

STATE OF HAWAI'I • DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & TOURISM

# Vision Insights Destination Brand Health Trends

January 22, 2025



### Vision Insights Syndicated Survey

- DBEDT subscribes to Vision Insight's Brand Health and Profiles databases for the United States (U.S.), Canada, Japan, Australia, and Korea
- Consumers are surveyed each day
- Data reflects two-week moving average except for the intent to travel metric to any Hawaiian Island, which reflects one-week moving average
- DBEDT receives access to new data each week for daily brand health tracking metrics – media-focused, brand health, purchase/intent, and consumer status





### **Brand Health Metrics**

- Destination Awareness: Percentage of people that are aware of a destination
- Chatter (Net): Net percentage of people who heard something positive about a destination and people who heard something negative about a destination in the last 2 weeks
- Consideration: Percentage of people who are "Likely" to "Very Likely to Consider" a destination for their next vacation (Top 3 box of 8-point scale)
- Favorability: Percentage of people who rated a destination as "Favorable" or "Very Favorable" (Top 2 box of a 5-point scale)
- Intent to Travel: Percentage of people who intend to travel to a destination





### **Destinations**

- Respondents are asked about:
  - State of Hawai'i
  - Oʻahu
  - Maui
  - Lāna'i
  - Moloka'i
  - Kauaʻi
  - Hawai'i Island
- Selecting State of Hawai'i indicates respondents' awareness/chatter/ consideration/favorability for the overall Hawai'i brand (the concept of a beautiful place called "Hawai'i") and lack of familiarity with individual islands

### 2023-2025 Significant Dates

July 31, 2023 – Tropical Depression Five-E begins to be tracked by

the National Hurricane Center (NHC)

#### August 6, 2023

- Central
Pacific
Hurricane
Center
forecasts
Hurricane Dora
to pass well
south of
Hawai'i

#### August 9, 2023

- Lieutenant
Governor Sylvia
Luke issues a
proclamation
that all
nonessential
travel to the
island of Maui
is strongly
discouraged

#### September 8, 2023 –

Governor Josh Green issues a proclamation that all nonessential travel to the island of Maui is strongly discouraged until October 7, 2023

#### October 8, 2023 -

Nonessential travel to the island of Maui returns, along with the phase 1 reopening of West Maui to visitors

#### January 13, 2025 –

Governor Josh Green announces the "Aloha for L.A." program in wake of the L.A. wildfires

























June 7, 2023 –
Halema'uma'u
crater at
Hawai'i
Volcanoes
National Park
on Hawai'i
Island begins to
erupt after a
three month
pause

August 1, 2023

Tropical
Depression
Five-E
strengthens to
Tropical
Storm/Hurrican
e status,
naming the
system Dora

August 8, 2023

- State of emergency is declared for Lahaina/Kula (Maui) and Kohala (Hawai'i Island) wildfires caused by Hurricane Dora. West Maui is evacuated August 13, 2023 –

Governor
Josh Green
issues a
proclamation
that all
nonessential
travel to the
island of Maui
is strongly
discouraged
until August
31, 2023

September 27, 2023 –

Maui County
Mayor Richard
Bissen
announces a
three-phase
approach to reopening West
Maui to visitors
starting
October 8,
2023

November 1, 2023 –

Phases 2 and 3 of reopening West Maui to visitors begins





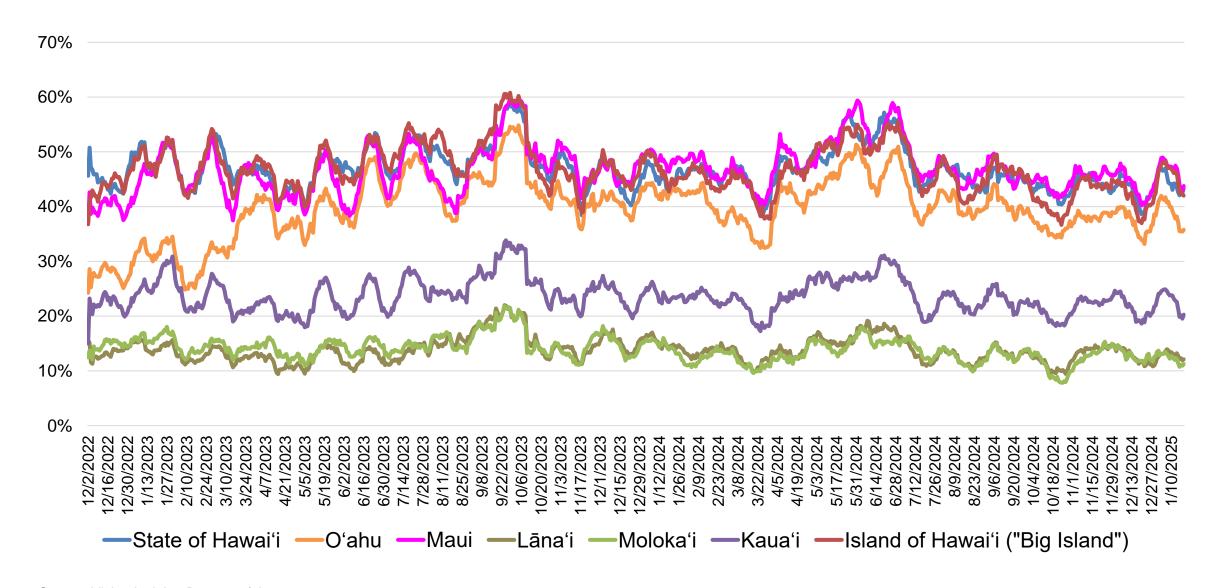


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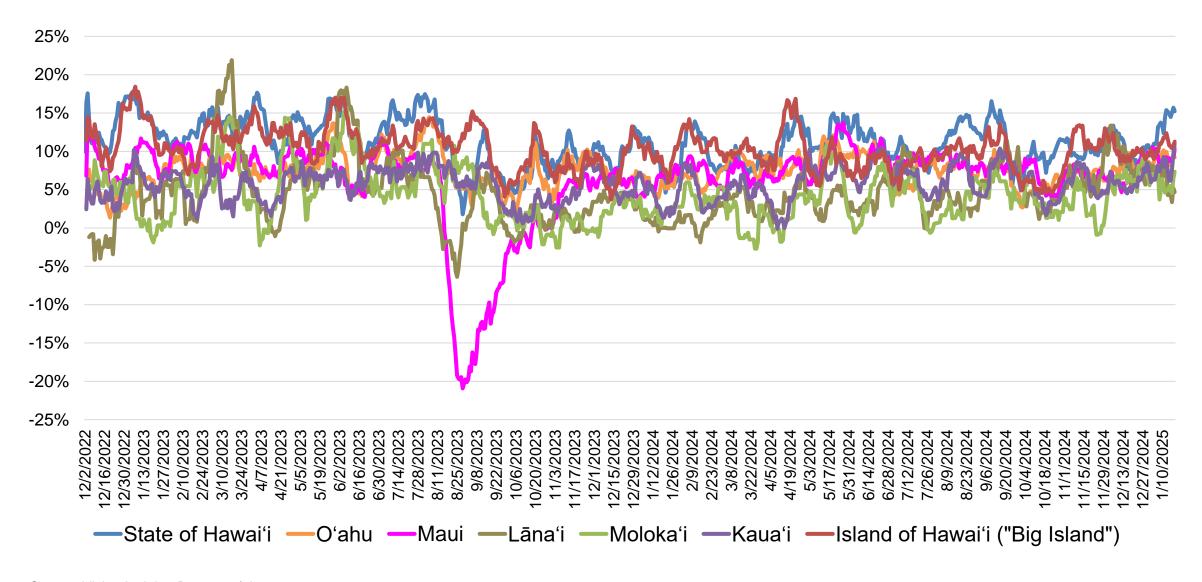
# United States Destination Brand Health Trends



