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Query Text: Best cities for winter vacations

Retrieved Documents:

1	332	Oslo	Oslo is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Oslo is Norway's capital and largest city, with 700,000 citizen
0	417	Sapporo	Sapporo () is the capital and largest city of the northern island of Hokkaido. One of Japan's newest and most orderly cities, it has little in the way of traditional architecture. But what
1	23	Anchorage	Anchorage is the largest city in Alaska, in the Southcentral region. Anchorage is a cosmopolitan port city with a population of 288,000 (2019). It is a consolidated city-borough referred to
0	134	Fairbanks	For other places with the same name, see Fairbanks (disambiguation). Fairbanks is a town in interior Alaska. With 31,000 inhabitants (2019), and 98,000 in Fairbanks North Star Borough, it i
1	188	Innsbruck	Innsbruck is the fifth-largest city in Austria and the provincial capital of Tyrol, as well as one of the largest cities in the Alps. It is in a valley of the river Inn between mountain ran
0	282	Mendoza	For other places with the same name, see Mendoza (disambiguation). Mendoza is a city in western Argentina, in the desert Cuyo region. Mendoza is the center of the Argentinian wine industry, f
0	14	Akita	Akita () is the capital of Akita prefecture in the northern Tohoku region of Japan's Honshu island. Akita is the largest city in the prefecture, and as such is the hub for transportation, spo
0	62	Bergen	For other places with the same name, see Bergen (disambiguation). Bergen is Norway's second largest city and the most popular gateway to the fjords of West Norway. The city is renowned for its
0	120	Denver	Denver is the capital of the western U.S. state of Colorado and the dominate city of the Rocky Mountain Region. Founded in 1858 as the placer gold mining camp known as the Cherry Creek Digging
1	195	Jackson (Wyoming)	

1	132	<p>Jackson is the largest town (population 11,000 in 2020) in the Jackson Hole valley in Teton County, Northwest Wyoming, close to the south end of Grand Teton National Park. It is the</p> <p>Edmonton</p>
0	479	<p>Edmonton is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation.</p> <p>Edmonton is the capital city of Alberta. Its metro area</p> <p>Tenerife</p>
0	275	<p>Tenerife is the largest of the Canary Islands and is a great place to travel. British, Nordic and German tourists come in their tens of thousands every year to visit its spectacular beaches</p> <p>Matsuyama</p>
0	392	<p>For other places with the same name, see Matsuyama (disambiguation).</p> <p>Botchan Ressha is a common sight in the downtown area.</p> <p>Matsuyama (), meaning "pine mountain", is the homely capital of</p> <p>Salt Lake City</p>
0	140	<p>Salt Lake City is the capital of, and largest city in, the U.S. state of Utah. It is a destination for outdoor recreation, with nearby mountains full of hiking trails and ski resorts m</p> <p>Florianopolis</p>
0	44	<p>Florianopolis ("Floripa" for short) is a coastal city in southern Brazil, the capital of the state of Santa Catarina. Most of the city's area consists of the island of Santa Catarina, c</p> <p>Auckland</p>
1	292	<p>Auckland is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation.</p> <p>Auckland (Maori: Tamaki Makaurau) is the largest city i</p> <p>Mont-Tremblant</p>
0	569	<p>Mont-Tremblant is a small village in Quebec, Canada, known for the famous Mont-Tremblant Ski Resort. Located in the Laurentian mountain range, Mont-Tremblant ("Trembling mountain" in F</p> <p>Alesund</p>
0	127	<p>Alesunddead link is the largest city in Mre og Romsdal county, West Norway, with about 53,000 inhabitants, 66,000 in the surrounding area (2018). Alesund is the gateway to the iconic northwe</p> <p>Dunedin</p>
0	509	<p>For other places with the same name, see Dunedin (disambiguation). Dunedin (pronounced "duh-NEE-din") is the main city of the Otago region and the second-largest city on the South Island of</p> <p>Ulaanbaatar</p>
		<p>Ulaanbaatar () also Ulan Bator, UB, or in the local language, Khot ("the city") is the capital and the</p>

