

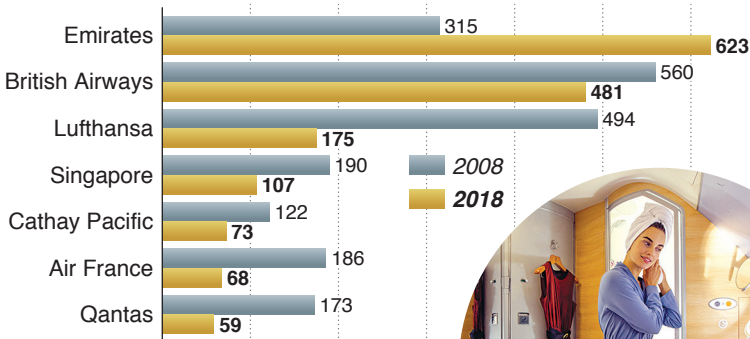
First-class air travel making a comeback

First-class air travel fell sharply as the 2008 financial crisis curbed corporate spending. A decade on, long-haul operators are reintroducing first-class cabins costing more than \$10,000 for a round-trip ticket

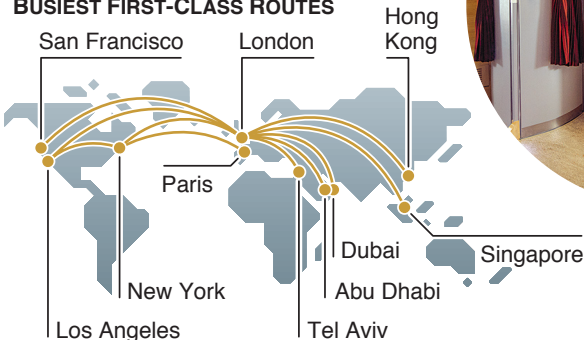
*Emirates A380
first-class
cabins*



FIRST-CLASS SEAT AVAILABILITY (thousands)



BUSIEST FIRST-CLASS ROUTES



Some carriers even offer onboard shower spa facilities