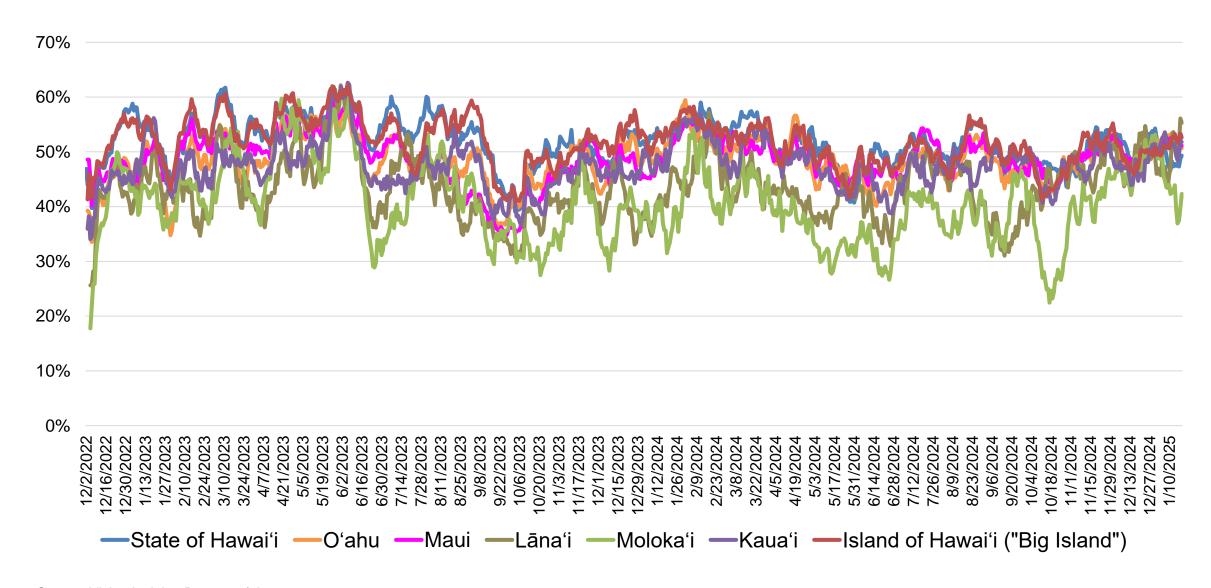
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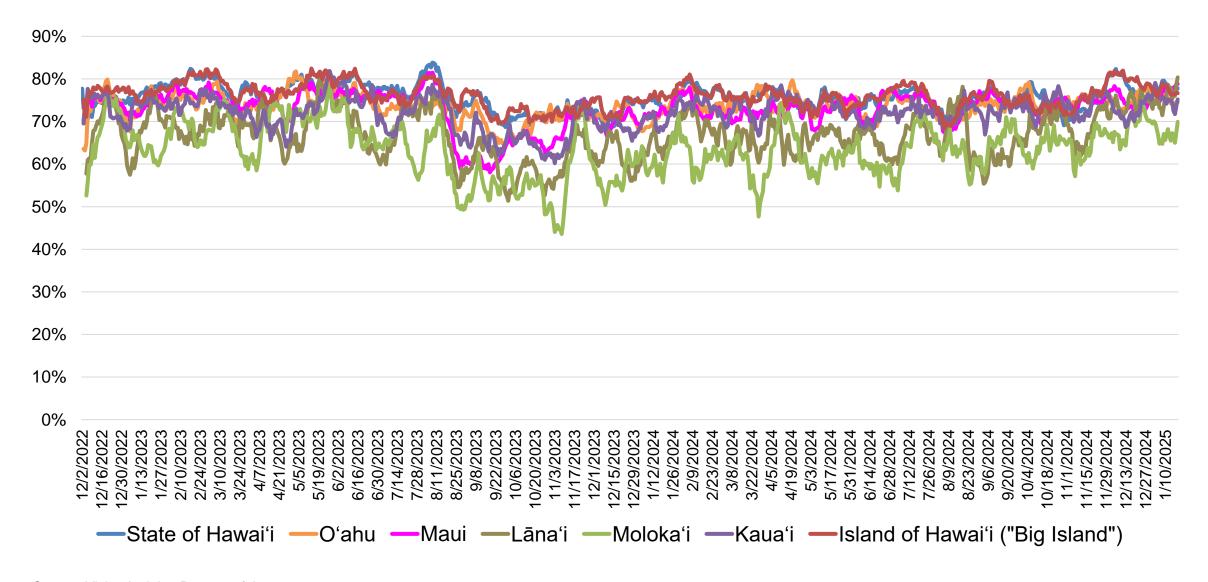
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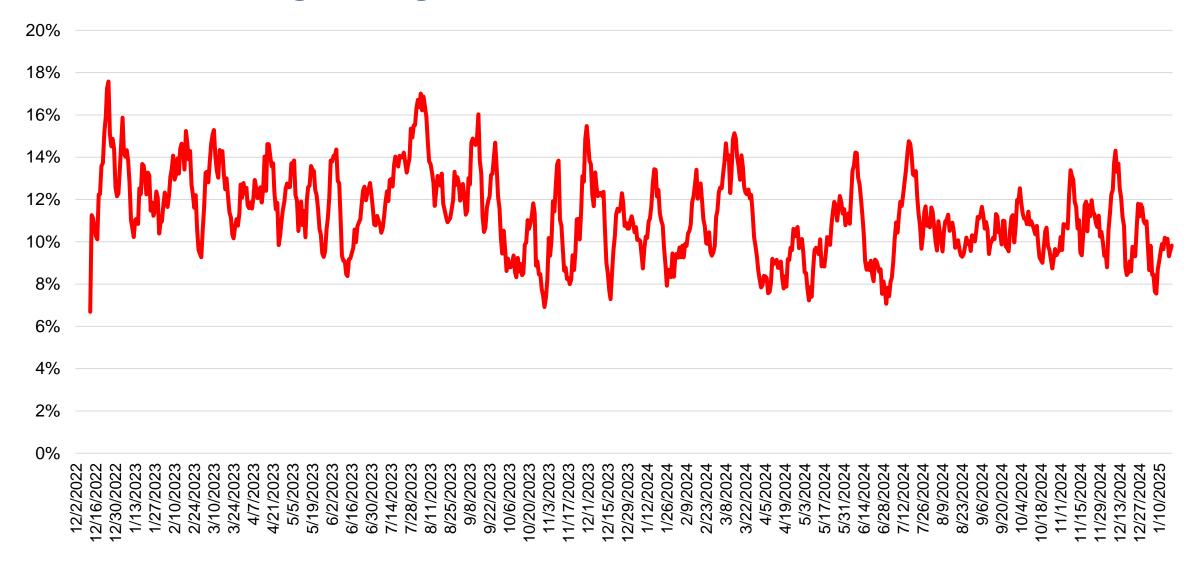
### **U.S.** Consideration Two-Week Moving Average



