

Our carefully curated collection

Maldives

COLLECTION

- Amilla Maldives Resorts & Residences
- Anantara Dhigu Maldives Resort
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- Cheval Blanc Randheli
- Como Maalifushi
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- Finolhu
- Gili Lankanfushi Maldives
- InterContinental Maldives Maamunagau Resort
- Joali Maldives
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- Jumeirah Maldives Olhahali Island
- Six Senses Kanuhura
- Kudadoo Maldives Private island
- Milaidhoo Island Maldives
- Naladhu Private Island Maldives

- Niyama Private Islands Maldives
- One & Only Reethi Rah
- Ozen Reserve Bolifushi
- Patina Maldives Fari Islands
- Raffles Maldives Meradhoo
- Six Senses Laamu
- Soneva Fushi
- Soneva In Aqua
- Soneva Jani
- The Nautilus Maldives
- The Ritz-Carlton Maldives Fari Islands
- The St. Regis Vommuli Resort
- Vakkaru Maldives
- Velaa Private Island
- W Maldives
- Waldorf Astoria Maldives Ithaafush



MALDIVES At a glance

The Maldives are one of the most beautiful islands on Earth. Set in the Indian Ocean, they are made up of 26 coral atolls in a chain crossing the equator. Of the 1,200 islands – over one hundred are resorts. Pure Escapes has handpicked the very best to showcase some of the most magnificent experiences on offer – above and below the water.

CAPITAL

Malé.

TIME DIFFERENCE

GMT +5 hours with some islands being +/- 1-2 hours Malé time.

CLIMATE

Generally warm and humid with year round sunshine. The best time to visit is between November and April during the northeast monsoon when weather is dry and sunny, with up to 10 hours of sunshine per day.

LANGUAGE

The official language is Dhivehi; English is also widely spoken.

CURRENCY

Rufiyaa and Laaree; the US Dollar is the most commonly used foreign currency.

VISA REQUIREMENTS

The following is required for visitors to be granted entry to the Republic of Maldives. Please enquire about the latest COVID-19 requirements and updates.

- Valid international travel document issued by the Government of a Sovereign State, and valid for 6 months.
- · Valid return or onward ticket with all required.
- Proof of accommodation, including relevant contact details.
- · Sufficient funds for the duration of the stay.

WHY VISIT MALDIVES

Below are just a few reasons why Maldives is the most sought-after tropical holiday destination:

- A magnificent collection of 1,200 small, flat, coral islands surrounded by stunning lagoons.
- · Sensational snorkelling and diving.
- Activities revolve around the resort beach, restaurants, watersports and spas.
- Choice of villas overwater or beach facing
 all offering the highest levels of luxury.

- Unique excursions from dolphin cruises, scuba diving shipwrecks, and deserted island picnics to surfing on coral reefs, sunset dhoni cruises, and becoming a marine biologist for the day – an endless array of amazing experiences await.
- · One island, one resort.

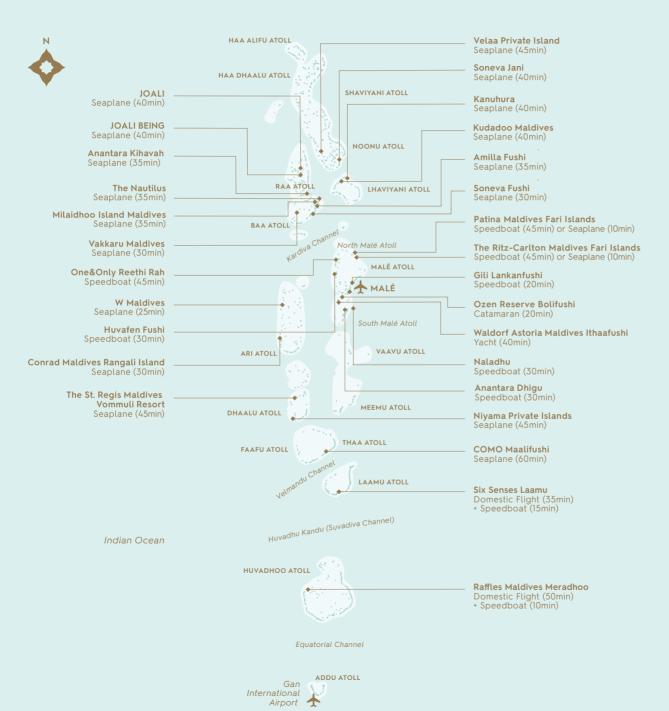
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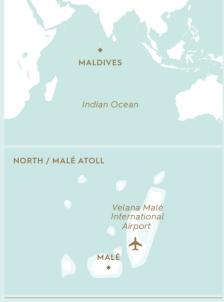
- Local Maldivian villages
- Visit Malé, the world's smallest, busiest capital, and discover Maldivian culture and history.
- · A tour of Malé by submarine.
- · Scenic bird's eye view of the atolls by seaplane
- A dive with whale sharks, mantas, stingrays and many other underwater creatures.

