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- Table

FLY & DRIVE

UAE

The 7 Emirates

8 days / 7 nights

OUR RATES

ROOMS	PAX	3* & 4*	
		High Season 01 Jan 17 – 15 May 17 16 Sep 17 – 31 Dec 17	Low Season 16 May 17 – 15 Sep 17
1 double	2	\$ 540	\$ 410
1 double + 1 single	3	\$ 600	\$ 445
2 double	4	\$ 460	\$ 340

Includes :

- Accommodation including breakfast (* or similar hotels)
- Road book
- Meet and greet first day of arrival and transfer to 1st hotel
- Picnic kit: Table, Chairs & Cooler
- Car delivery day 2
- Car type full size : HONDA CIVIC or similar comfortable for 4 people
- Prices are per person in USD inclusive of taxes
- Children sharing parents' room are free (maximum 1 child per room under 6 years). Breakfast to pay extra

On existing bedding

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Consider the boots space for luggage as limited for 2 Standard pieces

City	Hotels 3* & 4* or similar
Dubai	Grandeur
Fujairah/Dibba	Golden tulip Dibba
Al Ain	City Seasons
Abu Dhabi	Centro Manhal

Supplement 4x4 jeep : 100\$ / day
Supplement Big car : 25\$ / day
Supplement for GPS : 12\$ / day

New TAX in DUBAI, ABU DHABI & RAS AL KHAIMAH
"Tourism Dirham" it will be payable directly in hotel by guests
3stars, 4stars or 5stars from \$4 to \$6per room/night.
If you have any questions regarding the above, please feel free to contact us!

HIGH SEASON	LOW SEASON
01 Jan 2017 to 15 May 2017 01 Sep 2017 to 31 Dec 2017	16 May 2017 to 31 Aug 2017

PRE or POST nights DUBAI City hotels			DBL	SGL
Grandeur hotel or Centro Capital	3 stars	Breakfast included, transfers in / out	\$40 pp	\$ 75 pp

Rates to be validated during exhibitions, New Years, Christmas and Islamic holidays.

Check out our Black out schedule regularly!

Suggested routing

UAE

DAY 1: DUBAI (ARRIVAL)

Arrival at DUBAI airport or (possible arrival in AUH airport). Meet & Greet by our representative. Transfer to your hotel by air conditioned vehicle. Check in & Overnight in DUBAI.

DAY 2: DUBAI - ABU DHABI (120 km)

Breakfast at your hotel. Delivery of your car and briefing by our Staff. We suggest to start with an Abu Dhabi city tour, the largest and the capital city of the United Arab Emirates. This comprehensive tour is the ideal introduction to the UAE capital and the island on which it stands. The name Abu Dhabi means: "Father of the Gazelle". Stop first at Sheikh Zayed Grand mosque, one of the largest Mosques in the world; able to accommodate more than 30,000 worshippers. The beautiful Mosque is completely clad in marble and also features intricate Islamic decoration and carvings as well as extensive landscaping works. Continue your tour towards Abu Dhabi downtown. Pass through the old city or what we consider OLD today and pass by the oldest building in town, the palace of Al-Husn (closed for renovation). Then proceed to Heritage Village, which houses a small museum and depicts the traditional daily activities of the Arab community prior to the discovery of oil. In the afternoon, drive along the spectacular Corniche, past gleaming white mosques, glass-clad offices and elegant high-rise apartments to the tip of the breakwater for a superb view of the city's magnificent skyline. The remaining part of the afternoon devote it to drive through the famous giant Saadiyat Island project where the LOUVRE museum and GUGGENHEIM museums are being built to complete the image of ABU DHABI as a cultural city. Continue towards the famous Yas Island which houses the FORMULA 1 YAS circuit & the first attraction park of Ferrari in the world. An impressive attraction park, the largest covered air conditioned park in the world with a huge RED FERRARI sign as landmark. Overnight in Abu Dhabi.

DAY 3: ABU DHABI - AL AIN (150 km)

Breakfast at your hotel. Departure to the oasis city of Al Ain, located on the Hajar Mountains. Al Ain is one of the oldest cities in the UAE, rich in traditions. For thousands of years the oasis of Al Ain has been an important caravan stop on the ancient trade routes across Arabia. Visit the camel market, the largest in the UAE. Pass by Al Ain Palace, it is one the most important cultural places in Al Ain city. It is a direct testimony to the period of rule of the late Sheik Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahyan in Al Ain and his original place of residence there. The Palace is also the birthplace of HH Sheikh Mohamad Bin Zayed Al Nahyan, the Crown Prince of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi. Visit of the Jahili fort, one of the largest castles in Al Ain and best-in-class example of the Islamic military architecture locally. Then, proceed to visit the National Museum of Al Ain, where you will learn everything about the history of this region. In the afternoon, step back in time at the Hilli Gardens, famous for the archaeological excavations from the third millennium B.C. Transfer to the hotel and check in. Overnight at the hotel in Al Ain.

