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- Beach
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- Buddhist
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- Christian
- Confucian
- Hindu
- Islamic
- Jain
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- Monument
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- Ruin
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- Zoo/Wildlife Sanctuary
- Other Sight

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- Diving
- Canoeing/Kayaking
- Course/Tour
- Sento Hot Baths/Onsen
- Skiing
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- Swimming/Pool
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- Other Activity

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- Sleeping
- Camping

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- Eating

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- Drinking & Nightlife
- Cafe

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- Entertainment

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- Shopping

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- Embassy/Consulate
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- Capital (State/Province)
- City/Large Town
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- Border crossing
- Bus
- Cable car/Funicular
- Cycling
- Ferry
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- Beach/Desert
- Cemetery (Christian)
- Cemetery (Other)
- Glacier
- Mudflat
- Park/Forest
- Sight (Building)
- Sportsground
- Swamp/Mangrove

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