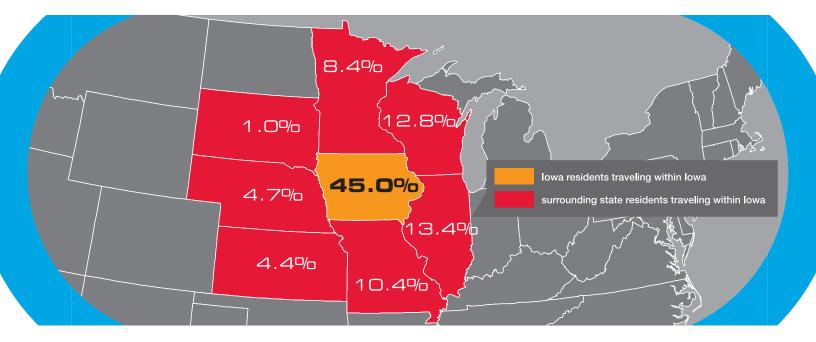
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state of origin of travelers visiting lowa



lowa travelers and travelers from surrounding states interest areas

Food & Drink		61.1%
Scenic Byways	<b>*</b>	57.7%
History		56.2%
Outdoors and Parks		54.3%
Shopping		38.1%
Festivals & Events		33.6%
Agriculture		21.9%
Sports		4.5%

average spending per trip in Iowa





Travelers from Surrounding States

\$575

Iowans Traveling Iowa

average number of nights in lowa



Iowans Traveling Iowa

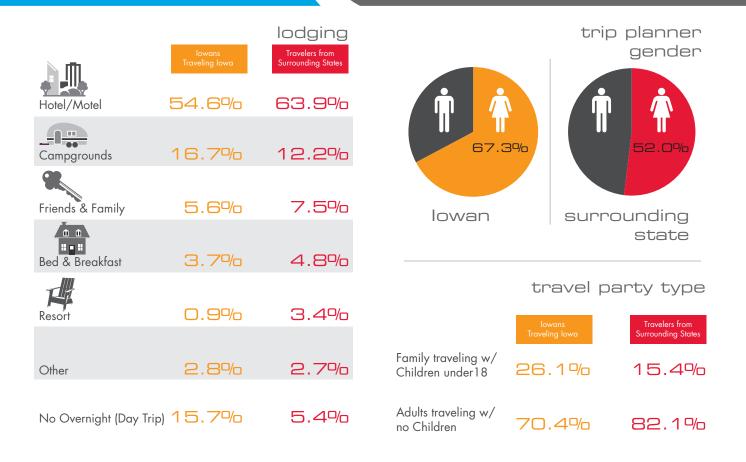
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Travelers from Surrounding States

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lowa travelers and travelers from surrounding states

average age of trip planner 4.0% ..... 2.2% business other 13.9% visit friends or family 59.5 average travel party size 79.9% vacation or leisure Notes: E-mailed 5,816 surveys in two waves during September 2014 from Iowa Travel Guide Requests received during January 1 – July 19, 2014. A total of 560 surveys were completed (9.6% response rate). Nearly 90 percent (89.3%) of the target market said they took a trip to Iowa.

Source: Iowa Economic Development Authority, Tourism Office

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## primary purpose of trip