MUST BUY

- Thudu Kuna a Maldivian mat, woven with local natural fibres.
- · Coconut palm wood, miniature dhonis.
- Lacquered vase locally known as 'Laajehun', and made from a combination of tree juices.

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Transfer times stated are approximate and subject to change, due to changes in scheduling, weather patterns and unforeseen circumstances



MALDIVES

Choosing the perfect resort

The following pages showcase a number of carefully chosen resorts from our Collection in the Maldives, along with inspirational travel experiences. As you survey the resorts, this 'BEST FOR' overview will assist in assembling a shortlist. To create your perfect escape, please speak to a member of our Pure Escapes' team.





100 JOALI

144 One&Only Reethi Rah

228 Waldorf Astoria Ithaafushi

216 Velaa Private Island

176 Soneva Fushi

190 The Nautilus



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70 Anantara Kihavah76 COMO Maalifushi

88 Gili Lankanfushi

100 JOALI

120 Kudadoo

126 Milaidhoo

144 One&Only Reethi Rah

164 Raffles Maldives Meradhoo

184 Soneva Jani

202 The St. Regis Vommuli Resort



BEST NEWCOMERS

106 JOALI BEING

156 Patina Maldives Fari Islands

196 The Ritz-Carlton Maldives Fari Islands



58 Amilla Maldives

164 Raffles Maldives Meradhoo

176 Soneva Fushi

202 The St. Regis Vommuli Resort

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BEST FOR FAMILIES

- 64 Anantara Dighu
- 70 Anantara Kihavah
- 76 COMO Maalifushi
- 82 Conrad Maldives Rangali Island
- 114 Kanuhura
- 138 Niyama Private Islands
- 144 One&Only Reethi Rah
- 176 Soneva Fushi
- 210 Vakkaru Maldives
- 216 Velaa Private Island
- 228 Waldorf Astoria Ithaafushi



BEST FOR ROMANCE

- 100 JOALI
- 120 Kudadoo
- 126 Milaidhoo
- 132 Naladhu
- 164 Raffles Maldives Meradhoo
- 170 Six Senses Laamu
- 184 Soneva Jani
- 190 The Nautilus
- 222 W Maldives



REST SPA

- 76 COMO Maalifushi
- 94 Huvafen Fushi
- 144 One&Only Reethi Rah
- 170 Six Senses Laamu
- 202 The St. Regis Vommuli Resort
- 190 The Nautilus



BEST DIVINO

- 58 Amilla Maldives
- 6 COMO Maalifushi
- 82 Conrad Maldives Rangali Island
- 164 Raffles Maldives Meradhoo
- 170 Six Senses Laamu
- 176 Soneva Fushi
- 210 Vakkaru Maldives



BEST BEACH

- 70 Anantara Kihavah
- 82 Conrad Maldives Rangali Island
- 114 Kanuhura
- 144 One&Only Reethi Rah
- 176 Soneva Fushi
- 216 Velaa Private Island
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BEST SPORTS

- 114 Kanuhura
- 138 Niyama
- 144 One&Only Reethi Rah
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- 216 Velaa Private Island



BEST FOR GASTRONOMY

- 76 COMO Maalifushi
- 88 Gili lankanfushi
- 144 One&Only Reethi Rah
- 76 Soneva Fushi
- 216 Velaa Private Island



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Transfers – to and from the resorts

After a long flight to Malé International Airport, it's essential that your clients' transfer to the resort is as quick, smooth and comfortable as possible. This is a brief guide to the CIP lounge, and the types of transfers available.

CIP LOUNGE

The CIP experience is a fantastic way to arrive. On arrival your clients will be met at the aircraft steps with a name sign and will be whisked to the CIP Lounge. Whilst sitting back with a cold drink, immigration and baggage collection will be handled on their behalf.