DAY 4: AL AIN – EAST COAST - FUJAIRAH area (300 km)

Breakfast at your hotel. You will head off through picturesque landscapes with sandy deserts and mountains, the East coast of the Emirates, located on the Gulf of Oman. Drive through the small oasis towns of Dhaid and Masafi, situated in an agricultural region where fruits and vegetables are cultivated. Stop at the local "Friday Market" followed by a quick city tour of Fujairah with a stop at the Bidiya Mosque, the smallest and oldest mosque in UAE. Head towards the Dibba / Fujairah area to your hotel .You just have reached the warm coasts of the Indian Ocean and the Gulf of OMAN. Check in. Overnight in the FUJAIRAH / Dibba area.

DAY 5: FUJAIRAH (DIBBA) – OPTIONAL Mussandam Cruise (Oman) - FUJAIRAH (DIBBA)

Breakfast at your hotel. Today, you can do a cruise in the waters of gulf of Oman. Mussandam is a spot where the waters of "gulf of Oman" are the gateway to the natural sea treasures. The Musandam Peninsula is the northern-most part of Oman, it has one of the most rugged, isolated and beautiful coastlines in the world, the towering Hajar Mountains rise directly out of the sea creating spectacular fjords-like scenery , providing an awe-inspiring backdrop for the caves, bays and pebble beach's along the coast. The sheltered bays also offer a safe environment for snorkelers and non- divers to explore. Marine life of the gulf of Oman is rich in diversity with fish, corals, turtles and invertebrates. A dhow trip in the fjords of Musandam offers an insight into this fantastic landscape, guarantees an ambience of peace and tranquillity. There is also a possibility of seeing Dolphins along the cruise. Lunch on board. The traditional type of dhows are equipped with comfortable seats, cushions and carpets, Enjoy sea safaris, snorkelling, swimming, playing and more. (**Note : Please carry your passport along with you, as it is required for Police Check.** Back at the end of the day to relax at your hotel. Overnight in Fujairah/Dibba.

Note : This optional tour has to be booked prior to arrival and includes return sharing transfers from your hotel

DAY 6: FUJAIRAH – SHARJAH - DUBAI (350 km)

Breakfast at your hotel. Proceed to Sharjah for city tour of Sharjah, well known as the “cultural capital of the Emirates”. You will visit the Sharjah's Museum of Islamic Civilization, the first of its kind in the UAE. Opened in 1987 as the Souq al-Majarrah and quickly became a popular landmark. Its most outstanding feature is its majestic, gilt central dome, decorated on the inside with an intricate mosaic depicting the night sky and the signs of the zodiac. Stop at the famous Souk Al Arsa, the oldest souk in the UAE. One of today's highlights is the exciting Blue Souk, where more than 600 local traders offer their goods. Drive along the spectacular Corniche then transfer to Dubai. Upon arrival Dubai, you will visit Dubai Mall, the famous shopping centre in Dubai. At around 1700 hrs, proceed to your hotel & Check in. Overnight in Dubai .

DAY 7: DUBAI

Breakfast at your hotel. Departure to discover the spectacular and lively metropolis of Dubai. Dubai, developed from a small fishing village at the Dubai Creek, nowadays presents itself as a glamorous metropolis at the Arabian Gulf. The distinctive skyscrapers and gigantic shopping-malls will impress every visitor. On your way you photo stop of the awe-inspiring Grand Mosque of Jumeirah. Photo stop of Burj Al Arab hotel. Photo stop of the Atlantis hotel located at crescent of Palm Jumeirah. Pass by the new residential area of Jumeirah Beach. Pass by the region of DUBAI Mall and Burj Khalifa, the world's tallest tower and the centerpiece of the Gulf region's most prestigious urban development to date. Burj Khalifa will radiate out in a series of ellipses from the sky breaking tower encompassing residential, commercial, hotel, entertainment and the world's largest shopping mall. Then you will continue to Bastakya, the old town district of Dubai. Learn everything about the local history and geography of the city when visiting the Dubai museum, located in the ancient fortress of Al-Fahidi. Another highlight will follow: you will use the local water taxis, called “Abra”, to cross the Dubai Creek. Enjoy the spectacular view of the city while heading towards the district of Deira. Here you will be enchanted by the large variety of exotic spices in the famous Spice Souk. Take the chance to get a unique and affordable souvenir when you visit the adjacent Gold Souk. In the afternoon we propose an **OPTIONAL Desert Safari**, after settling down in the 4WD vehicles, the jeeps will speed through the desert of the golden sand dunes. The dune bashing or desert driving continues with the thrill of going up and down the dunes provoking many shrieks and laughter full of excitement. The final leg of this program takes us to the main camp site. This will definitely be the highlight of the trip. After witnessing a memorable sight – the true Arabian sunset with its glory and magic. A delicious Barbecue Dinner is prepared on open fires and a variety of beverages are available. The beat of the music increases as a Belly dancer starts dancing to the rhythm of the music. What a better way to experience a true Arabian night than this. Overnight in Dubai.

