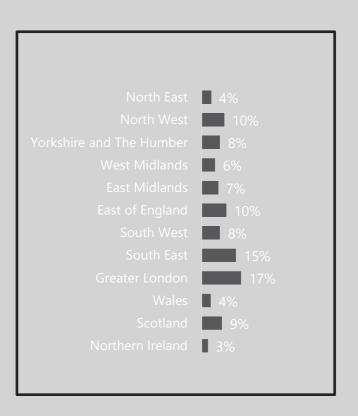


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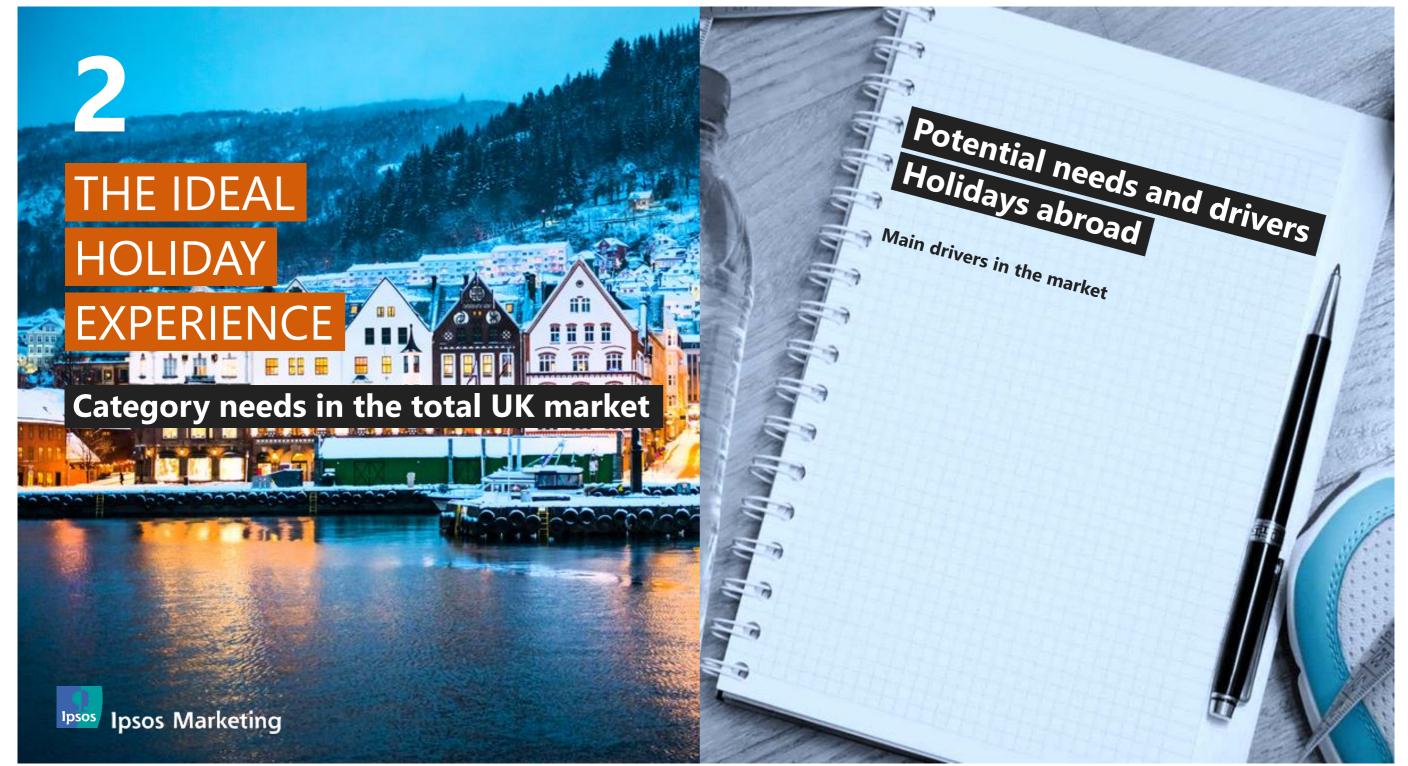
## People that have been abroad for holiday last 3 years. Natural fall out.













# IDEAL DESTINATION CHARACTERISTICS



WHAT expectations are related to specific destination characteristics?





# IDEAL BRAND PERSONALITY

WHAT should the destination stand for?





# IDEAL SOCIAL IDENTITY

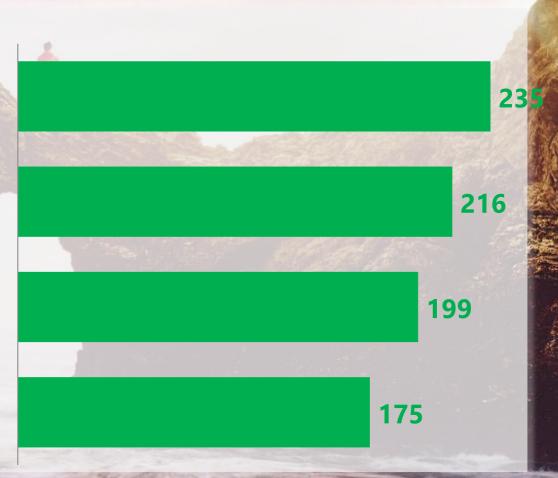
HOW should a holiday reflect upon me?

People who like to explore and have new experience...

People who want to escape from the demands of life...

People who are interested to learn more

People who enjoy spending time with friends



NOTE: Indexed vs. average of all items in facet

We report all items with a score which is 1 standar

deviation higher than the average



# WHEN, WHO, HOW, WHERE

## Highlights on UK category behavior



People travel all year long
- Off course some peaks in summertime

**WITH WHOM** 

**65**%

Spouse/partner

HOW

**72**%

I/we organized the trip myself/ourselves and travelled independently TYPE OF ACCOMODATION

**69**%

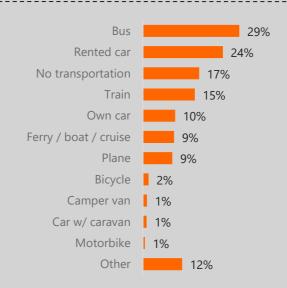
Lived at a hotel, in most cases a medium standard hotel

**TRANSPORTATION** 

**75**%

Travels by plane

#### TRANSPORTATION DURING THE HOLIDAY





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# SOURCES OF INFORMATION BEFORE AND DURING TRAVEL

## The digital channels are most important



71% 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.

13% Guidebooks



20% Uses the homepage of the destination as a source of information and inspiration before going on holiday

16% Uses the homepage of carriers, including airlines etc.

24% Uses the homepage for hotels/ othe accommodations

18% Uses the homepage for attractions and sights

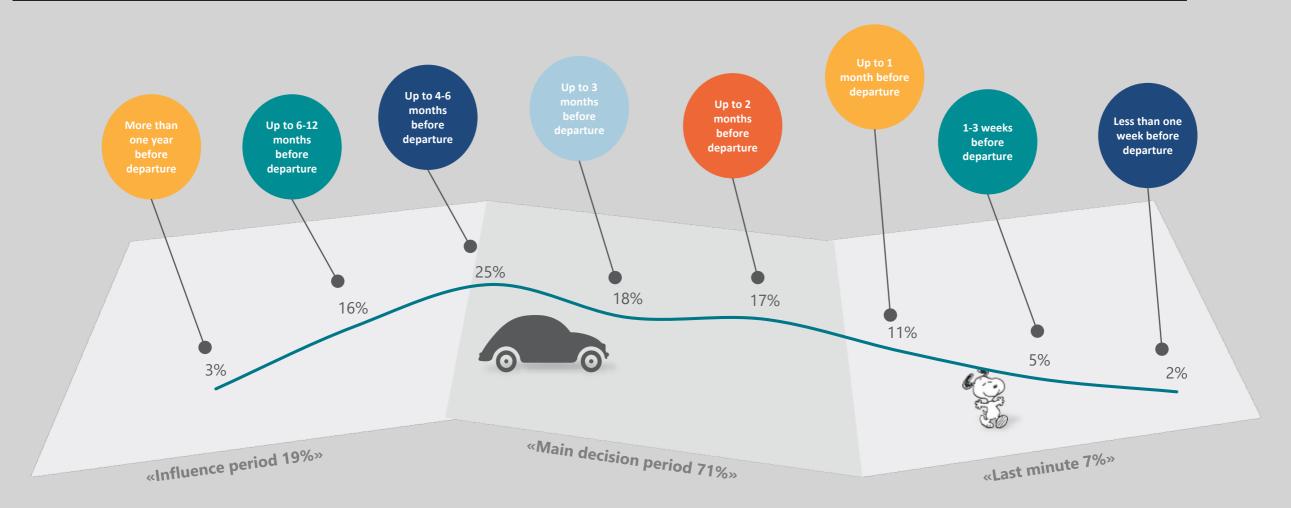
19% Uses booking sites such as Expedia and Lastminute





## 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?

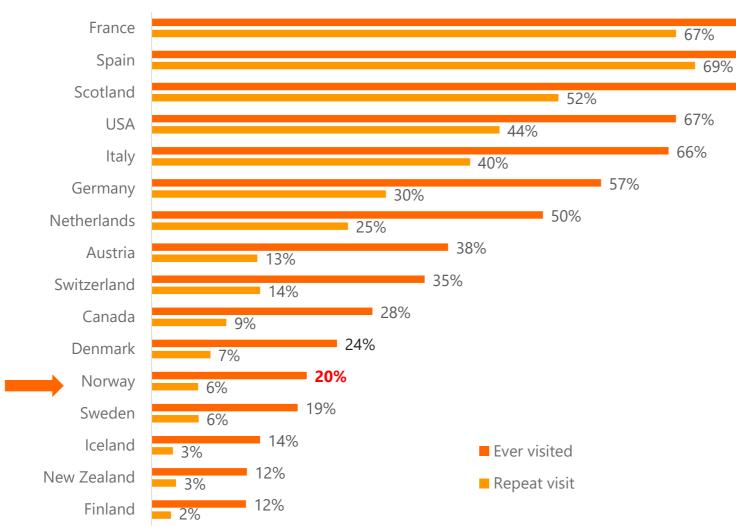




Base: all respondents, n=2134

## **EVER VISITED THIS COUNTRY?**

## **People from the UK goes to France**



#### Visits to Norway all markets:

**77**%

	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

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

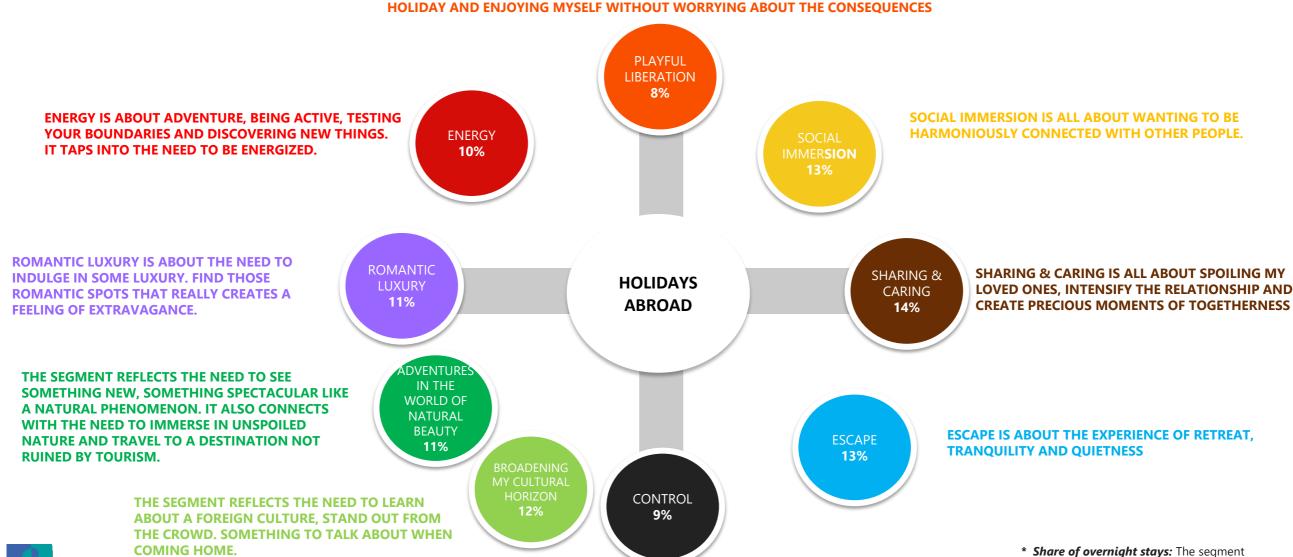




## 9 DISTINCT SEGMENTS SOCIAL SHARING & PLAYFUL **ESCAPE IMMERSION CARING** LIBERATON **ADVENTURES** BROADENING EXTRAVAGANT IN THE WORLD CONTROL MY CULTURAL INDULGENCE OF NATURAL HORIZON BEAUTY ENERGY

## SEGMENT OVERVIEW AND SIZE\*

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



CONTROL IS ABOUT AVOIDING SURPRISES AND SEEK

THE FAMILIAR INSTEAD OF THE UNKNOWN.