On departure, a similar experience awaits. Clients will be met at the jetty and escorted to the lounge. Check-in will be handled on their behalf and they will be escorted to the aircraft.

CIP Lounge at a glance

- · Hot and cold refreshments available
- Clients can use the lounge up to 90 minutes before departure.
- Children aged 2 and over are charged the same as adults.
- · Smart casual dress is recommended.
- Pure Escapes can also provide additional assistance within CIP, at a charge.
- Copies of passports and all flights details are required in advance.

- Reservations must be made at least 24-hours prior to arrival/departure.
- A limousine is available from the CIP Lounge to/ from the seaplane terminal, at an additional charge.

YACHT/SPEEDBOAT TRANSFERS

Yacht and speedboat transfers are the most common means of water transport for nearby resorts, and is perfect for families and those seeking convenience of a speedy arrival to the hotels. Hotels offer private or shared transfers. Luxury yacht and boat transfers operate 24-hours a day from/to Malé International Airport. Shared transfers are subject to waiting time of 15 to 60 minutes and private transfers by boat tend to be readily available for guests on arrival.

Yacht/boat transfers at a glance

- The jetty for the boats is just moments away from the main terminal.
- · Waiting time is normally minimal.
- · There are no baggage restrictions.
- · Boats can travel during hours of darkness.
- Typical boat journeys range from 20 to 45 minutes.

SEAPLANES

Malé has the biggest seaplane operations in the world. The planes offer spectacular views from the sky and a comfortable, if somewhat noisy, ride. Most resorts have their own private lounges at the seaplane terminal where guests can wait for the seaplane transfer while taking in some refreshments. Hotels offer seamless point-to-point transfers from the seaplane platforms to the resort. However it is important to notify guests that for shared transfers, there may be other stops en-route.

Seaplanes at a glance

- The seaplane terminal is about 10-15 minutes by car from the international terminal.
- · Some hotels have their own cars.
- · Some seaplanes transfers have stops en-route.
- The seaplanes are comfortable, but noisy.
- Baggage allowance: 20kg in hold and 3kg hand luggage.
- · Waiting time is typically no more than 2 hours.
- Last seaplane flight is usually around 16.00; Any arrivals after 15.00 risks an overnight stay in Malé.



