

# ACTIVATING The norway brand

## A report on holiday needs and segments in the Italian market

for Innovation Norway

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# NORWAY A TRUE GLOBAL BRAND

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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.



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#### THE PURPOSE OF THE RESEARCH:

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TO IDENTIFY THE BEST MEANS OF STRENGTHENING THE FUTURE OF THE NORWEGIAN TRAVEL INDUSTRY

#### TO UNDERSTAND THE COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE AND TARGET NEEDS TO PROMOTE INNOVATION AND COMMUNICATION

In order to do so, this research provides answers to the two questions: - What is the ideal holiday? - How are destinations (brands) positioned?

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# THE PHILOSOPHY BEHIND THE RESEARCH

Point of view & approach

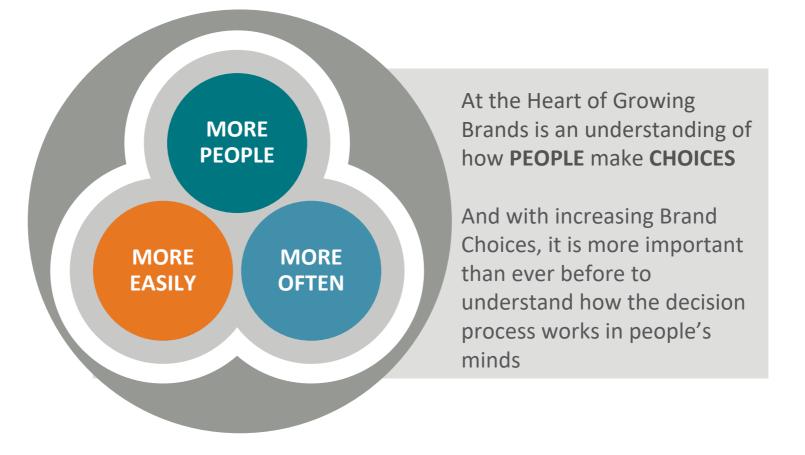


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## THE STARTING POINT:

## 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

# System 1 System 2

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



**HOW PEOPLE THINK ABOUT** 

**BRANDS** 

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

#### **HOW PEOPLE ARE INFLUENCED**



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 fastprocessing, automatic decision environment

#### **RANK FIRST**

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

#### FORM RELATIONSHIPS

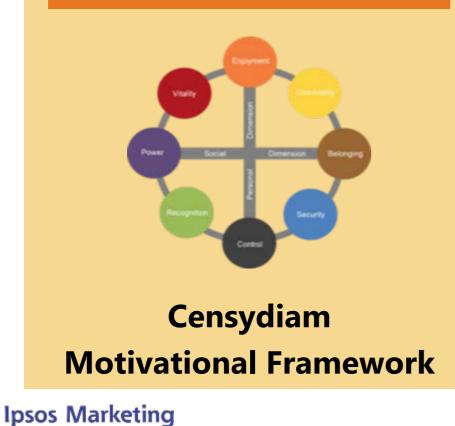
They must fulfil the key motivational criteria for selection: meeting functional and emotional needs and creating connections

#### 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

#### **BE RELEVANT**

Associate your brand with relevant category roles



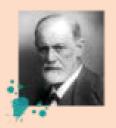
Censydiam offers a **validated approach** to understand the different roles brands can play in the category.

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



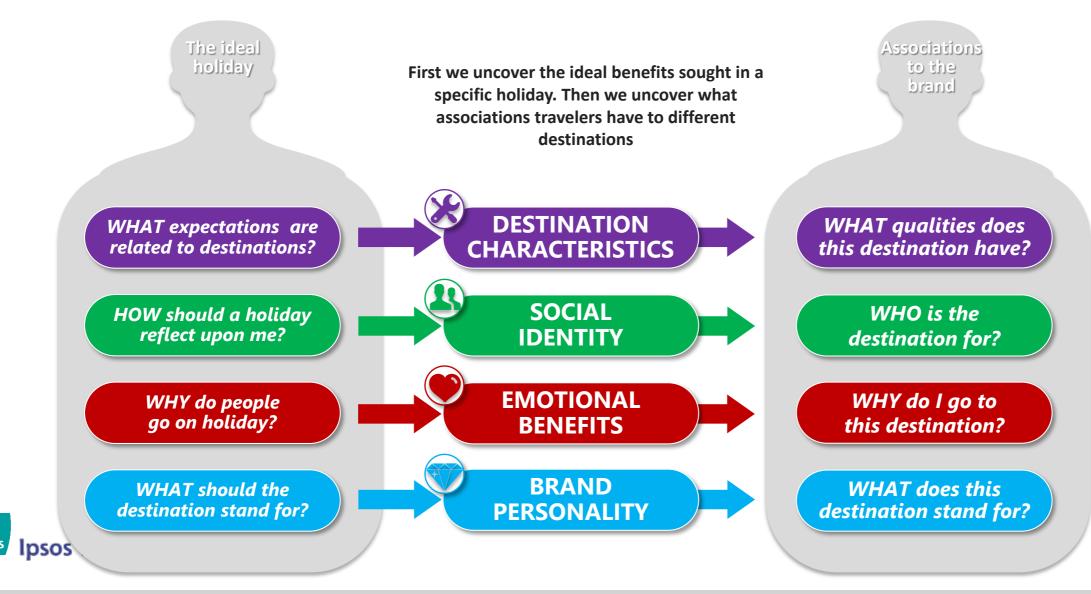
Over 30+ years experience across the globe & scientific thesis

## **СД** А

**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

A JOURNEY TO MY EXTREMES

views. A life changing experience.

A JOURNEY TO MY ASPIRATIONALEGO To show success. To feel progressive and successful: gain more than the average, and deserve a high quality life

gives me stories to tell. It's "photographable" A JOURNEY TO MY DIFFERENT ME

enjoyment. Holidays abroad is providing a tool to show off, to explicitly establish their more superior status. I want to live

exceptional, exclusive, tailored-fitted experiences and be

proud of it. Social media enhances this pressure to please. It

To feel unique and different. I seek atypical destinations and unique

experiences, with little tourists, only reserved to the happy few, away

from the masses. Holidays is about appreciating oneself and gaining

educational input for intellectual development that broadens my

To step out of my comfort zone, experience new, exciting things... with a little sense of danger. To feel energized from overcoming the challenge. To

feel confident and excited in taking risks, no matter if it is to try extreme

sports or get familiar with a strange culture. Holiday abroad provides those

"easy troubles" to confront and overcome. Holiday is about gaining new

ration by fully diving into adrenaline, cultural shock and new po

#### 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.



To feel isolated from trouble and responsibility in normal life. To feel carefree for a while. I do not have to follow or live up to certain rules, which weigh me down from time to time. Holiday abroad provides a

HOLIDAYS

ABROAD

To feel focus and face the inner self. I go abroad but in a familiar, safe and secure environment, where

I don't have to worry about a thing, it's all organized for me and makes me feel comfortable. I want to let go of my normal responsibilities and everything needs to run in a smooth structured way.

A JOURNEY TO SOCIAL IMMERSION To be more sociable and iovial. To feel more sociable, to become

hem - and share/live experiences with them.

nore approachable / good-natured in order to fit in and share

noments. Holiday is about providing a context that you can make

JOURNEY TO MY BOND WITH MY DEAREST

I want to share and spend time with my family, holidays

means being together and (re)connect. To feel accepted, being one of WE something in common, to fulfill the need of

shared experiences and memorable moments.

JOURNEY TO SAFE COMFORT AND RELIVE

To feel relayed and comfortable. Holidays are a "me-moment"

where I can relax and take care of myself, by retreating from the

outside world. A "safe haven". A holiday abroad should fulfill the

need for disengagement. I want to really unwind / take a step

elonging. Holidays abroad provides an common identity,

new friends. I want to meet local people, to live among them, as

A TOURNEY TO LIMITLESS INDUI GENCE

A JOURNEY WITHOUT SURPRISES

isolated world, to optimize the experience of "happy in the moment"

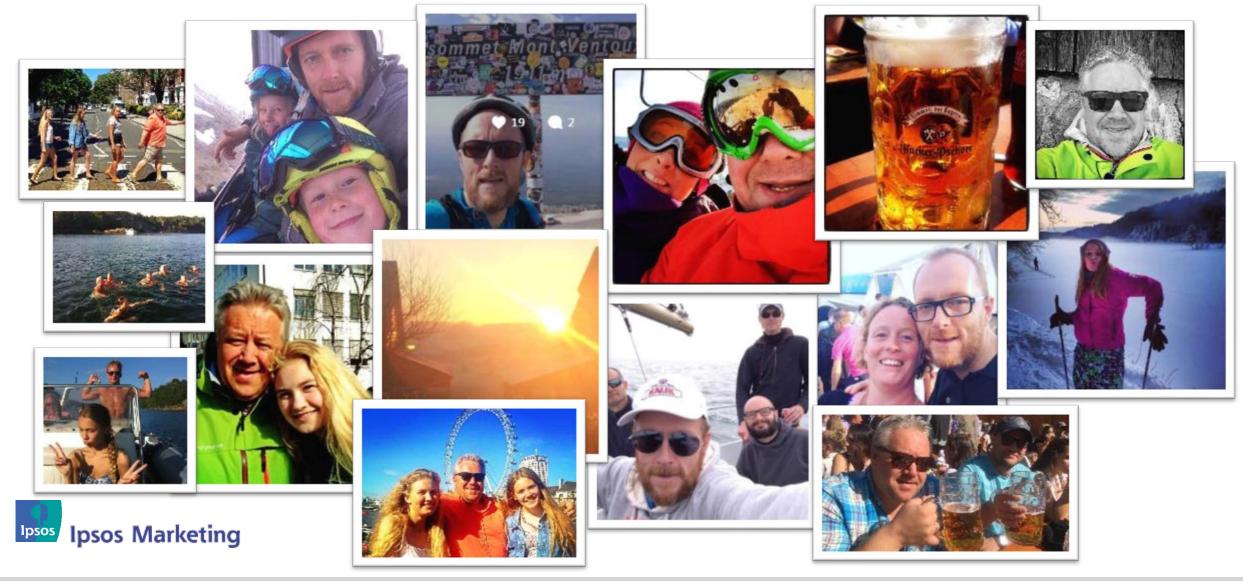
3. At this stage this hypothesis have been tested quantitativly in several markets to create one global segmentation model.





#### 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

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#### 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
- 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 want to escape from the demands of

People who prefer the familiar over the unknown

• 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

• People who is sophisticated and classy

• People who like to explore and have new

• People who wants a life changing experience

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People who enjoy taking care of othersPeople who have strong family values

• People who needs time for themselves

People who make rational choices

People who want to revitalize themselves

• People who are interested to learn more

• People who want to make a different choice

life and relax and unwind

People who avoid risk

way

for it

high quality

experiences

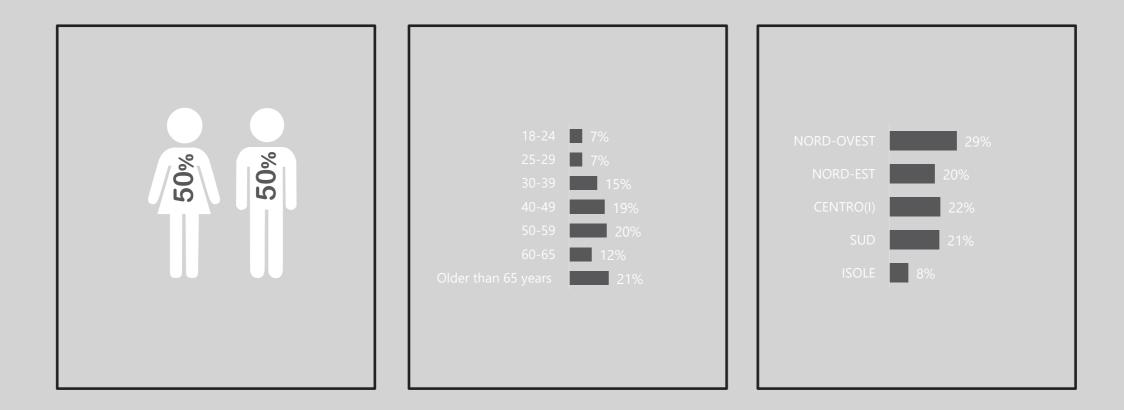
• People who like adventure

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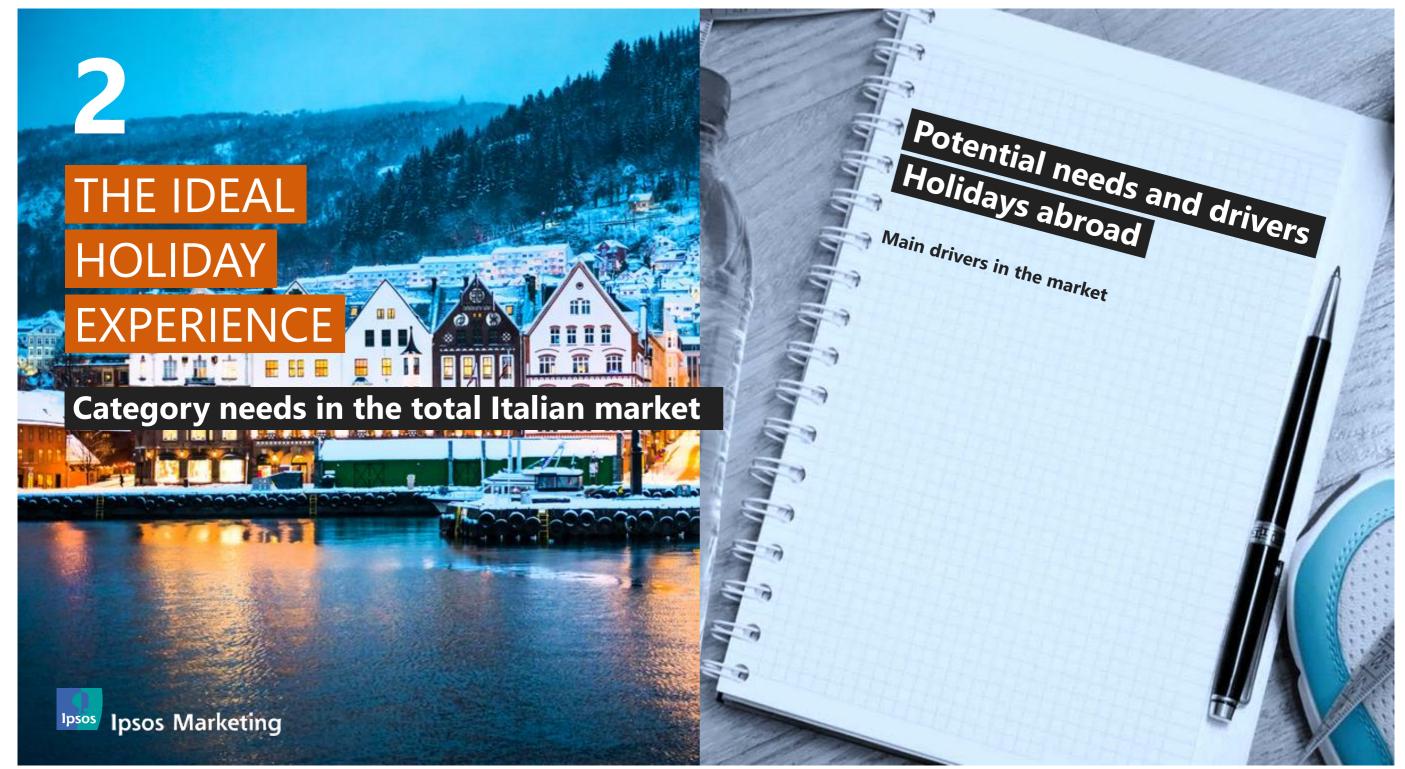


## SAMPLE N = 2168

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







# EMOTIONAL BENEFITS

WHY do people go on holiday?

