

Reunion & Mauritius Island Discovery

SALAZIE ● SAINT PIERRE ● CILAOS ● FLIC EN FLAC

The Offer

Embrace the white sand beaches and vanilla-scented landscapes of Reunion Island and Mauritius on a journey like no other.

Dive into the colourful Creole atmosphere of Sainte-Marie, your gateway to Reunion Island's lush natural beauty. Travel through the Cirque de Salazie to discover picturesque villages, vanilla orchid plantations and experience authentic island culture. Find inspiration in the untamed mountain landscapes and volcanic lava fields of Grand Brule and the UNESCO-listed Piton de la Fournaise. Take in the panoramic views of the Trois Salazes and more as you wind your way along Cirque de Cilaos. Ascend Piton Maido for awe-inspiring views framed by Reunion Island's highest peaks: Piton des Neiges, Gros Morne and Grand Benare, showcasing the remote Cirque de Mafate down to the jewel-blue ocean beyond.

Fly to Mauritius with three days to unwind at a chic, sunset-facing oasis in Flic en Flac, the stunning beachfront Anelia Resort & Spa, or similar. Take a dip in the infinity pool, work on your tan on sun-kissed beaches or set out to explore this French island at your own pace. You could discover the multi-coloured dunes of Chamarel, or its towering waterfall.

Take a scenic drive through Black River Gorges National Park, sample street food in the cultural hubs of Port Louis, opt for a sunset cruise to the Île aux Cerfs for world-class snorkeling and more.

This exotic adventure includes return international full-service flights, a one-way internal flight, 10 nights of 4-star hotel accommodation, 20 meals, including daily breakfast, return airport transfers and more.

Want more? Extend your island adventure with options to Arrive Early in Reunion Island or Stay Behind in Mauritius.

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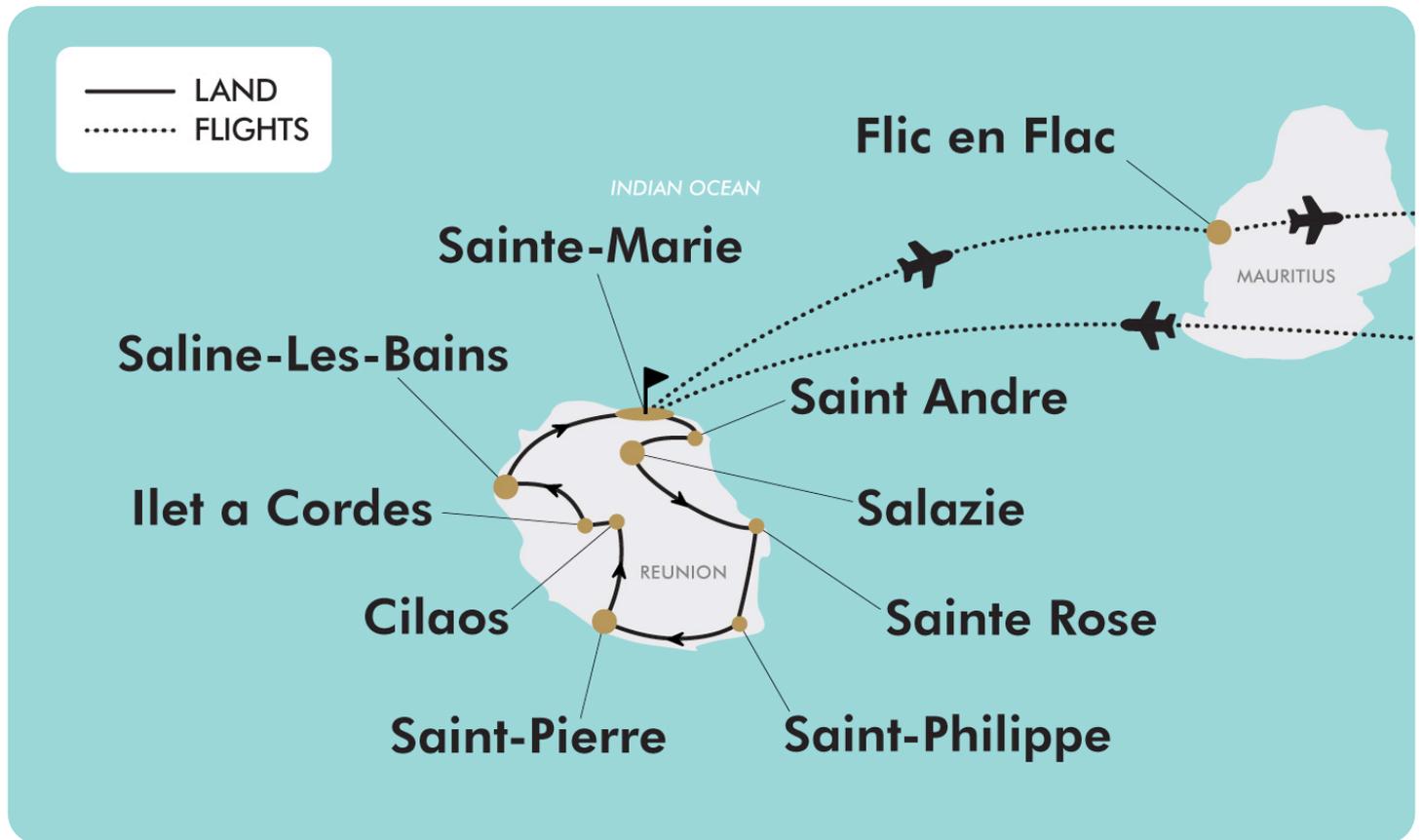
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The Map





