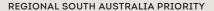
JAN 1 - DEC 31 2023 | REGIONAL SOUTH AUSTRALIA



Regional tourism is critical to South Australia's visitor economy. The eleven regions have collectively supported the key priorities outlined in the RVS that contribute to jobs and expenditure, resulting in regional South Australia exceeding the 2025 target. Raising awareness of South Australia's regional tourism value and its contribution to the State's visitor economy is a key cornerstone to this success. Through working better together we will continue to achieve positive outcomes across the regions. For more information refer to the RVS 2025 at tourism.sa.gov.au.

**DAY TRIPS** 





**OVERNIGHT VISITORS** 



**NIGHTS** 

**NEW PRODUCTS / EXPERIENCES** 



ATDW LEADS TO BUSINESSES



1,006,562

**CRUISE SHIP ARRIVALS** 

120 🛱



230,759 CAPACITY PASSENGERS & CREW



17,400 DIRECT JOBS

6.800 INDIRECT JOBS

1 IN 10° DIRECT JOBS SUPPORTED BY TOURISM

5.700 TOURISM BUSINESSES

## 2023 ACTUAL



2025 TARGET



PERCENTAGE OF 2025 TARGET MET



116%

# SATC EXPERIENCE NATURE TOURISM FUND



15 SUCCESSFUL PROJECTS

\$464,199

FUNDING AMOUNT

\$764,164

TOTAL PROJECT VALUE

## **REGIONAL EVENTS**



1874 NUMBER OF EVENTS

34 SATC FUNDED EVENTS

# **ACCOMMODATION**



21,406 TOTAL ROOMS ATDW LISTED

61% OCCUPANCY STR DATA

# REGIONAL HIGHLIGHT



The Travel. Our Way. campaign launched, which invites domestic visitors to travel with an 'up for anything' attitude and gives suggestion to the unique and memorable holiday experiences found in South Australia, as well as inviting our three biggest markets - VIC, NSW and SA - to literally travel in our direction.







JAN 1 - DEC 31 2023 | ADELAIDE HILLS

# ADELAIDE HILLS PRIORITY

Adelaide Hills' priority is to build a resilient and sustainable industry that capitalises on its proximity to Adelaide. The region aims to convert more visitors to stay overnight, encourage day trippers to linger longer, spend more and grow repeat visitation. Of key importance is understanding and meeting changing visitor needs via regional experiences, events and strong marketing in a post-bushfire and pandemic environment. For more details refer to the RVS 2025 at tourism.sa.gov.au.

**DAY TRIPS** 





**OVERNIGHT** 

**VISITORS** 



**NIGHTS** 

**NEW PRODUCTS / EXPERIENCES** 



ATDW LEADS TO BUSINESSES



**CRUISE SHIP ARRIVALS** 





111,560 CAPACITY PASSENGERS & CREW

# **EMPLOYMENT**



1.100 DIRECT JOBS

300 INDIRECT JOBS

1 IN 20° DIRECT JOBS SUPPORTED BY TOURISM

900 TOURISM BUSINESSES

## 2023 ACTUAL

\$293M

2025 TARGET



**\$245M** 

PERCENTAGE OF 2025 TARGET MET



# SATC EXPERIENCE NATURE TOURISM FUND



SUCCESSFUL **PROJECTS** 

\$70,000 FUNDING AMOUNT

\$100,516 TOTAL PROJECT VALUE

REGIONAL

HIGHLIGHT

## **REGIONAL EVENTS**



142 NUMBER OF EVENTS

2 SATC FUNDED EVENTS

# **ACCOMMODATION**



698 TOTAL ROOMS ATDW LISTED

66% OCCUPANCY STR DATA

with an expanded program featuring over 50 events, delivered by over 70 local businesses. The 3-day event cements the Adelaide Hills' position as a premium

wellness tourism destination.

Wellness Wander returned





# BAROSSA PRIORITY

The main priority for driving future growth to the Barossa is to continue to increase overnight visitation from intrastate, interstate and overseas markets focusing on refreshed and new unique accommodation offerings and visitor experiences. For more details refer to the RVS 2025 at tourism.sa.gov.au.