## Allows me to discover new and interesting places

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#### **Enriches my view on the world**

NOTE: Indexed vs. average of all items in facet We report all items with a score which is 1 standard deviation higher than the average

# IDEAL DESTINATION CHARACTERISTICS WHAT expectations are related to specific destination characteristics? Has interesting sights 195 Good value for money 191 Has interesting culture & art 174

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Has rich cultural heritage

#### Is easy to travel around

NOTE: Indexed vs. average of all items in facet We report all items with a score which is 1 standard deviation higher than the average

## IDEAL BRAND PERSONALITY

## WHAT should the destination stand for?



## IDEAL SOCIAL IDENTITY

HOW should a holiday reflect upon me?

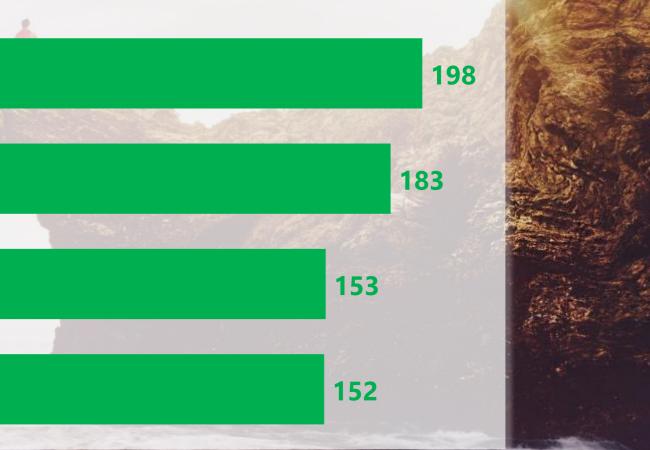
People who like to explore and have new experience...

People who are interested to learn more

**People who needs time for themselves** 

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

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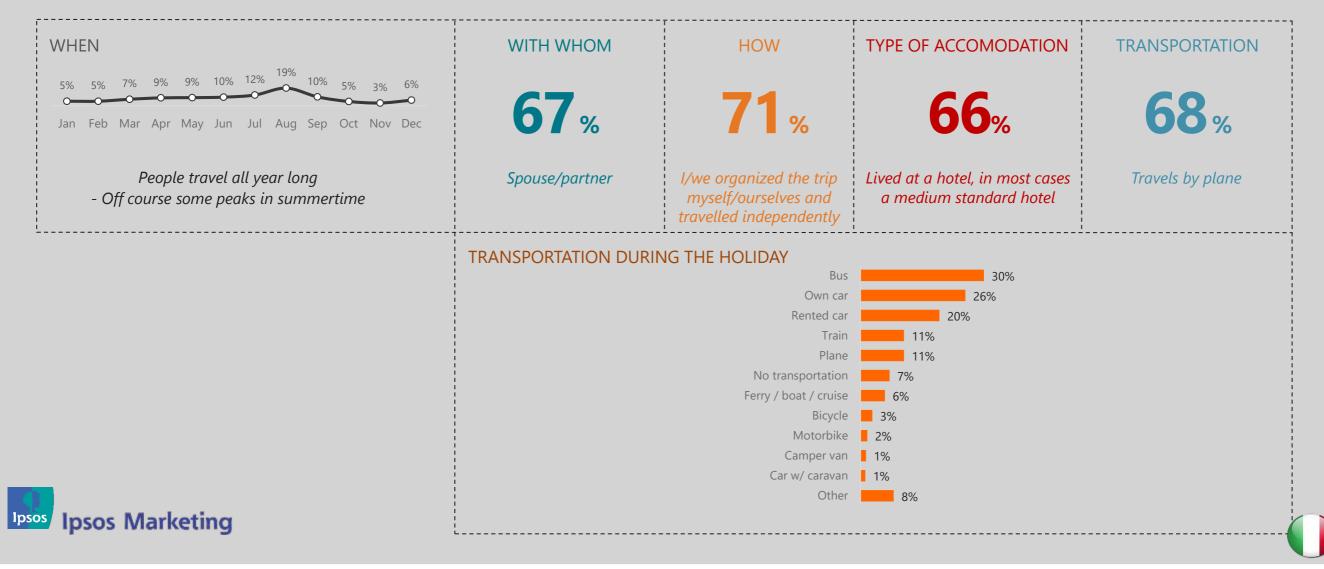


# CATEGORY BEHAVIOR

## With whom, how, when...

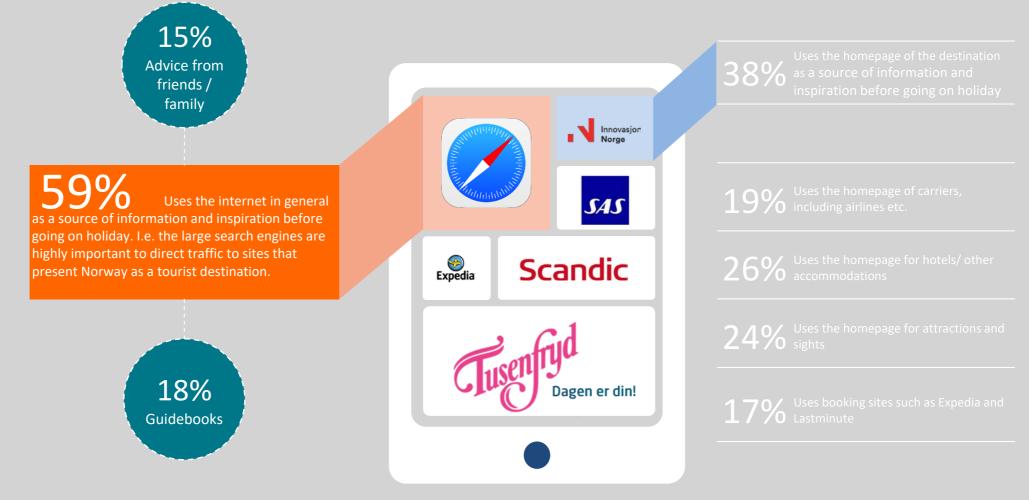
## WHEN, WHO, HOW, WHERE

#### Highlights on Italian category behavior



## SOURCES OF INFORMATION BEFORE AND DURING TRAVEL

#### The digital channels are most important

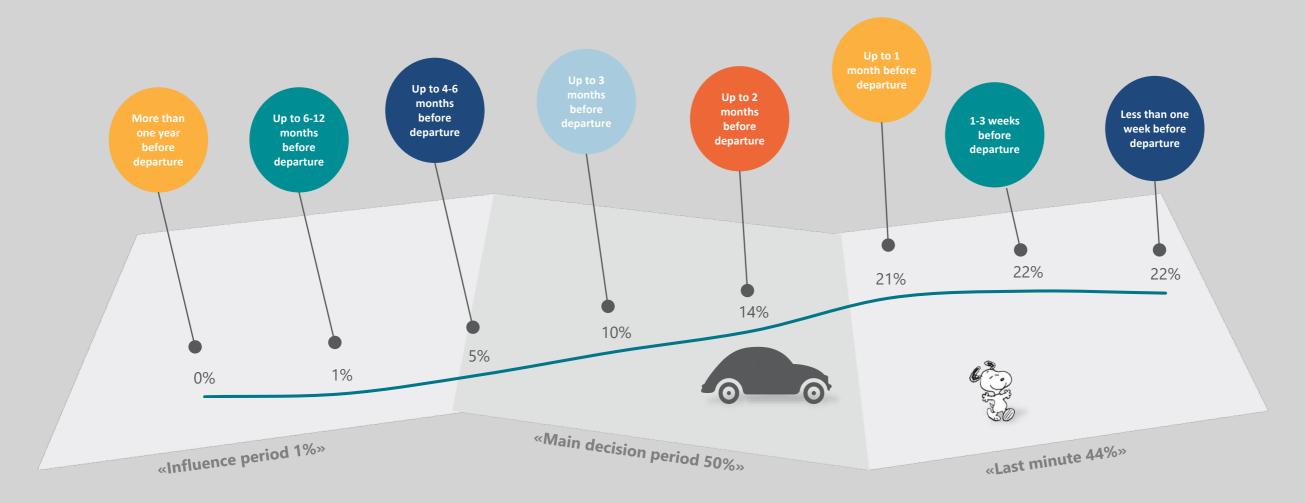




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### MOST TRAVELS ARE DECIDED UPON BETWEEN 1-6 MONTHS IN ADVANCE

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

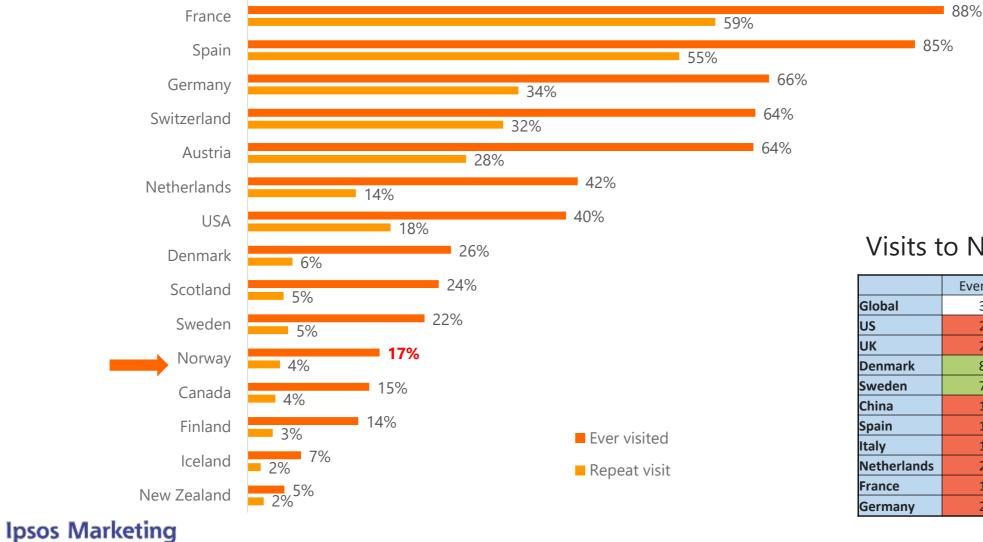




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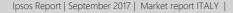
## EVER VISITED THIS COUNTRY?

#### The Italians goes to France and Spain



#### Visits to Norway all markets:

	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 %



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## 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

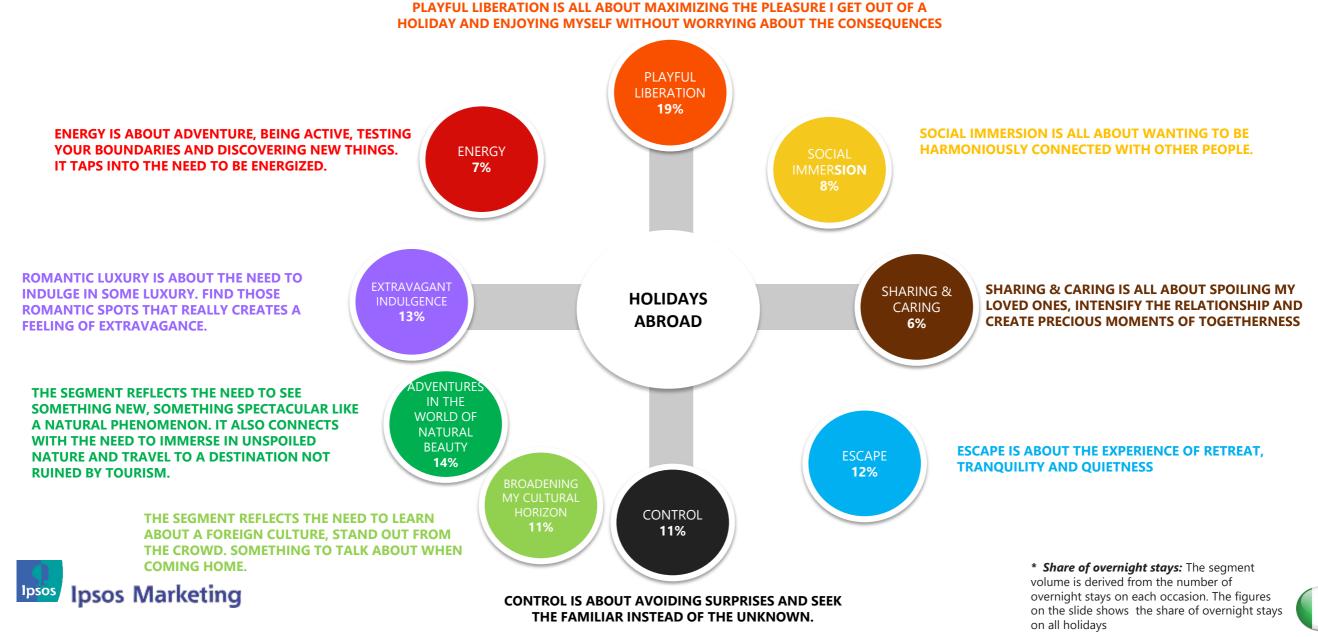




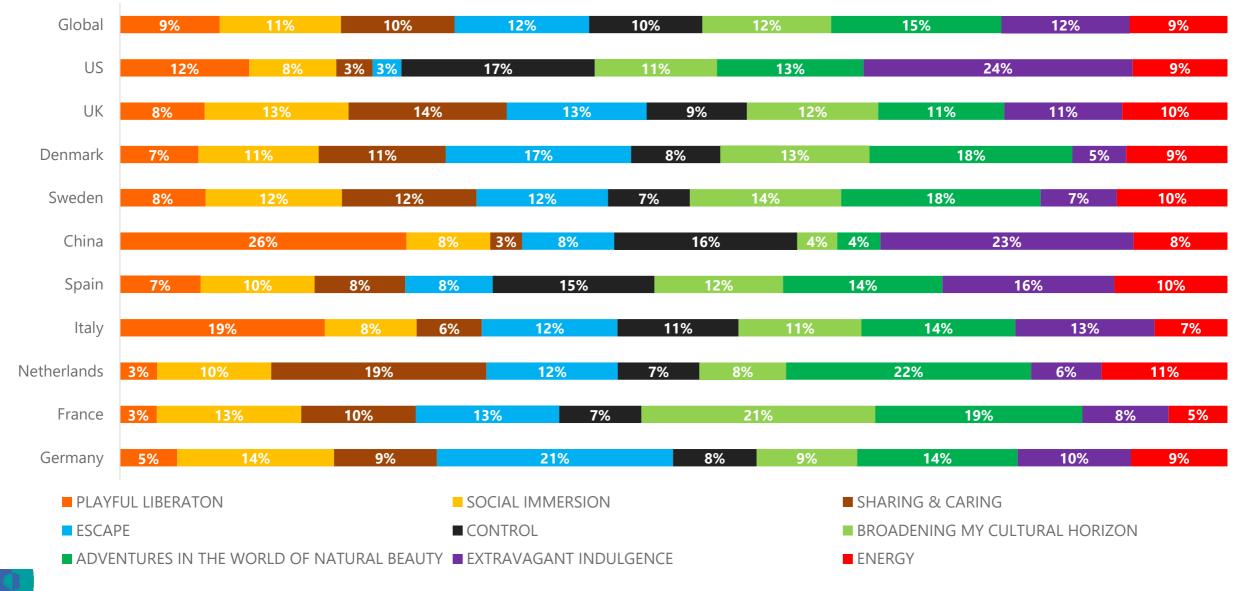
## 9 DISTINCT SEGMENTS



## SEGMENT OVERVIEW AND SIZE\*



## SEGMENT SIZE\* PER MARKET



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\* 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.