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The Itinerary

Day 1 Australia (or New Zealand) - Sainte-Marie, Reunion Island

Depart for Sainte-Marie, Reunion Island.

Please note: Due to flight scheduling and availability, some departures may occur on Day 0. Affected customers must be at the airport the day before. Flight times will be indicated on your final documentation, which you will receive prior to departure. Affected customers may depart on Day 0 and arrive on Day 1.

Meals included: In-Flight

Day 2 Welcome to Sainte-Marie, Reunion Island

On arrival at the airport, you'll be greeted by a representative and transferred to the hotel. If it is too early for check-in, luggage can be stored at the hotel. Enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure.

Located on the lush northeast coast of Reunion, Sainte-Marie is often Reunion Island's first impression. With its mix of Creole heritage, oceanfront scenery and access to dramatic volcanic landscapes, it offers an authentic slice of island life blending colourful Creole houses, small cafes with everyday island life. The coastline here is shaped by lava rock cliffs and crashing Indian Ocean swells, with panoramic views stretching toward the island's mountainous interior.

Overnight: Hotel Exsel Creolia or similar, Sainte-Marie

Meals included: Dinner

Day 3 Sainte-Marie – Salazie

Today, be met by your local guide before setting off towards Saint-Andre.

Discover the orchid that has placed Reunion Island on the world stage, the vanilla orchid, celebrated not only for its intoxicating fragrance, but for its distinctive character. Visit the family-owned Roulof Vanilla Plantation, where generations have perfected their craft, to gain an insight into the intricate and time-honoured process of vanilla cultivation. Perhaps enjoy lunch in a traditional farmhouse for an authentic taste of local cuisine (not included).

This afternoon, continue to the spectacular Cirque de Salazie, a verdant mountain amphitheatre scattered with charming villages and dramatic waterfalls lining the Riviere du Mat. Along the way, admire natural wonders including the impressive Cascade Blanche, the elegant Voile de la Mariee, and the aptly named "Pisse en l'Air," tumbling spectacularly onto the road below.

Continue to Salazie, and check-in to your hotel for an overnight stay. Enjoy dinner immersed in the tranquil beauty of Reunion Island's highlands.

Overnight: Sarana Hotel & Spa or similar, Salazie

Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 4 Salazie

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel this morning before setting out to discover the enchanting village of Hell-Bourg. The village is officially listed among France's most beautiful villages and is admired for its elegant Creole architecture. Step inside the beautifully preserved Maison Folio, a traditional home offering a glimpse into 19th-century colonial life, complete with lush gardens that showcase the island's botanical heritage.



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Enjoy leisure time to stroll through the village's picturesque streets at your own pace. You may wish to walk to the nearby former thermal baths, once a celebrated attraction that contributed to the renown of the Cirque de Salazie.

Overnight: Sarana Hotel & Spa or similar, Salazie
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 5 Salazie – Saint-Philippe – Saint-Pierre

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel before departing to discover the untamed beauty of Reunion Island's wild south - a region rich in authentic Creole culture and tradition.

En route, stop at Piton Sainte-Rose to see the remarkable Notre-Dame des Laves church, famously spared by advancing lava during past eruptions. Travel onward through the dramatic landscapes of Grand Brule, a vast, uninhabited expanse shaped by volcanic forces. This striking terrain leads to the lava tunnels at the foot of Piton de la Fournaise, where fire and ocean have met in spectacular fashion over the years. Amid sulphur mist, smoke and steam, each eruption has extended the island's coastline, in some cases by nearly thirty hectares.

Pause at the notable 2007 lava flow to witness this powerful natural phenomenon up close. Why not savour a traditional Creole lunch at Cap Mechant (lunch not included) before continuing along the scenic coastal road via Manapany and Grand Anse, where rugged cliffs and crashing waves create some of the island's most dramatic vistas.