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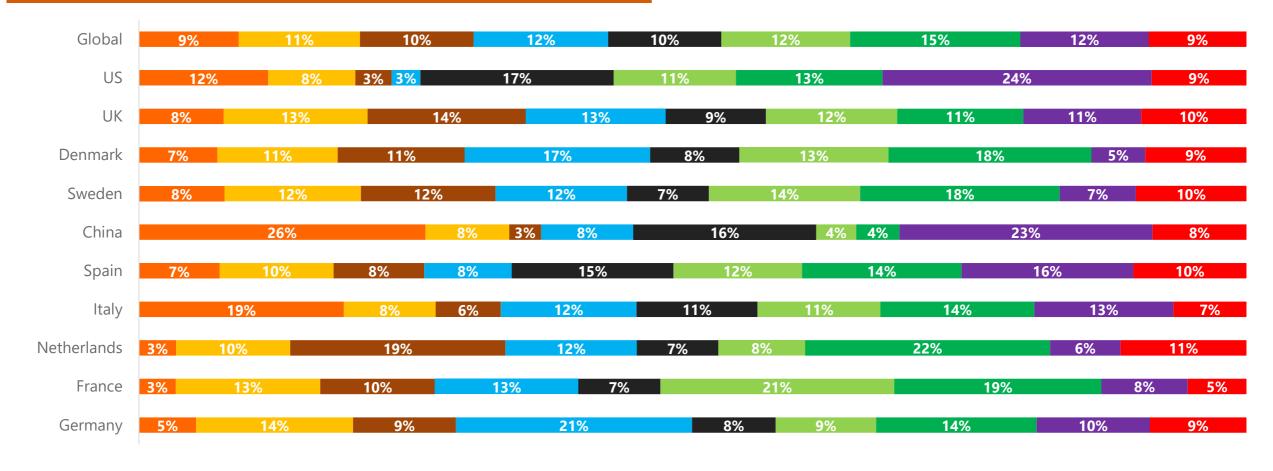
on all holidays

overnight stays on each occasion. The figures

on the slide shows the share of overnight stays

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# SEGMENT SIZE\* PER MARKET





■ SHARING & CARING
■ BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON
■ ENERGY



<sup>\*</sup> 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 – UK

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Ski holiday	5 %	6 %	3 %	1 %	3 %	3 %	1 %	7 %	5 %	16 %
Other type of winter holiday with snow	4 %	5 %	2 %	1 %	2 %	5 %	2 %	8 %	6 %	7 %
Health travel	2 %	2 %	1 %	1 %	2 %	6 %	0 %	3 %	4 %	2 %





## 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 (Exploring the world of natural beauty) all about unspoiled nature, and "Broadening my cultural horizon" all about experiencing culture.







## PLAYFUL LIBERATION



# PLAYFUL LIBERATION

### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

Of course you will find the typical sun and beach vacation in this segment, but you will also find sports/active holidays and event holidays (festivals, sports etc.). 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 too much time planning where to go. Most of them settle for the trip less than 3 months before they go. They act on what catches their eye in social media. It's more like "in the spur of the moment", a typical "last minute booker". Friends and acquaintances heavily influences their choice.

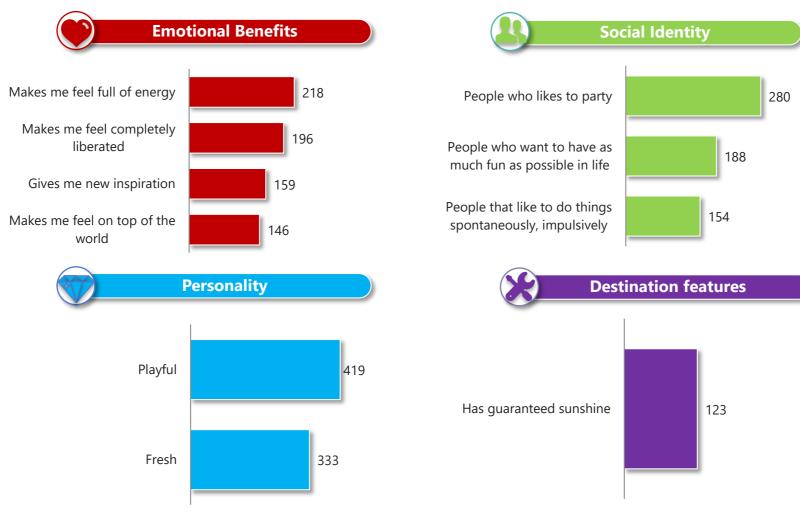






## PLAYFUL LIBERATION - ACTIVE, RELAXED AND FRESH

### **Core motivations**

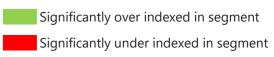








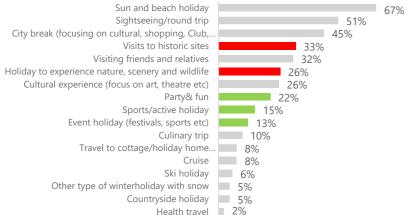
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### **TYPOLOGY**











### TIME OF YEAR

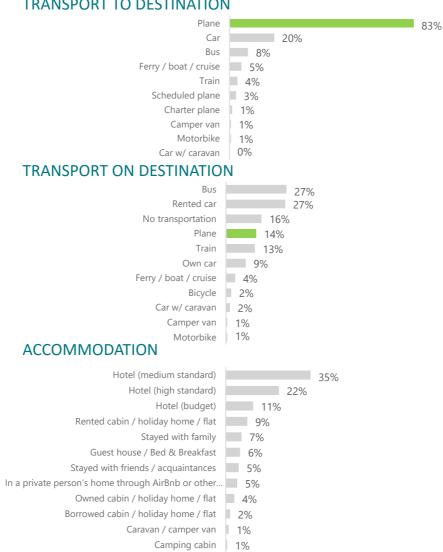


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### TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION



### TRANSPORT TO DESTINATION



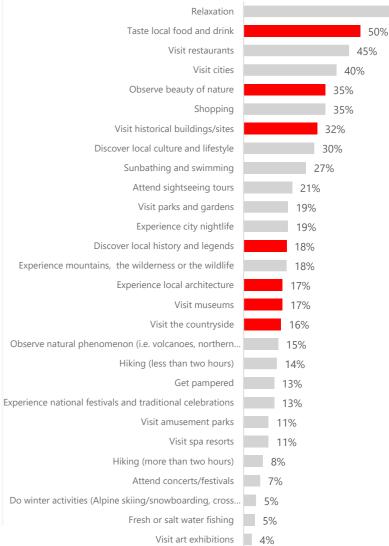
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### **ACTIVITIES**



64%







### SEGMENT PROFILE - PLAYFUL LIBERATION

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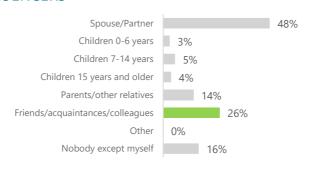




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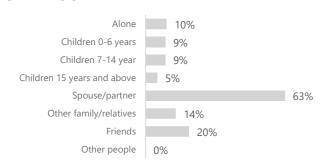
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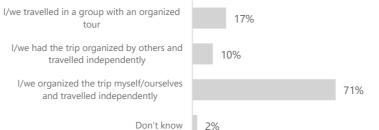


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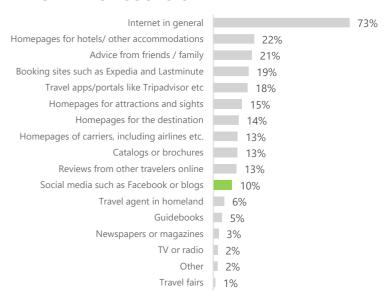


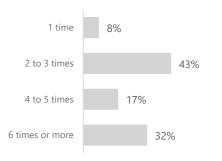
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#### **INFORMATION SOURCES**











## **SOCIAL IMMERSION**



### EMOTIONAL BENEFITS; WHAT SHOULD THE HOLIDAY GIVE ME?

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

## DESTINATION FEATURES AND ACTIVITIES; WHAT AM I LOOKING FOR?

I prefer a destinations that has good opportunities to meet local people and which has rich cultural heritage. A variety of different restaurants, good service as well as interesting culture & art is appreciable.

### PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

The destination needs to be outgoing openminded, sociable, and authentic.

### SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD IT REFLECT UPON ME?

The destination should be for people who are always looking to connect with others. People who enjoy spending time with friends and who are interested to learn more. People who like to explore and have new experiences and make a different choice.

40%
ARE ABOVE
60 YEARS



SHARE OF OVERNIGHT STAYS 13%



## **SOCIAL IMMERSION**

### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

In this segment you will find more trips to visit friends and relatives than in other segments. There are of course some sun & beach holidays here but moreover you will find holidays to visit historical sites as well as city breaks.

### I TRAVEL TO MEET THE LOCALS

These consumers want to visit restaurants to taste local food and drinks. They want to discover local culture and lifestyle explore historical buildings and sites and local architecture. Shopping, nightlife, art exhibitions and concerts/festivals are also 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 consumers are that organize their trip themselves and travels independently. They often travel with 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 (56%). They browse the internet in general for travel information and get advice from friends and family. Their spouse/partner heavily influences their choice.



