

+ FLORIDA RE-OPENING

COVID-19 IMPACT REPORT

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INTRODUCTION

As markets continue to re-open across the US, this month we are focusing our consumer COVID-19 Impact Report solely on Florida. This allows us to reflect on how Floridians were first returning to the On Premise, what other states can expect as they re-open more fully and how behavior continues after those initial visits.

CGA offer a suite of products which can reach into different areas or research, and if you have broader business questions please reach out to speak with us for support. We are thankful for your engagement and hope to continue bringing you studies which can help you to focus your efforts to win in the On Premise.

Over the weekend (**Feb 5-8**) we surveyed **1,224** respondents (who have drunk alcohol in the last 3 months and been out in the On Premise) and all live in Florida.

FLORIDA SUMMARY

First visits back after reopening

- Food orientated venues dominate the first venues consumers returned to, and younger consumers show a higher likelihood of going back to a drinking venue first
- Consumers across occasions and venues are currently most likely to go out/return with their partner/spouse. This highlights a more intimate, smaller group occasion than typically seen pre-COVID-19.
- This is followed by visiting with friends, although returning with family and kids is more prominent for casual dining chains
- Different venues offer different drink categories opportunities on the first visits back. Beer dominates neighborhood bars and sports bars. While wine has a strong position in fine dining restaurants. Spirits do particularly well in neighborhood bars and the top location for cocktails is in casual dining chains.
- Drinks with food is a top occasion on first visit for most major venue types. It is particularly significant for sports bars and independently owned restaurants. Meanwhile neighborhood bars seem split across drinks with food and a regular/everyday drinking occasion. Treat/rewards are the most important outings for fine dining and second most important for casual dining chains after drinks with food.
- 3/5 consumers are spending as much on their first visit as an average pre COVID-19 visit, but celebrations are more likely to be down on spend (possibly due to group size). Romantic and everyday drinking occasions however are more likely to have a higher spend
- Consumers are most likely to visit a favorite or local venue on first visits to the On Premise – showing that affinity to protect particular outlets. Moreover, 18% returned on their first outing to the venue that they visited on their last trip before restrictions. This shows the habitual nature of consumers and highlights consumers desire to 'finish' a full circle since restrictions.
- 21-34 year olds are most likely to go to somewhere they had their eye on for a while, finally ticking off that desire – perhaps linked to a recommendation or seeing online posts (23%)



FLORIDA SUMMARY

General behavior since reopening

- The same venues remain popular as consumers return after their first outing, however fine dining restaurants fall back in position after first visits, letting sports bars and neighborhood bars move up
- There is also hope for travel venues, with 16% going to a hotel bar/restaurant at least once since reopening
- Drinks with food has a strong lead as the top occasion for going out, highlighting the popularity of the more casual occasion
- There remains opportunity with high visits for treat/rewards and celebrations however. These both have trade up opportunities, with one a more low and the other a higher tempo occasion
- Partner/spouse remains a key combination on visits after venues reopened, but visitation with friends moves up. This may reflect that on first visits people were more cautious on returning with only those from their household, but later became more comfortable on visiting with friends
- 35-54 year olds are more likely than others to visit with kids and work colleagues.
- Currently 63% of consumers are spending the same or more than pre COVID-19 on alcohol per visit, a promising note for the industry after a challenging period while caution and job security is still a factor for many
- Younger consumers are more likely than other age groups to be spending more than usual





FIRST VISITS SINCE REOPENING

FIRST VENUE VISITED AFTER REOPENING



CASUAL DINING
CHAINS

30%



INDEPENDENT
RESTAURANTS

22%



FINE DINING

9%



NEIGHBORHOOD
BARS

8%



SPORTS BARS

8%

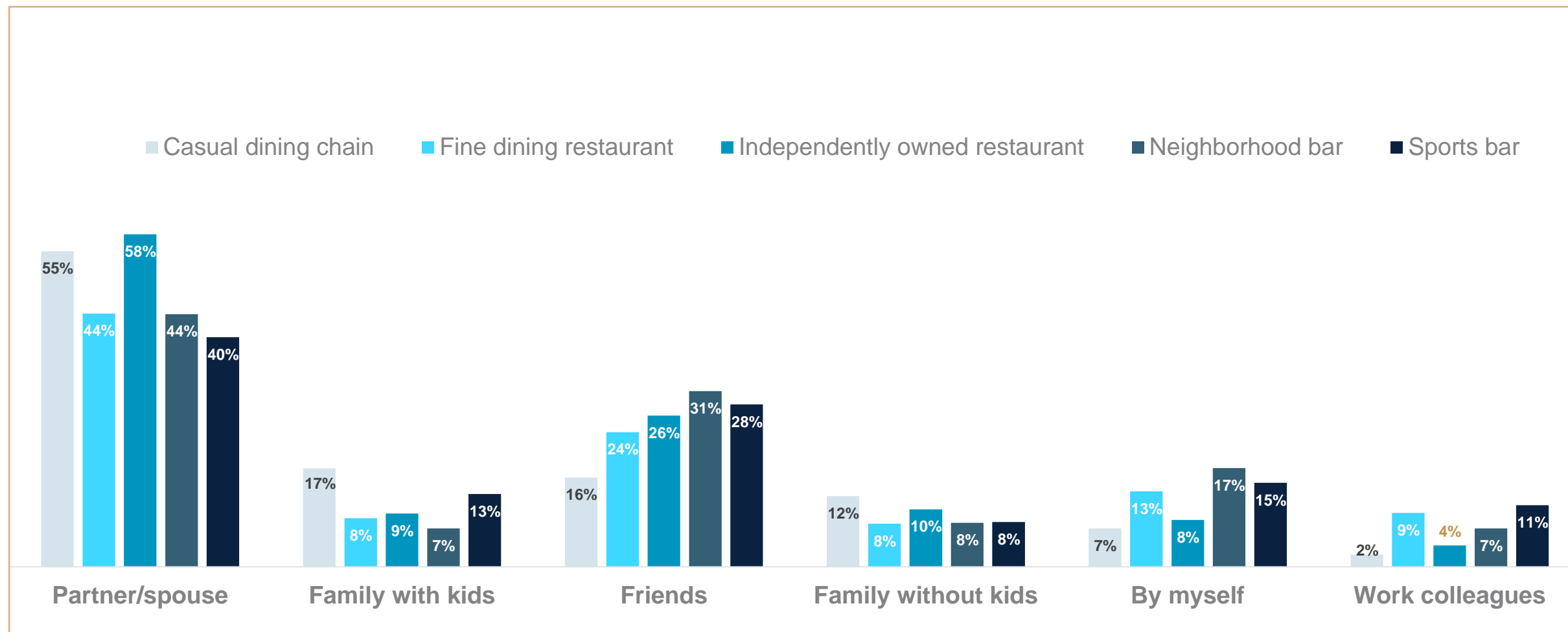
AGE GROUPS INDEX VS AVG CONSUMER

21-34	-8pp	-7pp	+4pp	+1pp	+3pp
35-54	-2pp	-9pp	0pp	+4pp	+2pp
55+	+7pp	+12pp	-2pp	-4pp	-4pp



PHENOMENAL DATA. EXPERT INSIGHT.

