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Query Text: Best cities for water activities

Retrieved Documents:

1	141	Fort Lauderdale	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
0	380	Rio de Janeiro	Rio de Janeiro is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Rio de Janeiro is the second largest city i
1	399	San Diego	For other places with the same name, see San Diego (disambiguation). San Diego is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and
0	277	Mazatlan	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
0	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 beauti
1	8	Acapulco	Acapulco is the original Mexican resort town. It is a historic port city that during the Spanish Empire served as a terminus for trade between Mexico and the Philippines. The trade route bet
1	140	Florianopolis	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
1	346	Phuket	Phuket (), pronounced (roughly) "puh-KET", is Thailand's largest island. It is 48 km in length, 21 km at its widest, and is in Southern Thailand, on the west-facing Andaman Sea coastline
1	183	Hurghada	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
1	113	Cozumel	Tanks for all the scuba memories!

0	369	<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>Queenstown (New Zealand)</p> <p>The Remarkables and Lake Wakatipu from Queenstown</p> <p>Queenstown (Maori: Tahuna) is a world renowned resort town in the South Island of New Zealand. The town sits on the edge of</p>
0	341	<p>Penticton</p> <p>Penticton (The 'Peach City') is a beautiful spot in the south Okanagan nestled between two lakes: The 155 km-long (95 mi) Okanagan Lake to the north, and the smaller Skaha Lake to the south</p>
0	384	<p>Rotorua</p> <p>Rotorua is the geothermal wonderland of New Zealand, with easily experienced Maori culture, and a range of outdoor adventure activities.</p> <p>The hot springs and geysers of the city and region hav</p>
1	324	<p>Noumea</p> <p>Noumea is the largest city in and capital of New Caledonia, lying on the main island of Grande Terre. One of the most westernised cities in the Pacific Islands, it features beautiful beaches a</p>
1	87	<p>Cabo San Lucas</p> <p>Cabo San Lucas is a city at the southern tip of Baja California Sur, Mexico.</p> <p>Cabo is a varied destination that captures the essence of Baja Peninsula in its many resorts, hotels, golf</p>
1	260	<p>Maceio</p> <p>Maceio is the capital of Alagoas, in Northeast Brazil. Maceio has a great coastal ambiance and stands out for its beauty, embedded in palm trees, mangroves and the bright green sea. It also ha</p>
1	129	<p>Durban</p> <p>Durban (Zulu: eThekwin; itheku means "city") is a city on the east coast of South Africa in the province of KwaZulu-Natal and in the municipality of eThekwin. It is the third largest city in</p>
0	319	<p>New Orleans</p> <p>New Orleans is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Way down yonder in New Orleans (French: La Nouvel</p>
0	362	<p>Puerto Plata</p> <p>Puerto Plata or San Felipe de Puerto Plata is a city in the Dominican Republic with a population of about 130,000. It is the capital of the province of Puerto Plata. Known for its pretty</p>
1	276	<p>Mauritius</p> <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>
0	156	<p>Gold Coast</p>

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

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Cancun

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

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Kailua-Kona

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

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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

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Dubai

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

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Cape Town

Cape Town and Table Mountain viewed from Bloubergstrand across Table Bay. Cape Town (Afrikaans: Kaapstad, Xhosa: iKapa) is the second most populous city in South Africa. The capital of West

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Auckland

Auckland is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation.

Auckland (Maori: Tamaki Makaurau) is the largest city i

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Seattle

Seattle is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Seattle, Washington sits at one of the most beautiful spo

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Chattanooga

Chattanooga is the 4th largest city in Tennessee. It is the seat of Hamilton County. It is in Southeast Tennessee on the Tennessee River and near the border of Georgia. It was immortalize

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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

#### Non-retrieved Relevant Documents:

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Aqaba

		Aqaba ( al-Aqabah) is Jordan's only port city. It is on the Gulf of Aqaba in the extreme south of the country, adjacent to Eilat in Israel.
1	31	Aqaba is Jordan's window on the Red Sea. Histo
		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	48	Aruba
		Bahrain
		The Kingdom of Bahrain (Arabic: , al-Bahrayn) is a Middle Eastern archipelago in the Persian Gulf, tucked into a pocket of the sea flanked by Saudi Arabia and Qatar. The kingdom comb
1	54	Bahrain
		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	69	Barbados
		Bodrum
		Bodrum is a tourist resort on the Southern Aegean coast of Turkey. It's a budget, mass-market destination with facilities to match, and in 2020 the Bodrum metropolis had a population of almost
1	77	Bodrum
		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	114	Brisbane
		Curacao
		Curacao is an island in the Caribbean Sea, among the group known as the ABC Islands alongside Aruba and Bonaire. This trio is located near Venezuela, and is considered to be outside the Carib
1	137	Curacao
		Fiji
		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
1	149	Fiji
		Galapagos Islands
		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)
1	158	Galapagos Islands
		Gran Canaria
		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
1	159	Gran Canaria
		Grand Cayman
		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
1	162	Grand Cayman
		Grenada

