



Deep South

Welcome to Our

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Huvadhoo - Foammulah - Addu

Embark on an Epic Dive Adventure in the Deep South of the Maldives

If you're a passionate diver seeking the ultimate underwater thrill, the Deep South of the Maldives beckons with a promise of unforgettable experiences. From January to April, this remote region between Huvadhu and Addu (Seenu) Atolls comes alive with incredible shark action and mesmerizing marine encounters. Take a week away from the crowds and immerse yourself in the wonders of Addu, Fuvahmulah, and Huvadhoo, where you'll have the chance to meet the Indian Ocean's most majestic residents, including tiger sharks, silver tips, grey reef sharks, and even the gentle giants – whale sharks.

Huvadhu Atoll: Dive into the Deep

Huvadhoo (Gaafu Alifu) Atoll, the largest Atoll in the Maldives, offers thrilling diving opportunities in its deep lagoons, channels, and vibrant reefs. The currents and channels here are ideal for spotting a wide range of sharks, including hammerheads and grey reef sharks. If you're lucky, you may even encounter the magnificent whale sharks. Dive into world-class channels like Vilingilli, Koodoo, Nilandhoo, and Mareehaa, and explore the deep waters that house an abundance of marine life, from dolphins to turtles, guitarfish, and more.

Trip Highlights

- ✔ Sharks, Shark, Sharks
- ✔ Reef Sharks
- ✔ Thresher Sharks
- ✔ Tiger sharks
- ✔ Hammerheads
- ✔ Whale Sharks
- ✔ Nurse Sharks
- ✔ Manta Cleaning Station
- ✔ Channel Dives
- ✔ Deep Dives
- ✔ Current Dives
- ✔ Pelagic Encounters
- ✔ Beach BBQ

Fuvahmulah: The Predator's Playground

Fuvahmulah is renowned for its incredible marine encounters, especially with apex predators. Expect thrilling encounters with tiger, silky, silver tip, and thresher sharks on the south plateaux. This remote island is a hotspot for oceanic giant mantas and offers the possibility of rare sightings, such as sailfish, mola mola (Sun Fish) and large schools of tuna. Dive into the deep Indian Ocean and experience the adrenaline rush of exploring this predator's playground.

At Carpe Diem, we are committed to delivering an authentic and respectful nature experience.

IN HARMONY WITH NATURE.

We do not endorse the practice of feeding sharks.

We do not offer or promote the "Tiger Zoo" experience in Fuvahmulah Atoll.

When diving in Fuvahmulah we have the privilege of encountering Tiger Sharks and other pelagic naturally and we believe that these encounters provide a more genuine and unaltered experience with these magnificent creatures.

Addu Atoll: Dive History and Marine Majesty

Addu Atoll, also known as Seenu Atoll, is home to over 30 world-class dive sites, each offering exceptional visibility and marine wonders. Year-round, you can spot manta rays, turtles, sharks, and pelagic life. Explore the WWII wreck, HMS British Loyalty, a piece of diving history, and visit the majestic Manta Cleaning station at Maa Kandhu. Addu Atoll also offers a more relaxing drift dive at Demon corner, a perfect way to begin or end your dive expedition.

Please note :

- ❗ Please be aware that the schedule will vary depending on weather and other logistical or force majeure considerations.
- ❗ Domestic flights will required on day of departure and arrival. Trip package does not include Domestic flights. Enquire via info@carpediemmalives-cruises.com for more information on how to book domestic flights.
- ❗ Require divers to have a minimum 100 dives, Advanced Overwater and to be a good swimmer due to mostly medium to strong current and channel dives.

Route 1

Addu - Foammulah - Huvadhu

Starting in Addu (GAN) / Ending In Huvadhu (GKK)

Route 2

Huvadhu - Foammulah / Addu

Starts in Huvadhu(GKK) / Ends in Addu (GAN)

Season

High Season

January to April only

Diving

Advanced Open Water, Nitrox And Minimum 100
Dives Required

Strong Swimmer beneficial. Nitrox courses is provided on all boats.