WHO DID YOU FIRST VISIT THIS VENUE WITH WHEN THEY REOPENED

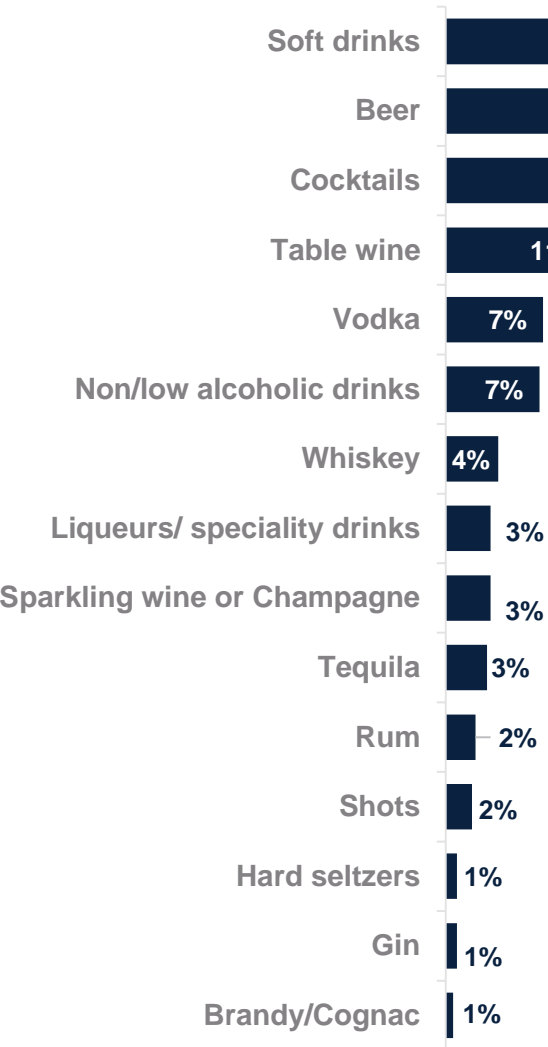


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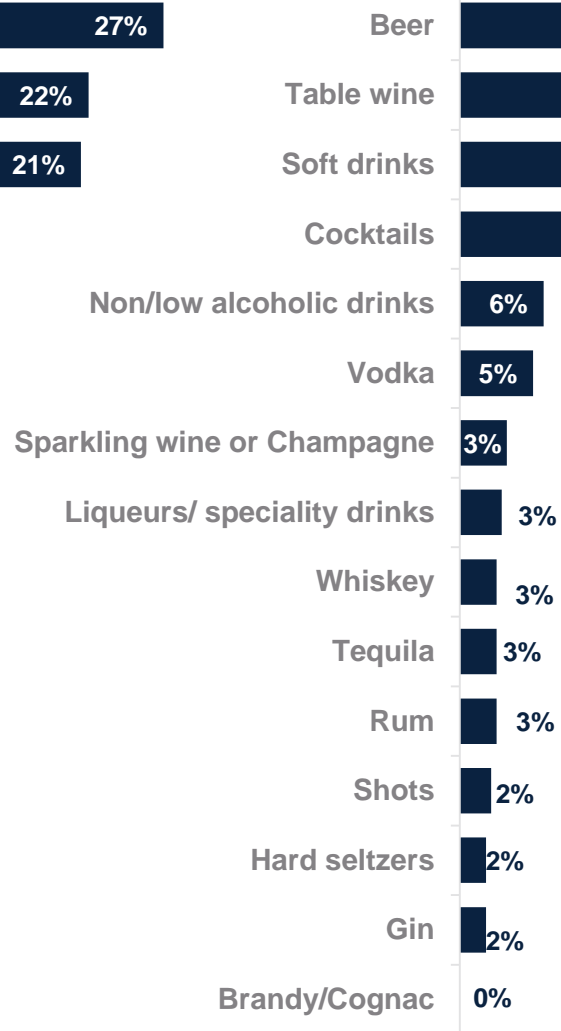