1	164	<p>Grenada (pronounced grih-NAY-duh) is a group of three larger islands (Grenada, Carriacou, and Petite Martinique) and several tiny islands in the Caribbean, or West Indies. It lies just north</p> <p>Guam</p>
1	179	<p>Guam (Chamorro: Guahan) is an island in the western Pacific Ocean, about three-quarters of the way from Hawaii to the Philippines. An unincorporated territory of the United States of America, Gu</p> <p>Honolulu</p>
1	182	<p>Honolulu is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation.</p> <p>The capital of Hawaii and its primary point of entry, H</p> <p>Huatulco</p>
1	192	<p>Bahias de Huatulco (pronounced Wha-TOOL-Co), is a destination resort area on Mexico's Pacific Coast in its most southern state of Oaxaca. More commonly known to outsiders as just Huatulco, t</p> <p>Ishigaki</p>
1	198	<p>Ishigaki () is the second-largest and the most populated island of the Yaeyama Islands of Okinawa, Japan. The whole island belongs to the City of Ishigaki, which also includes the deserted</p> <p>Jeddah</p>
1	207	<p>Jeddah (Arabic: , also spelled Jiddah) is on the Red Sea in western Saudi Arabia. It is the kingdom's second largest city, with a population of approximately 3,400,000, and a major commerc</p> <p>Kauai</p>
1	219	<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>Ko Samui</p>
1	224	<p>Ko Samui (), often called just Samui () is an island of great natural beauty and variety in the Gulf of Thailand. The palm-fringed shoreline and coconut and fruit cultivation of</p> <p>Koror</p>
1	226	<p>Koror is the largest city in Palau. Koror was also the capital until 2006, but the hamlet of Melekeok, some 20 km away, now has that honor.</p> <p>Home to an estimated population of between 10,000 and</p> <p>Krabi Town</p>
1	236	<p>Krabi town and its distinctive karst topography</p> <p>Krabi (), the capital of Krabi Province, sits a little upstream from the mouth of the Krabi River and is mainly visited en route to th</p> <p>Larnaca</p>
		<p>Larnaca (Greek Larnaka) is a city on the southern coast of Cyprus. With 85,000 residents in 2015, metropolitan Larnaca is the island's third largest city.</p>

Statue of Zeno, Larnaca Prom

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Luzon

Luzon is the largest and the most populous island of the Philippines. This article also covers a number of nearby smaller islands.

The region has a variety of attractions, from the cobblestone

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Maldives

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

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Malta

Malta is an island country in Europe, forming an archipelago in the middle of the Mediterranean Sea, between Sicily and North Africa.

Thanks to its strategic position, Malta has been continuous

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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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Mombasa

Mombasadead link with a population of million (2019), is the second-largest city in Kenya and its main port city. It is particularly known for its warm and sunny climate, white beaches and co

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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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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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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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Naples

For other places with the same name, see Naples (disambiguation). Naples (Italian: Napoli; Neapolitan: Napule) in Italy, an ancient port on the Mediterranean sea. With just short of a million

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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

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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

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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

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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

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Recife

Recife 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

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Rijeka

Rijeka (literally "River" in Croatian language) is a city in Kvarner Bay, a northern inlet of the Adriatic Sea in Croatia. It is the principal seaport of the country. It had about 129,000 inha

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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

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Saint Kitts and Nevis

Saint Kitts and Nevis are a pair of tropical islands in the Caribbean, about one-third of the way from Puerto Rico to Trinidad and Tobago. What is really remarkable on Saint Kit

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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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Saint Thomas

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

St. Thomas is in the U.S. Virgin Islands.

Even though it's only 32 square miles, St. Thomas does have a couple of  
San Cristobal (Galapagos)

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San Cristobal is one of the Galapagos Islands, part of Ecuador.

0480S 89240WMap of San Cristobal (Galapagos)

Puerto Baquerizo Moreno - is the capital of the Galapagos

San Juan

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For other places with the same name, see San Juan (disambiguation). San Juan is the capital of Puerto Rico and its largest city, with 342,000 (2020) inhabitants in the municipality and 2,203

Santa Marta

1 411

Santa Marta is a city in the Magdalena Department of Colombia's Costa Norte.

Plaza de Bolivar: Banco de la Republica and Cafe Juan Valdez

Santa Marta an important commercial port and tour

Santorini

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Santorini is an archipelago of 5 volcanic islands in the Cyclades group of the Greek islands in the southern Aegean Sea, about 200 km southeast of mainland Greece. It is located between los

Sanya

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Not to be confused with San'ya (), a neighborhood in Taito District, Tokyo. Sanya ( Sanya in Mandarin; Ta-ah in Hainanese) is on the southernmost point of China, at the tip of Hainan isla

Singapore

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Singapore is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Singapore (Chinese: ; Malay: Singapura; Tamil:

Tel Aviv

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Tenerife

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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

Tongatapu

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Tongatapu is Tonga's largest island with over two-thirds of the country's population.

A coral island surrounded by coral reefs. The capital, Nuku'alofa, on the north coast, has a relaxed ai

Trieste

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Palazzo del Municipio at Piazza Unita

Trieste (Triest in German, Trst in Slovenian and Croatian) is a city in North-East Italy that was once a



		very influential and powerful centre of politics
1	517	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 turquoise
1	539	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 of Palm Beach
1	561	Zakynthos
		Zakynthos (Greek: Ζάκυνθος), also called Zante (its Italian name), is the third largest island in the Ionian Sea, off the west coast of Greece. The island is named after Zakynthos, son of Iphigeneia
1	562	Zanzibar
		Zanzibar is an island off the coast of Tanzania famous for its history, culture, archeological sites, and stunning white sand beaches.
		Zanzibar Province includes Pemba Island to the north as well as the main island of Zanzibar
1	566	Zihuatanejo
		Zihuatanejo is a city of 130,000 people (2020) on the Pacific Coast of Mexico in the state of Guerrero. It is a fishing village that has developed into one of the most-visited areas in Mexico