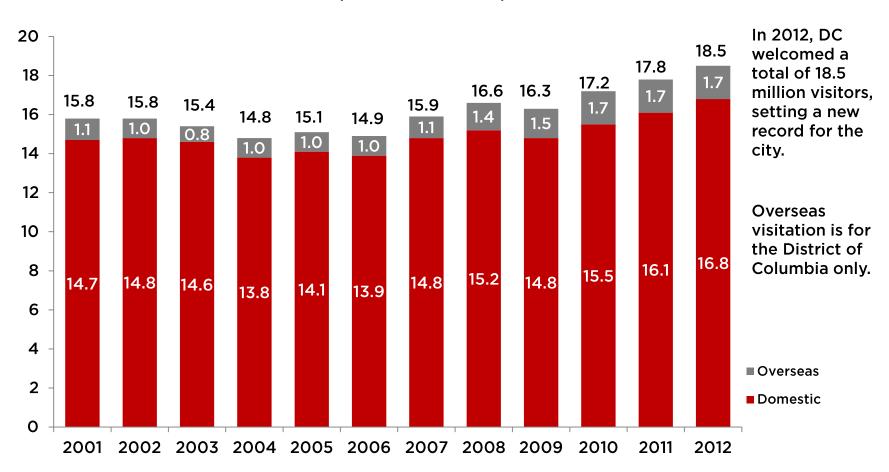


# TOTAL VISITATION TO DC

(IN MILLIONS)



Source: D.K. Shifflet & Associates; Travel Market Insights, Office of Travel & Tourism Industries, Department of Commerce



# **OVERSEAS VISITATION\***

Destination (MSA)	2010	2011	2012	2012 Visitation
New York City	1	1	1	9.107 M
Miami	3	3	2	3.482 M
Los Angeles- Long Beach	2	2	3	3.393 M
Orlando	4	5	4	3.184 M
San Francisco	5	4	5	2.798 M
Las Vegas	6	5	6	2.708 M
Honolulu	8	8	7	2.232 M
Washington, DC	7	7	8	1.756 M
Chicago	10	10	9	1.369 M
Boston	9	9	10	1.250 M

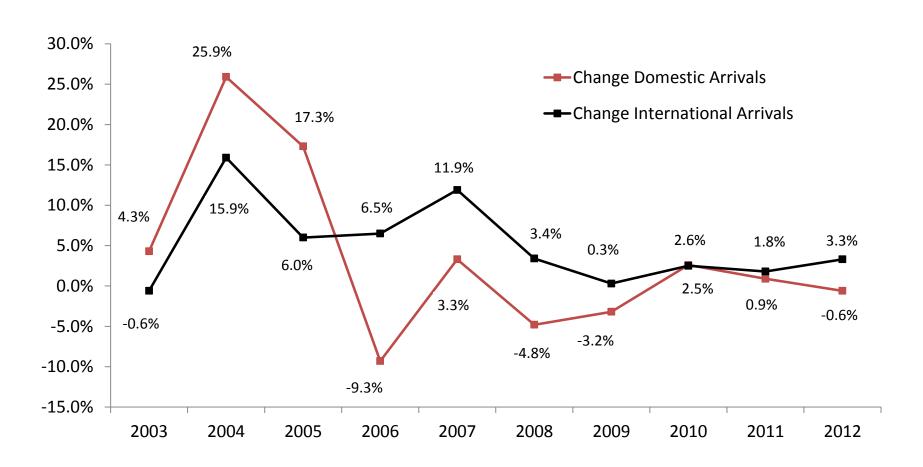
- DC dropped to #8
  position for overseas
  visitation as Honolulu
  saw a surge in
  visitation.
- DC's overseas visitor volume decreased 3% in for 2012



<sup>\*</sup>Excludes Canada and Mexico; city statistics are for the MSA Source: Travel Market Insights, Office of Travel & Tourism Industries, Department of Commerce

