

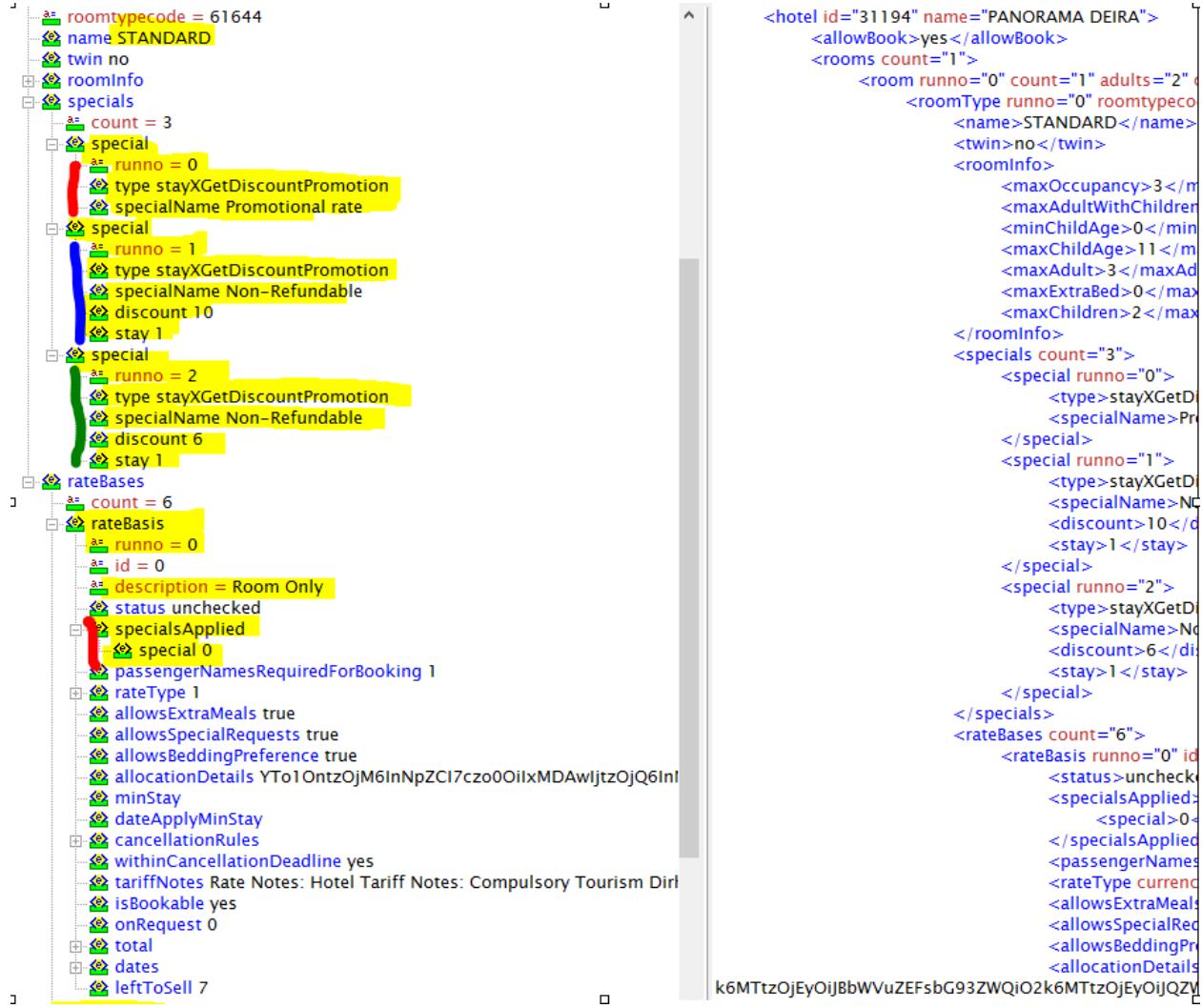
Special Promotions.

