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## August 2024 Hawai'i Vacation Rental Performance Report

Vacation rentals across Hawai'i reported increases in supply, demand and average daily rate (ADR), with lower occupancy rate in August 2024 when compared to August 2023. In comparison to pre-pandemic August 2019, ADR was higher in August 2024 but vacation rental supply, demand and occupancy were lower.

In August 2024, the total monthly supply of statewide vacation rentals was 865,000 unit nights (+15.9% vs. 2023, -5.7% vs. 2019) and monthly demand was 431,000 unit nights (+6.2% vs. 2023, -36.8% vs. 2019) (Figures 1 and 2). This combination resulted in an average monthly unit occupancy of 49.8 percent (-4.5 percentage points vs. 2023, -24.5 percentage points vs. 2019) for August. Occupancy for Hawai'i's hotels was 73.6 percent in August 2024.

The ADR for vacation rental units statewide in August was \$319 (+14.1% vs. 2023, +56.2% vs. 2019). By comparison, the ADR for hotels was \$362 in August 2024. It is important to note that unlike hotels, units in vacation rentals are not necessarily available year-round or each day of the month and often accommodate a larger number of guests than traditional hotel rooms.

The data in DBEDT's Hawai'i Vacation Rental Performance Report specifically excludes units reported in DBEDT's Hawai'i Hotel Performance Report and Hawai'i Timeshare Quarterly Survey Report. A vacation rental is defined as the use of a rental house, condominium unit, private room in a private home, or shared room/space in a private home. This report does not determine or differentiate between units that are permitted or unpermitted. The legality of any given vacation rental unit is determined on a county basis.

## **Island Highlights**

In August 2024, Maui County had the largest vacation rental supply at 278,000 available unit nights (+56.5% vs. 2023, -8.9% vs. 2019). Unit demand was 132,700 unit nights (+57.2% vs. 2023, -43.8% vs. 2019), resulting in 47.7 percent occupancy (+0.2 percentage points vs. 2023, -29.6 percentage points vs. 2019) and ADR at \$370 (+18.7% vs. 2023, +58.7% vs. 2019). For August 2024, Maui County hotels reported ADR at \$515 and occupancy of 55.1 percent.

O'ahu vacation rental supply was 230,200 available unit nights (+3.5% vs. 2023, -16.3% vs. 2019). Unit demand was 137,100 unit nights (+1.3% vs. 2023, -37.2% vs. 2019), resulting in 59.6 percent occupancy (-1.3 percentage points vs. 2023, -19.9 percentage

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points vs. 2019) with ADR at \$273 (+12.7% vs. 2023, +56.0% vs. 2019). In comparison, O'ahu hotels reported ADR at \$296 and occupancy of 83.1 percent for August 2024.

The island of Hawai'i vacation rental supply was 216,000 available unit nights (+1.8% vs. 2023, +5.5% vs. 2019) in August. Unit demand was 94,400 unit nights (-8.5% vs. 2023, -28.4% vs. 2019), resulting in 43.7 percent occupancy (-4.9 percentage points vs. 2023, -20.7 percentage points vs. 2019) with ADR at \$253 (+11.4% vs. 2023, +59.0% vs. 2019). Hawai'i Island hotels reported ADR at \$431 and occupancy of 66.8 percent.

Kaua'i had the fewest number of available vacation rental unit nights in August at 140,900 (+4.9% vs. 2023, +6.4% vs. 2019). Unit demand was 66,800 unit nights (-19.5% vs. 2023, -29.7% vs. 2019), resulting in 47.4 percent occupancy (-14.3 percentage points vs. 2023, -24.4 percentage points vs. 2019) with ADR at \$404 (+8.7% vs. 2023, +54.6% vs. 2019). Kaua'i hotels reported ADR at \$428 and occupancy of 73.7 percent.

Tables of vacation rental performance statistics, including data presented in the report are available for viewing online at: <a href="http://dbedt.hawaii.gov/visitor/vacation-rental-performance/">http://dbedt.hawaii.gov/visitor/vacation-rental-performance/</a>

## **About the Hawai'i Vacation Rental Performance Report**

The Hawai'i Vacation Rental Performance Report is produced using data compiled by Lighthouse Intelligence, Ltd. (formerly known as Transparent Intelligence, Inc.), which was selected by DBEDT as the provider for these data services.

The report includes data for properties that are listed on Airbnb, Booking.com, Vrbo and TripAdvisor. Data for units included in DBEDT's Hawai'i Hotel Performance Report and Hawai'i Timeshare Quarterly Report have been excluded from the Hawai'i Vacation Rental Performance Report. This report also does not determine or differentiate between units that are permitted or unpermitted. The legality of any given vacation rental unit is determined on a county basis. DBEDT does not support illegal vacation rentals.

