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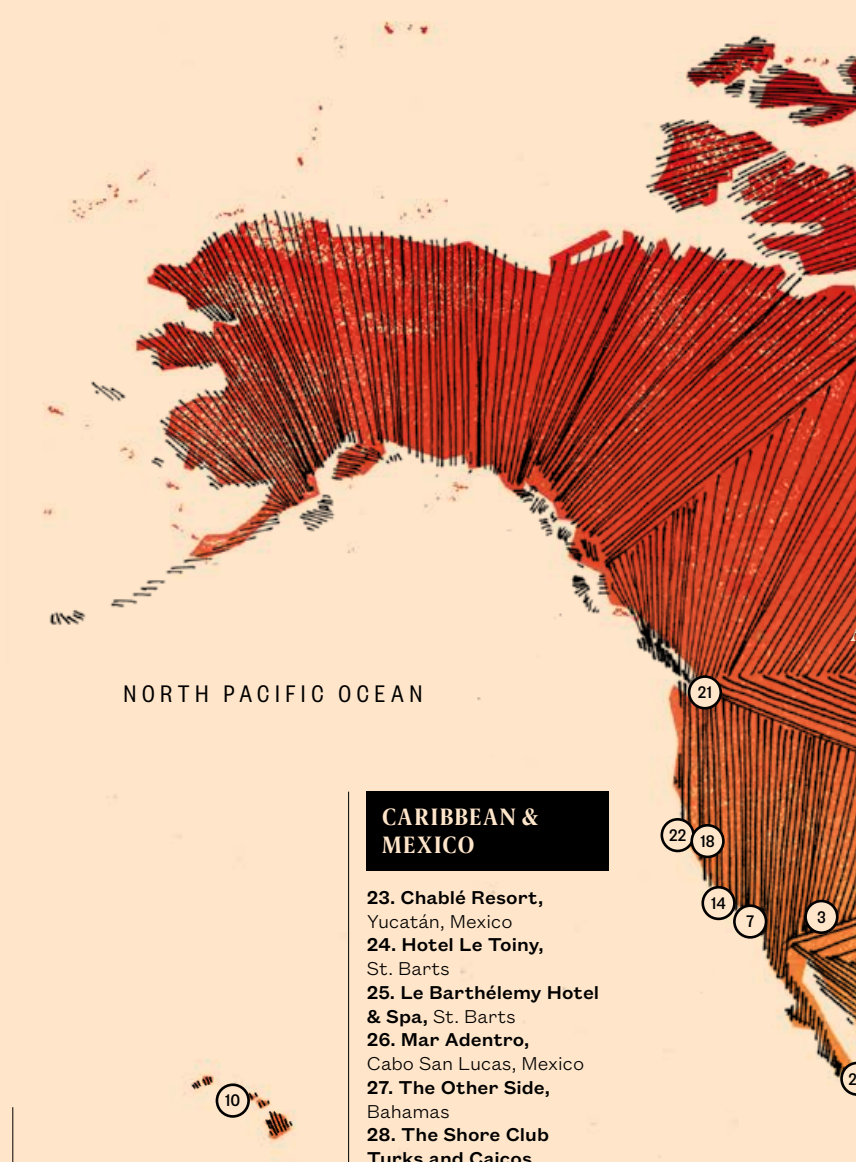
2017 — OUR BEEN-THERE, SLEPT-THERE GUIDE TO THE 75 BEST NEW HOTELS AND RESORTS



Turn and open the page for all of the winners...followed by reviews and photos that'll have you booking rooms now. ▶



WHERE YOU'LL FIND



NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN

UNITED STATES & CANADA

1. **11 Howard**, New York, N.Y.
2. **Ace Hotel New Orleans**, La.
3. **Andaz Scottsdale Resort & Spa**, Ariz.
4. **The Beekman, A Thompson Hotel**, New York, N.Y.
5. **Brentwood**, Saratoga Springs, N.Y.
6. **Casa Grande at Vermejo Park Ranch**, N.M.
7. **Casa Laguna Hotel & Spa**, Laguna Beach, Calif.
8. **The Dewberry**, Charleston, S.C.
9. **EAST**, Miami, Fla.
10. **Four Seasons Resort Lanai**, Hawaii

11. **Greydon House**, Nantucket, Mass.
12. **Hotel Saint George**, Marfa, Tex.
13. **Hôtel William Gray**, Montreal, Canada
14. **Malibu Beach Inn**, Calif.
15. **The Peninsula Chicago**, Ill.
16. **The Robey**, Chicago, Ill.
17. **Scribner's Catskill Lodge**, Hunter, N.Y.
18. **SingleThread Farm-Restaurant-Inn**, Sonoma, Calif.
19. **Taylor River Lodge**, Crested Butte, Colo.
20. **Thompson Nashville**, Tenn.
21. **Thompson Seattle**, Wash.
22. **Timber Cove Resort**, Sonoma, Calif.