## 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.

#### **NEW MEANING OF THE BLUE SEGMENT**

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.

## 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 – ITALY

## - 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	2168	391	185	132	247	272	274	216	305	146
Sun and beach holiday	54 %	56 %	55 %	58 %	65 %	51 %	41 %	53 %	53 %	51 %
Ski holiday	4 %	4 %	2 %	6 %	3 %	7 %	1 %	2 %	8 %	2 %
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Sightseeing/round trip	42 %	39 %	46 %	40 %	33 %	48 %	40 %	40 %	48 %	47 %
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Party&fun	30 %	37 %	27 %	39 %	25 %	25 %	23 %	31 %	32 %	34 %
Countryside holiday	4 %	4 %	3 %	5 %	6 %	3 %	1 %	5 %	3 %	3 %
Cruise	5 %	6 %	5 %	5 %	3 %	6 %	6 %	7 %	4 %	1 %



### PLAYFUL LIBERATION

### PLAYFUL AND FRESH

#### PARTY AND FUN

Playful Liberation is all about maximizing the pleasure I get out of a holiday and enjoying myself without worrying about the consequences. I go a little crazy, overindulge myself and lose all inhibitions. I am spontaneous, follow my instincts and live for the moment. The purpose of the holiday is abundance and enjoyment. It is impulsive and sometimes excessive or even manic.

# **PLAYFUL LIBERATION**

SOMETIMES I NEED TO LET GO. ENJOY LIFE TO THE FULLEST AND FEEL COMPLETELY LIBERATED. I NEED TO REFILL MY ENERGY AND PAMPER MYSELF. ITS ALL ABOUT ME.

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

The core meaning of going on holiday is to feel **full of energy** and allow me to **enjoy life to the fullest**.

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

I want to go to a place with a variety of accommodation offers, good shopping and good beaches. It should not be too warm and good service is also highly appreciated.

**50%** 

**ARE BELOW** 

50 YEARS

### PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

The destination needs to be **fresh** and **playful**.

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

The destination should be for people who wants to have as much fun as possible in life and that likes to party. More or less people that like to do things spontaneously, impulsively and people who enjoy spending time with friends.

SHARF OF

**OVERNIGHT** 

**STAYS** 

19%

10%

20%

25-29 8%

30-39 17%

40-49 15%

60-65 11%

50-59

Older than 65 years 19%

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# **PLAYFUL LIBERATION**

#### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

Of course you will find the typical **sun and beach** vacation in this segment, but you will also find **visits to historic sites** and **culture experiences**. 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 **fresh** and **playful**. 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.

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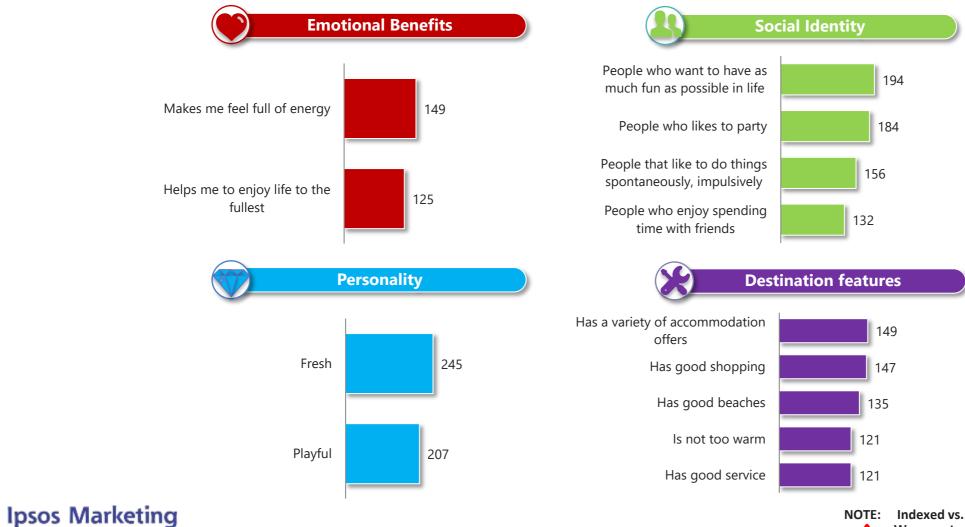
#### SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

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

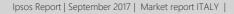


## PLAYFUL LIBERATION - ACTIVE, RELAXED AND FRESH

### **Core motivations**



Indexed vs. average of all items in facet We report all items with a score which is 1 standard deviation higher than the average



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### SEGMENT PROFILE – PLAYFUL LIBERATION

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### ACTIVITIES

#### ACTIVITIES

X

69%

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Visit cities	64%
Taste local food and drink	43%
Discover local culture and lifestyle	42%
Observe beauty of nature	40%
Visit historical buildings/sites	39%
Relaxation	31%
Visit parks and gardens	30%
Shopping	29%
Visit museums	28%
Visit restaurants	27%
Discover local history and legends	25%
Sunbathing and swimming	23%
Experience city nightlife	22%
Attend sightseeing tours	21%
Experience local architecture	21%
Visit art exhibitions	12%
Visit the countryside	10%
Experience national festivals and traditional celebrations	9%
Observe natural phenomenon (i.e. volcanoes, northern	9%
Attend concerts/festivals	9%
Get pampered	7%
Visit spa resorts	7%
Hiking (less than two hours)	6%
Experience mountains, the wilderness or the wildlife	6%
Hiking (more than two hours)	5%
Visit amusement parks	4%
Fresh or salt water fishing	3%
Do winter activities (Alpine skiing/snowboarding, cross	2%

### TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION

Plane

Train

Ferry / boat / cruise 6%

Scheduled plane 1%

Camper van

Car 23%

Bus 7%

3%

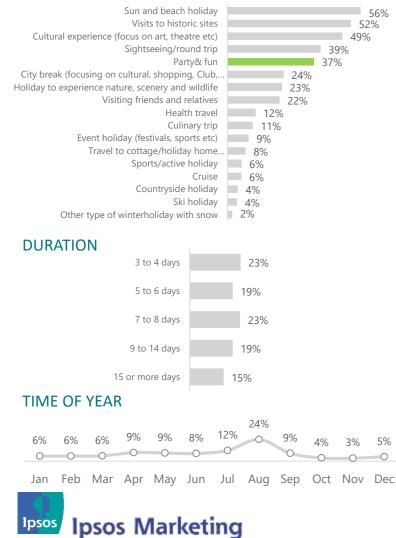
1%

TRANSPORT TO DESTINATION



#### TYPOLOGY

#### TYPE OF HOLIDAY



Charter plane 1% Car w/ caravan 1% Motorbike 0% TRANSPORT ON DESTINATION Bus 29% Own car 24% Rented car 21% Train 11% Plane 10% No transportation 8% Ferry / boat / cruise 8% Motorbike 2% Bicycle 1% Camper van 1% Car w/ caravan 1% ACCOMMODATION Hotel (medium standard) 41% Hotel (budget) 12% Hotel (high standard) 12% Rented cabin / holiday home / flat 12% Guest house / Bed & Breakfast 9% In a private person's home through AirBnb or other... 5% Stayed with friends / acquaintances 5% Stayed with family 4% Owned cabin / holiday home / flat 📃 3% Caravan / camper van 1% Borrowed cabin / holiday home / flat 1% 1% Tent Camping cabin | 1%

## SEGMENT PROFILE - PLAYFUL LIBERATION

**INFLUENCERS** 

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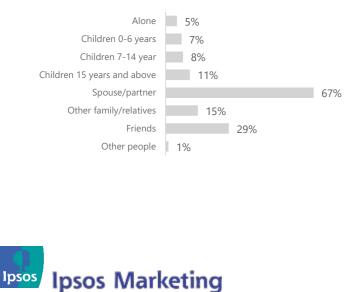


#### **DECISION MADE**

Less than one week before departure	19%	
1-3 weeks before departure	23%	
Up to 1 month before departure	21%	
Up to 2 months before departure	17%	
Up to 3 months before departure	10%	
Up to 4-6 months before departure	6%	
Up to 6-12 months before departure	0%	
More than one year before departure	0%	



#### WHO DID YOU TRAVEL WITH



#### NUMBER OF TRAVEL COMPANIONS





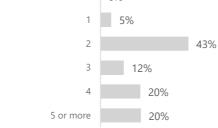
72%

43%

Parents/other relatives 11% Friends/acquaintances/colleagues 24% Other 2% Nobody except myself 22%

Spouse/Partner

Children 0-6 years 1% Children 7-14 years 2% Children 15 years and older 6%

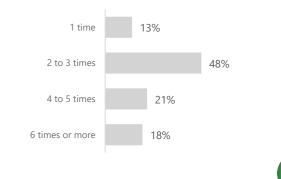


#### HOW DID YOU TRAVEL

#### INFORMATION SOURCES

Internet in general	62%
Homepages for the destination	39%
Homepages for hotels/ other accommodations	26%
Homepages for attractions and sights	20%
Reviews from other travelers online	18%
Booking sites such as Expedia and Lastminute	17%
Homepages of carriers, including airlines etc.	17%
Guidebooks	16%
Advice from friends / family	15%
Travel apps/portals like Tripadvisor etc	14%
Travel agent in homeland	14%
Catalogs or brochures	11%
Social media such as Facebook or blogs	6%
Newspapers or magazines	5%
Other	3%
Travel fairs	2%
TV or radio	1%

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



### SOCIAL IMMERSION

Sociable and openminded

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Meet local people, eat local cuisine Social immersion is all about wanting to be harmoniously connected with other people. For me, meeting people is a joy. I love having good times with good friends and opening up and meeting new

# **SOCIAL IMMERSION**

SOMETIMES I NEED TO IMMERSE MYSELF INTO LOCAL LIFE, MEET NEW PEOPLE AND EAT LOCAL CUISINE

### 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 holiday should create precious moments of togetherness and I would like to go places that allows me to discover new and interesting places. Furthermore I want to enrich my view on the world. I want to discover new and interesting places.

### 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 and **good local cuisine**. Interesting **sights**, interesting **culture** & art and a **rich cultural heritage is also important** 

38%

ARE ABOVE

60 YEARS

### PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

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

### 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 an **active and busy social life**. People who enjoy **spending time with friends**. People who like to **explore** and have **new experiences**. People who are interested to **learn more**.

SHARE OF

OVERNIGHT STAYS

8%

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#### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

In this segment you will find trips to experience culture, typical sun and beach holiday, visits to historical sites and at lot of sightseeing/ round trips. You will also find this segment visiting friends and relatives more than the other segments.

#### HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

These are consumers 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**.

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#### I TRAVEL TO MEET THE LOCALS

These consumers want to visit cities and discover local culture and lifestyle. They want to visit historical buildings and sites, taste local food and drinks and visit museums more than the other segments. The experience of national festivals and traditional celebrations 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.

#### SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

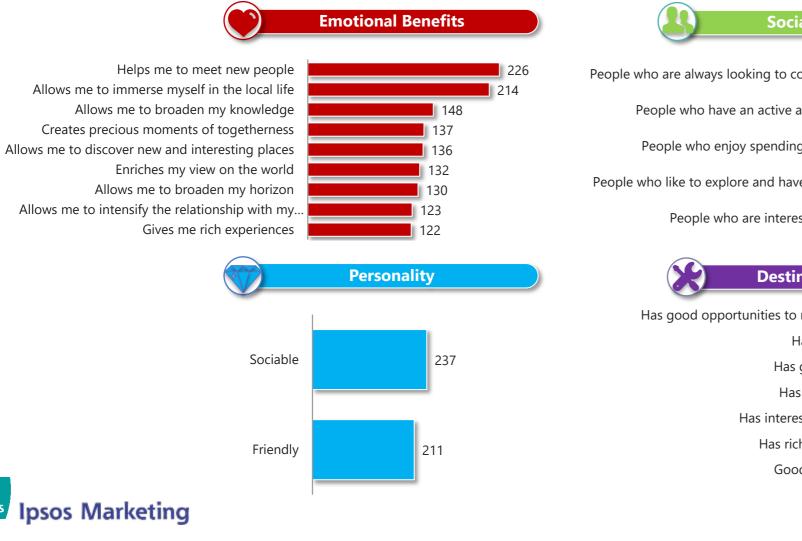
Most of these consumers make their decision less than 1 months before their departure (69%). They act more than the other segments on reviews from other travellers online. Internet in general is the most important information source. Their spouse/partner and friends heavily influences their choice.





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

### **Core motivations**





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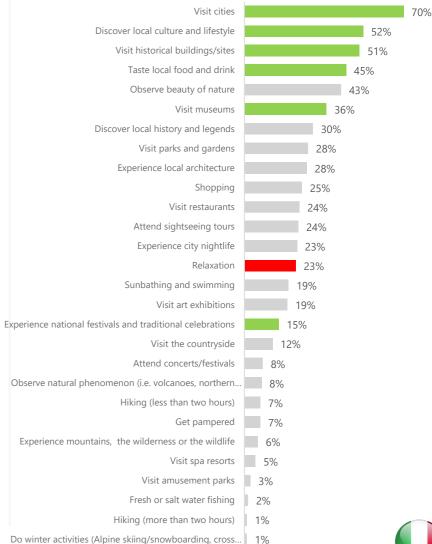
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### ACTIVITIES

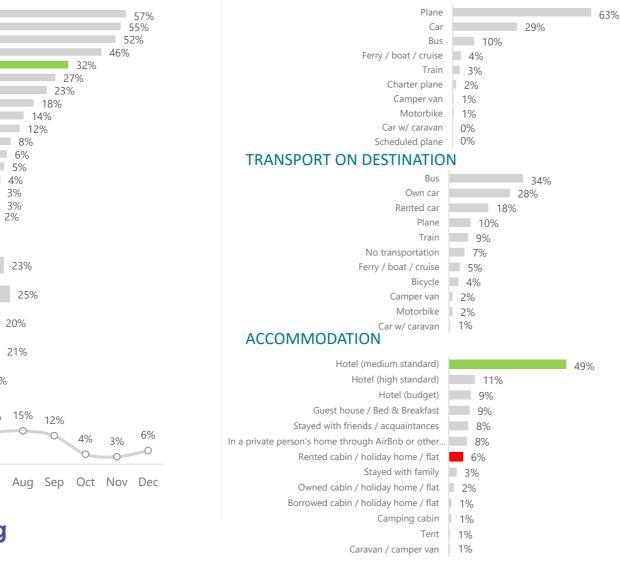
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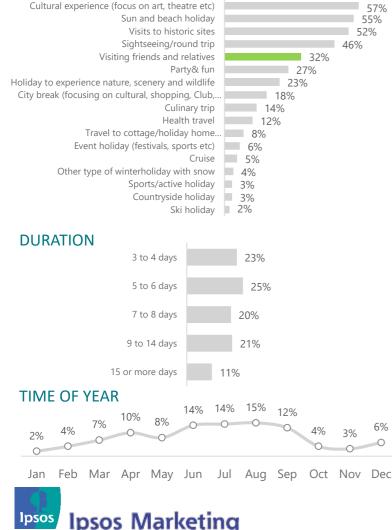
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#### TRANSPORT TO DESTINATION



#### TYPOLOGY

#### TYPE OF HOLIDAY



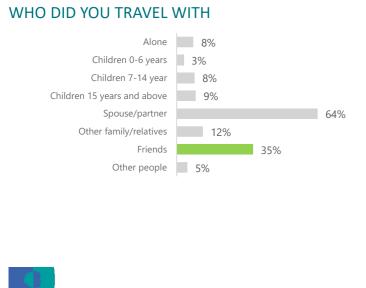
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#### **DECISION MADE INFLUENCERS** Less than one week before departure 28% Spouse/Partner 1-3 weeks before departure 18% Up to 1 month before departure 23% Up to 2 months before departure 13% Up to 3 months before departure 6% Up to 4-6 months before departure 4% Up to 6-12 months before departure 0% More than one year before departure 0%

### **TRAVEL COMPANIONS**



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43%

74%

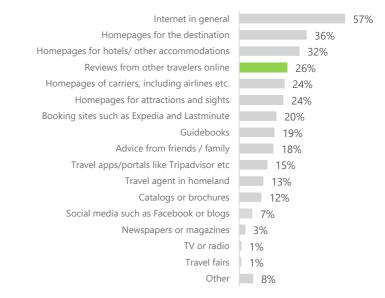
#### NUMBER OF TRAVEL COMPANIONS



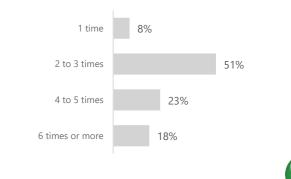


Don't know 1%

#### INFORMATION SOURCES



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



### SHARING AND CARING

Sociable and friendly

Precious moments of togetherness

Sharing and caring is all about being surrounded by people who accept me as I am, as an equal and who make me feel welcome. Sharing and caring is about the need to be part of society or a group we really feel part of. Part of this is linked to following norms and traditions just because we are part of that culture or group. It is about togetherness, brotherhood, camaraderie, taking care of others, being taken care of by others, and doing and feeling good

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# **SHARING AND CARING**

SOMETIMES I NEED TO SPOIL MY LOVED ONES AND CREATE PRECIOUS MOMENTS OF TOGETHERNESS. MY FAMILY COMES FIRST ABOVE ALL.