Lighthouse enriches their occupancy and price calculations with reservation system data provided by vacation rental software providers, online travel agencies and local property managers. Currently, the reservation system data provided by data partners represent about 32.1 percent of the estimated total unique vacation rental properties in the State of Hawai'i. On a county level, reservation system data represents 28.5 percent of Maui County coverage; 37.7 percent of Honolulu County coverage; 34.4 percent of Hawai'i County coverage; and 26.0 percent of Kaua'i County coverage of the estimated number of unique vacation rental properties.

For August 2024, the report included data for 34,106 units, representing 59,408 bedrooms in the Hawaiian Islands.

Figure 1: Hawai'i Vacation Rental Performance August 2024

	Unit Night Supply			Unit Night Demand			Un	it Occup	ancy %	Unit Average Daily Rate		
	2024	2023	% Change	2024	2023	% Change	2024	2023	Percentage Pt. Change	2024	2023	% Change
State of Hawaiʻi	865,038	746,520	15.9%	431,029	405,852	6.2%	49.8%	54.4%	-4.5%	\$319.00	\$279.47	14.1%
Oʻahu	230,186	222,367	3.5%	137,127	135,353	1.3%	59.6%	60.9%	-1.3%	\$273.45	\$242.63	12.7%
Waikīkī	132,006	129,297	2.1%	93,915	89,794	4.6%	71.1%	69.4%	1.7%	\$223.23	\$202.75	10.1%
Maui County	277,958	177,618	56.5%	132,723	84,445	57.2%	47.7%	47.5%	0.2%	\$370.35	\$312.02	18.7%
Wailea/Kīhei Lahaina/Kāʻanapali/ Nāpili/Kapalua	125,551 120,340	121,955 27,007	2.9% 345.6%	62,866 56,383	55,703 17,433	12.9% 223.4%	50.1% 46.9%	45.7% 64.5%	4.4% -17.7%	\$312.50 \$461.06	\$289.76 \$431.22	7.8% 6.9%
Island of Hawaiʻi	215,965	212,145	1.8%	94,371	103,087	-8.5%	43.7%	48.6%	-4.9%	\$252.99	\$227.17	11.4%
Kona	110,575	108,054	2.3%	45,809	53,612	-14.6%	41.4%	49.6%	-8.2%	\$242.27	\$228.71	5.9%
Hilo/Honokaʻa	43,434	44,938	-3.3%	22,044	21,287	3.6%	50.8%	47.4%	3.4%	\$154.13	\$133.49	15.5%
Kauaʻi	140,929	134,390	4.9%	66,808	82,967	-19.5%	47.4%	61.7%	-14.3%	\$403.71	\$371.43	8.7%

Figure 2: Hawai'i Vacation Rental Performance August 2024 vs. 2019

	Unit Night Supply			Unit Night Demand			Un	it Occup	ancy %	Unit Average Daily Rate		
	2024	2019	% Change	2024	2019	% Change	2024	2019	Percentage Pt. Change	2024	2019	% Change
State of Hawaiʻi	865,038	917,218	-5.7%	431,029	681,490	-36.8%	49.8%	74.3%	-24.5%	\$319.00	\$204.29	56.2%
Oʻahu	230,186	274,886	-16.3%	137,127	218,374	-37.2%	59.6%	79.4%	-19.9%	\$273.45	\$175.32	56.0%
Waikīkī	132,006	123,254	7.1%	93,915	103,492	-9.3%	71.1%	84.0%	-12.8%	\$223.23	\$148.55	50.3%
Maui County	277,958	305,246	-8.9%	132,723	236,235	-43.8%	47.7%	77.4%	-29.6%	\$370.35	\$233.41	58.7%
Wailea/Kīhei Lahaina/Kāʻanapali/ Nāpili/Kapalua	125,551 120,340	146,389 122,904	-14.2% -2.1%	62,866 56,383	115,313 94,740	-45.5% -40.5%	50.1% 46.9%	78.8% 77.1%	-28.7% -30.2%	\$312.50 \$461.06	\$221.34 \$262.43	41.2% 75.7%
Island of Hawaiʻi	215,965	204,690	5.5%	94,371	131,841	-28.4%	43.7%	64.4%	-20.7%	\$252.99	\$159.10	59.0%
Kona	110,575	101,680	8.7%	45,809	69,539	-34.1%	41.4%	68.4%	-27.0%	\$242.27	\$126.90	90.9%
Hilo/Honokaʻa	43,434	36,842	17.9%	22,044	21,226	3.9%	50.8%	57.6%	-6.9%	\$154.13	\$94.94	62.3%
Kauaʻi	140,929	132,396	6.4%	66,808	95,040	-29.7%	47.4%	71.8%	-24.4%	\$403.71	\$261.15	54.6%

