

British Columbia Regional Tourism Secretariat Canada, British Columbia & Alberta

# Monthly Visitor Highlights | 2023

Kootenay Rockies Region Jan - Dec Update



**2023 DATA VINTAGE** 



- As the tourism industry navigates recovery from the COVID-19 global pandemic, the British Columbia Regional Tourism Secretariat (BCRTS) continues to provide baseline research to support the industry as it moves forward
- Baseline visitor analysis will help industry understand who is visiting our regions so they can plan strategically how and what visitors to attract
- Research commenced with the BC Market as the top priority followed by the Alberta Market
- This report focuses on visitor analysis to Kootenay Rockies Region



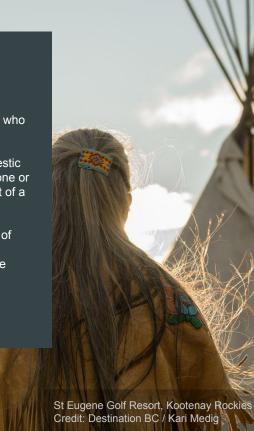
# Research Overview



- Environics Analytics is a Canadian based research firm providing information solutions for a variety of industries in both the Canadian and USA Markets
- VisitorView Canada provides insights the tourism industry needs to understand, market and grow their business with Canadian travellers
- VisitorView produces neighbourhood-level estimates of overnight Canadian visitors to Canada, the provinces and territories, or one of Canada's 85 tourism regions as defined by Destination Canada
- Estimates are provided for the total number of visitors, the number of trips and the number of nights spent in each province or tourism region
- VisitorView is based on anonymized, consent-based mobile location data. Monthly, quarterly and annual estimate data is available starting with January 2020 to allow for analysis of historical trends

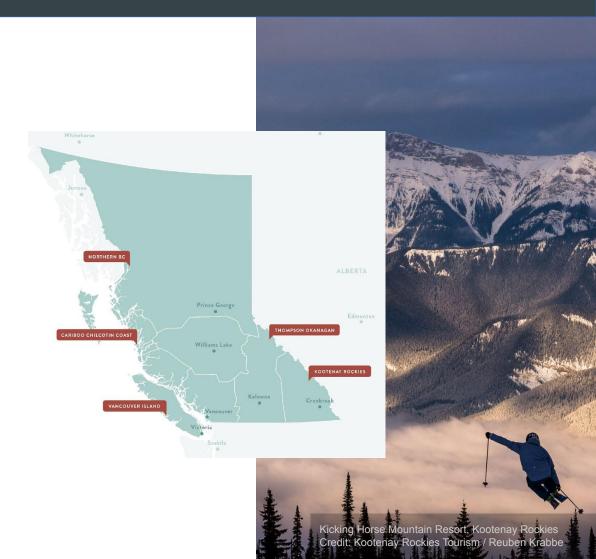
#### Methodology

- Visitor: A visitor is defined as someone who travels 60+km from their point of origin
- Trips: Are defined as the count of domestic traveller trips which involved spending one or more nights over the time period as part of a continuous visit to the destination
- Nights Stayed: Is defined as the count of unique nights a domestic visitor was observed in the destination over the time period (between 6:00pm – 8:00am the following day)



# Research Overview

- Visitor View can help you measure the effectiveness of your marketing strategies to Canadian Visitors, as well as understand the Canadian travel and tourism industry and the impact of the worldwide COVID-19 pandemic as it relates to Visitors, Number of Trips and Number of Overnight Stays within Canada, its provinces, territories, and tourism regions
- Using Visitor View, we can compare the number of visitors and their travel patterns in 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023
- We can also compare different regions to assess the impact of the pandemic on Canadian travel patterns and the path to recovery
- Visitor View also allows us to identify the best regions and neighbourhoods in Canada to prospect for new visitors and use the PRIZM Segmentation System to optimize experience development and marketing





# Q1 2020, 2021, 2022 & 2023: Domestic Visitors by Quarter

## **Kootenay Rockies**

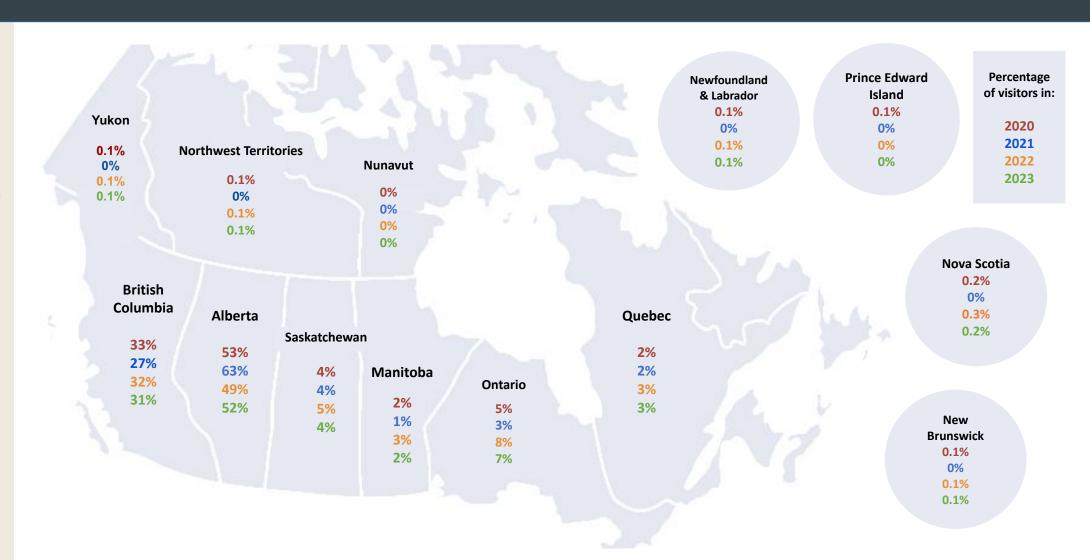
Q1 = January | February | March Note: All counts have been rounded to the nearest 100

#### Overview

During Q1 2020 Kootenay
Rockies saw an average of **443,900** Domestic Visitors.
During Q1 2021 the region
saw **345,200** Domestic
Visitors, in Q1 2022, **457,500**Domestic Visitors and in Q1
2023, **512,200** Domestic
Visitors.

- Increase of 15% 2023 compared to 2020
- Increase of 48% 2023 compared to 2021
- Increase of 12% 2023 compared to 2022

**Note:** A Visitor is defined as someone who travels 60+ km from their point of origin, counts may include Kootenay Rockies resident visitors depending on point of origin and point of destination



# Q2 2020, 2021, 2022 & 2023: Domestic Visitors by Quarter

## **Kootenay Rockies**

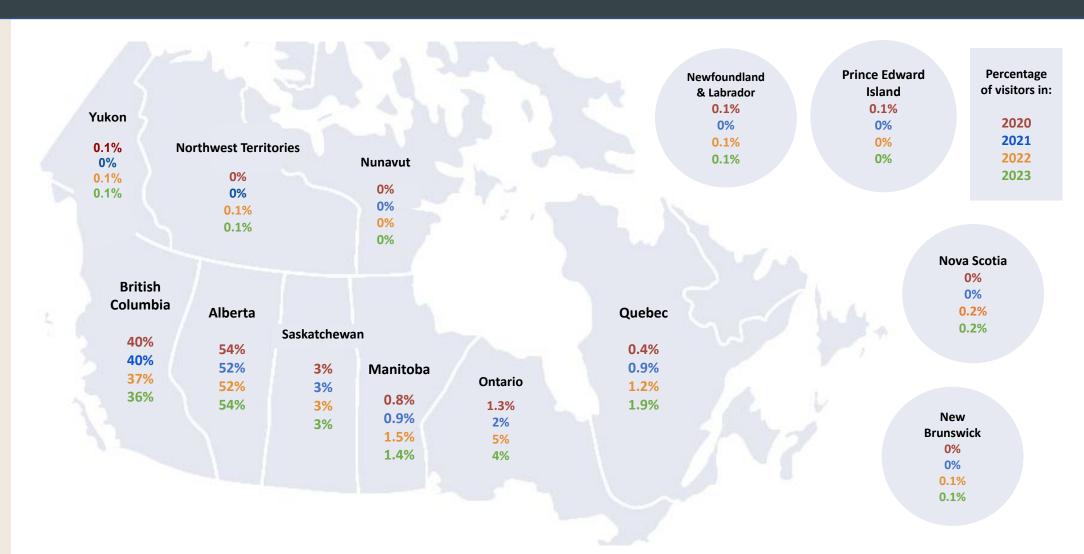
Q2 = April | May | June
Note: All counts have been rounded to the nearest 100

#### Overview

During Q2 2020 Kootenay
Rockies saw an average of **345,700** Domestic Visitors.
During Q2 2021 the region
saw **428,100** Domestic
Visitors, in Q2 2022, **637,300**Domestic Visitors and in Q2
2023, **671,100** Domestic
Visitors.

- Increase of 94% 2023 compared to 2020
- Increase of 57% 2023 compared to 2021
- Increase of 5% 2023 compared to 2022

**Note:** A Visitor is defined as someone who travels 60+ km from their point of origin, counts may include Kootenay Rockies resident visitors depending on point of origin and point of destination



# Q3 2020, 2021, 2022 & 2023: Domestic Visitors by Quarter

## **Kootenay Rockies**

Q3 = July | August | September Note: All counts have been rounded to the nearest 100

#### Overview

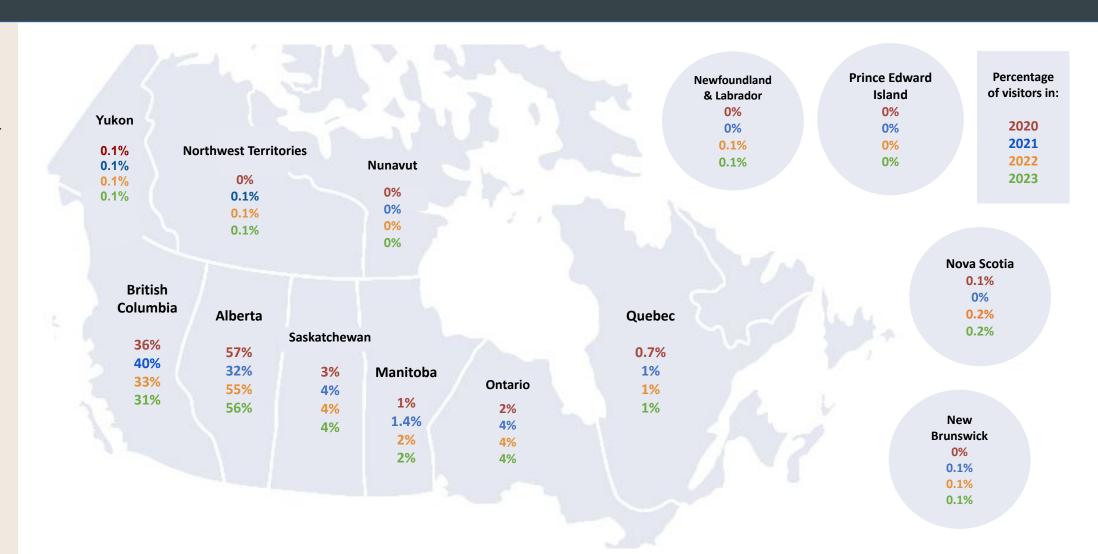
During Q3 2020 Kootenay Rockies saw an average of 1,166,500 Domestic Visitors. During Q3 2021 the region saw 1,248,700 Domestic Visitors, in Q3 2022, 1,234,000 Domestic Visitors and in Q3 2023, 923,700

- <u>Decrease</u> of 21% 2023 compared to 2020

Domestic Visitors.