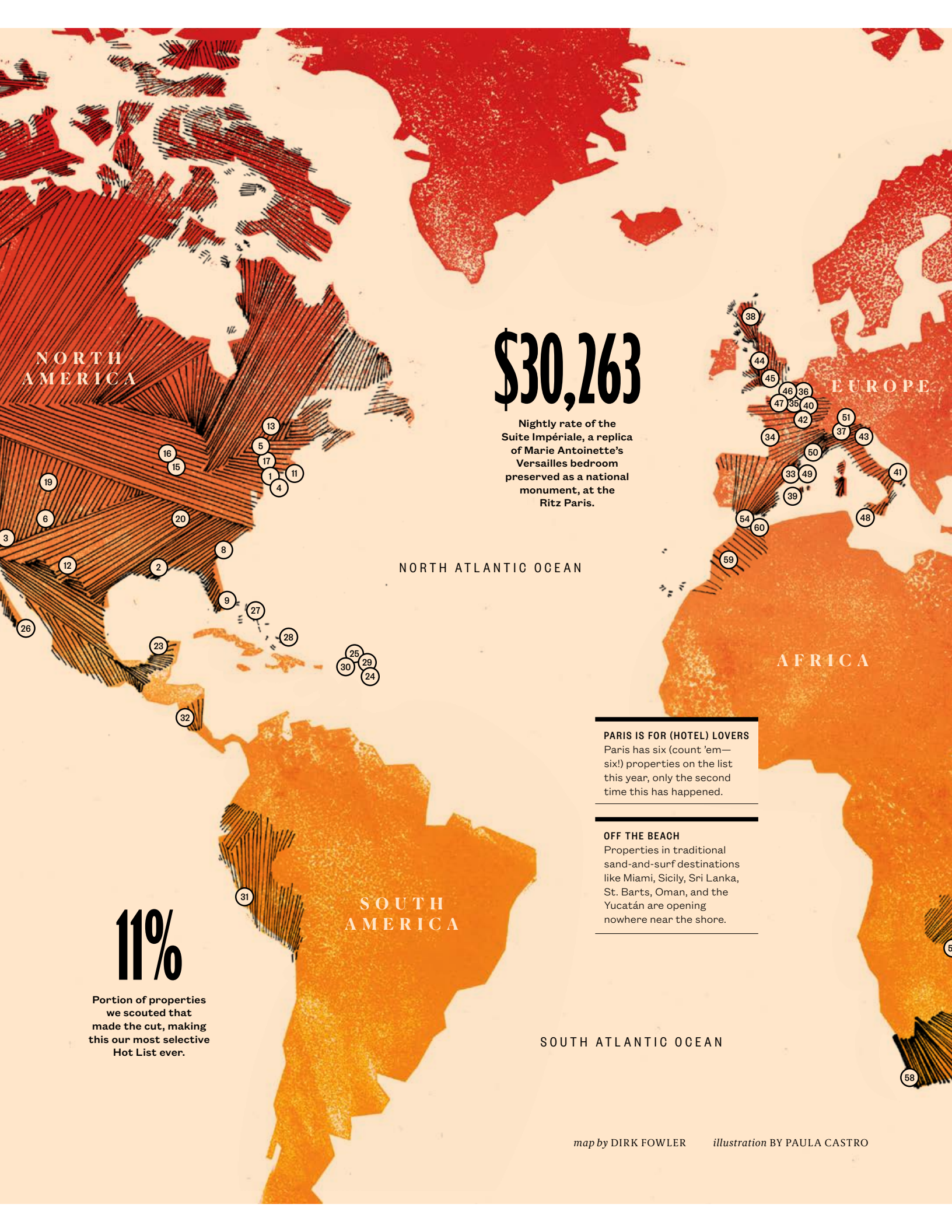
CARIBBEAN & MEXICO

23. **Chablé Resort**, Yucatán, Mexico
24. **Hotel Le Toiny**, St. Barts
25. **Le Barthélemy Hotel & Spa**, St. Barts
26. **Mar Adentro**, Cabo San Lucas, Mexico
27. **The Other Side**, Bahamas
28. **The Shore Club Turks and Caicos**
29. **Villa Marie Saint-Barth**, St. Barts
30. **Zemi Beach House**, Anguilla

CENTRAL & SOUTH AMERICA

31. **Atemporal-Hotelito in Lima**, Peru
32. **Nekupe Sporting Resort and Retreat**, Nandaime, Nicaragua

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN



NORTH AMERICA

EUROPE

AFRICA

SOUTH AMERICA

\$30,263

Nightly rate of the Suite Impériale, a replica of Marie Antoinette's Versailles bedroom preserved as a national monument, at the Ritz Paris.

