Pacific Tourism Data Initiative: Niue October 2017 - March 2019







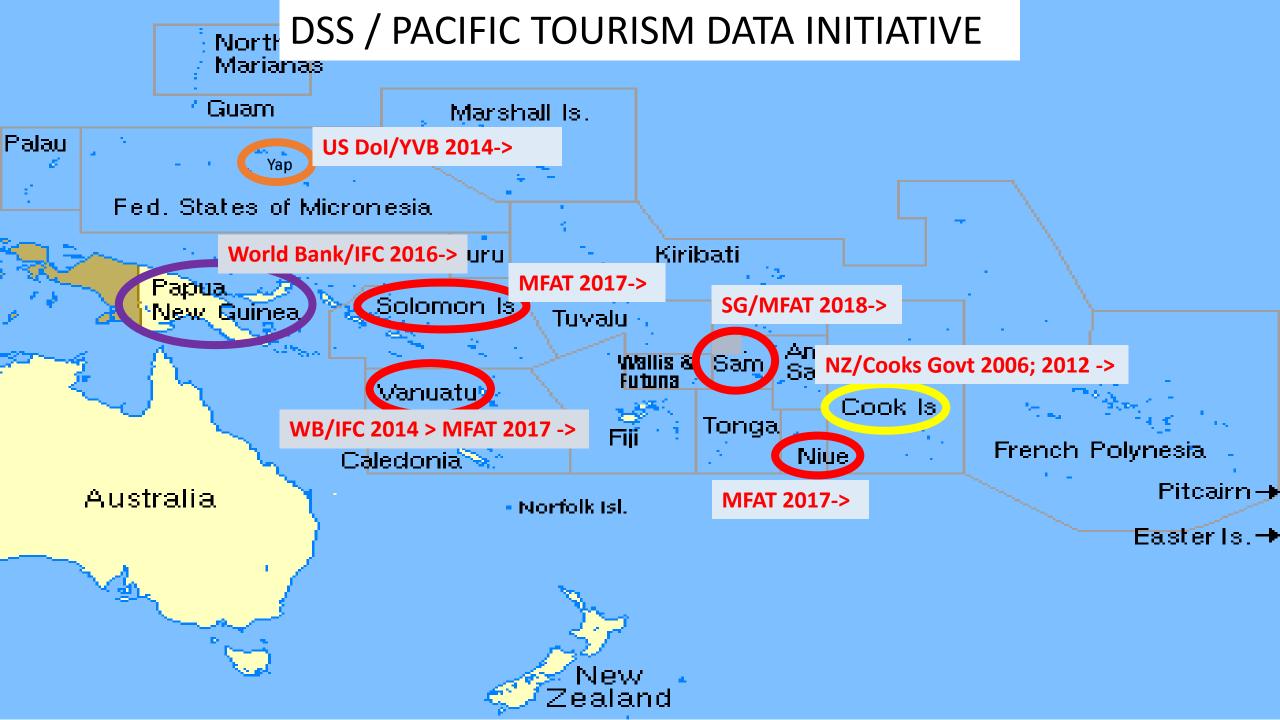


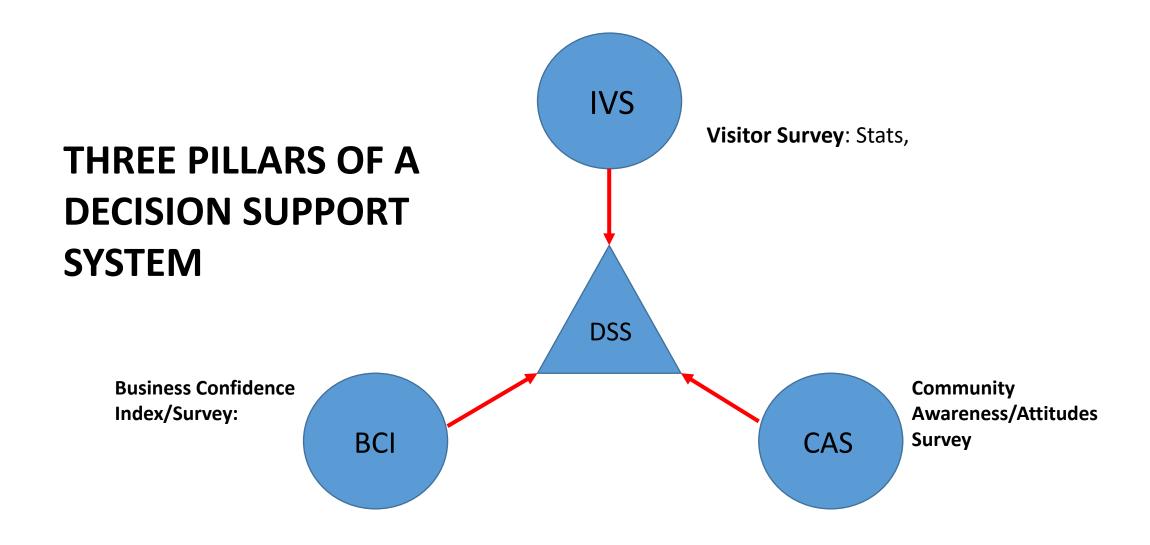




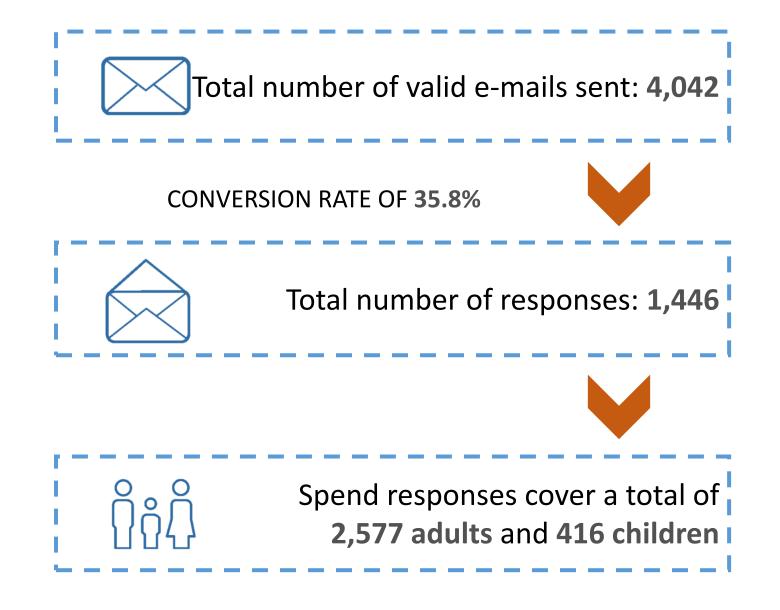






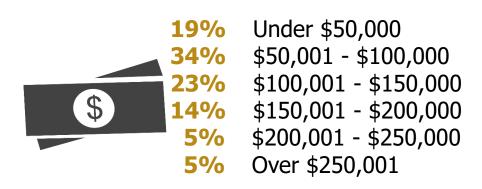


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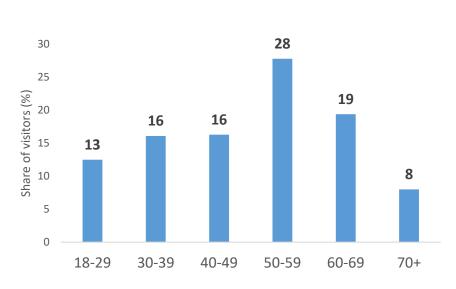


Well educated, high income visitors

Annual Household Income (NZ\$)



