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The Basics

Getting Ashore

Ships dock at the A.C. Wathey Cruise Pier in Philipsburg. Taxis and water taxis are on hand to take guests to the center of town.

Fast Fact

The 37-square-mile island of St. Maarten/St. Martin is the smallest landmass in the world governed by 2 nations.

Port Shopping

The best shopping is located along Front Street in Philipsburg, the capital of Dutch St. Maarten.



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The Friendly Island

TWO COUNTRIES, ONE ISLAND: St.

Maarten and St. Martin offer the world a lesson in sharing. With the lively Dutch Sint Maarten to the south, the laid-back French Saint Martin to the north, and no marked border in between, visiting the Friendly Island is like getting a two-for-one deal. With dozens of beaches, excellent duty-free shops, countless land and water activities, and abundant world-class dining options, this tiny island is one of the leading destinations in the Caribbean.

STOP BY THE GUAVABERRY

EMPORIUM on Front Street to sample St. Maarten's national beverage: quavaberry liqueur. And be sure to stroll down Old Street, a tiny pedestrian-only promenade located between Front and Back Streets. It's home to colorful shops and open-air cafés with a yellow taxicab parked on the alley marking the shopping district. The streets are lined with gingerbread-style homes with grand verandas overlooking the cobblestoned paths. These excellent examples of traditional West Indian architecture make picture-perfect backdrops for vacation photos. This is also a great area for picking up a souvenir or two for friends and family back home. Locals are friendly and gladly help with any questions you may have.

Port Highlights

SIGHTS

Loterie Farm

This nature-lover's paradise offers various hiking trails, a zip-line adventure course, and a multilevel swimming area surrounded by tropical vegetation.

Simpson Bay Lagoon

The largest saltwater lagoon in the Caribbean has a picturesque 2-mile harbor that hosts impressive luxury yachts.

Mount Concordia

The mountain divides the French and the Dutch sides. A monument sits here to represent the peace treaty that was signed in 1648.

Orient Beach

Known as the French Riviera of the Caribbean, this clothing-optional beach offers a full range of amenities, including beach chairs and water sports.

SHOPS

Diamonds International

No. 1 Recommendation for Diamonds

Effy Jewelry

Colored-Diamonds Specialists: Abundance of Unique Designs & Collections

Kay's Fine Jewelry

Luxury with a Family Touch

Majesty Jewelers

Voted Cruises Guests' Favorite Store

Milano Diamond Gallery

No. 1 Destination for Jewelry Less Than \$1,000







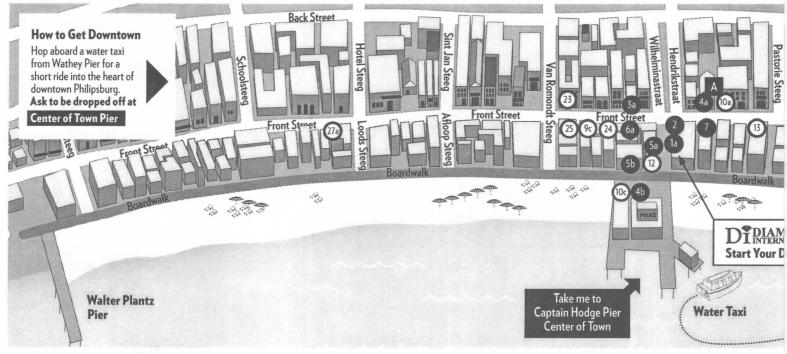






St. Maarten





Guaranteed Stores

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Largest inventory of GIA/EGL/AGS Certified Diamonds. Re-style & upgrade your diamond: Customize your piece. Ask about our Lifetime Upgrade Policy. Designer Diamond Collections: Forevermark, Vena d'Amore Diamond Solitaires, Wonder Stud, Gift, Sara G, Cognac Diamonds, Blue Heaven, and Day to Night. Fine Jewelry: Gucci, Honora, Ivanka Trump, John Hardy, Kabana, Korite Ammolite, Lauren G Adams, MarahLago Larimar, Nalah Masai, Rebecca, Safi Kilima, and Stil Novo Gold. Watches: Hublot, Zenith, Ulysse Nardin, Philip Stein, Movado, Bulova, Bremont, Hamilton, Longines, Baume & Mercier, Fendi, Dior, Gucci, Bomberg, Ernst Benz, Corum, Wenger, Bering, Ebel, and Dubey & Schaldenbrand. Offering a wide range of payment options.