### **U.S.** Favorability Two-Week Moving Average



## **U.S. Intent to Travel to Any Hawaiian Island One-Week Moving Average**



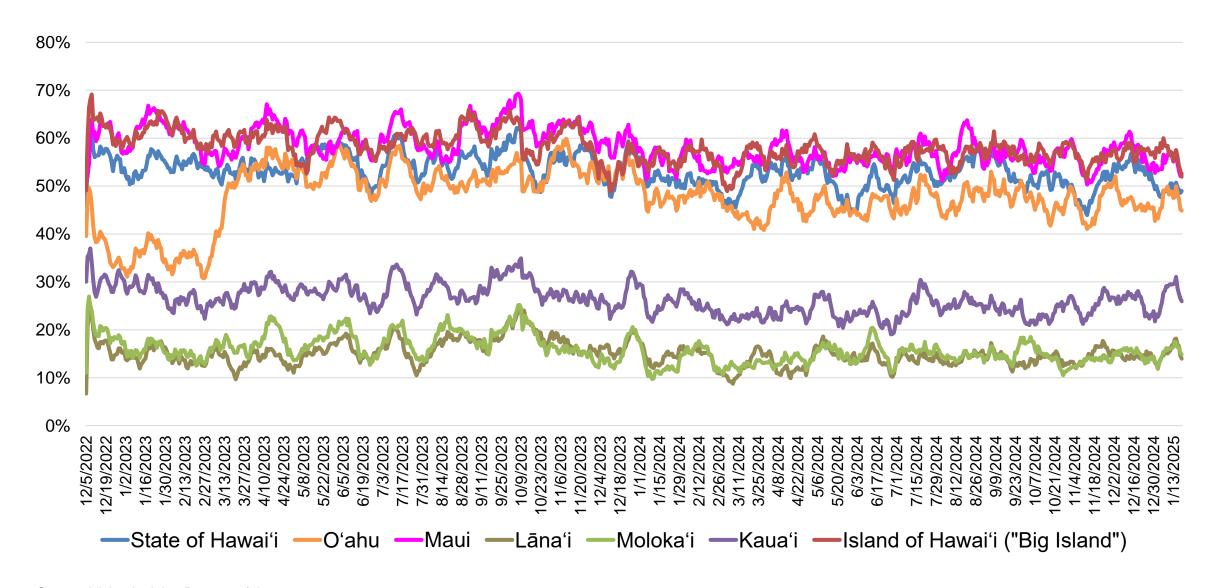


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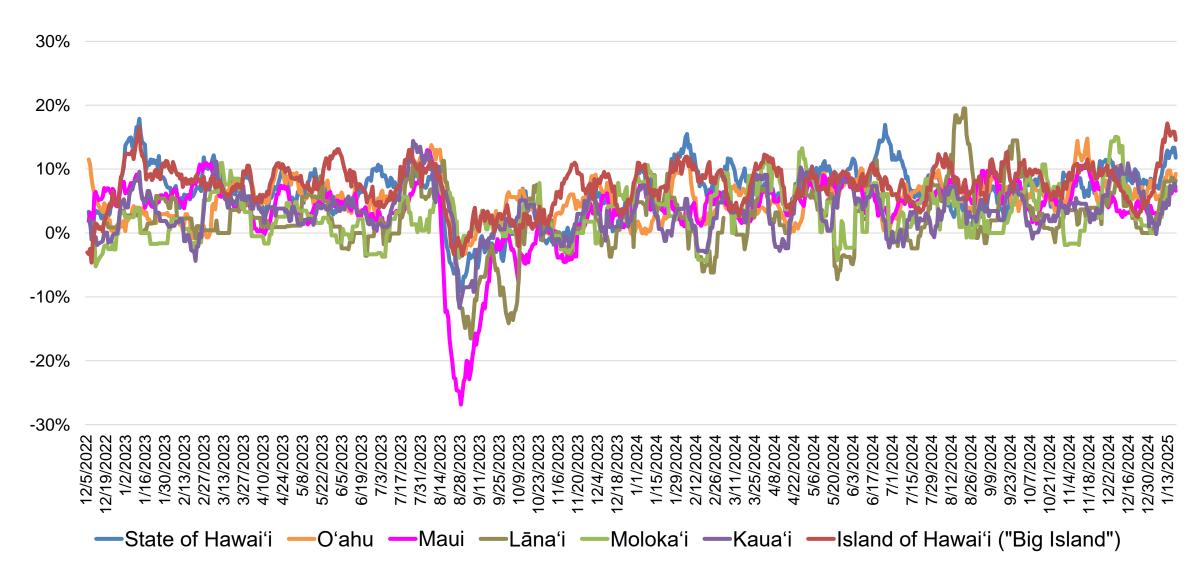
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### **Canada Destination Awareness Two-Week Moving Average**



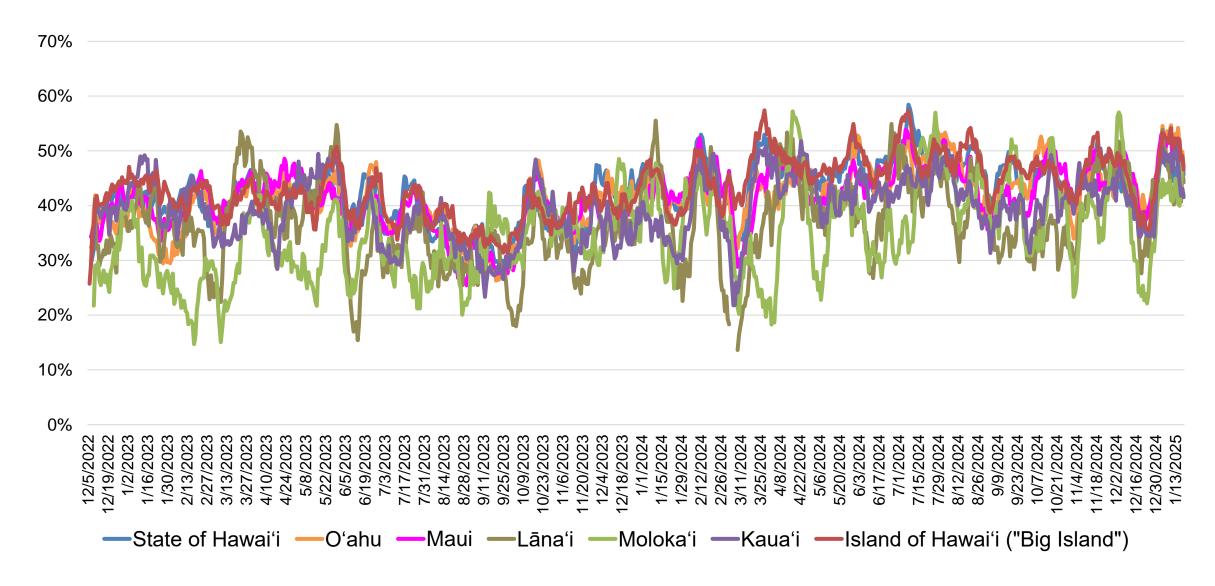
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Source: Vision Insights Data as of January 22, 2025

