DIVE IN OKINAWA!
Ocean Lovers' Paradise
SEA OF OKINAWA
ATTRACTS DIVERS FROM AROUND THE WORLD

The moment you dive, you forget your breathing and time stands still.
The ocean is a treasure trove of beautiful lives.

APPEALS OF OKINAWAN SEAS
Our ocean is one of the most beautiful places in the world.
It lies between the East China Sea and the Pacific Ocean.
The rich biodiversity and marine life are captivating.
Kokusai Daito, the main island of Okinawa, is easily accessible.

One of the greatest attractions of Okinawa's sea is its marine life.
Among the attractions is the sea turtles, which are easily observed.
The Sarubobo Marine Park is one of the main highlights.

In the Okinawa Prefecture, there are various islands.
The main island of Okinawa and its surrounding islands are perfect for diving.

Access Map for Outlying Islands

Location: Okinawa, Japan
KERAMA SHOTO NATIONAL PARK

The sea off the Kerama Islands are celebrated anywhere in the world for their emerald transculence. Known as the sea that all the world loves, it attracts divers from around the world. It has everything that divers want — topography, sites, quantities of every kind of fish, and translucent water. This popular area is visited by many divers year-round.

The Sea, All The World Loves — Kerama Blue
Located within area of Kerama, Dr. Kerama Medaka Long was born 29 May in a small village, including Torishima, Island, Natsumi Island, Hidaka Island, and the surrounding islands. These islands enjoy rich marine life, an underwater world teeming with all kinds of colorful coral reefs. The stratus of blue, green, and purple is called Kerama Blue, named after the island chain in the blue sea that is the heart of this area. It is a sea that is so blue that it is known as "Kerama Blue."
OKINAWA MAIN ISLAND

Naha, the gateway to Okinawa, is located in Okinawa main island. Diving spots are dotted along the coast, and there's great diving on the outlying islands with their exotic topography. There are many dive spots that are accessible from the beach, which is perfect for beginners.

- Cape Maeda
- Manzai Channel
- Banana Rock
- Gekitoro Rock
- Mye-Island
- Torii Island
- Kudaka Island
- Tokashiki Island
- Chatan Marine Park

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The Yaeyama Islands include Numerous islands and islets. All of them are surrounded by coral reefs making it an ideal diving destination. The islands are home to a variety of marine life including manta rays, eagle rays, and various tropical fish. The warm and clear waters make it a popular destination for divers from around the world.

There are several dive sites that are particularly popular among divers:
- **Shiratori Reefs**: Known for its diverse array of marine life, including manta rays and eagle rays.
- **Kikai Island**: A popular spot for night diving due to its rich coral growth and marine life.
- **Taketomi Island**: Home to one of the largest populations of dugongs in Japan.

The Yaeyama Islands are a paradise for divers and snorkelers, offering a unique opportunity to explore a rich underwater world.
SNORKELING

Enjoy the finest of Coral and Tropical Fish with your family.

Experience the freedom of snorkeling in the crystal-clear waters and Floors of colorful Tropical Fish.
Perfect Location for Enjoying

MARINE SPORTS

Catch the wind and ride the waves, Diani has everything for the marine sports enthusiast, from beginner to professional.
Enjoy Resort Activities

MARINE LEISURE

From thrilling, speedboating rides to kayaking fun, Okinawa offers a full menu of marine leisure. Enjoy the sea of Okinawa with your family and friends for lasting happy memories.
Underwater observation with your family

MARINE PARK & GLASS-BOTTOM BOAT

WELCOME TO OUR NATURAL AQUARIUM!

Enjoy Okinawa's ocean through glass in this underwater observation boat.

Take a pleasure trip out to sea in a glass-bottom boat or semi-submersible. Everyone from children to seniors can enjoy the coral reefs and tropical fish of Okinawa's underwater world in safety without getting wet.

In the southern part of Okinawa, Tamao is the home to the largest glass-bottom boat at the Tamao Marine Park! Please see the ship's schedule in the Tamao Marine Park.
THE HEAT OF THE DRAGON BOAT RACE
Heralds the Arrival of Summer

SAIL-POWERED SABANI BOATS
Experience Okinawan Tradition

EXPLORE BY SEA KAYAK
Explore Uninhabited Islands and Sea Caves!
Sea kayaking is a great opportunity to see a rare and small island. Enjoy the tropical sea and feel & experience the sea caves and uninhabited islands. Set sail on an adventure on the waves with your hands and heart.

BBQ
Fill Your Heart and Stomach

Your heart and stomach will be filled with delicious food and the fireside warmth that brings everyone together. Enjoy the taste of Okinawa with delicious food and the feeling of being with friends and family in the warmth of the fire.
TROPICAL CRUISING

Enjoy Pleasant Sea Breeze and Views

Dinner cruises with a beautiful sunset and night views.