Crown of Light Specialty Shop

No. 1 Selling Diamond in the Caribbean

Experience the superior sparkle of the Crown of Light, Diamonds International's signature diamond. Measured to perfection, each Crown of Light Diamond is handcrafted. Compare the Crown of Light Diamond to any diamond using the Diamond Light Performance Scope. You have never seen a diamond like this before.

Safi Kilima Tanzanite Gallery

No. 1 Selling Tanzanite Brand in the Caribbean

Tanzanite is 1,000 times rarer than diamonds. Ethically sourced from the Tanzanite Foundation. Thousands of loose tanzanite, from 1 to over 100 cts. Don't miss Safi Kilima's Tanzanite studs starting at \$139. Safi Kilima "WOW" bracelet starting at \$200 per carat.

Tanzanite International

No. 1 Recommended Store for Tanzanite

Discover Safi Kilima Tanzanite in rich purple and blue, exclusive to Tanzanite International and Diamonds International. Ethically sourced from the Tanzanite Foundation. Don't miss Safi Kilima's Tanzanite studs starting at \$139. Incredible Selection: Thousands of loose tanzanite ranging from 1 to 100 cts. Design your own Safi Kilima Tanzanite piece to commemorate your cruise vacation. Free Tanzanite slide with every Safi Kilima purchase.

Diamonds International Watch & Design

Top Luxury Timepieces & Designer Jewelry Brands

Designer Diamond Collections: Forevermark, Vena d'Amore Diamond Solitaires, Wonder Stud, Gift, Sara G, Cognac Diamonds, Blue Heaven, Day to Night. Fine Jewelry: John Hardy, Kabana, Korite Ammolite, Lauren G Adams, Marahlago Larimar, and Rebecca. Timepieces: 2XIST, Bremont, Bulova, Edox, Ebel, Ernst Benz, Fruitz by Philip Stein, Fendi, Glam Rock, Gucci, Hamilton, Movado, Philip Stein, Romain Jerome, Ulysse Nardin, and Wenger. Offering a wide range of payment options.

Effy Jewelry

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Colored-Diamonds Specialists: Abundance of Unique Designs & Collections

One of the largest jewelry manufacturers in North America. Direct-from-the-manufacturer pricing. DiVersa by Effy: The original changeable jewelry starting at \$195. Effy's tanzanite collection starts at just \$95. NYC based; family owned and operated since 1979. Lifetime warranty on every purchase. Upgrade your free gift to a pendant-earring set for just \$10.

Milano Diamond Gallery

No. 1 Destination for Jewelry Less Than \$1,000

DTC Sightholder Since 1995: Diamonds at extremely competitive prices. The Unity Collection:
"High-quality, big-look" diamond jewelry. Exotic Gemstones: Blue tanzanite, alexandrite, sapphires, and more.

Kay's Fine Jewelry

Luxury with a Family Touch

Top recommendation with one of the largest selections of blue diamonds in the Caribbean. Colored Diamonds: Canary-yellow, natural pink, natural café, blue, green, and black. Featuring the Omega Necklace for \$69. Jewelry & Watch Brands: Ball, Oris, Fruitz, Mido, Citizen, Swatch, Seiko, Seiko Astron, Skagen, Sandra Biachi colored diamonds, and Alex and Ani.

Del So

World's Largest Color-Change Retailer.

Just Add Sun: See all Del Sol products change vibrant colors outside in the sun. Color-Changing Apparel: Men's, women's, and children's shirts, shorts, hats, and more. Solize: Polarized sunglasses with a lifetime guarantee even if you lose them. Only \$49.

Cariloha

Where Everything Is Made from Bamboo

Why Bamboo? It's three degrees cooler and twice as soft as cotton, hypoallergenic, and has moisture-wicking properties. Bamboo-Soft Apparel: Men's and women's apparel, fitness wear, socks, polos, and more. Bamboo Bed & Bath: The softest bedding on the planet with free shipping to your home.

Goldfinger Jewelry

Official Rolex Retailer of St. Maarten

Watches: Rolex, Cartier, TAG Heuer, Ebel, Raymond Weil, Longines, Alor, Tudor, Blancpain Tissot, and Swiss Army. Designer Jewelry: Roberto Coin, Alor, MarahLago larimar, and Aaron Rasha

TAG Heuer Boutique

Pioneering Swiss Watchmaking since 1860

Little Switzerland

Defining Luxury Across the Caribbean for Over 60 Years

Luxury Watches: Breitling, Omega, TAG Heuer, Movado, Tissot, Michele, Michael Kors, and Citizen. Fine Jewelry: Marco Bicego, John Hardy, Roberto Coin, Lagos, Ippolita, and Alex and Ani. Omega Boutique: 165 years of pioneering history—taking precision from the depths of the ocean to the vastness of space. Breitling Boutique: Instruments for professionals. Tiffany & Co.: Come visit the newest collections by Tiffany & Co; from the classic keys to the Modern T Collection.

