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**Retrieved Documents:**

0	399	San Diego	
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0	457	Sydney	
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0	423	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
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	245	Lisbon	
			For other places with the same name, see Lisbon (disambiguation). Lisbon is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommod
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
0	373	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
0	178	Hong Kong	
			Hong Kong is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Hong Kong ( hoeng1 gong2 in Cantonese) is a place w
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	391	Saint Thomas	
			For other places with the same name, see Saint Thomas (disambiguation).

0	153	<p>St. Thomas is in the U.S. Virgin Islands.</p> <p>Even though it's only 32 square miles, St. Thomas does have a couple of</p> <p>Genoa</p>
0	342	<p>For other places with the same name, see Genoa (disambiguation).</p> <p>The romantic port of Genoa, with its lovely seaside buildings and wooded rolling hills.</p> <p>Genoa (Italian: Genova, Ligurian: Zena)</p> <p>Perth</p>
0	400	<p>Perth 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 f</p> <p>San Francisco</p>
0	380	<p>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 Francisc</p> <p>Rio de Janeiro</p>
0	103	<p>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</p> <p>Chengdu</p>
0	383	<p>Chengdudead link ( Chengdu) is the provincial capital and largest city of Sichuan Province in southwest China. The megacity is home to over 21 million people. Average max. and min. temperat</p> <p>Rome</p>
1	520	<p>For other places with the same name, see Rome (disambiguation). Rome is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation.</p> <p>Venice</p>
1	156	<p>For other places with the same name, see Venice (disambiguation). Venice is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommod</p> <p>Gold Coast</p>
1	479	<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>Tenerife</p>
0	353	<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>Porto</p>
0	437	<p>Porto is Portugal's second largest city and the capital of the Northern region, and a busy industrial and commercial centre. The city isn't very populous (about 238,000 inhabitants in 2024), bu</p> <p>Singapore</p>

0	147	<p>Singapore is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Singapore (Chinese: <span></span>; Malay: Singapura; Tamil: <span></span>)</p> <p>Fukuoka</p>
1	415	<p>Fukuoka (<span></span>) is the capital of Fukuoka prefecture and the largest city on the island of Kyushu with <span></span> million citizens including its suburbs.</p> <p>Hakata Port in Fukuoka, as seen from a landing air</p> <p>Santorini</p>
1	135	<p>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</p> <p>Faro</p>
1	304	<p>For the island in Sweden, see Faro.</p> <p>Faro is a city in the Algarve region of Portugal that is a popular sun destination in the summer, and a base for exploring the surrounding area.</p> <p>Faro (FAH-roo</p> <p>Malaga</p>
0	449	<p>For other places with the same name, see Malaga (disambiguation).</p> <p>Malaga is a city of 570,000 people (2018) in the southern Spanish region of Andalucia, and the largest city on the Costa del S</p> <p>Stavanger</p>
0	166	<p>Stavanger is Norway's fourth largest city, at almost 150,000 residents (2023). It is the largest city in, and the administrative centre of, Rogaland county in West Norway. Stavanger is the</p> <p>Guilin</p>
1	312	<p>Guilin (<span></span>; Guilin) and the surrounding region are among the most scenic areas in China and the most popular tourist destinations both for Chinese travellers and the international backpacker</p> <p>Nantucket</p>
0	130	<p>Nantucket is an island and town 30 mi (48 km) off the coast of Cape Cod and part of Massachusetts. The island offers quiet harbors, dramatic cliffs, sandy beaches, lighthouses, beautiful ol</p> <p>Dusseldorf</p>
0	231	<p>Dusseldorf is a city on the River Rhine in western Germany and is the capital city of the state of North Rhine-Westphalia. It is one of the economic centres of the country, and a major cit</p> <p>Kyoto</p>
		<p>Kyoto is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation.</p> <p>Kiyomizu-dera Temple with its famous large veranda</p> <p>Kyoto (<span></span>)</p>

## Non-retrieved Relevant Documents:

1	19	Alicante	
		For other places with the same name, see Alicante (disambiguation). Mount Benacantil in Alicante, view from the sea Alicante (Valencian: Alacant) is a popular tourist city of 332,000 people	
1	28	Apia	
		Apia is the capital of Samoa. It is on the northern coast of the island of Upolu and has a population of 42,000 (2021). As with most Pacific Island capitals, Apia is a little shabby and run down	
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 beach	
1	44	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 in New Zealand	
1	55	Barcelona	
		Barcelona is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Barcelona is Spain's second largest city, with a population of 1.6 million	
1	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 scenic views	
1	64	Bermuda	
		Bermudian dollar (BMD)United States dollar (USD) 120 volt / 60 hertz (NEMA 1-15, NEMA 5-15) Bermuda is a self-governing British overseas territory in the Atlantic Ocean north of the Caribbean	
1	69	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 100,000	
1	87	Cabo San Lucas	
		Cabo San Lucas is a city at the southern tip of Baja California Sur, Mexico. Cabo is a varied destination that captures the essence of Baja Peninsula in its many resorts, hotels, golf courses, and beaches	
1	91	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 beautiful beach	