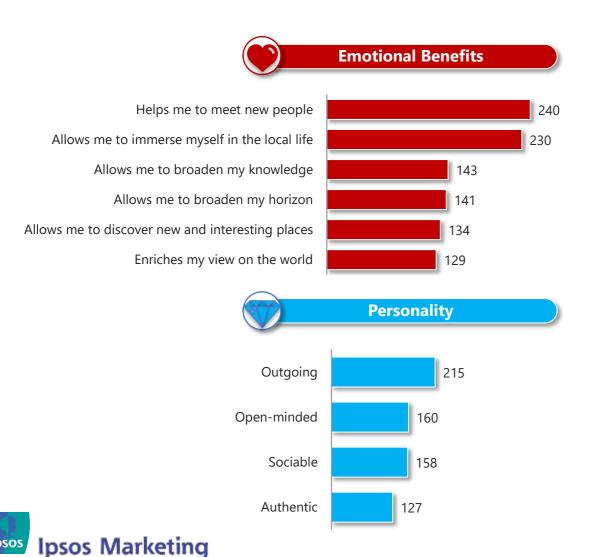




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## **SOCIAL IMMERSION** - ACTIVE, RELAXED AND FRESH

### **Core motivations**







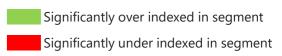








### SEGMENT PROFILE - SOCIAL IMMERSION

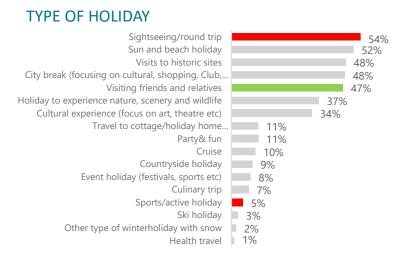




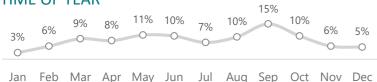


### TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION













### **ACTIVITIES**







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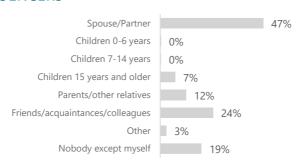




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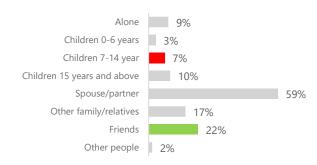
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### **TRAVEL COMPANIONS**



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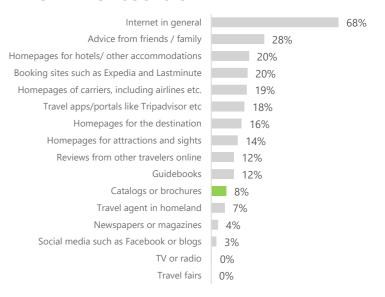


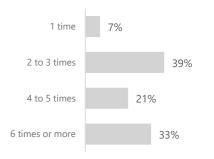
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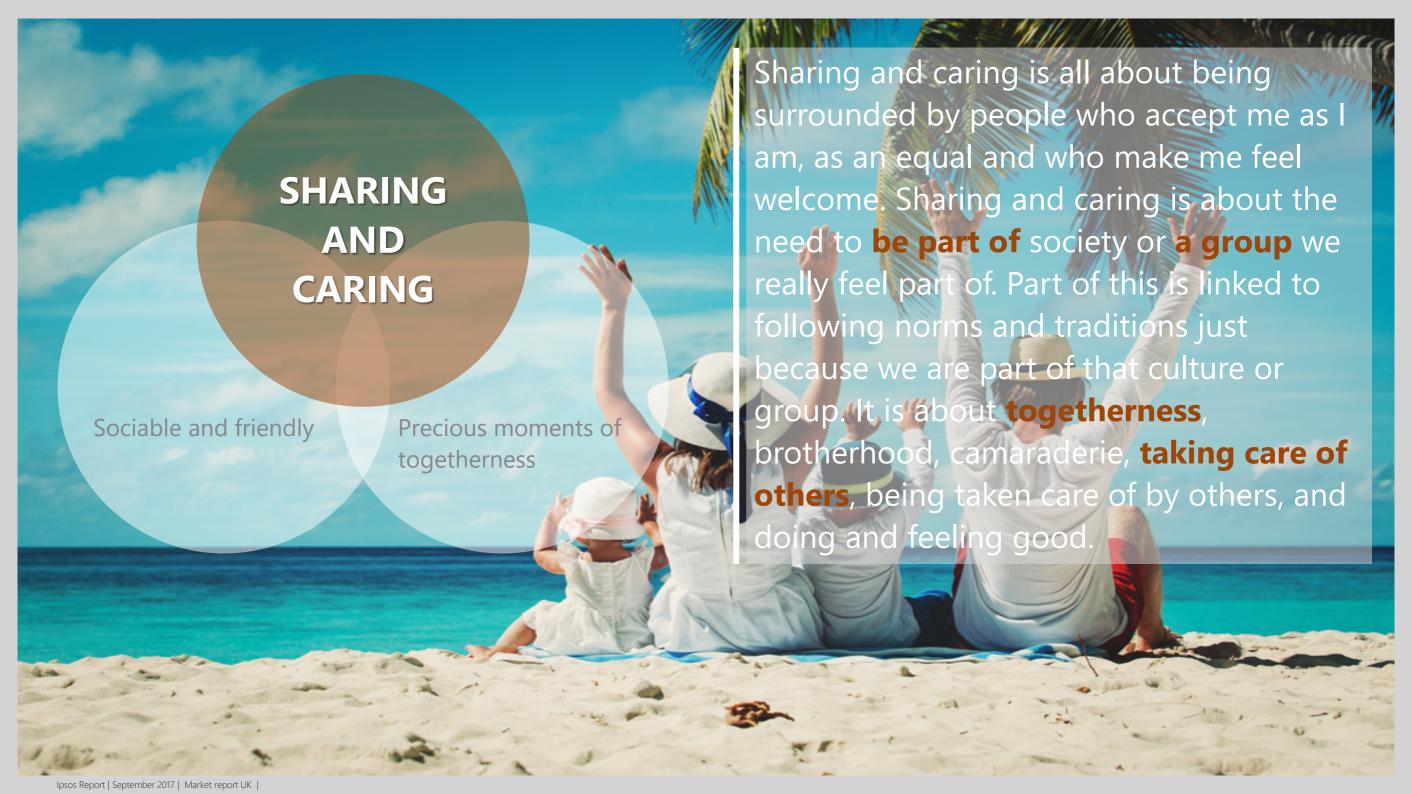
#### **INFORMATION SOURCES**











## SHARING AND CARING



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## SHARING AND CARING

#### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

You will find the typical sun and beach vacation in this segment, and you will also find holidays to **visit friends and family** 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 **sociable**, **friendly** and **relaxed**. 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 visiting restaurants and taste local food and drinks, sunbathing and swimming, shopping and getting pampered is also appreciated by this segment. They also enjoy visiting sparesorts. 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. Parents and other relatives heavily influences their choice. They travel with children and the oldest children are a part of the decision process.

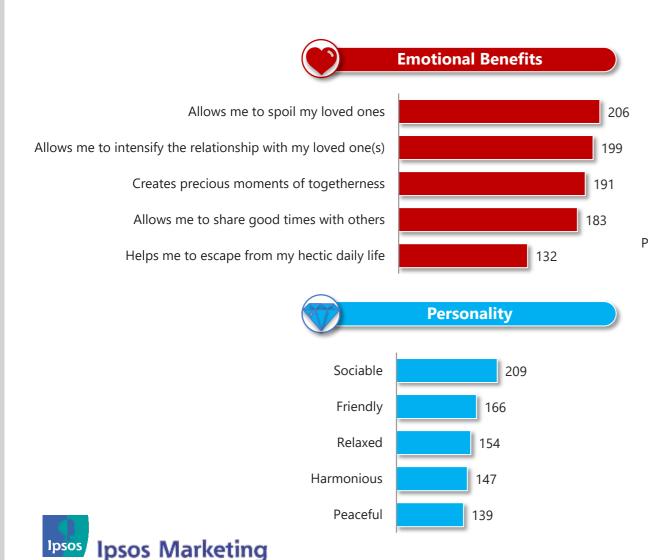






## **SHARING AND CARING**

### **Core motivations**



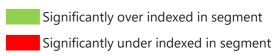




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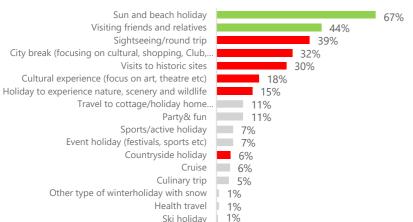
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### **TYPOLOGY**







### **DURATION**



### TIME OF YEAR



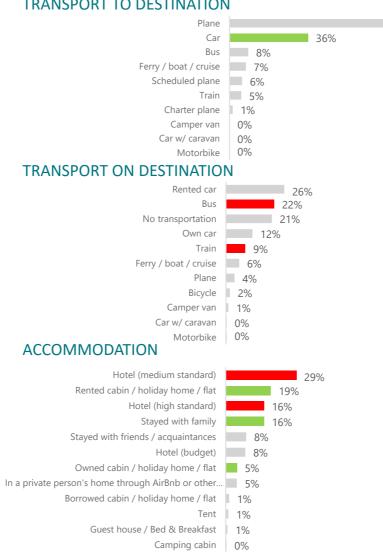


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### TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION



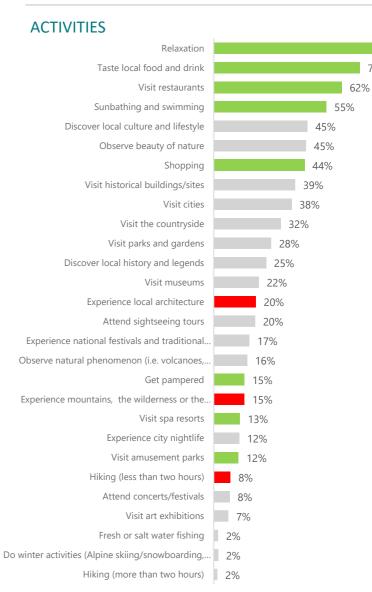
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Caravan / camper van

### **ACTIVITIES**







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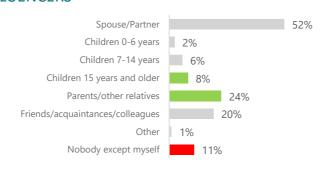




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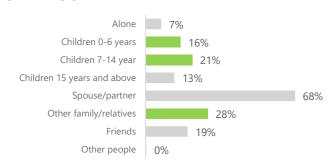
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### **TRAVEL COMPANIONS**



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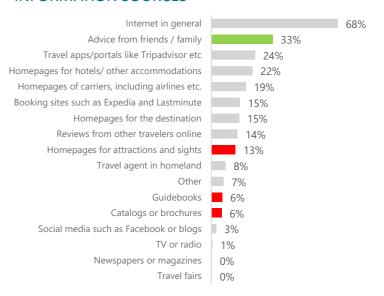


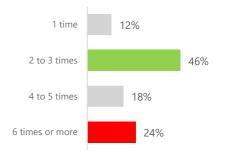
### NUMBER OF TRAVEL COMPANIONS





#### **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.

# DESTINATION FEATURES AND ACTIVITIES; WHAT AM I LOOKING FOR?

I want to go to a place that has quiet environments, and good beaches. It needs to have unspoiled nature and should not be ruined by tourism. I need guaranteed sunshine. I would also like good value for money.

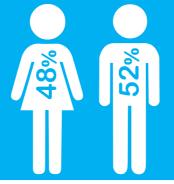
### PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

The destination needs to be peaceful, harmonious and relaxed

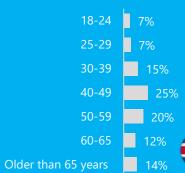
### SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD IT REFLECT UPON ME?

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

**45%**ARE BETWEEN **40-59** YEARS



SHARE OF OVERNIGHT STAYS 13%



## **ESCAPE**

### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

Of course you will find the typical sun and beach vacation in this segment, but you will find more **countryside holidays** here 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** and ferry/boat and they are also more prune to stay at a **cabin**, **holiday home** or **flat** 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. Visit the countryside and experience mountains, the wilderness and the wildlife is also appreciated by this segment. 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. 47% of them settle for the trip **four months or more before** they go. They are over indexing on catalogues and brochures as information source, but the internet in general is the largest point of inspiration.