Arrive in Saint-Pierre, the lively 'Capital of the South,' where multicultural influences blend seamlessly with the charm of a historic fishing town.

Overnight: Villa Delisle or similar, Saint-Pierre
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 6 Saint-Pierre

Begin your day with an early breakfast at the hotel before travelling along the forest road toward the spectacular volcanic landscapes of Piton de la Fournaise, part of the UNESCO-listed World Heritage site.

Pause at Nez de Bœuf for sweeping views over the dramatic Riviere des Remparts valley, a truly breathtaking panorama. Continue across the Plaine des Sables, an extraordinary lunar-like plateau of ochre and volcanic rock, before reaching Pas de Bellecombe at 2,300 metres. From this exceptional lookout, take in the vast Enclos Fouque caldera, the towering silhouette of Piton de la Fournaise, and a landscape sculpted by lava flows and craters. You'll also glimpse the volcano's two main peaks, Bory (2,632 m) and Dolomieu (2,525 m). Enjoy leisure time to soak up the raw beauty and scale of this unforgettable setting.

In the afternoon, immerse yourself in island tradition with a hands-on Creole rum workshop set within a lush garden. Discover the art of crafting "rhum arrange" and blend your own personalised bottle to take home, a spirited reminder of your time in Reunion Island.

Later, return to your hotel for dinner and a relaxing overnight stay.

Overnight: Villa Delisle or similar, Saint-Pierre
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner



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Day 7 Saint-Pierre – Cilaos – Ilet a Cordes – Saline-Les-Bains

Today, set out along Reunion Island's legendary 400-bend road, the only access route into the spectacular Cirque de Cilaos.

This winding mountain drive reveals breathtaking scenery at every turn, with views of some of the island's highest and most dramatic peaks, including Grand Benare, Piton des Neiges, Gros Morne, Col du Taïbit, the striking Dimitile ridge and the Trois Salazes, three towering rock formations standing between the Cirque de Mafate and Cirque de Cilaos.

Renowned for its thermal springs, boutique vineyards, intricate embroidery and prized lentils, Cilaos is a cirque rich in heritage and tradition. Wander through the charming town centre and visit the peaceful Mare a Joncs, located just moments from the heart of the village. Continue to Ilet a Cordes, often described as "the end of the world." The narrow mountain road linking Cilaos to this secluded hamlet offers sweeping panoramic views over the cirque.

On arrival, enjoy a local snack before meeting a true "child of the village," who will guide you through the islet's history and traditions, including its vineyards and the cultivation of its famous lentils, affectionately known as the island's "black gold." You'll also explore his garden, abundant with fruits, vegetables and endemic plants.

This afternoon, depart the Cirque de Cilaos and travel toward the west coast, following either the scenic seaside road or the Tamarind Highway, the main artery linking the south and west, both offering beautiful coastal vistas along the way.

Overnight: Ness By D-Ocean Hotel or similar, Saline-les-Bains
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 8 Saline-les-Bains – Maito – Le Port - Saline-les-Bains

Start your day with breakfast at the hotel before departing around 07:00.

Journey through a captivating mix of landscapes, dry plains, sugar cane fields, rolling grasslands, and forests of cryptomeria and tamarind trees, as you ascend from the west coast to Piton Maito at 2,200 metres.

From this extraordinary vantage point, marvel at the breathtaking panorama of the Cirque de Mafate, a remote valley accessible only on foot and famously served by the island's postman. Around 600 residents live across the cirque's scattered "islets," surrounded by untouched nature and framed by Reunion Island's highest peaks: Piton des Neiges, Gros Morne and Grand Benare.

Visit a traditional Creole house for a local snack while soaking in sweeping views over the west coast, followed by a hands-on Creole cooking class. Enjoy leisure time to enjoy lunch before heading to Le Port to embark on a magical sunset cruise. Glide along the coastline, taking in the stunning seascapes and the tranquil beauty of the ocean, a perfect way to end the day.

Overnight: Ness By D-Ocean Hotel or similar, Saline-les-Bains
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 9 Saline-Les-Bains, Reunion Island – Mauritius

Today, be transferred to the airport for your flight to Mauritius. Upon arrival, a hotel representative will greet you and escort you to the resort.



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Your next adventure begins at the stunning beachfront Anelia Resort & Spa. Boasting 141 beautifully appointed rooms, it is a sanctuary where you can unwind and rediscover the gentle rhythm of long, leisurely days and relaxed evenings. The resort features two infinity pools with spectacular ocean views, a fitness centre, games room, tennis court, aqua-gym sessions, beach volleyball, bocce and yoga classes.

