2017 International Markets

Rank	Country of Origin	2017 Estimated	Percent Change	2017 Estimated	Percent Change	Average Spending
		Visitors	from 2016	Spending	from 2016	per Visitor
1	Canada	388,500	+5.3%	\$217m	-1.4%	\$559
2	United Kingdom	76,200	+2.0%	\$128m	+1.4%	\$1,680
3	Germany	50,600	+8.6%	\$74m	+7.9%	\$1,462
4	China	36,300	+9.2%	\$102m	+6.9%	\$2,810
5	Mexico	24,900	-3.6%	\$12m	-1.6%	\$482
6	India	24,700	+2.6%	\$57m	-3.2%	\$2,308
7	Japan	20,300	+1.7%	\$41m	-5.6%	\$2,020
8	France	17,100	-3.9%	\$22m	-3.6%	\$1,236
9	Brazil	13,700	-0.3%	\$33m	-0.7%	\$2,409
10	Australia	12,300	+5.0%	\$23m	+4.5%	\$1,870
11	South Korea	11,000	+12.2%	\$24m	+5.3%	\$2,182
12	Spain	10,200	+6.3%	\$11m	+4.9%	\$1,078
12	Italy	10,200	+5.2%	\$14m	-1.4%	\$1,373
14	Sweden	8,400	+5.0%	\$10m	+5.3%	\$1,190
15	Ireland	6,800	+4.6%	\$9m	+4.7%	\$1,324
16	Denmark	5,800	-1.7%	\$14m	0.0%	\$2,414
	Total	863,200	+5.1%	\$1.1b	+3.4%	\$1,274

North Carolina's Top International Markets by Market Share (ranked by visitor volume)

*tied for 12th rank

Source: Tourism Economics, 2018