**DAY TRIPS** 





**OVERNIGHT** 

**VISITORS** 



**NIGHTS** 

**NEW PRODUCTS / EXPERIENCES** 



ATDW LEADS TO BUSINESSES



100,813

**CRUISE SHIP ARRIVALS** 





111,560 CAPACITY PASSENGERS & CREW

**EMPLOYMENT** 



500 DIRECT JOBS

700 INDIRECT JOBS

1 IN 18° DIRECT JOBS SUPPORTED BY TOURISM

390 TOURISM BUSINESSES 2023 ACTUAL

\$261M

2025 TARGET



**\$291M** 

PERCENTAGE OF 2025 TARGET MET



# SATC EXPERIENCE NATURE TOURISM FUND



0 SUCCESSFUL **PROJECTS** 

\$0 FUNDING AMOUNT

\$0 TOTAL PROJECT VALUE

## **REGIONAL EVENTS**



347 NUMBER OF EVENTS

2 SATC FUNDED EVENTS

# **ACCOMMODATION**



1,183 TOTAL ROOMS ATDW LISTED

66% OCCUPANCY STR DATA

# REGIONAL HIGHLIGHT



Barossa Vintage Festival celebrated its 75th year with an extensive program of nearly 80 events attracting 55,000 visitors.



DEC 31 2023 | CLARE VALLEY

# CLARE VALLEY PRIORITY

Building off the region's strong self-drive visitor market, the focus for the Clare Valley is to encourage high spending interstate and international visitors to stay overnight in the region. Developing sustainable and commissionable nature-based, heritage, wellness and epicurean visitor experiences and additional quality accommodation is the key to ongoing success. For more details refer to the RVS 2025 at tourism.sa.gov.au.

**DAY TRIPS** 





**VISITORS** 

**OVERNIGHT** 



608K

**NIGHTS** 

**NEW PRODUCTS / EXPERIENCES** 



ATDW LEADS TO BUSINESSES



**CRUISE SHIP ARRIVALS** 

CRUISE SHIPS DO NOT CURRENTLY SERVICE THIS REGION



# **EMPLOYMENT**



600 DIRECT JOBS

300 INDIRECT JOBS

1 IN 8° DIRECT JOBS SUPPORTED BY TOURISM

200 TOURISM BUSINESSES 2023 ACTUAL

\$191M

2025 TARGET



**\$132M** 

PERCENTAGE OF 2025 TARGET MET



# SATC EXPERIENCE NATURE TOURISM FUND



0 SUCCESSFUL **PROJECTS** 

\$0 FUNDING AMOUNT

\$0 TOTAL PROJECT VALUE

REGIONAL

HIGHLIGHT

## **REGIONAL EVENTS**



401 NUMBER OF EVENTS

3 SATC FUNDED EVENTS

# **ACCOMMODATION**



720

66%

The Festival of the Lamb 2023 was a collaboration between tourism and agricultural industries, and highlighted some of the region's most unique paddock-to-plate

experiences and stories.



TOTAL ROOMS ATDW LISTED

OCCUPANCY

STR DATA





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JAN 1 - DEC 31 2023 | EYRE PENINSULA

# EYRE PENINSULA PRIORITY

The opportunity for the Eyre Peninsula is to capitalise on its pristine nature, immersive wildlife experiences and coastal lifestyle to drive increased overnight stays from domestic and international visitors. The region has approximately 100 State, National and Conservation Parks, ten State Marine Parks, and three Commonwealth Marine Reserves. A whole of tourism approach is needed across marketing, events, product development, council collaboration and investment. For more details refer to the RVS 2025 at tourism.sa.qov.au.

DAY TRIPS



532K



577V

**OVERNIGHT** 

**VISITORS** 



2.2M

**NIGHTS** 

**NEW PRODUCTS / EXPERIENCES** 



6

ATDW LEADS TO BUSINESSES



108,001

**CRUISE SHIP ARRIVALS** 

34



36,715\*\*
CAPACITY PASSENGERS & CREW

**EMPLOYMENT** 



2,100 DIRECT JOBS 700 INDIRECT JOBS 1 IN 11"
DIRECT JOBS
SUPPORTED
BY TOURISM

620 TOURISM BUSINESSES 2023 ACTUAL

\$591M\*

2025 TARGET



\$397M

PERCENTAGE OF 2025 TARGET MET



L49%

SATC EXPERIENCE NATURE TOURISM FUND



SUCCESSFUL PROJECTS \$59,536 FUNDING AMOUNT \$77,190 TOTAL PROJECT VALUE

**REGIONAL EVENTS** 



47<sup>^</sup>
NUMBER OF
EVENTS

5 SATC FUNDED EVENTS

ACCOMMODATION

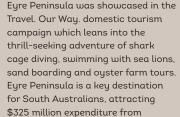


2,997
TOTAL ROOMS

59% OCCUPANCY

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REGIONAL HIGHLIGHT



intrastate overnight visitors in 2023°.

