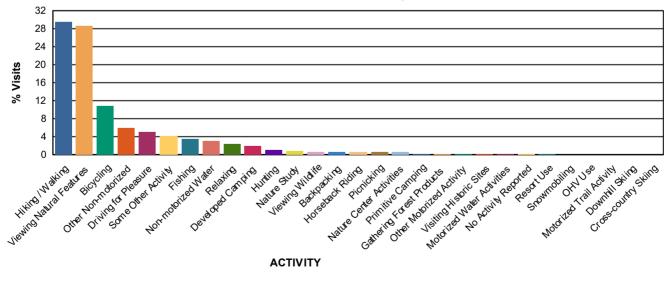
## **Activity Participation**

Activity	% Participation*	% Main Activity‡	Avg Hours Doing Main Activity
Hiking / Walking	54.8	29.6	2.4
Viewing Natural Features	53.4	28.7	2.1
Relaxing	28.6	2.4	3.4
Viewing Wildlife	13.5	0.7	4.0
Other Non-motorized	12.3	5.9	3.2
Driving for Pleasure	12.1	5.1	2.3
Bicycling	11.7	10.9	2.2
Picnicking	10.1	0.6	2.0
Some Other Activity	5.7	4.2	1.5
Nature Study	4.6	0.7	2.1
Nature Center Activities	4.2	0.5	1.9
Fishing	4.1	3.4	5.0
Non-motorized Water	3.8	3.1	3.1
Developed Camping	2.9	1.9	55.8
Gathering Forest Products	1.4	0.2	2.2
Visiting Historic Sites	1.1	0.1	1.5
Hunting	1.1	1.1	3.4
Backpacking	1.1	0.6	41.4
Horseback Riding	0.6	0.6	3.0
Motorized Water Activities	0.6	0.1	9.4
Primitive Camping	0.5	0.2	32.6
Other Motorized Activity	0.3	0.2	1.3
Resort Use	0.3	0.1	15.8
Motorized Trail Activity	0.1	0.0	0.0
OHV Use	0.0	0.0	0.0
Snowmobiling	0.0	0.0	0.0
Downhill Skiing	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cross-country Skiing	0.0	0.0	0.0
No Activity Reported	0.0	0.1	

## % Main Activity



## Selected Subunits:

Nantahala-Pisgah NFs (National Forests in North Carolina) (FY 2018)

## **Activity Participation**

- \* Survey respondents could select multiple activities so this column may total more than 100%.
- ‡ Survey respondents were asked to select just one of their activities as their main reason for the forest visit. Some respondents selected more than one, so this column may total more than 100%.

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