

Is hotels.ng legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 80/100

hotels.ng

Verdict

80

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

hotels.ng appears legitimate.

Our checks found nothing pointing to fraud. Ordinary care still applies when you pay or sign in.

Not Scam

Safe for Login

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-08-11 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 75%.

What this site appears to be

Hotels.ng hotel booking homepage listing popular Nigerian destinations, contact numbers, login/signup prompts, app download callouts, and promotional hotel deals.

Evidence status and limitations

- Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN
- The real-world operator identity was not independently verified.
 - Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	None flagged it VirusTotal	CLEAR
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	13 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2013 804 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by WE1	NOTED

The page as captured

No screenshot is retained for this report.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- Domain age: more than 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2013.
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

Hotels.ng is an online hotel-booking marketplace focused on Nigeria, presenting hotel search, destination listings, promotional deals, telephone and WhatsApp booking support, account registration, and mobile-app download options. Its apparent business model is to facilitate hotel reservations through partner listings, booking commissions, member offers, and related marketing.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No contradictions were observed: there is no indication of phishing, brand impersonation, malicious reputation, or conflicting legal identities in the supplied evidence. The homepage presents a coherent travel-booking service, including searches across Nigerian destinations, hotel promotions, telephone booking assistance, WhatsApp contact, and standard sign-in, sign-up, and newsletter forms. The account forms did not submit passwords to untrusted destinations, and behavioral testing found no hidden forms, wallet-connect activity, clipboard manipulation, cloaking, or other credential-draining mechanisms. The website therefore presents an evidence-consistent, low-risk interaction model, although the real-world operator identity remains likely rather than independently verified.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage is titled “Hotels.ng: Book the best Hotels in Nigeria” and presents hotel searches, Nigerian destinations, promotional deals, telephone support, WhatsApp access, and account prompts.
- The homepage contains 3 forms—login, signup, and newsletter subscription—with no sensitive form directed to an untrusted destination; behavioral testing recorded 0 wallet-connect runs, 0 wallet-drainer runs, 0 hidden forms, and 0 clipboard-write detections.
- External reputation checks recorded 0 malicious and 0 suspicious findings, with no blacklist or phishing indication and 0 reported abuse records for the observed content-delivery infrastructure.
- The domain has an age of 13.300479123887747 years; archival coverage contains 804 snapshots across 14 years, with the first snapshot on 2013-04-22T12:26:23Z and the last on 2026-07-21T08:28:37Z.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The available evidence is consistent with an established, apparently legitimate travel website, but it does not independently verify the legal entity operating the service. The supplied site content does not establish a licensing or registration credential for the booking marketplace; this is a regulatory and disclosure item to

confirm rather than evidence of a scam. A valid domain-validated TLS certificate supports secure transport, but DV validation does not establish corporate identity or regulatory status. No matching broker-related third-party record was identified, which is contextual reputational information and not a licensing determination.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage identifies the service as a hotel-booking marketplace but does not, in the supplied material, provide an independently verified legal-entity or licensing credential.
- The site's TLS certificate is issued by WE1 with validation level DV and is valid to 2026-10-06T00:24:42+00:00.
- The homepage links to Twitter, Facebook, Instagram, and WhatsApp, providing three trusted social-presence signals relevant to apparent business continuity.
- The site has a top-tier global traffic footprint within the supplied external ranking data, with an exact rank of 81772 and inclusion in the top 1 million.

What to Verify Next

Before credential or payment interactions, an independent party should confirm the merchant or operating entity through an official business or relevant travel-industry registry, review the applicable booking terms and cancellation or refund provisions, and confirm that payment protections and dispute mechanisms are available. Contact channels should be validated through an independently sourced route rather than relying solely on the website. Account use should also be limited to the minimum information necessary for the booking.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage exposes sign-in and sign-up flows, making independent confirmation of the service operator and account-purpose disclosures appropriate before credential submission.
- The booking marketplace model involves reservations and promotional hotel offers, so cancellation, refund, partner-hotel, and payment-protection terms should be checked in the applicable booking documentation.
- The supplied evidence shows telephone and WhatsApp booking channels, which can be cross-checked against independently sourced business information.

Summary Verdict

Available evidence is consistent with an established, apparently legitimate website and supports a high-trust, low-risk posture. No scam, phishing, impersonation, or identity-contradiction indicators were observed, while operator identity remains not independently verified.

Infrastructure Integrity

The website is protected by Cloudflare's CDN/WAF, with observed addresses belonging to CDN edge infrastructure and no origin candidate identified in the analysis. This reduces direct exposure of the hosting environment and is a mitigating security control, not proof of legitimacy.

EVIDENCE

- Hosted on AS13335, CLOUDFLARENET — Cloudflare, Inc., US; observed edge addresses include 104.21.69.7, 172.67.202.84, 2606:4700:3031::6815:4507, and 2606:4700:3036::ac43:ca54.
- The infrastructure resolved through ARIN-associated Cloudflare network services, with 4 observed IP addresses and 0 likely origin IP candidates.

Closing Assessment

Normal browsing and ordinary booking research are proportionate; before entering credentials or making a payment, independent merchant-identity, cancellation, refund, and payment-protection checks should be completed.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-11 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

No rule findings contributed to this verdict.

Identity verification

Status	LIKELY
Identity score	79/100
Identity verification confidence	78%

- Trusted social count=3

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of hotels.ng.

- The request stayed on hotels.ng. It was not redirected to another domain. [CLEAR](#)
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2013-04-22. [CLEAR](#)
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in US. [NOTED](#)

Domain intelligence

Registrar	Not available
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	2606:4700:3031::6815:4507
Name servers	Not available
SSL issuer	WE1
SSL expiry	2026-10-06

Domain age	13.30 years (continuous registration)
Domain expiry	Not available
Archive first seen	2013-04-22
Archive snapshots	804
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about hotels.ng at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.

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