



**Location:** Christmas Island  
**Reference:** A1

Owing to its location on the edge of the Java Trench, the island drops off into the ocean depths in excess of 3000m.

Christmas Island is a dot in the Indian Ocean, located 2600km north-west of Perth, Western Australia. Even though it is an Australian Territory, its closest neighbour is Java, 360km away. If you love nature, you will love Christmas Island! 63% of it is national park containing species of flora & fauna found nowhere else in the world! Probably the most noticeable local is the Red Crab with over 100 million of these vivid red creatures living on the forest floor.

To get there you can fly direct from Perth, Kuala Lumpur or Singapore.

### HIGHLIGHTS

With many spectacular Drop Off dive sites including Rhoda Wall, The Leap and the amazing views of Perpendicular Wall, may include such sights as Lion Fish, Moray Eels, Manta Rays, Reef Sharks, Hammerheads, enormous Tuna, various Coral species and Turtles, depending on the location.

Witness Coconut Point with its show of Gorgonian Gardens on the wall face and after a small swim through caverns, offers divers the opportunity to see Nudibranches and Flatworms.

View the stalactite formations after surfacing the island's largest cave systems, Thundercliff Cave. Other cave sites can also be visited including Lost Cave and the Boat Cave, both offering fantastic views of corals and marine life.

With warm 27 deg C waters, visibility often reaching 50 metres, and with over 40 dive locations to choose from, diving on Christmas Island is truly a once in a lifetime experience!

### ACCOMMODATION

There are a number of resorts on the island, please ask us for more information relating to accommodation prices.

### BEST SEASON

The wet season is from December to April when the island comes under the influence of the north-west monsoons. During the rest of the year, the south-east trade winds bring slightly lower temperatures and humidity with much less rain.

### OTHER ACTIVITIES

Bird watching, red crab migration, nature walking, beaches, snorkeling, golf, fishing, shopping, sailing... you name it!

### PACKAGE COST

The once-a-week flight departs every Saturday, so your dive trip will have to be at least 8D7N with 6 diving days of 2 guided boat dives a day. The 3rd dive of the day will require at least 4 divers and will cost AUD\$ 80 per dive.

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