WHAT DID YOU DRINK ON YOUR FIRST VISIT TO THIS VENUE WHEN THEY REOPENED

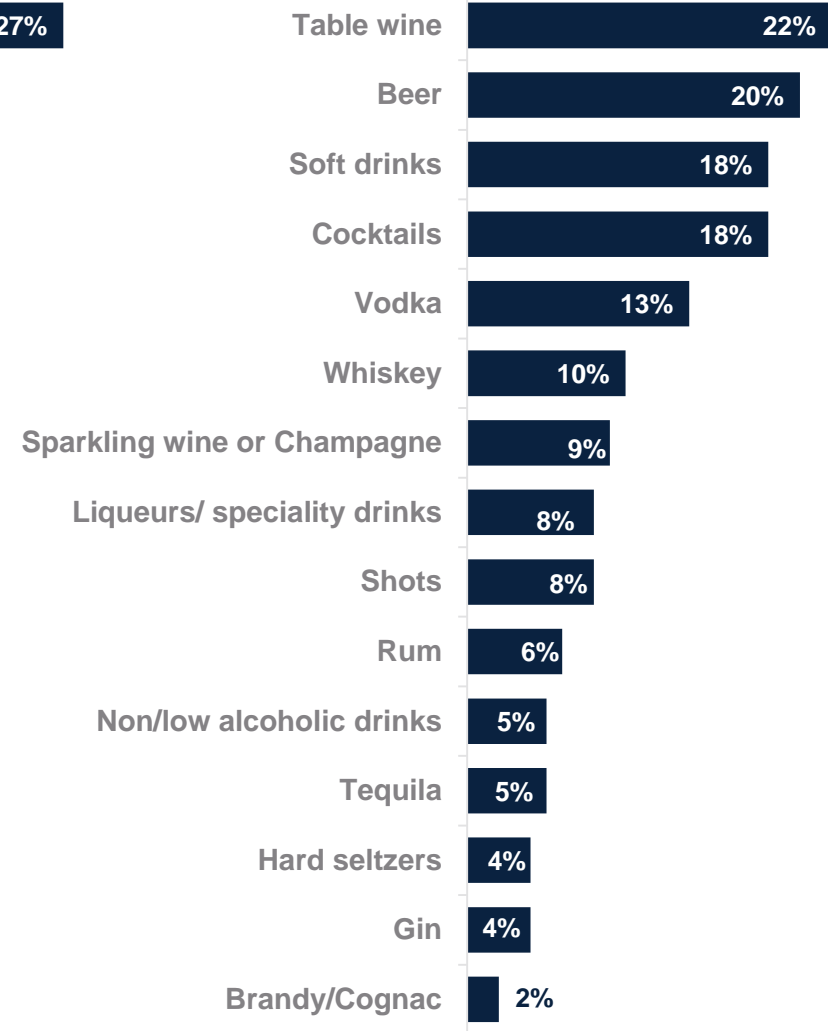
Casual Dining Chain



Independent Restaurant

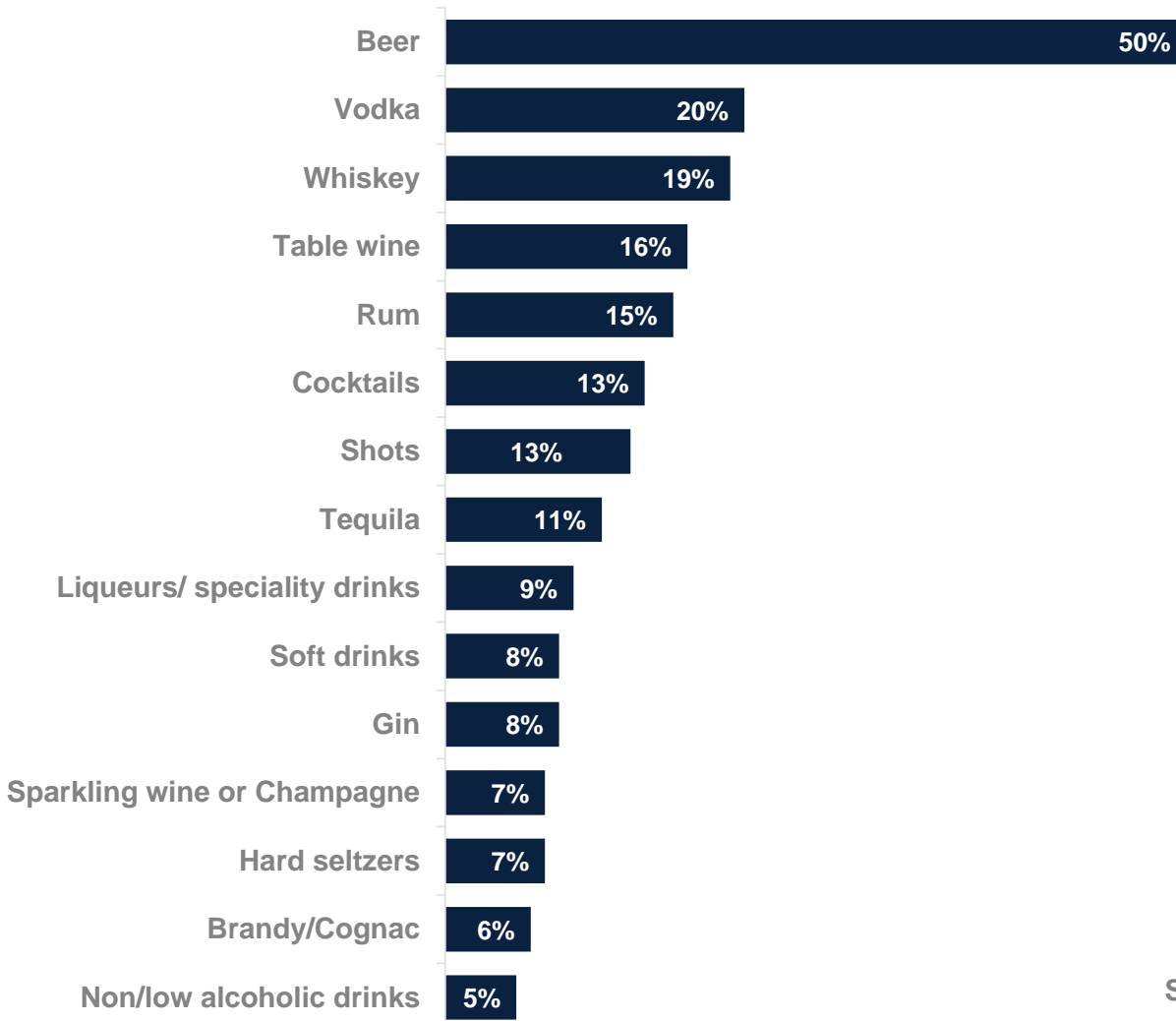


Fine Dining

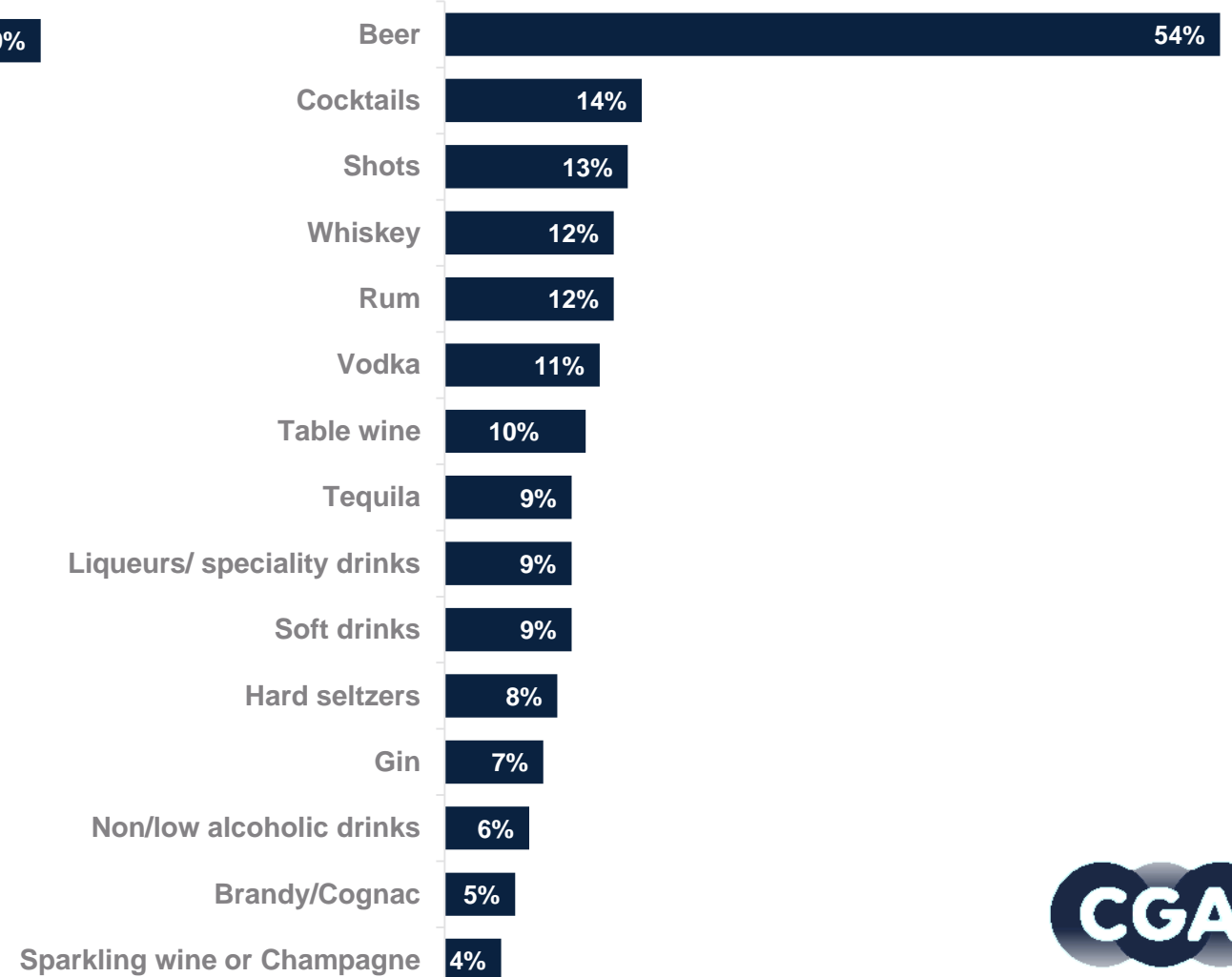


WHAT DID YOU DRINK ON YOUR FIRST VISIT TO THIS VENUE WHEN THEY REOPENED

Neighborhood Bar



Sports Bar



FOR WHICH OCCASIONS DID YOU VISIT THIS VENUE?



