

**Table 14.19-- CAR RENTAL RATES FOR 50 MAJOR UNITED STATES CITIES:  
CHRISTMAS PREMIUM 2021**

[The survey compared the rates at 50 popular U.S. destinations over the December 21 to December 27, 2021 period for the cheapest available rental car to the average car rental prices for January 2022. Rates were established on December 15, 2021 via a leading car rental comparison engine. Each city's main airport was chosen as the pick-up and drop-off location. Rank of 1 assigned to the highest car rental rate]

Rank	City	Rate (dollars)	'Holiday' premium (percent)	Rank	City	Rate (dollars)	'Holiday' premium (percent)
1	Honolulu	754	64	26	Seattle	390	41
2	Boston	718	192	27	Kansas City	383	-5
3	Fort Lauderdale	709	111	28	Portland	380	27
4	Charleston	677	15	29	San Diego	374	10
5	Sarasota	646	49	30	Salt Lake City	371	-37
6	Orlando	631	84	31	Charlotte	366	-16
7	Tampa	580	52	32	Memphis	358	-19
8	San Francisco	561	89	33	Philadelphia	357	27
9	Los Angeles	539	33	34	Wichita	353	-10
10	Atlanta	511	89	35	Milwaukee	352	27
11	Las Vegas	511	61	36	Buffalo	351	70
12	Pittsburgh	506	48	37	Detroit	350	36
13	Richmond	483	80	38	Phoenix	345	-11
14	San Antonio	471	2	39	Tucson	341	5
15	New Orleans	468	-1	40	Denver	335	-18
16	New York City	461	47	41	Louisville	315	27
17	Albuquerque	455	10	42	Washington D.C.	308	12
18	Houston	434	34	43	Cincinnati	305	-19
19	Sacramento	433	41	44	Indianapolis	300	39
20	Minneapolis	427	14	45	Chicago	296	12
21	Miami	416	6	46	Baltimore	291	31
22	Fresno	410	411	47	Dallas 1/	288	-2
23	Nashville	407	11	48	Cleveland	287	49
24	Dallas 1/	401	6	49	Savannah	255	-31
25	St Louis	396	5	50	Anchorage	224	-33

1/ The source has Dallas ranked 24 and 47 but no identification as to the specific airports. Clarification as been requested from source.

Source: CheapCarRental "The most expensive car rental destinations over the Christmas holidays" (December 16, 2021) <<https://www.cheapcarrental.net/press.html>> accessed April 8, 2022.