DAY 8: DUBAI (DEPARTURE)

Breakfast at your hotel. Handover your vehicle to our Staff at a prefixed timing .Check out at 12h00 (noon). Depending on your departure time, you will be transferred to Dubai airport..

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Al Ain	City seasons
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Wahiba	1000 nights
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DAY 4: AL AIN – JABREEN – BAHLA - NIZWA (385 km)

Breakfast at your hotel. After breakfast drive to the Omani border. Immigration formalities to undergo at both UAE & Oman borders. Enjoy a scenic drive through the inland of the Sultanate of Oman while heading towards the city of Nizwa. Our first visit of the day we suggest, and the most impressive fortress in the Sultanate of Oman: the fortress of Jabreen which dates back to 1670. Its design and construction were supervised by the Al Immam BilArab bin Sultan Al Y`aribi (who now rests on the left side of the castle's main entrance) and was built to resemble the most beautiful palaces of that period. This castle was a beautiful palace for the Immam and his family and a bastion during wartime. It was also a beacon of education and contained many study rooms. Continue to Bahla for a photo stop. It was once protected by a 37 kilometer long wall, which is now under renovation by the UNESCO. Continue to the date palm groves of Al Hamra, which is also noted for its extraordinary ancient mud houses. Visit one of oldest houses of Sheikh "Bait Al Safa", which has been restored and decorated and transform into a lively museum. Then proceed to Nizwa and explore the eventful history in the region around Nizwa. In former times the city was the capital of Oman. During a walk through downtown Nizwa you will visit the ancient souks and the historical fortress out of the 17th century. Overnight in Nizwa

DAY 5: NIZWA - WAHIBA SANDS (200 km)

After breakfast, before you head for Wahiba, If our visit falls on a Friday, do not miss the Cattle market happening early morning at Nizwa. Drive to Wadi Bani Khalid – a lush green valley surrounded by rugged mountains. Enjoy an incredible view and a chance to capture the scenic beauty with your camera. Investigate the surrounding area on foot. Proceed to Wahiba and meet our 4x4s waiting at the edge of the desert to transfer you to the desert camp. A short dune ride can be organized (optional) at extra cost from the camp. Wahiba deserts are the vast, ever shifting dunes support an astonishing variety of wildlife and host different kinds of flora and fauna. The quick changing patterns of the dunes are a photographer's delight. Wahiba sands are also the home to a few thousand Bedouins, who are known to have inhabited this inhospitable region for at least 7000 years. Dinner & Overnight in the camp

Note : On this day, you will park your car in a allocated area as agreed with the camp outside the desert and you will board the 4x4 to reach your camp

DAY 6: WAHIBA – SUR - MUSCAT (400)

After breakfast, return to the edge of the desert by 4x4. Get back your vehicle, and continue your journey to Sur, a seafaring town and a trading port bustling with activity throughout the year. Famed for the fascinating architecture of its old town and shipyards where traditional dhows have been built for centuries at the edge of the bay. Continue your drive through the coastal area to Qalhat - drive through one of the most thrilling sections of Oman's 1,700 KM coastline. Qalhat, one of the oldest towns and seaports in Oman, was famous for exporting horses to and importing spices from India in the 13th century. Also pass the ruins of Bibi Mariam Mausoleum. On the way, have a photo stop at TIWI. Pass by at the beautiful white beach of Fins, before you visit the famous Sinkhole, a part of a collapsed mountain filled with sea. Do also a photo stop at Quriyat a small fishing village before reaching Muscat, the capital of the Sultanate of OMAN. Overnight in Muscat

DAY 7: MUSCAT (70 km)

Breakfast at the hotel. Drive through the beautiful embassy quarter enroute the Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque that has a remarkable architectural achievement. As a contemporary place of worship it serves as a spiritual landmark for modern Oman, projecting the values and aspirations of the Omani people. As an edifice, it maintains a perfect balance between aesthetics, culture and deeply rooted Islamic tradition. After the visit to the mosque, continue to Bait Baranda museum, which showcase the history of Muscat. Visit Old Muscat, surrounded by steep mountains and flanked by twin 16th century forts 'Jalali' & 'Mirani', also see the Al Alam Palace, His Majesty Sultan Qaboos' residence. Proceed to Bait Al Zubair Museum. Bait Al Zubair is itself a part of Muscat heritage. Sheikh Al Zubair who served three former Sultans, founded the house in 1914 and his son Mohammad Al Zubair opened it as a museum in 1998. Its carved doors opens up into a fortress style reception. The museum includes traditional Omani weaponry, jewellery, costumes, domestic utensils and recreated urban and rural environments. Then drive through the scenic beauty of the corniche, stop at Muttrah - the main port & commercial centre, and explore the colorful historic souk. This is a real souk with winding alleys and backstreets and stalls selling all manner of textiles, jewelry, traditional Omani perfumes (bukhoor - made of frankincense), souvenirs and antiques... After that long tour, drive back to the hotel. Overnight in Muscat.

