

## Australian destinations top the list

**SYDNEY 19 December 2003** – Sydney and Melbourne top the list, according to statistics released by online accommodation provider HotelClub.com ([www.HotelClub.com](http://www.HotelClub.com)). Other Australian destinations also ranked well in 2003 including Brisbane and Perth who were amongst the Top Ten Destinations worldwide.

Top Ten Countries	Top Ten Destinations
1. Australia	1. Sydney
2. United Kingdom	2. Melbourne
3. Spain	3. Paris
4. France	4. London
5. Italy	5. Barcelona
6. New Zealand	6. Hong Kong
7. Singapore	7. Brisbane
8. Hong Kong	8. Rome
9. Belgium	9. Perth
10. United States	10. Bangkok

**Source:** [www.HotelClub.com](http://www.HotelClub.com) Consumer Survey

The data was collected from all bookings made in 2003 by HotelClub.com's customers. HotelClub.com includes 7,000 hotels in 35 countries throughout the world. The website currently receives 2.5 million unique visitors per month worldwide.

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Flairview Travel Pty Ltd is a world leading global accommodation e-wholesaler and specialist distributor of hotel room inventory over the Internet. Flairview Travel was established in 1995 and has since held the position of Asia Pacific's leading online accommodation provider. The company operates two websites – HotelClub.com ([www.HotelClub.com](http://www.HotelClub.com)) and RatesToGo.com ([www.RatesToGo.com](http://www.RatesToGo.com)). Flairview Travel is recognised as one of the few highly successful and profitable e-commerce businesses - experiencing up to 500% year on year growth since 1999. Flairview Travel has expanded operations beyond Asia Pacific, opening offices in 2001 throughout Europe and in North America in 2003. Flairview Travel currently operates ten offices worldwide in Australia, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Italy, Russia, Spain, Switzerland, the United Kingdom, the United States.

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