NORTH ATLANTIC OCEAN

SOUTH ATLANTIC OCEAN

11%

Portion of properties we scouted that made the cut, making this our most selective Hot List ever.

PARIS IS FOR (HOTEL) LOVERS
Paris has six (count 'em—six!) properties on the list this year, only the second time this has happened.

OFF THE BEACH
Properties in traditional sand-and-surf destinations like Miami, Sicily, Sri Lanka, St. Barts, Oman, and the Yucatán are opening nowhere near the shore.

ABOUT NEXT YEAR

This is the first time London did not have a single property on our Hot List. Expect it to come back in a big way (we're already gaga for The Ned).

THINK SMALL

More than half of the hotels on the list this year have fewer than 50 rooms.

ASIA

800

Years in age of the *ikenwa* (pond garden) at the Four Seasons Hotel Kyoto.

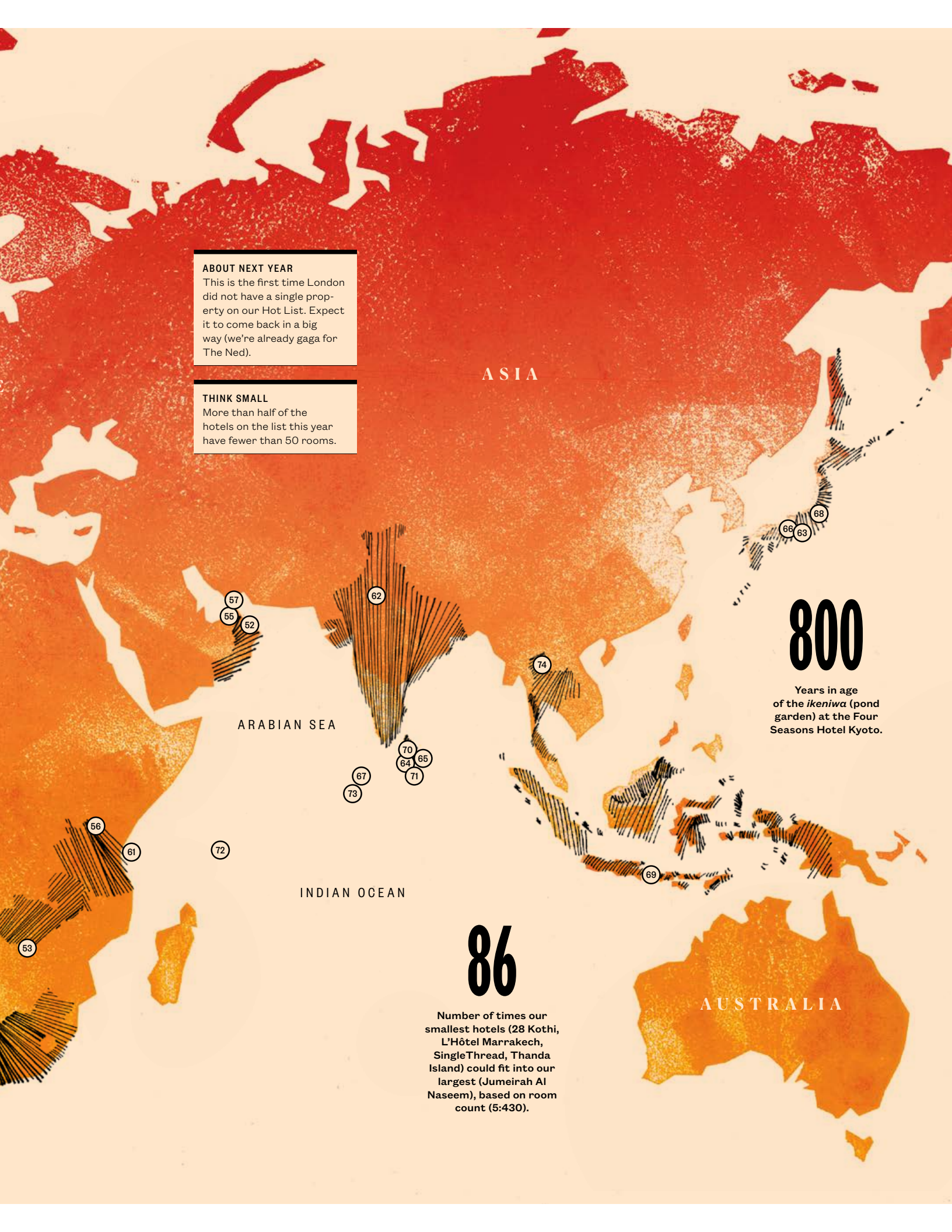
ARABIAN SEA

INDIAN OCEAN

86

Number of times our smallest hotels (28 Kothi, L'Hôtel Marrakech, SingleThread, Thanda Island) could fit into our largest (Jumeirah Al Naseem), based on room count (5:430).