DAY 8: MUSCAT - NAKHL – DUBAI (460 km)

Breakfast at your hotel. Depart early to the Northern Al Batinah region of Oman. You will visit the impressive fortresses of Nakhl and stop at Rustaq. Continue to Sohar, you will stop in the city of Sohar with its beautiful Corniche. Continue to the OMAN - Emirates border. After immigration and custom formalities, Continue your route to DUBAI. Arrival at the end of the day to your hotel in Dubai & check in. & Overnight in Dubai

DAY 9: DUBAI

Breakfast at your hotel. Departure for a half day guided tour. You will have the opportunity to discover the spectacular and lively metropolis of Dubai. The city, developed from a small fishing village at the Dubai Creek, nowadays presents itself as a glamorous metropolis at the Arabian Gulf. The distinctive skyscrapers and gigantic shopping-malls will impress every visitor. We start with Bastakiya, the old town district of Dubai. Learn everything about the local history and geography of the city when visiting the Dubai museum, located in the ancient fortress of Al-Fahidi. Another highlight will follow: you will use the local water taxis, called "Abrams", to cross the Dubai Creek. Enjoy the spectacular view of the city while heading towards the district of Deira. Here you will be enchanted by the large variety of exotic spices in the famous Spice Souk. Take the chance to get a unique and affordable souvenir when you visit the adjacent Gold Souk. We then proceed to Jumeirah area, where we will have a photo stop of the awe-inspiring Grand Mosque of Jumeirah. Built in the medieval Fatimid tradition, this stone structure is a tribute to modern Islamic architecture. After that, photo stop of Burj Al Arab hotel and continue to Atlantis hotel located at crescent of Palm Jumeirah. In the afternoon, transfer to the famous "Mall of the Emirates", its biggest claim to fame is the Middle East's first indoor ski slope, Ski Dubai. With its indoor ski area, one of the largest in the world, the Mall of the Emirates seeks to differentiate itself from the dozen or so other newly completed malls in Dubai and the surrounding Emirates. Free time for shopping. In the evening OPTIONAL CRUISE DINNER (48\$ PP)- Our shuttle bus will transfer you from the hotel for a cruise dinner on board of a traditional Arabian dhow. After the cruise, transfer to your hotel. Overnight in Dubai.

DAY 10: DUBAI

Breakfast at your hotel. We suggest this morning to do a half day shopping tour at "Dubai Mall". On the way, pass by the region of Burj Khalifa, the world's tallest tower and the centerpiece of the Gulf region's most prestigious urban development to date. Burj Dubai will radiate out in a series of ellipses from the sky breaking tower encompassing residential, commercial, hotel, entertainment and the world's largest shopping mall "Dubai Mall". Free time for shopping. With more than 1,200 stores and a host of world-class attractions; the Middle East region's first Galeries Lafayette department store, France's leading fashion house and one of the top 100 global retailers. The Dubai Mall is revolutionizing the modern shopping experience. With an impressive array of leisure pursuits, this is the ultimate, cutting-edge shopping experience. A range of adventure sports vies for attention alongside the romance of ice-skating. The Dubai Mall is a place where a 21st century gold souk is set off against a world class aquarium. Step inside The Dubai Mall and experience a place like no other. **A climb to BURJ KHALIFA will be proposed to all our guests (optional).**

In the afternoon **OPTIONAL** Desert Safari - you will join a sharing desert safari. (pickup from hotel) You will try on comfortable 4x4 vehicles to pass the endless and spectacular sandy desert. In the evening you will reach a traditional Bedouin desert camp. Where you will be having a BBQ-dinner in the sunset on the rhythm of traditional Arabic music, an unforgettable experience. In the late evening, you will return to your hotel. Overnight in Dubai.

DAY 11: DUBAI (DEPARTURE)

Breakfast at your hotel. Check out at 12h00 noon. Handover your vehicle to our Staff at a prefixed timing.

