

Layer Name: Hotels
Layer Type: Point
Status: Complete
Geog. Extent: Main Hawaiian Islands
Projection: Universal Transverse Mercator, Zone 4 (Meters)
Datum: NAD 83 HARN

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Description: Locations of the Visitor Plant Inventory (VPI) in the State of Hawaii as of December, 2020. This inventory includes hotels, condominium hotels, apartment/hotels, bed & breakfasts, hostels, individual vacation units, timeshares, and other types of visitor accommodations.

Source: 2020 Visitor Plant Inventory, Hawaii Tourism Authority (HTA). For more information about the Visitor Plant Inventory, click [here](#). Previous versions were obtained from Hospitality Advisors LLC, 2006, 2012, 2019 and 2020.

History: This dataset was created from a table in Excel format obtained from the Hawaii Tourism Authority. The address field was used to initially locate the hotels by geocoding using ArcMap. Further rectification was done using various sources including TMK Parcels, aerial photos, Google Maps, etc.

2006: Data originally provided by Hospitality Advisors, LLC.

December, 2010: At the request of Hospitality Advisors, price field was removed because some categories had changed since 2006.

December, 2010: Hospitality Advisors provided updated names for various properties.

October, 2012: Hospitality Advisors provided a new list of additional hotels including smaller hotels. Data received March 2012. Properties with less than 10 units were not included.

July, 2018: HTA provided an updated list (Excel table) of the Visitor Plant Inventory. Data received April 2018. Properties with less than 10 units were removed from GIS layer by Office of Planning GIS Staff. GIS staff corrected geocoded locations using various sources described above.

February, 2020: HTA provided an updated list (Excel table) of the Visitor Plant Inventory. HTA requested the properties with less than 10 units be INCLUDED for this

update. May 2020: GIS staff corrected "Island" attributes for several hotels that had been coded with the wrong island. GIS staff also corrected geocoded locations using various sources described above.

February, 2021: HTA provided an updated list (Excel table) of the Visitor Plan Inventory. Office of Planning GIS staff geocoded the inventory and spot checked locations and attributes.

Attributes:	Points:
Island	Island
Area	Geographic Area
Name	Property Name
Address	Property Address
Zipcode	Zip Code
Type	Type of Visitor Plant <i>(apartment/hotel, Bed & Breakfast, Condominium Hotel, Hostel, Hotel, Individual Vacation Unit, Timeshare, Other)</i>
Units	Number of Visitor Units
Year_open	Year Opened

Note: Some property names include the notation "(Estimated)" in the property name – the number of units for these properties was estimated by HTA's vendor (Kloninger & Sims Consulting, LLC).

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