- <u>Decrease</u> of **26%** 2023 compared to 2021
- <u>Decrease</u> of **25%** 2023 compared to 2022

**Note:** A Visitor is defined as someone who travels 60+ km from their point of origin, counts may include Kootenay Rockies resident visitors depending on point of origin and point of destination



# Q4 2020, 2021, 2022 & 2023: Domestic Visitors by Quarter

## **Kootenay Rockies**

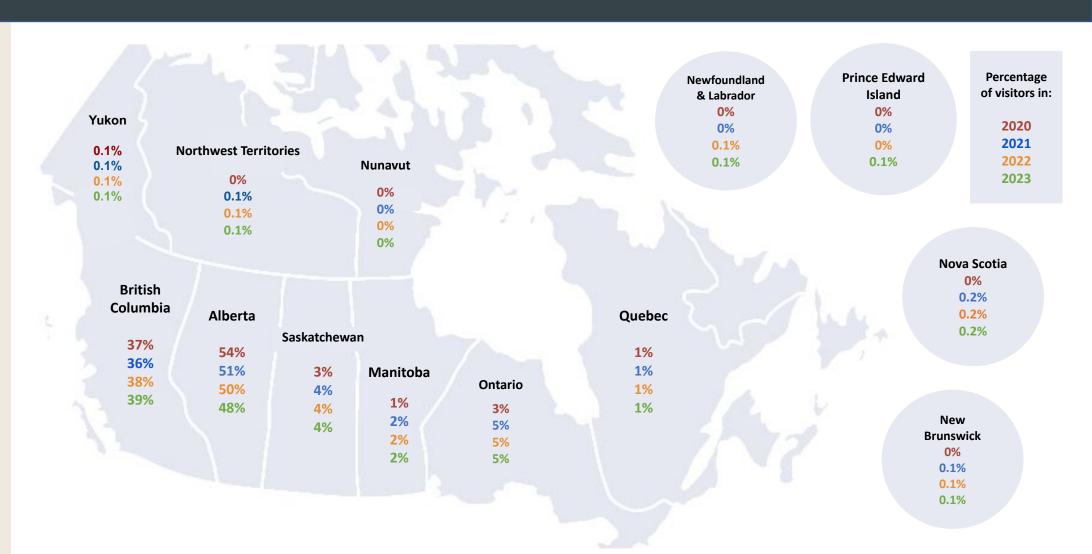
Q4 = October I November I December
Note: All counts have been rounded to the nearest 100

#### Overview

During Q4 2020 Kootenay Rockies saw an average of **317,900** Domestic Visitors. During Q4 2021 the region saw **397,900** Domestic Visitors, in Q4 2022, **446,100** Domestic Visitors and in Q4 2023, **443,900** Domestic Visitors.

- Increase of 40% 2023 compared to 2020
- Increase of 12% 2023 compared to 2021
- Increase of 0.5% 2023 compared to 2022

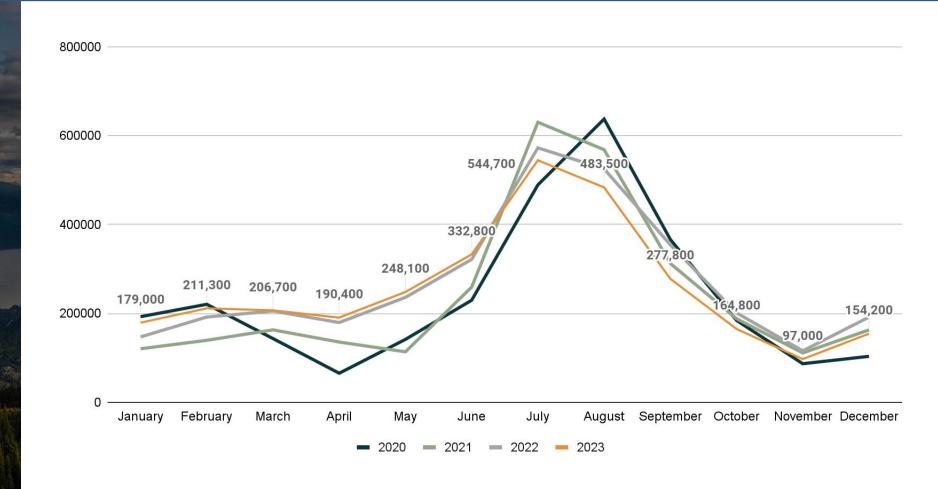
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# **Canadian Visitation**

## Canadian Visitors Travelling to Kootenay Rockies by Month

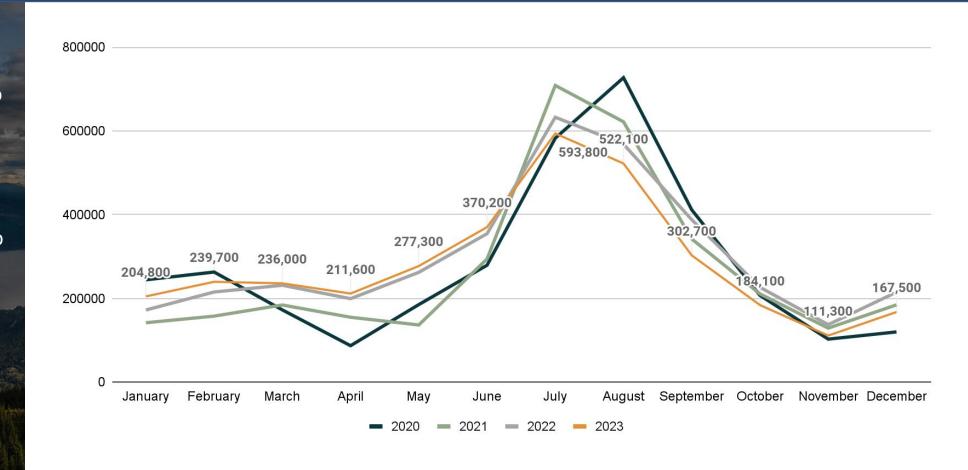
- October 2023 saw a 11% decrease compared to 2020, a 12% decrease compared to 2021 and a 18% decrease compared to 2022
- November 2023 saw a 12% increase compared to 2020, a 13% decrease compared to 2021 and a 16% decrease compared to 2022
- December 2023 saw a 49% increase compared to 2020, a 5% decrease compared to 2021 and a 19% decrease compared to 2022



# **Canadian Visitation**

## **Canadian Trips To Kootenay Rockies By Month**

- October 2023 saw a 11% decrease compared to 2020, a 11% decrease compared to 2021 and a 19% decrease compared to 2022
- November 2023 saw a 8% increase compared to 2020, a 14% decrease compared to 2021 and a 19% decrease compared to 2022
- December 2023 saw a 40% increase compared to 2020, a 9% decrease compared to 2021 and a 22% decrease compared to 2022



# **Canadian Visitation**

## Canadian Overnight Stays In Kootenay Rockies By Month

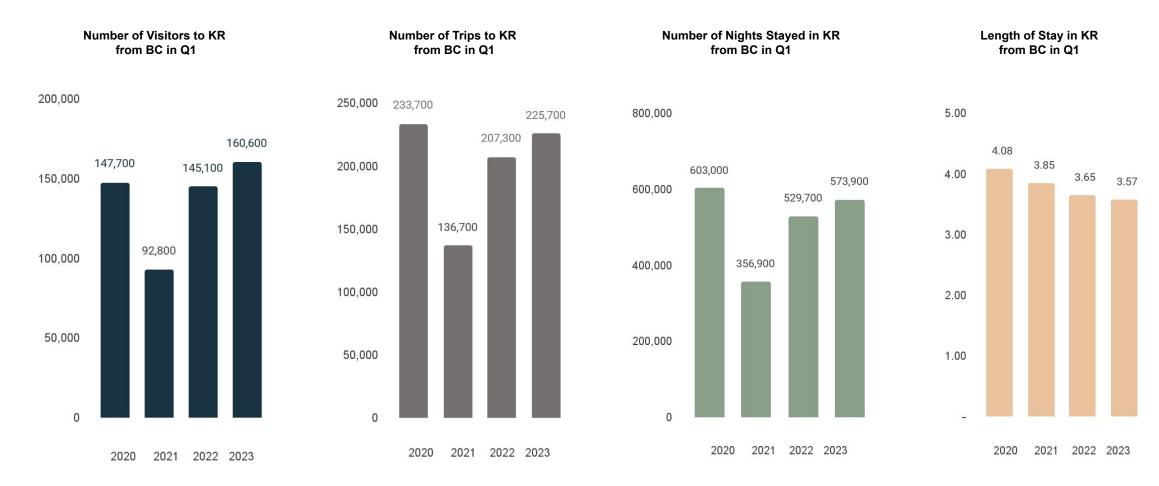
- October 2023 saw a 14% decrease compared to 2020, a 12% decrease compared to 2021 and a 19% decrease compared to 2022
- November 2023 saw a 17% increase compared to 2020, a 4% decrease compared to 2021 and a 14% decrease compared to 2022
- December 2023 saw a 38% increase compared to 2020, a 8% decrease compared to 2021 and a 23% decrease compared to 2022





## Bc Residents Travelling To Kootenay Rockies By Quarter

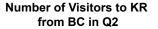


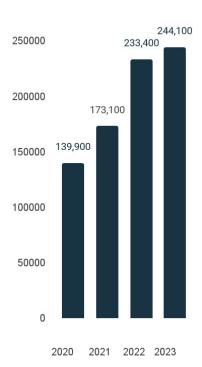


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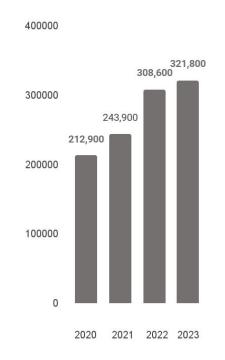
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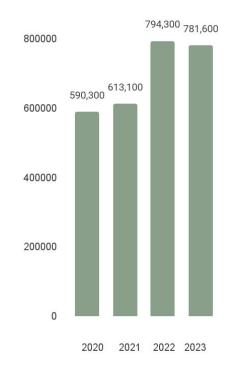




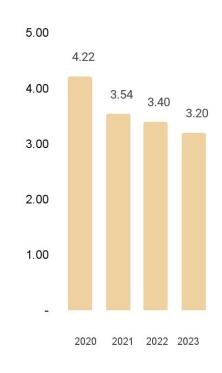
## Number of Trips to KR from BC in Q2



### Number of Nights Stayed in KR from BC in Q2



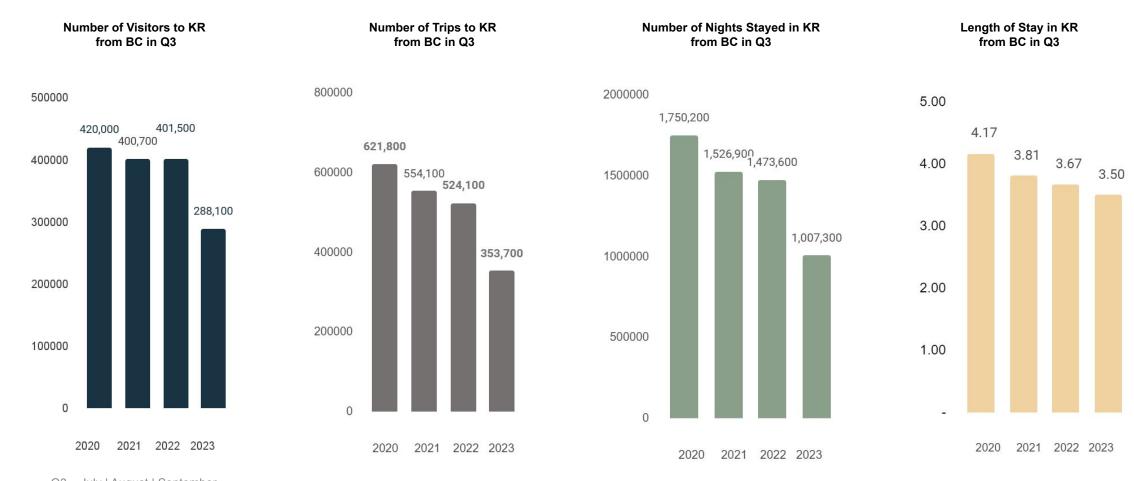
Length of Stay in KR from BC in Q2



Q2 = April | May | June Note: All counts have been rounded to the nearest 100

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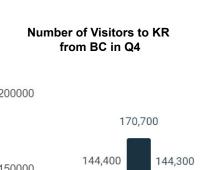