AUSTRALIA





NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN

EUROPE

- 33. **Casa Bonay**,
Barcelona, Spain
- 34. **Ha(a)itza**,
Pyla-sur-Mer, France
- 35. **Hôtel Panache**,
Paris, France
- 36. **Hôtel Saint-Marc**,
Paris, France
- 37. **Il Sereno**,
Lake Como, Italy
- 38. **Killiehuntly
Farmhouse &
Cottage**, Scotland
- 39. **La Granja**
Ibiza, Spain
- 40. **Le Saint**,
Paris, France
- 41. **Masseria Le
Carrube**, Ostuni, Italy
- 42. **Nolinski Paris**,
France
- 43. **Palazzo Venart**,
Venice, Italy
- 44. **Palé Hall**,
Gwynedd, Wales
- 45. **The PIG at Combe**,
Devon, England
- 46. **Ritz Paris**, France
- 47. **Roch Hôtel & Spa**,
Paris, France
- 48. **Sikelia**,
Pantelleria, Italy
- 49. **Soho House
Barcelona**, Spain
- 50. **Villa La Coste**,
Provence, France
- 51. **Villa Pliniana**,
Lake Como, Italy

AFRICA & THE MIDDLE EAST

- 52. **Anantara Al Jabal
Al Akhdar Resort**,
Nizwa, Oman
- 53. **andBeyond Matetsi
River Lodge**, Zimbabwe
- 54. **Banyan Tree
Tamouda Bay**,
Fnideq, Morocco
- 55. **Four Seasons
Hotel Abu Dhabi at Al
Maryah Island**, U.A.E.
- 56. **The Highlands**,
Ngorongoro, Tanzania
- 57. **Jumeirah Al Naseem**,
Dubai, U.A.E.
- 58. **Leeu Estates**,
Franschhoek, South Africa
- 59. **L'Hôtel**
Marrakech, Morocco
- 60. **Sofitel Tamuda Bay
Beach and Spa Hotel**,
M'diq, Morocco
- 61. **Thanda Island**, Tanzania

ASIA

- 62. **28 Kothi**, Jaipur, India
- 63. **Amanemu**,
Shima, Japan
- 64. **Anantara Peace
Haven Tangalle
Resort**, Sri Lanka
- 65. **Chena Huts**,
Sri Lanka
- 66. **Four Seasons
Hotel Kyoto**, Japan
- 67. **Four Seasons
Private Island Maldives
at Voavah, Baa Atoll**,
Maldives
- 68. **Hoshinoya Tokyo**,
Japan
- 69. **Katamama**,
Bali, Indonesia

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- 70. **KK Beach**,
Habaraduwa, Sri Lanka
- 71. **Santani Wellness
Resort & Spa**, Kandy
District, Sri Lanka
- 72. **Six Senses Zil
Pasyon**, Seychelles
- 73. **The St. Regis
Maldives Vommuli
Resort**, Maldives
- 74. **Villa Mahabhirom**,
Chiang Mai, Thailand

AUSTRALIA & THE SOUTH PACIFIC

- 75. **Helena Bay Lodge**,
Northland, New Zealand



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BY THE LOCALS, 'STOOD BUT WITH YOU IN MIND

It's almost a given that a hotel will make some claim of localism (we don't think stocking the minibar with regional craft beer really counts). These properties, however, are implementing more considered collaborations that actually resonate with the guests.

Andaz Scottsdale Resort & Spa

Those colorful oil canvases and ceramic mugs you're sipping coffee from (even the staff's name tags and bracelets) come from the 81-year-old art collective Cattle Track, down the road.

Casa Bonay, Barcelona

The 67-room hotel taps into new-wave Catalan design with yak's-wool bedcovers

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loomed in neighboring Terrassa and prints by designer Clara Arnús.

Hotel Saint George, Marfa (below)

The Marfa Book Company, a 21-year-old local institution, moved into the hotel lobby where it shares space with paintings by Texan Jeff Elrod.

Hôtel William Gray, Montreal

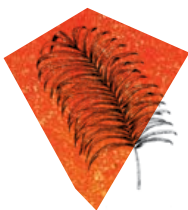
Savvy Quebecois know the most buttery croissants come from Café Olimpico, whose latest outpost is next to the lobby.

Thompson Nashville

You'll need jeans in this town. And the in-room fittings with homegrown brand Imogene + Willie will make it impossible to shop for denim at a store ever again.



Photograph by Casey Dunn/courtesy of Hotel Saint George



FEW THINGS are more divine than an **OUTDOOR MASSAGE**, shrouded by **PALMS** IN THE GARDEN at **SIKELIA**, the first luxury resort on **SICILY'S PANTELLERIA ISLAND**.