

Emperor Orion - The Ship

Four experienced dive guides on board make sure you dive safe and in small groups. MV Orion is part of Emperor Maldives' fleet of liveaboards. Safe air analyzers, lost diver tracking system and "Nitrox for free" make her the right choice for keen divers. The MV Orion is a super cruiser happily taking guests to some of the Maldives most alluring dive sites. When on board, guests can enjoy a bar, Jacuzzi and top of the line massage services.

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Technical Details

Construction Year: 2009
Length: 130 feet/39m
Width: 39 feet/12m
Cruising Speed: 14 knots
Nautical Equipment: Radar, GPS, Depth Finder
Water Supply: Desalination plant 2 x 800 liters per hour
Power: 2 sound-proof generators
Dinghy: Yes
Extra Diving boat (Dhoni): 55 feet/17m

Language spoken on Board:

English

Features:

Jacuzzi
Recliners
Onboard bar

Emergency Equipment:

First aid kit, medical oxygen, fire extinguishers, life vests

Additional Information:

[VIDEO MV Orion made in May 2013](#)

Video Constellation Fleet [diving safety measures](#)

Equipped with satellite phone
Equipped with Internet
Electricity: Type G / 3 Prong plugs, including 220V and 110V
Max. capacity - Guests: 22,
Crew: Diving Crew 3 -4, Boat crew 13

Internet on board: guests get a wifi password and use their own computer. Price: USD 20 per week

Maldives Scuba Diving GmbH act as agent for the Tour Operator Constellation Ventures Pvt Ltd, Annambaru Goalhie, G.Athafaiy, Dhonadharaadha Higun, Male, Republic of Maldives



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Emperor Orion - Rooms

In addition to an unforgettable scuba diving experience, the Orion offers their guests a truly handsome holiday. The lower deck possesses 7 rooms, offering 6 rooms with queen size beds and en-suite shower & WC and one junior suite with queen bed, an extra day bed and bathtub. The upper deck possesses 4 rooms, offering 3 rooms with twin beds and en-suite shower & WP and one master suite, which includes bathtub, private 2-person outdoor jacuzzi and private deck.

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Number of Rooms: 9
Number of Suites: 2
> Air Conditioning: Yes
Exterior Windows: Yes
En-Suite: Yes
Hot Water Shower: Yes
Power supply: Yes
Room Service: Yes
Towel Service: Yes



Additional Information:

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Additional Information:
Bathtubs available in junior and master suites.
Private outdoor Jacuzzi and private deck available in master suite.

Emperor Orion - Diving

Diving is carried out from the purpose built "diving dhoni," which will not anchor but rather follow the divers from the surface. This is one of the safest and most comfortable ways to dive in the Maldives due to the wind and currents. Each diver will have their own dive station and basket for storing their diving gear, which will always remain on the diving dhoni. The system leaves the main boat free to handle accommodations, meals and social activities in a quiet atmosphere.

Diving:

Guided Dives: Yes
PADI Instructor: Yes
PADI Courses: Yes
Dives per Day: 2-3
Enos System: No
Dive Dhoni: Yes
Equipment Rental: Yes

Important Information for diving guests:

- C-card or proof of certification is required
- Proof of dive insurance is required
- Dives are guided by an experienced PADI instructor and a dive master
- Diver Training (PADI/SDI/TDI) is available
- Diving equipment is always kept on the diving dhoni
- Dive equipment is available for rental
- All divers must adhere to Maldivian diving regulations: no decompression dives, always stay with your buddy, never dive below 30m if you are a PADI Advanced Open Water (or equivalent) and never dive below 18m if you are a PADI Open Water Diver (or equivalent).
- Protection is strongly recommended - A 3mm wetsuit should be comfortable and adequate.
- It is compulsory for all divers to carry the following gear: mask, fins, regulator with pressure gauge & alternate air source, buoyancy compensator (BCD), depth, gauge, dive computer, safety sausage.
- It is recommended that you have your equipment checked/serviced before arrival
- Please remember to carry spare straps, etc. for masks, fins, etc.

Emperor Orion - Service

Pamper yourself aboard the Maldives' most luxurious diving boat. Ever wished you could dive in an emerald green sea? Now you can, aboard the MV Orion!



Service:

TV / DVD / HiFi in Salon: Yes

Fishing Gear: Yes

Island Visits: Yes

Beach Barbeque: Yes

Male Visit: Yes

Internet: Yes

Onboard payment options:



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Prices include:

- 17 Dives per week (Extra Day = 3 Dives)
- Tank (12L) and weights
- Dive Guide
- Full Board (3 meals per day)
- Full Accommodation
- Coffee and Tea 24 hrs
- Drinking water
- Fishing - Local style fishing gear, including hook, fishing line, weight and bait.
- Visit deserted islands for BBQ dinner (Some islands will charge a USD5.00 entry fee).
- Snorkeling
- All Maldivian Taxes
- Free Guided Tour of Male (Capital of Maldives)
- Airport Transfers
- Jacuzzi
- Nitrox for Nitrox certified divers



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Internet on board: guests get a wifi password and use their own computer. Price: USD 15 per week

Payments on board: US Dollar cash, Visa, Master cards are accepted for payment onboard

Check in: from 13:00 pm onwards - meeting point is Male airport exit of arrival hall.

Check out: 08:00am (or according to your flight schedule in case departing earlier) with transfer back to Male International airport.

For cruises starting in other atolls then North Male – please contact us for details and domestic flight arrangements.

Emperor Orion - Food

The menu onboard is varied and plentiful, with American, European, Asian and local fusion feasts being served in the dining area. Guests can look forward to sumptuous barbeques and fresh, homemade desserts. A buffet of fresh fruits and salads, hot entrees, hot soup, and juices are available during meals.



Meals:

Lunches are buffet-style while dinners are a la carte creations, including seafood, beef or chicken. Vegetarian meals can be prepared upon request. Please advise of any special dietary requirements.

Food:

Full Board
Free Refreshments
Snacks



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Beverages:

Tea, coffee, and water are complimentary.

The bar is open throughout the week. However, please observe the Orion's strict policy on alcohol – **“Alcohol and diving never mix!”** Once you consume any alcohol, your diving ceases for that day.

It should be noted that the importation of alcohol is forbidden in the Maldives. Tourist operators are able to purchase by special government license. **MV Orion has a fully stocked bar with a good, selection of beer, wine, whisky, scotch, rum, gin and vodka.**

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We are happy to answer your questions!

We speak English and German.



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Available Cruises

Available cruise dates and prices as per day of printing this brochure: October 23, 2018, 12:50 pm

| Date | Nights | Free beds | Rate p.n. | Total p.p. |
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Please note, cruise dates and prices are subject to change without further notice.