Age Distribution

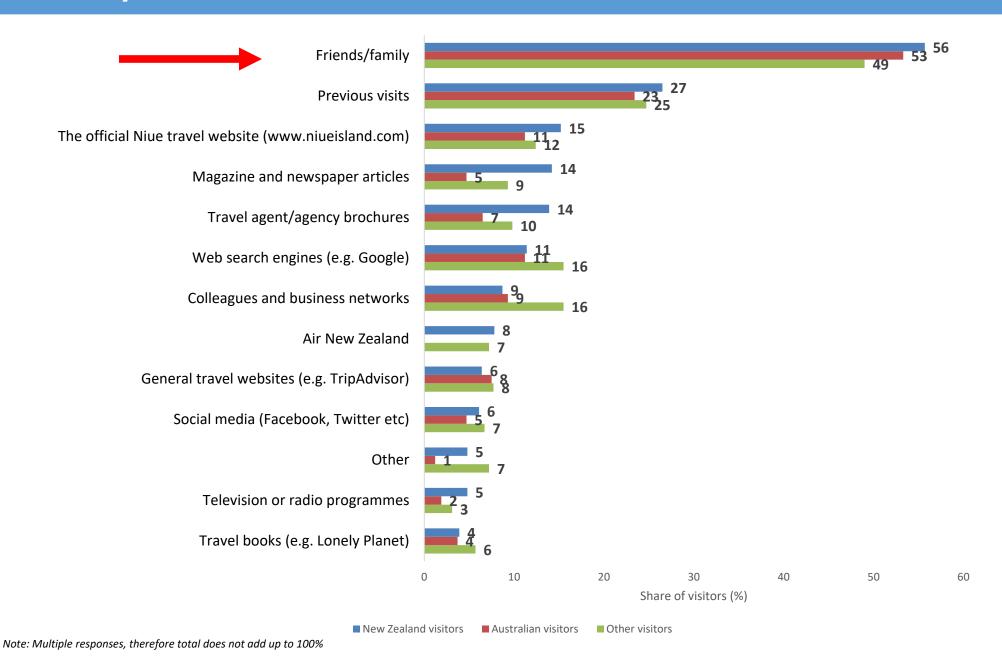


Highest Qualification

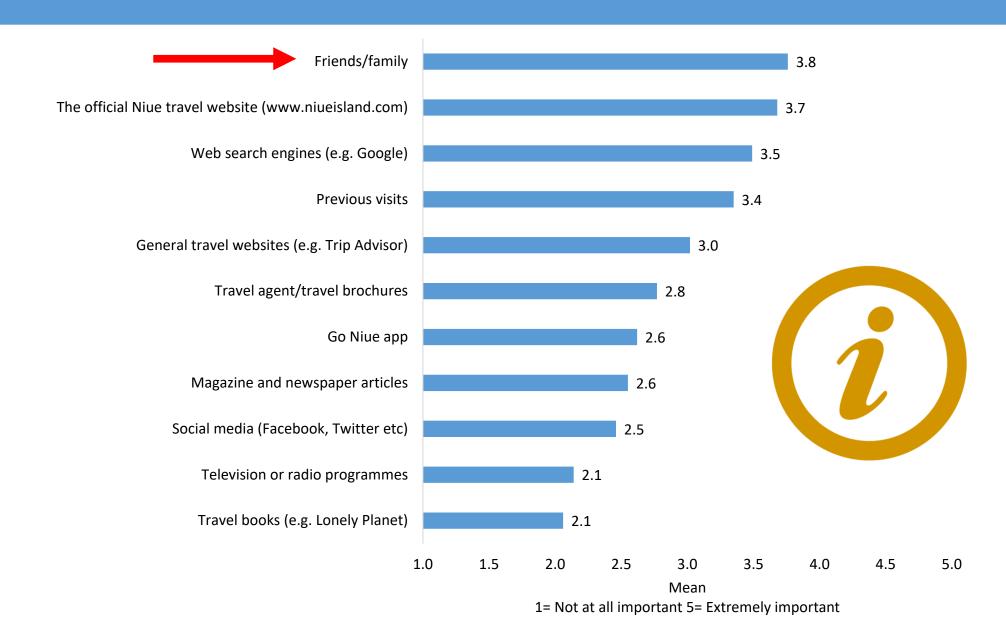


71% Tertiary qualification21% High school qualification4% No formal qualification4% Other