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

The core meaning of going on holiday is to create **precious moments of togetherness share good times** with others. I want to intensify the relationship with my loved one(s) and escape from my **hectic daily life**.

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

It has to be a destination that has **friendly people**, **good local cuisine** and should be **easy to travel to**. I want guaranteed sunshine and good **value for money**. My family needs guaranteed sunshine and good beaches. The destination should be easy to travel around as well.

**63**%

ARE ABOVE

40 YEARS

### PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

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

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

The destination should be for people for who have strong family values for people whom **family comes first above all**. People who enjoy spending time with friends and enjoy **taking care of others**. People who want to escape from the demands of life and relax and unwind

SHARE OF

**OVERNIGHT** 

STAYS

**6%** 

5%

2%

13%

17%

24%

13%

18-24 25-29

30-39

40-49

50-59

60-65

Older than 65 years

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# **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, health travels** 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 **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** and **sunbathing** and **swimming** is highly appreciated by this segment. They also like to taste visit cities and taste **local food** and drinks as well as **observe** the **beauty** of **nature**. The activities should be slow, warm and friendly. No pushing boundaries please!

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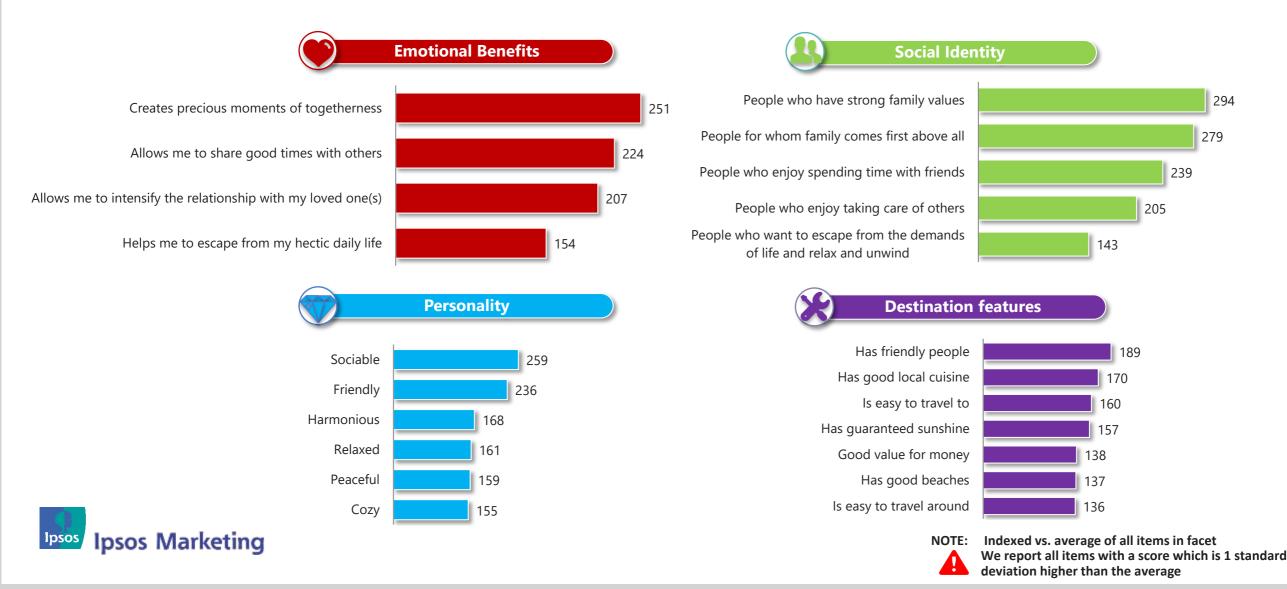
#### SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

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 other family members and relatives.



## SHARING AND CARING

### **Core motivations**



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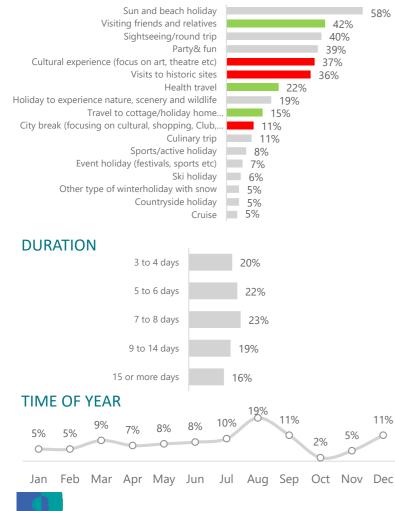
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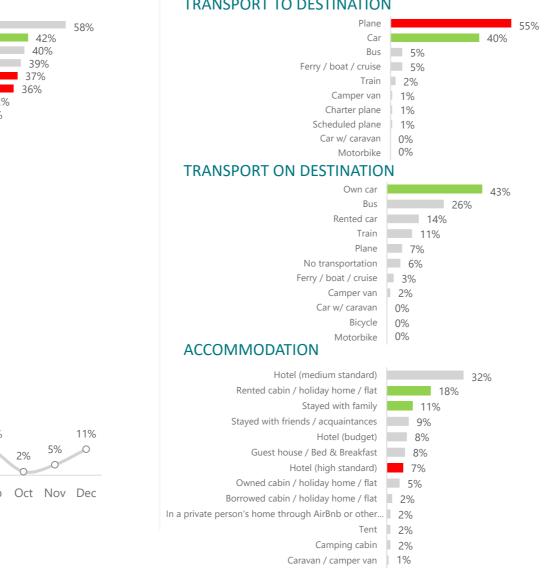
X **TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION** 

#### TYPE OF HOLIDAY

**TYPOLOGY** 



## TRANSPORT TO DESTINATION



### **ACTIVITIES**

Do winter activities (Alpine skiing/snowboarding, cross... 2%

#### ACTIVITIES

Visit cities	56%	
Relaxation	43%	
Taste local food and drink	42%	
Observe beauty of nature	38%	
Discover local culture and lifestyle	36%	
Visit historical buildings/sites	35%	
Sunbathing and swimming	33%	
Visit museums	29%	
Visit parks and gardens	28%	
Shopping	25%	
Visit restaurants	23%	
Discover local history and legends	20%	
Attend sightseeing tours	16%	
Experience local architecture	16%	
Experience city nightlife	14%	
Visit art exhibitions	11%	
Hiking (less than two hours)	9%	
Visit the countryside	9%	
Get pampered	9%	
Experience national festivals and traditional celebrations	9%	
Attend concerts/festivals	7%	
Visit spa resorts	5%	
Hiking (more than two hours)	5%	
Experience mountains, the wilderness or the wildlife	5%	
Observe natural phenomenon (i.e. volcanoes, northern	4%	
Visit amusement parks	4%	
Fresh or salt water fishing	4%	
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## SEGMENT PROFILE - SHARING AND CARING

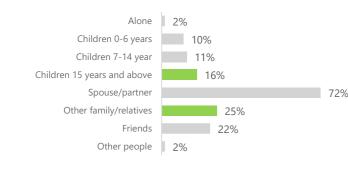
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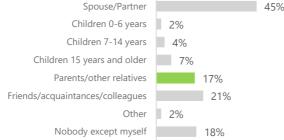
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#### WHO DID YOU TRAVEL WITH







#### NUMBER OF TRAVEL COMPANIONS

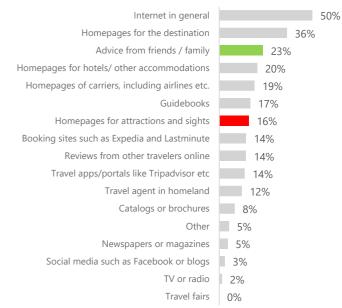


#### HOW DID YOU TRAVEL

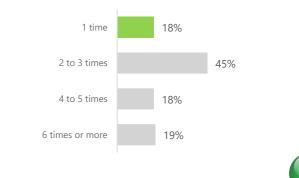


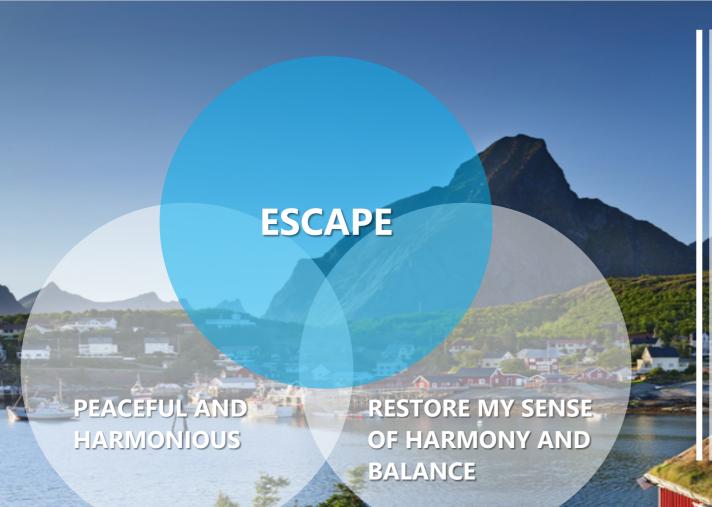
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#### INFORMATION SOURCES

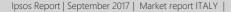


#### TRAVEL FREQUENCY (NUMBER OF TIMES ABROAD)





Escape is about the experience of retreat, tranquility and quietness. These are the holidays one feels the need to retreat and recharge. One is looking for an experience that sooths, comforts and takes away the stresses and strains of hectic daily life. These are the holidays one withdraws to a physical or mental space that is worry free - an almost childlike state of feeling safe and cared for.



## **ESCAPE**

SOMETIMES I NEED TO RESTORE MY SENSE OF HARMONY AND BALANCE. ESCAPE FROM THE DEMANDS OF LIFE, RELAX AND UNWIND.

#### EMOTIONAL BENEFITS; WHAT SHOULD THE PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT **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 pamper myself. I want to feel full of energy and a holiday should allow me to intensify the relationship with my loved ones.

#### **DESTINATION FEATURES AND ACTIVITIES:** WHAT AM I LOOKING FOR?

I want to go to a place that has **quiet** IT REFLECT UPON ME? environments, good beaches and unspoiled nature. It should allow me to live close to nature and should not be ruined by tourism. I need guaranteed sunshine, but it should not be too I also appreciate beautiful **nature**. warm. Furthermore the destination should have environmentally friendly offers and be good value for money.

43%

**ARE BETWEEN** 

**40-59** YEARS

### **STAND FOR?**

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

### SOCIAL IDENTITY; HOW SHOULD

The destination should be for people who needs escape from the demands of life and relax and unwind. People who need time for themselves. People who want to revitalize themselves, and for people for whom family comes first above all.

SHARE OF

**OVERNIGHT** 

STAYS

12%

49%

18-24

25-29

30-39

40-49

50-59

60-65

Older than 65 years

4%

4%

14%

23%

19%

13%

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## **ESCAPE**

#### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

Of course you will find the typical sun and beach vacation in this segment, but you will also find more **travels to experience nature**, **scenery and wildlife**, **health travels** and **countryside holidays** than in other segments.

#### HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

**Observe beauty of nature** and **relaxation** is on top of the list more than in other segments. The same goes for activities like **taste local food and drinks**, **sunbathing** and **swimming**, hiking, visit the countryside and experience mountains, the wilderness or the wildlife. Visits to spa resorts and **getting pampered** is also appreciated by this segment.

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#### 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** 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.

#### SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

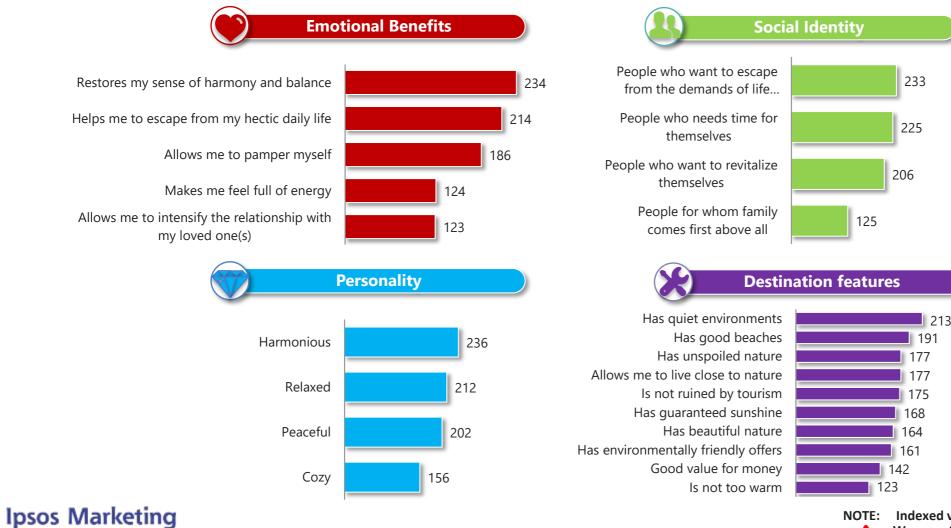
Most of these consumers decide on the trip shortly before departure. 66% of them settle for the trip less than **four weeks before** they go. They use the internet in general as information source, but use **homepages for the destination** and **travel apps** to a lager extent than the other segments.