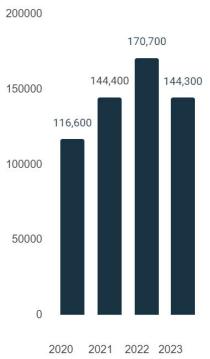


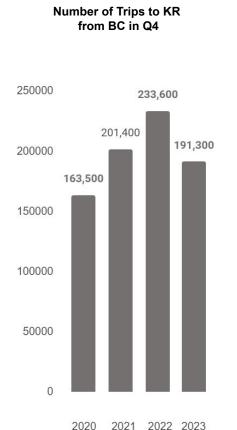
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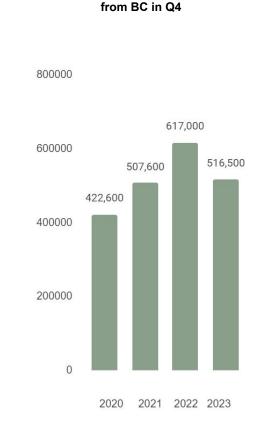
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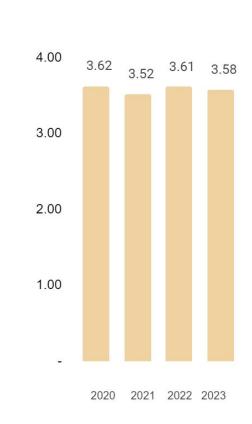








**Number of Nights Stayed in KR** 



Length of Stay in KR

from BC in Q4



City	2020 Visitor Count
Vancouver	12,300
Kelowna	10,000
Surrey	9,900
Cranbrook	6,000
Kamloops	4,600
Abbotsford	4,200
Burnaby	3,300
Richmond	3,100
Vernon	2,800
Kimberley	2,500

City	2021 Visitor Count
Kelowna	7,500
Vancouver	7,200
Surrey	6,700
Cranbrook	3,300
Abbotsford	3,300
Kamloops	3,000
Vernon	2,100
West Kelowna	1,800
Burnaby	1,700
Salmon Arm	1,600

City	2022 Visitor Count
Vancouver	12,800
Kelowna	10,500
Surrey	10,500
Kamloops	5,400
Abbotsford	4,400
Cranbrook	4,200
Vernon	3,600
Burnaby	3,400
Richmond	2,800
West Kelowna	2,700

City	2023 Visitor Count
Vancouver	14,600
Surrey	13,500
Kelowna	10,400
Kamloops	5,800
Cranbrook	4,800
Abbotsford	4,400
Burnaby	4,000
Richmond	3,500
Vernon	3,500
Coquitlam	3,000



City	2020 Visitor Count
Kelowna	11,700
Vancouver	9,200
Surrey	8,900
Kamloops	5,100
Cranbrook	5,000
Abbotsford	4,600
Vernon	4,100
West Kelowna	3,000
Burnaby	2,800
Richmond	2,500

City	2021 Visitor Count
Kelowna	17,100
Surrey	9,800
Vancouver	9,200
Kamloops	7,000
Cranbrook	5,800
Vernon	5,700
Abbotsford	4,700
West Kelowna	4,300
Salmon Arm	3,100
Penticton	3,000

City	2022 Visitor Count
Kelowna	17,800
Vancouver	16,400
Surrey	15,600
Kamloops	8,800
Abbotsford	6,600
Cranbrook	6,100
Vernon	6,000
Burnaby	5,500
Richmond	4,900
West Kelowna	4,800

City	2023 Visitor Count
Vancouver	19,400
Surrey	18,800
Kelowna	18,100
Kamloops	9,300
Burnaby	6,500
Abbotsford	6,500
Vernon	6,300
Cranbrook	6,100
Richmond	5,800
Coquitlam	4,600



City	2020 Visitor Count
Vancouver	38,400
Kelowna	34,100
Surrey	28,400
Kamloops	16,600
Burnaby	11,400
Abbotsford	11,200
Vernon	10,900
Cranbrook	10,300
Richmond	10,100
West Kelowna	8,500

City	2021 Visitor Count
Vancouver	33,900
Kelowna	32,100
Surrey	28,300
Kamloops	16,500
Abbotsford	11,300
Burnaby	10,600
Vernon	9,900
Richmond	9,700
Cranbrook	9,200
West Kelowna	8,400

City	2022 Visitor Count
Vancouver	35,500
Kelowna	29,500
Surrey	28,600
Kamloops	15,700
Burnaby	11,900
Abbotsford	11,000
Richmond	10,500
Vernon	9,800
Langley	8,400
Coquitlam	8,100

City	2023 Visitor Count
Vancouver	25,100
Kelowna	22,100
Surrey	20,700
Kamloops	11,300
Abbotsford	8,500
Burnaby	7,900
Vernon	6,800
Richmond	6,700
Cranbrook	6,000
West Kelowna	5,600



City	2020 Visitor Count
Kelowna	10,600
Vancouver	7,800
Surrey	7,500
Abbotsford	4,400
Kamloops	4,100
Cranbrook	3,700
Vernon	3,100
West Kelowna	2,600
Burnaby	2,400
Richmond	2,300

City	2021 Visitor Count
Kelowna	12,900
Surrey	9,300
Vancouver	9,200
Kamloops	6,400
Abbotsford	4,500
Cranbrook	4,500
Vernon	4,000
West Kelowna	3,300
Penticton	2,700
Burnaby	2,600

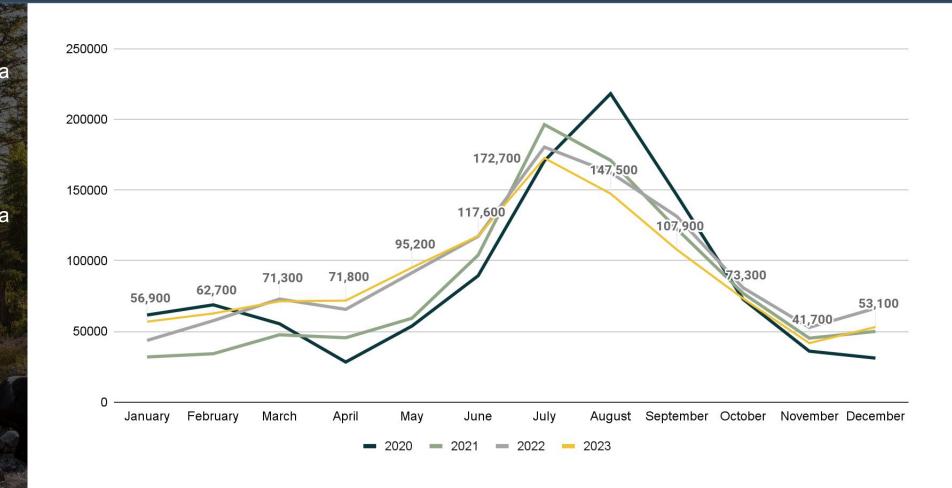
City	2022 Visitor Count
Surrey	13,500
Vancouver	12,900
Kelowna	12,400
Kamloops	6,500
Cranbrook	5,000
Abbotsford	5,000
Vernon	4,500
Burnaby	4,300
Richmond	3,600
West Kelowna	3,200

City	2023 Visitor Count
Vancouver	10,900
Kelowna	10,800
Surrey	10,200
Kamloops	6,100
Abbotsford	4,100
Cranbrook	4,000
Vernon	3,800
Burnaby	3,400
Richmond	2,800
West Kelowna	2,800

# **British Columbian Visitation**

**BC Visitors Travelling To Kootenay Rockies By Month** 

- October 2023 saw a 1% increase compared to 2020, a 5% decrease compared to 2021 and a 9% decrease compared to 2022
- November 2023 saw a 16% increase compared to 2020, a 8% decrease compared to 2021 and a 21% decrease compared to 2022
- December 2023 saw a 71% increase compared to 2020,
  6% increase compared to 2021 and a 20% decrease compared to 2022

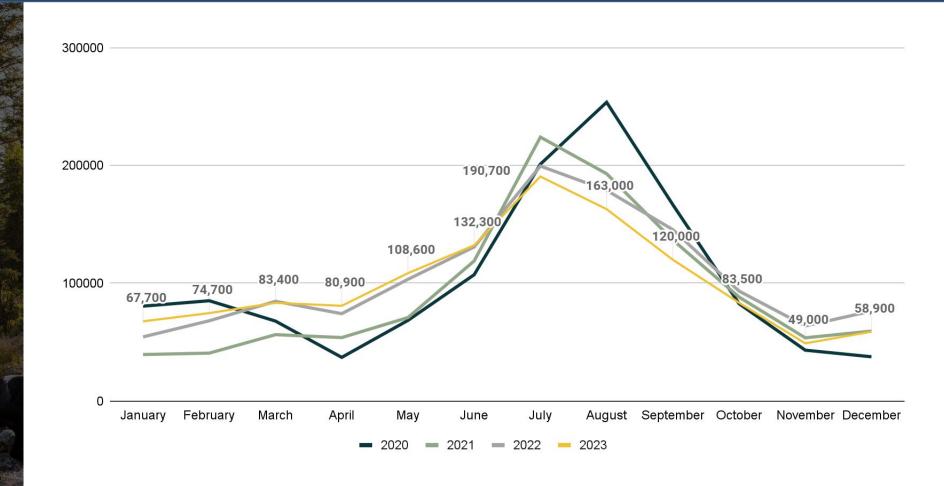


# **British Columbian Visitation**

## **BC Trips To Kootenay Rockies By Month**



- October 2023 saw a 11% decrease compared to 2020, a 17% decrease compared to 2021 and a 22% decrease compared to 2022
- November 2023 saw a 13% increase compared to 2020, a 9% decrease compared to 2021 and a 23% decrease compared to 2022
- December 2023 saw a 57% increase compared to 2020, a 1% decrease compared to 2021 and a 23% decrease compared to 2022

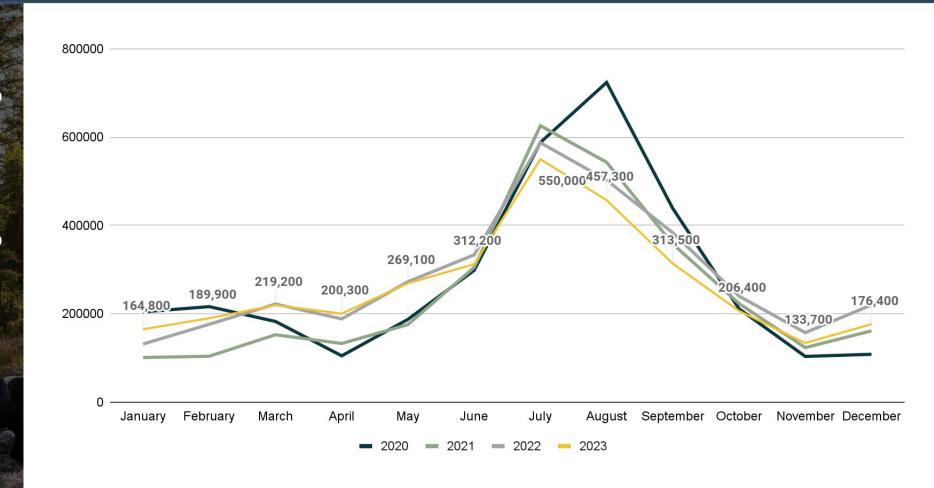


**Note:** "Trips" is a count which involved spending one or more nights over the time period as part of a continuous visit to the destination. One 'visitor' can take multiple 'trips' over the time period.

