



The magnificent Burj Al Arab with Madinat Jumeirah Resort in the foreground © Jumeirah

## DUBAI

A glistening, modern city in the romantic deserts of Arabia, Dubai has so much to offer that it is perfect both for a stopover or holiday. The city is a mix of old and new, with traditional buildings along the Dubai Creek side by side with soaring skyscrapers. Visit the magnificent Jumeirah Mosque and picturesque Bastakiya, with its historical wind-towered merchant houses. Cruise aboard a traditional dhow or travel out to the desert for dinner in the dunes. If you love shopping Dubai is a shopper's heaven, from the winding alleyways of the exotic spice souk, the rug traders or the dazzling gold souk, to the modern shopping malls and exclusive boutiques selling designer fashions and electronics. Dubai is also known for its fine dining restaurants and great beaches.



Shopping in Dubai

## DUBAI

### 3 days/2 nights

#### Hotels

#### ACCOMMODATION

Price per person from:*	Twin	Single
09-31 May & 01-30 Sep		
<b>Burj Al Arab</b> (Deluxe Suite)	\$2388	\$4706
14-31 Jan, 08 May-04 Jun & 01-30 Sep		
<b>Madinat Jumeirah Resort</b>		
Mina A'Salam (Balcony Deluxe)	\$950	\$1818
Al Qasr (Arabian Deluxe)	\$992	\$1902
Dar Al Masyaf (Arabian Summerhouse Dlx)	\$1054	\$2026
15-31 May, 01-30 Sep & 09-26 Dec		
<b>Habtoor Grand Resort &amp; Spa</b>	\$506	\$856
22 May-31 Aug		
<b>Le Meridien Dubai</b> (Classic Rm)	\$333	\$584
<b>Marco Polo Hotel</b> (Standard Rm)	\$293	\$494
<b>Traders Hotel</b> (Superior Rm)	\$317	\$512
<b>Sheraton Dubai Creek</b> (City View Rm)	\$371	\$608
<b>Royal Ascot Hotel</b> (Standard Rm)	\$253	\$426
<b>Al Maha Desert Resort &amp; Spa</b>	\$1406	\$2734

\*Prices outside these date ranges on request.

**Price per person includes:** Airport/hotel transfers by private car with meet & greet, compulsory U.A.E. handling fee, 2 nights bed & breakfast accommodation (except Al Maha Desert Resort full board) and afternoon "City of Merchants" tour.

#### DAY TOURS

Tour cost per person from:*	Twin	Single
<b>Sundowner Dune Dinner</b>	\$102	\$102
'Arabian feast' with entertainment in the heart of the desert. Duration: Evening.		
<b>Moonlight Dhow Cruise with Dinner</b>	\$93	\$93
Sumptuous dinner aboard a magnificent traditional wooden Dhow. Duration: Evening.		
<b>Abu Dhabi Day Tour</b>	\$77	\$77
Tour Abu Dhabi, the capital of the UAE. Duration: Full day. Departs Mon, Wed & Sat*.		
<b>Wadi Mountain Safari</b>	\$118	\$118
Explore the deserts & the rocky canyons of the Hajar Mountains. Duration: Full day. Departs Mon & Wed*.		

\*Based on high season: 01 Jan-31 May & 01 Sep-31 Oct. Departure days for dates outside these ranges on request. Further details for all tours on request.

#### Burj Al Arab

The luxurious Burj Al Arab dominates the Dubai coastline and has 202 beautifully decorated air-conditioned suites with exquisite living and dining areas. Hotel facilities include 8 restaurants, shopping, access to Wild Wadi Water Park, The Assawan Spa & Health Club, swimming pools, squash court and fitness studios.



Burj Al Arab one bedroom deluxe suite

#### Madinat Jumeirah Resort

The prestigious Madinat Jumeirah Resort is styled to resemble an ancient Arabian citadel. Meandering waterways are used to transport guests to all parts of this complex. Accommodation consists of 2 grand boutique hotels each comprising 292 meticulously appointed rooms and suites as well as the Dar Al Masyaf, a network of beautifully designed stand-alone, two-story Arabian villas. Resort facilities include a traditional souk, Talise Spa, nightclubs, restaurants, cafes and bars.

#### Le Meridien Dubai

Surrounded by 38 acres of gardens, Le Meridien combines contemporary luxury with Dubai's European flair. The hotel features 383 elegantly furnished rooms all with modern amenities including 18 restaurants, 3 swimming pools and a fitness studio.

#### Marco Polo Hotel

Located in Dubai's oldest district - Deira, the Marco Polo Hotel is 15 minutes from Dubai Airport and 10 minutes from the city centre. Features include 128 well appointed rooms, an array of speciality restaurants, 24 hr coffee shop and outdoor swimming pool.



Marco Polo Hotel

#### Traders Hotel

Traders Hotel is a quality 4 star establishment located in Deira's traditional shopping district. The hotel has 250 rooms and suites, a restaurant, bar and lounge, gym, sauna, spa and massage rooms.