# CHANGE IN AIRPORT ARRIVALS

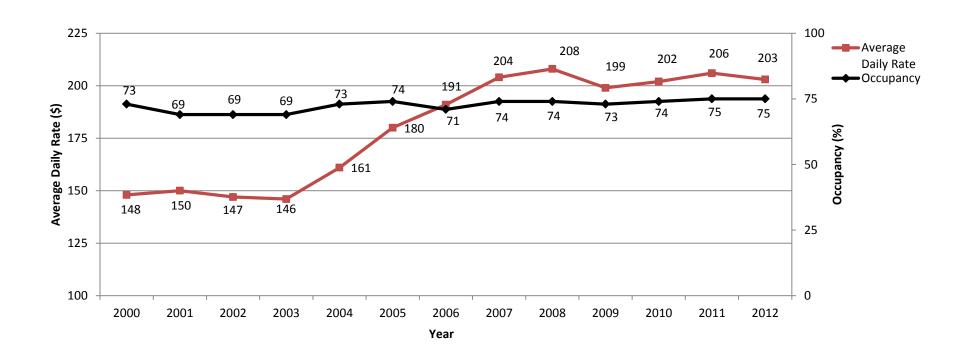
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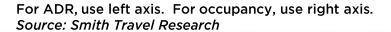


Source: Metropolitan Washington Airport Authority



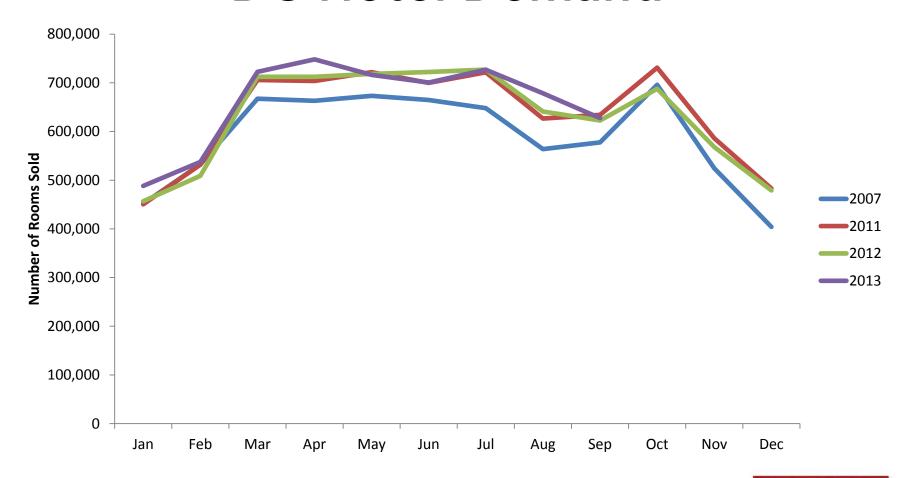
# DC HOTEL PERFORMANCE







# 2007, 2011, 2012, and 2013 YTD DC Hotel Demand



2012 YTD is through August 2013 Source: Smith Travel Research



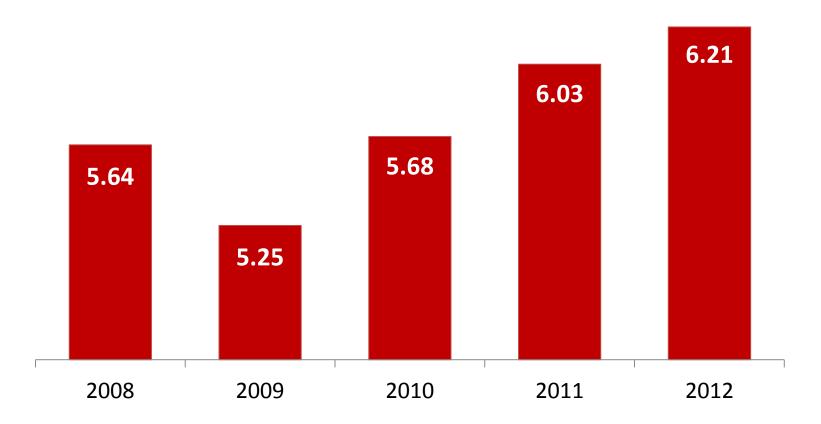
ADDITIONAL TOURISM INDICATORS	2012 Visitation	Percent Change 2011-12
National Park Service - Mall locations	23.4 million	8.9% 🛨
National Park Service - all DC area locations	42.5 million	4.3% <b>↑</b>
Smithsonian - Mall locations	24.7 million	5.0% <b>↑</b>
Smithsonian - all DC locations	29.9 million	6.5% ★
Total domestic arrivals (DCA+IAD)	17.5 million	-0.6% ▼
Total international arrivals (DCA+IAD)	3.5 million	3.3% ♠
WMATA Metro rail ridership	212.0 million	-2.3% <b>↓</b>
Circulator ridership	5.7 million	-1.1% ▼

