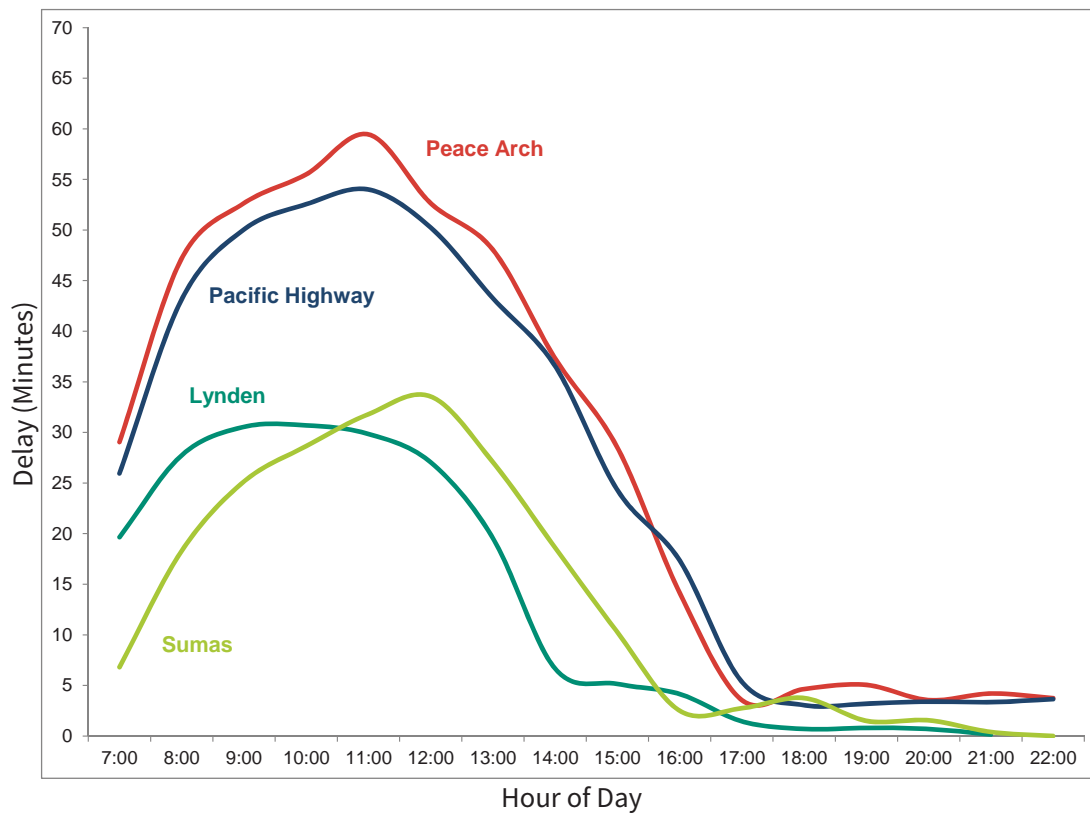


## CASCADE GATEWAY PEAK WAIT TIME ESTIMATES

### AUGUST WEEKEND, 2012 SOUTHBOUND

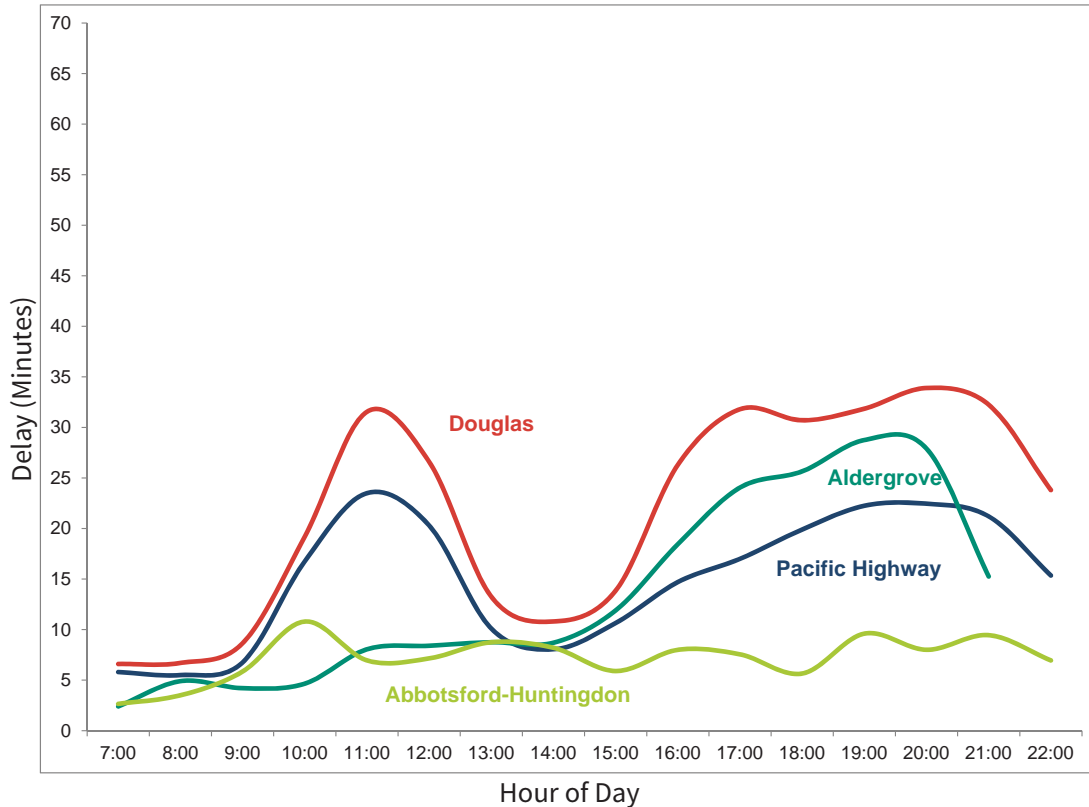


- On average, August vehicle wait times have **decreased an average of 4 percent** across the Cascade Gateway since last year.