Samples for Lāna'i are limited

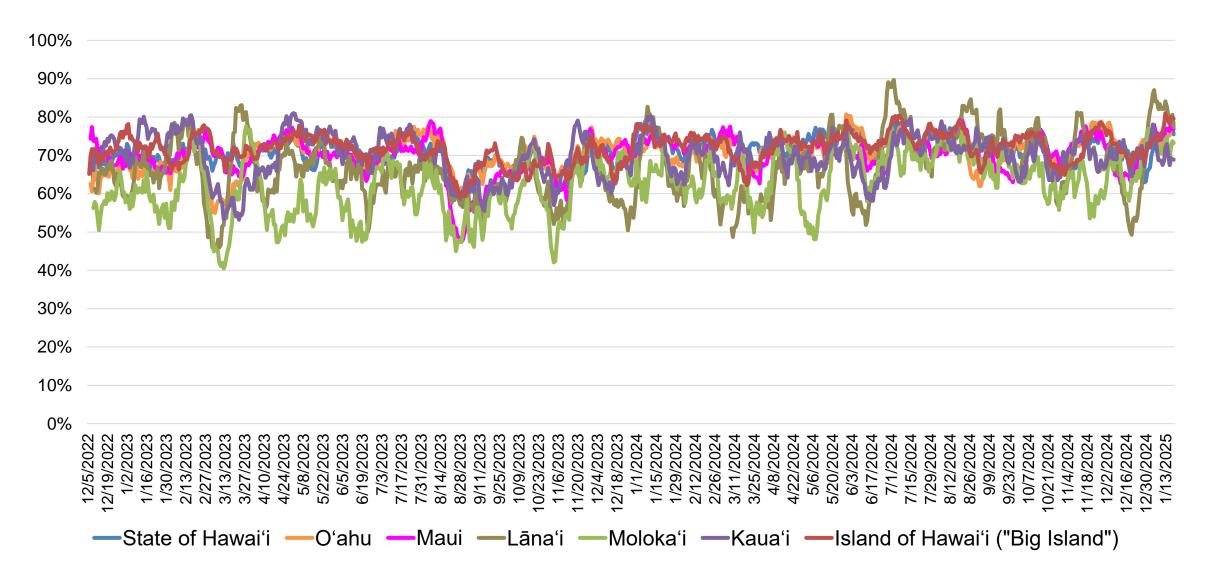
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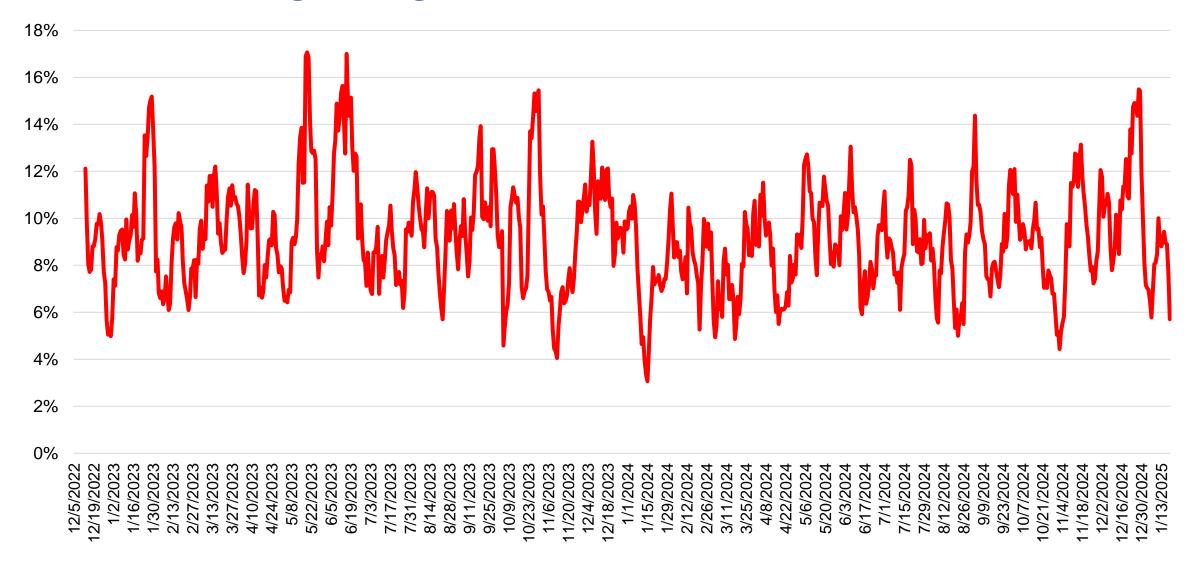
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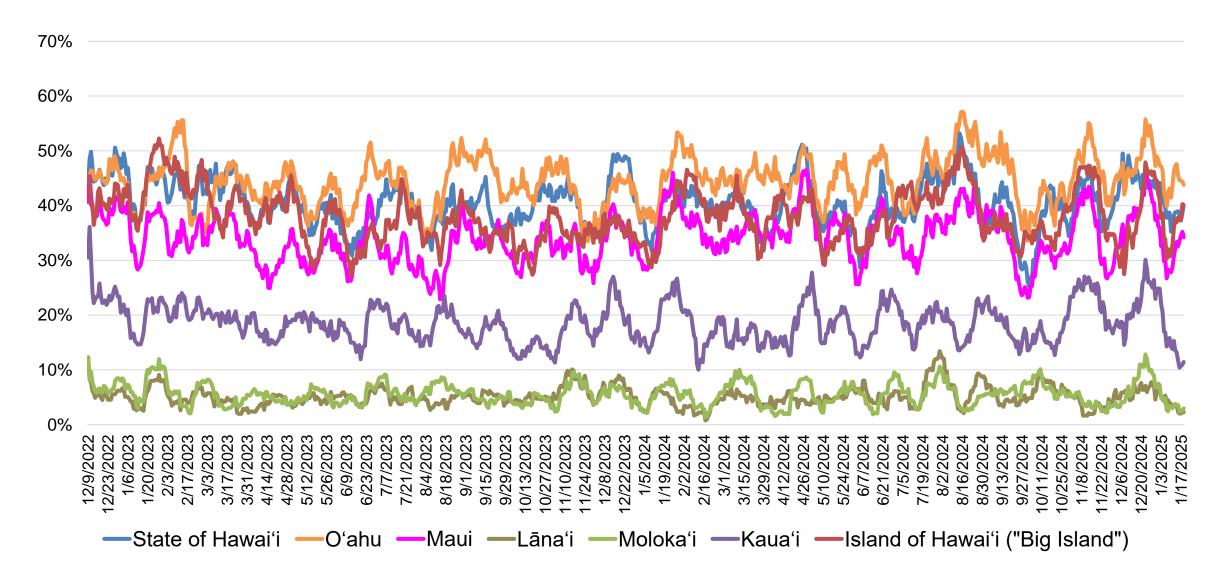