#### Habtoor Grand Resort & Spa

Overlooking Dubai's fabulous Jumeirah waterfront, Habtoor Grand Resort & Spa boasts 446 luxurious rooms and suites tastefully decorated in warm Arabian style. Room facilities include flat screen TVs and high speed internet access. The hotel also features a spa, several swimming pools and a range of world-class restaurants.

**Sheraton Dubai Creek**

Minutes from the famed gold and spice souks and Dubai Airport, Sheraton Dubai Creek is a 262 room hotel with 5 star facilities including a fitness centre, swimming pools, tennis courts and a number of restaurants.

**Royal Ascot Hotel**

Royal Ascot Hotel offers a wealthy retreat in the heart of Dubai's shopping district. The 181 spacious rooms and suites are tastefully furnished with rich decor and modern conveniences. Hotel facilities include fine dining restaurants, bars, pool and spa.

**MUSANDAM PENINSULA**

Just 2 hrs drive from Dubai, the Musandam Peninsula is an exclave of Oman. Known for its stunning fjords and waterways, swimming and snorkeling at Musandam is an experience not to be missed. Our 'Musandam Peninsula Retreat' on page 29 is also available departing from Dubai. Please contact us for details.



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Emirates Palace

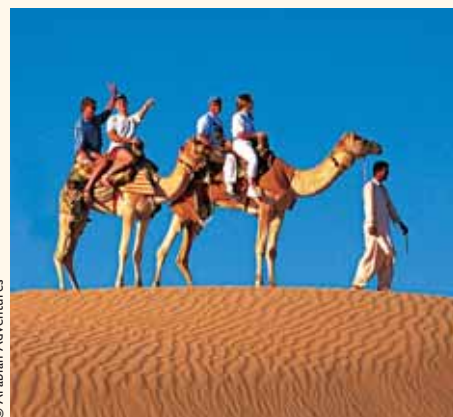
**AL MAHA DESERT RESORT & SPA**

Designed to reflect a Bedouin encampment, this exclusive, award-winning resort is nestled amongst the sand dunes with panoramic views of the Hajar Mountains and the desert landscape. A leader in eco-tourism, the hotel is set in a 225-square kilometre reserve for endangered and indigenous wildlife and flora. Al Maha offers lavish accommodation in luxurious suites with private pools. The outstanding facilities include a restaurant, spa, leisure centre and activities such as falconry, horseriding, camel trekking, archery, 4 wheel driving and nature walks.



**ABU DHABI**

As the capital of the United Arab Emirates, Abu Dhabi is a political, cultural and commercial centre. Visit the Grand Mosque, one of the largest in the world, drive along the spectacular Corniche, visit the Heritage Village and discover what traditional life was like here before oil was discovered. Also visit the fish market and vegetable souk. Some of the many optional tours include dinner in the dunes, a desert safari, a day at Aquaventure water park, or a desert adventure into the Empty Quarter and Liwa Oasis.



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Desert Camel experience

**ABU DHABI**  
3 days/2 nights  
Hotels

**ACCOMMODATION**

Price per person from:*	Twin	Single
<b>Emirates Palace</b> (Coral Rm) 08 Jan-19 Feb, 25 Feb-15 Apr, 01-19 May	\$890	\$1416
<b>Shangri-La Qaryat Al Beri</b> (Dlx Rm) 01 Jan-02 Jun & 01 Oct-31 Dec	\$578	\$1068
<b>Beach Rotana</b> (Classic Rm) 01 Feb-31 Mar & 01 Sep-31 Oct	\$418	\$764
<b>Traders Hotel</b> (Superior Rm) 01 Jan-02 Jun & 01 Oct-31 Dec	\$452	\$828

\*Prices outside these date ranges on request.

**Price per person includes:** Meet & assistance at Abu Dhabi Airport, Compulsory U.A.E. handling fee, airport/hotel transfers by private car, 2 nights bed & breakfast accommodation.

**OPTIONAL ABU DHABI DAY TOURS**

Prices from:*	Per Person
01 Jan-31 Oct	
Abu Dhabi half day AM city tour (operates Mon & Wed only)	\$48
Oasis Adventure (operates Tue only)	\$66
Empty Quarter Liwa Safari	On request
01 Jan-30 Apr	
A Day in the Dunes (operates Sun & Tue only)	\$104

**Emirates Palace**

One of only two 7 star properties in the world, this spectacular hotel is surrounded by landscaped gardens, has its own private beach and offers 394 rooms and suites, restaurants, shops, pools, spa, gym, sports and watersports.



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Shangri-La Qaryat Al Beri

**Shangri-La Qaryat Al Beri**

This beautiful 5 star hotel on a private beach is just 10 mins from the airport and offers 214 luxurious rooms and suites with balcony or terrace, fine dining, swimming pools, spa, yoga, gym and souk.

**Beach Rotana**

In the heart of the city on its own beach, 30 mins from the airport, the 5 star Rotana is conveniently located next to the Abu Dhabi Mall. It offers 413 sea facing rooms and suites, restaurants, gym, Zen spa, tennis, squash, pools and dive centre.

**Traders Hotel Qaryat Al Beri**

This 4 star hotel is part of the Shangri-La Qaryat Al Beri hotel complex and features a private beach, 301 well-appointed rooms and suites and access to the restaurants and leisure facilities of the complex.