Majesty Jewelers

Voted Cruises Guests' Favorite Store

Hearts On Fire: Award-winning store for Become one in a million to own the best a home a piece of the Caribbean. Designer. Sandra Biachi, True Blue, Emeryl, Nina Ng and Lauren G Adams. Watches: Raymond Rue de Rhone, Seiko, and Citizen.

Bulgari Boutique

Magnificent Italian Jeweler Since 1884 Exquisite watches that combine Italian d silver gifts, and fragrances.

Pearl Gems

Exclusive Pearl Specialist Store

South Sea, Tahitian, cultured, and freshw Jewelry: Yvel, Tara, Honora, Thomas Sab Nautica.

Ocean Jewelers

GIA/EGL-Certified Diamonds, Fine Jew Loose rubies, emeralds, and alexandrite. I

Guavaberry Emporium

St. Maarten's National Liqueur

The home of the famous liqueur made wi and hot sauces.

Crocs

The Official Shoe of Cruising

New sandals, flips, loafers, and more for m

Jewelry Avenue

Located at Bobby's Marina near the Wat Variety of fine jewelry starting from \$10 and Semiprecious Stones: Tanzanite and Skagen.

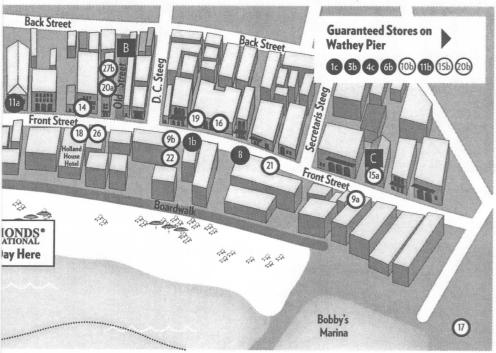
Linen Galore

House of Fine Tablecloths

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Blue-, black-, and champagne-diamond jewelry.

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Diamonds: White, blue, black, and brown. Precious

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linens in 100% linen and cotton, microfiber, and

ers, place mats, toppers, towels, doilies, gifts, and

elry, and Watches

er-Taxi Terminal

Pandora Boutique A Paradise of Affordable Luxury

Handcrafted jewelry inspiring women to embrace their individuality. Gold and silver charm bracelets, necklaces, rings, earrings, and Swiss watches.

The Belgian Chocolate Box by Beatrix

The Original Belgian Chocolate Factory

Located at the cruise pier and downtown on Old Street. Fresh homemade truffles daily, bonbons, butter creams, caramel waffles, specialty donuts, s'mores, and more. Free port delivery and travel packaging available.

'That Yoda Guy" Movie Exhibit & Shop

Yoda, Darth Vader, and Relics from Terminator and Men in Black

Unique Movie Insider Museum: Founded by "That Yoda Guy," Nick Maley, who assembled Yoda for Star Wars. 10 to 40% off Star Wars art and production memorabilia.

Divine

Swatch, Swarovski, & Misaki Collections

Swatch watches for all ages (from baby to 100 years old). One of the largest Swarovski collections in St. Maarten, Misaki pearls.

Alex and Ani Boutique

Made in America with Love

Meaningful, eco-conscious jewelry and accessories to positively empower and connect manity. Made with recycled materials and infused with positive energy.

The Camera House

Comprehensive Photography Store

Official dealer for Canon, Nikon, Sony, Olympus, Panasonic, and Tamrac. Cameras, lenses, memory cards, computers, e-readers, and more.

Caribbean Camera Center

Comprehensive Photography Store

Official dealer for Canon, Nikon, Sony, Olympus, Panasonic, and Tamrac. Cameras, lenses, memory cards, computers, e-readers, and more.

Bally Boutique

Luxury Shoes, Bags & Accessories

Grand opening of the first official Bally Boutique in St. Maarten. Exclusive tax- and duty-free pricing on all Bally leather goods.

Elements

Handmade Dichroic Glass in the Caribbean

Unique pieces that dare to be different. Bright and bold colors that sparkle and change depending on the angle of the view.