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# **ESCAPE**

### **Core motivations**



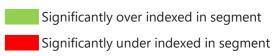








### SEGMENT PROFILE - ESCAPE



### **TYPOLOGY**

TYPE OF HOLIDAY

**DURATION** 

TIME OF YEAR

Holiday to experience nature, scenery and wildlife

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

Cultural experience (focus on art, theatre etc)

Sun and beach holiday

Visits to historic sites

Countryside holiday

Travel to cottage/holiday home... 13%

Sports/active holiday 3% Ski holiday 3%

Cruise 9%

18% 15%

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2%

Party& fun 6%

Culinary trip 5%

Health travel 2%

Sightseeing/round trip

Visiting friends and relatives

Other type of winterholiday with snow 2%

5 to 6 days

7 to 8 days

9 to 14 days

15 or more days

Event holiday (festivals, sports etc) 2%

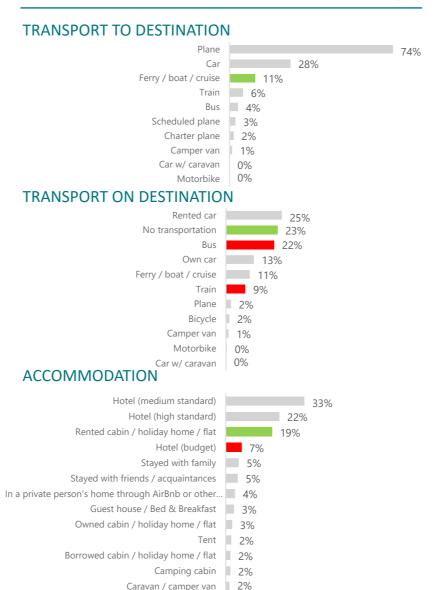




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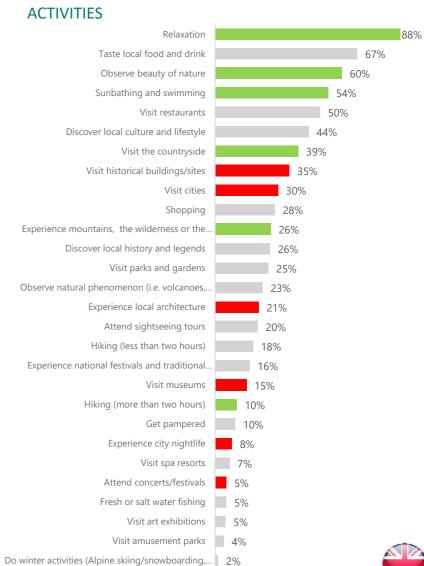
### TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION





### **ACTIVITIES**







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### SEGMENT PROFILE - ESCAPE

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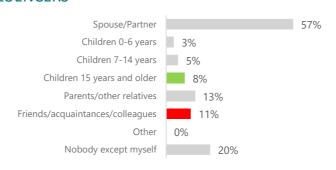




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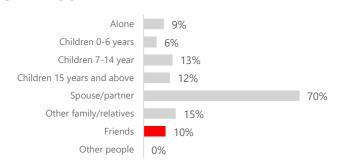
### **INFLUENCERS**



### **TRAVEL COMPANIONS**



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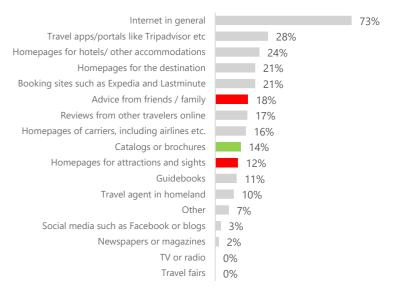


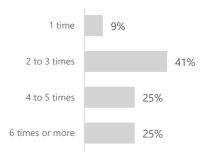
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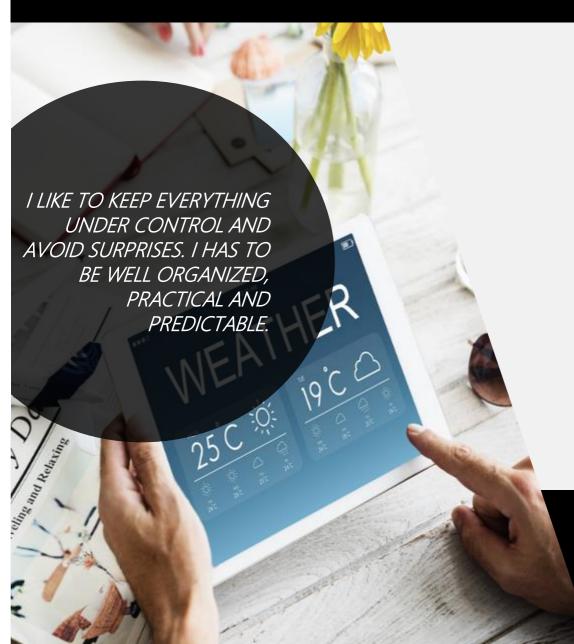








## CONTROL



### EMOTIONAL BENEFITS; WHAT SHOULD THE HOLIDAY GIVE ME?

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

# DESTINATION FEATURES AND ACTIVITIES; WHAT AM I LOOKING FOR?

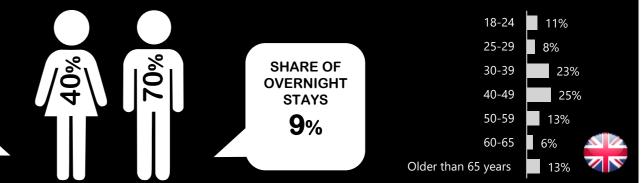
I want to go to a place that is well organized and has few language barriers. It has to be easy to travel to and have good shopping.

## PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

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

### 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** and have **strong family values**.



48% ARE BETWEEN 30-49 YEARS

## CONTROL

### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

Although the typical sun and beach vacation, sightseeing/round trips, visits to historic sites and city breaks dominates in this segment, you will also find **health travels** to a greater extent than in other segments.

### I TRAVEL TO AVOID SURPRISES

These consumers choose destinations that is **well organized**. They want to travel to places that are **predictable**, **practical** 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 would like to visit cities and have restaurant meals and go shopping.

### **SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS**

These consumers **travel with children** so they are highly influenced by their **spouse** and their **children**. Most **organized the trip themselves** and **travelled independently** (70%). They do not use that many information sources because the **go to a place they know**.



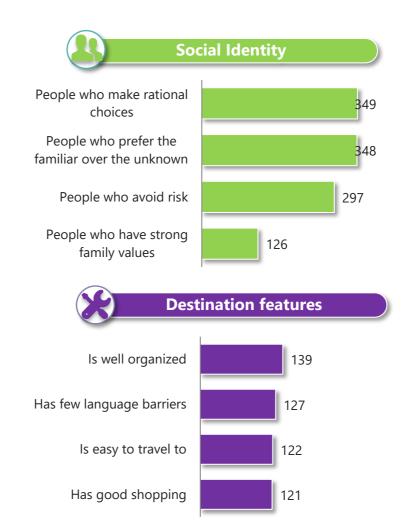




# CONTROL

### **Core motivations**



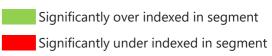




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### SEGMENT PROFILE – **CONTROL**





TYPE OF HOLIDAY

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

Holiday to experience nature, scenery and wildlife

Cultural experience (focus on art, theatre etc)

Sun and beach holiday Sightseeing/round trip

Visits to historic sites

Sports/active holiday

Event holiday (festivals, sports etc) 8%

Travel to cottage/holiday home... 6%

Other type of winterholiday with snow 5%

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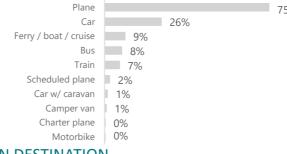
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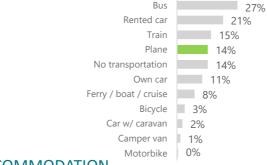
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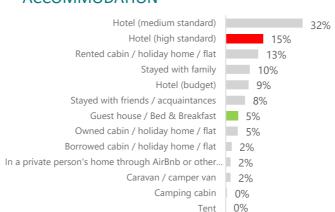




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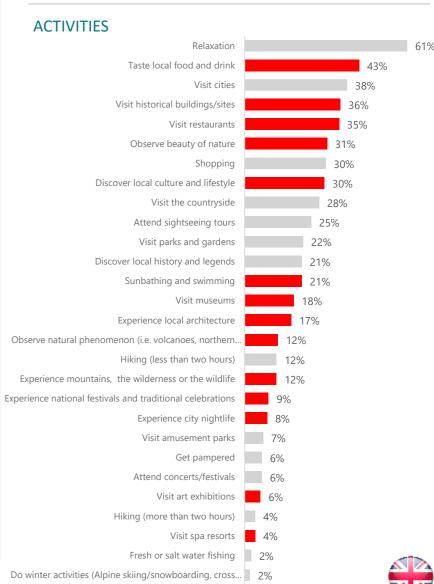


#### **ACCOMMODATION**



### **ACTIVITIES**







**DURATION** 

TIME OF YEAR

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### SEGMENT PROFILE - CONTROL

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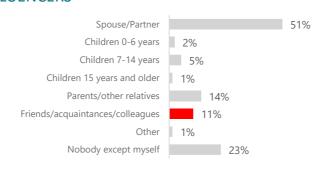
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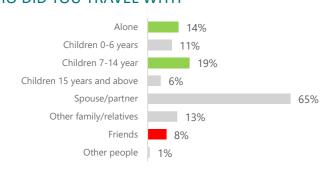
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### **TRAVEL COMPANIONS**



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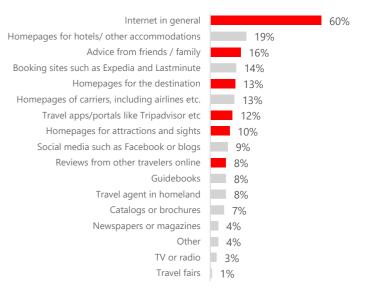
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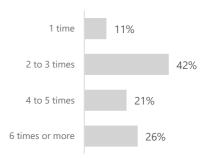


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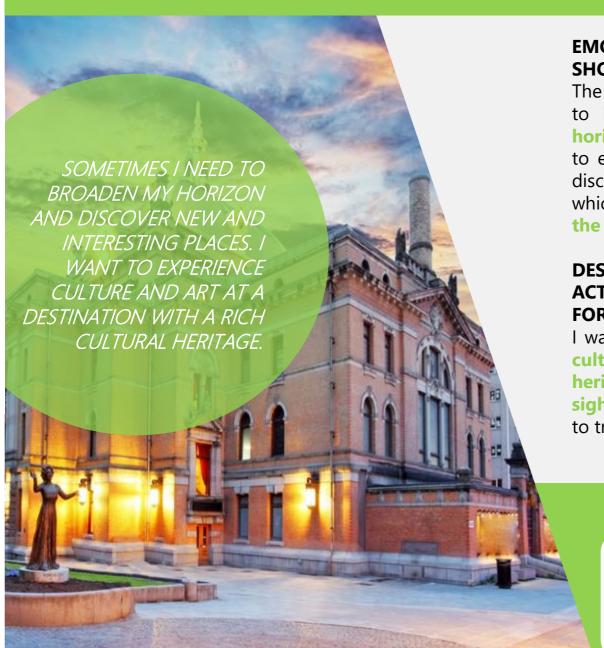








# BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON



## 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 rich experiences. I travel to enrich my view on the world and to discover new and interesting places which allows me to immerse myself in the local life.

# 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

### PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

The destination needs to be cultivated, explorative, authentic and unique.

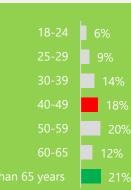
### SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD IT REFLECT UPON ME?