	PAGE NO.	LOCATION	TRANSFER TYPE & DURATION	PRIVATE AIRPORT LOUNGE	ISLAND SIZE	DATE OPENED	DATE OF REFURB.	NO. OF UNITS	1 BEDROOM WITH SEPARATE LIVING ROOM	1 BEDROOM WITH POOL
AMILLA FUSHI	58	Baa Atoll	Seaplane, 35min	YES	1500m x 800m	2014	Ongoing	67	NO	ALL categories have private pool
ANANTARA DHIGU	64	South Malé Atoll	Speedboat, 30min	YES	510m x 120m	2006	2019	110	NO	Sunset Pool Villa; Anantara Pool Villa; Anantara Overwater Pool Suite
ANANTARA KIHAVAH	70	Baa Atoll	Seaplane, 35min	YES	490m x 279m	2011	2021	80	NO	ALL categories have private pool
COMO MAALIFUSHI	76	Thaa Atoll	Seaplane, 60min	YES	800m x 200m	2014	NA	65	Beach Suite, Beach Villa, Water Suite and Water Villa	ALL (EXCEPT Garden Room)
CONRAD MALDIVES RANGALI ISLAND	82	South Ari Atoll	Seaplane, 30min	YES	Rangali 530m x 120m; Rangali-Finolhu 460m x 230m	2007	2021	150	Grand Water Villa, Grand Water Villa with Pool	Deluxe Beach Villa with Pool; Sunset Water Villa with Pool; Grand Water Villa with Pool; Superior Water Villa with Pool
GILI LANKANFUSHI	88	North Malé Atoll	Speedboat, 20min	YES	300m x 180m	2016	2019	50	3 units of Residences	ALL categories have private pool
HUVAFEN FUSHI	94	North Malé Atoll	Speedboat, 30min	YES	350m x 150m	2004	2016	44	Ocean Bungalow (open plan layout with separate living area)	ALL categories have private pool
JOALI	100	Raa Atoll	Seaplane, 40min	YES	700m x 320m	2018	2021	73	5 Luxury Beach Villa with Pool; 19 Luxury Water Villa with Pool; 17 Luxury Sunset Water Villa with Pool	ALL categories have private pool
JOALI BEING	106	Raa Atoll	Seaplane, 40min	YES	510m x 290m	2021	NA	68	Grand Ocean Pool Villa; Grand Beach Pool Villa	ALL categories have private pool
KANUHURA	114	Lhaviyani Atoll	Seaplane, 40min	YES	1400m x 350m	2000	Ongoing	80	Water Villa; Water Pool Villa	Beach Pool Villa; Water Pool Villa; Retreat Beach Pool Villa
KUDADOO MALDIVES	120	Lhaviyani Atoll	Seaplane, 40min	YES	200m x 200m	2018	NA	15	NO	ALL categories have private pool
MILAIDHOO ISLAND MALDIVES	126	Baa Atoll	Seaplane, 35min	YES	300m x 180m	2016	NA	50	3 units of Residences	ALL categories have private pool
NALADHU	132	South Malé Atoll	Speedboat, 30min	YES	272m x 133m	2014	2021	20	The Residence	ALL categories have private pool
NIYAMA PRIVATE ISLANDS	138	Dhaalu Atoll	Seaplane, 45min	YES	'Chill', 700m x 660m; 'Play', 555m x 507m	2012	NA	134	Family Beach Pool Villa; Deluxe Family Beach Pool Villa; 1BDR Beach Pool Pavilion; 1BDR Water Pool Pavilion; 2BDR Beach Pool Pavilion; 2BDR Water Pool Pavilion	ALL (EXCEPT Beach Villa)
ONE&ONLY REETHI RAH	144	North Malé Atoll	Yacht, 45min	NO	1930m x 472m	2005	2016	122	Grand Water Villa	ALL (EXCEPT Beach Villa and Water Villa)
OZEN RESERVE BOLIFUSHI MALDIVES	150	South Malé Atoll	Catamaran, 20min	YES	1200m x 100m	2011	2020	90	NO	79
PATINA MALDIVES FARI ISLANDS	156	North Malé Atoll	Speedboat, 45min or Seaplane 10min	NO	44 Hectares	2021	NA	110	NO	ALL 90 villas have private pools
RAFFLES MALDIVES MERADHOO	164	Gaafu Alifu Atoll	50min domestic flight, + Speedboat, 10min	NO	5 hectares	2011	2019	38	16 (2 Deluxe Beach Villas; 7 Overwater Villas; 7 Sunset Overwater Villas)	27 (10 Beach Villas; 3 Sunset Beach Villas; 7 Over Wate 7 Sunset Over Water Villas
SIX SENSES LAAMU	170	Laamu Atoll	35min domestic flight + Speedboat, 15min	Access to Domestic Lounge	780m x 280m	2011	2014	96	NO	19
SONEVA FUSHI	176	Baa Atoll	Seaplane, 30min	YES	800m x 600m	1995	2020	71	Crusoe Suite with Pool; Crusoe with Pool; Soneva Fushi Family Suite; Soneva Fushi Family Suite with Pool; Water Retreat With Slide	ALL categories have private pool
SONEVA JANI	184	Noonu Atoll	Seaplane, 40min	YES	1734m x 432m	2016	2020	54	1BDR Water Retreat; 1BDR Water Retreat with Slide	ALL categories have private pool
THE NAUTILUS	190	Baa Atoll	Seaplane, 35min	NO	242m x 249m	2019	NA	26	ALL	ALL categories have private pool
THE RITZ-CARLTON MALDIVES FARI ISLANDS	196	Fari Islands	45min speedboat or 10min by seaplane	NO	Approximately 20 hectares	2021	NA	100	NO	ALL categories have private pool
THE ST. REGIS VOMMULI RESORT	202	Dhaalu Atoll	Seaplane, 45min	YES	450m x 250m	2016	NA	77	St Regis Suite	ALL categories have private pool
VAKKARU MALDIVES	210	Baa Atoll	Seaplane, 30min	YES	733m x 273m	2017	NA	113	One Bedroom Beach Pool Residence; One Bedroom Deluxe Beach Pool Residence; One Bedroom Overwater Pool Residence	Beach Villa with Plunge Pool; Beach Pool Villa; Beach Fa Villa, Over Water Family Pool Villa; 1 BRM Beach Pool Re Pool Residence; 1 BDR Over Water Pool Residence; The V
VELAA PRIVATE ISLAND	216	Noonu Atoll	Seaplane, 45min	YES	500m x 500m	2013	2017	47	Deluxe Beach Pool Villa; Sunrise Water Pool Villa; Sunset Deluxe Water Pool Villa	ALL categories have private pool
W MALDIVES	222	North Ari Atoll	Seaplane, 25min	YES	215m x 230m	2007	2017	77	NO	73
WALDORF ASTORIA ITHAAFUSHI	228	South Malé Atoll	Yacht, 40min	NO	200,000m², 3.5 km length	2019	NA	119	Grand Beach Villa with Pool, Grand Reef Villa with Pool, Grand Overwater Villa with Pool	ALL categories have private pool