7 Night Trips enjoy 17/18 dives

Arrival

Day 1

For all South Trips you require to purchase a domestic flight either to Addu (GAN) or Huvadhu (GKK). CD Team can book on your behalf at extra cost or you can book directly via airline. On arrival to Velena International Airport our friendly representative will accompany you to the domestic terminal. When you reach either Addu or Huvadhu depending on your route chosen our team will be there to assist you onto the Vessel.

Our dedicated team will conduct a comprehensive briefing on essential boat safety protocols, boat regulations, and the necessary diving registration. Following this, we'll assist you in preparing your dive gear for the adventures ahead. Should the majority of guests arrive later due to international flights, the check dive will be rescheduled for the next day.

The window for the check dive, scheduled between 15:30 and 16:30, allows you to acclimate and fine-tune your equipment. A sumptuous dinner awaits you around 18:45 to 19:00, offering a chance to relish mouthwatering cuisine and socialize with fellow participants. The following day's diving schedule, including dive sites, will be thoughtfully planned by the Captain and Dive Team leader, taking into account factors such as weather conditions, currents, and visibility. Please note that this schedule is subject to potential changes, ensuring the best and safest experiences for all.

Trip

Day 2 - 6

Embark on three exhilarating dives every day. Your diving adventure is complemented by a satisfying spread including Buffet Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Snacks, and Dinner. One Beach BBQ included in trip.



Last day
of diving

Day 7

Taking into account your domestic flight schedule and the cumulative dives completed during the week, the dive team will organize either one or two morning dives. Enjoy your last lunch and dinner with your new dive buddies.

Day 8

At 08:00 am, complete the check-out process as our team accompanies you to the domestic Airport Terminal booked. Depart with cherished memories and newfound dive companions, marking a lifetime of unforgettable experiences

Departure

Included

Transfers (pickup and drop off from Airport)

A refreshing welcome drink upon arrival

7 nights' accommodation aboard our state-of-the-art vessel

All meals (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner and snacks)

Unlimited drinking water, coffee and tea

A beach BBQ (Weather and government permitting)

Total 17/18 Dives - 3 dives daily (excluding the day of arrival and the day before departure), led by our team of professional local English-speaking dive guides

Equipment: Nitrox and normal air tanks (11.5 and 13.5 Aluminium DIN / INT), one SMB per diving couple/buddy team, reef hooks, weights and belts*

T-GST 16% + 10% service charge

Excluded

Any equipment not mentioned under inclusions above

Dive courses

Green tax (US\$6 per person/per night)

Domestic flights

Soft drinks and alcoholic beverages

Dive insurance (Mandatory)

Travel insurance (Recommended)

Wi-Fi (Available on board at additional cost)

Itinerary Atolls



Huvadhoo



Fuvahmulah



Locate on the map 

Diving in Huvadhoo, Maldives, offers an extraordinary underwater experience in the heart of the Indian Ocean. Known for its pristine reefs and abundant marine life, Huvadhoo is a paradise for divers of all levels. The crystal-clear turquoise waters provide excellent visibility, allowing divers to explore vibrant coral gardens, intricate caves, and breathtaking drop-offs. Encounter an array of colorful fish species, majestic manta rays, and even whale sharks during the right season. With a variety of dive sites catering to different preferences, Huvadhoo promises unforgettable adventures for underwater enthusiasts.