The destination should be for people who are interested to learn more. Generally people who like to explore and have new experiences and who wants to make a different choice.

53%
ARE ABOVE
50 YEARS



SHARE OF OVERNIGHT STAYS 12%





## **BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON**

### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

The dominant types of holiday is visits to historic sites, Sightseeing/round trip, city breaks (cultural, shopping, Club, restaurant visits etc.), cultural experience (focus on art, theatre etc.) and cruise.

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, attend sightseeing tours and discover local culture and lifestyle. They want to visit museums and experience local architecture. Local history and legends are of high interest. You will also find them in gardens/parks, at art exhibitions, experiencing city nightlife and at concerts/festivals.

### **SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS**

These consumers are, more than others inspired by the Internet in general, homepages for hotels/accommodation and the destination, homepages for attractions and sites, booking sites, guidebooks and newspapers or magazines.

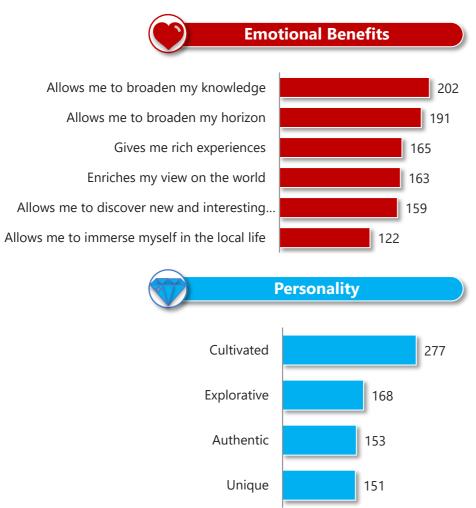


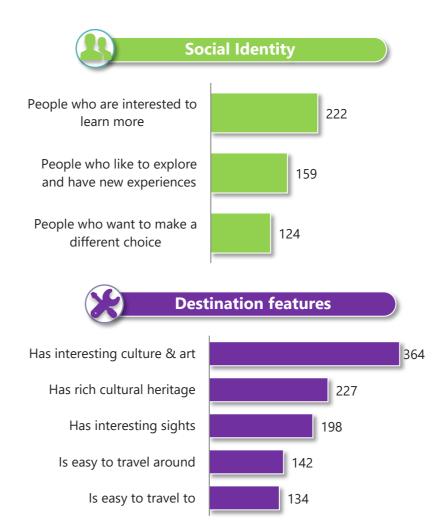




## **BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON**

### **Core motivations**







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### **TYPOLOGY**



### TYPE OF HOLIDAY



### **DURATION**



### TIME OF YEAR

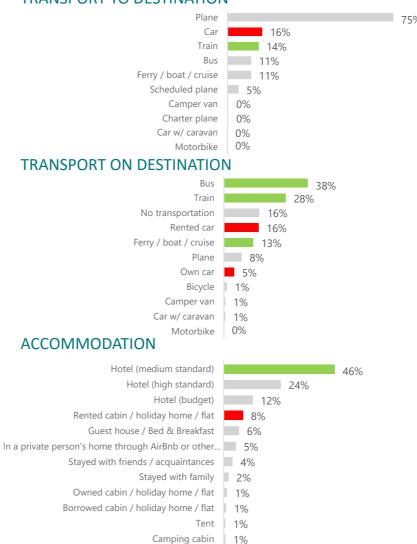


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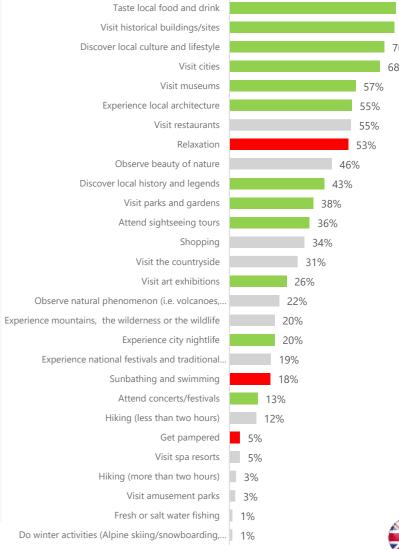


Caravan / camper van

### **ACTIVITIES**









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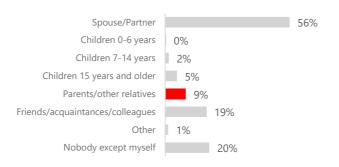








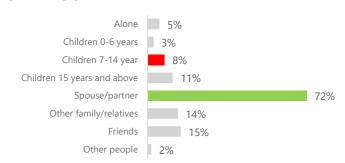
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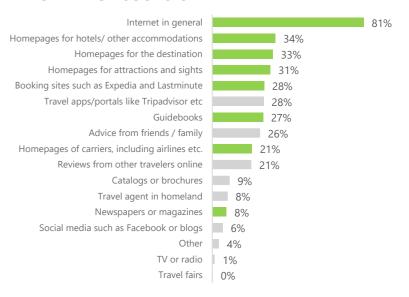


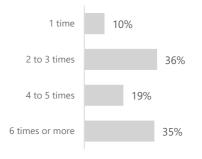
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#### INFORMATION SOURCES











## **ADVENTURES IN THE WORLD OF NATURAL BEAUTY**



### PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT

The destination needs to be unique, explorative, active, open-minded and

### SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD IT

The destination should be for people who like adventure and wants a life changing experience. People who want to make a different choice and do things the unconventional way. People who like to explore and have new experiences and are interested to learn more and have as much fun as possible.

18-24

# **ADVENTURES IN THE WORLD OF NATURAL BEAUTY**

#### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

The most common holiday types are sightseeing/round trips and holidays to experience nature, scenery and wildlife. They are also over indexing on visits to historic sites, city breaks, cultural experiences, sport/active holiday, country side holiday, culinary trips and other types of winter holidays.

#### 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/sites. Furthermore they want to discover local culture and lifestyle, visit the countryside, experience mountains, the wilderness, observe natural phenomenon's, experience local architecture and attend sightseeing tours You will also find them at museums and hiking the mountains.

#### **SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS**

This segment seek their information more than other segments at the **Internet** in general and at travel **apps/portals**. They read **reviews** from other travelers online and search **homepages** for attractions and sights. They also use **guidebooks** and **catalogues** or **brochures** more than other segments.

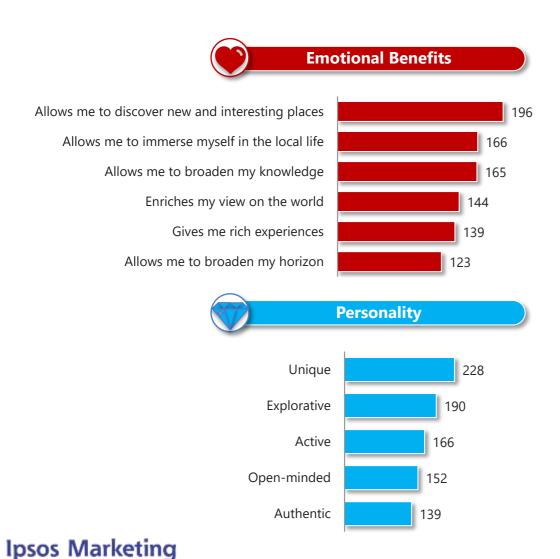






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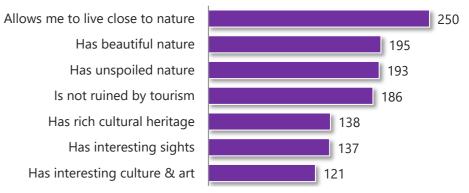
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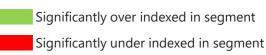




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#### SEGMENT PROFILE - ADVENTURES IN THE WORLD OF NATURAL BEAUTY



#### **TYPOLOGY**





#### TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION





**ACTIVITIES** 



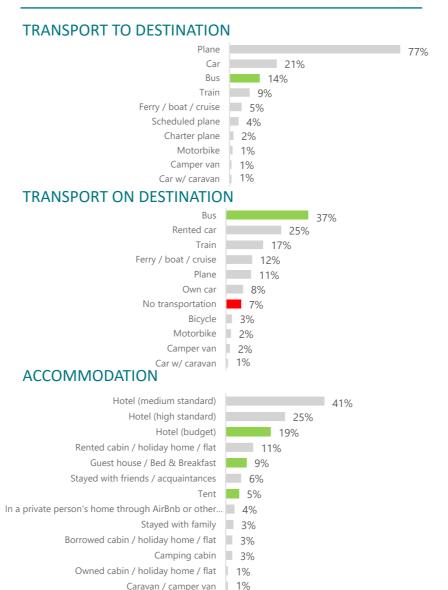


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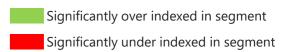








#### SEGMENT PROFILE - ADVENTURES IN THE WORLD OF NATURAL BEAUTY



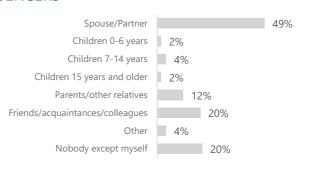








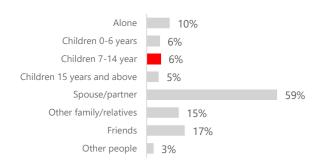
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#### **TRAVEL COMPANIONS**



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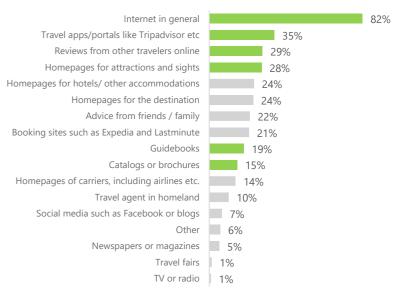


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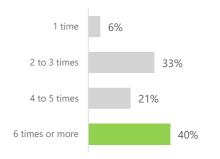




#### **INFORMATION SOURCES**



#### TRAVEL FREQUENCY (NUMBER OF TIMES ABROAD)

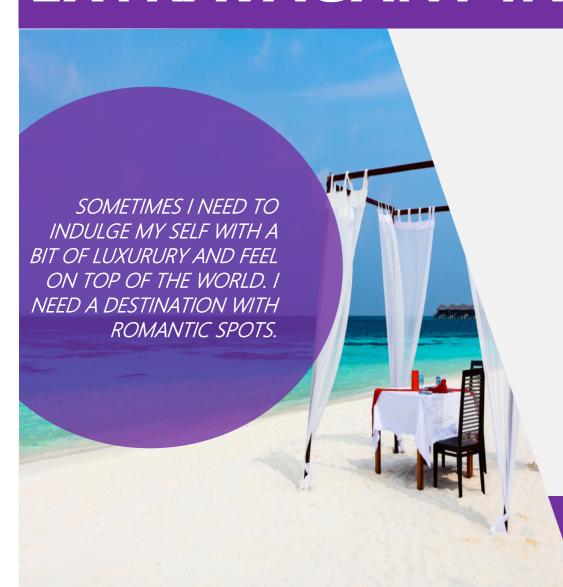




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# **EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE**



### 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 makes me **feel on top of the world** and which allows me to **spoil my loved ones**.

# DESTINATION FEATURES AND ACTIVITIES; WHAT AM I LOOKING FOR?

I want to go to a place that has guaranteed sunshine. Good service and good shopping is also important

### PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

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

### 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**.



47%
ARE BELOW
40 YEARS

# **EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE**

#### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

You will find most of the typical sun and beach vacations in this segment, but you will find sightseeing/round trips and city breaks. 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 often travel on organized tours or have others plan for them and travel independently.