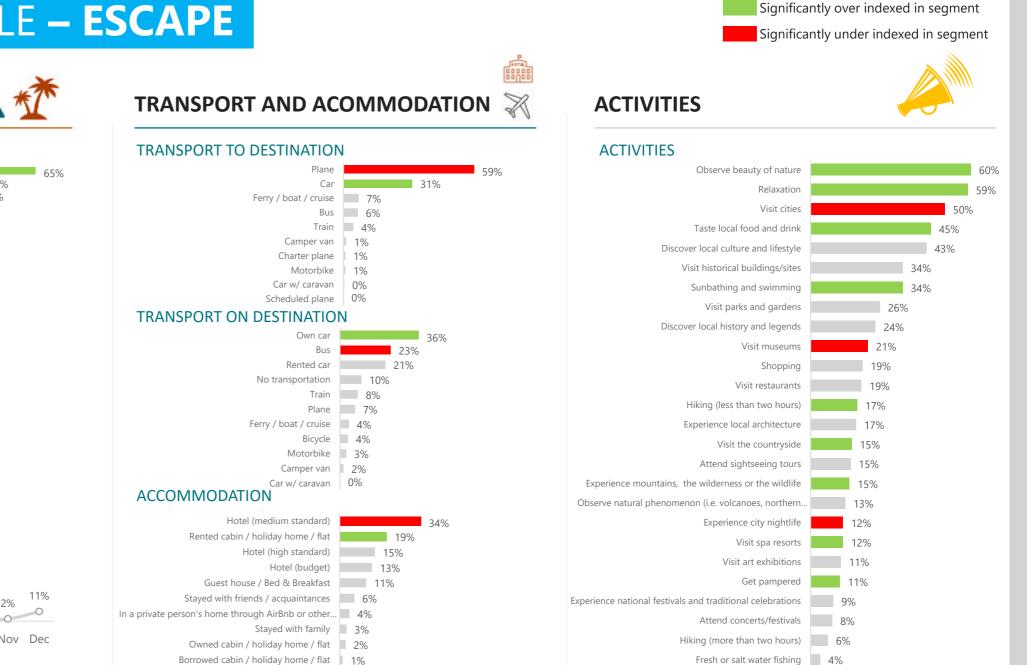




### **Core motivations**



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Do winter activities (Alpine skiing/snowboarding, cross... 2%

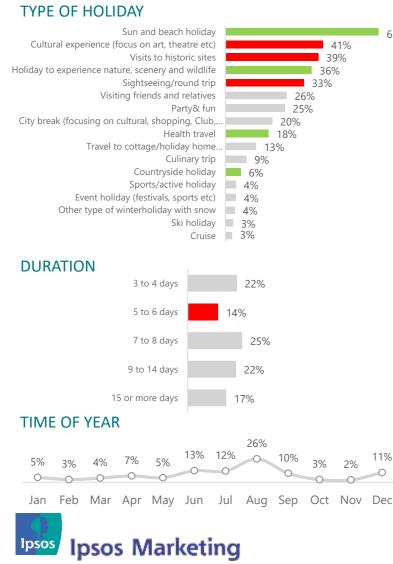
Visit amusement parks 2%

Tent 1%

Caravan / camper van 1%

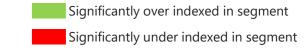
Camping cabin 1%

### SEGMENT PROFILE – ESCAPE



**TYPOLOGY** 

### SEGMENT PROFILE - ESCAPE







#### DECISION MADE

e week before departure	22%	
weeks before departure	24%	
month before departure	20%	
months before departure	11%	
months before departure	9%	
months before departure	4% 2%	
months before departure 29		
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### WHO DID YOU TRAVEL WITH







Friends/acquaintances/colleagues

Spouse/Partner

Children 15 years and older 4%

Nobody except myself

Children 0-6 years 1%

Children 7-14 years 4%

Parents/other relatives 11%

Other

13%

23%

1%

52%

78%

**INFLUENCERS** 

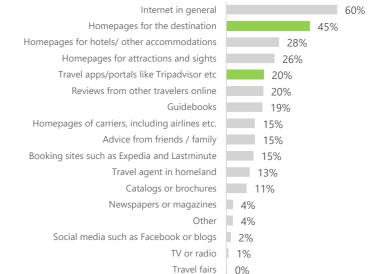




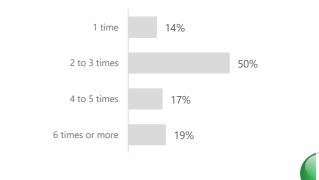
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### INFORMATION SOURCES



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



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PRACTICAL AND PREDICTABLE

Control is about avoiding surprises and seek the **familiar** instead of the unknown. There are holidays when I like to be completely in control, to keep things in order, keeping it practical and predictable feels quite comfortable and safe. This gives me a sense of stability and structure. AVOID SURPRISES NEATH

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I LIKE TO KEEP EVERYTHING UNDER CONTROL AND AVOID SURPRISES. I HAS TO BE WELL ORGANIZED, PRACTICAL AND PREDICTABLE.

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

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

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

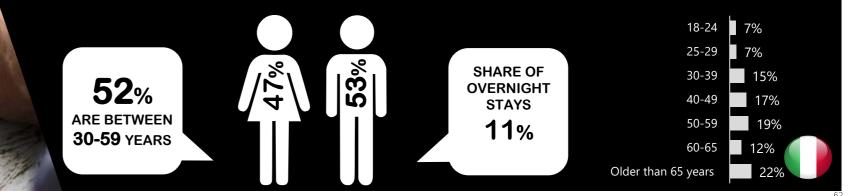
I want to go to a place that is **easy to travel to** and which have **good service.** 

### PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

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

### 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 for whom **family comes first above all.** 



#### **TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS**

Although the typical sun and beach vacation, cultural experiences and visits to historic sites dominates in this segment, you will also find **sightseeing/round trips** and **party and fun** as much as the next man.

#### HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

**Visit cities** and **relaxations** 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.

#### I TRAVEL TO AVOID SURPRISES

These consumers choose destinations that is **well organized**. They want to travel to places that are **structured** and **practical**. 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.

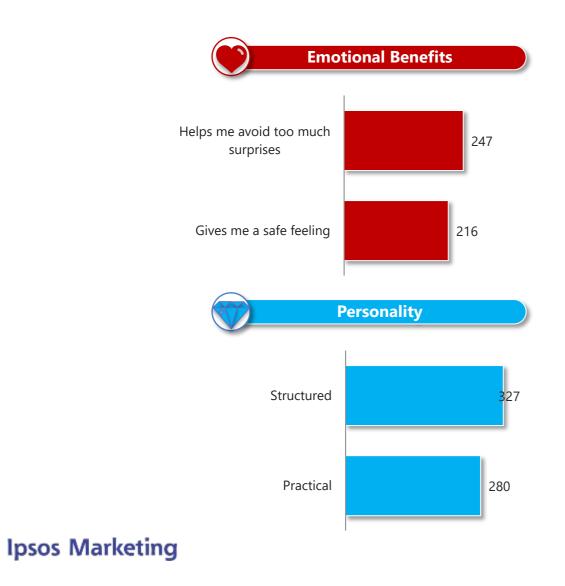
#### SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

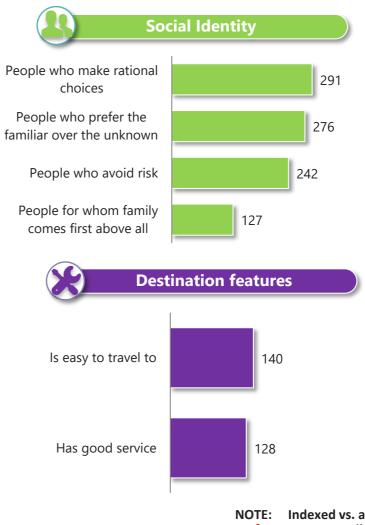
These consumers **travel with children** so they are highly influenced by their **spouse** and their **children**. Many **travel in a group** with an **organized tour** (23%). They do not use that many information sources because the **go to a place they know**.





### **Core motivations**





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## SEGMENT PROFILE – CONTROL

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Significantly under indexed in segment

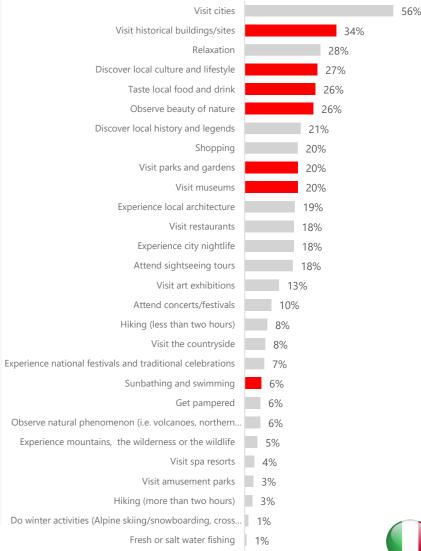
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X

61%

### ACTIVITIES

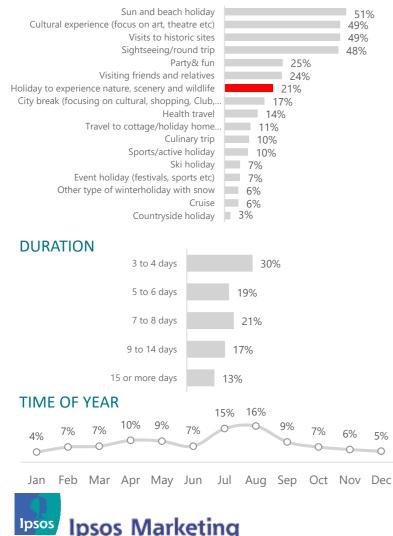
#### ACTIVITIES





#### TYPOLOGY

#### TYPE OF HOLIDAY



TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION

Plane

Car

Bus

Train

Car w/ caravan 2%

Motorbike 0%

Bus

Plane

Train

Ferry / boat / cruise 7%

No transportation 4%

Hotel (medium standard)

Guest house / Bed & Breakfast

Borrowed cabin / holiday home / flat 5%

Owned cabin / holiday home / flat 5%

Stayed with friends / acquaintances 5%

Caravan / camper van

Rented cabin / holiday home / flat

In a private person's home through AirBnb or other... 4%

Hotel (high standard)

Hotel (budget)

Stayed with family 3%

Camping cabin 2%

Tent

Car w/ caravan 3%

Camper van 2%

Motorbike 2%

Bicycle 3%

Own car

Rented car

Scheduled plane 1%

Ferry / boat / cruise

Camper van

Charter plane

22%

28%

38%

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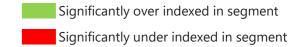
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TRANSPORT ON DESTINATION

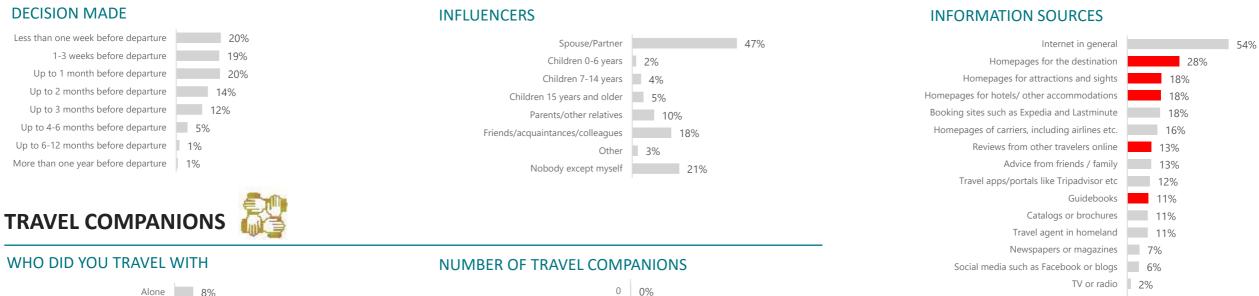
ACCOMMODATION

## SEGMENT PROFILE - CONTROL

67%



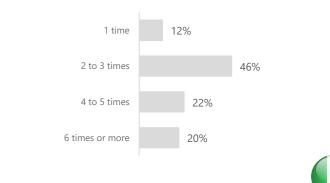
## PLANNING



Travel fairs 1%

Other 3%

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



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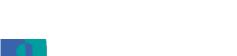


Don't know

1%

64%

I/we organized the trip myself/ourselves and travelled independently



Children 0-6 years 7%

Friends

Other people 4%

13%

13%

21%

10%

Children 7-14 year

Spouse/partner

Other family/relatives

Children 15 years and above



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# **BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON**

SOMETIMES I NEED TO BROADEN MY HORIZON AND DISCOVER NEW AND INTERESTING PLACES. I WANT TO EXPERIENCE CULTURE AND ART AT A DESTINATION WITH A RICH CULTURAL HERITAGE.

### 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 want **rich experiences**.

### PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

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

## 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.

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

The destination should be for people who are interested to **learn more**. For people who like to **explore** and have **new experiences** and who are always looking to connect with others. These people make rational choices. At the same time they like to have the best things and value high quality.



# **BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON**

#### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

The dominant types of holiday is **cultural experience** (focus on art, theatre etc.), visits to **historic sites**, **Sightseeing/round trip** and **city break** (cultural, shopping, Club, restaurant visits 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 in cities and at historical buildings/sites. They discover local culture and lifestyle, visit museums, experience local architecture and explore local history and legends. They want to are of high interest. You will also find them at sightseeing tours and at art exhibitions.

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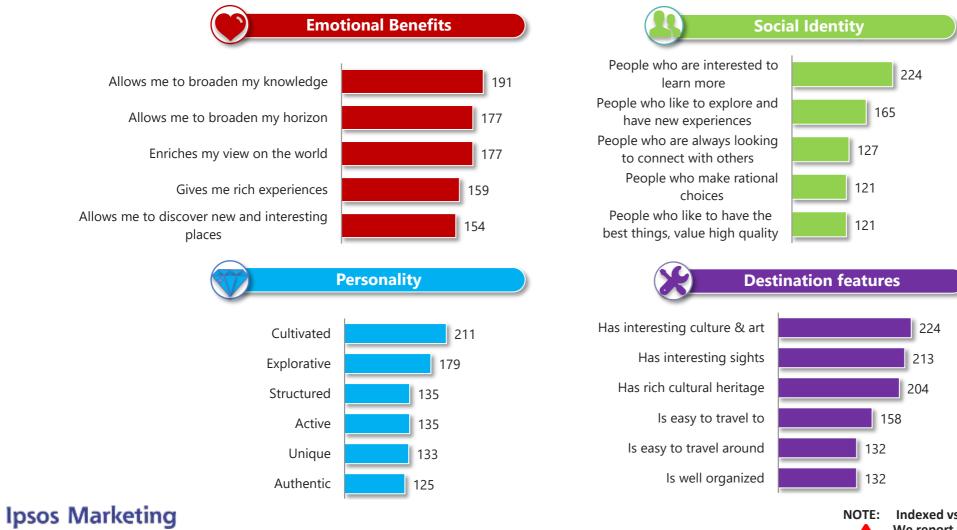
#### SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

These consumers are, more than others inspired by homepages for the destination, homepages for attractions and sites, homepages for hotels/accommodation and carriers, booking sites, guidebooks and catalogues or brochures.



## **BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON**

### **Core motivations**



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### SEGMENT PROFILE – BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON

Significantly over indexed in segment Significantly under indexed in segment

78%

**ACTIVITIES** 

Visit cities

Visit museums

Visit historical buildings/sites

Taste local food and drink

Observe beauty of nature

Visit parks and gardens

Attend sightseeing tours

Experience city nightlife

Experience national festivals and traditional... 9%

Observe natural phenomenon (i.e. volcanoes,...

Visit art exhibitions

Visit the countryside

Sunbathing and swimming

Attend concerts/festivals

Experience mountains, the wilderness or the... 3%

Do winter activities (Alpine skiing/snowboarding,...