Drinks with Food

28%



Treat/Reward

16%



Celebration

10%



For an Everyday Drink

8%

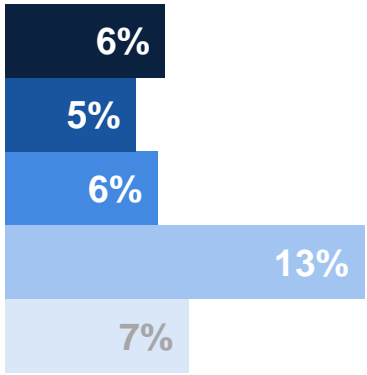
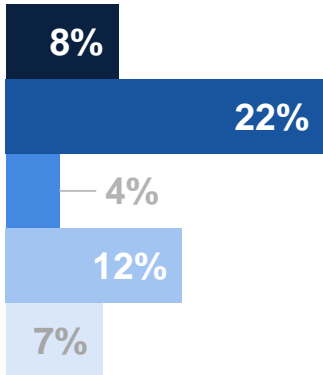
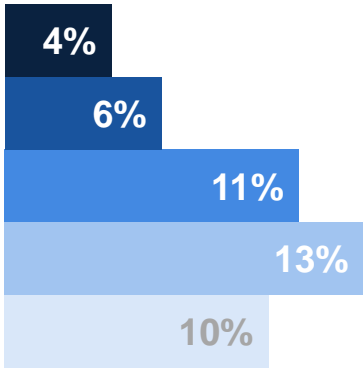
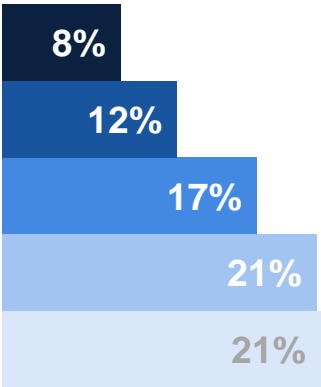
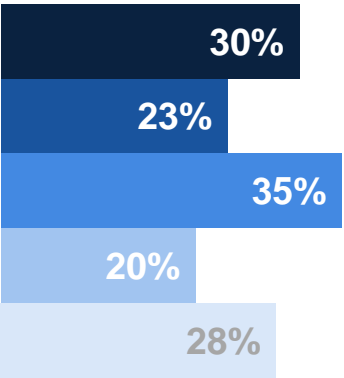


Romantic Occasion

8%

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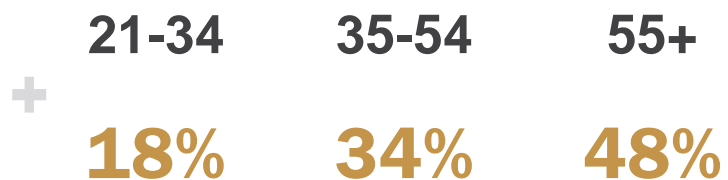
- Sports bar
- Neighborhood bar
- Independently owned restaurant
- Fine dining restaurant
- Casual dining chain