#### 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 over index on trips to get pampered and like to visit **spa resorts**. They want their **romantic spots** which they can find both in **cities** and in traditional **beach resorts**. They often **rent a car** for their romantic getaways. They stay at **high standard hotels** more than in other segments.

#### **SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS**

These consumers don't spend a lot of time planning. 41% of them settle for the trip less than two months before they go. They browse the internet in general to get information about destinations. They also use homepages for hotels/accommodation or travel apps to get inspired. They travel with their partner and gets inspired by him or her.

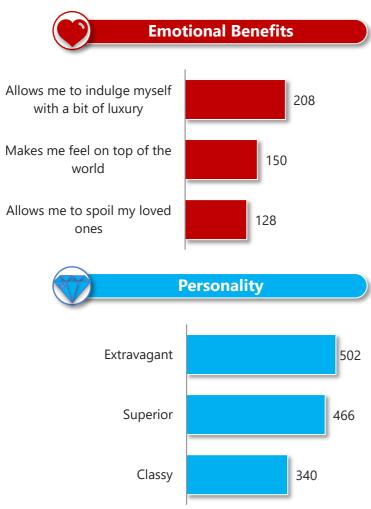






# **EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE**

### **Core motivations**





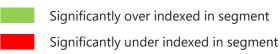




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### SEGMENT PROFILE – EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE





#### **TYPOLOGY**

TYPE OF HOLIDAY

City break (focusing on cultural, shopping, Club,

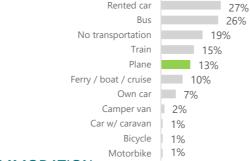
Holiday to experience nature, scenery and wildlife

Cultural experience (focus on art, theatre etc)

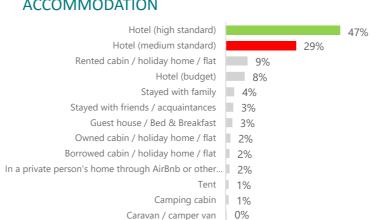






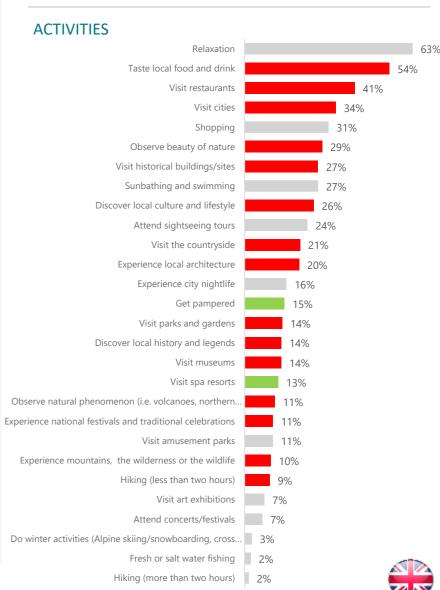


#### **ACCOMMODATION**



#### **ACTIVITIES**





#### Event holiday (festivals, sports etc) 8% Other type of winterholiday with snow 6%





Sun and beach holiday Sightseeing/round trip

Visits to historic sites

Sports/active holiday

Travel to cottage/holiday home... 9%

Countryside holiday 9%

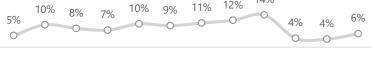
Culinary trip 10%

Party& fun 10%

Visiting friends and relatives

15 or more days

#### TIME OF YEAR

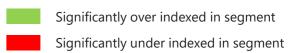


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### SEGMENT PROFILE - EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE











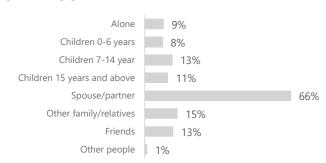
#### **INFLUENCERS**



#### **TRAVEL COMPANIONS**



#### WHO DID YOU TRAVEL WITH



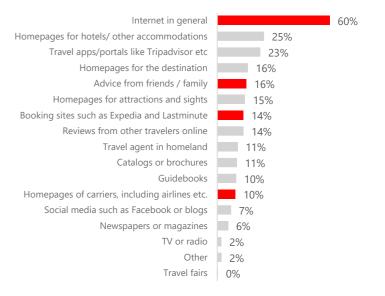
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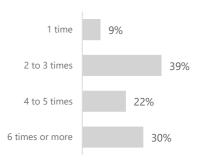
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4%

#### **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 make me feel on top of the world and help me to enjoy life to the fullest.

#### **DESTINATION; WHAT AM I LOOKING** FOR?

I want to go to a place that offers a wide range of possible activities also for kids. A destination that allows me to be physical active. There should be few language barriers. Good shopping opportunities are also important.

#### PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT **STAND FOR?**

The destination needs to be playful, outgoing, sociable, active, explorative and adventurous.

#### SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD IT **REFLECT UPON ME?**

The destination should be for people who like to do things spontaneously impulsively, and who likes adventure. These travelers want to have as much **fun** as possible in life and wants life **changing experiences** whilst travelling. They also appreciate spending time with friends.

**27**% **ARE BELOW** 30 YEARS



**SHARE OF OVERNIGHT STAYS** 10%

12% 18-24 25-29 15% 50-59 60-65

30-39 24% 40-49 30% 10% Older than 65 years

# **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 sports/active holidays, party and fun, ski holidays and other types of winter holiday with snow!

#### **HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE**

More than in other segments you will find activities like visits to amusement parks, hiking, winter activities (Alpine skiing/snowboarding, cross country skiing, dog-sleigh, snowmobile etc.) 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 live life to the fullest. 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 hotels (medium standard) and at 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 4 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**.

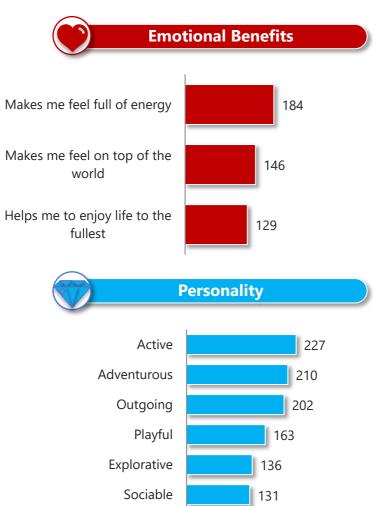




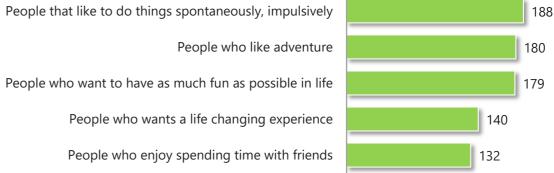
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# **ENERGY**

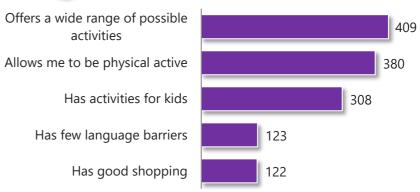
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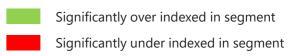




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### SEGMENT PROFILE - ENERGY



#### **TYPOLOGY**





#### TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION









**ACTIVITIES** 

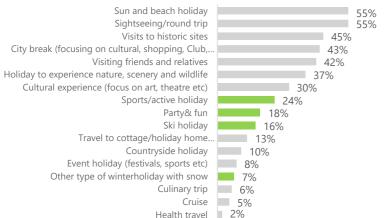


Visit art exhibitions

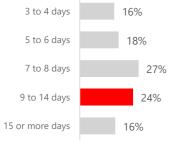
Fresh or salt water fishing 4%

11%

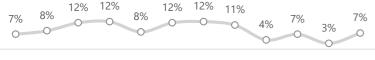






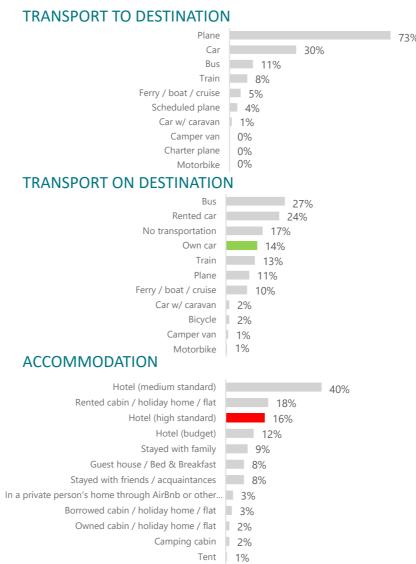


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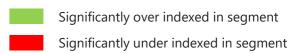
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Caravan / camper van 0%

### SEGMENT PROFILE - ENERGY



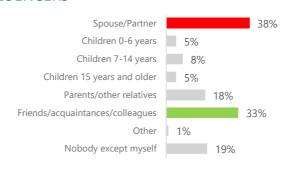




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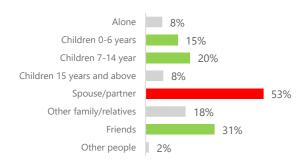
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#### **TRAVEL COMPANIONS**



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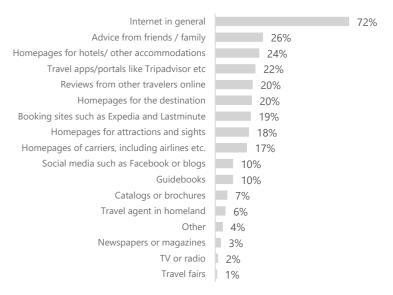


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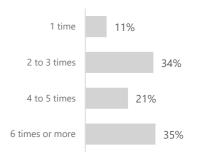




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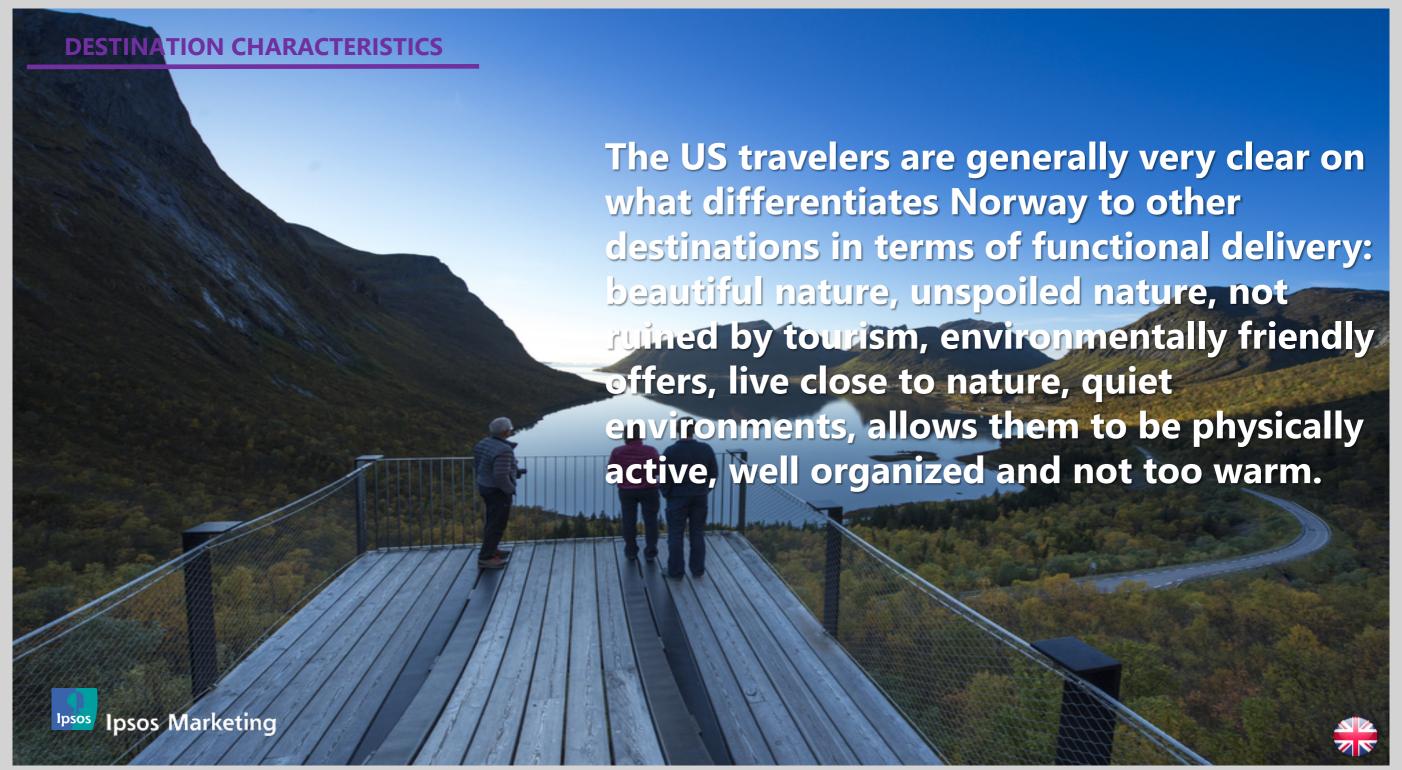












#### **BRAND PERSONALITY**

In the UK, Norway is first and foremost seen as the active and fresh destination compared to other destinations.

