Chinese planning to increase their international travel in 2015.

America’s appeal as an international travel destination continues to be rock solid. In an open-ended question, survey respondents were asked to list the three foreign countries they would most like to visit in the next twelve months. In nine of the thirteen countries studied, the United States was the top destination—in many cases surpassing its nearest competition by a large margin.

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The State of the International Traveler: The Quiz
How many questions can you answer correctly?

1. Which city has higher overall appeal ratings?
- San Francisco
- Orlando

2. On average, who budgets twice as much annually (than the other) for international travel?
- Japanese
- Chinese

3. Which country’s travelers have the most available days of vacation time for international travel?
- Australia
- France

4. Which destination gives international travelers better overall “bragging rights” after visiting?
- Hawaii
- Alaska

5. Chinese travelers are more interested in which type of shopping?
- Upscale boutiques
- Duty free stores

6. Which travelers are most likely to use a travel agent (traditional offline or store front)?
- Australia
- United Kingdom

7. Who is more interested in scenic drives or road trips when traveling in the U.S.?
- Indians
- Germans

8. Which iconic American experience has the most overall appeal?
- Niagara Falls
- California’s Wine Country


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