- In 2011 wait times at Pacific Highway and Peace Arch southbound in August were nearly identical. This year repeats that pattern, although with a slight variation in wait times around noon.
- Sumas southbound wait times for August **decreased almost 10 percent** since last year.

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## CASCADE GATEWAY PEAK WAIT TIME ESTIMATES

### AUGUST WEEKEND, 2012 NORTHBOUND



- The greatest reduction of wait times occurred northbound at the Aldergrove Port-of-Entry, with **an average reduction of 31 percent** in wait times since 2011.
- The Abbotsford-Huntingdon Port-of-Entry's northbound wait times **increased an average of 10 percent** since August of last year. However it is relevant that a NEXUS lane was added northbound in 2012, reducing general traffic capacity by one lane.
- Despite an increase in traffic volumes at all ports-of-entry, Cascade Gateway northbound wait times during the peak month of August remained the same as last year or lower.

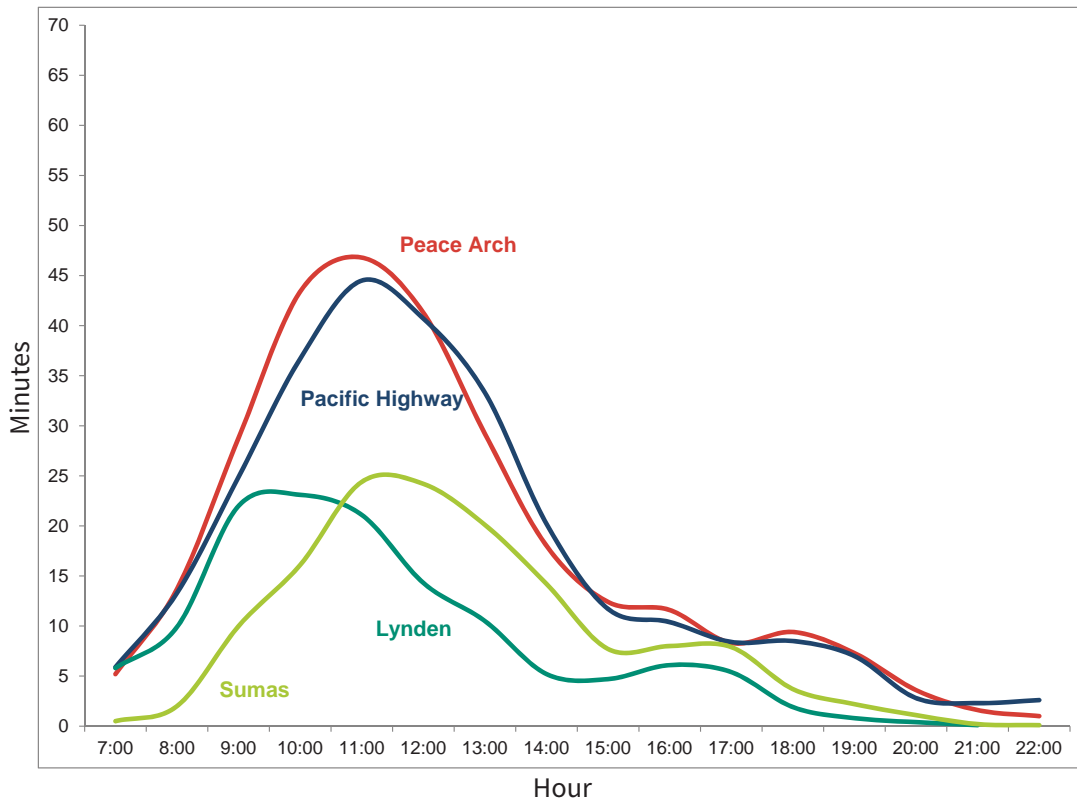
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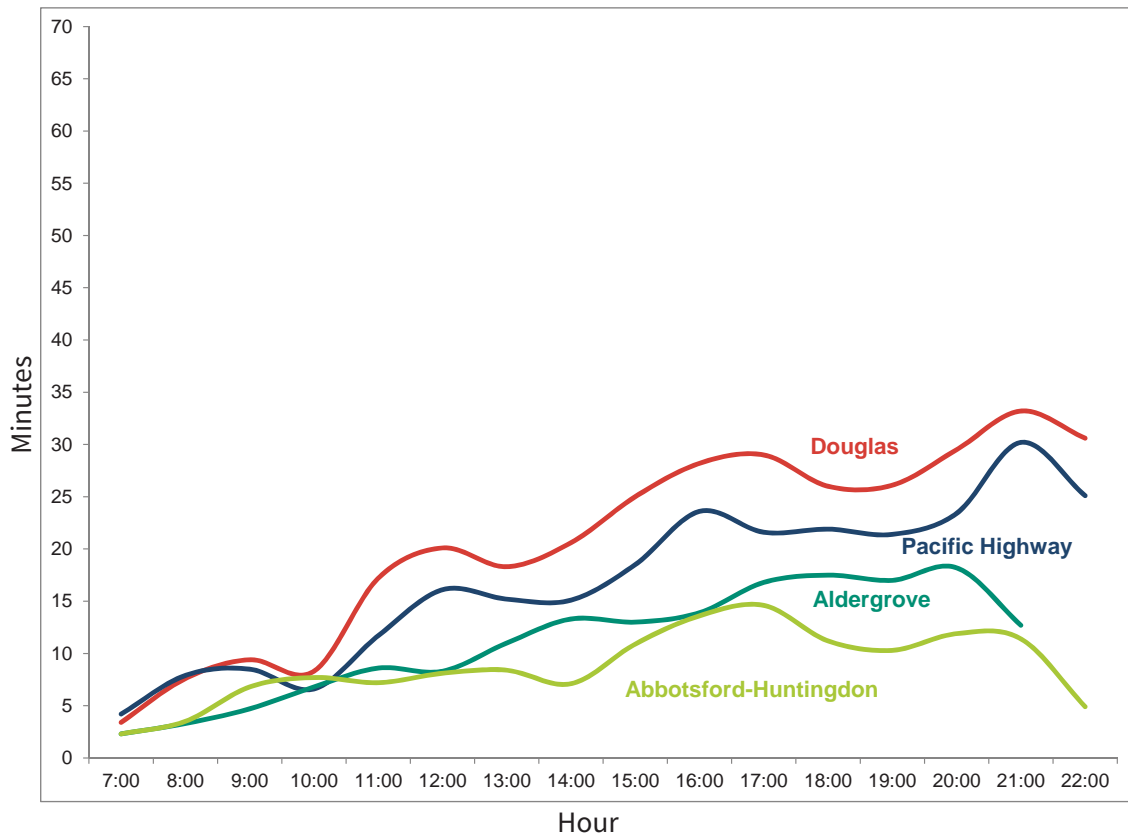


- Overall southbound peak weekday wait times have **increased approximately 10 percent** across the Cascade Gateway since last year. Note that traffic volumes have increased 11 percent as well.
- Lynden's Port-of-Entry saw the smallest increase, with a **5 percent increase** in August weekday average wait times over 2011 .

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## CASCADE GATEWAY PEAK WAIT TIME ESTIMATES

### AUGUST WEEKDAY, 2012 NORTHBOUND



- Wait times at northbound Pacific Highway now mirror Douglas wait times more closely than the previous year. Pacific Highway northbound weekday **wait times in August more than doubled** since 2011.