For the UK traveler Norway is also seen as the "PEACEFUL" destination compared to other destinations.

Who am i?





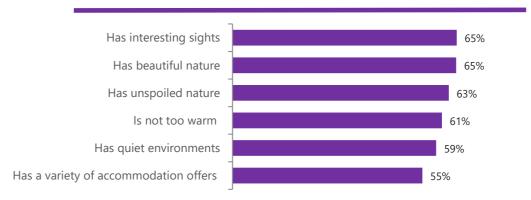


### TOP ASSOCIATIONS TO NORWAY ON ALL FOUR FACETS

#### **EMOTIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**



#### **DESTINATION CHARACTERISTICS**



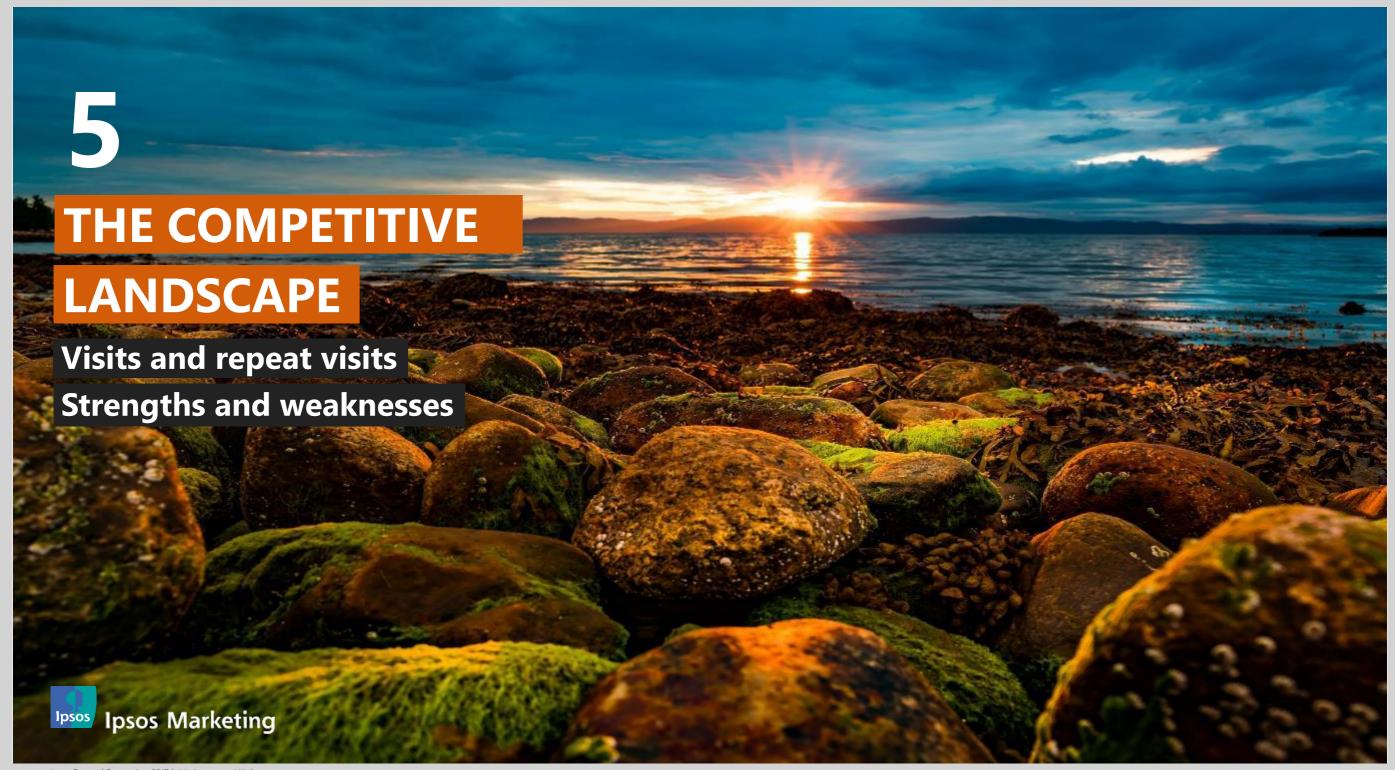
#### **BRAND PERSONALITY**



#### **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
SPAIN	0.07	0.03	0.19	0.27	-0.32	0.12	-0.13	-0.03	-0.28
ITALY	0.08	-0.03	0.21	0.37	-0.38	-0.06	-0.05	0.10	-0.19
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
AVERAGE	0.06	-0.13	0.22	0.28	-0.22	0.03	-0.03	-0.06	-0.16



Good fit
Neutral fit
Bad fit

# OVERVIEW DESTINATIONS FIT IN UK 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
Austria	-0.22	-0.11	-0.22	0.07	-0.01	0.29	0.22	-0.17	-0.01
Canada	-0.11	-0.06	-0.35	-0.01	-0.10	0.00	0.45	-0.03	0.21
Croatia	-0.09	0.15	0.04	0.44	-0.34	0.06	0.23	-0.40	-0.09
Czech Republic	0.22	0.05	-0.11	-0.12	0.03	0.09	0.06	-0.12	0.07
Denmark	-0.22	0.12	-0.13	0.01	0.12	0.33	0.13	-0.26	-0.18
Finland	-0.07	0.00	-0.28	0.27	-0.17	0.19	0.49	-0.27	-0.03
France	-0.14	-0.10	0.28	-0.06	0.28	0.09	-0.53	0.09	-0.21
Germany	-0.15	0.07	-0.08	-0.36	0.53	0.34	-0.18	-0.10	-0.25
Iceland	-0.02	-0.13	-0.53	0.10	-0.14	0.06	0.66	-0.04	0.08
Italy	-0.07	0.08	0.25	-0.01	-0.23	0.22	-0.34	0.10	-0.19
Netherlands	0.04	0.25	0.16	-0.18	0.33	0.17	-0.27	-0.26	-0.04
New Zealand	0.02	-0.12	-0.46	0.12	-0.28	-0.10	0.67	-0.07	0.30
Norway	-0.19	-0.06	-0.35	0.23	-0.16	0.22	0.51	-0.19	-0.07
Portugal	-0.03	-0.03	0.62	0.25	0.20	-0.25	-0.58	-0.18	0.01
South Africa	0.00	-0.01	-0.33	-0.06	-0.36	-0.05	0.56	0.12	0.11
Spain	0.20	-0.04	0.41	-0.01	0.32	-0.25	-0.57	-0.02	0.03
Sweden	-0.16	-0.10	-0.18	0.15	0.20	0.20	0.13	-0.09	-0.25
Switzerland	-0.12	-0.32	-0.35	0.03	0.13	0.10	0.11	0.25	-0.12
Thailand	0.27	0.09	-0.12	0.03	-0.35	-0.28	0.25	0.21	0.14
USA	0.20	-0.11	0.04	-0.47	0.19	-0.24	-0.31	0.31	0.38



Good fit
Neutral fit
Bad fit







### 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

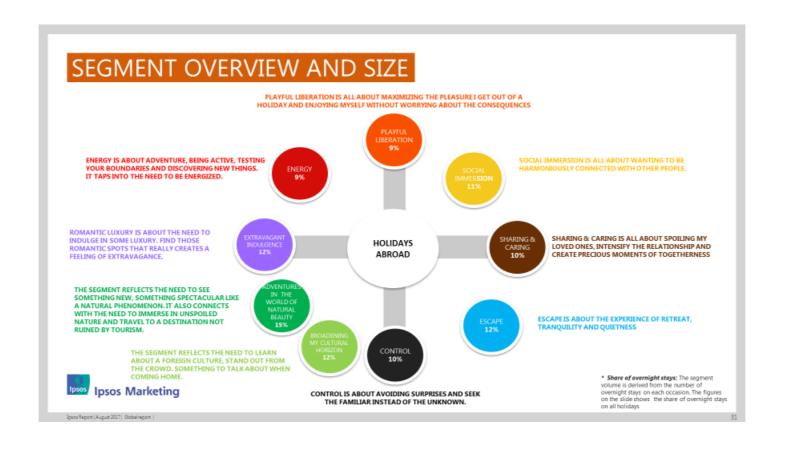
- Norway is already associated with a wide variety of holiday needs & activities
- The whole of Norway, the whole year round

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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\*)**

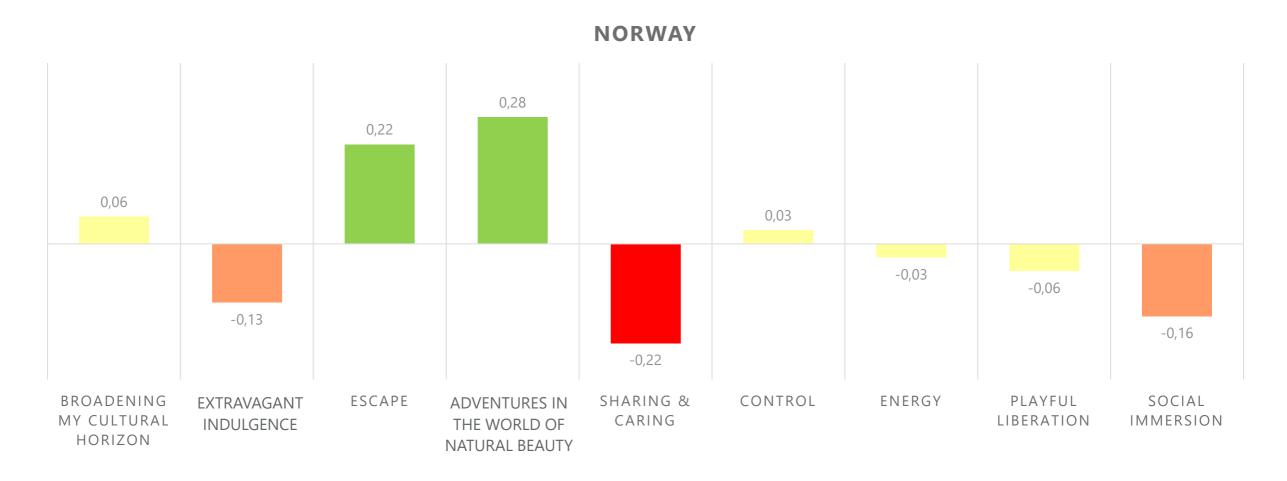
US	UK	Denmark	Sweden	China	Spain	ltaly	Nether- lands	France	Germany	GLOBAL
				26%		19%				9%
	13%		12%					13%	14%	11%
	14%						19%			10%
	13%	17%					12%		21%	12%
17%				16%	15%					10%
		13%	14%					21%		12%
13%		18%	18%		14%	14%	22%	19%	14%	15%
24%				23%	16%	13%				12%
										9%