* Respondents who said they visited these venues first

CONSUMERS WHOSE FIRST OCCASION FOR VISIT WAS: DRINKS WITH FOOD

Age



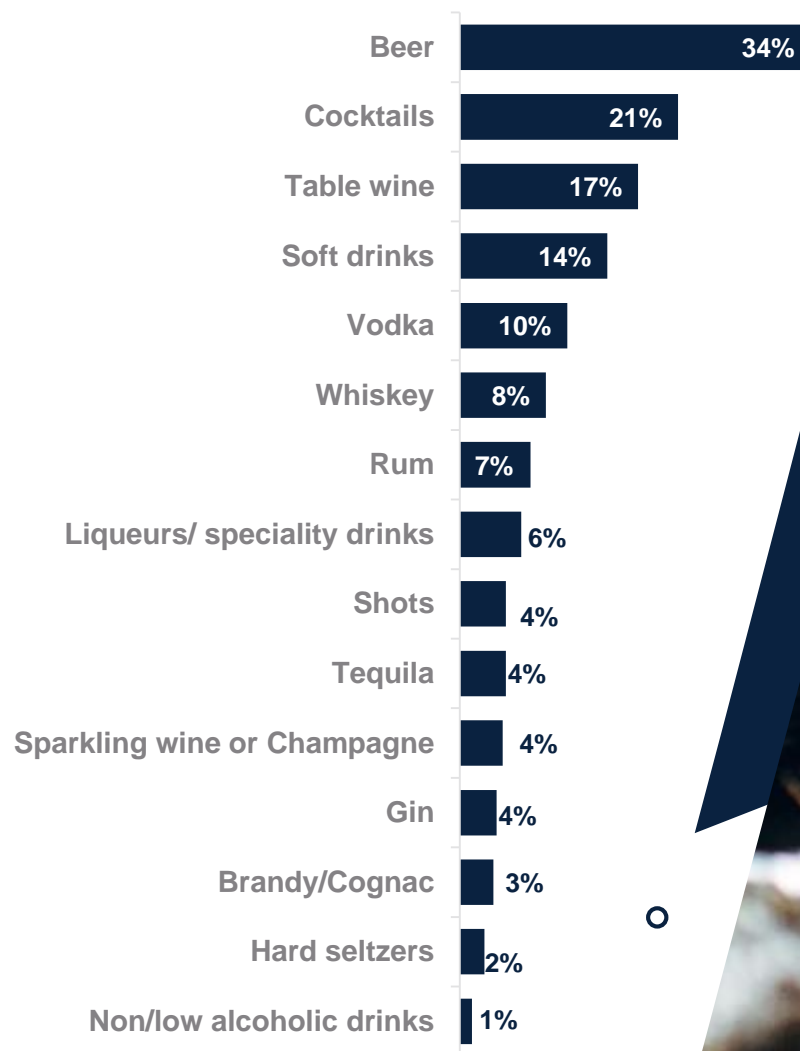
Gender



Who With

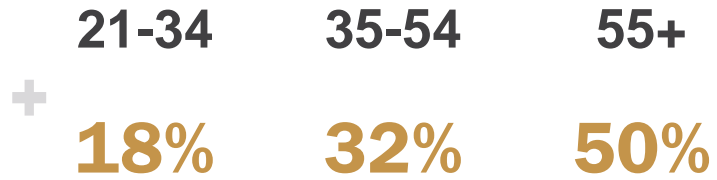


Drinks ordered



CONSUMERS WHOSE FIRST OCCASION FOR VISIT WAS: TREAT/REWARD

Age



Gender

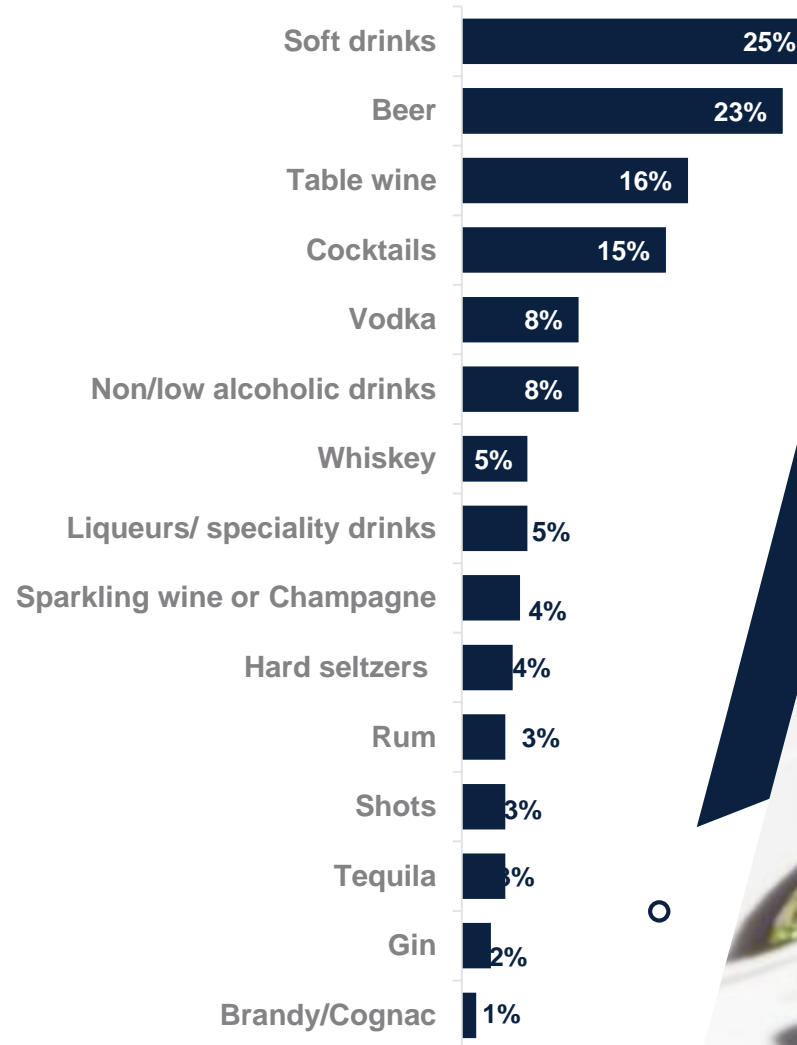


Who With



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Drinks ordered

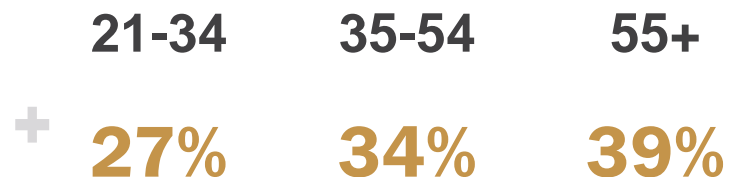


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CONSUMERS WHOSE FIRST OCCASION FOR VISIT WAS: CELEBRATION