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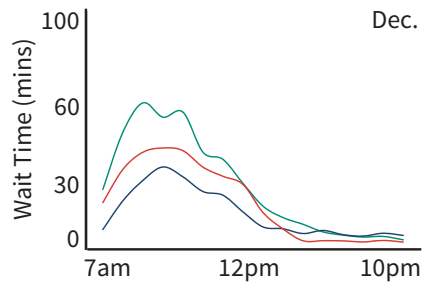
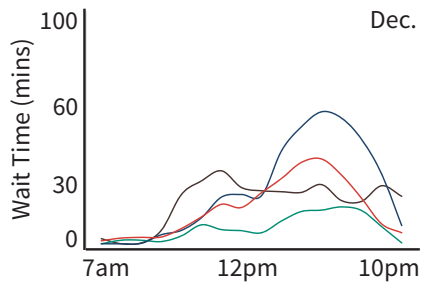
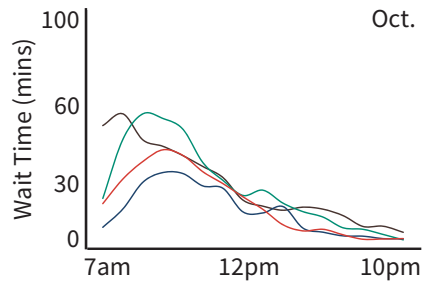
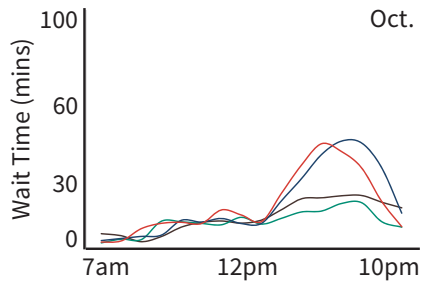
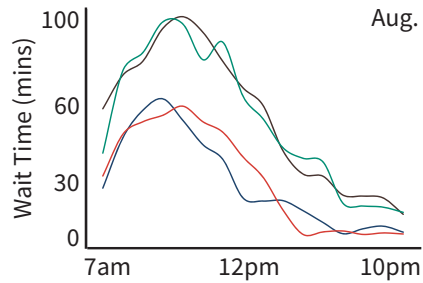
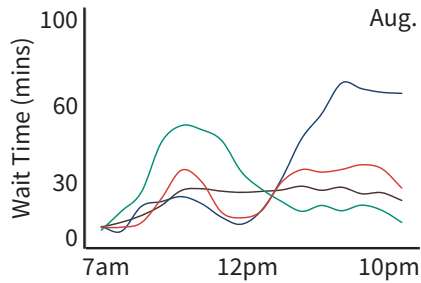
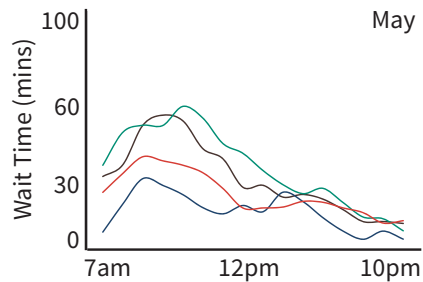
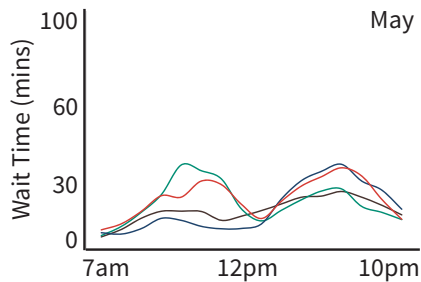
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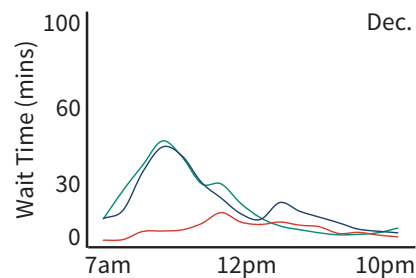
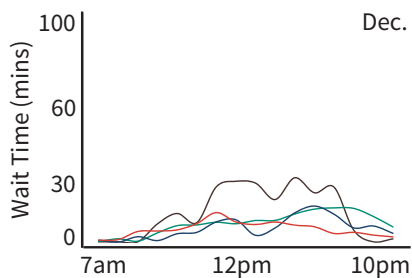
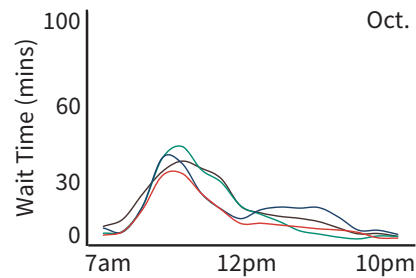