# **British Columbian Visitation**

**BC Overnight Stays In Kootenay Rockies By Month** 

- September 2023 saw a 28% decrease compared to 2020, a 12% decrease compared to 2021 and a 18% decrease compared to 2022
- October 2023 saw a 60% decrease compared to 2020, a 62% decrease compared to 2021 and a 65% decrease compared to 2022
- November 2023 saw a 63% increase compared to 2020, a 9% decrease compared to 2021 and a 20% decrease compared to 2022



# January 2023 Canada/British Columbia Regional Visitation

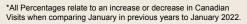
# **Kootenay Rockies**



#### Overview

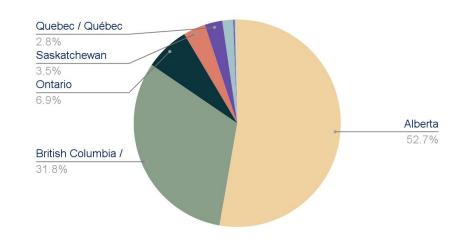
The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers decreased by 7% when comparing January 2023 to January 2020.

Visitors increased by **49%** when compared to January 2021, and increased by **22%** when compared to January 2022.

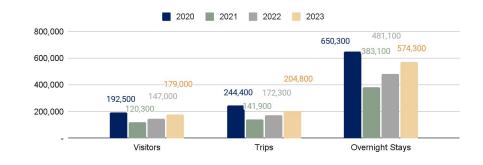


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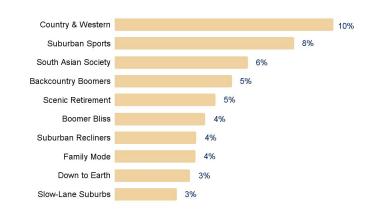
# Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province January 2023



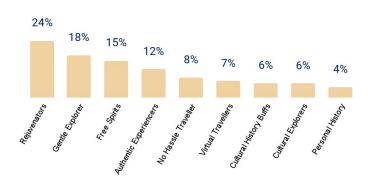
#### Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies January 2020-2023



#### January 2023 BC Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### January 2023 BC Visitors by EQ Type



# February 2023 Canada/British Columbia Regional Visitation

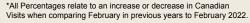
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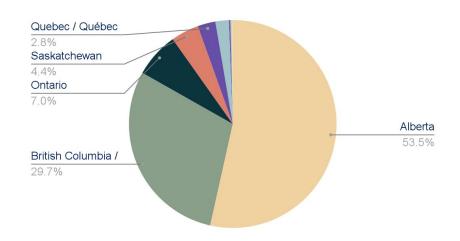
The number of visitors to
Kootenay Rockies from
Canadian travelers
decreased by 4% when
comparing February 2023 to
February 2020.

Visitors increased by **52%** when compared to February 2021, and increased by **10%** when compared to February 2022.

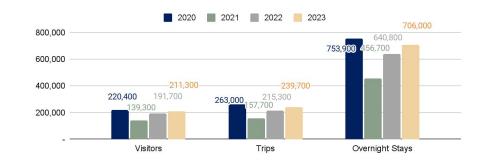


Note: A Visitor is defined as someone who travels 60+ km from their point of origin. Trips may be counted more than once due to repeat visitation.

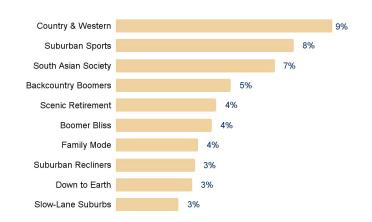
# Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province February 2023



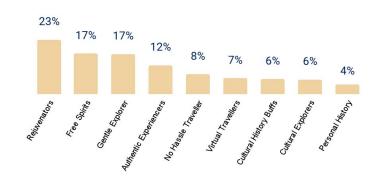
#### Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies February 2020-2023



#### February 2023 BC Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### February 2023 BC Visitors by EQ Type



# March 2023 Canada/British Columbia Regional Visitation

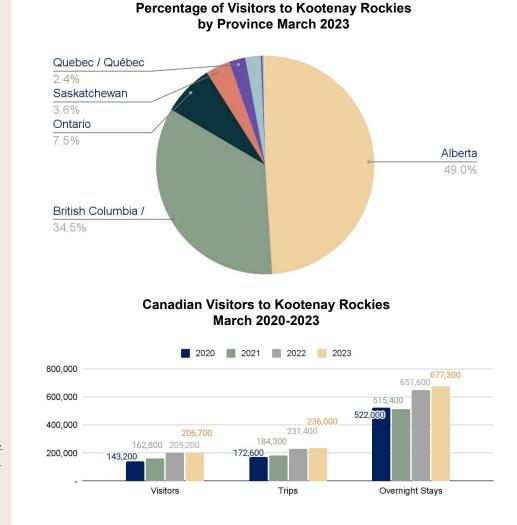
# **Kootenay Rockies**



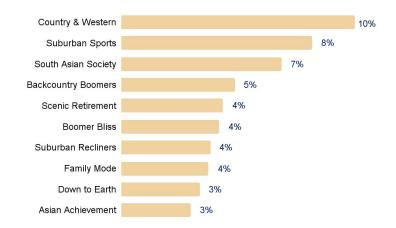
#### Overview

The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers increased by 44% when comparing March 2023 to March 2020.

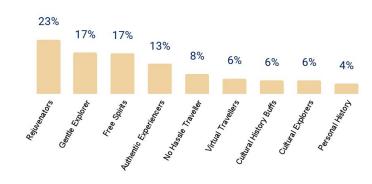
Visitors increased by 27% when compared to March 2021, and increased by 1% when compared to March 2022.



#### March 2023 BC Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### March 2023 BC Visitors by EQ Type



Note: A Visitor is defined as someone who travels 60+ km from their point of origin. Trips may be counted more than once due to repeat visitation.

Note: All counts have been rounded to the nearest 100

Visits when comparing February in previous years to February 2022.

# April 2023 Canada/British Columbia Regional Visitation

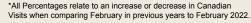
# **Kootenay Rockies**



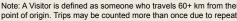
#### Overview

The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers increased by 192% when comparing April 2023 to April 2020.

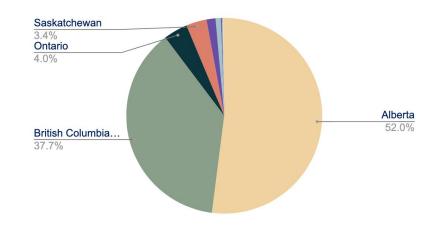
Visitors increased by 41% when compared to April 2021, and increased by 6% when compared to April 2022.



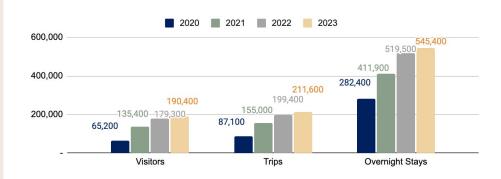
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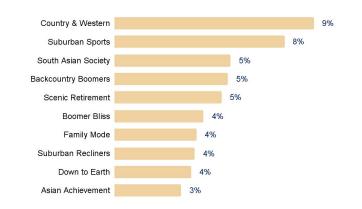
#### Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province April 2023



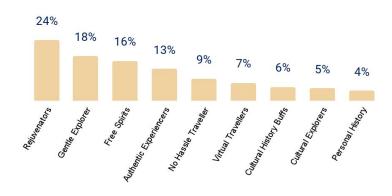
#### **Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies** April 2020-2023



#### **April 2023 BC Visitors by PRIZM Segment**



#### April 2023 BC Visitors by EQ Type



# May 2023 Canada/British Columbia Regional Visitation

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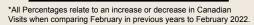
2023 Visitor

# **Kootenay Rockies**

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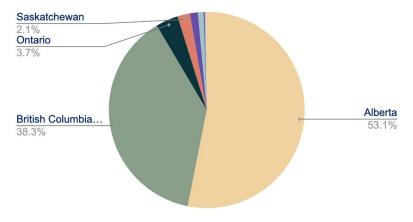
The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers increased by **75%** when comparing May 2023 to May 2020.

Visitors increased by 119% when compared to May 2021, and increased by 5% when compared to May 2022.



Note: A Visitor is defined as someone who travels 60+ km from their point of origin. Trips may be counted more than once due to repeat visitation.

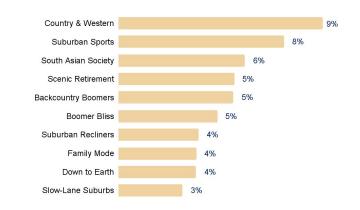
Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province May 2023



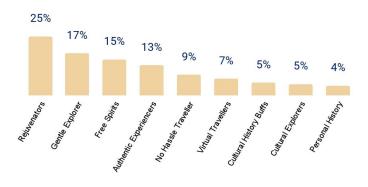
# Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies May 2020-2023



#### May 2023 BC Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### May 2023 BC Visitors by EQ Type



# June 2023 Canada/British Columbia Regional Visitation

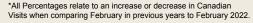
# **Kootenay Rockies**



#### Overview

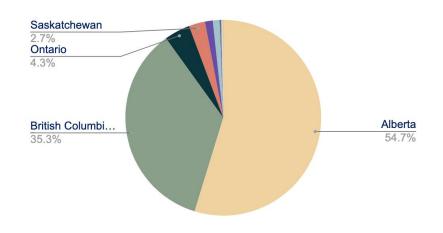
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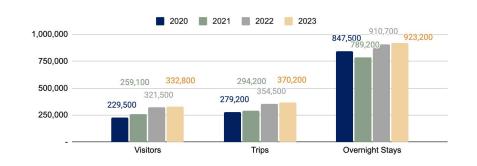


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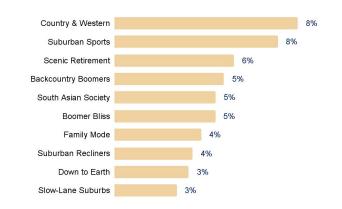
Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province June 2023



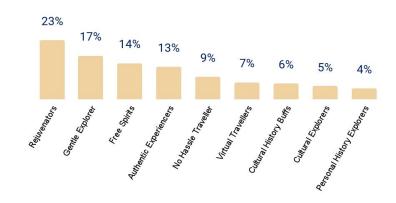
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#### June 2023 BC Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### June 2023 BC Visitors by EQ Type



# July 2023 Canada/British Columbia Regional Visitation

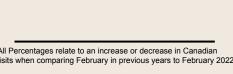
# **Kootenay Rockies**

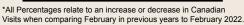


#### Overview

The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers increased by 11% when comparing July 2023 to July 2020.