Hiking (more than two hours)

Visit amusement parks

Fresh or salt water fishing

Hiking (less than two hours) 5%

Get pampered 4%

Visit spa resorts 4%

Visit restaurants

Relaxation

Shopping

Experience local architecture

Discover local history and legends

Discover local culture and lifestyle

ACTIVITIES



66%

61%

50%

38%

36%

35%

32%

29%

28%

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23%

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15%

8%

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7%

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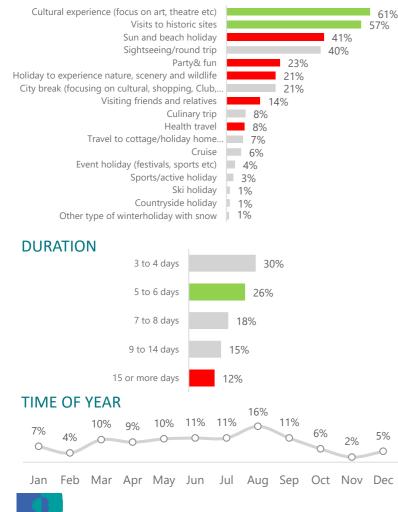
82%

### TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION

#### TRANSPORT TO DESTINATION Plane 18% Car 7% Bus Train 5% Ferry / boat / cruise 4% Charter plane 1% Camper van 0% Car w/ caravan 0% Motorbike 0% Scheduled plane 0% TRANSPORT ON DESTINATION Bus 42% Train 20% Own car 19% Rented car 12% No transportation 9% Ferry / boat / cruise 7% 6% Plane Bicycle 3% Motorbike 1% 0% Camper van Car w/ caravan 0% ACCOMMODATION Hotel (medium standard) 49% Hotel (high standard) 15% Hotel (budget) 13% Guest house / Bed & Breakfast 9% Rented cabin / holiday home / flat 9% Stayed with friends / acquaintances 4% In a private person's home through AirBnb or other... 3% Stayed with family 1% Owned cabin / holiday home / flat | 1% Borrowed cabin / holiday home / flat 1% Camping cabin 1% Caravan / camper van 0% 0% Tent

### TYPOLOGY

#### TYPE OF HOLIDAY







### SEGMENT PROFILE – BROADENING MY CULTURAL HORIZON

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64%

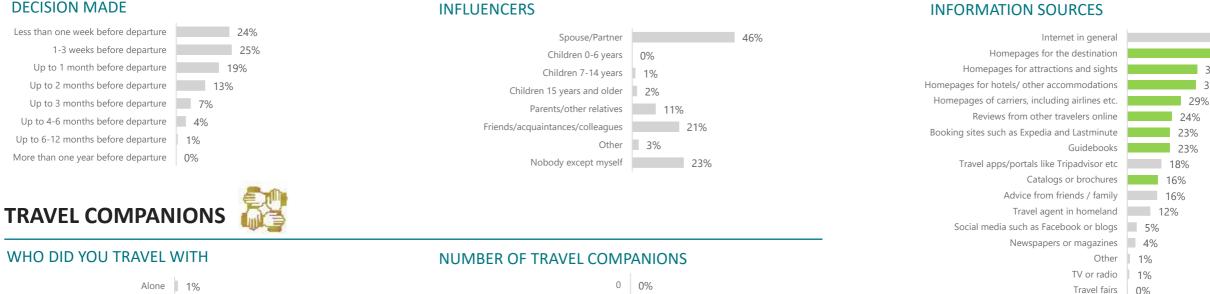
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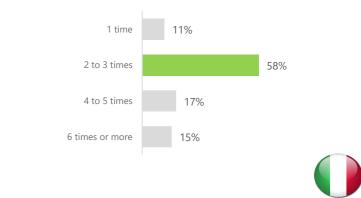
37%



### **DECISION MADE**



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



#### 0 0% 1% 1 2 11% 17% 5 or more 18% HOW DID YOU TRAVEL I/we travelled in a group with an organized

52%

77%



Don't know

0%



Children 0-6 years 3%

Friends

Other people 4%

8%

8%

15%

28%

72%

Children 7-14 year

Spouse/partner

Other family/relatives

Children 15 years and above

ADVENTURES IN THE WORLD OF NATURAL BEAUTY

ADVENTUROUS, DARING AND UNIQUE. IMMERSE MYSELF IN THE LOCAL LIFE. UNSPOILED NATURE. Exploring the world of natural beauty is about feeling unique, daring and adventurous. The segment reflects the need to see something new, something spectacular like a natural phenomenon. It also connects with the need to immerse in unspoiled nature and travel to a destination not ruined by tourism. Staying ahead of the "charter pack". The segment is all about being proud of one's ability to "go where no one has gone before".

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

SOMETIMES I NEED TO DISCOVER NEW AND INTERESTING PLACES AT A DESTINATION THAT HAS UNSPOILED NATURE AND THAT S NOT RUINED BY TOURISM.

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

The core meaning of going on holiday is to enrich my view on the world, broaden my knowledge and my horizon and give me new inspiration and rich experiences. I want to restore my sense of harmony and balance, and enjoy life to the fullest. I want 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 that is **not ruined by tourism**. It should have **unspoiled nature** and allow me to **live close to nature**. I want **quiet environments** and beautiful nature. A destination that has good opportunities to **meet local and friendly people**.

## PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

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

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

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



#### TYPICAL HOLIDAY OCCASIONS

The most common holiday type is a holiday to **visit historic sites** or holidays to **experience nature, scenery and wildlife**. They are also over indexing on **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 **natural phenomenon**, discover **local culture** and lifestyle, visit parks and gardens, sunbathing and swimming, hiking, experience **national festivals** and traditional celebrations and experience **mountains, the wilderness or the wildlife.** 

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#### SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

This segment seek their information for **homepages** for the destination and in **guidebooks.** They also over index on usage of **travel agent** in their homeland.





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

### **Core motivations**

Enriches my view on the world	158
Allows me to broaden my horizon	154
Gives me new inspiration	146
Restores my sense of harmony and balance	145
Gives me rich experiences	145
Helps me to enjoy life to the fullest	127
Allows me to discover new and interesting places	127
Allows me to immerse myself in the local life	124
Allows me to broaden my knowledge	122
	Personality

**Emotional Benefits** 



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

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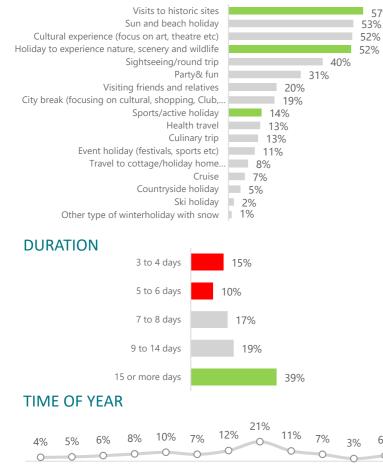
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79%

X TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION

#### **TYPOLOGY**

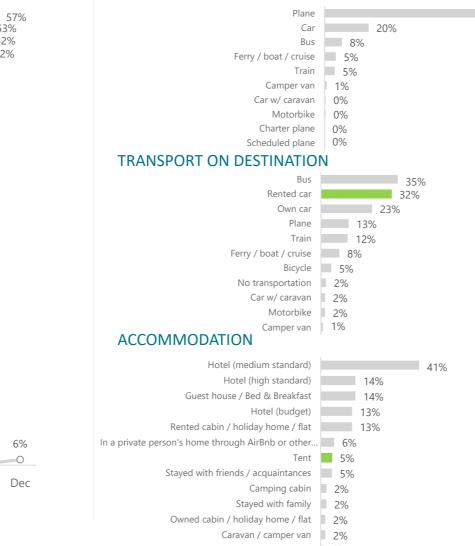
#### TYPE OF HOLIDAY







#### TRANSPORT TO DESTINATION



	Hotel (medium standard)
14%	Hotel (high standard)
14%	Guest house / Bed & Breakfast
13%	Hotel (budget)
13%	Rented cabin / holiday home / flat
6%	n a private person's home through AirBnb or other
5%	Tent
5%	Stayed with friends / acquaintances
2%	Camping cabin
2%	Stayed with family
2%	Owned cabin / holiday home / flat
2%	Caravan / camper van
1%	Borrowed cabin / holiday home / flat

### **ACTIVITIES**

#### ACTIVITIES

		7101111120
63%		Observe beauty of nature
57%		Visit cities
57%		Discover local culture and lifestyle
40%		Discover local history and legends
39%		Taste local food and drink
38%		Visit parks and gardens
37%		Visit historical buildings/sites
31%		Sunbathing and swimming
30%		Observe natural phenomenon (i.e. volcanoes, northern
27%	Ĩ	Relaxation
27%	Ĩ	Visit museums
26%	2	Experience local architecture
23%	23	Visit restaurants
23%	23	Hiking (less than two hours)
21%	219	Attend sightseeing tours
19%	19%	Shopping
19%	19%	Experience national festivals and traditional celebrations
19%	19%	Visit the countryside
19%	19%	Experience city nightlife
8%	18%	Experience mountains, the wilderness or the wildlife
5%	16%	Hiking (more than two hours)
0	13%	Visit art exhibitions
)	12%	Attend concerts/festivals
	7%	Get pampered
	4%	Visit spa resorts
	4%	Fresh or salt water fishing
	3%	Do winter activities (Alpine skiing/snowboarding, cross
	2%	Visit amusement parks

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

**INFLUENCERS** 

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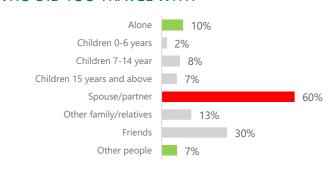


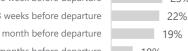
#### **DECISION MADE**

Less than one week before departure	23%
1-3 weeks before departure	22%
Up to 1 month before departure	19%
Up to 2 months before departure	10%
Up to 3 months before departure	12%
Up to 4-6 months before departure	5%
Up to 6-12 months before departure	1%
More than one year before departure	0%



#### WHO DID YOU TRAVEL WITH







#### NUMBER OF TRAVEL COMPANIONS

Spouse/Partner

Children 0-6 years 0%

Children 7-14 years 2%

10%

Other 6%

23%

29%

Children 15 years and older 4%

Parents/other relatives

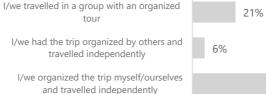
Nobody except myself

Friends/acquaintances/colleagues

36%





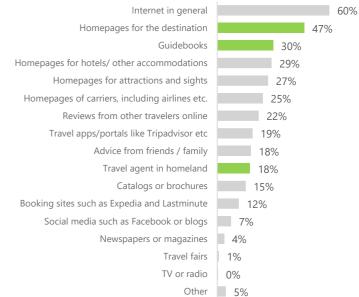


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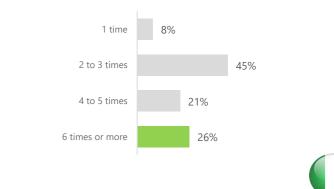
0%

INFORMATION SOURCES

72%



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



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# EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE

SOPHISTICATED AND CLASSY

EXTRAVAGANT AND SUPERIOR Romantic luxury is about the need to indulge in some luxury. Find those **romantic spots** that really creates a feeling of **extravagance**. It relates to the desire to **feel on top of the world**. The segment reflects that **I want the best and are willing to pay for it**.

# **EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE**

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SOMETIMES I NEED TO INDULGE MY SELF WITH A BIT OF LUXURURY AND FEEL ON TOP OF THE WORLD. I NEED A DESTINATION WITH ROMANTIC SPOTS.

## 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**.

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

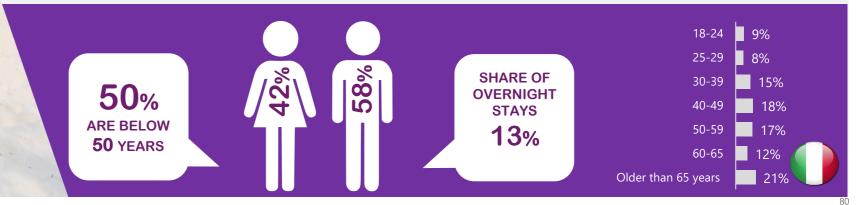
I want to go to a place that has **places to go out partying** and **romantic spots**. A variety of **different restaurant offers** and **good shopping** is also important.

## PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

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

## 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 and sightseeing/round trips in this segment, but you will find **ski/active holiday** and other types of **winter holidays** here as well. 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**, **highclass** 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 visits to amusements parks. They want their romantic spots which they can find both in cities and in traditional beach resorts. They stay at high standard hotels more than in other segments.

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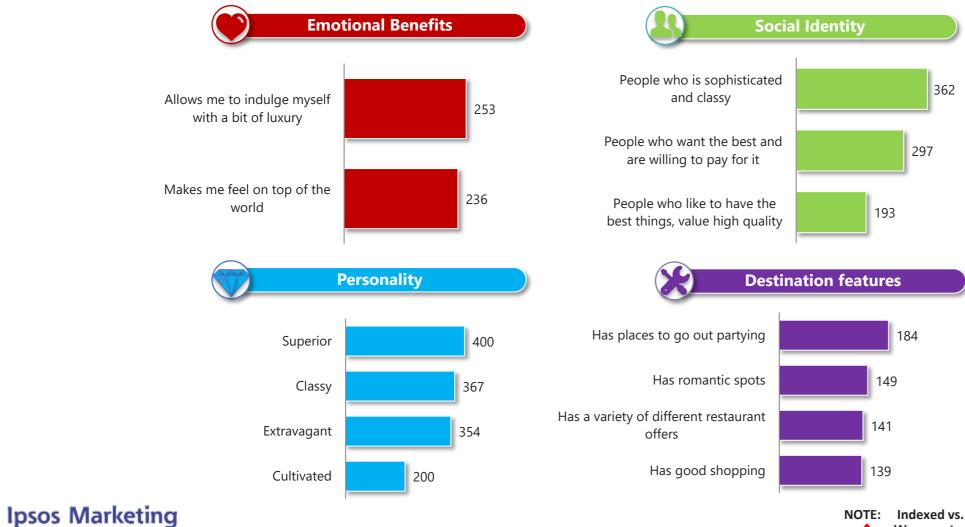
#### SOURCES OF INSPIRATIONS

These consumers **don't spend a lot of time planning**. 60% of them settle for the trip **less than four weeks** before they go. They a 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

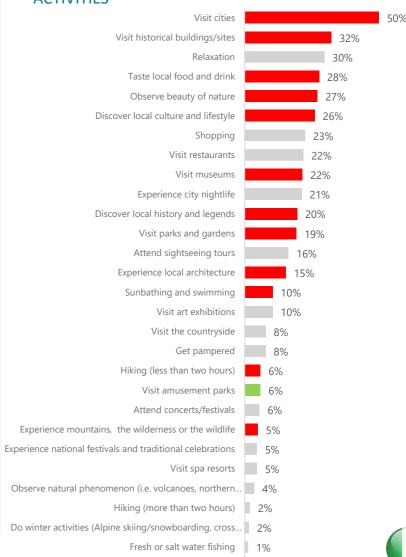
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### ACTIVITIES

#### ACTIVITIES

X

68%



### TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION

TRANSPORT TO DESTINATION

TRANSPORT ON DESTINATION

ACCOMMODATION

Plane

Ferry / boat / cruise 6%

Car

Car w/ caravan 4%

Charter plane 3%

Camper van 2%

Motorbike 1%

Bus

Plane

Train

Bicycle 4%

No transportation 7%

Own car

Rented car

Ferry / boat / cruise 4%

Hotel (medium standard)

Hotel (high standard)

Rented cabin / holiday home / flat 9%

Owned cabin / holiday home / flat 6%

Borrowed cabin / holiday home / flat 5%

Stayed with friends / acquaintances 4%

Hotel (budget)