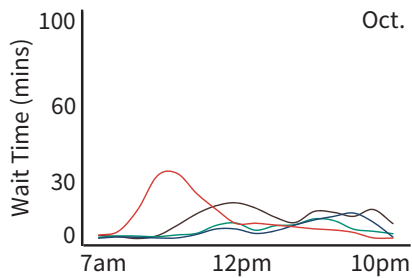
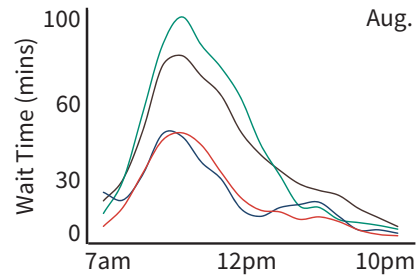
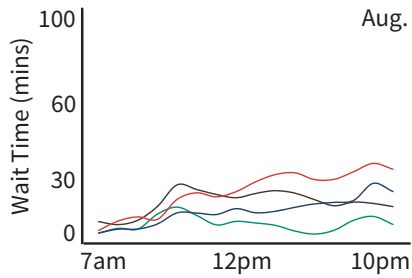
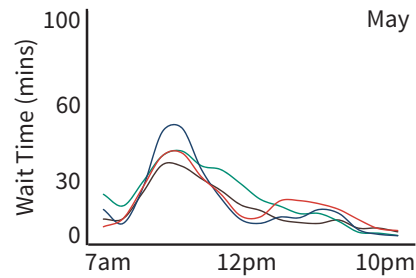
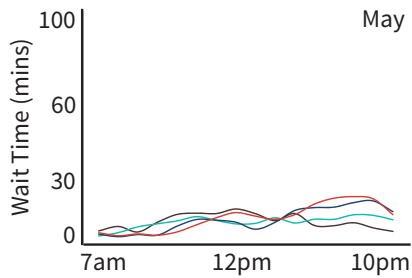
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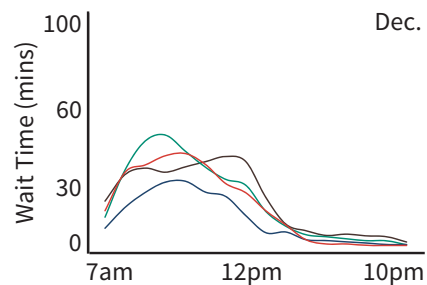
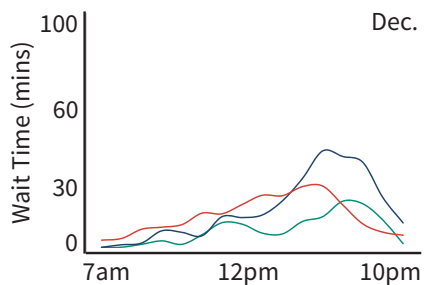
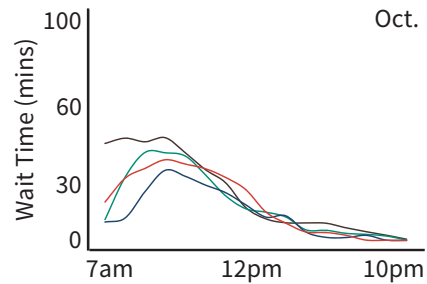
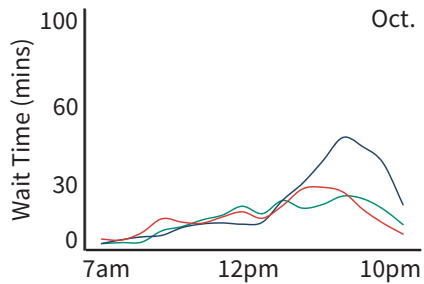
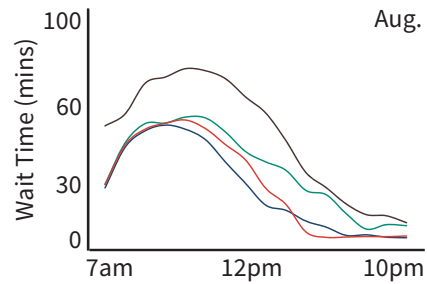
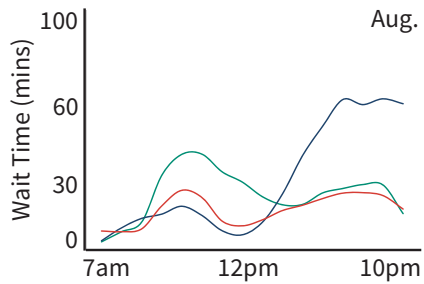
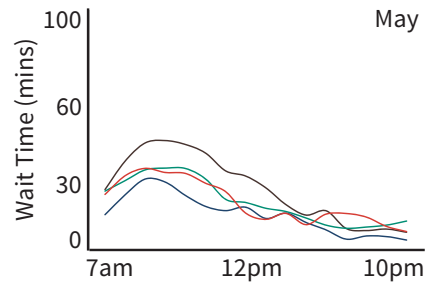