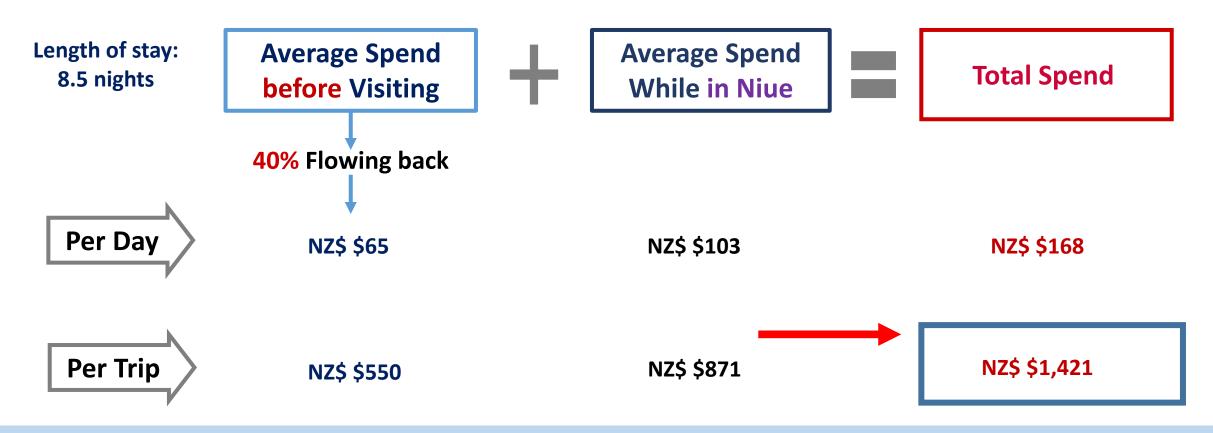
How did you find out about Niue? Word of mouth is vital...



