

Country	Renowned Places of Interest	Brief Description	Rating
AUSTRALIA	Bondi Beach, Sydney	Most popular surfers' place, topless scene.	A
	Gold Coast, Brisbane.	Surfers' paradise, sunny beach.	B
	Kakadu National Park, Darwin.	Waterfall, National Park.	B
CANADA	Pacific-Rim National Park, Vancouver Island.	Marine life, wildlife, National Park.	B
CHINA	Sanya Beach, Hainan Island.	Sunny beach, fine sand 180 kms coastline.	B
	Dalian Beach, Liaodong Peninsula.	Popular summer beach, 31 kms. coastline.	B
	Shilaoren Resort, Jiaodong Peninsula.	Summer resort, 5-star hotels within city.	B
FRANCE	Nice, Saint-Tropez and Hyeres.	Sunny beaches and charming coastline.	B
GREECE	Rhodes Island.	A beautiful island, old city and golden beaches.	B
HAWAII	Waikiki Beach, Island of Oahu.	Spectacular view of surfs.	A
	Kauai Coconut Resort, Waipouli Beach.	A favourite gathering place, complements the tropical feel and abundant wildlife.	B
INDIA	Ahmedpur Mandvi, Bombay.	Beach resort with its ethnic cottages.	B
INDONESIA	Sanur Beach, Bali.	Soft ankle-deep sands, feel the breeze and listen to the pounding waves.	A
JAPAN	Yuigahama Beach, Kamakura.	A popular seaside beach.	B
	Kegon Waterfall, Nikko.	Waterfall, about 351 feet, flowing from Lake Chuzenji.	B
JORDAN	Dead Sea and River Jordan.	1,306 feet below sea level, unsinking swim.	A
MALAYSIA	Langkawi Island, Kedah.	Beach resorts, rich coral & marine life.	A
	Port Dickson, Seremban	Popular for swimming, 2-hour from KL.	B
	Pulau Redang, East Coast.	Ideal scuba diving under sunny beach.	A
	Tioman Island, Johor.	Sunny sea beach resort near Singapore.	B
MEXICO	La Quebrada, Acapulco.	Cliff divers, scenic bay, blue sea and soft white sand, an exciting resort city.	A
MYANMAR	Mergui Archipelago Islands, West Coast.	Pure nature, beasts, birds and sea beaches.	B
NEW ZEALAND	Long Beach of Tohe, Cape Reinga.	Ideal swimming, beachcombing, taking tuatua.	B
PERU	Chicama, Pacific Coast.	Longest wave in surfing world.	A

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PHILIPPINES	Cebu Island.	Pristine sea beach, clear sea & fine scenery.	A
	Boracay Island, Visayas.	Clear, warm and regular down streams.	B
SINGAPORE	Sentosa Island.	Holiday resorts within city, accessible by cable car.	B
SOUTH AFRICA	Noordhoek, Cape Peninsula.	Beautiful and tremendous length of beach.	B
	King's Beach, Port Elizabeth.	Ideal swimming and surfing during summer.	A
SOUTH KOREA	Naksan Beach & Hajodae Beach, Sokch'o.	Popular summer beaches with soft white sand.	B
	Haeundae Beach, Pusan.	Summer beach about 2 km coastline.	B
TAIWAN	Tropical beach, Kenting National Park, Hengchun Peninsula.	Clean white sand, year-round spot for swimming.	A
THAILAND	Ko Samui, Southern Thailand.	Beautiful beaches with swaying palms.	B
	Pattaya, Bangkok.	Popular seaside resort and nightlife.	A
	Phuket, Phang Nga, Southern Region.	Highly popular seaside resorts.	A
TURKEY	Kusadast, Marmaris.	Popular seaside resort.	B
	Aqua Park, Antalya.	Man-made sea coastline lagoon.	B
UNITED KINGDOM	Great Yarmouth, Blackpool Resorts.	Popular summer beach near 40-acre fun park.	B
USA	Long Beach, Catalina Island, California.	Unspoiled beautiful beach.	B
VIETNAM	Bai Tam Dau Beach.	Sunny seaside resort.	B
	China Beach, Danang	Most popular beach resort	A

EDITORIAL COMMENTS ON SEASIDE BEACHES & RESORTS:

Rating of seaside resorts is based on standard of facilities available, clean sea water suitable for swimming all-year round and above all, the significant number of popular seaside beaches within the Country Profile is graded under "A" category, whereas countries with cold climate during winter months is rated under "B" category to avoid misconception to visitors.



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