Age



Gender



Who With

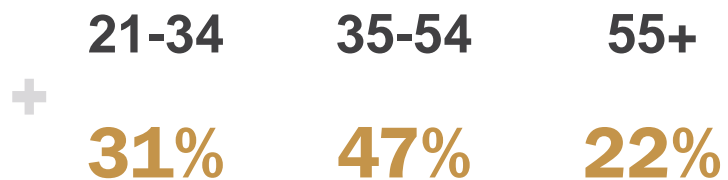


Drinks ordered



CONSUMERS WHOSE FIRST OCCASION FOR VISIT WAS: REGULAR/EVERYDAY DRINK

Age



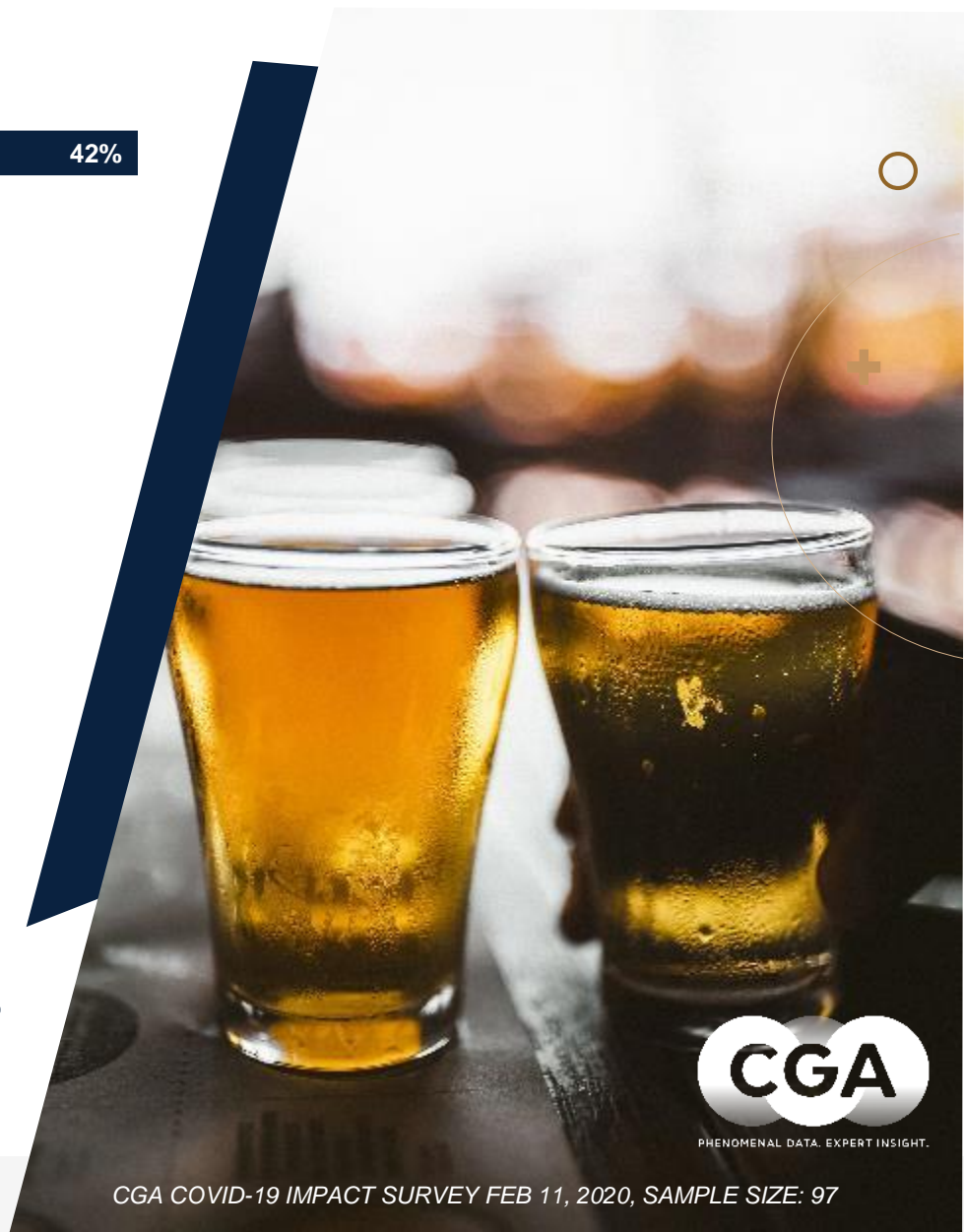
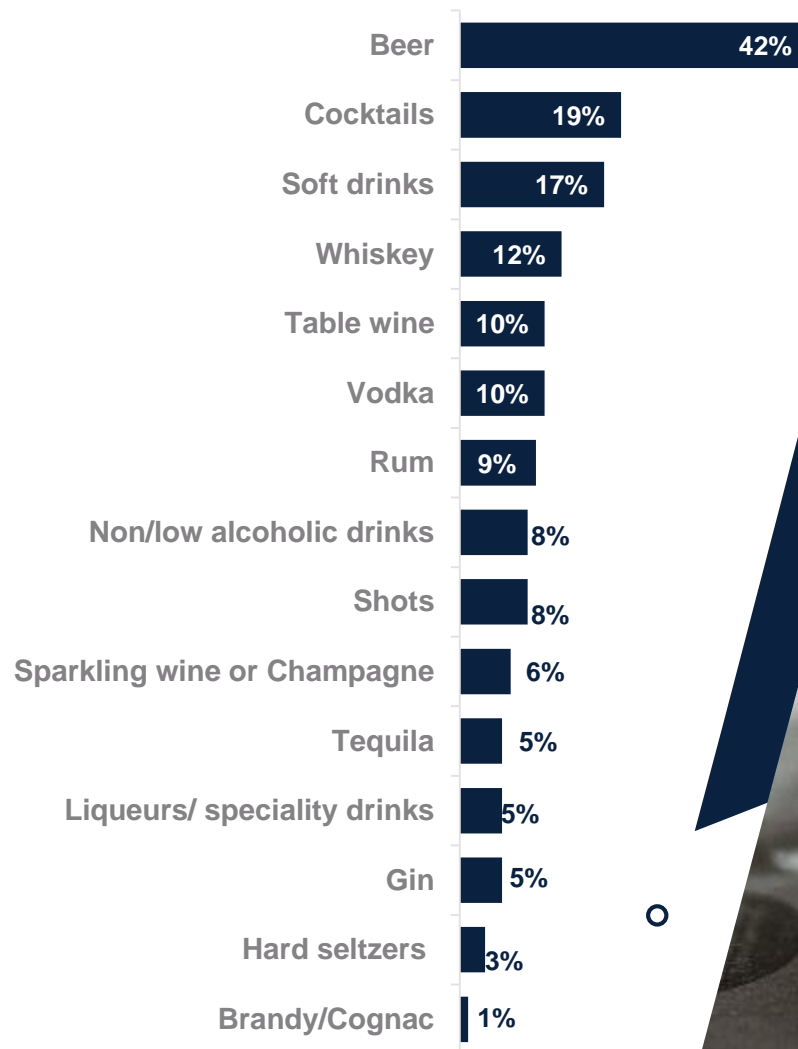
Gender



Who With

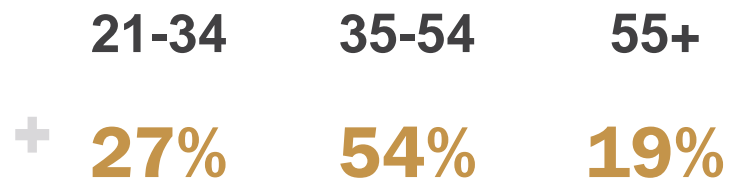


Drinks ordered



CONSUMERS WHOSE FIRST OCCASION FOR VISIT WAS: ROMANTIC OCCASION

Age



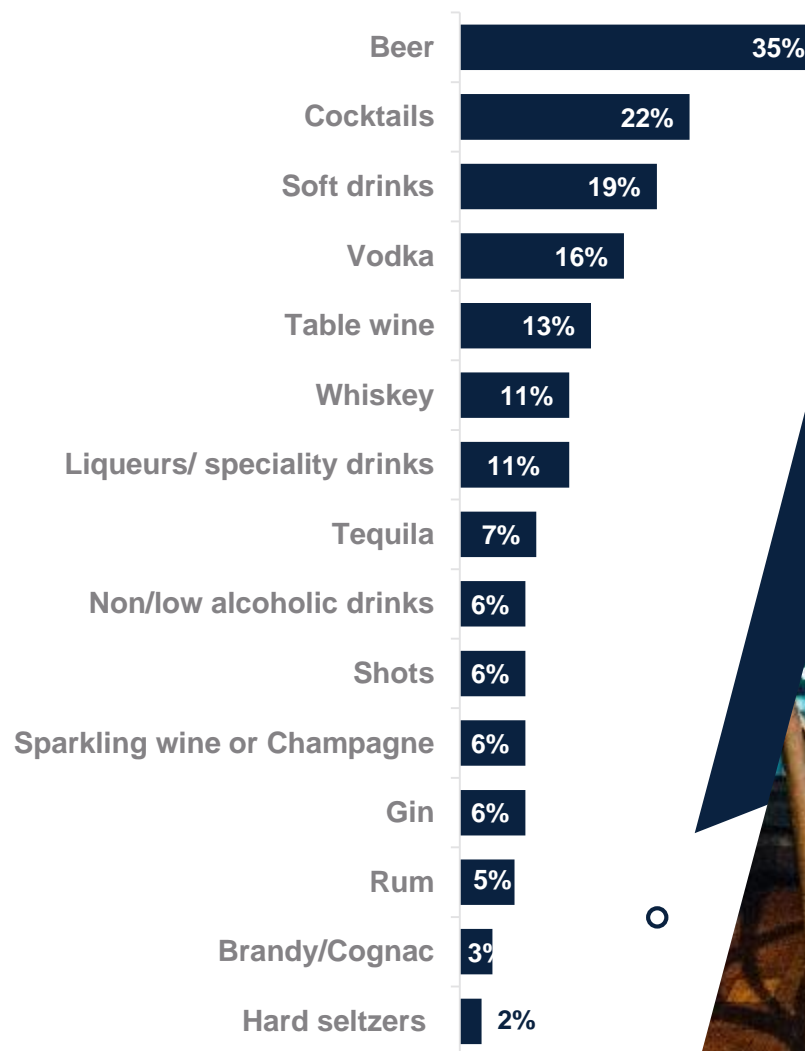
Gender



Who With



Drinks ordered



HOW DID YOUR SPEND COMPARE ON THE FIRST VISIT BACK, VERSUS AN AVERAGE PRE COVID-19 VISIT?