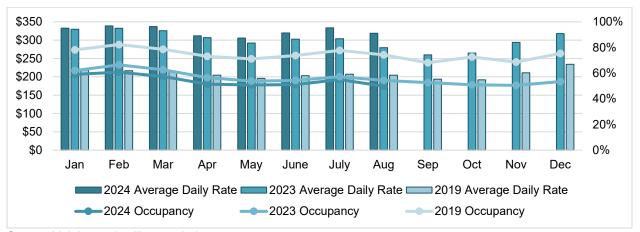
Figure 3: Hawai'i Vacation Rental Performance Year-to-Date August 2024

	Unit Night Supply			Unit	t Night Demand		Un	it Occupan	-	Unit Average Daily Rate		
	2024	2023	% Change	2024	2023	% Change	2024	2023	Percentage Pt. Change	2024	2023	% Change
State of Hawaiʻi	6,386,321	5,739,974	11.3%	3,457,411	3,327,359	3.9%	54.1%	58.0%	-6.6%	\$324.96	\$308.57	5.3%
<b>Oʻahu</b> Waikīkī	1,780,357 1,041,635	1,641,552 985,141	8.5% 5.7%	1,066,025 720,215	985,355 653,583	8.2% 10.2%	59.9% 69.1%	60.0% 66.3%	-0.2% 4.2%	\$265.59 \$216.23	\$243.57 \$204.15	9.0% 5.9%
Maui County Wailea/Kīhei Lahaina/Kāʻanap ali/Nāpili/Kapalua	1,930,695 875,065 825,361	1,724,831 791,760 724,847	11.9% 10.5% 13.9%	1,052,008 501,569 439,037	1,079,177 480,838 481,000	-2.5% 4.3% -8.7%	54.5% 57.3% 53.2%	62.6% 60.7% 66.4%	-12.9% -5.6% -19.8%	\$395.42 \$333.90 \$497.48	\$380.43 \$321.92 \$468.19	3.9% 3.7% 6.3%
Island of Hawaiʻi Kona Hilo/Honokaʻa	1,626,548 819,565 354,831	1,472,867 742,308 330,009	10.4% 10.4% 7.5%	787,530 391,336 175,102	767,562 385,032 170,521	2.6% 1.6% 2.7%	48.4% 47.7% 49.3%	52.1% 51.9% 51.7%	-7.1% -7.9% -4.5%	\$260.47 \$252.31 \$152.77	\$242.20 \$240.73 \$139.42	7.5% 4.8% 9.6%
Kaua'i	1,048,721	900,724	16.4%	551,848	495,265	11.4%	52.6%	55.0%	-4.3%	\$397.33	\$384.18	3.4%

Figure 4: Hawai'i Vacation Rental Performance Year-to-Date August 2024 vs. 2019

	Unit Night Supply			Unit	Night Demand		Uı	nit Occupa	-	Unit Average Daily Rate		
	2024	2019	% Change	2024	2019	% Change	2024	2019	Percentage Pt. Change	2024	2019	% Change
State of Hawai'i	6,386,321	6,607,197	-3.3%	3,457,411	5,007,754	-31.0%	54.1%	75.8%	-28.6%	\$324.96	\$207.49	56.6%
<b>Oʻahu</b> Waikīkī	1,780,357 1,041,635	2,242,224 914,467	-20.6% 13.9%	1,066,025 720,215	1,704,617 725,226	-37.5% -0.7%	59.9% 69.1%	76.0% 79.3%	-21.2% -12.8%	\$265.59 \$216.23	\$166.86 \$146.64	59.2% 47.5%
Maui County Wailea/Kīhei Lahaina/Kāʻanapali/ Nāpili/Kapalua	1,930,695 875,065 825,361	2,015,782 953,723 806,394	-4.2% -8.2% 2.4%	1,052,008 501,569 439,037	1,613,689 769,514 647,194	-34.8% -34.8% -32.2%	54.5% 57.3% 53.2%	80.1% 80.7% 80.3%	-31.9% -29.0% -33.7%	\$395.42 \$333.90 \$497.48	\$250.69 \$242.29 \$280.32	57.7% 37.8% 77.5%
<b>Island of Hawaiʻi</b> Kona Hilo/Honokaʻa	1,626,548 819,565 354,831	1,459,565 713,827 275,745	11.4% 14.8% 28.7%	787,530 391,336 175,102	993,440 519,360 165,262	-20.7% -24.7% 6.0%	48.4% 47.7% 49.3%	68.1% 72.8% 59.9%	-28.9% -34.4% -17.7%	\$260.47 \$252.31 \$152.77	\$163.89 \$134.72 \$91.24	58.9% 87.3% 67.4%
Kauaʻi	1,048,721	889,626	17.9%	551,848	696,008	-20.7%	52.6%	78.2%	-32.7%	\$397.33	\$269.08	47.7%