	MULTI-BEDROOM VILLAS — 3 PLUS BEDROOMS	VILLA HOST/ BUTLER SERVICE	RESTAURANTS & BARS	MEAL PLAN INC BASE RATE BB/HB/ FB & ALL-INC	BEST BEACH	HOUSE REEF / SNORKELLING		BICYCLES	PRICE	OUR VERDICT
	3, 4, 6, 8 BDR	YES, for all categories; dedicated butlers for Residences	7 Restaurants; 2 Bars	HB, basis EXCEPT Festive on BB	BEST beach is near Residences; Family Villas #601-605 have high reef	BEST snorkelling reachable by boat	NO	YES	\$\$\$	The Miami vibe comes to Maldives and with fantastic large Residences
	NO	YES, for higher villa categories	6 Restaurants; 2 Bar	HB, basis EXCEPT Festive on BB	BEST beach is near villas #53-62 & #77-84	YES	YES	YES	\$\$	Really good value family resort; great variety of dining options
	3, 4 BDR on beach	YES	5 Restaurants; 2 Bars	HB, basis EXCEPT Festive on BB	BEST beach is near Villas #101-106, #108-111, #130	YES; especially sunrise side	NO	YES	\$\$\$	At the top of its game in recent years & has recent refurb of Residences
	COMO Residence (4 bedroom)	ALL	3 Restaurants; 2 Bars	HB, basis EXCEPT Festive on BB	Beach Villa side, GOOD	YES	YES	YES	\$\$\$	An underwater wonderland with impeccable service
Premier Water Villa with Pool; : Deluxe Water Villa with Pool	3 BDR Beach Suite with Pool, The Muraka	Island hosts for ALL categories and dedicated butlers for higher categories	8 Restaurants; 4 Bars	BB	GOOD without stones (but sea is deep) in Rangali Finolhu Island, side-facing Rangali Island	YES	NO	YES	\$\$	A great resort for anyone looking for great value 5-star Maldives resort
	The Private Reserve	YES	3 Restaurants; 2 Bars	HB, basis EXCEPT Festive on BB	No beach villas, all overwater villas, best swimming towards the end of the jetty	YES	YES	YES**	\$\$\$	Great location near Malé; fantastic quality water villas
	NO	YES	4 Restaurants; 2 Bar	BB	GOOD everywhere	YES	NO	NO	\$\$\$	One of the best house reefs in the Maldives; and with a stunning underwater Spa
	3 BDR Ocean Residence with two pools (on water); 4 BDR Beach Residence,	YES	4 Restaurants; 1 Bar	HB, basis EXCEPT Festive on BB	GOOD beach near Villas #10-20	YES	NO	YES	\$\$\$\$\$	Luxurious art immersive retreat with some of the best water villas in Maldives
	3 BDR Wellbeing Beach Residence; 4 BDR Private Wellbeing Ocean Residence	YES	3 Restaurants; 1 Bar; 1 Tea Lounge	BB	GOOD everywhere	YES	NO	YES	\$\$\$\$\$	New sister Island to JOALI that is a dedicated wellbeing resort
	3 BDR on beach	YES	5 Restaurants; 2 Bars; Café	НВ	GOOD everywhere	NO	NO	YES	\$\$	Great family resort with some of the best beaches in Maldives in addition to over 50 activities on offer
	NO	YES	5 Restaurants; 5 Bars; Wine Cellar	ALL-INC	Water Villas ONLY, GOOD swimming	NO	NO	NO	\$\$\$\$\$	Luxury meets All-inclusive at this high-end resort for Adults
	NO	YES	3 Restaurants; 2 Bar	НВ	BEST beach near villas 208-216	YES	NO	NO	\$\$\$	Bijou style resort with real Maldives feel
	NO	YES	1 Restaurant	BB	Beach is ONLY on Beach House side; Ocean House has NO beach	YES	YES	NO	\$\$\$	Perfect getaway for those looking for privacy
	3 BDR on beach; The Crescent complex of 5 villas (6 Bedrooms)	YES	6 Restaurants; 3 Bars; 1 Deli	HB, basis EXCEPT Festive on BB	BEST beach is near villas 4-27	NO	YES	YES	\$\$\$	Playground for Families and Adults alike; and a great surf option