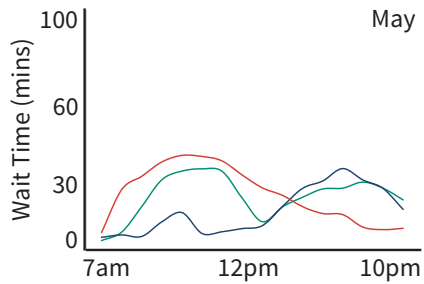
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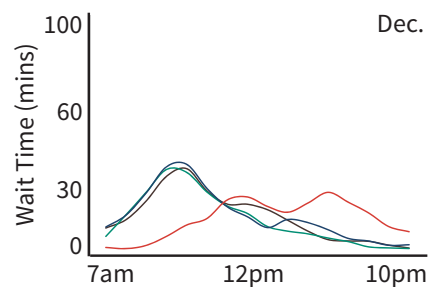
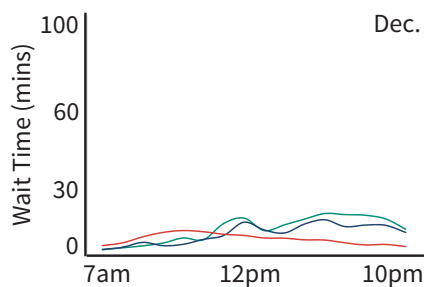
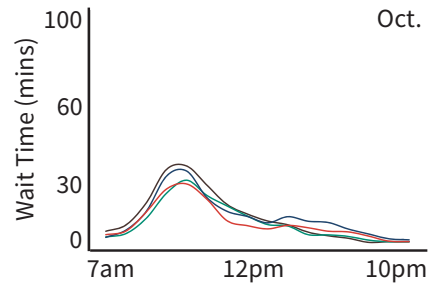
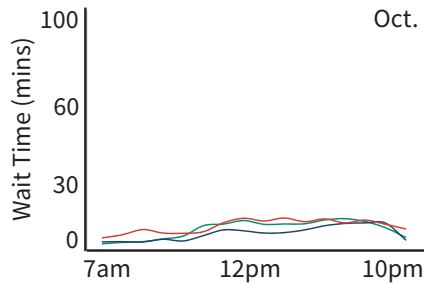
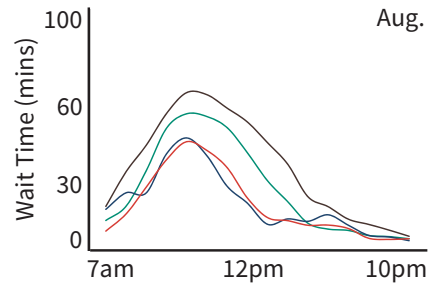
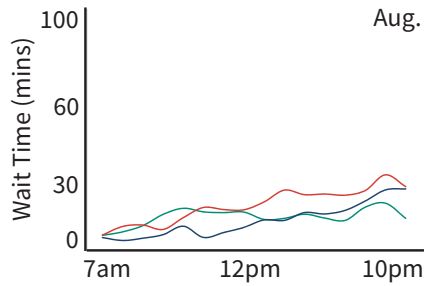
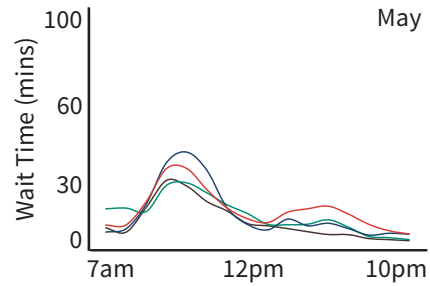
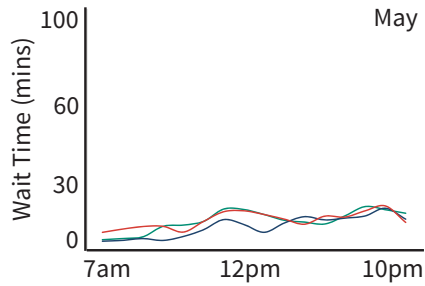
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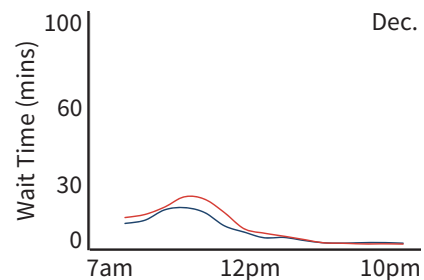