<sup>\*</sup> 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

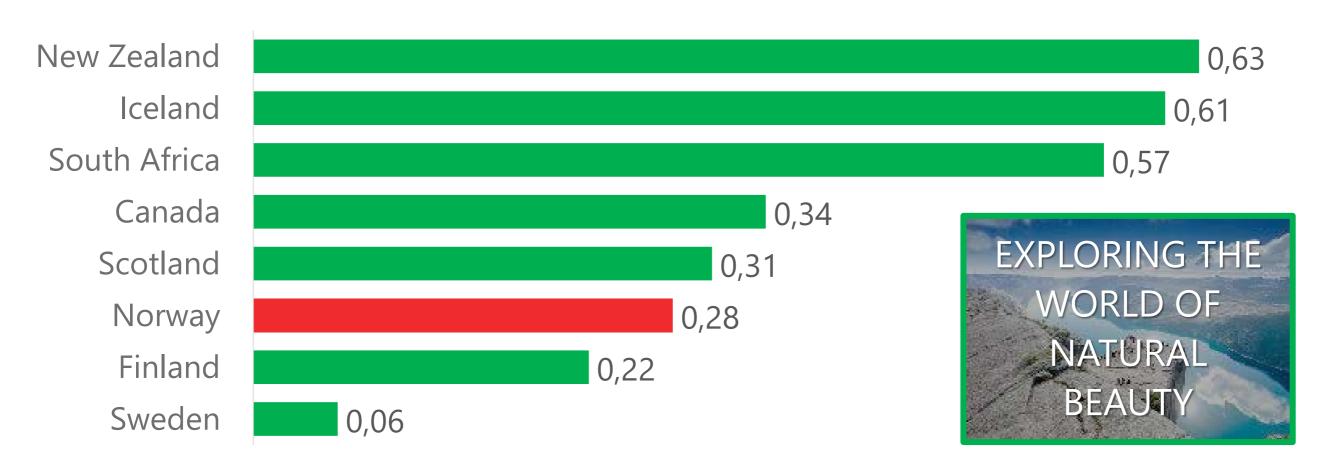
Highly relevant for one segment, decent relevance for additional 5 segments





### DIVERSIFICATION IS NECESSARY TO STAY COMPETITIVE

Nature is a highly competitive area

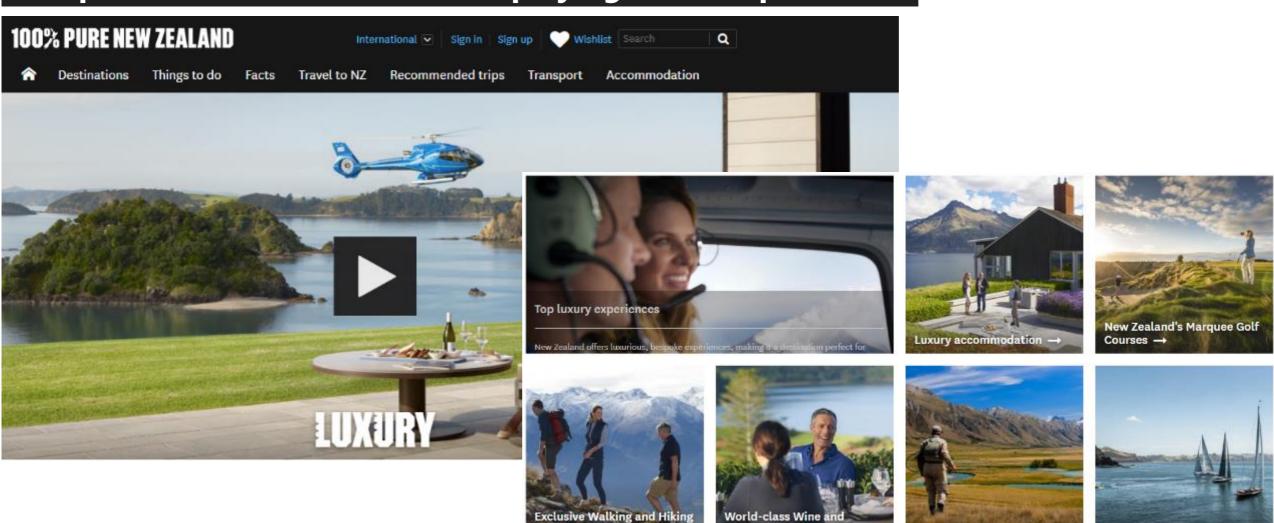




Fit with Exploring the World of Natural Beauty

# DIVERSIFICATION IS NECESSARY TO STAY COMPETITIVE

### Competitive destinations too are playing on multiple needs



World-class Wine and

Private Fly Fishing -

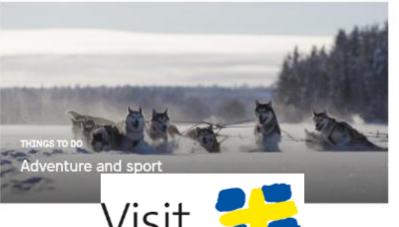
Super yacht cruising -





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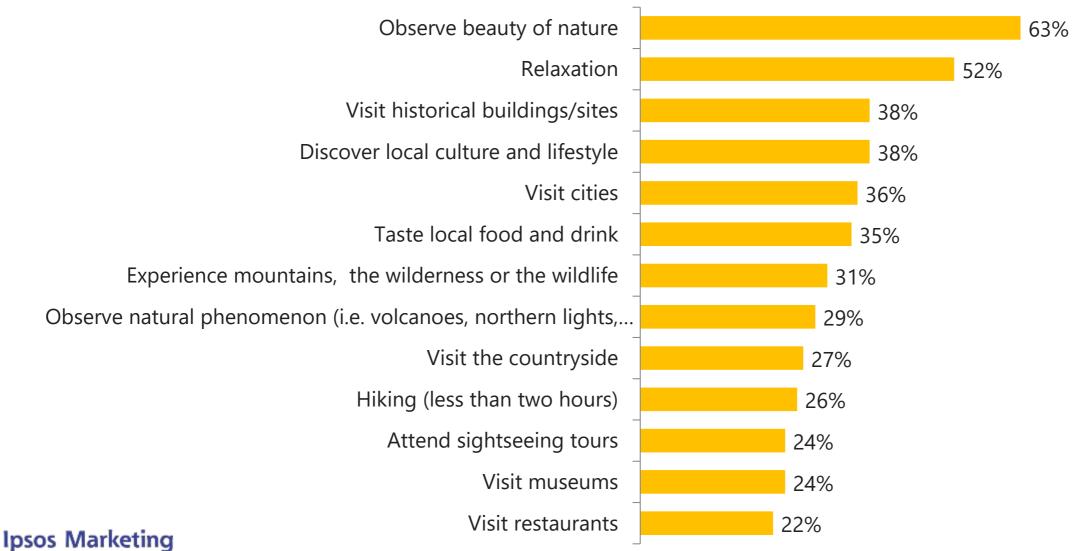






### NORWAY HAS A LOT TO OFFER

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



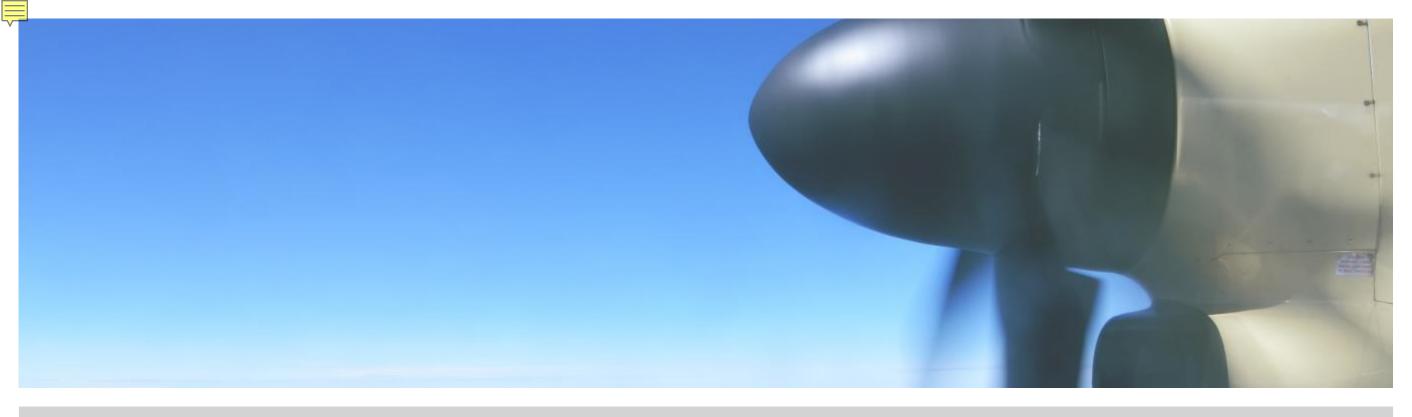


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This fits with the ambition to promote "the whole of Norway, the whole year round"



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# RECOMMENDATIONS FOR UK

Where do we go from here?



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### NORWAY NEEDS TO CONTINUE TO WORK ON HOLIDAY BASICS IN THE UK

### Norway fails to meet some basic holiday expectations

Good value for money. Easy to travel to.

Interesting sights, rich experiences, sharing good times with others



For people who are interested to learn more

Relaxed, friendly

Good local cuisine. Easy to travel around.

Peaceful

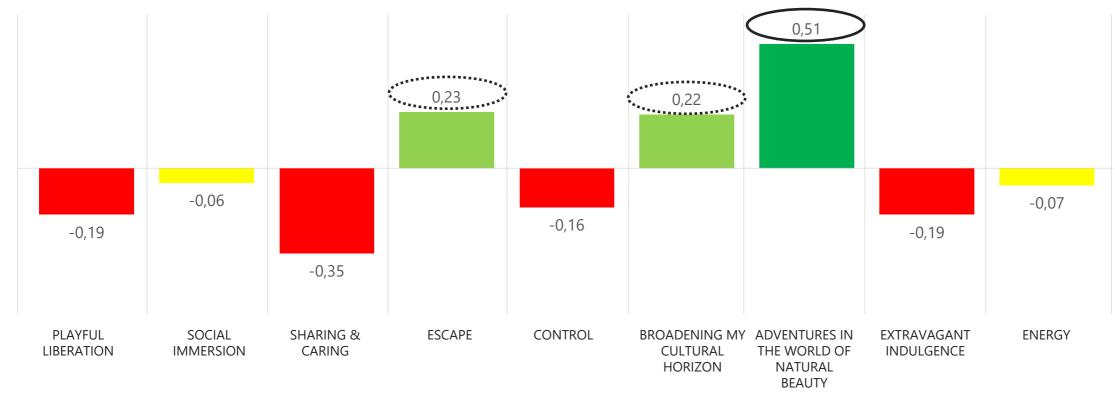
Escape and explore.





# NORWAY CONNECTS WELL WITH MULTIPLE NEEDS IN THE UK

Highly relevant for one segment, and very 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 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.



Norway's nature is a perfect place for UK 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.







# QUESTIONS?

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