Culinary experiences abound, with diverse dining options to suit every palate. Enjoy themed dinners each evening in the main restaurant or indulge in sumptuous seafood grills on the beach esplanade. From casual bites to gourmet feasts, there's something to delight every taste.

Overnight: Anelia Resort & Spa or similar, Mauritius
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 10 Mauritius - Day at Leisure

Spend a full day at your leisure to explore the many wonders of this beautiful island. Renowned for its golden sandy beaches, crystal-clear lagoons and vibrant coral reefs, the island also boasts lush rainforests, stunning waterfalls, and scenic hiking trails, all waiting to be discovered.

Overnight: Anelia Resort & Spa or similar, Mauritius
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 11 Mauritius - Day at Leisure

Enjoy another leisurely day in this tropical paradise to explore at your own pace. Whether you prefer unwinding on pristine beaches, snorkelling among vibrant coral reefs, or exploring hidden waterfalls and nature reserves, Mauritius offers endless ways to embrace its natural beauty. Wander through charming villages, browse bustling local markets or simply bask in the sun while listening to the soothing rhythm of the waves.

Overnight: Anelia Resort & Spa or similar, Mauritius
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 12 Mauritius - Australia (or New Zealand)

At the designated time, transfer to the airport to board your international flight home, marking the end of your unforgettable journey.

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 13 Arrive in Australia (or New Zealand)

Welcome home!

Please note: Some customers may arrive +1 day.



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Tour Inclusions

HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover Reunion's world-renowned vanilla cultivation
- Explore the spectacular Cirque de Salazie
- See dramatic waterfalls including Cascade Blanche and Voile de la Mariee
- Explore charming Hell-Bourg and visit the elegant Maison Folio
- Admire 19th-century Creole architecture and lush gardens
- Visit Notre-Dame des Laves, miraculously spared by lava
- Travel through the dramatic Grand Brule lava fields
- Stay in vibrant Saint-Pierre, the "Capital of the South"
- Journey across the lunar-like Plaine des Sables
- Enjoy panoramic views from Pas de Bellecombe
- Witness the vast Enclos Fouque caldera
- Enjoy a hands-on Creole rum workshop
- Drive the legendary 400-bend road and explore the stunning Cirque de Cilaos
- Experience a traditional Creole home visit and cooking class
- Relax on a sunset cruise along Reunion's west coast
- Enjoy a beachfront resort with infinity pools and ocean views
- Spend 3 days at leisure in Mauritius
- Swim in the crystal clear waters and relax on the white sandy beaches Island

FLIGHTS

- Return international full-service flights (economy class), surcharges may apply.
- One-way flight (economy class) between Reunion Island and Mauritius

ACCOMMODATION

- 10 nights of 4-star hotel accommodation

DINING

- 20 meals, including daily breakfast

ESSENTIALS

- English-speaking tour guides for tours on Reunion Island
- Airline taxes and surcharges

TRANSPORT

- Transportation by air-conditioned private vehicles

TRANSFERS

- Return airport transfers

Important Information

**Please note: All information provided in this brochure is subject to both change and availability. Prior to purchase please check the current deal for up-to-date information. If you have already purchased this deal, the terms and conditions on your Purchase Confirmation apply and take precedence over the information in this brochure.*

Booking Information

After purchase, you will receive a receipt and a Purchase Confirmation, directing you to an online Passenger Information Form. You must complete the Passenger Information Form within 72 hours of purchase.

Any special requests, preferences and optional extras MUST be clearly stated in your Passenger Information Form. Any change requested after submitting your Passenger Information Form cannot be guaranteed, is strictly subject to availability and will incur surcharges as outlined in the Schedule of Fees below.

Please note: All countries and territories have different entry requirements in relation to vaccinations, quarantine/isolation periods and travel restrictions. Due to the evolving nature, we would ask all of our customers to monitor, meet and adhere to the specific requirements of their intended destination(s) in the lead-up to and immediately before travel, as well as any requirements post-travel upon their return.

Our Policies

Cancellation and Refund Policy

By placing a booking with us, you acknowledge the following important information:

- **we act as your booking agent;** TripADeal is a booking services provider, and curates the Travel Offers available on our website. We act as your booking agent, and we receive payment for the Booking Services as part of the booking price, however, we do not provide any of the Travel Services (flights, accommodation, tours or other products or services) included in your booking – the Travel Services are provided by a number of third party Travel Suppliers.

- **each booking is unique;** our Travel Offers are made up of a variety of different components and are, during the booking process, uniquely tailored to suit your requirements, for example, departure dates and ports, flight and room upgrades, tour inclusions, etc.

- **changes/modifications to your booking may not be possible;** once your booking has been made, changes or modifications may not be possible, and where possible, may incur a fee. It is important to ensure that the information you provide during the booking process is accurate and up to date, and that you read the Travel Offer carefully before placing your order.