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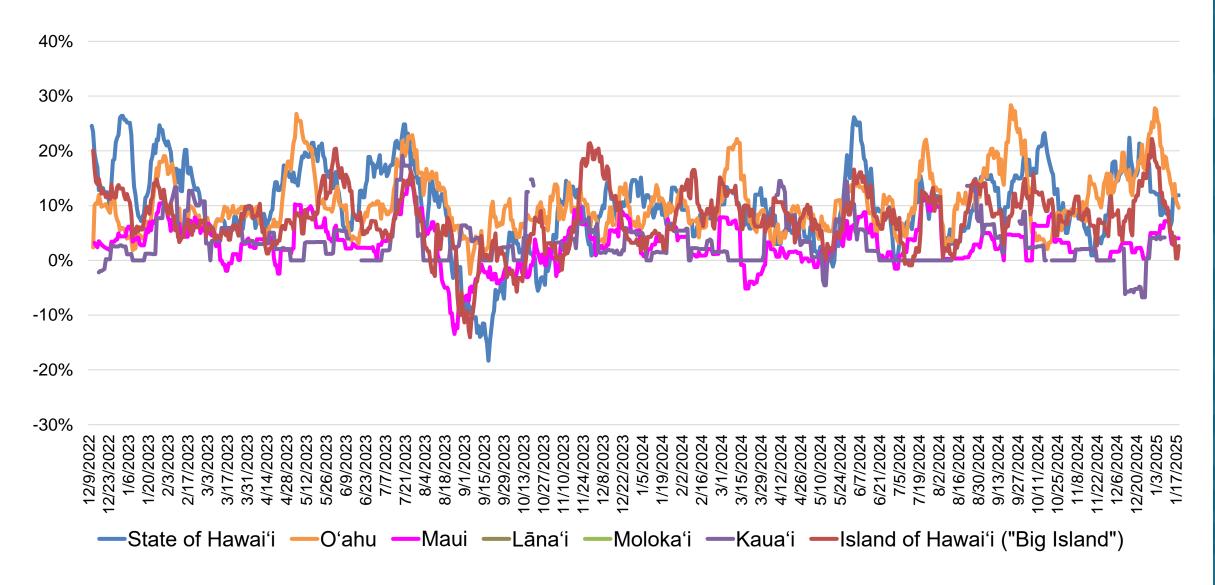
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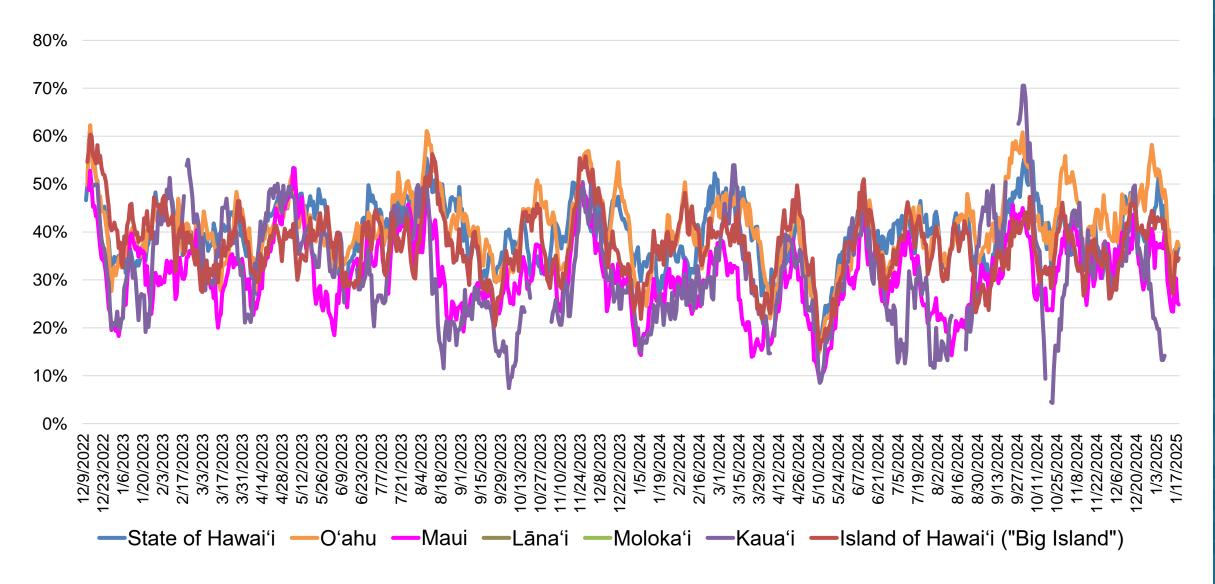


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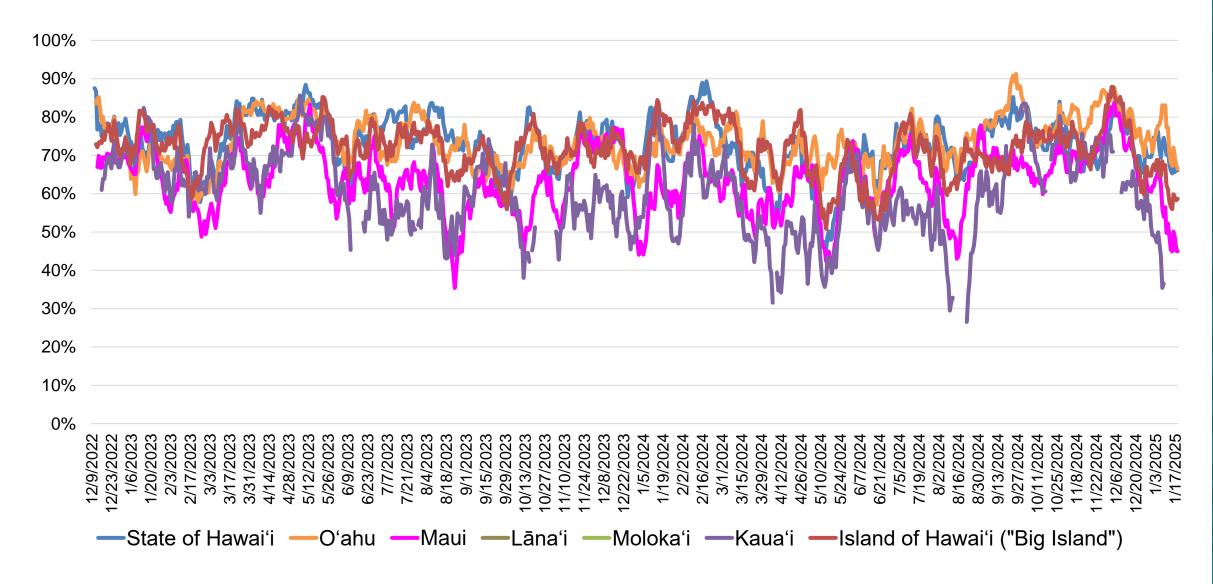
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### **Japan Consideration Two-Week Moving Average**



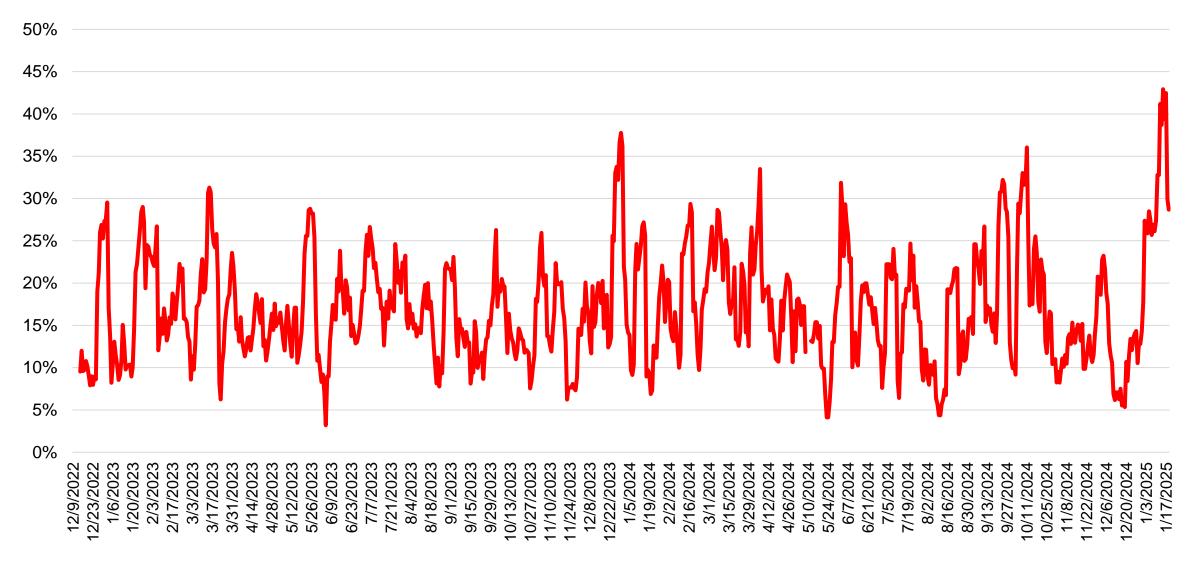
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## Japan Intent to Travel to Any Hawaiian Island One-Week Moving Average