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OMAN

Discover the Sultanate of Oman

7 days / 6 nights

OUR RATES

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Muscat	Tulip Inn
Nizwa	Falaj Daris
Wahiba	1000 nights
Sur	Ras Al Hadd Hotel

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LOW SEASON

16 May 2017 to 31 Aug 2017

PRE or POST nights MUSCAT City hotels			DBL	SGL
Tulip Inn	3 stars	Breakfast included, transfers in / out	\$40 pp	\$ 80 pp

BEACH EXTENSION - 3 nights			DBL	SGL
Shangri-la WAHA	5 stars	Breakfast included, transfers in /out	\$ 331 pp	\$ 564 pp
Shangri-la BANDAR	5 stars plus	Breakfast included, transfers in /out	\$ 380 pp	\$ 645 pp

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Suggested routing

OMAN

Discover the Sultanate of Oman

7 days / 6 nights**DAY 1: MUSCAT (ARRIVAL)**

Arrival at Muscat International airport, after visa and immigration formalities our representative will meet and escort the guests to waiting air-conditioned vehicle for transfer to hotel. Overnight in Muscat.

DAY 2: MUSCAT [70 km]

Breakfast at the hotel. Delivery of your car and briefing by our Staff. Then depart from the hotel to visit the Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque that has a remarkable architectural achievement. As a contemporary place of worship it serves as a spiritual landmark for modern Oman, projecting the values and aspirations of the Omani people. As an edifice, it maintains a perfect balance between aesthetics, culture and deeply rooted Islamic tradition. After the visit to the mosque we continue to Bait Baranda museum, which showcase the history of Muscat. We will then visit Old Muscat, surrounded by steep mountains and flanked by twin 16th century forts 'Jalali' & 'Mirani', also see the Al Alam Palace, His Majesty Sultan Qaboos' residence. Then proceed to Bait Al Zubair Museum. Bait Al Zubair is itself a part of Muscat heritage. Sheikh Al Zubair who served three former Sultans, founded the house in 1914 and his son Mohammad Al Zubair opened it as a museum in 1998. It's carved doors opens up into a fortress style reception. The museum includes traditional Omani weaponry, jewellery, costumes, domestic utensils and recreated urban and rural environments. Then drive through the scenic beauty of the corniche, stop at Muttrah - the main port & commercial centre, and explore the colorful historic souk. This is a real souk with winding alleys and backstreets and stalls selling all manner of textiles, jewelry, traditional Omani perfumes (bukhoor - made of frankincense), souvenirs and antiques... Overnight in Muscat.

DAY 3: MUSCAT –NIZWA – JABREEN - AL HAMRA - NIZWA [250km]

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure this morning to Nizwa, on arrival explore the city, which was once the capital of Oman and retains its charm as an enduring reminder of traditional Oman. Visit the 17th century round tower fort and the bustling souk known for its silver and copper handicrafts, famous for its artistic crafting. Then continue to visit the most impressive fortress in the Sultanate of Oman: the fortress of Jabreen. Continue to Bahla for a photo stop, which was once protected by a 37 kilometer long wall, that is now under renovation by the UNESCO. Continue to the palm groves at Al Hamra. Stop in the small village of MISFAH where we will visit the villages and return to Nizwa. Overnight in Nizwa

DAY 4: NIZWA – WAHIBA [250 km]

Breakfast at the hotel. Start your day by exploring the city of Nizwa, which was once the capital of Oman and retains its charm as an enduring reminder of traditional Oman. Visit the 17th century round tower fort and the bustling souk known for its silver and copper handicrafts, famous for its artistic crafting. Proceed to Wadi bani Khalid and visit Wadi Bani Khalid – a lush green valley surrounded by rugged mountains. Enjoy an incredible view and a chance to capture the scenic beauty with your camera. Investigate the surrounding area on foot. Proceed to Wahiba and meet our 4x4s waiting at the edge of the desert to transfer you to the desert camp. Wahiba deserts are the vast, ever shifting dunes support an astonishing variety of wildlife and host different kinds of flora and fauna. The quick changing patterns of the dunes are a photographer's delight. Wahiba sands are also the home to a few thousand Bedouins, who are known to have inhabited this inhospitable region for at least 7000 years. Dinner & Overnight in the camp *Note : On this day, you will park your car in a allocated area as agreed with the camp outside the desert and take the 4x4 cars booked for you to reach your camp*

DAY 5: WAHIBA SANDS – SUR - RAS AL HADD [200km]

After breakfast we leave the desert and we proceed to the sea-faring town of Sur and a trading port bustling with activity throughout the year. Take back your vehicle and you can go to Jaalan Bani bu Hassan Castle via Al Kamil, This Castle was built during the reign of H.E. Sa'id bin Sultan during the first half of the thirteenth century AH, corresponding to the first half of the nineteenth century AD. The circular castle and rises to a height of 8 meters with a 50 meter diameter. It is surrounded by an external wall whose area exceeds five thousand square meters, and has two main gates; one is in the east and the other in the west. Explore more on this region, before proceeding to Sur, famed for the fascinating architecture of its old town and shipyards where traditional dhows have been built for centuries at the edge of the bay. Visit Bilad Castle and continue on the coastal road passing through high cliffs and small fishing villages – reach Ras Al Hadd for your overnight stay. You will have an opportunity to do a night **visit to watch Turtles (Optional)** . Overnight in Ras Al Hadd.