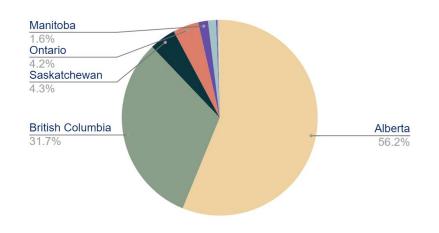
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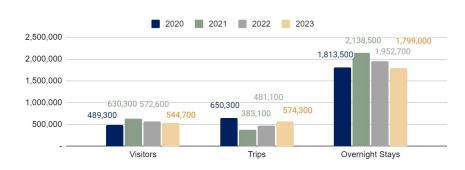


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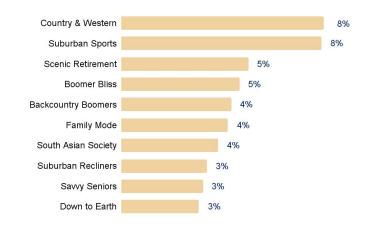
#### Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province July 2023



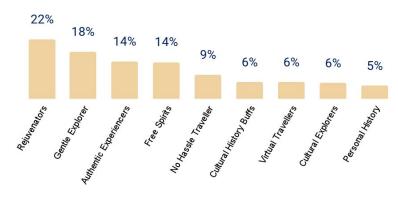
#### **Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies** July 2020-2023



#### July 2023 BC Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### July 2023 BC Visitors by EQ Type



# August 2023 Canada/British Columbia Regional Visitation

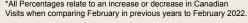
# **Kootenay Rockies**



#### Overview

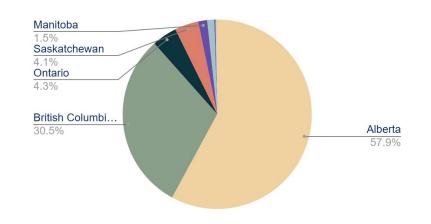
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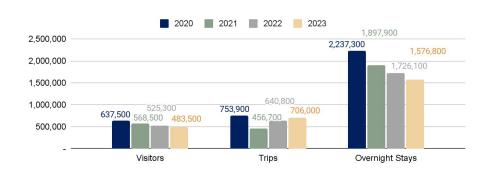


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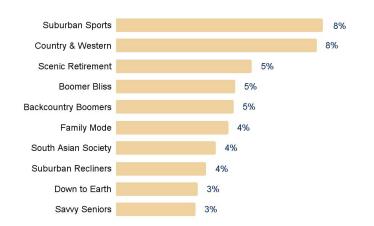
# Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province August 2023



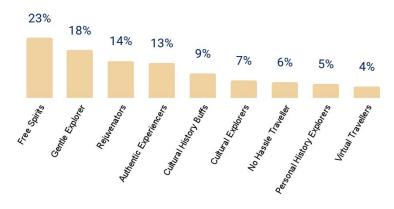
#### Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies August 2020-2023



#### August 2023 BC Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### August 2023 BC Visitors by EQ Type



# Sept 2023 Canada/British Columbia Regional Visitation

# **Kootenay Rockies**



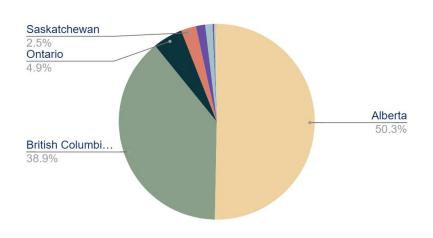
#### Overview

The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers decreased by 24% when comparing September 2023 to September 2020.

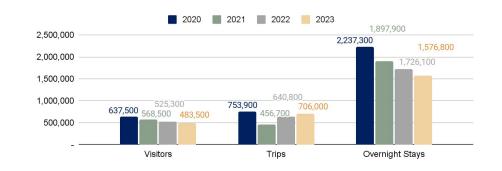
Visitors decreased by 11% when compared to September 2021, and decreased by 22% when compared to September 2022.

Note: A Visitor is defined as someone who travels 60+ km from their point of origin. Trips may be counted more than once due to repeat visitation.

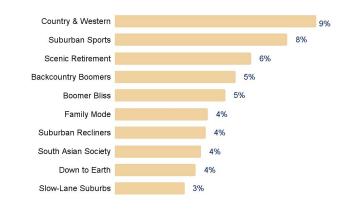
# Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province September 2023



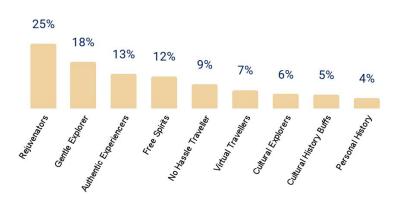
#### Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies September 2020-2023



#### September 2023 BC Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### September 2023 BC Visitors by EQ Type



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# Oct 2023 Canada/British Columbia Regional Visitation

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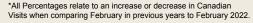
2023 Visitor

# **Kootenay Rockies**

#### Overview

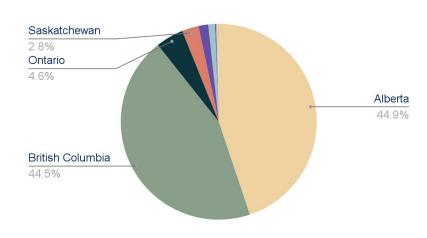
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Visitors decreased by 12% when compared to October 2021, and decreased by 18% when compared to October 2022.

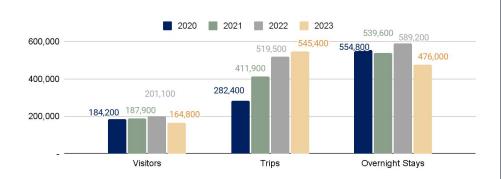


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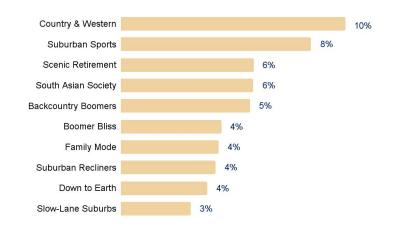
# Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province October 2023



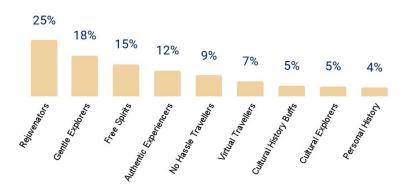
#### Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies October 2020-2023



#### October 2023 BC Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### October 2023 BC Visitors by EQ Type



# Nov 2023 Canada/British Columbia Regional Visitation

# **Kootenay Rockies**



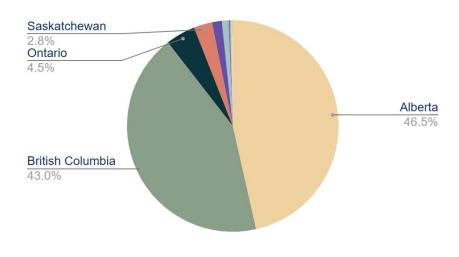
#### Overview

The number of visitors to
Kootenay Rockies from
Canadian travelers increased
by 12% when comparing
November 2023 to
November 2020.

Visitors decreased by 13% when compared to November 2021, and decreased by 16% when compared to November 2022.

Note: A Visitor is defined as someone who travels 60+ km from their point of origin. Trips may be counted more than once due to repeat visitation.

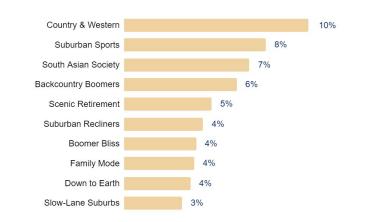




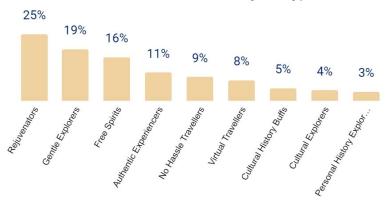
## Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies November 2020-2023



#### November 2023 BC Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### November 2023 BC Visitors by EQ Type



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# Dec 2023 Canada/British Columbia Regional Visitation

# **Kootenay Rockies**

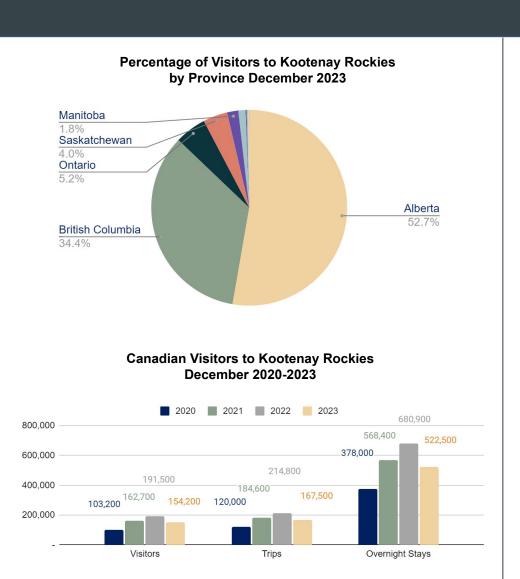


#### Overview

The number of visitors to
Kootenay Rockies from
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December 2023 to
December 2020.

Visitors decreased by 13% when compared to
December 2021, and
decreased by 16% when
compared to December
2022.

Note: A Visitor is defined as someone who travels 60+ km from their point of origin. Trips may be counted more than once due to repeat visitation.



December 2023 BC Visitors by PRIZM Segment

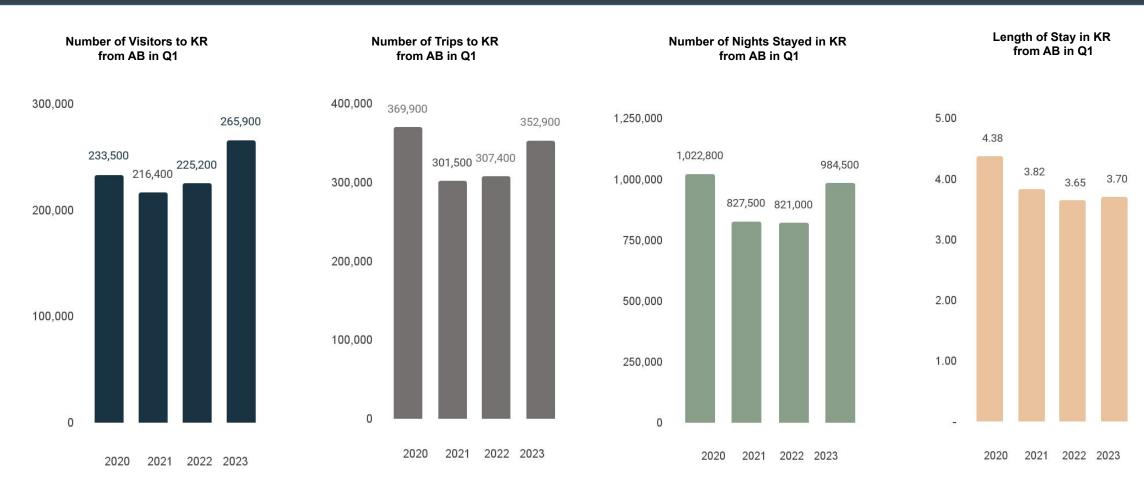
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Alberta Residents Travelling To Kootenay Rockies By Quarter





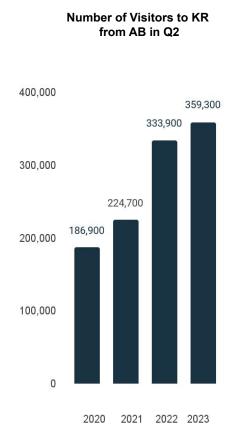
Q1 = January | February | March Note: All counts have been rounded to the nearest 100

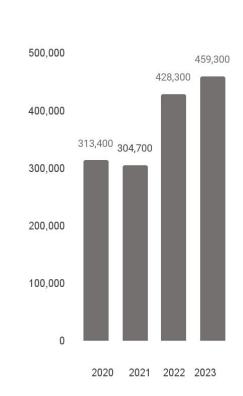
Alberta Residents Travelling To Kootenay Rockies By Quarter

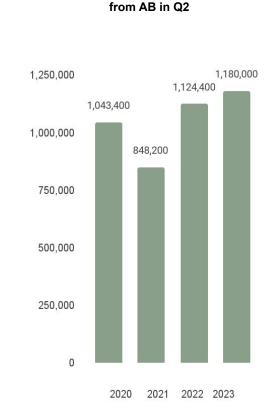
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from AB in Q2