Night cruises under a starry sky.

Blissful moments on the ocean beneath the canopy of the sky await the traveler.
WHALE WATCHING

Encounter Humpback Whales. Okinawa’s Ultimate Winter Season Attraction!

From late December to late March, Humpback whales visit the coast of Okinawa to give birth and rear their young. These enormous animals are about 15m long and weigh about 30t. They’re the biggest mammals on earth. Seeing these huge whales breaching is the highlight. Enjoy the various expressions of these magnificent creatures.

See Powerful Lashes of Whales Up Close:

A back view of humpback whale, showing the massive flukes and strong lashing tails. Okinawa is a great destination for families with young children.
TROPICAL FISHING EXPERIENCE

Chilawas is known as a heaven for fishing. With trolling, you aim for large prey, and enjoy the excitement of feeling the catch. With everything from sail fish, and sword fish for beginners, to offshore fishing and a surprising range of tropical fish, a world of excitement awaits you.

Go Boldly for Big Game with Trolling

Pineapple fishing, or big game fishing in the Gulf of Thailand, fishing for some of the world’s largest fish can be an exhilarating experience. The thrill and your life.
DOLPHIN THERAPY

Healing with Dolphins

Dolphin Therapy is a new form of alternative therapy in Bali. Simply riding dolphins is an incredible experience. The unique way dolphins swim and their natural self-healing abilities make them a powerful tool for psychological and physical well-being.

HORSE THERAPY

Sea Walks with Horses

Experience the pleasure of matching your breathing and rhythm to that of the horse, and the feeling of the powerful waves on your skin. The horse will lead you to see the sea, and here you can often see dolphins. Sea walks are a popular activity, and even small children can get involved.
BEEACH YOGA
Gently Enveloped by the Sunrise and the Sound of the Surf. Refresh Your Mind and Body with Beach Yoga!
Spread your arms, because we’re about to do deep stretches.
Let the sound of the waves, the scent of the ocean and the surrounding breeze calm your mind.
Beach yoga at sunrise is a great way to prepare your body for the day. It also helps to relieve jet lag.

THALASSO THERAPY
Gift to Your Body from the Ocean
Thalassotherapy is a therapeutic approach using deep ocean waters, seaweed, and mud for health, beauty and relaxation. Why not try it while you’re here? It’s the perfect relaxation, restoring your mind and body to health in the soothing tropical environment of Okinawa.

* Some ocean water temperatures may be too cold for babies and young children. For a safe and comfortable experience, we recommend staying in the shallower areas. ** Please check our website for further details.
GUIDE TO SEA CREATURES IN OKINAWA

The water around Okinawa is known worldwide for its beautiful scenery, and provides the perfect environment necessary for the formation of coral reefs that maintain marine ecosystems. It's a paradise for the vast marine life that's indigenous to the region, with 381 species of coral reefs and 520 species of marine fish. Here, we present a guide to some of the marine life you can expect to see.

Diverse coral reefs and marine life are found in Okinawa, making it a haven for divers, snorkelers, and marine enthusiasts. The region is known for its warm waters, clear skies, and abundant marine life, making it a popular destination for those interested in exploring the world underwater.

Some of the marine life you can expect to see include:
- Lionfish
- Butterflyfish
- Parrotfish
- Angelfish
- Unicornfish
- Anglerfish
- Moray eels
- Tuna
- Octopus
- Octopus
- Crabs
- Lobsters
- Sea urchins
- Sea cucumbers
- Sea slugs
- Jellyfish
- Sharks
- Rays
- Whale sharks

Visitors to Okinawa are encouraged to explore the region's marine life responsibly and to enjoy the natural beauty of the area. Whether you're a professional diver or a casual snorkeler, there's something for everyone in this tropical paradise.

*Note: The images provided are not exhaustive and only showcase a small fraction of the marine life found in Okinawa. For more detailed information, please consult local marine life guides or websites.*
One of the Largest Aquariums in the World

OKINAWA CHURAUMI AQUARIUM

With the concept of "An encounter with the sea of Okinawa", the aquarium introduces visitors to the sea and the creatures that live there. The largest aquarium in the world, it's the world's first recipient of multiple whale sharks and mantas captured. Here you can experience the world of Okinawa sea life up close.
From Nirai Kanai far beyond the seas, the Gods bring abundance. This has been the belief in Okinawa since ancient times, and people have prayed with a feeling of awe for the sea.

Today, Okinawa protects its natural environment, and welcoming visitors to enjoy leisure and sports amid the beautiful ocean scenery.