DAY 6: RAS AL HADD - SUR – MUSCAT [340 km]

After breakfast at the hotel, take the new coastal road to Muscat via Qalhat. Very little remains of the ancient city of Qalhat, save for the now dome-less mausoleum of Bibi Maryam. The city served as an important stop in the wider Indian Ocean trade network, and was also the second city of the Kingdom of Ormus. Covering more than 60 acres (240,000 m2), the ancient city was surrounded by fortified walls that contained houses and shops. Artifacts from as far away as Persia and China were found on-site, we will pass by the small fishing villages, reaching Sinkhole a part of a collapsed mountain filled with sea water. Then we will continue our route to reach Quriyat a small fishing village before reaching Muscat : The Capital . The drive will be through the newly asphalted road and the visits will be adjusted accordingly. Overnight in Muscat

DAY 7: MUSCAT (DEPARTURE)

Breakfast at the hotel. Morning free at leisure. Check-out from hotel before 12:00 (noon). Handover your vehicle to our Staff at a prefixed timing.

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09 days / 8 nights

OUR RATES

ROOMS	PAX	3* & 4*	
		High Season 01 Jan 17 – 15 May 17 16 Sep 17 – 31 Dec 17	Low Season 16 May 17 – 15 Sep 17
1 double	2	\$ 782	\$ 660
1 double + 1 single	3	\$ 882	\$ 735
2 double	4	\$ 692	\$ 582

Includes :

- Accommodation including breakfast (* or similar hotels)
- Road book
- Meet and greet first day of arrival and transfer to 1st hotel
- Car delivery day 2
- Picnic kit: Table, Chairs & Cooler
- Car type full size : HONDA CIVIC or similar comfortable for 4 people
- Prices are per person in USD inclusive of taxes
- Children sharing parents' room are free (maximum 1 child per room under 6 years). Breakfast to pay extra

On existing bedding

- Rates does not include any X-mas, New year's Eve compulsory supplement, Oman Insurance (**\$75 for one week**). Rooms & rates subject to availability at the time of booking. Consider the boots space for luggage as limited for 2 Standard pieces

City	Hotels 3* & 4* or similar
Muscat	Tulip Inn
Nizwa	Falaj Daris
Wahiba	1000 nights
Sur	Ras Al Hadd Hotel

Supplement 4x4 jeep : 100\$ / day
Supplement Big car : 25\$ / day
Supplement for GPS : 12\$ / day

HIGH SEASON

01 Jan 2017 to 15 May 2017
01 Sep 2017 to 31 Dec 2017

LOW SEASON

16 May 2017 to 31 Aug 2017

PRE or POST nights MUSCAT City hotels			DBL	SGL
Tulip Inn	3 stars	Breakfast included, transfers in / out	\$40 pp	\$ 75 pp

BEACH EXTENSION - 3 nights			DBL	SGL
Shangri-la WAHA	5 stars	Breakfast included, transfers in /out	\$ 331 pp	\$ 564 pp
Shangri-la BANDAR	5 stars plus	Breakfast included, transfers in /out	\$ 380 pp	\$ 645 pp

Rates to be validated during exhibitions, New Years, Christmas and Islamic holidays.

Check out our [Black out schedule](#) regularly!

Suggested routing

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DAY 1: MUSCAT (ARRIVAL)

Arrival at Muscat airport. Meet & Greet by our representative. Transfer to your hotel by air conditioned vehicle. Check in from 1400 hrs onwards & Overnight in Muscat.

DAY 2: MUSCAT [70 km]

Breakfast at the hotel. Delivery of your car and briefing by our Staff. Drive through the beautiful embassy quarter enroute the Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque that has a remarkable architectural achievement. As a contemporary place of worship it serves as a spiritual landmark for modern Oman, projecting the values and aspirations of the Omani people. As an edifice, it maintains a perfect balance between aesthetics, culture and deeply rooted Islamic tradition. After the visit to the mosque continue to Bait Baranda museum, which showcase the history of Muscat. Visit Old Muscat, surrounded by steep mountains and flanked by twin 16th century forts 'Jalali' & 'Mirani', also see the Al Alam Palace, His Majesty Sultan Qaboos' residence. Then proceed to Bait Al Zubair Museum. Bait Al Zubair is itself a part of Muscat heritage. Sheikh Al Zubair who served three former Sultans, founded the house in 1914 and his son Mohammad Al Zubair opened it as a museum in 1998. It's carved doors opens up into a fortress style reception. The museum includes traditional Omani weaponry, jewellery, costumes, domestic utensils and recreated urban and rural environments. Then drive through the scenic beauty of the corniche, stop at Muttrah - the main port & commercial centre, and explore the colorful historic souk. This is a real souk with winding alleys and backstreets and stalls selling all manner of textiles, jewelry, traditional Omani perfumes (bukhoor - made of frankincense), souvenirs and antiques... Overnight in Muscat.

