

Majestic

Majestic is a 43m liveaboard built and designed with divers in mind.

Cabins

Majestic has 5 double cabins and 10 Twin Cabins. Cabins are spread over 4 decks.

Layout

With all cabins on main, upper and sun deck areas the dining area and kitchen are in the lower deck. There is a spacious dive deck and the back. There is a modern salon and large upper deck and sun deck with hot tub.

Zodiacs

Where divers need taking off the main boat to dive sites Majestic has 2 large zodiacs to take all divers to site.

Safety

The boat has 2 x Life Raft and life jackets, Fire Extinguishers Sprinkler system in the kitchen and engine room and fire alarm equipment. VHR, GPS, radar, EPIRB, start and AIS. There is first aid and Oxygen kit on board. BSAC Egypt has an AED.



Important Trip Information

All guests travelling for a liveaboard trip must ensure they are fully covered for all diving accident and emergency situations, including air evacuation. This is a mandatory requirement. We strongly advise you take adequate insurance to cover any travel arrangements relating to this trip not within this booking (for example flights and accommodation).

Your insurance must cover all of your scuba diving and snorkelling activities. It must include the type of diving and maximum depths you will be diving to (within the limits dictated by your diving certification and provide full cover of emergency air evacuation costs and recompression treatment. Please be aware that while some basic travel insurance policies cover scuba diving, they often specify maximum depths which may be less than your certification limits and / or the dive sites on your itinerary. Additionally, they may not cover all costs incurred as a result of a diving related accident. It is your responsibility to check that your insurance provides adequate cover for your chosen itinerary.

Please be aware that 'search and rescue' services are charged at 4000 USD an hour in Egypt and some policies do not cover 'search'.

We also strongly advise our guests to obtain comprehensive travel insurance to cover against unforeseeable delays and potential missed flight connections.

Trips run from Saturday to Saturday from Hurghada Marina)=. You will board the boat from Saturday lunchtime, the boat will depart early Sunday morning for the first day of diving, returning Friday afternoon. Departure off the boat is after breakfast the following Saturday.

The trip includes 6 days diving Sunday – Friday inclusive). Diving is 3-4 dives a day (weather and location dependent) Diving is finished by lunchtime Friday. You must leave 24 hours before flying, if you are flying on Friday you will not be able to dive on Friday.

The BSAC Egypt Team are based in Hurghada and all flights will be to Hurghada.

Included:

- Transfer to the boat from the airport on day of embarkation (Saturday) and Transfer from the boat to the airport or to Elysees for day use and airport Saturday evening of disembarkation. Any other transfers subject to additional charges.
- Air and Nitrox
- Soft drinks, coffee and tea
- <u>Full</u> Board
- Tanks and weights
- Dive Guides
- Marine Park Fees

Extras:

- Visa £25 (taken with final payment)
- Use of Elysees facilities Saturday Day before returning home £10 (taken with final payment if required)
- Tips 90 Euros (payable in cash onboard)
- Kit hire costs will be provided with information forms before trip
- Alcoholic drinks beer is available to purchase onboard or you can bring your own onboard
- Diver Training (must be pre-booked)
- Additional transfers
- Flights



Itinerary Highlights*

SS. Thistlegorm – Shaab Ali

Probably the most famous of the Red Sea wrecks. The 129m English Freighter was bombed by German aviation on 6th October 1941. Today she creates an artificial reef on a sandy bottom at 32m max depth. She is home to an enormous variety of marine life and is especially popular with large schooling fish.

Small Crack - Shaab Mahmoud

This is a small split in the middle of Shaab Mahmoud's barrier. Drift along the outside wall next to beautiful corals and colourful fish. Look for a sand slope that leads you up and through the crack. When the current is right you can fly through the 5m deep channel and be thrown out across the sandy lagoon.

Gubal Island

At the gate of the Straits of Gubal is 'Bluff Point', which gets its name from the turbulence created by strong currents that beat the eastern wall of the island. 'The Barge' wreck, south of the lighthouse, provides divers with a fun and unusual night dive. The wrecks skeleton creates protection for all types of night creatures.

Abu Nuhas

This reef has claimed more ships than any other in the area. On the north side are four wrecks laying on a sandy seafloor at the bottom of a steep sloping reef layered with table corals. Wrecks here include the Giannis D, Carnatic, Tile & Lentil Wrecks. On the south side is a safe anchorage for liveaboards and two ergs, known as Yellow fish reef.

Shag Rock

This large circular reef is often overlooked but offers excellent diving on pristine coral from any location on its perimeter. Ras Mohammed national park is not standard within this safari but may be visited at the discretion of the crew. Please enquire if you would like to visit this area.

*The above, is a sample itinerary and is subject to change without notice. The itinerary will depend on several factors including, but not limited to, weather, diving ability of guests & the number of other boats already present at the various dive sites. All dive sites visited are subject to weather conditions and are at the discretion of your dive guides and vessel captain.

