

India South Mumbai & Goa Experience

A short break to **Mumbai** (Bombay) is the perfect opportunity to experience a city on the move and to return refreshed and invigorated with colourful experiences and some shopping before going to **Goa**.

Mumbai's Boutiques are legendary and you will be given a personal shopper to uncover Bombay's more illusive and fashionable shops. The city has a great deal more to offer, a chance to visit the sets of Bollywood or simply take a cultural tour of its colonial past. At the end of the day relax in the splendour of the **Taj Mahal Hotel**, its fine restaurants or world class '**Jiva**' spa.

It is also possible for us to arrange a tour of the **Bollywood Studios** and watch a film being produced, arrange a meeting with a Bollywood 'A' list celebrity or arrange dinner reservations at Bombay's most exclusive restaurants. Spend **3 nights** in Mumbai before heading to Goa for **6 nights**.

The former Portuguese colony of Goa is one of the most relaxing places in India. **Goa** became famous in the 60s when the hippies came to experience its pleasant beaches and witness its magical sunsets and welcoming communities. There are a number of pleasant beaches throughout Goa, the less developed being in South Goa. A day spent discovering Goa's colonial past is always worth a day away from the beach.



/ Taj Exotica

The Taj Exotica is located in **South Goa** and is set in 56 acres of landscaped lawns and tropical gardens along a 700 metre stretch of **Benaulim beach**. With 140 rooms and suites, the hotel offers sumptuous accommodation.

The hotel is subtly split between the main block containing 31 sea view rooms and a number of villas located in the gardens, some with private pools. The rooms are tastefully furnished, offering a range of modern amenities.

The hotel is ideally suited for families, offering villas to house larger families and a dedicated Kid's Club with a range of activities.

The hotel has 6 restaurants and bars, offering a variety of different culinary options from Mediterranean, Oriental or Goan. The hotel also offers a **Taj Spa** offering Indian and holistic treatments. The Spa has a number of treatment rooms, steam rooms and a Jacuzzi. The hotel also contains the **Taamra Spa**, a dedicated Ayurveda Spa. The hotel has an extensive list of facilities that you would expect from a resort of this kind.

It goes without saying that during your stay at the Taj Exotica you will have the services of our **Carte blanche Travel agents**, who will be able to suggest days out and other activities. They will also assist with transfers through Mumbai airport.

Accommodation

66 Garden Villas, 31 Deluxe Sea View Rooms, 9 Sea View Villas, 4 Garden Pool Villas, 8 Luxury Rooms, 6 Sea View Pool Villas, 8 Luxury Rooms, 6 Sea View Pool Villas, 8 Sunset Villas with Private Pool, 2 Luxury Suites, 2 Presidential Suites w / Private Pool

Getting there

8hr flight, 1hr Domestic flight and 45 minute drive

Children

Welcome with Kid's Club and Kid's Swimming Pool

Facilities

Gym, Jogging Track, Pool, Table Tennis, Gold Course, Beauty Salon, Taj Spa, Business Centre, Health Club, Library, Taamra Spa, Shopping Arcade

Paid activities

Archery, Badminton, Beach Volleyball, beach games, Bicycles, Card Table, Chess, Clay Pigeon Shooting, Dance Classes, Kite Flying, Swimming Classes, Watersports (parasailing, windsurfing, jet skis, speed boats, sailing, waterskiing Nov - April)

Weather

Generally pleasant from September to April. Monsoon is from June until early September.

Services

Babysitting, Currency Exchange, 24 Hour Room Service, Doctor on Call, Luggage Storage, Laundry, Internet, Hotel Safe, Transfers

It is a suggested itinerary and can be tailored to suit your individual needs, please call us on +44 (0)2073761950 or e-mail us to info@carteblanche.com for your personal quote.