62%

Spent the same
as pre COVID-19



17%

Spent more than
pre COVID-19



22%

Spent less than
pre COVID-19

21%

Of those whose first occasion
was a regular/everyday drink

23%

Of those whose first occasion
was a romantic occasion

27%

Of those whose first
occasion was a celebration



FINANCIAL DATA. EXPERT INSIGHT.



WHICH STATEMENTS BEST DESCRIBE YOUR FIRST VISIT BACK

I WENT TO MY FAVORITE BAR/RESTAURANT

36%

I SUPPORTED MY LOCAL BAR/RESTAURANT

35%

I WENT TO THE BAR/RESTAURANT I LAST
WENT TO BEFORE RESTRICTIONS

18%

I WENT TO A BAR/RESTAURANT I HAD BEEN
MEANING TO TRY FOR A WHILE

14%

I TRIED A NEW BAR/RESTAURANT THAT OPENED
POST RESTRICTIONS

11%

I WENT TO A BAR/RESTAURANT I WAS SUPPOSED TO
VISIT BEFORE RESTRICTIONS

10%



FUNCTIONAL DATA. EXPERT INSIGHT.

23%

21-34 YEAR OLDS WENT TO A
BAR/RESTAURANT THEY HAD BEEN MEANING
TO TRY FOR A WHILE

+10PP

MORE THAN THE AVERAGE FLORIDIAN ON
PREMISE VISITOR



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PREMIUM DATA. EXPERT INSIGHT.



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BEHAVIOR SINCE REOPENING

% VISITED VENUE SINCE REOPENING



CASUAL
DINING
CHAINS

57%



INDEPENDENT
RESTAURANT

50%



SPORTS BARS

28%



NEIGHBOR-
HOOD BARS

28%



FINE DINING

27%



POLISHED
CASUAL
RESTAURANT

24%



HOTEL BAR/
RESTAURANT

16%

↓
**37% 35-54
yr olds**

OCCASIONS FOR VISITATION

Which, if any, of the following occasions have you visited bars and restaurants for since they reopened?

50%

Drinks with food



34%

Treat/Reward



34%

Celebration

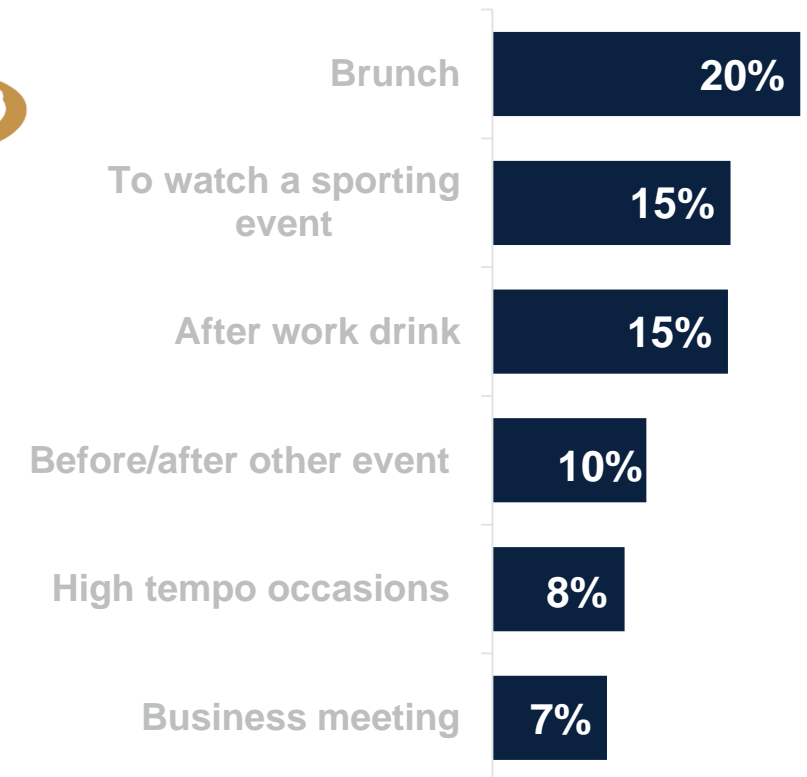


25%

Romantic
Occasion

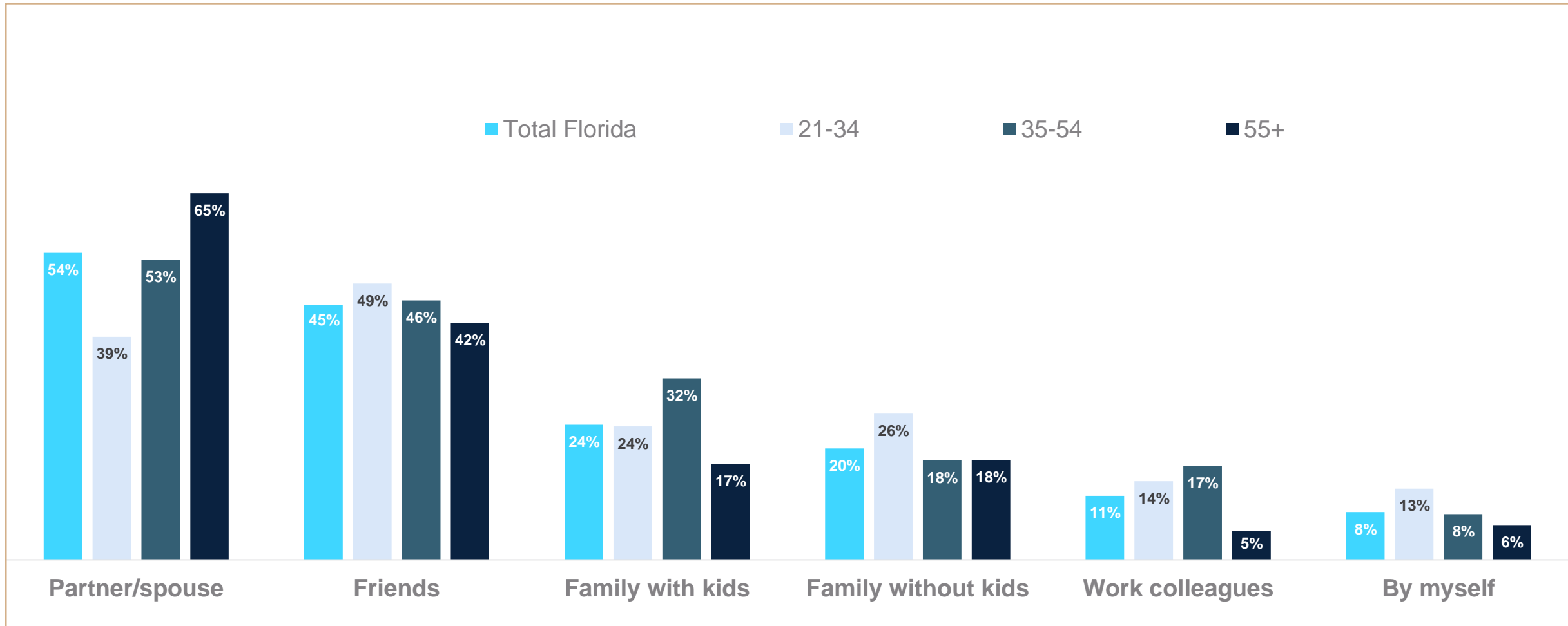


OTHER ANSWERS



FINANCIAL DATA. EXPERT INSIGHT.