Importance of Information Sources Used for Planning



Niue Visitor Expenditure – Per Person & Total

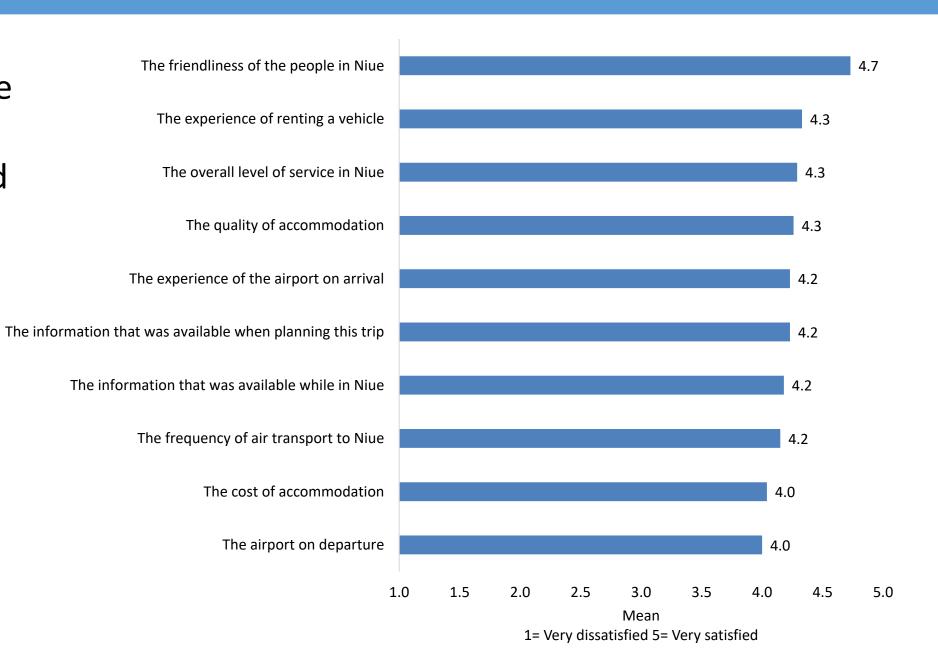


Estimated economic impact: 10,000 visitors = \$14.2 m in direct impact

Satisfaction with the Niue

Overall Experience

64% Very Satisfied 28% Satisfied



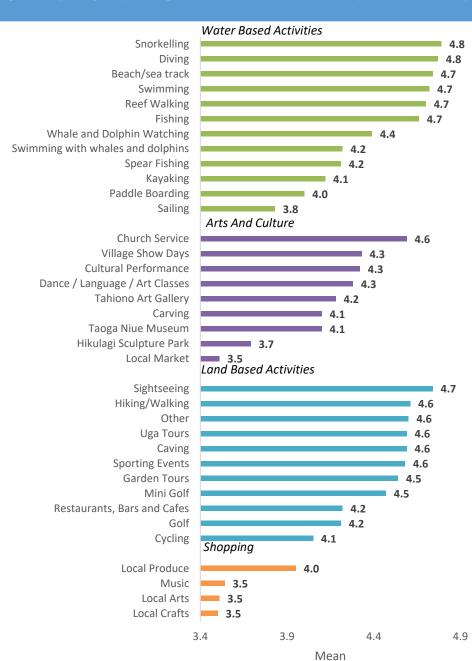
Satisfaction with Activities

WATER-BASED ACTIVITIES AVERAGE 4.4

ARTS AND CULTURE AVERAGE 4.1

LAND-BASED ACTIVITIES AVERAGE 4.5

SHOPPING AVERAGE 3.6



Most Appealing Aspects

49%

Environment & Cleanliness

39%

Activities & Attractions

38%

Local People

Least Appealing Aspects

47%

Public Services, Facilities and Infrastructure

11%

Food and beverage

8%

Animals-related issues

Least Appealing Aspects

"The roads!!!!! Riddled with pot-holes!!!!"

"Lack of clear signage to some areas. More hand rails on sea tracks, and board walks to improve access for the less able bodied in some areas. Maintenance/upkeep of tracks and stairs."

"Phone service. Internet speed."

"We couldn't get any information at all while we were there. With very limited internet access, it was challenging to find any information to help us with our holiday while we were there."

"Felt the toilets at the sea tracks could have been cleaner. Roading needs improving."

"The stray dogs running out at you when you run or cycle."

Return and Recommend



91% of visitors say that they would consider re-visiting Niue



97% of visitors said that they would recommend the destination to their family and friends

Niue Business Confidence Index Research









Respondents (6 Sept - 11 Nov 2018)

Total number of e-mails sent: **254 Businesses**



28%

Total number of responses:



72

Major challenges for the business in next five years

Theme	Share of respondents
Staff	27%
Competition	21%
Increasing costs	19%
Infrastructure	18%
Government policy	15%
Investment and financial issues	10%
Business growth	8%
Natural disasters	6%
Climate and weather	3%

"Finding staff, increasing cost of purchases, infrastructure - particularly power outages which cost businesses a lot of money."

"More businesses in operation, offering similar goods means competition is high."

"Infrastructure not being upgraded or at least progressively upgraded (Water/Power/Roads)."

"Major challenges would be the client not able to adhere to a savings plans for a deposit to get a loan at the local bank and to utilize my service. Also the increasing cost to build a home or an investment property on the Island with NCT & freight costs."

"The weak focus of **government** from policy to regulation level on waste management and their linking partnerships with NGOs, CSOs and the private sector."

^{*} Respondents could give more than one answer, so total does not add up to 100%.



Community Attitudes Survey 2019

This survey is about your attitudes towards tourism in Niue.

By completing the survey you are giving consent to participate in this research.



Cook Islands Community Survey: Tourism Attitudes/Awareness





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Available Resources

- Niue Business Confidence Index Survey (Feb 2019)
- Niue International Visitor Survey Results Report (October 2017 to September 2018)
- Niue International Visitor Survey Presentation (October 2017 to September 2018)
- International Visitor Pilot Report Six month report (October 2017 to March 2018)

Thank you!



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