

# France Market Profile

This summary provides the most up-to-date data available on France as it relates to their people and economy, travel-related motivations and planning behavior and French visitor profile specific to Arizona.

### **GENERAL COUNTRY PROFILE**



- Population: 68.4 million
- Inflation Rate: 2%
- Exchange Rates (EUR per USD): 0.9
- Gross Domestic Product (GDP): \$3.7 trillion
- Exports: \$1.1 trillion
- Unemployment Rate: 7.4%

Sources: The World Factbook reporting 2024 exports and GDP, population, inflation, exchange rate estimates and unemployment.

### TRAVEL MOTIVATION AND PLANNING



### **Top Travel Motivators**

1% State/national parks

**43%** History/heritage attractions



### **Planning Sources**

**50%** Internet search

**30%** Recommendation from family/friends

**29%** Past experience



#### **Advance Decision Time**

**24%** Less than a month

**24%** 1 to 3 months

**26%** 3 to 6 months

**20%** 6 to 12 months

**4%** More than 1 year

#### **Travel Outlook**

**50%** Making international travel a high financial priority

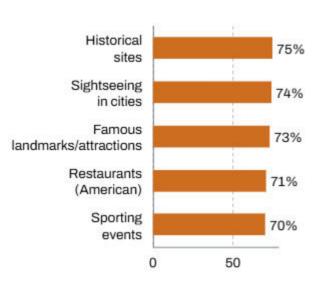
**31%** Expect to spend more on international travel

**20** Average days available for international travel

**54,122** Budget available for international travel



#### **Attributes for Destination Selection**



Sources: Brand USA, reporting 2024 Market Profiles; Future Partners, The State of the International Traveler Report Findings (2025).

## FRENCH VISITATION TO ARIZONA



**44%** Los Angeles, CA

**26%** San Francisco, CA

Chicago, IL

5% Las Vegas, NV

### **Transportation**

**68%** Rented Auto

**26%** Air travel between US cities

**24%** Auto, Private or Company

**23%** City Subway/Tram/Bus

**Length of Stay** Average Nights per Destination ..... **24** Average Nights in U.S.

# **Accommodations**\*

88% Hotel/Motel

**11%** Other

\*Since this is collected through a survey, there is no indication if this is paid or non-paid.

### **Visitor Characteristics**

**44 years** Average Age

**\$78,570** Average Household Income

**2.3 persons** Average Party Size

### **Main Purpose of Trip\***

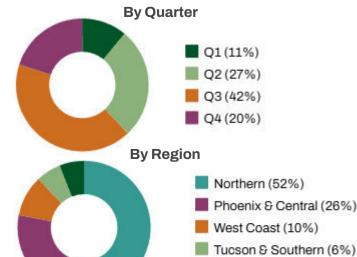
95% Leisure

5%

Business

### **Visa Credit Card Travel Spending**

French Visa Card Spending ranked #4 in 2024 with 2.6% of total International Travel Spending in Arizona.



Sources: U.S. Dept. of Commerce - NTTO, reporting 2024 aggregate data; Tourism Economics, reporting 2024 data; VisaVUE Travel, reporting 2024 data.

North Central (6%)