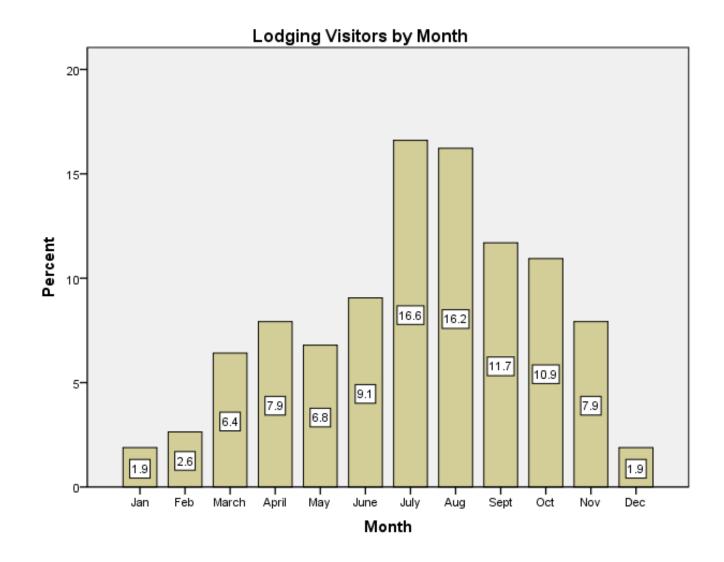
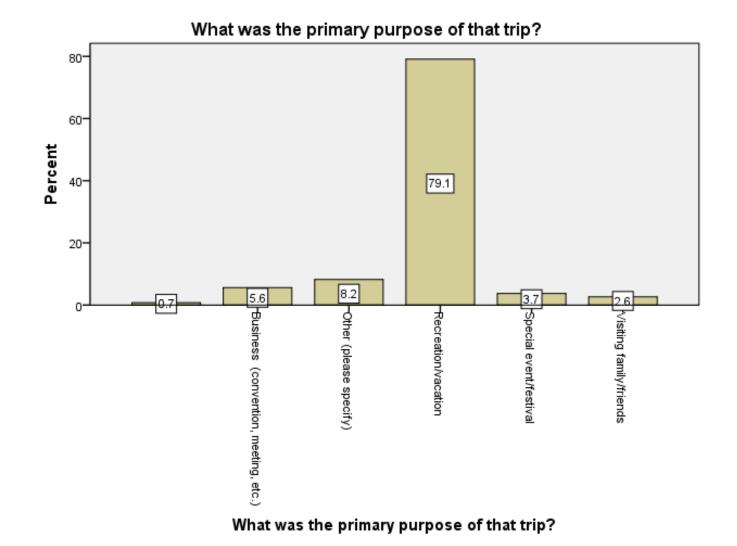
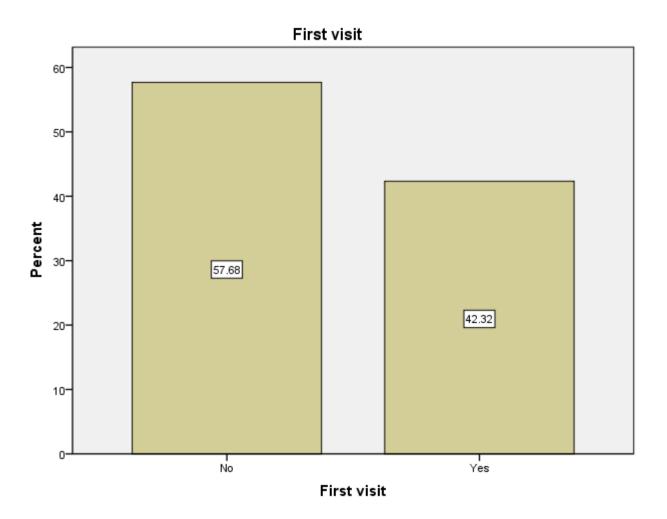
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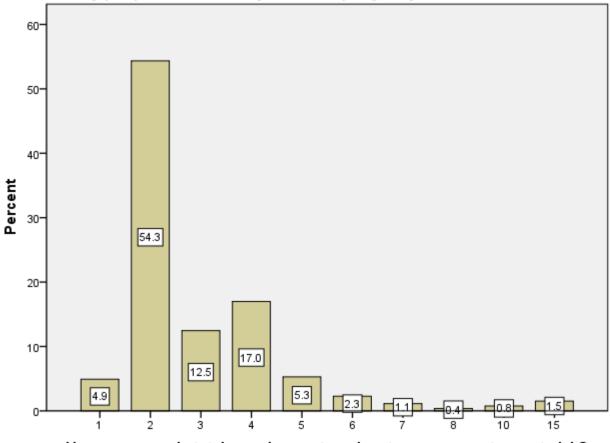
Summary of Lodging Visitors to Hilton Head Island

- 13.5% (n=270) of the 2009 Visitor Profile sample stayed in full service or limited service hotels.
- Most lodging visitors stayed during the summer months.
- Approximately 54% traveled in party sizes of 2.
- Average length of stay was 4.2 nights
- Approximately 45% visit Savannah while staying on HHI.