- **Travel Offers are a package;** our Travel Offers have been curated into package offerings and must be used as a package – individual components cannot be used independently of the full package offering.

- **our Travel Offers are generally non-refundable;** in order to provide great value Travel Offers, we work with a variety of Travel Suppliers to find the best deals – this often means the Travel Suppliers' offerings are non-refundable to ensure the best price. We recommend that you obtain travel insurance as soon as you make a booking with us.

To read more about our Cancellation and Refund Policy, please [click here](#).

General Terms and Conditions

By placing your booking with us, you acknowledge and agree to our [Terms & Conditions](#), [Privacy Policy](#) and [Cancellation Policy](#).

Offer Essentials

This Travel Offer is valid for travel on selected dates until the 14 September 2027.

This Travel Offer is priced per person based on a twin share.

Departure Dates & Surcharges

See checkout for live dates and availability.

Single Traveller Supplement

For solo travellers, a mandatory single supplement of \$1,650 applies.

Please note: Accommodation for single customers who are travelling on a tour or cruise package may be in a single room, depending on availability.

Child Policy

- No child discounts are offered. The full price applies to all children travelling with their parents.
- Valid for children 12 years old and over.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors are allowed.

Flights

Departure Cities

Sydney, Melbourne, *Brisbane, *Adelaide, Perth or *Auckland

Departure City Surcharges

Adelaide & Brisbane: \$100 per person
Auckland: \$200 per person

International Flight(s)

- Full-service airline(s) used
- Cabin Class: Economy Class

Please note: We cannot accommodate one-way flights. Travellers must take all included flights within the package, and any flights intentionally forfeited will result in later flights being subject to cancellation.

Please note: From Australia, the flying journey to your destination may take up to 32 hours, with up to 2 stops. This is provided as a guide only - actual flight duration can vary depending on availability and airline schedules. Your booking's final details will be confirmed to you via email once available.

Domestic Flight(s) Used

- Cabin Class: Economy Class
- Route: Reunion Island - Mauritius

Arrive Early and Stay Behind Options

Fly out and return home up to 60 days pre and post your tour dates.

Important Information

Arrive Early

Reunion Island - From \$300 per person, subject to availability.

Stay Behind

Mauritius - From \$300 per person, subject to availability.

Please note:

This option incurs a fee for adjusting the departure or return dates. This fee does not include extra nights' accommodation, meals and/or airport transfers, which will be at your own cost.

In addition, airport transfers listed as an inclusion on the Travel Offer are considered void in the event that you select an Arrive Early/Stay Behind option. As such, you will need to arrange your own transfers at your cost.

We strongly advise against booking any pre or post-tour travel arrangements/accommodation until TripADeal confirms your flight details. If you choose to book before confirmation, we recommend opting for refundable reservations or having backup plans in case the tour does not proceed.

Internal Flights:

If you select to Arrive Early or Stay Behind into a city other than the one where the tour begins or concludes (where applicable), the package will include an internal flight to your destination. This offer applies only to the cities listed in our Arrive Early & Stay Behind Options. If you wish to forfeit this flight, please advise our friendly team at the time of purchase. Please note that the package's cost does not change when you choose to forfeit your connecting flight.

Please note: If you request to fly into cities not listed in our "Arrive Early & Stay Behind Options", we may be able to customise your itinerary. If possible, the flight's cost will be charged as an extra.

Cancellations & Changes:

Flight booking changes or cancellations after air tickets have been issued are not guaranteed and may incur additional fees and fare difference, subject to the airline

cancellation and change policies. Flight changes are subject to availability at the time of booking.

High-Season:

A high-season Arrive Early or Stay Behind can be purchased for an additional charge, subject to availability. For pricing, please refer to the cart.

+ 60 days:

You can fly out up to 60 days before your package's start date, and/or return home 60 days after your package's end date. Should you wish to fly out or return home for more than 60 days from the tour, please contact us to request availability. Additional costs may apply.

Estimated dates:

Your estimated departure, return, and arrival dates are all subject to availability and may vary. The confirmed schedule for all flights will be provided when you receive your flight tickets.