	3 BDR on beach	YES	6 Restaurants; 3 Bars	HB, basis EXCEPT Festive on BB	Best beaches: Turtle Beach, Grand Beach, Sunset Beach	YES	NO	YES	\$\$\$\$	Always innovating and leads the way as the place to see, or be seen
	The Ozen RESERVE and Royal RESERVE	YES	6 Restaurants and Bars	ALL-INC	Sunset Side, near villas 209-999	YES	Nearby	YES	\$\$\$	All-inclusive traditional style resort; close proximity to Malé
	3 BDR Beach House	YES	12 F&B outlets	BB	Wide everywhere, working on improving further	YES	NO	YES	\$\$\$\$\$	New kid on the block, which has a fresh modern style. Eco-conscious resort
er Villas;	3 BDR Raffles Royal Residence	YES	3 Restaurants; 2 Bars	HB, basis EXCEPT Festive on BB	BEST beach on Sunset side	YES	NO	NO	\$\$\$	Worth travelling to for the underwater world, large villas and renowned service
	NO	YES	5 Restaurants and Bars	BB	GOOD everywhere	YES	YES	YES	\$\$\$	Signature Six Senses style; great for surfers, diving and honeymooners
	3, 4, 5, 6, 9 BDR on the beach	YES	4 Restaurants; 3 Bars	BB	BEST on sunrise side	YES	Nearby	YES**	\$\$\$\$\$	Everyone should visit at least once in a lifetime. Now with amazing NEW water villas
	3, 4 BDR on water; 3, 4 BDR on beach	YES	7 Restaurants; 3 Bars	BB	Medhufaru Beach	NO	Nearby	YES**	\$\$\$\$\$	Picture postcard Maldives. The perfect water villas in the perfect location
	The Nautilus Mansion	YES	3 Restaurants; 2 Bars	BB	Opposite Beach Pool Suites; and Villas #131-154	YES	NO	NO	\$\$\$\$\$	Luxury boutique gem; with large villas, amazing attention to detail, and great personalised service
	The Ritz-Carlton Estate	YES	7 Restaurants and Bars	BB	Wide Beach everywhere, Best Beach on Sunset side	YES	NO	YES	\$\$\$\$\$	Promises to be the 'new resort of the year' in the Maldives and is the one to watch
	3 BDR on beach; 3 BDR on water	YES	5 Restaurants; 1 Bar; Wine Cellar	BB	BEST beach is near 2 BDR Beach Suites; and Caroline Astor Suite	YES	NO	YES	\$\$\$\$	Innovative design with one of, if not, the best Spa in the Maldives; 'WOW' water villas
asidence; 1 BÖR Deluxe Beach akkaru Över Water Residence	4 BDR on water — The Vakkaru Over Water Residence	YES	5 Restaurants; 2 Bars; Wine Cellar	HB, basis EXCEPT Festive on BB	BEST beach near villas 131-142, 107-111 and 155-159	YES	NO	YES	\$\$\$	Large island with a great choice of family villas; excellent all-round resort
	4 BDR on beach	YES for Villas & Houses; dedicated Butlers for Residences	3 Restaurants; 2 Bars	BB	BEST beach is near Residences and villa 8-12	YES	NO	YES	\$\$\$\$\$	Playground for the rich and famous, and for good reason
	3 2 BDR with separate living room (323m²);	Whatever/Whenever service 24h	3 Restaurants; 2 Bars	BB	GOOD everywhere	YES	NO	NO	\$\$	First class snorkelling, good beach and signature fun W elements
	Grand Three BDR Beach Villa with Pools, Three BDR Overwater Villa with Two Pools, Ithaafushi Private Island	YES	9 Restaurants; 2 Bars	BB	BEST beach is near villas 602-628	YES	Nearby	YES	\$\$\$\$\$	Quickly established itself as one of the leading luxury resorts — has something for everyone