SOUTH



# FLEURIEU PENINSULA PRIORITY

The key priorities for the Fleurieu Peninsula are to encourage year-round visitation and drive visitor yield. The aim is to grow spend from day-trippers and local residents, as well as convert some day trips into overnight stays. Levers include events, accommodation improvements, experience development and marketing. For more details refer to the RVS 2025 at tourism.sa.gov.au.

**DAY TRIPS** 





**OVERNIGHT** 

**VISITORS** 



**NIGHTS** 

**NEW PRODUCTS / EXPERIENCES** 



ATDW LEADS TO BUSINESSES



**CRUISE SHIP ARRIVALS** 





112,120 CAPACITY PASSENGERS & CREW

**EMPLOYMENT** 



4.000 DIRECT JOBS

1.300 INDIRECT JOBS

1 IN 6° DIRECT JOBS SUPPORTED BY TOURISM

910 TOURISM BUSINESSES 2023 ACTUAL

\$837M

2025 TARGET



\$643M (\*)

PERCENTAGE OF 2025 TARGET MET



# SATC EXPERIENCE NATURE TOURISM FUND



SUCCESSFUL **PROJECTS** 

\$148,022 FUNDING AMOUNT

\$197,127 TOTAL PROJECT VALUE

REGIONAL

HIGHLIGHT

## **REGIONAL EVENTS**



294 NUMBER OF EVENTS

SATC FUNDED EVENTS



2,897

52%

Roll-out of the Fleurieu Peninsula Tourism Trade Ready Pathway Program 2023 which supported businesses to engage with international trade partners and support the return of

international visitation.

**ACCOMMODATION** 



TOTAL ROOMS ATDW LISTED

OCCUPANCY STR DATA





FLINDERS RANGES & OUTBACK

# FLINDERS RANGES & OUTBACK PRIORITY

The focus for the Flinders Ranges and Outback is to increase overnight visitation via greater regional, and cross regional, collaboration around touring routes and events. New products, infrastructure and capability building will be critical for success. For more details refer to the RVS 2025 at tourism.sa.gov.au.

DAY TRIPS





**OVERNIGHT VISITORS** 



**NIGHTS** 

**NEW PRODUCTS / EXPERIENCES** 



ATDW LEADS TO BUSINESSES



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**CRUISE SHIP ARRIVALS** 





# **EMPLOYMENT**



2.100 DIRECT JOBS

700 INDIRECT JOBS

1 IN 12" DIRECT JOBS SUPPORTED BY TOURISM

510 TOURISM BUSINESSES

## 2023 ACTUAL



2025 TARGET



\$638M 🗥

PERCENTAGE OF 2025 TARGET MET



# SATC EXPERIENCE NATURE TOURISM FUND



2 SUCCESSFUL **PROJECTS** 

\$67,232 FUNDING AMOUNT

\$84,042 TOTAL PROJECT VALUE

## **REGIONAL EVENTS**



36 NUMBER OF EVENTS

2 SATC FUNDED EVENTS

# **ACCOMMODATION**



2,860 TOTAL ROOMS ATDW LISTED

58% OCCUPANCY STR DATA

# REGIONAL HIGHLIGHT



The Nilpena Ediacara National Park and immersive visitor centre officially opened, which has been established to conserve and preserve fossils dating back 550 million years to the 'dawn of life'.



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JAN 1 - DEC 31 2023 | KANGAROO ISLAND

# KANGAROO ISLAND PRIORITY

After the devasting summer 2020 bushfires in which more than 40% of Kangaroo Island was impacted, the Island's priority is industry resilience and regrowth. As an established visitor region, the focus for Kangaroo Island has always been about exceeding on visitor expectations, growing visitor yield, dispersal and managing the sustainable development of tourism on the Island. With highly seasonal visitation, encouraging visitation in the quieter months of May to August continues to be a priority. For more details refer to the RVS 2025 at tourism.sa.gov.au.