Please note that some of the roomTypes/rateBasis returned by DOTW might include special promotions. The specials can be identified by the node <specials> and the element <specialsApplied>

```
<room runno="0" count="1" adults="2" children="1" childrenages="1" extrabeds="0">
    <roomType runno="0" roomtypecode="343204">
        <name>STANDARD</name>
        <twin>no</twin>
        <roomInfo>
            <maxOccupancy>3</maxOccupancy>
            <maxAdultWithChildren>2</maxAdultWithChildren>
            <minChildAge>0</minChildAge>
            <maxChildAge>12</maxChildAge>
            <maxAdult>3</maxAdult>
            <maxExtraBed>0</maxExtraBed>
            <maxChildren>2</maxChildren>
        </roomInfo>
        <specials count="2">
            <special runno="0">
                <type>freeMealUpgradePromotion</type>
                <specialName>Upgrade to Half board</specialName>
                <upgradeToMeallId>1336</upgradeToMeallId>
                <description>Free meal upgrade to All Inclusive</description>
            </special>
            <special runno="1">
                <type>stayXPayYPromotion</type>
                <specialName>Stay 3 pay 2</specialName>
                <description>Stay 3 nights pay only 2</description>
            </special>
        </specials>
    .....
    <rateBasis runno="7" id="1331" description="Breakfast">
        <status>unchecked</status>
        <specialsApplied>
            <special>0</special> -----for this rateBasis there is a special
        applied: special 0 (Upgrade to Half board)
        </specialsApplied>
    
```

We strongly advise you to display the special promotions for your users and in doing so please take into consideration that the specials are applied at rate level, not room type level.

Since the specials are assigned per rate not per room type please see below explicit example for the Standard room:



The left pane shows a hierarchical tree structure of room type data. Key nodes include:

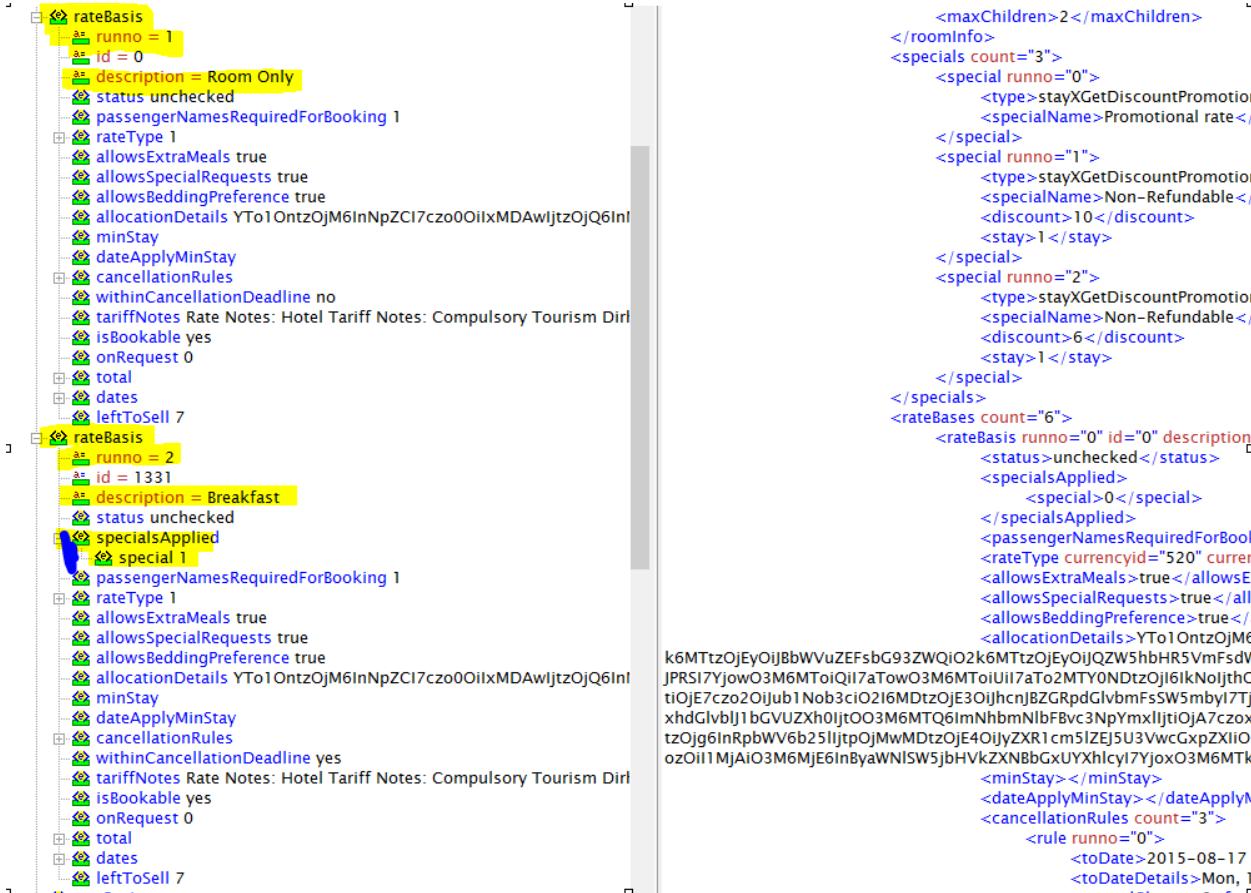
- roomtypecode = 61644**
- name STANDARD**
- twin no**
- roominfo**
- specials** (containing 3 entries):
 - runno = 0**: type stayXGetDiscountPromotion, specialName Promotional rate
 - runno = 1**: type stayXGetDiscountPromotion, specialName Non-Refundable, discount 10, stay 1
 - runno = 2**: type stayXGetDiscountPromotion, specialName Non-Refundable, discount 6, stay 1
- rateBases** (containing 6 entries):
 - runno = 0**: id = 0, description = Room Only, status unchecked, specialsApplied (containing special 0), passengerNamesRequiredForBooking 1, rateType 1, allowsExtraMeals true, allowsSpecialRequests true, allowsBeddingPreference true, allocationDetails YTo1OntzOjM6InNpZCI7czo0OiIxMDAwIjtzOjQ6InI, minStay, dateApplyMinStay, cancellationRules, withinCancellationDeadline yes, tariffNotes Rate Notes: Hotel Tariff Notes: Compulsory Tourism Dir!, isBookable yes, onRequest 0, total, dates, leftToSell 7