DAY 3: MUSCAT – SUR – RAS AL HADD [340 km]

After breakfast ,continue your journey to Sur, a sea-faring town and a trading port bustling with activity throughout the year. Famed for the fascinating architecture of its old town and shipyards where traditional dhows have been built for centuries at the edge of the bay. Photos stop at Quriyat a small fishing village. Continue your drive through the coastal area to Qalhat - drive through one of the most thrilling sections of Oman's 1,700 KM coastline. Qalhat, one of the oldest towns and seaports in Oman, was famous for exporting horses to and importing spices from India in the 13th century. Then proceed to visit the famous Sinkhole, a part of a collapsed mountain filled with sea. Arrive in Sur late afternoon. Overnight in Sur.

DAY 4: SUR – RAS AL HADD [100 km]

After breakfast visit the sea-faring town Sur and a trading port bustling with activity throughout the year. Famed for the fascinating architecture of its old town and shipyards where traditional dhows have been built for centuries at the edge of the bay. Visit Bilad Castle and after a quick tour of Sur, continue to Jaalan Bani bu Hassan Castle via Al Kamil, This Castle was built during the reign of H.E. Sa'id bin Sultan during the first half of the thirteenth century AH, corresponding to the first half of the nineteenth century AD. The circular castle and rises to a height of 8 meters with a 50 meter diameter. It is surrounded by an external wall whose area exceeds five thousand square meters, and has two main gates; one is in the east and the other in the west. We will continue to explore more on this region, before proceeding to Ras Al Hadd. You have opportunity to **visit the turtle (Optional)** reserve with the possibility of watching the turtles laying their eggs at night. Overnight in Ras Al Hadd.

DAY 5 : RAS AL HADD - WAHIBA [160 km]

Early morning enjoy the sunrise and a swim on the beach. After breakfast ,depart to Wadi Bani Khalid – a lush green valley surrounded by rugged mountains, Enjoy an incredible view and a chance to capture the scenic beauty with your camera. Investigate the surrounding area on foot. A pique nique lunch can be carried by you to have it in the WADI around trees and water. Then continue to Wahiba Sands where you will meet your 4x4s to transfer you to your Desert Camp. Wahiba is one of the most fascinating and mysterious regions of Oman. The vast, ever shifting dunes support an astonishing variety of wildlife and host different kinds of flora and fauna. The quick changing patterns of the dunes are a photographer's delight. The Wahiba is also home to a few thousand Bedouins, who are known to have inhabited this inhospitable region for at least 7000 years. Dinner & Overnight in Wahiba Sands.

Note : On this day, you will park your car in a allocated area as agreed with the camp outside the desert

DAY 6: WAHIBA SANDS – ALHAMRA - NIZWA [200 km]

This morning after breakfast , proceed to Nizwa. Start the exploration of Nizwa area by proceeding to the palm groves at Al Hamra. Al Hamra, is also noted for its extraordinary ancient mud houses. Visit one of oldest house of Sheikh “Bait Al Safa”, which has been restored ,decorated and transformed into a lively museum. Stop in the small village of MISFAH. In the late afternoon, you have an opportunity to explore the souk of Nizwa. Overnight in Nizwa.

DAY 7: NIZWA [150 km]

After breakfast, visit Nizwa. Forts and castles are Oman’s most striking cultural landmarks and together with its towers and city walls, they have historically been used as defensive bastion look-out points. It is estimated that there are over 500 forts, Castles and towers in Oman, our visit today would include a few of them which are more remarkable & striking in their architecture & style. The ancient capital of Oman, Nizwa was a seat of learning and the birthplace of Islam in Oman. The 17th century Round fort and the souq famous for the silver jewelry are the major attraction of Nizwa, not to mention the popular & interesting cattle auction, which takes place on every Friday. Built on a scold base of rock, the huge tower was designed to with stand the vibration of 24 cannons .Then move on to Bahla famous for its handmade pottery. Bahla is listed in UNESCO world heritage sites however the fort here is now under renovation and is not open to public. Continue to visit the famous Jabreen Castle, built as a defensive stronghold, The Jabreen is perhaps the finest of Omani castles. The castle has dungeons, passages, rooms and ceilings decorated with fine carvings & paintings. Overnight in Nizwa.