Sources: National Park Service, Smithsonian, Metropolitan Washington Airport Authority, Washington Metro Area Transit Authority, District Department of Transportation



# VISITOR SPENDING

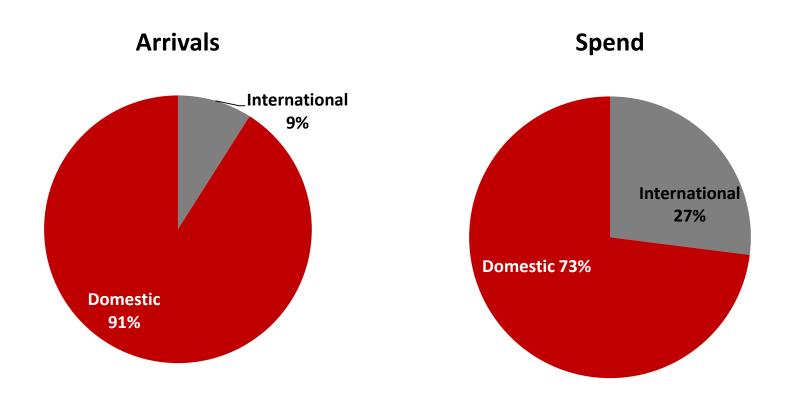
(IN BILLIONS \$)



Includes both domestic and international spending. *Source: IHS. Inc.* 



# DOMESTIC vs. INTERNATIONAL



Sources: Travel Market Insights, Office of Travel & Tourism Industries, U.S. Department of Commerce, IHS, Inc.



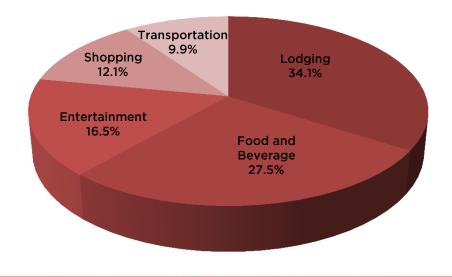
## FACTS ABOUT TOURISM SPENDING

- If tourism did not exist in Washington, DC, the District would need to generate an average of \$2,487 in local taxes from each of the 271,160 households in DC, in order to maintain the current level of tax receipts.
- Travel and tourism spending supports 75,300 jobs annually.
- Travel and tourism jobs support \$3.16 billion in wages.
- Domestic spending was up 1.6% to \$4.50 billion; international spending up 6.3% to \$1.70 billion in 2012.



# DISTRIBUTION OF VISITOR SPENDING

<b>Expenditure Category</b>	2012 (\$)	% Change
Lodging	2.11 billion	-1.0% ₹
Food & Beverage	1.71 billion	<b>4.7% ↑</b>
Entertainment	1.02 billion	2.8% 🛊
Shopping	753 million	<b>7.8% ★</b>
Transportation	613 million	6.4% ★



Source: IHS, Inc.



# **TAX REVENUE**

Local Tax Revenue (\$)		
Corporate Income	36,802,396	
Personal Income	32,020,924	
Social Security & Other Taxes	620,501	
Hotel Tax	212,565,755	
Property Taxes	183,005,144	
Excise & Fees	21,723,515	
Sales Tax	187,656,061	
Restaurant	119,487,765	
Retail	58,122,531	
Airport	7,155,614	
Car Rental	2,890,151	
Local Total	674,394,296	

Federal Tax Revenue (\$)			
Corporate Income	41,742,939		
Personal Income	45,546,060		
Excise & Fees	57,424,418		
Social Security & Other Taxes	225,789,940		
Federal Total	370,503,357		

Local + Federal Total = \$1.04 billion

+2.3% change from 2011



## WHAT DOES A VISITOR MEAN TO DC?

- Each DC visitor generates about \$336 in expenditures
- Every 245 visitors creates a new job in DC
- Each visitor creates about \$56 in tax receipts, \$36 of which goes to local government
- Each visitor generates \$171 in wages
- Each visitor adds about \$258 to Gross City Product