Camping cabin 2% Stayed with family 2%

Tent

Caravan / camper van 0%

Guest house / Bed & Breakfast

In a private person's home through AirBnb or other... 6%

Car w/ caravan 3%

Motorbike 2%

Camper van 2%

Scheduled plane 1%

Bus 9%

Train 4%

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27%

26%

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20%

12%

10%

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19%

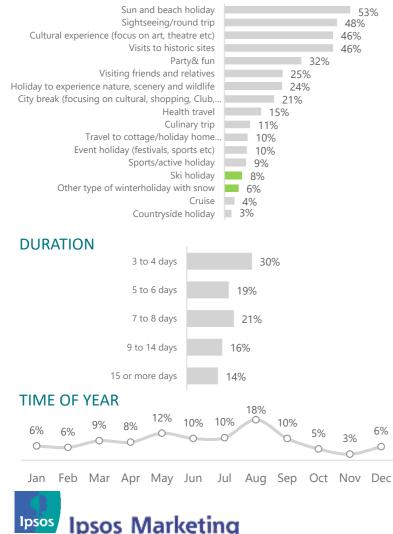
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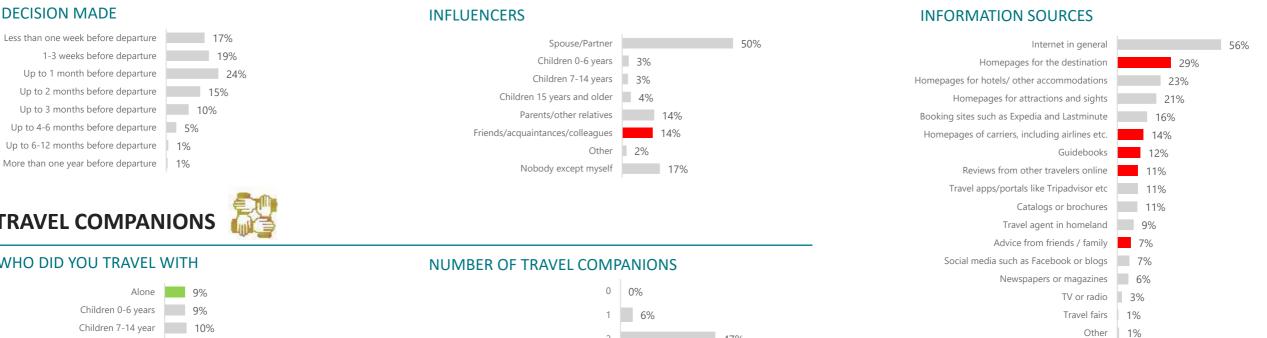
### TYPOLOGY

#### TYPE OF HOLIDAY



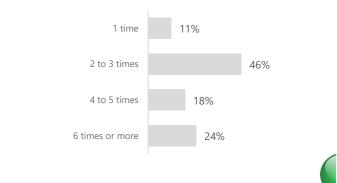
## SEGMENT PROFILE - EXTRAVAGANT INDULGENCE

# PLANNING



60%

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

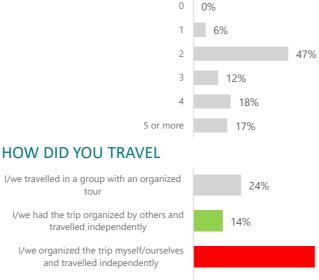


### **TRAVEL COMPANIONS**

**DECISION MADE** 

#### WHO DID YOU TRAVEL WITH Alone Children 0-6 years 9% Children 7-14 year 10% Children 15 years and above 9% 62% Spouse/partner Other family/relatives 14% Friends 17% Other people 2%





Don't know

2%



Energy is about adventure, **being active**, testing your boundaries and discovering new things. It taps into the need to be **energized**. Energy is all about being active and experiencing the freedom, passion, and adventure that comes with activities. Buzzing about, **spending energy**, and feeling very much **alive and kicking**.

# **ENERGY**

SOMETIMES I NEED A HOLIDAY THAT GIVES MED ENERGY AND NEW INSPIRATION. I NEED A DESTINATION WITH A WIDE RANGE OF ACTIVITIES THAT KEEPS ME PHYSICAL ACTIVE.

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

The core meaning of going on holiday is to feel **allow me to intensify the relationship with my loved ones**. A holiday should give me **new inspiration** and make me feel **full of energy**.

## 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**.

## PERSONALITY; WHAT SHOULD IT STAND FOR?

The destination needs to be **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**. People for whom **family comes first above all** and people who want to **revitalize themselves**.



# **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 sightseeing/round trips, cultural experiences and visits to historic sites as much as the next man!

#### HOLIDAY EXPERIENCE

This segments don't over index on any activities. But you will find observing beauty of nature, visits to historical sites and relaxation on the list over popular activities.

### **Ipsos Marketing**

#### I TRAVEL TO GET ENERGY

These consumers choose destinations that enables them **to feel full of energy**. They often travel in **groups** (2 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 **medium standard hotels**. Travel mainly in **summertime**.

#### 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** (63%). 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 partners **children**, friends and acquaintances heavily influences their choice.

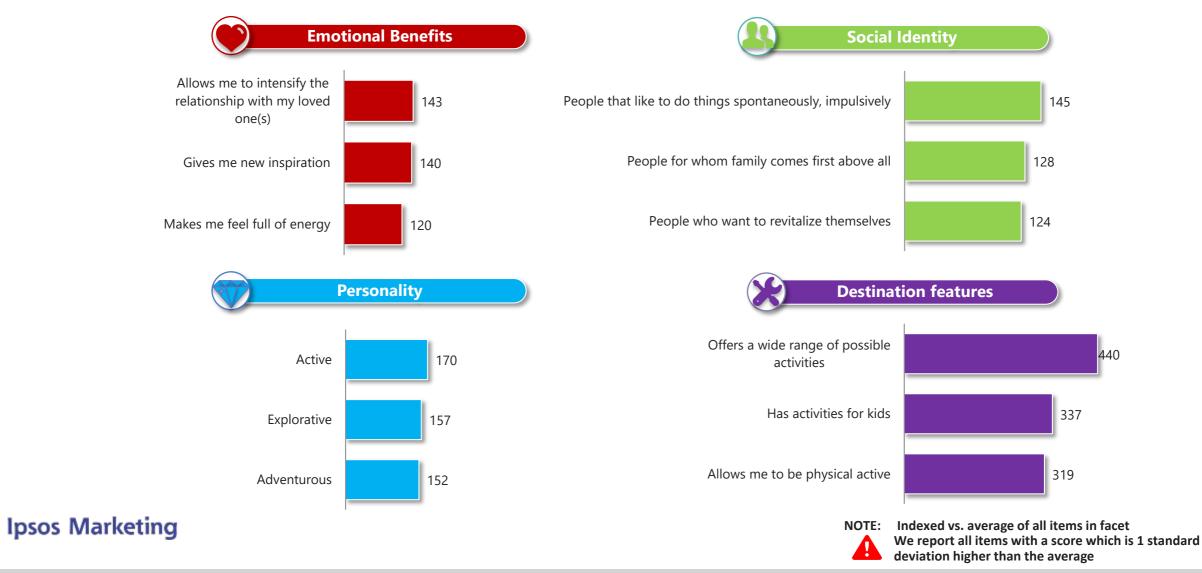
#### THE ROLE OF BRANDS

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**.





### **Core motivations**



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# SEGMENT PROFILE – ENERGY

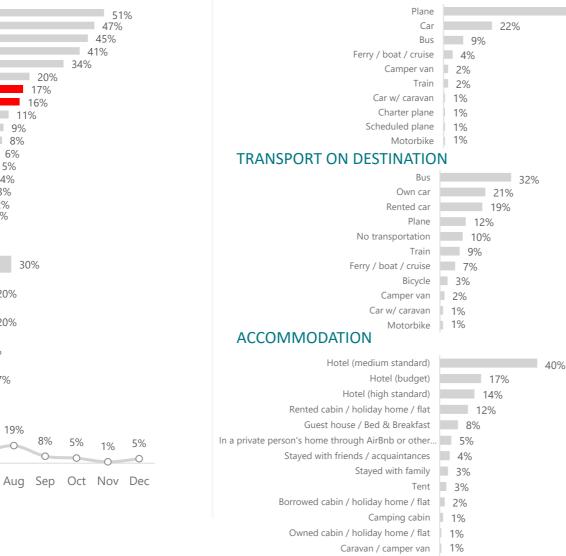
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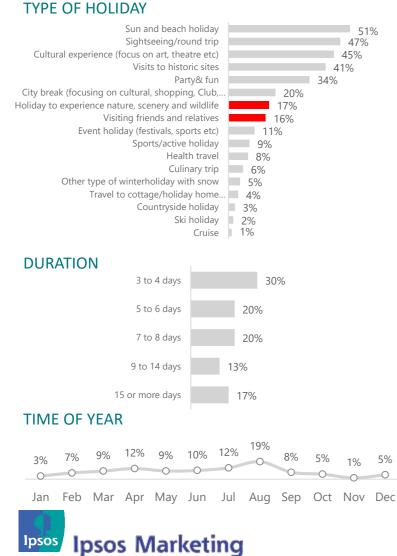
70%

### TRANSPORT AND ACOMMODATION

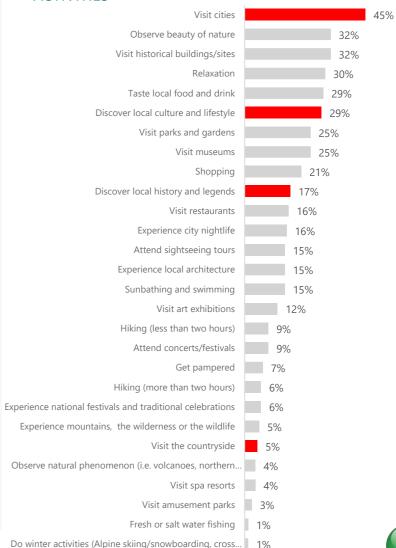
#### TRANSPORT TO DESTINATION



### TYPOLOGY



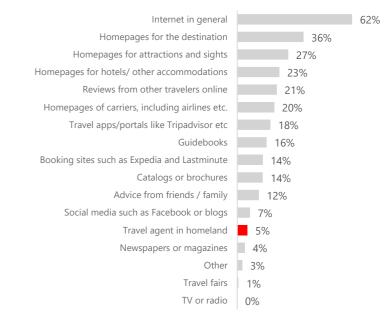




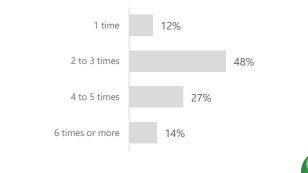
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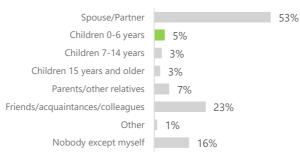
#### INFORMATION SOURCES



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



#### **INFLUENCERS**



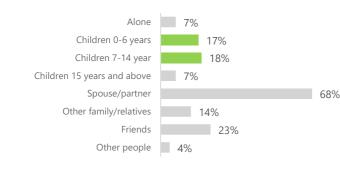


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**DECISION MADE** 



#### WHO DID YOU TRAVEL WITH





#### NUMBER OF TRAVEL COMPANIONS



68%

#### HOW DID YOU TRAVEL





0%

# **BRAND PROFILE OF**

# Associations Emotional benefits associated with Norway Destination characteristics associated with Norway Brand personality associated with Norway Social identity associated with Norway



NORWAY

### **EMOTIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

Compared to other destinations Norway does not have a really rich and strong emotional footprint in Italy.

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Compared to other destinations the Italian travelers lacks a clear emotional benefit for travelling to Norway.

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### **DESTINATION CHARACTERISTICS**

The Italian travelers are generally very clear on what differentiates Norway to other destinations in terms of functional delivery: beautiful nature, unspoiled nature, not ruined by tourism, environmentally friendly offers, live close to nature, quiet environments, well organized, good medical care, good service, not too warm and Norway is not for just anybody, it's exclusive.

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#### **BRAND PERSONALITY**

In Italy, Norway is first and foremost seen as the fresh, as well as a structured and peaceful destination compared to other destinations.

For the Italian traveler Norway is also seen as the peaceful and caring destination compared to other destinations.

# Who ami?

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### SOCIAL IDENTITY

Norway has distinct footprint when it comes to social identity in Italy. It's for people who make a different choice.

Compared with other destinations, Norway is the destination for people who like to explore and have new experiences. People who like adventure.

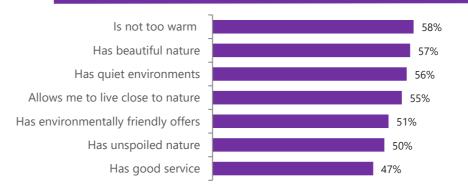
At last but not least Norway is seen as the destination for people who like to have the best things in life and value high quality.



### **EMOTIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**



### **DESTINATION CHARACTERISTICS**



#### **BRAND PERSONALITY**



#### **SOCIAL IDENTITY**

42%	People who like to explore and have new experiences
41%	People who are interested to learn more
37%	People who like adventure
35%	People who want to escape from the demands of life and relax and unwind
35%	People who needs time for themselves
33%	People who like to have the best things, value high quality
32%	People who want to make a different choice
32%	People who are always looking to connect with others
31%	People who want to revitalize themselves

# THE COMPETITIVE

# LANDSCAPE

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Visits and repeat visits Strengths and weaknesses



# 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	Exploring 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 THE ITALIAN 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	-0.09	-0.33	0.07	0.01	0.49	0.13	-0.45	0.07	-0.21
Canada	0.04	-0.26	-0.53	-0.06	0.06	-0.05	0.42	0.14	0.04
Croatia	0.19	-0.06	0.47	0.36	0.16	-0.45	-0.40	-0.25	0.15
Czech Republic	0.06	0.06	0.15	-0.08	0.09	0.15	-0.20	-0.08	-0.13
Denmark	-0.02	-0.05	-0.13	0.09	0.16	0.13	0.00	0.01	-0.14
Finland	0.22	-0.18	-0.31	0.25	-0.16	-0.06	0.32	-0.04	0.03
France	-0.13	-0.14	0.11	-0.30	0.32	0.27	-0.56	0.34	-0.27
Germany	-0.11	-0.18	0.04	-0.32	0.77	0.07	-0.43	0.06	-0.21
Iceland	0.08	-0.22	-0.50	0.15	-0.24	-0.10	0.68	0.03	0.12
Netherlands	0.10	0.29	-0.03	-0.29	0.19	0.17	-0.25	-0.07	-0.02
New Zealand	-0.03	-0.17	-0.53	0.02	-0.32	-0.07	0.78	0.11	0.20
Norway	0.10	-0.19	-0.38	0.21	-0.06	0.08	0.37	-0.03	-0.05
Portugal	0.03	0.48	0.52	0.13	-0.14	0.05	-0.35	-0.30	-0.06
Scotland	-0.03	-0.08	-0.22	0.22	-0.13	0.26	0.22	-0.10	-0.27
Spain	0.14	0.39	0.52	0.00	-0.02	-0.16	-0.44	-0.24	0.15
Sweden	0.05	-0.09	-0.21	0.08	0.15	0.07	0.07	-0.02	-0.17
Switzerland	-0.11	-0.43	0.01	0.01	0.57	-0.02	-0.39	0.26	-0.27
Thailand	0.21	0.05	-0.01	0.29	-0.46	-0.22	0.21	-0.04	0.24
USA	0.12	-0.17	-0.42	-0.54	0.10	-0.14	0.06	0.48	0.25

