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## Electronic Room Nights Increase Over 4% for European Hotels in Q3 2005

*TravelCLICK's eMonitor Reports Top Destinations in Europe*

CHICAGO (19 December 2005) – TravelCLICK's eMonitor results for the third quarter 2005 shows that European hotel room nights booked electronically through the Global Distribution Systems (GDS) and key Internet sites were up by 4.2% in comparison to the same period last year. This increase slightly over performed the worldwide hotel growth of 2.2%.

The third quarter average daily rate (ADR) for European hotels was \$181.23, a 2.2% improvement compared to the same quarter last year. This increase in ADR for European hotels was under that of worldwide hotels, which saw a 7.1% growth.

“Amsterdam, Munich and Brussels showed considerable strength within the third quarter,” said Jan Tissera, President of TravelCLICK International. “European electronic channel market growth continues at a pace almost double that of the rest of the world.”

eMonitor results are compiled from TravelCLICK's comprehensive database, which is the exclusive source of hotel industry electronic distribution data from the Amadeus, Galileo, Sabre and Worldspan GDS. TravelCLICK's eMonitor also includes hotel bookings made through third-party travel Internet websites powered by Pegasus Solutions.

### Electronic Room Night Bookings for Europe – Q3 2005

	Room Nights	% Change Over Q3 2004	ADR	% Change Over Q3 2004
Total Europe	4,827,480	4.2%	\$181.23	2.2%
Total Worldwide	30,924,618	2.2%	\$132.01	7.1%

### Top European Destination Markets – Q3 2005

The top 10 destination markets based on electronic room nights in Europe, in order, were:

Q3 2005 Top 10 European Cities	Room Nights	% Change Over Q3 2004	ADR	% Change Over Q3 2004
1. London	783,472	1.4%	\$227.33	0.0%
2. Paris	353,587	-1.2%	\$212.50	4.0%
3. Amsterdam	138,875	10.0%	\$190.23	2.5%
4. Frankfurt	136,839	-1.7%	\$159.06	2.0%
5. Madrid	121,140	3.3%	\$148.81	3.5%

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6. Munich	109,305	11.0%	\$175.41	3.3%
7. Rome	94,003	3.0%	\$251.74	6.3%
8. Brussels	93,171	7.6%	\$168.18	3.2%
9. Barcelona	90,019	-4.0%	\$168.90	3.9%
10. Stockholm	88,235	0.1%	\$181.54	0.7%

To receive a free listing of third quarter results by top 50 cities worldwide in electronic room nights, please email [emonitor@travelclick.net](mailto:emonitor@travelclick.net). Up-to-date GDS hotel booking summaries by local market are available at [www.travelclick.net](http://www.travelclick.net).

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