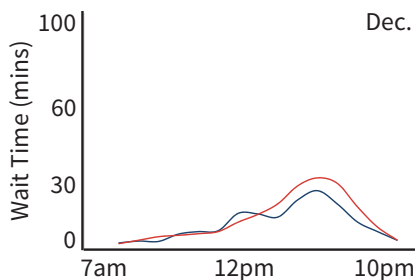
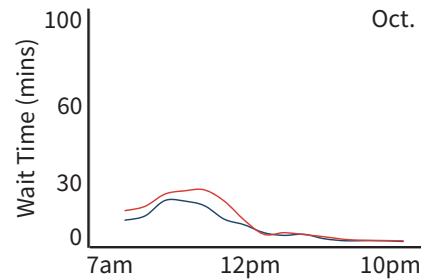
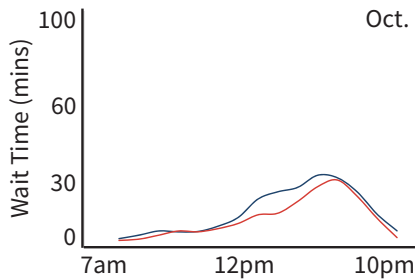
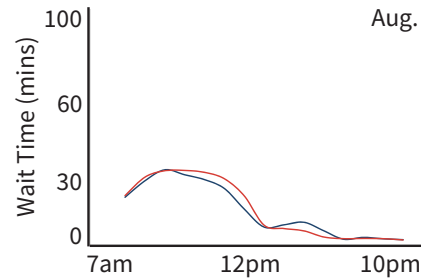
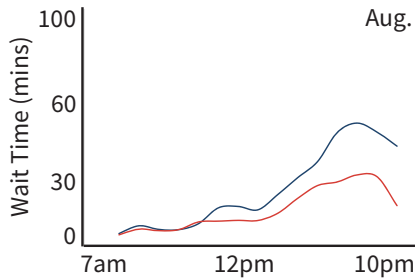
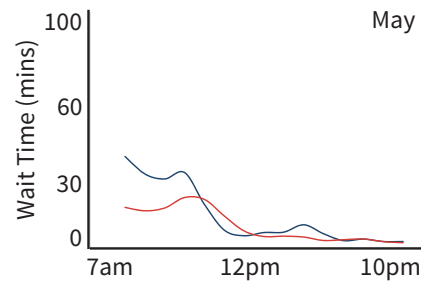
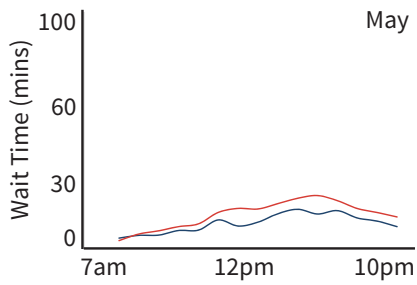
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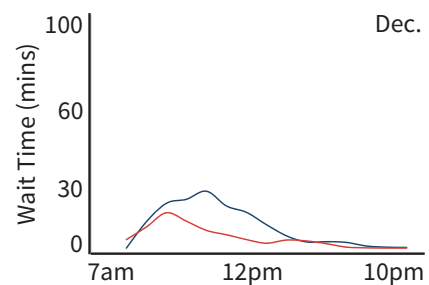
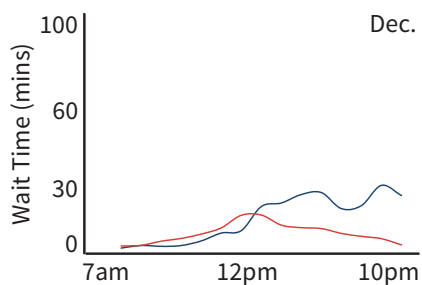
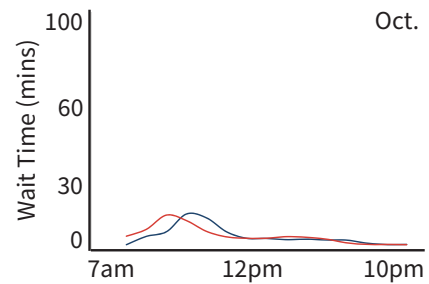
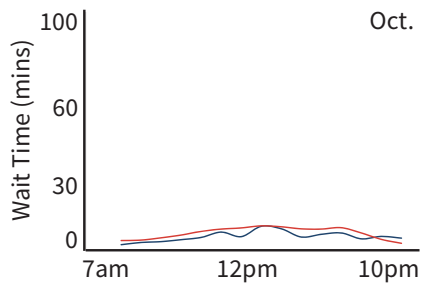
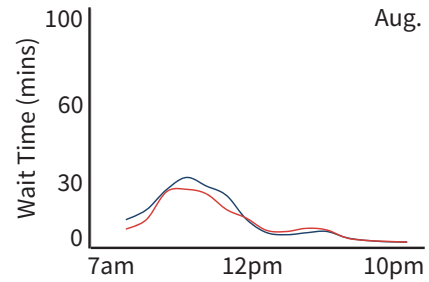