Good fit Neutral fit Bad fit



# **GLOBAL RECOMMENDATIONS**

## Brand positioning

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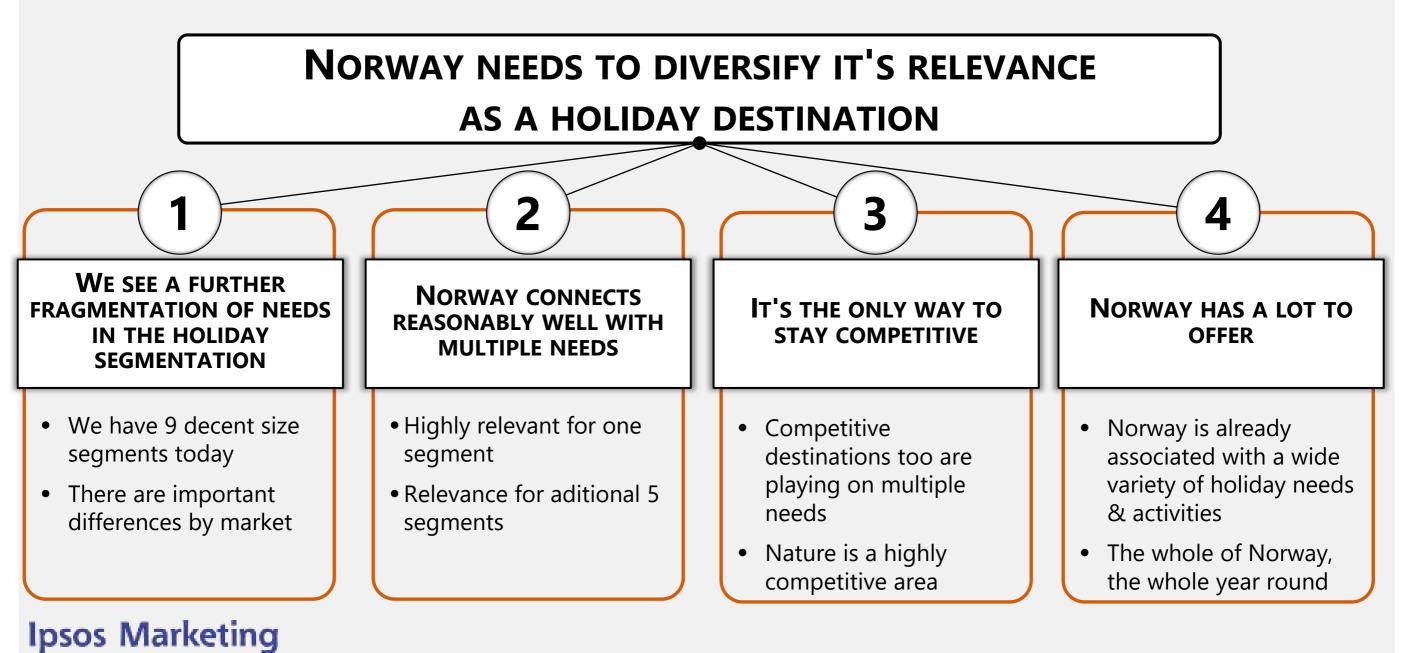
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The strategy to make Norway occupy a unique and credible position, relative to competing destinations, in the mind of the tourist.

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THE TASK

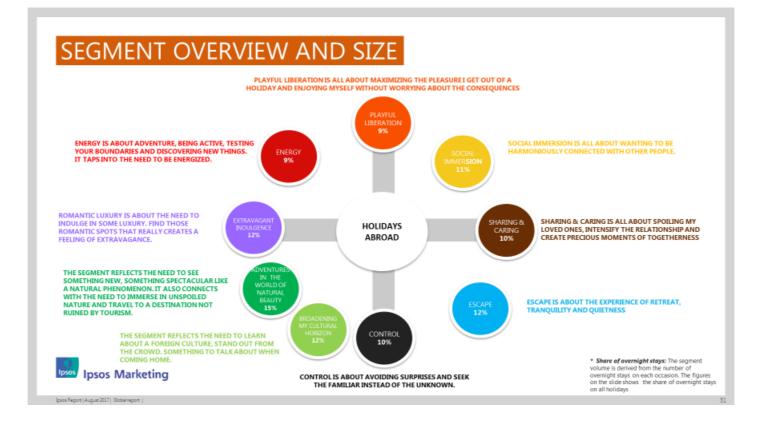


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# WE SEE A FURTHER FRAGMENTATION OF HOLIDAY NEEDS

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

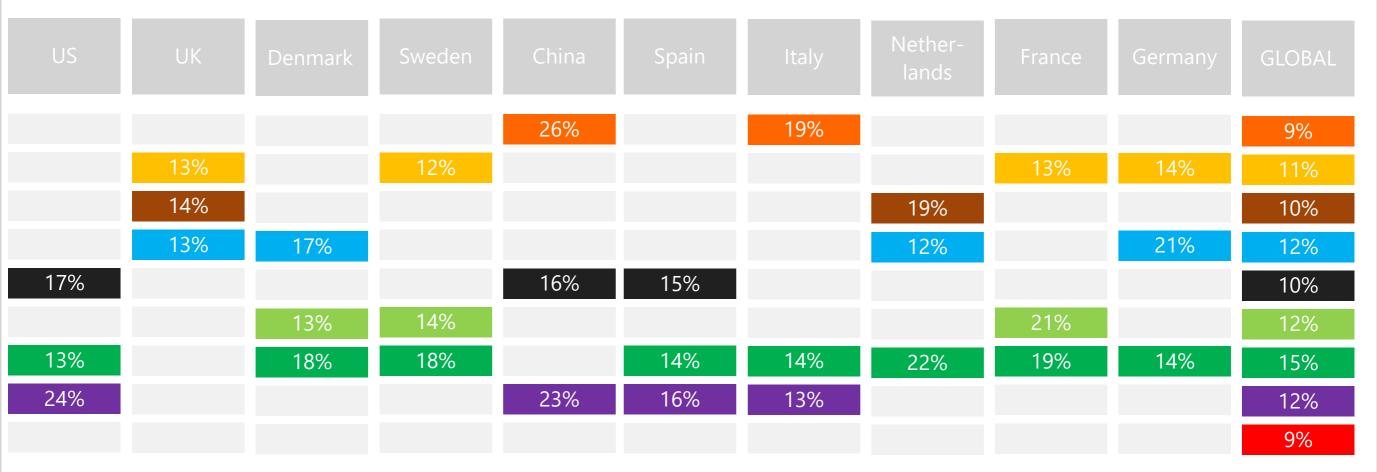




# WE SEE A FURTHER FRAGMENTATION OF HOLIDAY NEEDS

### There are a lot of differences in size by market

### TOP 3 (% overnight stays\*)



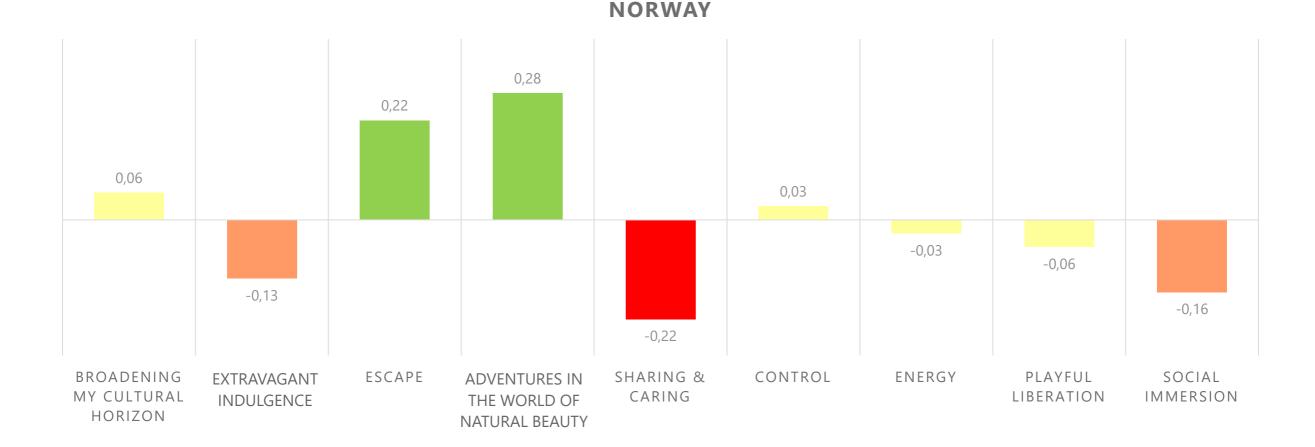


\* Share of overnight stays: The segment volume is derived from the number of overnight stays on each occasion. The figures on the slide shows the share of overnight stays on all holidays.

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# NORWAY CONNECTS WELL WITH MULTIPLE NEEDS

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



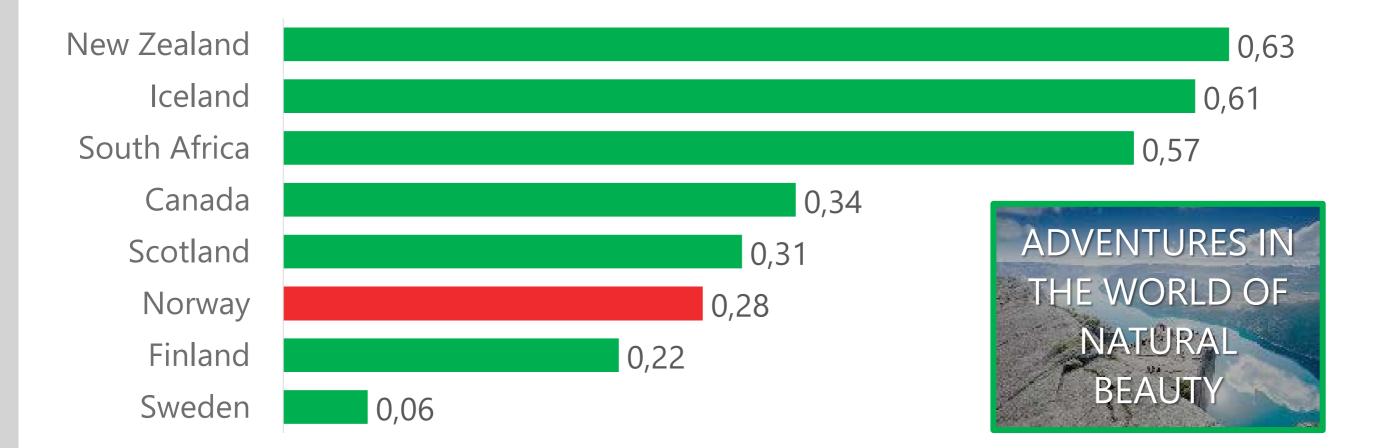


Fit with segments

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# DIVERSIFICATION IS NECESSARY TO STAY COMPETITIVE

### Nature is a highly competitive area



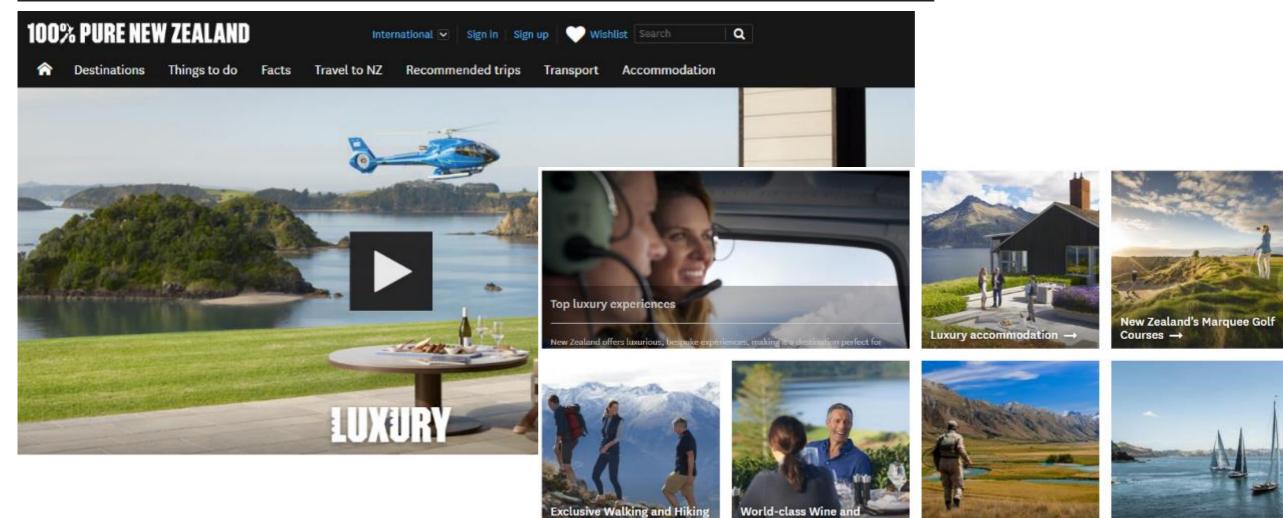
Fit with Adventures in the World of Natural Beauty

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# DIVERSIFICATION IS NECESSARY TO STAY COMPETITIVE

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### Competitive destinations too are playing on multiple needs



Cuisine -

Private Fly Fishing -

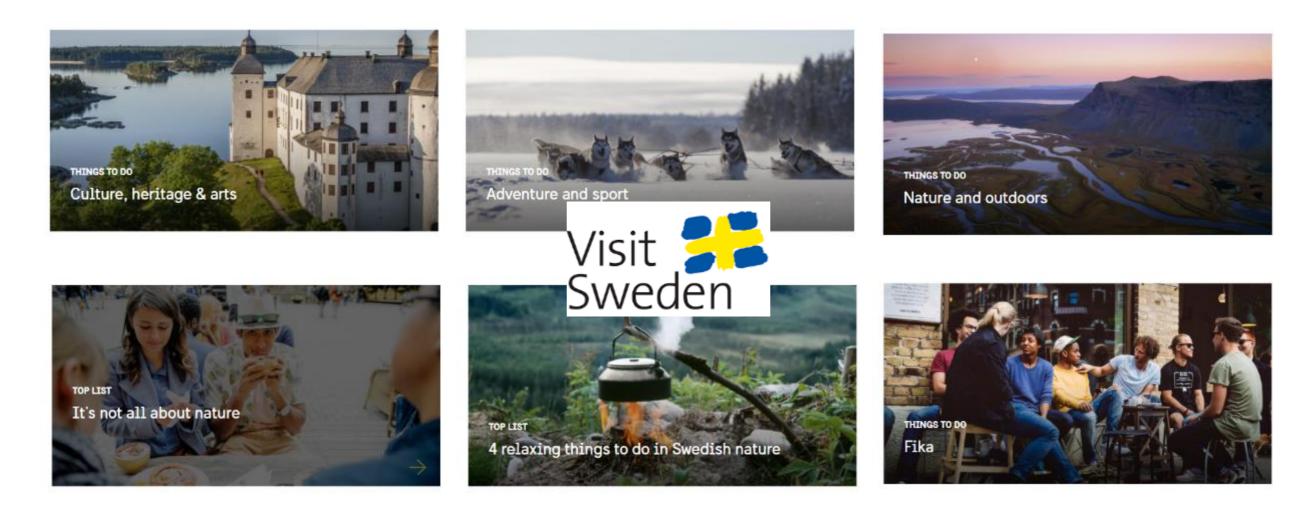
Super yacht cruising -



# DIVERSIFICATION IS NECESSARY TO STAY COMPETITIVE



### Competitive destinations too are playing on multiple needs





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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"







# **RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ITALY**

Where do we go from here?



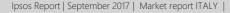
## NORWAY NEEDS TO CONTINUE TO WORK ON HOLIDAY BASICS IN ITALY

### Norway fails to meet some basic holiday expectations









# NORWAY CONNECTS WELL WITH MULTIPLE NEEDS IN ITALY

Highly relevant for one segment, and decent relevance for additionally three segments



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Fit with segments in the Italian market

# LOOKING AT NORWAY'S CURRENT STRENGTHS

# AND POSITION DIFFERENT ROUTES THAT CAN BE EXPLORED

### THE OBVIOUS TARGET





Norway's nature is a perfect place for Italian 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.

**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 is a fresh destination with good service, that is not so warm. We need to work on the playfulness though. Norway needs to provide a holiday that makes the tourist feel full of energy and allows them to enjoy life to the fullest.





# QUESTIONS?

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