# **CONVENTION FORECAST**

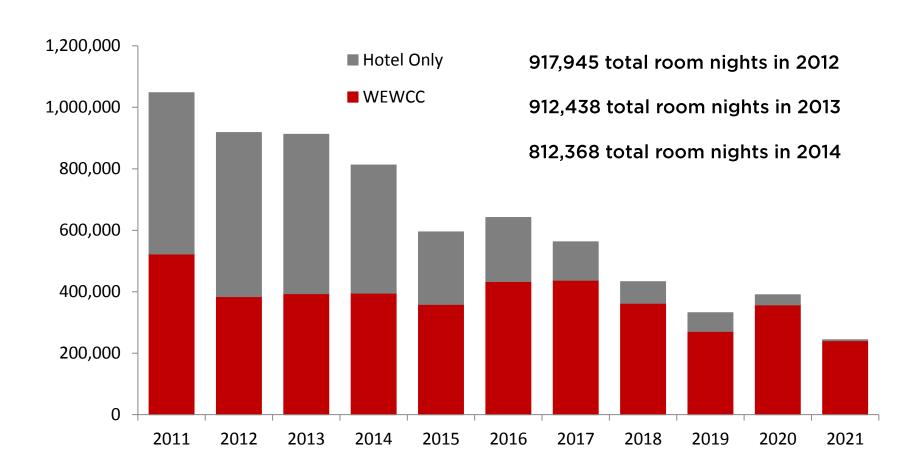


Chart reflects room nights confirmed as definite as of October 22, 2013 Source: Destination DC



# Washington DC City Wide Bookings 2011 – 2021

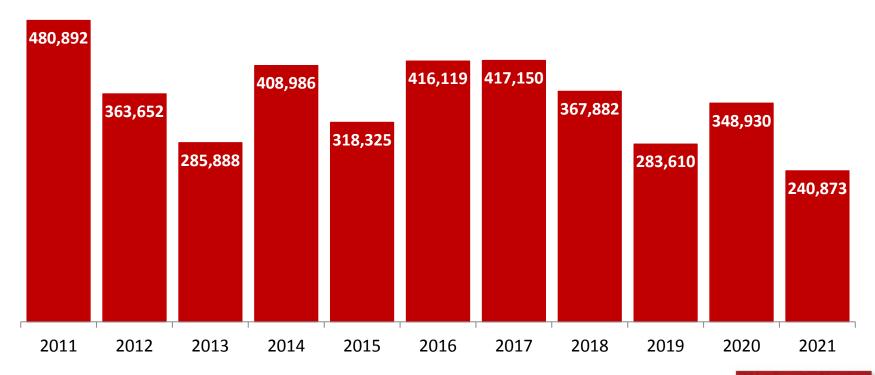
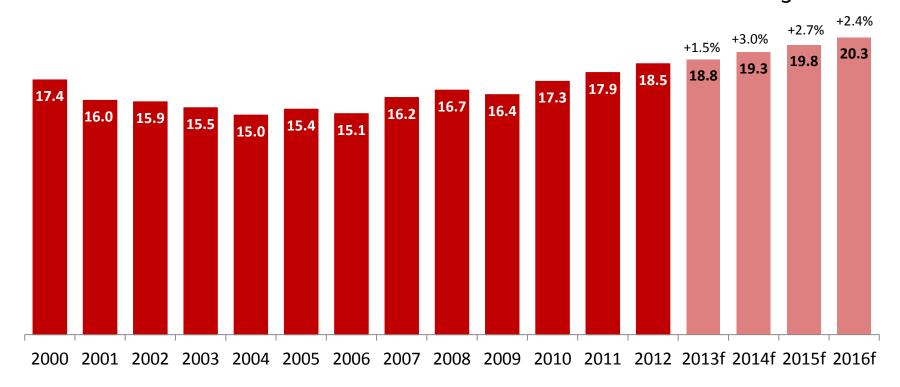


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## VISITATION FORECAST

DC's total visitor volume in 2012 reached a record high and is expected to continue to increase through 2016.



Sources: IHS, Inc., D.K. Shifflet & Associates, Travel Market Insights, Office Travel & Tourism Industries, U.S. Dept of Commerce



#### **METHODOLOGY**

#### **VISITOR VOLUME: D.K. SHIFFLET & ASSOCIATES**

- Data are collected using an online panel methodology, contacting more 50,000 distinct U.S. households each month
- Data is weighted on key demographics to balance the sample to the U.S. population

#### VISITOR FORECAST AND ECONOMIC IMPACT

 Global Insight combines D.K. Shifflet & Associates data with economic variables, DC tax collections and other tourism indicators like airport arrivals, transportation and attractions attendance

