



LABRIZ DIVE CENTER

Silhouette Island

Labriz Dive Center is located on Silhouette Island, close to the Hotel Hilton Seychelles Labriz Resort & Spa. Besides a large retail shop we are offering diving, diving courses, snorkelling activities and rental of snorkelling equipment. As a PADI 5* Center the high quality of service combined with the carefulness for the environment are our main highlights.

DIVING

As we are the only Dive Center on Silhouette Island with a Marine Park to explore all to ourselves, the diver can expect unspoiled dive sites. For environmental concerns and to give the best service we keep the dive group small. All dives are guided and by boat. The time to reach the dive sites varies from 15min for most of the sites around Silhouette and around 40min to go to North Island. Refreshments like water, snacks such as biscuits/fruits are offered on board. Usually we are going out for diving twice a day and provide night dives on request subject to the weather conditions. In the morning we are offering 2-Tank dive. The advantage for the diver is that we can offer two dives with one boat trip to a very competitive price. In the afternoon the diver has another chance to do a single dive. For those who are certified Nitrox divers we are offering Nitrox free of charge.



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DIVE EQUIPMENT

Our facility is constantly maintained in order to meet the expectations of our guests. Our two Bauer Mariner 200E high pressure compressors produce Nitrox of a high standard and we frequently do air purity tests to maintain the high quality of air.

We are using 12 litre Aluminium tanks with DIN valves and for those using YOKE (INT) regulators we provide DIN/YOKE adapters.

25 complete Dive Equipment Sets from Cressi are on rental. Diving Boat

DIVE BOAT

Cruise to our abundant dive sites in our 13 metre long Maldivian Dhoni partially covered to provide protection from the sun and spacious enough to ensure the comfort of the cruise. Our boats are also fully equipped for any emergency situation.

DIVE SITES

Anse Mondon

Max Depth : 12mt

This small protected bay North of Silhouette island is perfect for learners and snorkelers alike. The small rocky reef beginning at 3m and sloping off to around 12 m hosts a myriad of marine life from small reef fish to the occasional visiting Turtle, Eagle Ray or Sting Ray. This beautiful spot is ideal for open water training and ensures enjoyment from beginning to end.

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Black Rock

Max Depth : 16 mt

Starting from Anse Mondon the granite wall heading South is known as Black Rock, so named because of the big black coloured rock that peaks at the surface. At the base of Black rock you will find a small cave where you will have the pleasure of meeting a couple of white tip sharks as they circle amongst the Sweetlips inside the caves. Don't forget to look up into the blue or you will miss out on the turtles, Humphead Parrotfish and Napoleonfish swimming above. Other marine life you may encounter at this site are stingrays, lionfish, anemone fish, Lizardfish, Koran Angelfish, Pompano, Bluefin Trevally and Puffers are usual encounters. Bottom topography consists of huge, cascading granite boulders ending on a sandy bed at 14mt depth

House Reef

Max Depth : 14mt

At a depth of 12 to 14 metres our house reef is the perfect place for a double tan dive trip. Brimming with marine life from the tiniest to the majestic you will come across several species from the colourful nudibranch to the elegant lionfish and shy morays. If you are lucky you may encounter turtles, a solitary barracuda and stingrays resting on the sandy seabed. The highlight of this site is the old head high anchor resting at the sea bed that not only houses colourful corals but tells tales of beautiful sailing ships of long ago.

that was lost at sea a long time ago. The Housereef is the perfect place for a second dive on a double-tank dive trip.

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Coco Dans Trou

Max Depth : 20 mt

Situated at the south of Silhouette Island, next to Anse Patates. The bottom topography consists of a sloping granite wall with big granite boulders and a sandy seabed of about 14-20m depth. A bit of current is often present on this site creating the perfect conditions for a pleasant drift dive. Several overhangs are ideal places to spot Whitetip Sharks, Nurse Sharks and Stingrays circling amongst the Snappers. Keep an eye out towards the surface and into the blue for Barracudas and occasional Grey Reef Sharks.

Pointe Grand Barbe

Max Depth : 30 mt

The southern point of Grand Barbe beach, houses a spectacular dive between cascading granite boulders and overhangs reaching the sandy seabed at around 30m. Whitetip sharks are usual encounters as well as occasional Grey Reef Sharks. Eagle rays and barracudas are often spotted swimming in the blue and Turtles are usual residents in this area.

Flat Rock

Max Depth : 16mt

Flat Rock is situated very close to Point Jardie and takes about 35-40 minutes to Circumnavigate. It is made of a group of huge boulders lying about 400 metres from the shoreline with the biggest boulder rising to a few metres from the surface. This site will give you the opportunity to explore a number of small caves which are usually swathed in Glass Fish, but beware Stingrays and moray Eels are often lurking inside!

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Turtles are also a predominant feature with the smaller ones being a lot less camera shy. Divers may well experience some current and surge during this dive.

On the seaward side look out for Eagle Rays and Whitetip Sharks. Triggerfish, Napoleonfish, Puffers, Sweetlips, Soldier Fish and shoals of Fusiliers are often seen inside the cracks crevices surrounding the boulders.

North Island

Max Depth : 20mt

One of the best coral reef dives we have on offer. Consisting of 5 hard coral pinnacles segregated by small sand channels. The dive usually starts at the small pinnacle at 9m. The dive guide will then take you across a sand channel to the second pinnacle. Here you might find small Whitetip Sharks sleeping on the seabed. If you are extremely patient it is possible to get within a metre of the Sharks and take some great photographs. Also keep an eye open for Stingrays in flight. There are numerous reef fish living around the coral including Starry Pufferfish, Trumpet Fish, Scorpion Fish, Moray Eels, Parrot Fish, Triggerfish, Moorish Idols, Batfish and Angelfish. The dive guide will usually zigzag up the reef face ending at the top in around 5 metres for a safety stop. There you will find a honeycomb of small caves underneath the coral where you can find Stingrays, Whitetip and Nurse Sharks. Always be vigilant as the caves and overhangs are small so good buoyancy techniques are essential.

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