		largest city of Mongolia. With more than million residents as of 2023
0	408	Santa Barbara
		Stearn's Wharf, Santa Barbara
		Santa Barbara is a city and metropolitan area less than 100 miles (160 km) from Los Angeles but vastly different in pace from its huge neighbor to the south
1	497	Traverse City
		Traverse City is a scenic city on the Grand Traverse Bay of Lake Michigan. Directly north of Traverse City, the Old Mission Peninsula splits the Grand Traverse Bay in two, with a beautiful
0	466	Takamatsu
		Takamatsu (高松市) is the largest city in Kagawa Prefecture on the island of Shikoku, Japan.
		The city developed over many years as a port town at one of the primary entry points into Shikoku and
1	37	Aspen
		Aspen is a ski resort in the state of Colorado in the Rocky Mountains region of the United States of America. Its little sister is Snowmass Village, which is about 10 miles (16 km) from downtown
0	352	Portland (Oregon)
		Portland is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. The Willamette River runs by Downtown Portland
1	218	Kittila
		Kittilä is a municipality in Finnish Lapland. The best known destinations here are the Levi ski resort at Sirkka, Pallas-Yllästunturi National Park in the west (Ylläsjarvi, Jerisjarvi/Rauhala)
1	179	Honolulu
		Honolulu is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation.
		The capital of Hawaii and its primary point of entry, Honolulu
0	400	San Francisco
		San Francisco is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. The centerpiece of the Bay Area, San Francisco
0	492	Toronto
		For other places with the same name, see Toronto (disambiguation). Toronto is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation
0	537	Wellington
		For other places with the same name, see Wellington (disambiguation).
		Wellington is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants,

Non-retrieved Relevant Documents:

1	6	Abu Dhabi	Abu Dhabi as seen from space. Abu Dhabi (Arabic:) is the federal capital and the seat of the three branches of government of the United Arab Emirates. It is the largest city and
1	11	Adelaide	Adelaide is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Adelaide is the capital city of South Australia. It lie
1	31	Aruba	Aruba is a desert Caribbean island, a constituent country of the Kingdom of the Netherlands. Located off the coast of Venezuela, this flat, river-less island is renowned for its white sand beac
1	33	Asahikawa	Asahikawa () is the second-largest city on the northern island of Hokkaido, Japan. It is located at the confluence of four rivers and is surrounded by hills. It is near the centre of Hokk
1	53	Bangkok	Bangkok is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Bangkok (Thai: Krung Thep) is the capital and la
1	54	Barbados	Barbados is an island in the Caribbean region, but which lies out in the Atlantic many miles east of the Caribbean Sea. Its nearest neighbours 100 miles (160 km) west are Saint Vincent and S
1	68	Blenheim (New Zealand)	Blenheim (Maori: Waiharakeke) is the most populous town in the Marlborough wine-growing region in the north-east of the South Island of New Zealand. It is one of the sunniest t
1	77	Brisbane	This article only covers the City of Brisbane. See Greater Brisbane for the four other local government areas that make up Greater Brisbane For other places with the same name, see Brisbane
1	87	Cabo San Lucas	Cabo San Lucas is a city at the southern tip of Baja California Sur, Mexico.
1	91	Cancun	Cabo is a varied destination that captures the essence of Baja Peninsula in its many resorts, hotels, golf
1	92	Cape Town	Cancun is a popular Caribbean tourist destination on the northeast tip of Mexico's Yucatan Peninsula, in Quintana Roo, which also is called the Mexican Caribbean. Next to 22 km (14 miles) of b
			Cape Town and Table Mountain viewed from Bloubergstrand across Table Bay. Cape Town (Afrikaans:

1	94	<p>Kaapstad, Xhosa: iKapa) is the second most populous city in South Africa. The capital of West Cartagena (Colombia)</p>
1	113	<p>Cartagena or Cartagena de Indias is a city and a world heritage site in Bolivar, Colombia. The city was one of the first sanctuaries of freed African slaves in the Americas. It i</p> <p>Cozumel</p>
1	124	<p>Tanks for all the scuba memories!</p> <p>Cozumeldead link is a Caribbean island just off the Yucatan Peninsula in southeastern Mexico. It has great diving, nice people, safe streets, and prices comp</p> <p>Dubai</p>
1	137	<p>Dubai is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Dubai (Arabic: Dubayy) is a cosmopolitan metropolis and</p> <p>Fiji</p>
1	141	<p>Fiji (Fijian: Viti, Hindi:) (sometimes called the Fiji Islands) is an archipelago nation in Melanesia in the Pacific Ocean. It lies 2000 km north of New Zealand and consists of 332 islands</p> <p>Fort Lauderdale</p>
1	142	<p>Fort Lauderdale is a coastal city on the Atlantic Ocean in the US state of Florida. It is known as the "Venice of America" due to its expansive canal system. Situated in Broward Count</p> <p>Fort Myers</p>
1	149	<p>Banyan Tree - On the grounds of the Edison and Ford Winter Estates</p> <p>Fort Myers is a booming town with great weather, entertainment and a casual feel in Southwest Florida. It was the winter</p> <p>Galapagos Islands</p>
1	150	<p>The Galapagos Islands are a small archipelago of islands belonging to Ecuador in the eastern Pacific Ocean. The islands are quite remote and isolated, lying some 1000 km (620 miles)</p> <p>Gaspe</p>
1	156	<p>With a population of over 15,000 and a history that stretches back to the dawn of European colonization in what is now Canada, Gaspe is the largest city and unofficial capital of the region wit</p> <p>Gold Coast</p>
1	158	<p>For other places with the same name, see Gold Coast (disambiguation).</p> <p>Gold Coast is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants,</p> <p>Gran Canaria</p>
1	159	<p>Gran Canariadead link is the third largest island in the Canary Islands and has the largest population. It's often described as a "continent in miniature" because it has so much variety</p> <p>Grand Cayman</p>