Itinerary Atolls



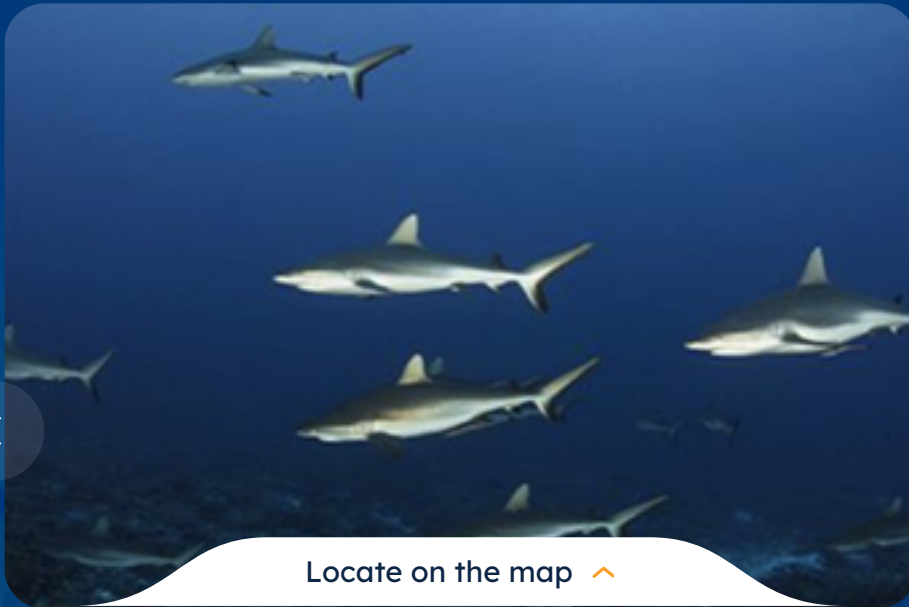
Huvadhoo



Fuvahmulah



Addu



Locate on the map 

Fuvahmulah, located in the Maldives, is a captivating destination for diving enthusiasts. Known for its abundant marine life and unique geographical features, Fuvahmulah offers an unforgettable underwater experience. Divers can explore vibrant coral reefs teeming with colorful fish, encounter majestic manta rays and whale sharks, and discover intriguing underwater caves and channels. The warm, clear waters provide excellent visibility, making it ideal for both novice and experienced divers. With its diverse and pristine diving sites, Fuvahmulah promises an immersive adventure in a tropical paradise.

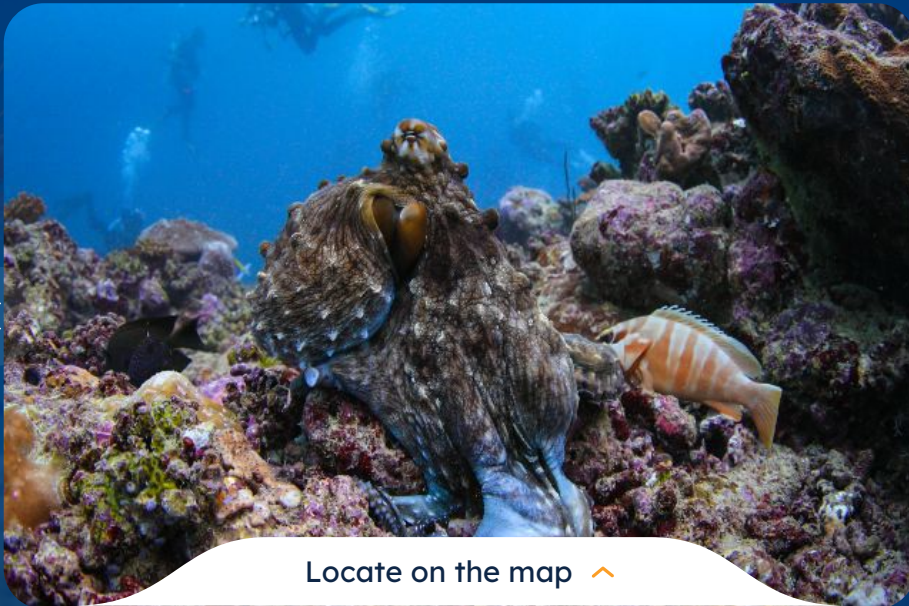
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Addu



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Addu Atoll, located in the Maldives, offers a captivating diving experience for enthusiasts. With its crystal-clear turquoise waters, abundant marine life, and pristine coral reefs, diving in Addu is a true underwater paradise. Explorers can discover colorful coral gardens, swim alongside majestic manta rays, encounter schools of tropical fish, and even spot elusive whale sharks