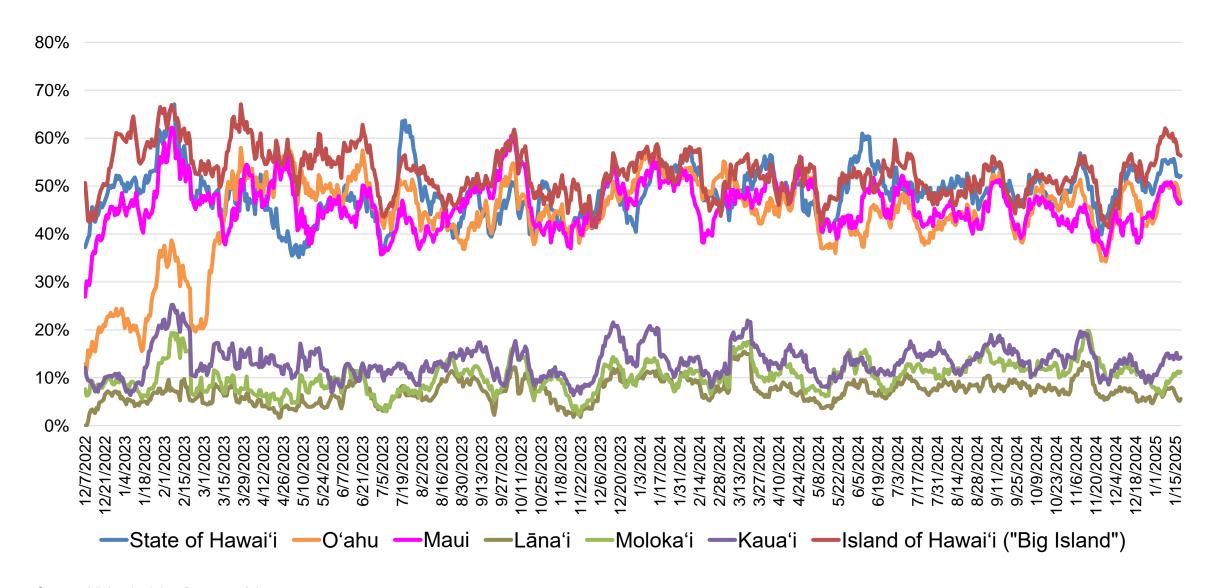


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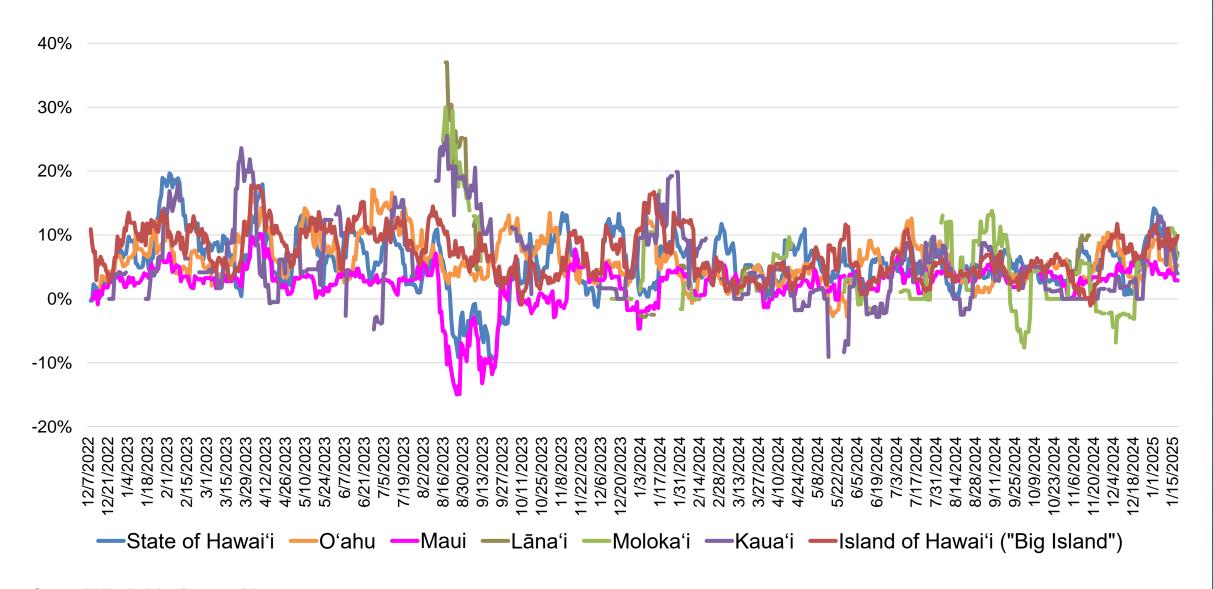
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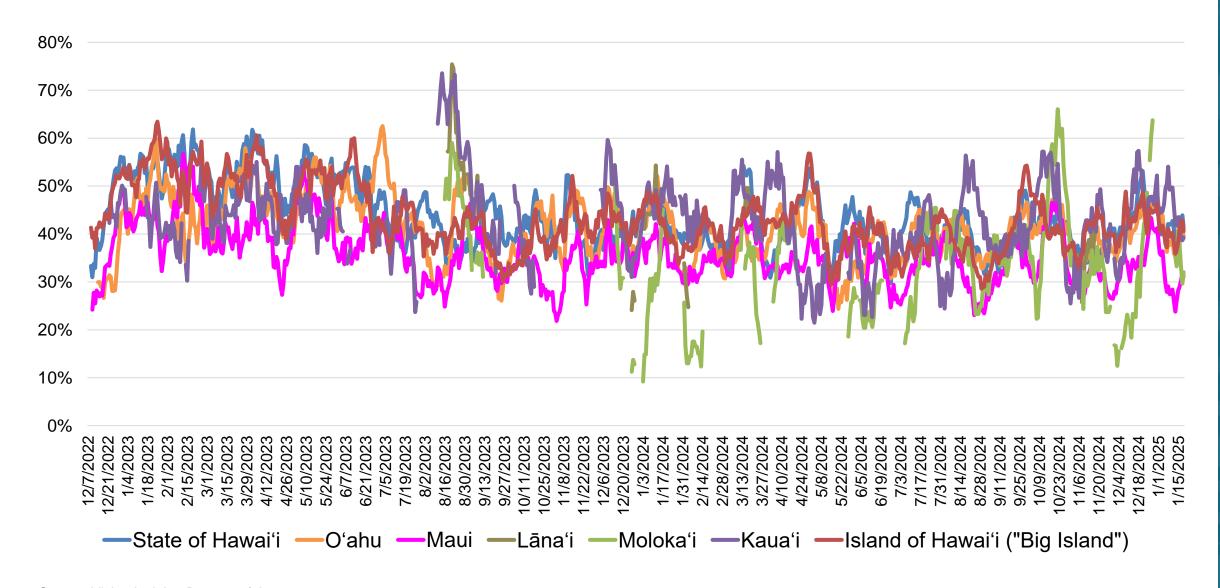