**DAY TRIPS** 





**OVERNIGHT** 

**VISITORS** 



**NIGHTS** 

**NEW PRODUCTS / EXPERIENCES** 



ATDW LEADS TO BUSINESSES

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**CRUISE SHIP ARRIVALS** 





82.299

CAPACITY PASSENGERS & CREW

# **EMPLOYMENT**



1.000 DIRECT JOBS

1 IN 3° BY TOURISM

110 TOURISM BUSINESSES

# 2023 ACTUAL

\$280M

2025 TARGET



\$199M

PERCENTAGE OF 2025 TARGET MET



# SATC EXPERIENCE NATURE TOURISM FUND



SUCCESSFUL **PROJECTS** 

\$68,525

FUNDING AMOUNT

\$166,888

TOTAL PROJECT VALUE

## **REGIONAL EVENTS**



49 NUMBER OF EVENTS

2 SATC FUNDED EVENTS

# **ACCOMMODATION**



846 TOTAL ROOMS ATDW LISTED

52% OCCUPANCY STR DATA

# REGIONAL HIGHLIGHT



Internationally renowned luxury accommodation Southern Ocean Lodge reopened. The new build, maintains a similar footprint as the original building which was destroyed in the 2020 bushfire.



300 INDIRECT JOBS

DIRECT JOBS SUPPORTED





JAN 1 - DEC 31 2023 | LIMESTONE COAST

# LIMESTONE COAST PRIORITY

The priority for the Limestone Coast is to increase overnight visitor volumes from international and domestic markets and convert some existing day-trippers to linger longer and stay overnight. Being a predominantly self-drive visitor market, leveraging existing touring routes and promoting and developing hero tourism experiences and events that reflect the region's uniqueness is the key to success. For more details refer to the RVS 2025 at tourism.sa.gov.au.

**DAY TRIPS** 





**VISITORS** 

**OVERNIGHT** 



**NIGHTS** 

**NEW PRODUCTS / EXPERIENCES** 



ATDW LEADS TO BUSINESSES



**CRUISE SHIP ARRIVALS** 





# **EMPLOYMENT**



DIRECT JOBS

JOBS

1 IN 14° BY TOURISM

800 TOURISM BUSINESSES 2023 ACTUAL

\$520M

2025 TARGET



\$479M ()

PERCENTAGE OF 2025 TARGET MET



# SATC EXPERIENCE NATURE TOURISM FUND



SUCCESSFUL **PROJECTS** 

\$70,000 FUNDING AMOUNT

\$105,086 TOTAL PROJECT VALUE

**REGIONAL EVENTS** 



261 NUMBER OF EVENTS

3 SATC FUNDED EVENTS

# **ACCOMMODATION**



2,645 TOTAL ROOMS

71% OCCUPANCY STR DATA

REGIONAL HIGHLIGHT



Limestone Coast was a top performing destination via SATC's social media channels in 2023. Regional content reached 7.9 million people, with 2 million video post plays on Instagram, and a Facebook post reach of 4.4 million people.



900 INDIRECT

DIRECT JOBS SUPPORTED





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JAN 1 - DEC 31 2023 | MURRAY RIVER, LAKES & COORONG

# MURRAY RIVER, LAKES & COORONG PRIORITY

The region's priorities are to grow visitor spend from intrastate day trips as well as increase overnight visits from interstate, intrastate and a small international base. As the region is predominantly a self-drive visitor market, leveraging existing touring routes and promoting and developing events and tourism experiences that reflect the region's uniqueness is key to ongoing success. For more details refer to the RVS 2025 at tourism.sa.gov.au.