WHO HAVE YOU VISITED WITH SINCE BARS & RESTAURANTS REOPENED

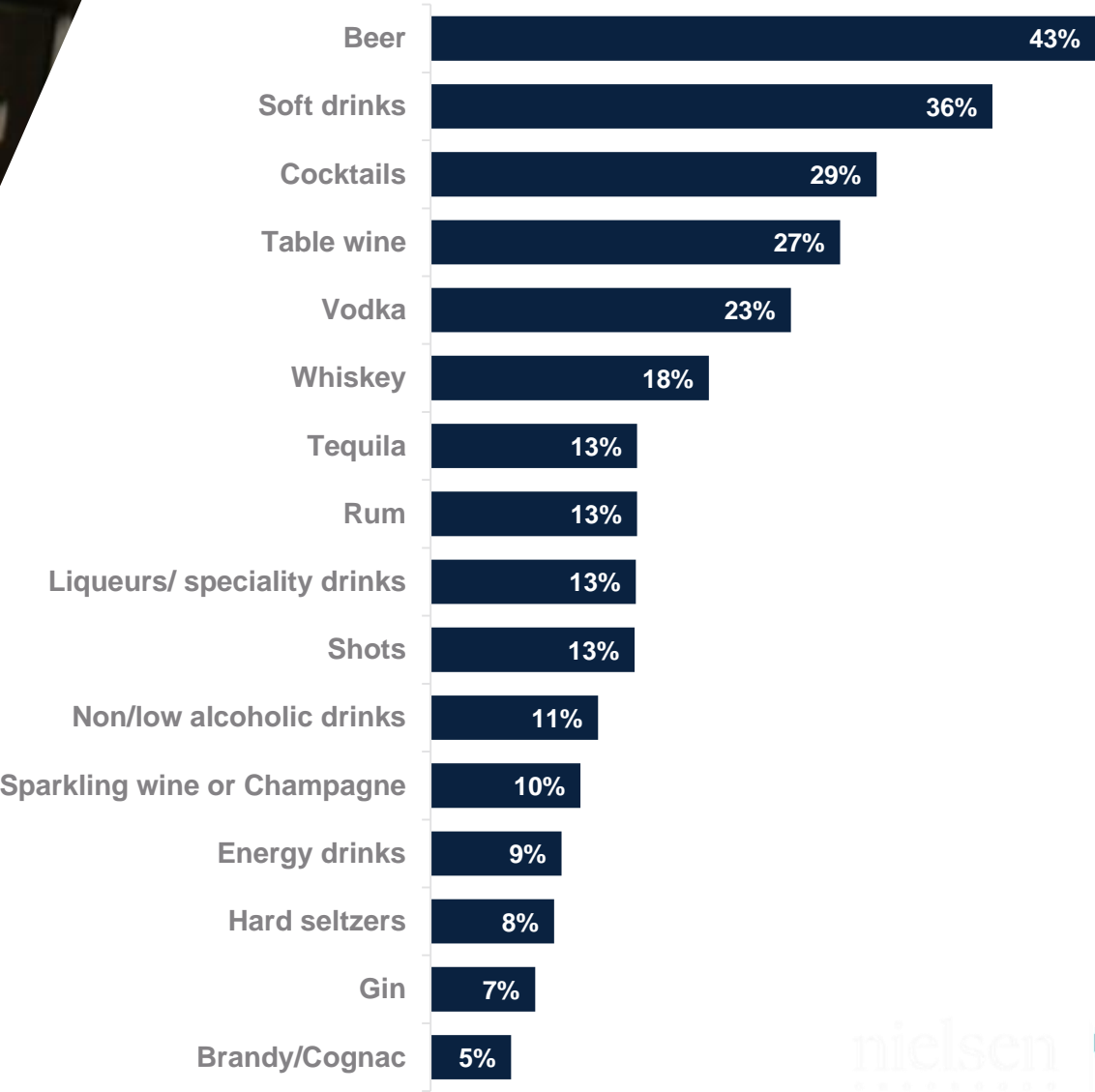


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DRINKS WHEN RETURNING TO BARS AND RESTAURANTS

What have you drank in bars and restaurants since reopening?



HOW DOES YOUR AVERAGE SPEND ON ALCOHOL PER VISIT NOW, COMPARE TO THE AVERAGE PRE COVID-19



49%

Spending the same as
pre COVID-19



14%

Spending more
than pre COVID-19

22% 21-34 yr olds



36%

Spending less than
pre COVID-19



FUNCTIONAL DATA. EXPERT INSIGHT.

2021 STRATEGY

TALK TO US ABOUT YOUR 2021 STRATEGY

CGA's defining purpose is to build unique services which help our clients to offer better solutions to the trade, to sell more product and to more easily navigate a difficult and complex channel. 2021 brings many opportunities for the channel and for suppliers, retailers and distributors alike, as the market recovers from a challenging year.

To continue to deliver the most effective solutions, we want to stay aligned with your priorities and business challenges, to ensure our solutions are designed to add the most value possible to you and your teams. We'll be reaching out to you over the next month to talk through your plans and our new services to demonstrate how we can best help.



CGA SERVICES

Essential tools to help you navigate the new On Premise reality

State Performance Tracker



Channel Strategy

Track the top line performance of 40 states for just \$1k a month!



Channel Strategy is back for 2021 – how will you win in casinos, stadiums and other channels when the market fully re-opens?

International Expansion



Following the huge success of OPUS in the US and Canada, this service will now be available in Mexico and other LATAM markets

BeverageTrak



Tracking & responding to low level, sub-market, sales performance is now crucial

PurchaseTrak



An On Premise tracking tool designed solely for regional sale teams

Retail Solutions



Did you know that CGA has an entire retail division?



METHODOLOGY

CONSUMER RESEARCH

CGA have surveyed 1,224 On Premise consumers from Florida, representative of age and gender.

Fieldwork was 02/07/21 to 02/09/21

Numbers in deck refer to consumers who have been in the On Premise in the last 3 months.

OPENING STAGES: BARS

% OF STATES IN STAGE

STAGE 1: Completely Open
(Example: Florida)

22%

STAGE 2: Open but with
capacity measures in place
(Example: Delaware)

54%

STAGE 3: Outdoor Only Open
(Example: Washington)

16%

STAGE 4: Closed – Delivery
Only (Example: New Mexico)

8%



**State breakdown included in appendix*





OPENING STAGES: RESTAURANTS

% OF STATES IN STAGE

STAGE 1: Completely Open
(Example: Florida)

24%

**STAGE 2: Open but with
capacity measures in place**
(Example: Delaware)

68%

STAGE 3: Outdoor Only Open
(Example: Washington)

6%

**STAGE 4: Closed – Delivery
Only (Example: New Mexico)**


2%

**State breakdown included in appendix*


SOURCE: FODORS.COM




OPENING STAGES: BARS




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(eg Florida)



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STAGE 4: Closed – Delivery Only
(eg New Mexico)