1	172	<p>Grand Cayman, shaped like a giant claw "pinching" the North Sound, is the largest of the three islands in the Cayman Islands, a British Overseas Territory. George Town, at the southwest</p> <p>Harbin</p>
1	183	<p>Harbin (Ha'erbin) is the capital of Heilongjiang Province in northeast China. The city is notable for its Russian influence and the yearly Harbin International Ice and Snow Sculpture Festi</p> <p>Hurghada</p>
1	185	<p>Hurghada (Arabic: el-gardaa) is a resort town on the Red Sea Coast of Egypt. Famous for its superb diving opportunities, Hurghada is especially appealing to those with little experi</p> <p>Ibiza</p>
1	203	<p>Ibiza or Eivissa (in Catalan and officially) is one of the Balearic Islands, a group of autonomous communities of Spain. Known for being a party hotspot, Ibiza's part in the post-1950s package</p> <p>Kailua-Kona</p>
1	207	<p>Kailua-Kona, often referred to as "Kona" by the locals, is nestled at the bottom of the Hualalai Volcano. It is the main town on the western side of the Big Island of Hawaii, but with a p</p> <p>Kauai</p>
1	217	<p>Kauai is the most northwestern of Hawaii's major islands and is the 4th largest by size and population. Nicknamed the Garden Island, it is covered with lush greenery and tropical plants, watere</p> <p>Kiruna</p>
1	225	<p>Kiruna (Sami: Giron) in Norrbotten County is Sweden's northernmost city and home to 18,000 citizens. It is the centre of Kiruna Municipality, Kiruna kommun, which also includes several small v</p> <p>Kosice</p>
1	264	<p>Kosice has been nominated for featuring on the main page as Destination of the Month. We may have failed to notice some minor glitches in the article. Please plunge forward and help improve it</p> <p>Maldives</p>
1	276	<p>The Maldives (Dhivehi: Dhivehi Raajje) are an archipelago in the Indian Ocean with picture-perfect beaches, strikingly blue water, and luxury resorts. There are 200 inhabited is</p> <p>Mauritius</p>
1	277	<p>Mauritius (French: Maurice, Mauritian Creole: Moris) is an island nation in the Indian Ocean about 2,300 km (1,400 mi) from the African continent. Mauritius is mostly appreciated by visitor</p> <p>Mazatlan</p>
1	284	<p>Mazatlan is a city in Sinaloa state, Mexico, known for its fine beaches. It is a popular vacation and retirement destination for Canadians and Americans. While many of Mexico's original Paci</p> <p>Miami</p>

For other places with the same name, see Miami (disambiguation).

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Molde

Molde is a town in Mre og Romsdal situated at the north shore of the Molde Fjord where it enjoys one of the best locations in Norway. It is one of the towns along the coastal road E39. The tow

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Montego Bay

Montego Bay, commonly referred to as MoBay, is the second largest city in the island nation Jamaica. It has a population of 428,000 people (2018). Montego Bay is the capital of St. James

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Monterey (California)

Monterey is a city (population 28,000 in 2018) in the Monterey County area of Monterey Bay in California. Monterey is one of the more beautiful coastal cities of California, and

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Montreal

Montreal is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Montreal (French: Montreal) is the largest city in the

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Muscat

Muscat (Arabic: Masqat) is the capital of the Sultanate of Oman and its most important and populous city (million in the metro area in 2021). It has been inhabited since at least 1000 BC

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Myrtle Beach

Myrtle Beach is a major tourist destination and the central focus of the Grand Strand coast of South Carolina. It is widely known for its wide beaches, numerous golf courses, seafood res

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Merida (Mexico)

A short distance yet seemingly a world away from the rowdy, touristy beach resorts of Cancun and Cozumel that make up the Yucatan of cliché, Merida is the cultural center of south

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Nanaimo

Nanaimo as seen from nearby Newcastle Island

Nanaimo is the central hub city of Vancouver Island in BC, Canada. It is the second largest city on the island and has the second biggest harbour.