**DAY TRIPS** 





**OVERNIGHT** 

**VISITORS** 



969K

**NIGHTS** 

**NEW PRODUCTS / EXPERIENCES** 



ATDW LEADS TO BUSINESSES



**CRUISE SHIP ARRIVALS** 





111,560 CAPACITY PASSENGERS & CREW

# **EMPLOYMENT**



1.300 DIRECT JOBS

500 INDIRECT JOBS

SUPPORTED BY TOURISM

340 TOURISM BUSINESSES

## 2023 ACTUAL

\$373M

2025 TARGET



\$196M

PERCENTAGE OF 2025 TARGET MET



190%

# SATC EXPERIENCE NATURE TOURISM FUND



5 SUCCESSFUL **PROJECTS** 

\$200,206 FUNDING

AMOUNT

\$262,357 TOTAL PROJECT VALUE

## **REGIONAL EVENTS**



30 NUMBER OF EVENTS

2 SATC FUNDED EVENTS

# **ACCOMMODATION**



1,418 TOTAL ROOMS ATDW LISTED

58% OCCUPANCY STR DATA

REGIONAL

HIGHLIGHT

The \$300k Mid Murray River Tourism Business Support Program provided an immediate cash injection for small businesses that were recovering from the impact if the 2022-23 River Murray Flood Event.



1 IN 12° DIRECT JOBS





# RIVERLAND PRIORITY

The priority for the Riverland is to increase visitation and length of stay from Adelaide as well as key interstate and international markets. A focus on all parts of the visitor mix are required: increasing collaboration, growing events, creating new visitor experiences, and supporting operators. For more details refer to the RVS 2025 at tourism.sa.gov.au

**DAY TRIPS** 





**OVERNIGHT VISITORS** 



1.0M

**NIGHTS** 

**NEW PRODUCTS / EXPERIENCES** 



ATDW LEADS TO BUSINESSES



**CRUISE SHIP ARRIVALS** 





# **EMPLOYMENT**



1.200 DIRECT JOBS

JOBS

SUPPORTED BY TOURISM

350 TOURISM BUSINESSES

# 2023 ACTUAL

\$239M

2025 TARGET



**\$247M** 

PERCENTAGE OF 2025 TARGET MET



# SATC EXPERIENCE NATURE TOURISM FUND



SUCCESSFUL **PROJECTS** 

\$90,752 FUNDING AMOUNT

\$125,538 TOTAL PROJECT VALUE

# **REGIONAL EVENTS**



106 NUMBER OF EVENTS

3 SATC FUNDED EVENTS

# **ACCOMMODATION**



2,342 TOTAL ROOMS ATDW LISTED

58% OCCUPANCY STR DATA

The Riverland was promoted in the Rise Up for our River marketing campaign and the River Revival Voucher program with 2 rounds of vouchers and advertising periods to stimulate visitation and expenditure for impacted businesses after the floods. The program has injected an estimated \$10.7 million into the flood affected Murray River regions.

REGIONAL HIGHLIGHT

500 INDIRECT 1 IN 12° DIRECT JOBS





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JAN 1 - DEC 31 2023 | YORKE PENINSULA









# YORKE PENINSULA PRIORITY

Yorke Peninsula's priority is to increase visitor expenditure and dispersal from intrastate and interstate self-drive markets. Developing new and promoting existing experiences that showcase the region's coastal lifestyle, wildlife and nature is key to this success. For more details refer to the RVS 2025 at tourism.sa.gov.au.

**DAY TRIPS** 





**OVERNIGHT VISITORS** 



**NIGHTS** 

**NEW PRODUCTS / EXPERIENCES** 



ATDW LEADS TO BUSINESSES



**CRUISE SHIP ARRIVALS** 





140

CAPACITY PASSENGERS & CREW

**EMPLOYMENT** 



1.600 DIRECT JOBS

600 INDIRECT JOBS

1 IN 9° DIRECT JOBS SUPPORTED BY TOURISM

450 TOURISM BUSINESSES 2023 ACTUAL

\$384M

2025 TARGET



\$289M (\*)

PERCENTAGE OF 2025 TARGET MET



SATC EXPERIENCE NATURE TOURISM FUND



SUCCESSFUL **PROJECTS** 

\$90,752 FUNDING

AMOUNT

\$194,845

TOTAL PROJECT VALUE

**REGIONAL EVENTS** 



161 NUMBER OF EVENTS

2 SATC FUNDED EVENTS

**ACCOMMODATION** 



2,800 TOTAL ROOMS ATDW LISTED

59% OCCUPANCY

STR DATA



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# REGIONAL HIGHLIGHT



Yorke Peninsula was showcased in the Travel. Our Way. domestic campaign which leans into the adventurous spirit of a coastal holiday. Yorke Peninsula is a key destination for South Australians, attracting \$214 million expenditure from intrastate overnight visitors in 2023°