The right pane displays the XML code generated from the tree structure:

```

<hotel id="31194" name="PANORAMA DEIRA">
    <allowBook>yes</allowBook>
    <rooms count="1">
        <room runno="0" count="1" adults="2" roomtypecode="61644">
            <roomType runno="0" roomtypecode="61644">
                <name>STANDARD</name>
                <twin>no</twin>
                <roomInfo>
                    <maxOccupancy>3</maxOccupancy>
                    <maxAdultWithChildren>3</maxAdultWithChildren>
                    <minChildAge>0</minChildAge>
                    <maxChildAge>11</maxChildAge>
                    <maxAdult>3</maxAdult>
                    <maxExtraBed>0</maxExtraBed>
                    <maxChildren>2</maxChildren>
                </roomInfo>
            </roomType>
            <specials count="3">
                <special runno="0">
                    <type>stayXGetDiscountPromotion</type>
                    <specialName>Promotional rate</specialName>
                </special>
                <special runno="1">
                    <type>stayXGetDiscountPromotion</type>
                    <specialName>Non-Refundable</specialName>
                    <discount>10</discount>
                    <stay>1</stay>
                </special>
                <special runno="2">
                    <type>stayXGetDiscountPromotion</type>
                    <specialName>Non-Refundable</specialName>
                    <discount>6</discount>
                    <stay>1</stay>
                </special>
            </specials>
        <rateBases count="6">
            <rateBasis runno="0" id="0">
                <status>unchecked</status>
                <specialsApplied>
                    <special>0</special>
                </specialsApplied>
                <passengerNamesRequiredForBooking>1</passengerNamesRequiredForBooking>
                <rateType>current</rateType>
                <allowsExtraMeals>true</allowsExtraMeals>
                <allowsSpecialRequests>true</allowsSpecialRequests>
                <allowsBeddingPreference>true</allowsBeddingPreference>
                <allocationDetails>YTo1OntzOjM6InNpZCI7czo0OiIxMDAwIjtzOjQ6InI</allocationDetails>
                <minStay>1</minStay>
                <dateApplyMinStay>2023-01-01T00:00:00</dateApplyMinStay>
                <cancellationRules>Within 24 hours of check-in</cancellationRules>
                <withinCancellationDeadline>yes</withinCancellationDeadline>
                <tariffNotes>Rate Notes: Hotel Tariff Notes: Compulsory Tourism Dir!</tariffNotes>
                <isBookable>yes</isBookable>
                <onRequest>0</onRequest>
                <total>1</total>
                <dates>2023-01-01/2023-01-02</dates>
                <leftToSell>7</leftToSell>
            </rateBasis>
        </rateBases>
    </room>
</rooms>
</hotel>

```



rateBasis
runno = 3
id = 1331
description = Breakfast
status unchecked
passengerNamesRequiredForBooking 1

rateType 1
allowsExtraMeals true
allowsSpecialRequests true
allowsBeddingPreference true
allocationDetails YTo1OntzOjM6InNpZCI7czo0OixMDAwIjtzOjQ6InI
minStay
dateApplyMinStay
cancellationRules
withinCancellationDeadline no
tariffNotes Rate Notes: Hotel Tariff Notes: Compulsory Tourism Dirl
isBookable yes
onRequest 0
total
dates
leftToSell 7

rateBasis
runno = 4
id = 1334
description = Half Board
status unchecked
specialsApplied
special 2
passengerNamesRequiredForBooking 1

rateType 1
allowsExtraMeals true
allowsSpecialRequests true
allowsBeddingPreference true
allocationDetails YTo1OntzOjM6InNpZCI7czo0OixMDAwIjtzOjQ6InI
minStay
dateApplyMinStay
cancellationRules
withinCancellationDeadline yes
tariffNotes Rate Notes: Hotel Tariff Notes: Compulsory Tourism Dirl
isBookable yes
onRequest 0
total
dates
leftToSell 7

rateBasis
runno = 5
id = 1334
description = Half Board
status unchecked
passengerNamesRequiredForBooking 1

rateType 1
allowsExtraMeals true
allowsSpecialRequests true
allowsBeddingPreference true
allocationDetails YTo1OntzOjM6InNpZCI7czo0OixMDAwIjtzOjQ6InI
minStay
dateApplyMinStay
cancellationRules
withinCancellationDeadline no
tariffNotes Rate Notes: Hotel Tariff Notes: Compulsory Tourism Dirl
isBookable yes
onRequest 0
total
dates
leftToSell 7