DAY 8: NIZWA – JEBEL SHAMS – NIZWA – MUSCAT [300 km]

Breakfast at the hotel, Today , start with the visit of Jebel Shams, It is part of the Jebal Akhdar region in the western Hajar. Its name means ‘ Sun Mountain ’ and the highest point lies at 3010 meters although this point is only accessible by the military. The drive takes around 1.5hrs to the base of the mountain. Before you begin the journey to the top of the mountain you will notice the abandoned village sitting on the edge of the rock face. It's then a 45min drive to the top. This is mostly tarmac throughout except for a short off road drive once on top of the plateau. Once on top of the plateau you now have the chance to view Wadi Ghul from 3000m. After spending your time , drive back to Nizwa and proceed further to Muscat.

Arrive late afternoon in Muscat . Overnight in Muscat.

DAY 09: DEPARTURE

After breakfast at the hotel, Check out at 1200 Hrs. Handover your vehicle to our Staff at a prefixed timing.

Our Fly & Drive Packages Include:

- Meet and Greet at the airport upon arrival at the exit gate
- Transfer from airport to your hotel on day 1
- Accommodation in selected hotels as per program or within the same hotel category
- Breakfast Buffet at your hotel
- Road Book: itinerary DAY per DAY. Detailed map, suggested excursions, important contacts
- Full size car rental with unlimited mileage (Except for “**DISCOVER THE SULTANATE OF OMAN**” & OMAN INDEPTH Packages, the car rental in **Oman** is with limited mileage: 200 KM mileage per day)
- Delivery of the car to your hotel on day 2 & handover the car at airport on the day of departure
- Picnic kit: Table, Chairs & Cooler
- Local Present Taxes

Do Not Include:

- Flights
- Oman Insurance: As of now 250 Dirham per week equivalent to USD 75 (to be paid on the borders directly by clients – only for UAE-OMAN tour)
- CDW AED 15 – 20 approximately per day onwards
- Additional driver - AED100 per rental in UAE & RO 3 per day in Oman
- Salik toll fees in DUBAI , Gas fees
- Any Monument entrance fees
- Any meal or beverage besides breakfast
- Any activity or visit
- Luggage handling
- Visa Fees
- UAE Exit Fees (AED 65 equivalent to USD 18 per person approximately)
- Personal Expenses
- Entrance fees
- Insurance: assistance repatriation, luggage, cancellation, personal, collision etc....
- Any other services not mentioned above

Conditions:

- CDW with unwaivable deductible of AED 1500 (equivalent to USD 415)
- Towing charge is excess in USD 395 for each accident
- Parking fees and traffic fines will be the responsibility of renter
- A valid International License with a minimum age of 23 years old, Credit card and copy of passport copy with entry stamp are mandatory for renting the Car
- Accident damages caused through Wadi crossing while flowing is not covered under insurance policy. Full repair and related expenses will be responsibility of the renter
- Cars to be returned clean
- All our cars are Non smoking (\$160 approximately will be charged for cleaning)

IMPORTANT:

- The Sheikh Zayed mosque in Abu Dhabi is open to visitors between 8.30am and 11:30am, Sunday to Thursday. Visitors will not be permitted to enter outside of these times; we respectfully request your cooperation in this matter.
- The Cultural foundation & Al Husan palace is closed for renovation until further notice.
- The Heritage Village in Abu Dhabi opening hours are: Mon-Thu & Sat 09:00-13:00 and from 17:00-21:00. Fri. from 17:00-21:00. It is closed on Sundays
- Al Ain Museum is open on Saturdays, Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays from 09h00 till 19h30 & on Fridays from 1500 till 19h30 & it is closed on Mondays
- The Jumeirah Grand Mosque is open on Saturdays, Sundays, Tuesdays and & Thursdays from 08h45 till 09h45 AM only. On Mondays & Wednesdays from 09h00 to 10h00 AM and from 10h15 to 11h15 AM. The mosque is closed on Fridays.
- The National Museum of Dubai is closed only on Fridays before 15h00
- The Muscat Grand Mosque visit timings are 08:00hrs - 11:00hrs from Sat - Thu. Grand Mosque is closed on Fridays and during the public holidays and state visits. All visitors must wear appropriate clothes (long sleeves & long trousers/skirt) and ladies must cover their hair.
- Ladies visiting the Mosque are required to cover their head with scarf and do not wear shorts, beachwear or sleeveless outfits as they are to be fully covered
- Men visiting the Mosque should wear long trousers
- During the holy month of Ramadan no live entertainment and no alcoholic beverages will be served during the day. However many hotels serve alcohol in the room after sunset.