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Okinawa

Okinawa Prefecture (Japanese: Okinawa, Okinawan: Uchinaa) is one of the 47 prefectures of Japan, an island chain to the southwest of the Home Islands.

Okinawa Island The largest island

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Pensacola

Pensacola is a historic beach city in northwest Florida, in the United States of America. It is in Escambia County, Florida's westernmost county, at the tip of the "panhandle". The city is

1	342	Perth	
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1	345	Phoenix	
		For other places with the same name, see Phoenix (disambiguation). Phoenix is the capital of the state of Arizona, the most populous city in the American Southwest. Warm and sunny winter weat	
1	350	Port Elizabeth	
		Gqeberha (formerly and commonly Port Elizabethdead link) (Xhosa: iBhayi, Afrikaans: Die Baai) (or just PE if you want to sound South African) is South Africa's fifth largest city. It i	
1	359	Providenciales	
		Providenciales is one of the Turks and Caicos Islands, in the Caribbean.	
		Providenciales International Airport (PLS IATA). a small airport, which can become overcrowded very easily. Pri	
1	363	Puerto Vallarta	
		Seahorse sculpture on Playa de los Muertos; one of several large public works donated by local artists for the seaside promenade Malecon. Puerto Vallarta, colloquially known as Vallar	
1	368	Quebec City	
		Quebec City (French: Ville de Quebec, or just Quebec) is the capital of the Canadian province of Quebec. It sits at a commanding position on cliffs overlooking the St. Lawrence Seaway. Qu	
1	369	Queenstown (New Zealand)	
		The Remarkables and Lake Wakatipu from Queenstown	
		Queenstown (Maori: Tahuna) is a world renowned resort town in the South Island of New Zealand. The town sits on the edge of	
1	372	Rarotonga	
		Rarotonga is by far the most populated of the Cook Islands and contains its capital Avarua. It's in the southern group of islands, and is known as Raro.	
		Rarotonga International Airport (RAR	
1	376	Reykjavik	
		Reykjavik is the capital of and largest city in Iceland and with an urban area population of around 233,000 (2019), it is the home to two-thirds of Iceland's population. It is the centre of	
1	381	Roatan	
		Roatan is the largest of the Bay Islands of Honduras, in the Caribbean Sea. The island rests on an exposed ancient coral reef, rising to about 270 metres (890 ft) above sea level. Offshore ree	
1	388	Saint Lucia	

For other places with the same name, see Saint Lucia (disambiguation).

Saint Lucia is an island nation in the Caribbean. Saint Lucia is a popular destination due to its tropical weather,

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Salzburg

This article is about the city of Salzburg. For the state, see Salzburg (state).

Salzburg is a city in Austria, near the border with Germany's Bavaria state, with a population of 157,000 (20

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Sault Sainte Marie (Ontario)

Sault Ste. Marie is a city of approximately 72,000 people (2021), in Northern Ontario. It is the beginning and end point of the Agawa Canyon Tour Train. Directly across t

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Sudbury (Ontario)

Sudbury (official name Greater Sudbury) is a city of approximately 166,000 people, in Northern Ontario, Canada. It is Northern Ontario's largest city in both area and population, an

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Sydney

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Timmins

Timmins is a city in Northern Ontario with a population of nearly 41,000 (2021 census). The city stretches over approximately 2,962 km2 (1,840 sq mi) of land, making Timmins one of the larges

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Troms

Troms (Northern Sami: Romsa, Kven and Finnish: Tromssa) is a city of around 78,000 people (2023) in the very northernmost part of Norway. It is almost 350 km north of the Arctic Circle and is

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Trondheim

Trondheim, formerly Trondhjem or Nidaros, is an old city in central Norway. It is a key city in Norway, its skyline dominated by the lovely cathedral and its city life dominated by the univ

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Varadero

Varadero is a relatively exclusive part of Western Cuba, abundant with private hotels, gorgeous white beaches and the country's only full golf course. The fantastic beaches with clear turquo

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West Palm Beach

West Palm Beach is a mid-sized city of 117,000 residents (2020) in the Greater Miami (Miami-Fort Lauderdale-West Palm Beach) Metropolitan area.

West of the smaller, more famous town P

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Yellowknife

Yellowknife is the capital city of the Northwest Territories, on the North Arm of Great Slave Lake, on Yellowknife Bay. Yellowknife is the main entry point for visitors to NWT. Many touri