

Facts & Figures Interlaken / Switzerland

Location Interlaken is situated in the heart of Switzerland and in the centre of the Bernese Oberland between the Lakes of Thun and Brienz, below the world famous mountain-trio 'Eiger, Mönch and Jungfrau' at 568 metres.

Journey By rail: hourly direct rail connections to the major Swiss airports as well as the larger Swiss cities, direct rail connections to and from Berlin, Frankfurt and Wiesbaden (ICE)
By car: a well-built road network connects Interlaken to airports in Zurich, Geneva, Berne and Basle as well as to all major European centres

Pictures Current information and high-resolution images are available on our website, login to our picture-gallery on www.interlaken.ch:
Username: interlaken
Password: mystery

Inhabitants 15'000 (communities Interlaken, Matten and Unterseen)

Language Bernese Oberland dialect (Swiss German)

Accommodation	<u>Amount / categorie</u>	<u>Amount of beds</u>
	2 *****	610
	7 ****	704
	17 ***	1590
	9 **	368
	14 <i>not classified</i>	670
	15 Hostels / B & B	887
	75 Apartments	296
	7 Camping sites	850 (plots)

Registered nights 2008	784'949	Total
	529'769	Summer (May – Oct.)
	255'180	Winter (Jan. – April / Nov. – Dec.)

Registered nights ranking list Top 10

1. 26.2%	Switzerland	6. 5.3%	Korea
2. 12.9%	Great Britain	7. 5.2%	India
3. 11.0%	Germany	8. 3.3%	Gulf States
4. 7.0%	Japan	9. 3.2%	other Countries
5. 6.0%	USA	10. 2.7%	Nederland

Sister-cities Otsu – Japan
Trebon – Czech Republic
Scottsdale – Arizona / USA
Huangshan – China

Top-Links

Interlaken Holiday Region	www.interlaken.ch
JungfrauJoch – Top of Europe	www.jungfraubahn.ch
Schilthorn – Piz Gloria	www.schilthorn.ch
Lake Thun & Lake Brienz cruises	www.bls.ch/schiff
Adventures-sports	www.interlaken-adventure.com
Bernese Oberland	www.berneroberland.ch
Switzerland Tourism	www.myswitzerland.com
Railway Traffic	www.sbb.ch
Motorway Traffic	www.tcs.ch