### **Australia Chatter (Net) Two-Week Moving Average**



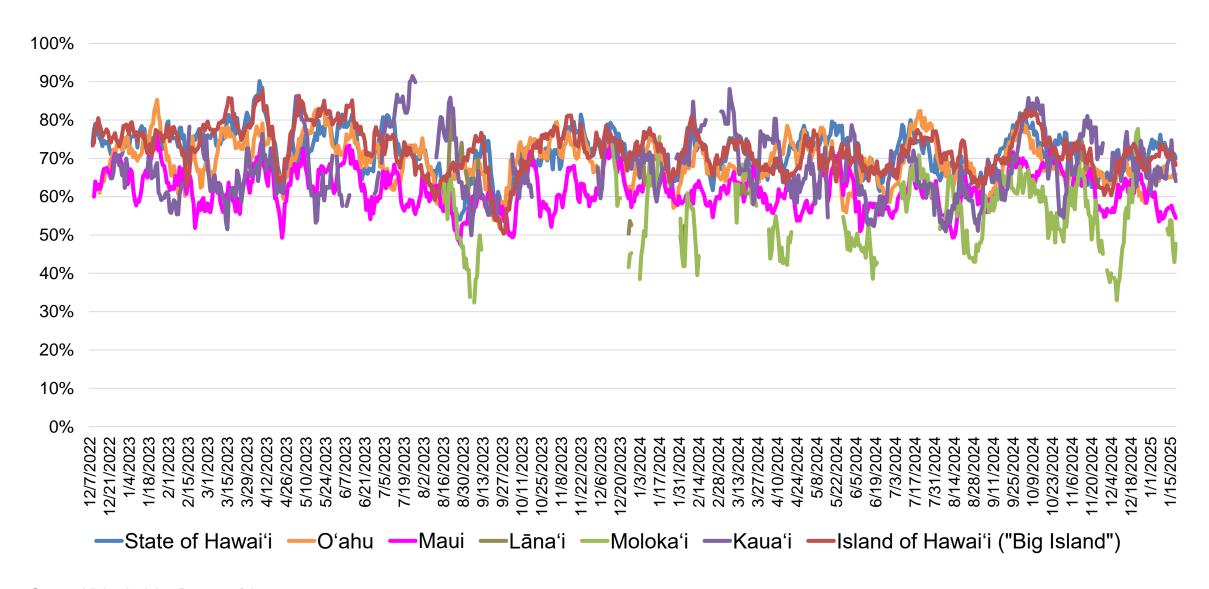
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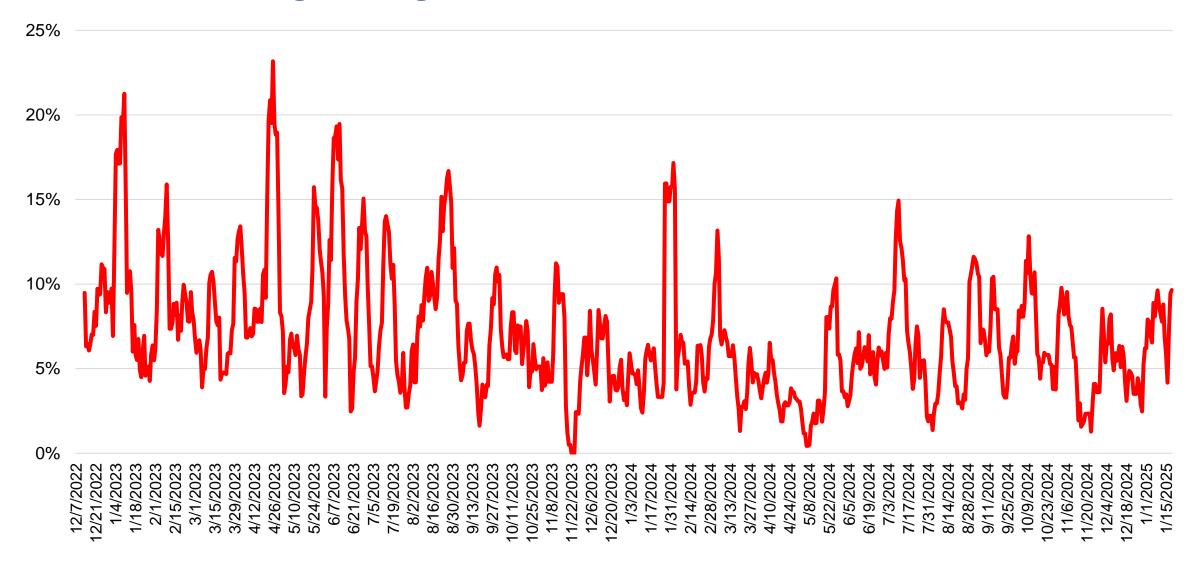
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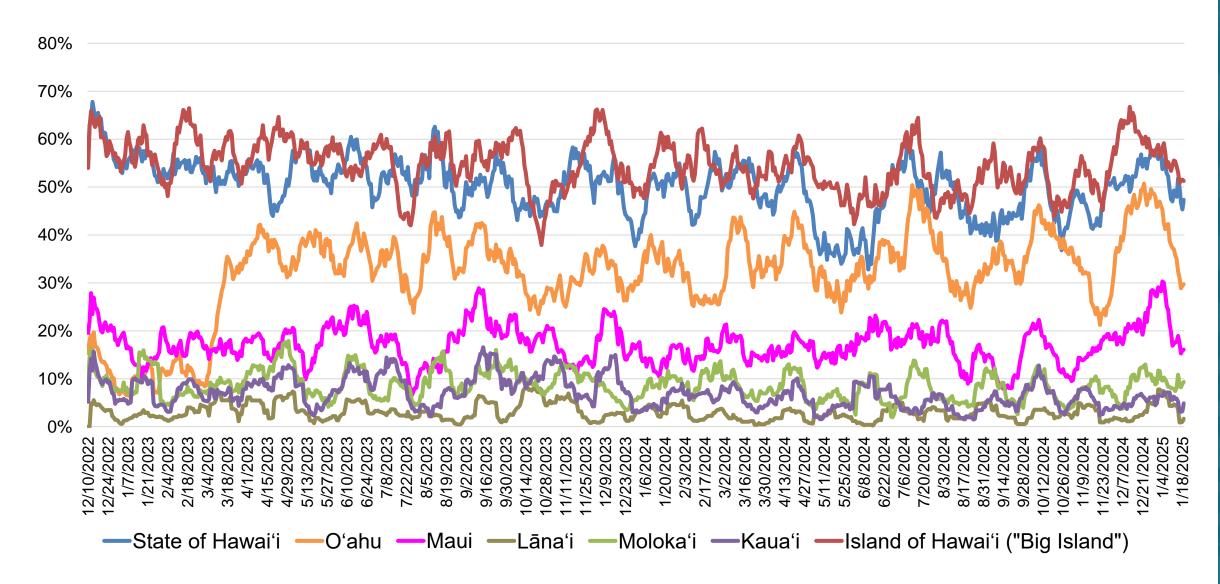