1	92	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	
1	94	Cartagena (Colombia)	
		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	
1	111	Copenhagen	
		Copenhagen is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Copenhagen (Danish: Kbenhavn) is the capital city	
1	113	Cozumel	
		Tanks for all the scuba memories!	
		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	
1	114	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	127	Dunedin	
		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	
1	136	Faroe Islands	
		The Faroe or Faeroe Islands (Faroese: Froyar; Danish: Frerne) are an archipelago of 18 islands in the middle of the North Atlantic Ocean, with roughly 54,000 inhabitants (2022). Like	
1	137	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	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	
1	149	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	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	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	174	Helsinki	
		Helsinki is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and accommodation. Helsinki (Swedish: Helsingfors) is Finland's capital an	
1	179	Honolulu	
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		The capital of Hawaii and its primary point of entry, H	
1	182	Huatulco	
		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	
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	185	Ibiza	
		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	
1	192	Ishigaki	
		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	
1	199	Jeju City	
		Jeju City (), also known as Jeju-Si, is the largest and capital city of Jeju Special Self-Governing Province, South Korea, taking up the northern district of the island.	
		Average max. and	
1	203	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	
1	207	Kauai	
		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	
1	209	Kavala	
		Kavala (Greek: ) is a city in Macedonia (Greece). Kavala is one of the most beautiful smaller cities in	

		Greece offering a wide range of places of interest for tourism. A wealth of possib
1	211	Kefalonia
		Kipouraion Monastery in the West Coast
		Kefalonia (Greek: ) is believed to have derived its name from the mythological figure Cephalus, the son of Hermes and a hero in ancient Greek
1	219	Ko Samui
		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
1	224	Koror
		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.
		Home to an estimated population of between 10,000 and
1	226	Krabi Town
		Krabi town and its distinctive karst topography
		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
1	228	Kristiansand
		Kilden Performing Arts Centre in Kristiansand
		Along the beautiful boardwalk is the second largest fountain in Norway, designed by artist Kjell Nupen.
		Kvadraturen, the city center with it
1	253	Lugano
		Lugano is a lakeside city in Ticino, the Italian-speaking part of southern Switzerland, and is the largest Italian-speaking city in Switzerland, or for that matter, outside Italy. Part of a te
1	264	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
1	266	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
1	276	Mauritius
		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
1	277	Mazatlan
		Mazatlan is a city in Sinaloa state, Mexico, known for its fine beaches. It is a popular vacation and

1	290	retirement destination for Canadians and Americans. While many of Mexico's original Paci Molde
1	294	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 Monterey (California)
1	314	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 Naples
1	316	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 Nassau
1	322	For other places with the same name, see Nassau (disambiguation). Nassau is the capital of The Bahamas. It is the largest city in the Bahamas and its low-rise sprawl dominates the eastern half Nice
1	324	Nice (pronounced like the English word "niece") is a large city in France on the French Riviera. It's a popular destination for vacationers young and old, with something to offer nearly everyone Noumea
1	327	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 Okinawa
1	336	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 Palma de Mallorca
1	359	Palma de Mallorcadead link is the island's only true city. A city on the island of Mallorca, one of the Balearic Islands off the Spanish east coast. Mallorca is one of Europe's majo Providenciales
1	372	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 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	387	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	
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,	
1	389	Saint Martin	
		For other places with the same name, see Saint Martin (disambiguation). Saint Martin is an island in the Caribbean that is split between the French collectivity of Saint-Martin and the D	
1	393	Salvador	
		Salvador is the capital of the state of Bahia, Brazil. With a charming Old Town (a World Heritage Site), a vibrant musical scene and popular Carnival celebrations, it is considered one of th	
1	403	San Juan	
		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	
1	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 sout	
1	442	Split	
		Split is a city in Central Dalmatia, Croatia, and the seat of the Split-Dalmatia county. The city was built around the Diocletian palace (a palace/fort built for the retired Roman emperor Diocl	
1	448	St. John's	
		For other places with the same name, see Saint John (disambiguation). St. John's is the capital of Newfoundland and Labrador. It is the oldest city in North America and is on the Avalon Pe	
1	450	Stockholm	

		For other places with the same name, see Stockholm (disambiguation). Stockholm is a huge city with several district articles that contain information about specific sights, restaurants, and
1	467	Tallinn
		Tallinn is Estonia's capital and largest city. Tallinn is an important port of the Baltic Sea, with the busy passenger section of the port reaching the foothill of the picturesque medieval Ol
1	473	Taupo
		Taupo, also written Taupo, is a town on the northern shore of Lake Taupo, New Zealand's largest lake, in the central North Island. It is a popular tourist destination due to its lake, boating,
1	491	Tongatapu
		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
1	499	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
1	500	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
1	506	Turku
		Turku (Swedish: Åbo) is Finland's oldest city and the biggest one until the mid 1800s. Believed to have been founded in the early 13th century, it is the cradle of modern Finnish culture and ha
1	514	Valencia
		For other places with the same name, see Valencia (disambiguation). Panoramic view of Valencia from the Micalet tower looking south Valencia (Valencia in Catalan/Valencian) is a charming old
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 turquo
1	519	Varna
		Varna () is a large city on the Black Sea coast in the northeast of Bulgaria. It's the larger of the country's two major sea ports (the other one is Burgas), and a gateway to the seaside r
1	523	Victoria (British Columbia)
		For other places with this name, see Victoria. Victoria is the capital of Canada's westernmost province; British Columbia, near the southern tip of Vancouver Island. Victo
1	537	Wellington

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

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Xiamen

This article is about the island of Xiamen. For suburban areas not on the island, see South Fujian or links in this article. Xiamen skyline, seen from Gulangyu Xiamen (; E-mng in Minnan, Xi

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Zakynthos

Zakynthos (Greek: ), 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 Zacynthos, son of I

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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

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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 Me

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Zurich

Zurich (German: Zurich, Swiss German: Zuri) is the largest city in Switzerland and an international financial centre. Zurich is close to some excellent skiing resorts and many people headed fo

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Alesund

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