High season surcharges apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:

- 15th September 2025 - 12th October 2025
- 1st December 2025 - 19th December 2025
- 20th December 2025 - 4th January 2026
- 5th January 2026 - 31st January 2026
- 3rd April 2026 - 20th April 2026
- 26th June 2026 - 17th July 2026
- 18th September 2026 - 9th October 2026
- 12th December 2026 - 18th December 2026
- 19th December 2026 - 3rd January 2027
- 4th January 2027 - 26th January 2027
- 19th March 2027 - 28th April 2027
- 19th June 2027 - 18th July 2027
- 11th September 2027 - 10th October 2027
- 10th December 2027 - 19th December 2027
- 20th December 2027 - 3rd January 2028

Stopover Packages

* Dubai

Includes:

- 2, 3 or 5 nights in 4-star accommodation
- Daily breakfast

- Return airport transfers

For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

- When a pre and post-tour stopover is chosen, the same stopover location must be chosen each way, due to the airline used.
- When selecting to Arrive Early for your tour in conjunction with a Stopover Package, your fly out date from home will take place before the stopover.
- When selecting to Stay Behind after your tour in conjunction with a Stopover Package, your stopover will take place before your final flight home.
- Stopover packages are subject to availability.
- In the event that a purchased stopover package and a purchased preferred airline upgrade are not compatible, you will have the option to receive a refund for the preferred airline upgrade or be offered an alternative stopover city option, e.g if you choose to fly with Singapore Airlines you cannot stopover in Dubai.
- Blackout dates apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:

2026

Singapore Grand Prix: 01 October - 09 October 2026

Doha Grand Prix: 26 November - 02 December 2026

Abu Dhabi Grand Prix (for Dubai): 03 December - 09 December 2025

Christmas and New Years Eve - 18 December 2026 to 3 January 2027

2027

Singapore Grand Prix: 30 September - 05 October 2027 (dates are still tbc)

Doha Grand Prix: 25 November - 1 December 2027 (dates are tbc)

Abu Dhabi Grand Prix (for Dubai): 21 - 26 October 2027 (dates are still tbc)

Christmas and New Years Eve - 20 December 2027 to 3 January 2028

Flight Class Upgrades

Business Class: For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

Important Information

Please note:

- *Flight upgrades are subject to availability and pricing changes (if we cannot fulfil your request, the upgrade cost will be refunded).*
- *On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed.*

Outbound Flights

Please note: Due to flight scheduling and availability, some departures may occur on Day 0. Affected customers must be available to depart the day before. Flight times will be indicated on your final documents, issued 4-6 weeks before departure.

Missed Flights

If you fail to arrive for your outbound flight, you risk all flight and land arrangements in your destination being automatically cancelled by the airlines and land operator, respectively. Additional fees may apply to reinstate these services. If you miss your flight for whatever reason, please contact us as soon as possible to make arrangements.

Accommodation

Accommodation Used:

4 Star Properties (Self-Rated)

Reunion Island

Sainte-Marie: Hotel Exsel Creolia

Salazie: Sarana Hotel & Spa

Saint-Pierre: Villa Delisle

Saline-les-Bains: Ness By D-Ocean Hotel

Mauritius

Anelia Resort & Spa

Please note: Accommodation/rooms offered are based on a lead-in room type and are subject to availability based on seasonality. In the instance a property is not available, a similar standard of accommodation will be provided. Properties will be confirmed and included in your travel pack, which you will receive 4-6 weeks before travel.

Accommodation Location

To ensure a comfortable and convenient

experience for everyone, we've carefully selected hotels that best suit the size and specific needs of each group. While this means your accommodation may not be in the city centre, you can rest assured that our hotels are typically located near public transportation and a variety of local restaurants and attractions. Once your tour begins, your friendly driver or tour leader will be happy to help you get your bearings and offer assistance, should you need it.

Extra Nights

Not available.

Please note: If you are interested in booking additional nights of accommodation pre or post-tour, please wait until you receive your travel documentation approximately 4-6 weeks before departure for the confirmed list of hotels. If booking your own additional accommodation directly with the hotel, please be aware that you may be required to change rooms at the start/end of your tour.

Maximum Room Capacity

2 people.

Triple Share

Not available.

Bedding Configuration

Twin or double (subject to availability).

Exclusions

- Visa fees and requirements
- Domestic transfers and flights not stated in the deal offer
- Meals/beverages not stated in the deal offer
- Optional gratuities/tipping
- Optional activities/tours
- Personal expenses
- Travel insurance
- Any costs associated with an interruption to your tour as a result of an airline schedule change or cancellation
- Mandatory city tax

Please note: A daily City Tourist Tax (or a Docking Tax for cruise visitors) is charged in some European destinations. They are paid

directly to the hotel or cruise company, and cannot be prepaid. Further details will be included in your travel

Gratuities / Tipping

Land - Reunion Island

Gratuities (tips) are not included for the services of the tour leader (when available) and driver throughout the tour on Reunion Island. The recommended tip is €5 EUR per person per day. This covers the guide/leader and the driver and will be collected on tour.

Land - Mauritius

Gratuities (tips) are not included for the services of the tour leader (when available) and driver throughout the tour. The recommended tip is €5 EUR per person per day. This covers the guide/leader and the driver and will be collected on tour.