Exploring Philipsburg

The capital of Dutch St. Maarten stretches about a mile along an isthmus between Great Bay and Great Salt Pond. Most of the shops and restaurants are on Front Street, a narrow, cobblestoned stretch that runs along the beachfront boardwalk

Philipsburg Courthouse A

Built in 1793, the courthouse is one of Philipsburg's most prominent landmarks.

Old Street B

The pedestrian-only street is home to open-air cafés serving crepes and rich chocolate, and shops selling island souvenirs.

Guavaberry Emporium C

The shop is the official retailer of St. Maarten's national beverage.

Tax- and Duty-Free Brand Finder

LUXURY WATCHES

Diamonds International Watch & Design

Majesty Jewelers Breitling

Breitling Boutique Little Switzerland

Diamonds International Watch & Design

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Philip Stein Diamonds International

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Raymond Weil

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Majesty Jewelers Goldfinger Jewelry Little Switzerland

Rolex

Goldfinger Jewelry Shinola

Majesty Jewelers

TAG Heuer

Goldfinger Jewelry

Little Switzerland TAG Heuer Boutique

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Diamonds International Goldfinger Jewelry

Mark Henry Alexandrite

Diamonds International

Korite Ammolite

Lauren G Adams

Little Switzerland

Majesty Jewelers MarahLago Lariman Majesty Jewelers

Majesty Jewelers

Roberto Coin

Sandra Riachi Majesty Jewelers

Goldfinger Jewelry

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Safi Kilima Tanzanite

Diamonds International

Tanzanite International

True Love Diamonds

Milano Diamond Gallery

Majesty Jewelers

Unity Diamonds

Diamonds International Watch & Design

Rebecca

Tissot Little Switzerland

Zenith

Diamonds International Watch & Design

LUXURY JEWELRY

Alex and Ani

Alex and Ani Boutique Kay's Fine Jewelry Majesty Jewelers

Little Switzerland

Goldfinger Jewelry Majesty Jewelers

Bulgari Bulgari Boutique

Crown of Light

Diamonds International

Diamonds International Watch & Design

Tanzanite International

Color Diamonds by Effy

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Hearts On Fire

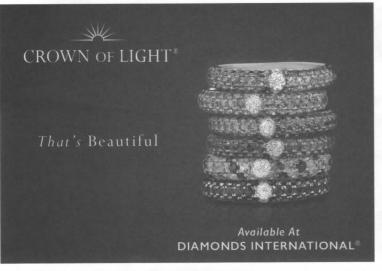
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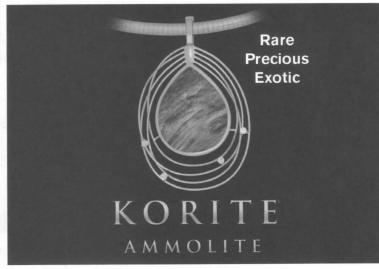
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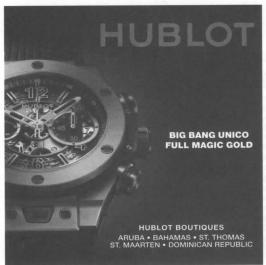
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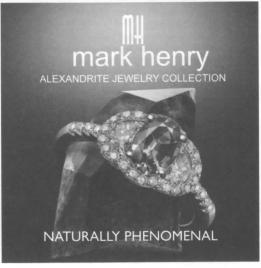












Tips for Travelers

It is customary to tip taxi drivers 10 to 15%. In restaurants, at least 15% is normal.

Try St. Maarten's famous guavaberry, a beverage that's an integral part of the local culture.

Prices in the recommended stores are in US dollars.

Want to Have Fun?

Many shore excursions like the ones listed below are still available.

St. Barths On Your Own (SMK7)

Bring your passport along on a 30-minute voyage to the famous French-Caribbean island. Explore on your own for 4 hours, checking out a few of the 22 beaches and indulging in delectable French cuisine.

An Ultimate Island Tour: Explorer Cruise and Island Tour (SMD2)

Discover Grand Case, Orient Bay beach, the Rum Factory, and Fort Louis. Relax in Marigot and hop aboard the double-decker Explorer for a fun-filled cruise along Simpson Bay Lagoon with complimentary drinks and lively music.

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- Many stores in port offer their own guarantees; please see sales associate for additional information.
 For purposes of determining quality and value of jewelry related to a buyer's complaint, only appraisals secured by a buyer from gem laboratories or independent graduate gemologists not affiliated with jewelry retailing will be acceptable. Watches and other branded merchandise valuation comparisons must be based on retail prices offered by authorized brand retailers.
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