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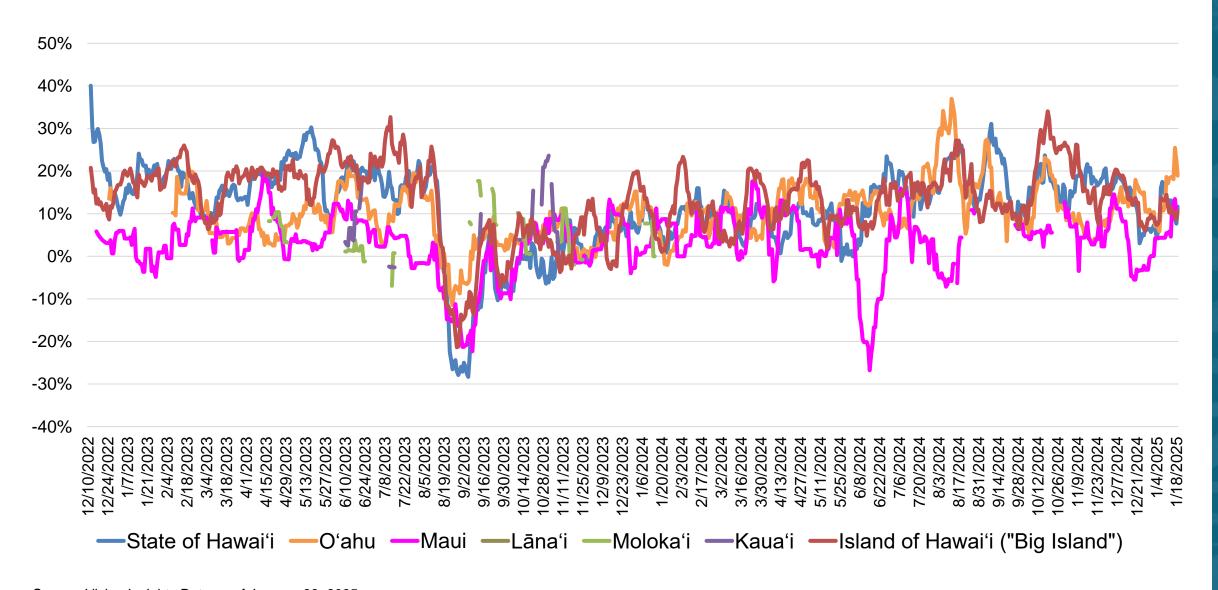
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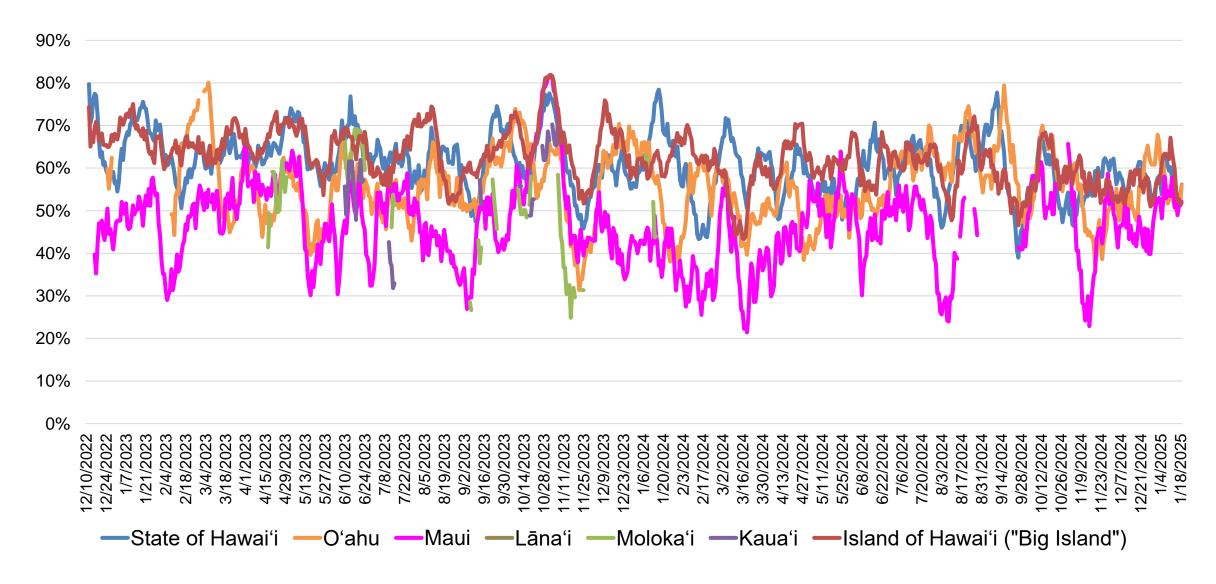


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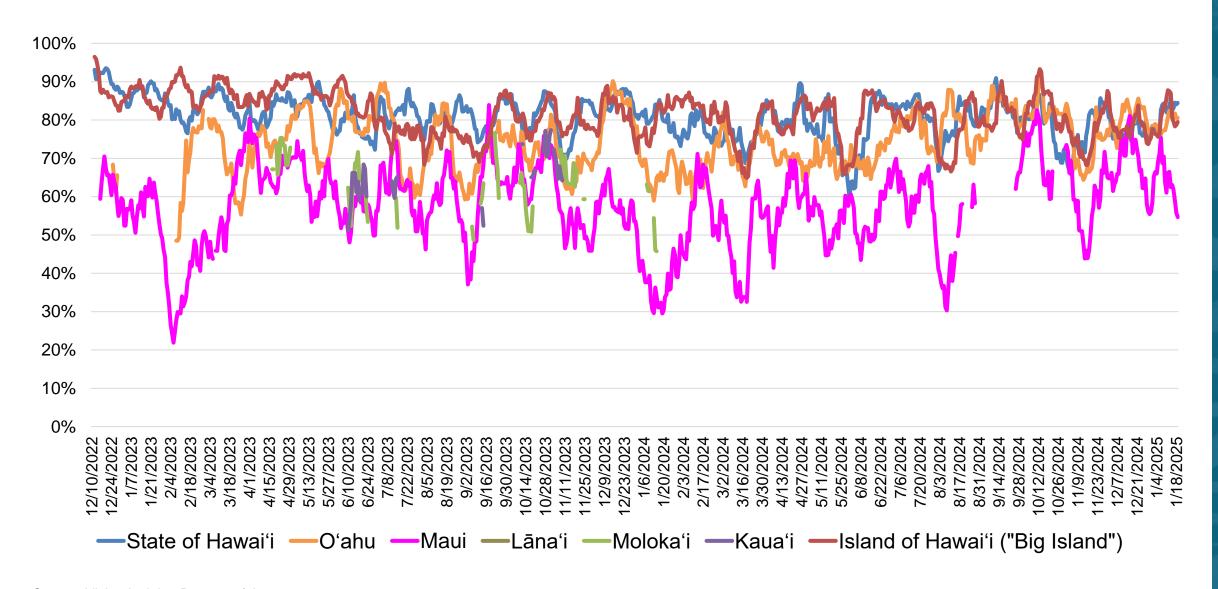
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