Please note: Tipping for services provided is always a matter of personal discretion; however, please be aware that many locals consider tipping part of their normal remuneration, and they may approach you for payment; there's no need to be intimidated by the request.

Other Important Information

TOUR GUIDE VS. TOUR LEADER

Tour Guide:

Often locals with intimate knowledge of an area, its culture, and history. Their role entails providing commentary, routing the tour, and seeing that people have a good time. They are a licensed, qualified expert who supplies specific information on the history, art, architecture and culture of the city/village/attraction where they are guiding the tour. The guide meets the group at the required place and leaves it at the end of the tour; they do not travel with the group.

Tour Leader:

An experienced person tasked with ensuring the smooth operation of tours, as well as providing practical support to passengers throughout the whole trip.

Important Information

Their role primarily includes assisting with accommodation, transportation between locations, and communication with tour guides at each stop. A tour leader may provide general guidance around a city or village and offer information on the place visited on the bus. However, they are not required to have specific art, architecture, or historical knowledge. They are not allowed to provide a guided tour or commentary of a city/village/attraction once there and, if caught doing so, can be fined.

Please note: Tour leaders/guides are not a standard inclusion in all travel offers. Tour leaders/guides will only be made available when required to enhance the experience of the destination featured.

CLIMATE & AVERAGE TEMPERATURES

Reunion Island

Tropical climate: warm and humid year-round, influenced by the Indian Ocean and trade winds. The island's dramatic terrain creates many micro-climates, coastal areas tend to be warm and sunny, while mountains can be much cooler and wetter.

Wet/Hot Season (November – April)

Warm to hot temperatures along the coast, often 25–31°C or higher. High humidity and frequent rain, especially on the east (windward) side.

Dry/Cooler Season (May – October)

Slightly cooler and more stable weather, with less rain - ideal for outdoor activities, hiking and sightseeing.

Coastal daytime temperatures typically around 20–26 °C, nights cooler but still mild.

Mauritius

The tropical temperatures mean that Mauritius is warm all year round. From September the drier months set in making it an ideal time to visit with highs of 22°C and lows of 18°C.

Weather

We always suggest referring to an online source for the most up-to-date weather

information for your destination/s.

FLIGHTS

Seat Selection & Frequent Flyer Points:

We do not arrange seat selection. It is essential to highlight that some airlines do not allow pre-selected seats. We strongly suggest you contact the airline directly with seating allocation requirements and/or arrive at the airport earlier to arrange your seating. While we do not add frequent flyer member details to bookings, you can do this directly with the airline once you have your flight information.

Dietary Requests

Meal options and availability differ between airlines and routes therefore not all dietary requests can be accommodated. If your flight includes meals we will select the most suitable option available based on the dietary requirements you have specified. All meal requests are subject to airline approval and are not guaranteed, therefore we recommend preparing for your flight by bringing appropriate food for yourself, as required.

Passport Validity:

Customers must provide valid passport details either at the time of purchase or no later than 90 days before the departure date. Failure to do so may result in the cancellation of the booking. Customers will be responsible for any costs and fees incurred in this instance.

COACH TOUR

Meals:

For meals not included, the tour leader (when available) will offer assistance with reservations, suggestions and directions to local restaurants. It is your responsibility to notify us of any dietary requests/requirements.

Please note: We will do our best to meet your requests/requirements; however, we cannot guarantee that we will always be able to.

Luggage:

You will be responsible for all your

personal belongings whilst on tour. You must carry your own luggage from the vehicle to the hotel room and back to the vehicle. The driver will assist with the uploading and unloading of bags from the vehicle.

OTHER

Mobility:

If you require wheelchair access please contact our friendly sales and service team to inquire on your behalf.

Fitness Level Required:

Adventure (and spontaneity) create some of the best travel memories. Bear in mind, your home schedules and timings might not be adhered to on tour - it's all part of the fun!

A Moderate level of fitness will be required.

Expect a moderate pace of touring with a focus on guided tours that may include full days with extended activity, guided city tours or nature walks. You will require a general level of fitness for unassisted navigation of stairs and inclines, longer distances with possible periods of standing when visiting sites, walking on sloping, uneven ground or elevations. You will be responsible for your own luggage and have the ability to board all modes of transport without assistance. Please note: Many areas may be inaccessible to wheelchairs or mobility scooters, where the unassisted use of personal walking sticks and other aids may be required. Although some assistance may be available, every traveller should be self-reliant during all aspects of their travel.

Please note: It is expected that every traveller must be self-reliant and able to undertake all aspects of their own travel. Please speak to your booking agent about your personal circumstances and any assistance requirements to ensure this tour is right for you.