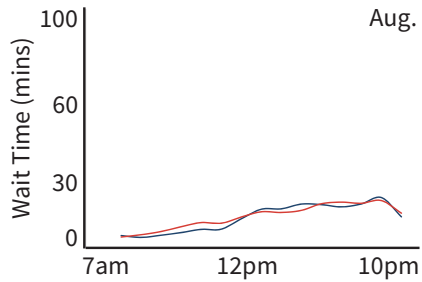
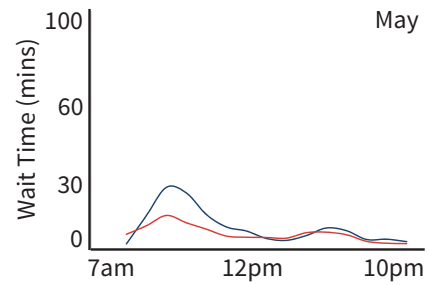
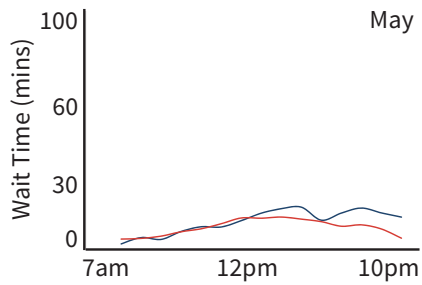
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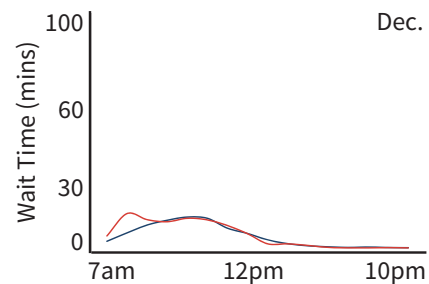
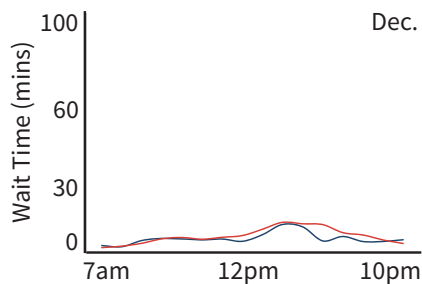
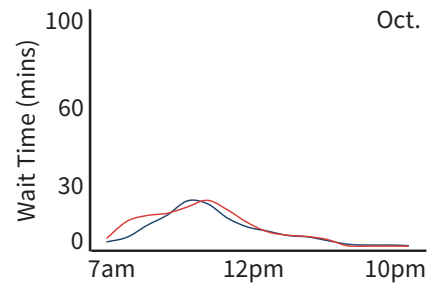
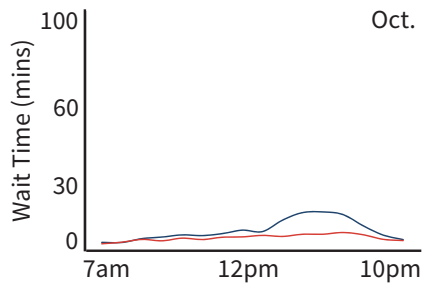
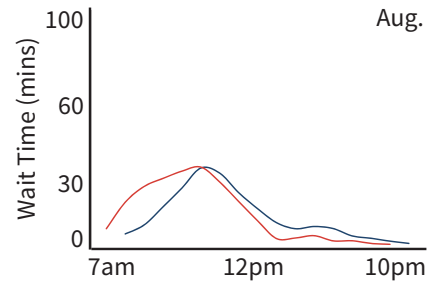
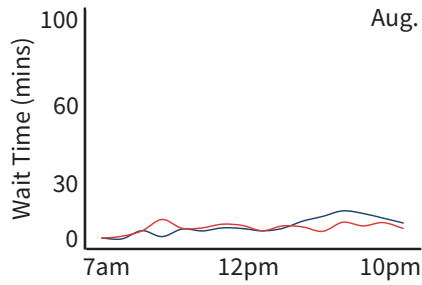
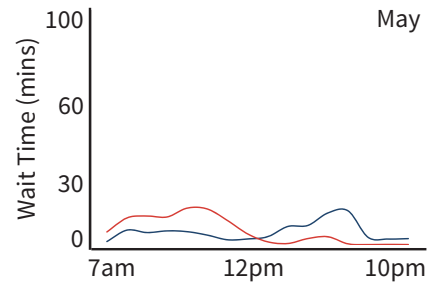
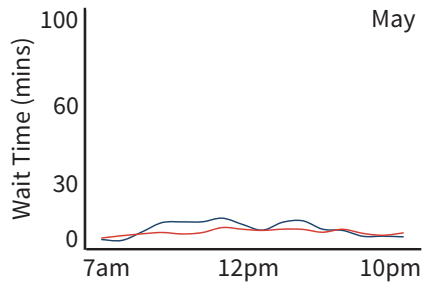
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