lookedForText Room Number 1: 2 adult/s and 1 child
raMeals
ssful TRUE

```

<hotel id="31194" name="PANORAMA DEIRA">
  <allowBook>yes</allowBook>
  <rooms count="1">
    <room runno="0" count="1" adults="2" children="1" roomtypecode="61644">
      <name>STANDARD</name>
      <twin>no</twin>
      <roomInfo>
        <maxOccupancy>3</maxOccupancy>
        <maxAdultWithChildren>2</maxAdultWithChildren>
        <minChildAge>0</minChildAge>
        <maxChildAge>11</maxChildAge>
        <maxAdult>3</maxAdult>
        <maxExtraBed>0</maxExtraBed>
        <maxChildren>2</maxChildren>
      </roomInfo>
      <specials count="3">
        <special runno="0">
          <type>stayXGetDiscountPromotion</type>
          <specialName>Promotional rate</specialName>
        </special>
        <special runno="1">
          <type>stayXGetDiscountPromotion</type>
          <specialName>Non-Refundable</specialName>
          <discount>10</discount>
          <stay>1</stay>
        </special>
        <special runno="2">
          <type>stayXGetDiscountPromotion</type>
          <specialName>Non-Refundable</specialName>
          <discount>6</discount>
          <stay>1</stay>
        </special>
      </specials>
    </room>
  </rooms>

```

```
=> RateBasis runno 0 has special 0 applied;  
=> RateBasis runno 1 doesn't have any of the specials applied;  
=> RateBasis runno 2 has special 1 applied;  
=> RateBasis runno 3 doesn't have any of the specials applied;  
=> RateBasis runno 4 has special 2 applied; d  
=> RateBasis runno 5 doesn't have any of the specials applied
```

In order to correctly identify and interpret a promotion you have to take into consideration the `<special>` node that returns all available promotions for a room type, than the `<specialsApplied>` node that will show you which of the available room special/s is/are applied for a particular rate and also you have to consider the specials related elements returned in the daily price breakdown like `<freeStay>`, `<discount>`, `<freeUpgrade>`.

Please also see below possible examples of specials (please take into consideration the fact that besides the type element which has predefined values the rest of the elements are manually introduced in our system):

```
<specials count="7">  
  <special runno="0">  
    <type>honeymoonPromotion</type>  
    <specialName>HoneyMoonSpec</specialName>  
    <condition>Applicable for couples married in the last month</condition>  
    <description>Bungalow on the beach with a bottle of champagne</description>  
    <notes>Packaged with a free horse ride for 2</notes>  
  </special>  
  </specials>  
  <special runno="1">  
    <type>stayXPayYPromotion</type>  
    <specialName>Stay3Pay2</specialName>  
    <stay>3</stay>  
    <pay>2</pay>  
  </special>  
  </specials>  
  <special runno="2">  
    <type>stayXGetDiscountPromotion</type>  
    <specialName>StayXGetDisc</specialName>  
    <discount>30</discount>  
    <stay>1</stay>  
  </special>
```

```
<special runno="3">
<type>freeMealUpgradePromotion</type>
<specialName>MealUpgrade</specialName>
<upgradeToMealId>1336</upgradeToMealId>
<description>Free meal upgrade to All Inclusive</description>
</special>
<special runno="4">
<type>freeUpgradePromotion</type>
<specialName>FreeRoomUp</specialName>
<upgradeToRoomId>320144</upgradeToRoomId>
<description>Free upgrade to higher category</description>
</special>
<special runno="5">
<type>discountOnSubsequentNightsPromotion</type>
<specialName>DiscSubsqNights</specialName>
<discountedNights>1</discountedNights>
<stay>2</stay>
<discount>25</discount>
</special>
<special runno="6">
<type>anniversaryPromotion</type>
<specialName>20YearsAniv</specialName>
<condition>Applicable for couples married 20 years</condition>
<description>Free Dinner</description>
<notes>All you can eat buffet</notes>
</special>
```

Let's take the following example: you are searching for 7 nights and you book a rate with a Stay 3 pay 2 promotion, in this case you have to take into consideration the fact that the customer will benefit of 2 free nights that can be identified in the daily price breakdown by the `<freeStay>yes</freeStay>`. FYI Please note that all specials are already included in the returned prices.

Another example is a stay X get discount type of promotion which means that the below has to be interpreted as follows: Special Non-refundable - for each night of stay you have a 6% discount.

```
<type>stayXGetDiscountPromotion</type>
<specialName>Non-Refundable</specialName>
<discount>6</discount>
<stay>1</stay>
```