Please note: If you have any concerns, please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/travel.

Important Information

Yellow Fever:

A valid international certificate of vaccination against Yellow Fever is required in many countries. You may need to present this on arrival at the airport or border crossing. Some countries will refuse entry if you are unable to present your certificate. It's also common for your home country to request a Yellow Fever certificate upon arrival.

You must check with your doctor well before leaving home about the Yellow Fever requirements for the countries you'll be visiting.

Sightseeing:

Please note: If entry to a site is affected by changes in operating hours or public holiday closures, your itinerary, where possible, may be adjusted, or a similar activity will be offered in its place (subject to availability).

Shopping:

Shopping overseas can be a daunting and confusing experience, especially when there is a language barrier. Please be very cautious when foreign currencies and prices are involved. If paying by credit card, please pay close attention to the amount you are being charged and keep all your receipts.

Do not make any purchases you are not comfortable with or feel pressured into. If you are uncertain or need assistance with the language barrier, please seek assistance from your Tour Guide/Leader. Please refer to our [Terms and Conditions](#) regarding shopping for further information.

Visas

Reunion Island

European Union Entry/Exit System (EES)

From October 12, 2025, a new European Entry System (EES) replaces the current manual passport-stamping process for non-EU travelers. Upon arrival in the Schengen area, Australian and New Zealand passport holders will have their fingerprints recorded and a photograph taken. Their entry and exit dates will be electronically registered. No previous

action is required, but please be aware of longer wait times at border entry. From 10 April 2026, the EES will be fully operational at all external border crossing points of all the European countries (Schengen area) using the system.

European Travel Information & Authorisation System (ETIAS)

As an extension of the EES implementation introduced from 2025, ETIAS travel authorisation is a mandatory entry requirement for visa-exempt nationals travelling to any of these [30 European countries](#), including Australian and New Zealand citizens, that will be introduced in 2026. We advise you to monitor smartraveller.gov.au closer to your departure to ensure you are up to date on the requirements at the time of entry.

Mauritius

A tourist visa is not required when travelling to Mauritius on an Australian or New Zealand passport. The Mauritian government provides visas on arrival free of charge to Australian and New Zealand passport holders. Visa and other entry and exit conditions (such as currency, customs and quarantine regulations) can change at short notice. Contact the nearest Embassy or Consulate of Mauritius prior to departure for the most up-to-date information.

Immigration officials at the port of entry require all visitors to Mauritius to provide accommodation details. Failure to do so may result in denial of entry to Mauritius. If you are arriving in Mauritius from a country known to have malaria, you will receive a follow-up visit from the Mauritian Health Department and will be required to undertake a blood test to check for the malaria-causing parasite. If you are arriving from a country where yellow fever is endemic, evidence of a yellow fever vaccination is required.

Important:

- *Please start arranging your visa three weeks before departure to account for any delays due to consulate operating hours.*

- *Visa rules are subject to change. Please check with the nearest embassy, consulate or immigration department of the destination/s you are visiting once you receive your travel documentation to ensure you have the most up to date information.*
- *It is your responsibility to be travel-ready and ensure that you are aware and comply with any destination or travel requirements, including the validity of all required travel documents.*
- *Passengers who are not Australian citizens must also check with the respective consulate or visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required.*
- *It is also important to note that some areas of employment, such as journalism, government authorities and charity organisations, may have additional restrictions in applying for visas. This may, in turn, affect the type of application required.*

Travel Insurance

Embarking on your next trip is exciting, and while you hope the unexpected does not happen, it is best to be prepared. We strongly recommend you take out travel insurance when making your booking. Whether it's a potential medical emergency, a flight cancellation, a delayed suitcase, or an unforeseen event, it's important to ensure you're adequately protected. For more information or advice visit <https://www.tripadeal.com.au/travel-insurance>

Schedule Of Fees

Voluntary Changes

This includes booking changes requested by you, including but not limited to those changes requiring an airline ticket or a Purchase Confirmation reissue.

- Changes - \$100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Name Changes Due To Passenger Error

Important Information

- If the incorrect name has been provided, charges of \$100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Supplier Fees

In the event the tour package you have purchased is unable to proceed, and/or a Travel Supplier is unable to fulfil the tour due to external circumstances (Limitation of Liability e.g. a Force Majeure event), there may be a fee or amount of money that is withheld by our Suppliers and is unrecoverable. This may be due to non-refundable airline tickets, cancellation penalties with cruise cabins or unrecoverable payments with our land/accommodation partners. If refunds are not available from Suppliers, we will endeavour to obtain a travel credit on the best terms available and communicate these outcomes to you. In the event we are unable to obtain a refund or travel service credit, or part thereof, this cost is passed on to the customer as a Supplier Fee.