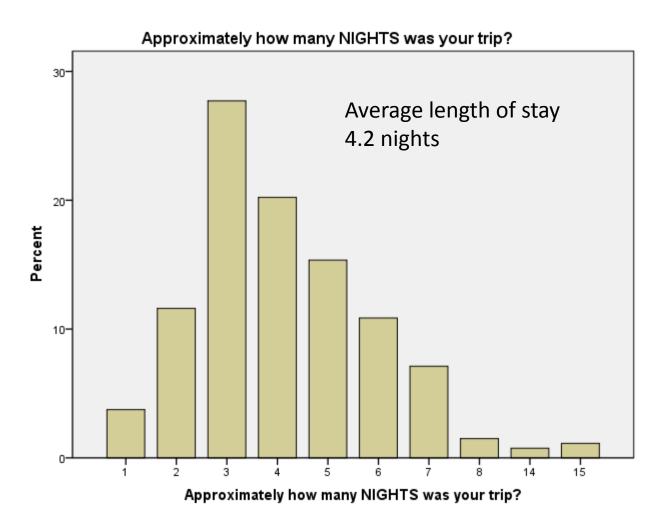






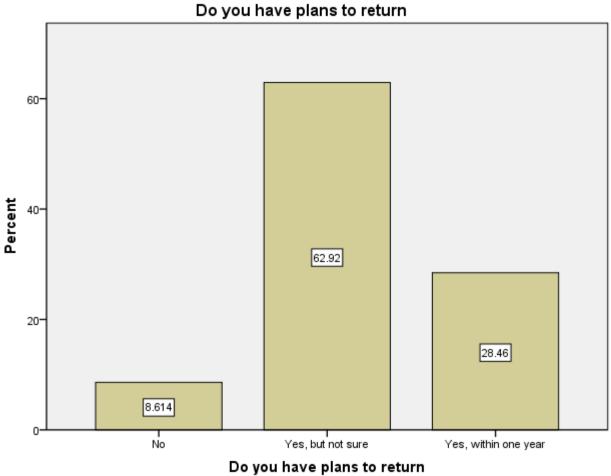
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Traveling with Family Companions	Respondents	Percent
Children (0-6 years old)	34	13%
Children (7-13 years old)	40	15%
Children (14-18 years old)	30	11%
Adult children (19 years old or older)	22	8%
Extended family (grandparents, aunts, uncles, etc.)	11	4%

Expenditure Category	Respondents	Ave	rage Spend
Please estimate your travel party's TOTAL expenditures on your last trip.	257	\$	1,871.60
Transportation (around the area) - Round up to the nearest amount	216	\$	242.25
Lodging - Round up to the nearest amount	242	\$	878.82
Food - dining out - Round up to the nearest amount	257	\$	421.11
Food - groceries - Round up to the nearest amount	128	\$	116.60
Beaches - Round up to the nearest amount	33	\$	144.70
Shopping - Round up to the nearest amount	188	\$	288.83
Golf - Round up to the nearest amount	38	\$	290.13
Biking - Round up to the nearest amount	28	\$	60.71
Parks - Round up to the nearest amount	5	\$	50.00
Performance/visual arts - Round up to the nearest amount	5	\$	135.00
Festivals - Round up to the nearest amount	9	\$	175.00
Museum/historical tours - Round up to the nearest amount	28	\$	98.21
Boating/sailing - Round up to the nearest amount	17	\$	200.00
Nature-based activities - Round up to the nearest amount	14	\$	117.86
Dolphin tours - Round up to the nearest amount	26	\$	136.54
Tennis - Round up to the nearest amount	5	\$	290.00
Fishing - Round up to the nearest amount	3	\$	533.33
Sporting events - Round up to the nearest amount	3	\$	466.67
Other cultural activities - Round up to the nearest amount	3	\$	58.33
Other sports activities - Round up to the nearest amount	5	\$	260.00
Other outdoor activities - Round up to the nearest amount	18	\$	176.39
Other expenses - Round up to the nearest amount	54	\$	298.61
Spas - Round up to the nearest amount	16	\$	293.75



Other Cities to Visit while Vacationing HHI	Respondents	Percent
Savannah	120	45%
Charleston	63	24%
Beaufort	50	19%
Bluffton	54	20%
Daufuskie Island	20	8%
None	84	31%