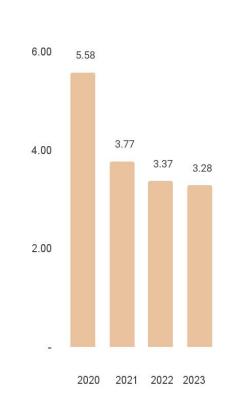








Number of Nights Stayed in KR



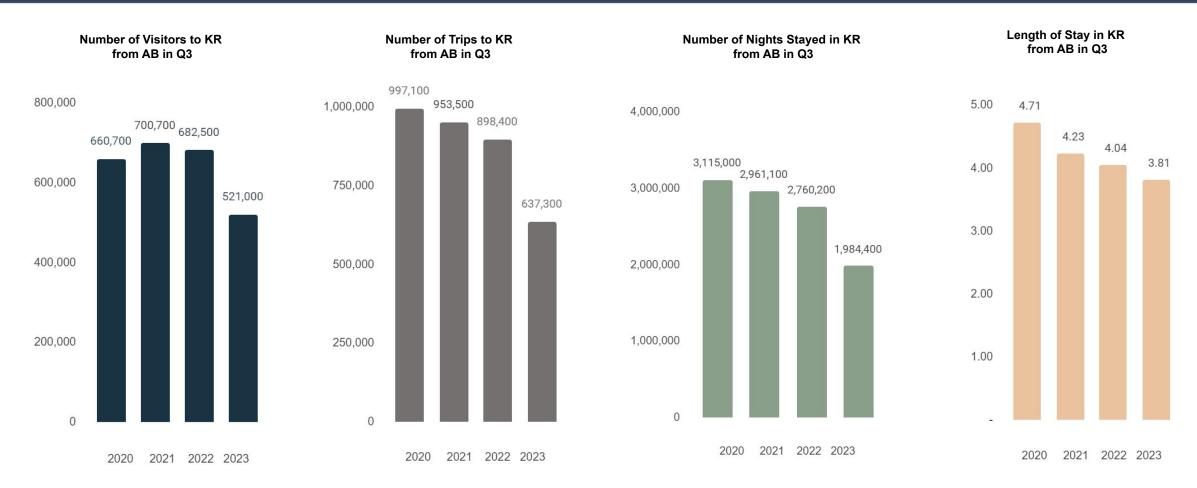
Length of Stay in KR

from AB in Q2

Q2 = April | May | June
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## Alberta Residents Travelling To Kootenay Rockies By Quarter

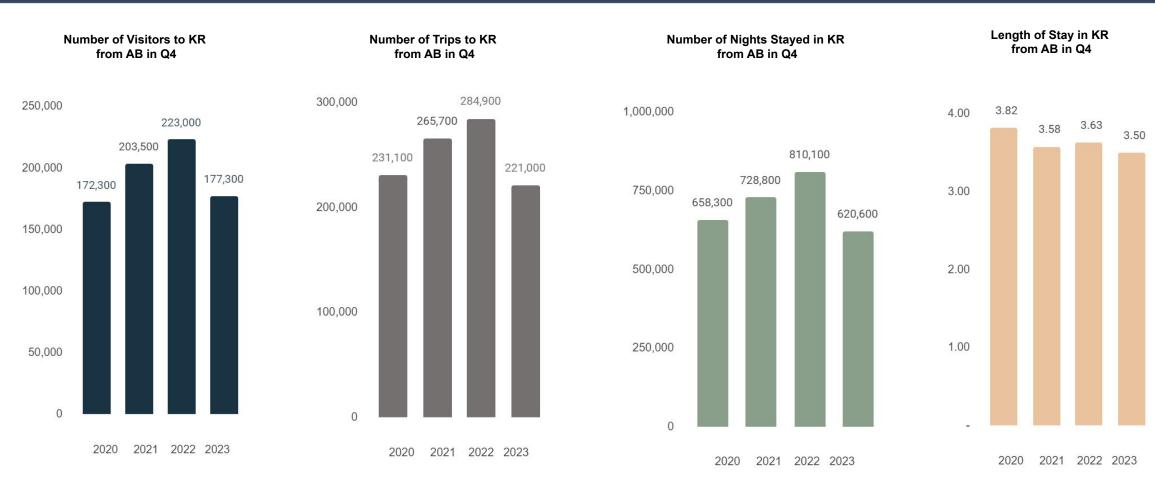




Q3 = July | August | September Note: All counts have been rounded to the nearest 100

Alberta Residents Travelling To Kootenay Rockies By Quarter





Q4 = October I November I December
Note: All counts have been rounded to the nearest 100



City	2020 Visitor Count
Calgary	119,400
Edmonton	25,700
Lethbridge	7,600
Airdrie	7,000
Rocky View County	5,100
Red Deer	4,200
Canmore	3,700
Strathcona County	3,200
Okotoks	2,800
Cochrane	2,600

City	2021 Visitor Count
Calgary	100,800
Edmonton	25,100
Airdrie	6,300
Lethbridge	5,800
Red Deer	4,700
Rocky View County	4,300
Strathcona County	3,600
Canmore	2,900
Okotoks	2,500
Cochrane	2,400

City	2022 Visitor Count
Calgary	109,200
Edmonton	28,700
Lethbridge	5,900
Airdrie	5,700
Rocky View County	4,600
Red Deer	4,500
Strathcona County	3,900
Canmore	3,300
St. Albert	2,500
Medicine Hat	2,500

City	2023 Visitor Count
Calgary	179,200
Edmonton	41,000
Lethbridge	11,800
Airdrie	10,500
Red Deer	7,300
Rocky View County	6,400
Strathcona County	5,000
Medicine Hat	4,400
Okotoks	4,200
Canmore	4,000



City	2020 Visitor Count
Calgary	95,600
Edmonton	17,700
Lethbridge	6,900
Airdrie	6,400
Rocky View County	4,100
Red Deer	4,000
Canmore	2,800
Okotoks	2,700
Cochrane	2,400
Strathcona County	2,200

City	2021 Visitor Count
Calgary	112,400
Edmonton	23,900
Lethbridge	7,500
Airdrie	7,000
Red Deer	5,000
Rocky View County	4,400
Strathcona County	3,100
Canmore	3,000
Okotoks	2,800
Cochrane	2,600

City	2022 Visitor Count
Calgary	162,100
Edmonton	38,300
Lethbridge	11,500
Airdrie	10,200
Red Deer	7,100
Rocky View County	6,100
Strathcona County	4,700
Okotoks	4,200
Canmore	4,000
Medicine Hat	4,000

City	2023 Visitor Count
Calgary	107,400
Edmonton	23,200
Lethbridge	7,200
Airdrie	6,700
Red Deer	4,400
Rocky View County	3,800
Strathcona County	2,700
Canmore	2,700
Okotoks	2,600
Cochrane	2,600



City	2020 Visitor Count
Calgary	312,800
Edmonton	86,500
Lethbridge	22,200
Airdrie	20,600
Red Deer	15,200
Rocky View County	11,900
Strathcona County	10,500
Okotoks	8,400
Cochrane	7,700
Medicine Hat	7,400

City	2021 Visitor Count
Calgary	322,900
Edmonton	98,700
Lethbridge	22,600
Airdrie	21,400
Red Deer	16,000
Rocky View County	12,400
Strathcona County	12,300
Medicine Hat	8,800
Okotoks	8,600
St. Albert	8,400

City	2022 Visitor Count
Calgary	297,700
Edmonton	97,600
Lethbridge	24,400
Airdrie	20,300
Red Deer	15,900
Strathcona County	12,300
Rocky View County	11,400
Medicine Hat	9,500
St. Albert	8,600
Okotoks	8,200

City	2023 Visitor Count
Calgary	221,300
Edmonton	75,000
Lethbridge	17,500
Airdrie	15,000
Red Deer	13,100
Strathcona County	10,300
Rocky View County	8,800
Medicine Hat	7,300
St. Albert	6,900
Okotoks	6,000



City	2020 Visitor Count
Calgary	84,000
Edmonton	19,200
Lethbridge	5,400
Airdrie	5,400
Red Deer	4,000
Rocky View County	3,700
Canmore	2,600
Okotoks	2,400
Strathcona County	2,200
Cochrane	2,000

City	2021 Visitor
	Count
Calgary	99,600
Edmonton	23,600
Lethbridge	6,500
Airdrie	6,100
Red Deer	4,400
Rocky View County	4,100
Strathcona County	3,100
Okotoks	2,600
Canmore	2,400
Medicine Hat	2,400

City	2022 Visitor Count
Calgary	107,400
Edmonton	25,000
Lethbridge	7,700
Airdrie	7,000
Red Deer	5,000
Rocky View County	4,400
Strathcona County	3,100
Okotoks	2,800
Cochrane	2,500
Medicine Hat	2,500

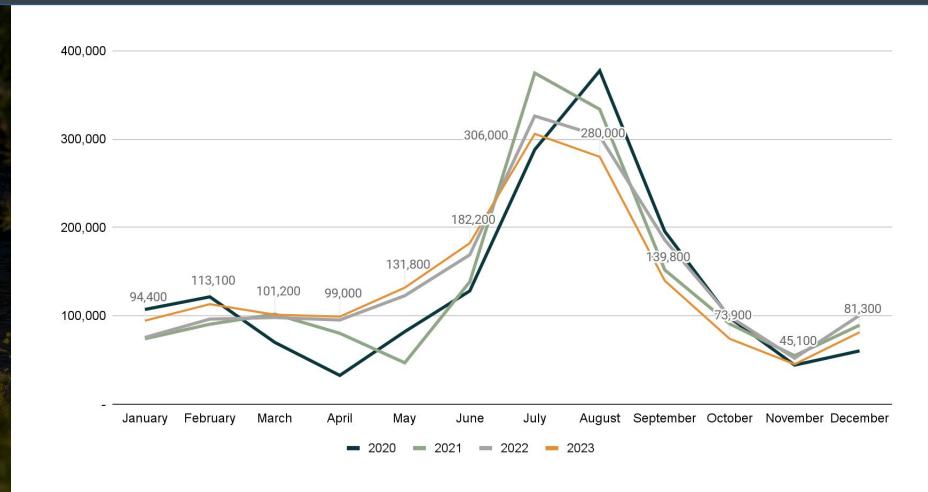
City	2023 Visitor Count
Calgary	81,800
Edmonton	20,917
Lethbridge	6,312
Airdrie	4,829
Red Deer	4,163
Rocky View County	3,135
Strathcona County	2,588
Medicine Hat	2,099
Okotoks	2,059
Canmore	1,911

# **Alberta Visitation**

### Alberta Visitors Travelling To Kootenay Rockies By Month



- October 2023 saw a 24% decrease compared to 2020, a 19% decrease compared to 2021 and a 25% decrease compared to 2022
- November 2023 saw a 2% increase compared to 2020, a 18% decrease compared to 2021 and a 13% decrease compared to 2022
- December 2023 saw a 35% increase compared to 2020, a 9% decrease compared to 2021 and a 19% decrease compared to 2022



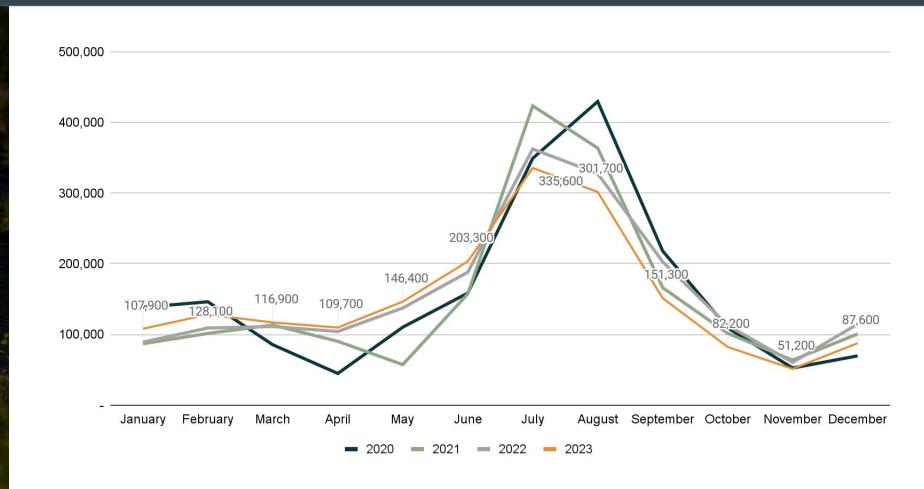
**Note:** "Visitors" is a unique visitor count of travelers who spent one or more nights in the destination over the respective time period.