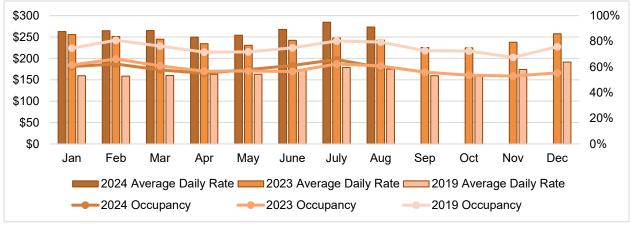
Figure 5: Monthly State of Hawai'i Vacation Rental Performance - 2024 vs. 2023 vs. 2019



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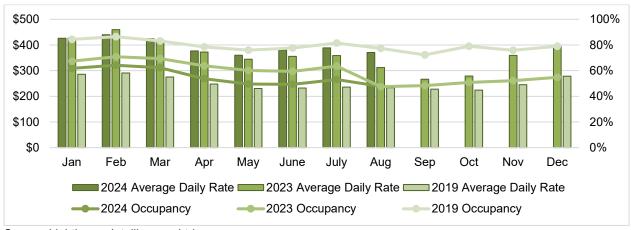
Figure 6: Monthly O'ahu Vacation Rental Performance - 2024 vs. 2023 vs. 2019



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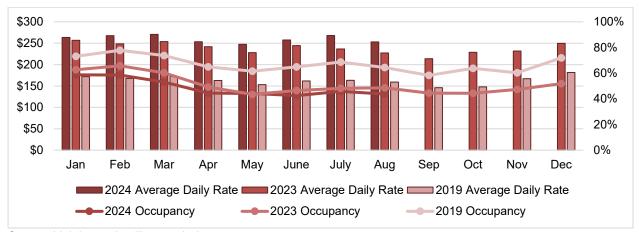
Figure 7: Monthly Maui County Vacation Rental Performance - 2024 vs. 2023 vs. 2019



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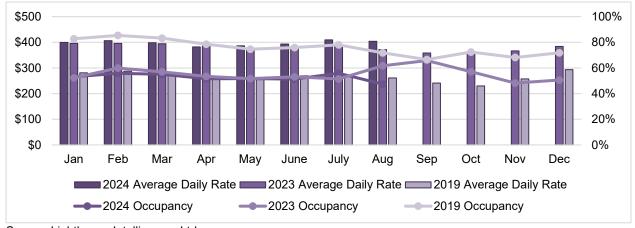
Figure 8: Monthly Island of Hawai'i Vacation Rental Performance - 2024 vs. 2023 vs. 2019



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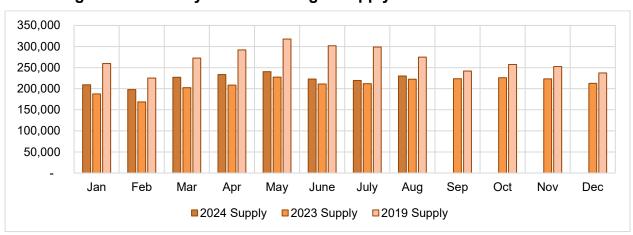
Figure 9: Monthly Kaua'i Vacation Rental Performance - 2024 vs. 2023 vs. 2019



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Figure 10: Monthly O'ahu Unit Night Supply - 2024 vs. 2023 vs. 2019



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350,000 300,000 250,000 200,000 150,000 100,000 50,000 Oct Dec Feb Aug Sep Nov Jan Mar June July ■2024 Supply ■2023 Supply ■2019 Supply

Figure 11: Monthly Maui County Unit Night Supply - 2024 vs. 2023 vs. 2019

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250,000 200,000 150,000 100,000 50,000 Jan Feb Mar Apr May June July Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec ■2024 Supply ■2023 Supply ■2019 Supply

Figure 12: Monthly Island of Hawai'i Unit Night Supply - 2024 vs. 2023 vs. 2019

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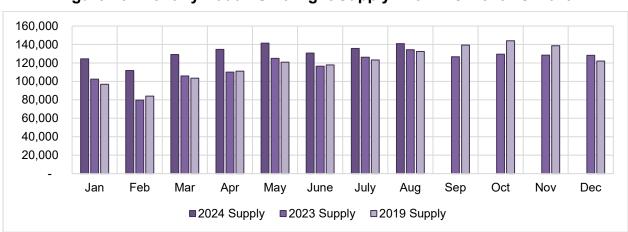


Figure 13: Monthly Kaua'i Unit Night Supply - 2024 vs. 2023 vs. 2019

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