# **Alberta Visitation**

### Alberta Trips to Kootenay Rockies By Month



- October 2023 saw a 25% decrease compared to 2020, a 19% decrease compared to 2021 and a 27% decrease compared to 2022
- November 2023 saw a 2% decrease compared to 2020, a 19% decrease compared to 2021 and a 15% decrease compared to 2022
- December 2023 saw a 26% increase compared to 2020, a 13% decrease compared to 2021 and a 24% decrease compared to 2022



**Note:** "Trips" is a count which involved spending one or more nights over the time period as part of a continuous visit to the destination. One 'visitor' can take multiple 'trips' over the time period.

# **Alberta Visitation**

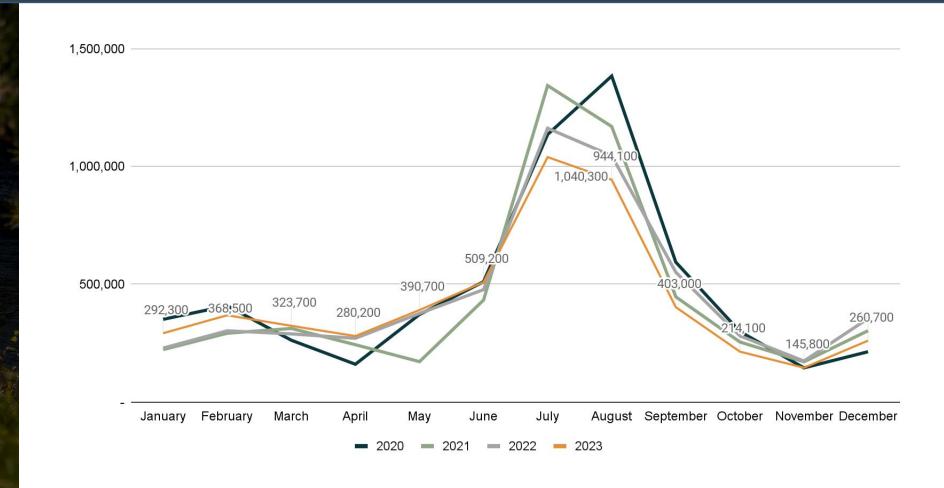
### Alberta Overnight Stays In Kootenay Rockies By Month

2023 Visitor
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- October 2023 saw a 28% decrease compared to 2020, a 16% decrease compared to 2021 and a 24% decrease compared to 2022
- November 2023 saw a 0.4% increase compared to 2020, a 15% decrease compared to 2021 and a 16% decrease compared to 2022
- December 2023 saw a 22% increase compared to 2020, a 14% decrease compared to 2021 and a 27% decrease compared to 2022



**Note:** "Overnight Stays" is a count of a unique night a visitor was observed in the destination over the time period

# January 2023 Canada/Alberta Regional Visitation

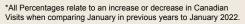
# **Kootenay Rockies**



#### Overview

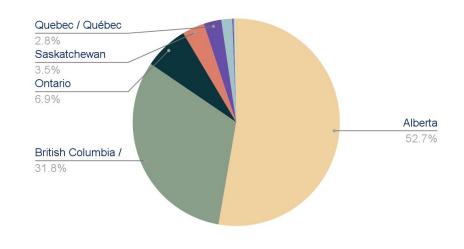
The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers decreased by 7% when comparing January 2023 to January 2020.

Visitors increased by **49%** when compared to January 2021, and increased by **22%** when compared to January 2022.

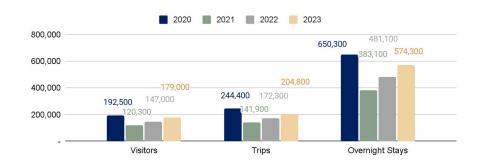


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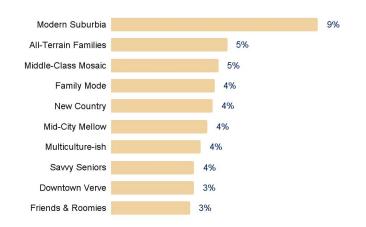
# Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province January 2023



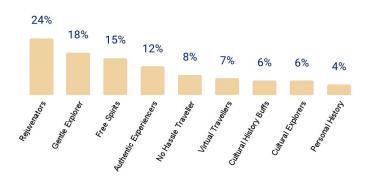
#### Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies January 2020-2023



#### January 2023 AB Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### January 2023 AB Visitors by EQ Type



# February 2023 Canada/Alberta Regional Visitation

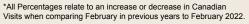
# **Kootenay Rockies**



#### Overview

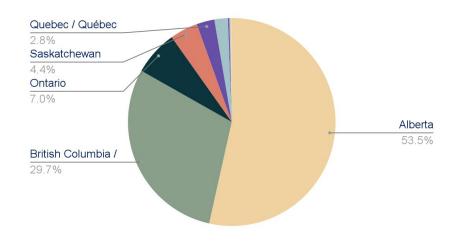
The number of visitors to
Kootenay Rockies from
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comparing February 2023 to
February 2020.

Visitors increased by **52%** when compared to February 2021, and increased by **10%** when compared to February 2022.

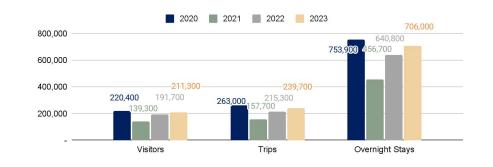


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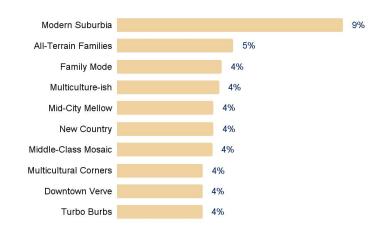
# Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province February 2023



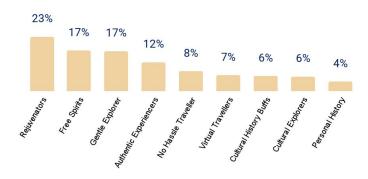
#### Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies February 2020-2023



#### February 2023 AB Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### February 2023 AB Visitors by EQ Type



# March 2023 Canada/Alberta Regional Visitation

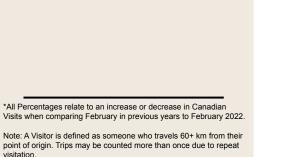
## **Kootenay Rockies**

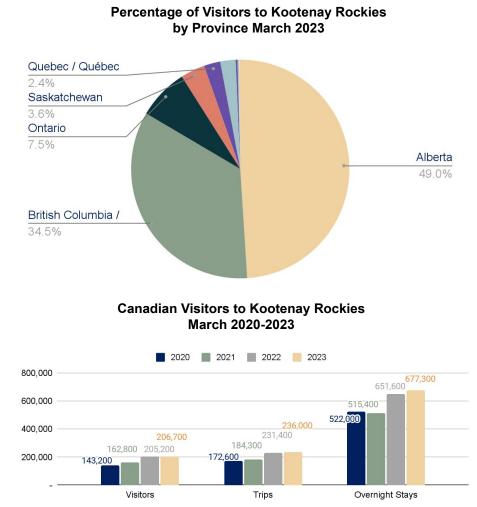


#### Overview

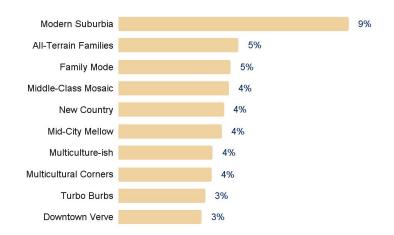
The number of visitors to
Kootenay Rockies from
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by 44% when comparing
March 2023 to March 2020.

Visitors increased by **27%** when compared to March 2021, and increased by **1%** when compared to March 2022.

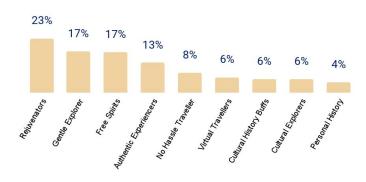




#### March 2023 AB Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### March 2023 AB Visitors by EQ Type



# April 2023 Canada/Alberta Regional Visitation

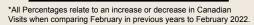
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# **Kootenay Rockies**

#### Overview

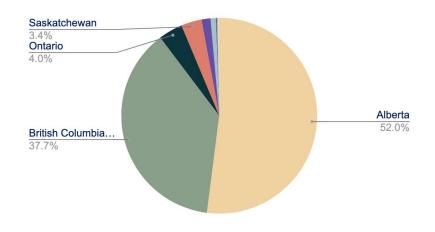
The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers increased by **192%** when comparing April 2023 to April 2020.

Visitors increased by 41% when compared to April 2021, and increased by 6% when compared to April 2022.

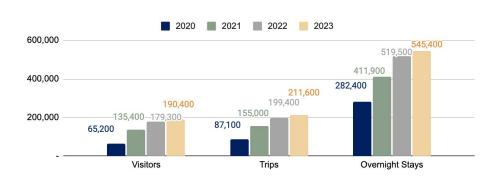


Note: A Visitor is defined as someone who travels 60+ km from their point of origin. Trips may be counted more than once due to repeat visitation.

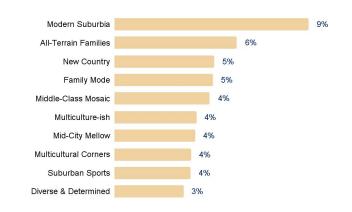
Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province April 2023



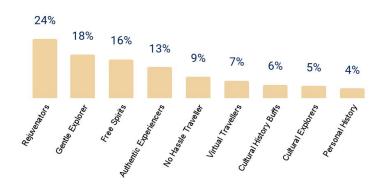
## Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies April 2020-2023



#### April 2023 AB Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### April 2023 AB Visitors by EQ Type



# May 2023 Canada/Alberta Regional Visitation

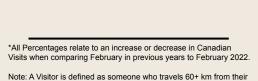
## **Kootenay Rockies**



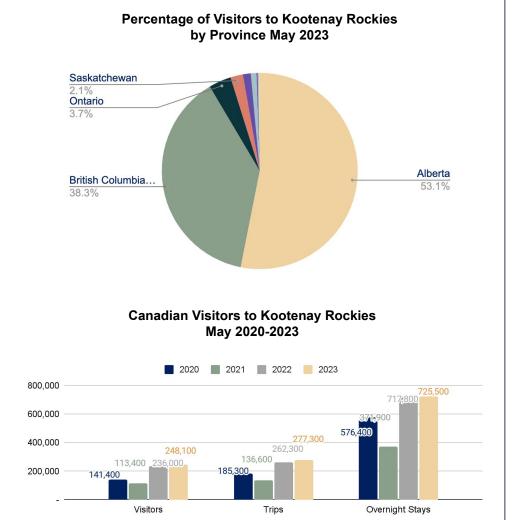
#### Overview

The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers increased by **75%** when comparing May 2023 to May 2020.

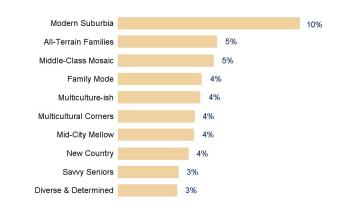
Visitors increased by 119% when compared to May 2021, and increased by 5% when compared to May 2022.



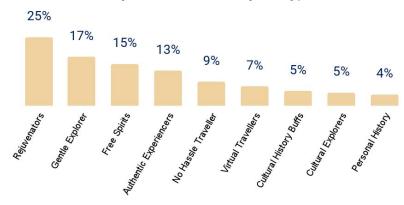
point of origin. Trips may be counted more than once due to repeat



#### May 2023 AB Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### May 2023 AB Visitors by EQ Type



# June 2023 Canada/Alberta Regional Visitation

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# **Kootenay Rockies**

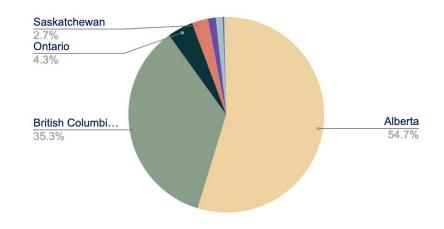
#### Overview

The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers increased by 45% when comparing June 2023 to June 2020.

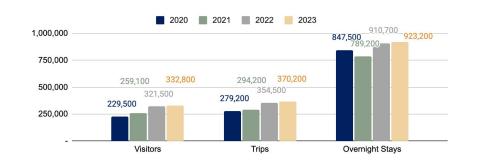
Visitors increased by 28% when compared to June 2021, and increased by 4% when compared to June 2022.

Note: A Visitor is defined as someone who travels 60+ km from their point of origin. Trips may be counted more than once due to repeat visitation.

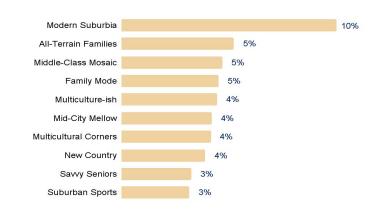
# Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province June 2023



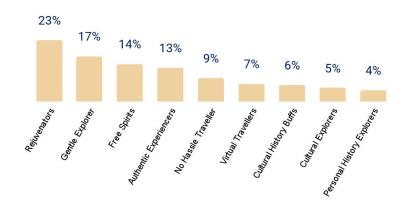
## Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies June 2020-2023



#### June 2023 AB Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### June 2023 AB Visitors by EQ Type



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# July 2023 Canada/Alberta Regional Visitation

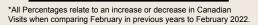
# 2023 Visitor Highlights KOOTENAY ROCKIES bcrts

# **Kootenay Rockies**

#### Overview

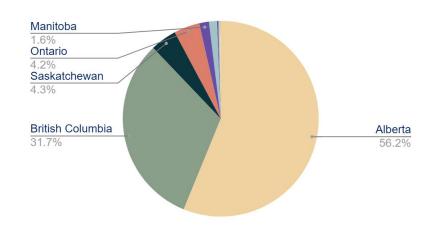
The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers increased by 11% when comparing July 2023 to July 2020.

Visitors decreased by 14% when compared to July 2021, and decreased by 5% when compared to July 2022.

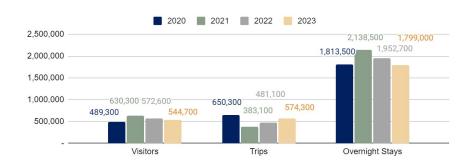


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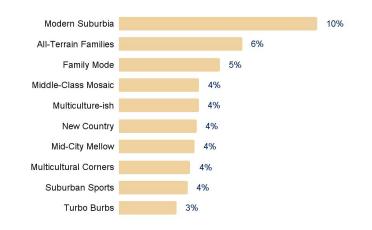
# Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province July 2023



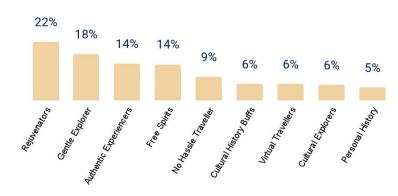
## Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies July 2020-2023



#### July 2023 AB Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### July 2023 AB Visitors by EQ Type



Note: All counts have been rounded to the nearest 100

# August 2023 Canada/Alberta Regional Visitation

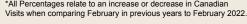
## **Kootenay Rockies**



#### Overview

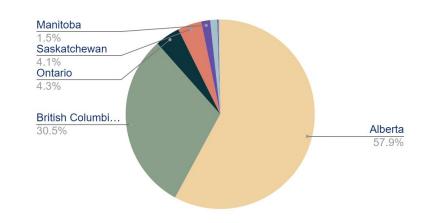
The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers decreased by **24%** when comparing August 2023 to August 2020.

Visitors decreased by **15%** when compared to August 2021, and decreased by **8%** when compared to August 2022.

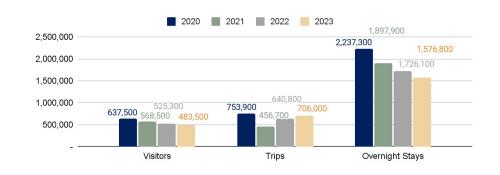


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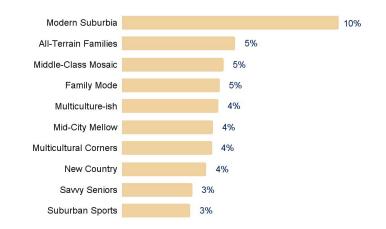
Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province August 2023



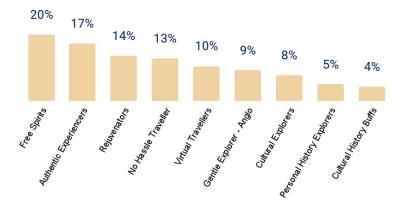
## Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies August 2020-2023



#### August 2023 AB Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### August 2023 AB Visitors by EQ Type



# Sept 2023 Canada/Alberta Regional Visitation

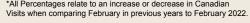
# **Kootenay Rockies**



#### Overview

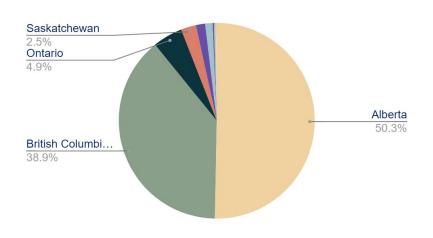
The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers decreased by 24% when comparing September 2023 to September 2020.

Visitors decreased by 11% when compared to September 2021, and decreased by 22% when compared to September 2022.

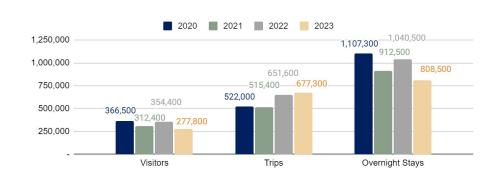


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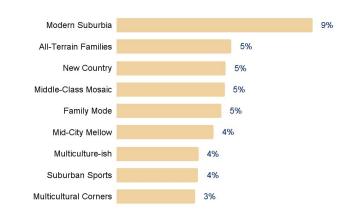
# Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province September 2023



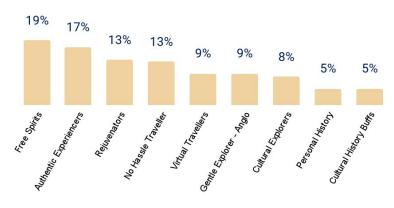
#### Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies September 2020-2023



#### September 2023 AB Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### September 2023 AB Visitors by EQ Type



# Oct 2023 Canada/Alberta Regional Visitation

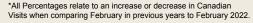
# **Kootenay Rockies**



#### Overview

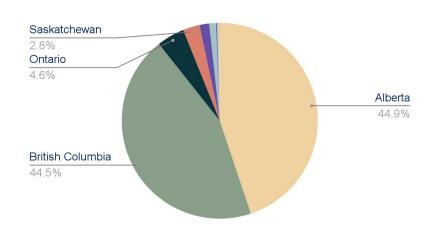
The number of visitors to Kootenay Rockies from Canadian travelers decreased by 11% when comparing October 2023 to October 2020.

Visitors decreased by 12% when compared to October 2021, and decreased by 18% when compared to October 2022.

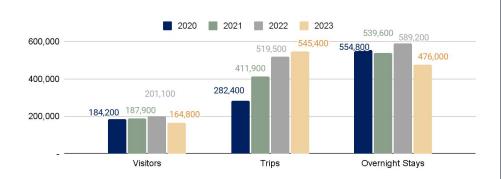


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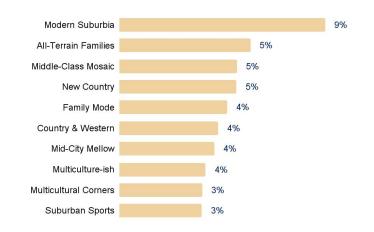
Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province October 2023



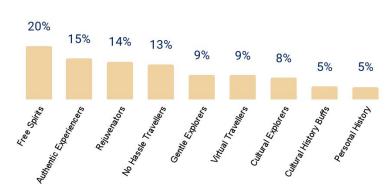
#### Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies October 2020-2023



#### October 2023 AB Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### October 2023 AB Visitors by EQ Type



# Nov 2023 Canada/Alberta Regional Visitation

# **Kootenay Rockies**



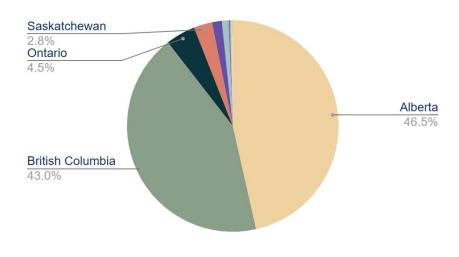
#### Overview

The number of visitors to
Kootenay Rockies from
Canadian travelers increased
by 12% when comparing
November 2023 to
November 2020.

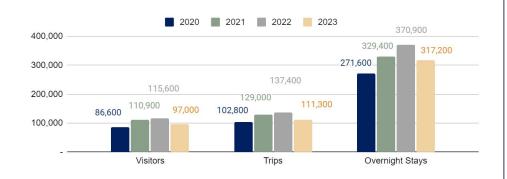
Visitors decreased by 13% when compared to November 2021, and decreased by 16% when compared to November 2022.

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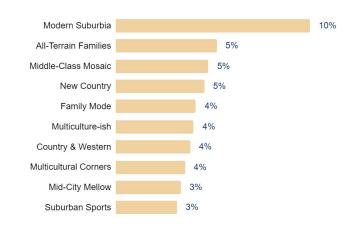
Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies by Province November 2023



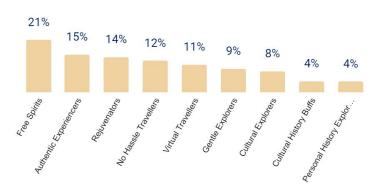
## Canadian Visitors to Kootenay Rockies November 2020-2023



#### November 2023 AB Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### November 2023 AB Visitors by EQ Type



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# Dec 2023 Canada/Alberta Regional Visitation

# **Kootenay Rockies**

Manitoba

1.8% Saskatchewan

4.0%

5.2%

400,000

200,000

103,200

Visitors

Ontario

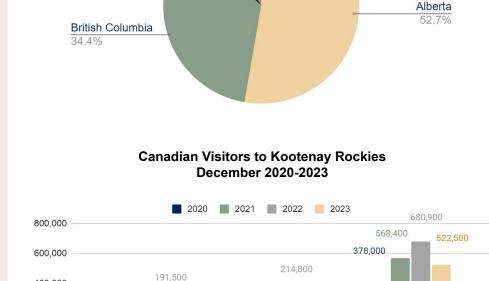


#### Overview

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184,600

Trips

154,200 120,000

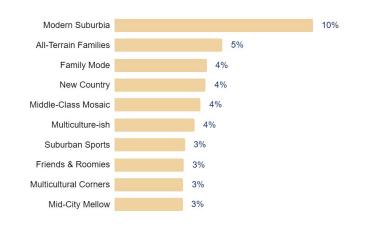
167,500

Overnight Stavs

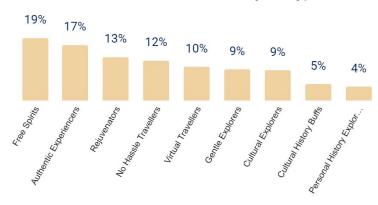
Percentage of Visitors to Kootenay Rockies

by Province December 2023

#### December 2023 AB Visitors by PRIZM Segment



#### **December 2023 AB Visitors by EQ Type**



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