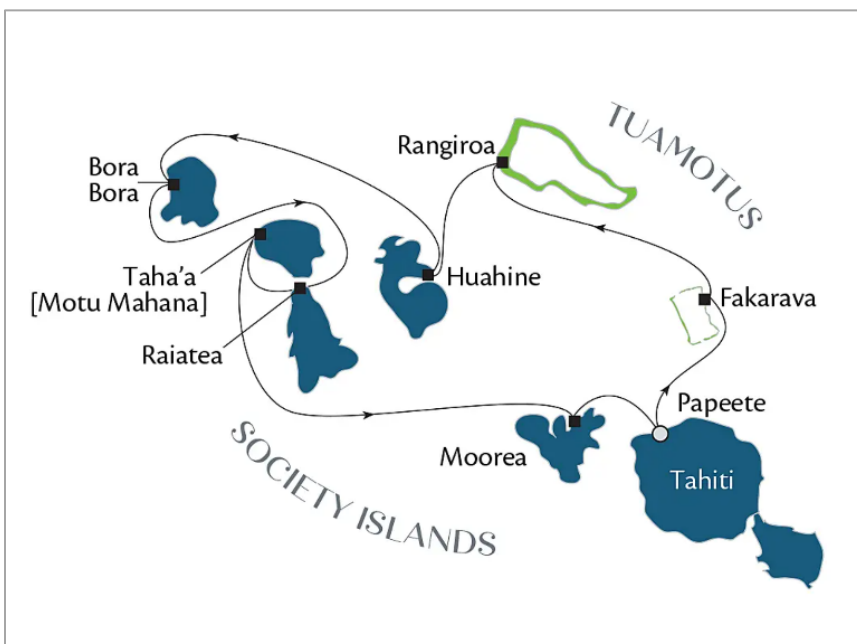


POLYNESIA DREAMING

TUOMOTUS & SOCIETY ISLANDS



This new itinerary delves deep into the treasures of the Tuamotu Archipelago featuring our first-ever overnight stay in UNESCO-listed Fakarava and discovery of Rangiroa, renowned for its black pearl farms. Wonders of the Society Islands are on full display too, from Bora Bora's jaw-dropping turquoise lagoon and Moorea's picturesque palm-fringed beaches to explorations in Huahine, a veritable "Garden of Eden," Raiatea, the sacred heart of French Polynesia, and Motu Mahana, our very own private islet near Taha'.



DATES: 2025 – Oct 8 | Nov 26
2026 – Jan 7 | Feb 25 | Apr 8 |
May 13 | Jul 29 | Sep 23 | Dec 2

DURATION: 11 DAYS/10 NIGHTS

EMBARK: PAPEETE, TAHITI
DISEMBARK: PAPEETE, TAHITI

SHIP: Paul Gauguin

FROM: \$5,740
All Inclusive – *After 30% Savings*



HIGHLIGHTS-

- Relish an overnight in Fakarava; an atoll renowned for its snorkeling and diving, it is one of just seven UNESCO-listed Marine Biosphere Reserves in the world.
- Bask Crusoe-style on a pink-sand beach, visit a Blue Lagoon in a blue lagoon, spot Tuamotu sandpipers at a seabird sanctuary, or consider a SCUBA Motu Nuhi Nuhi excursion—all in Rangiroa.
- Discover our two private beaches—one on Bora Bora enjoyed during an overnight visit, the other on our private islet nestled in the Taha'a lagoon.

ITINERARY –

Arrive Papeete, Tahiti

We highly recommend arriving at least one day early to avoid complications associated with international air travel delays. Additional charge depending on hotel.

Day 1 – Embark the m/s *Paul Gauguin* in Papeete, Tahiti, Society Islands

The largest of French Polynesia's 118 islands, Tahiti and its capital city of Papeete are the perfect place to begin (and/or end) your South Pacific sojourn. The Gauguin waits patiently in the harbor, a vibrant and bustling market across the street and in the evenings roulottes (food trucks) line the nearby square offering tasty local fare.



Days 2-3 – Fakarava, Tuamotu Islands

Fakarava is an unspoiled paradise in every sense of the word. In addition to the many rare species of plants and animals, you'll find in the UNESCO Biosphere Reserve, it's also a place of cultural and historical significance, with charming villages, ancient temples, and spectacular coral churches.



Day 4 – Rangiroa, Tuamotus Islands

Life is beautifully simple in Rangiroa, the largest atoll of the Tuamotu Archipelago in the eastern Pacific Ocean. It's the perfect place to immerse yourself in the local culture. Tour a local black pearl farm, wander the village of Avatoru, or visit Dominique Auroy Winery, which produces French Polynesia's only wine label.

Day 5 – Huahine, Society Islands

Don't be fooled by the vibe of this laid-back, secluded island. Many treasures are hidden among the lush rainforest and dramatic terrain. With a bit of exploration, you'll uncover some of the best-preserved archeological sites in French Polynesia. Underwater treasures await as well, with a snorkel excursion in the lagoon.

Days 6-7 – Bora Bora Society Islands

Explore lush peaks, wander white-sand beaches, and marvel at the iconic views of Mount Otemanu. Take the plunge with a SCUBA excursion to see the island's colorful coral reefs, enjoy a sunset jetboat ride, or spend a lazy afternoon on our private beach*. Like a priceless Paul Gauguin painting come to life, storied Bora Bora is colorful and unforgettable. The landscape alone will have you searching for adequate adjectives, especially once you see the lagoon—"turquoise" just doesn't do it justice.



Day 8 – Raiatea, Society Islands

Blanketed in a lush landscape dotted with waterfalls, fertile valleys, and the cloud-capped Mt. Temehani, Raiatea is Polynesia's most sacred island; it was from here that the earliest migrations set forth to settle in Hawaii, New Zealand, and beyond. The island boasts a rich Maohi history—it is home to the UNESCO-listed Marae Taputapuatea archaeological site—verdant mountains ideal for hiking, and a stunning lagoon perfect for snorkeling, swimming, and soaking up the heavenly tranquility.



Day 9 – Taha'a, Society Islands (Motu Mahana)

As the day unfolds in front of you, where will you go? Exciting shore excursions await, but so does Motu Mahana, Paul Gauguin Cruises' own private islet. Choose from swimming, snorkeling, kayaking, or simply lounging on the beach with a cold drink from our floating bar. Les Gauguines are also on hand to share musical entertainment and Polynesian crafts.



Day 10 – Moorea, Society Islands

Step into a vibrant, colorful world in bright and beautiful Moorea, which welcomes you with azure lagoons, impossibly fresh tropical fruits, stunning mountain peaks and palm-fringed beaches. Commune with nature on an optional dolphin-watching excursion with an expert marine biologist. Afterwards, spend some time getting to know the local residents while shopping for handmade crafts. This evening, continue to Papeete for the night.



Day 11 – Papeete, Society Islands

Disembark after breakfast – le petit dejeuner. Head to the airport, or stay on for a day or two.

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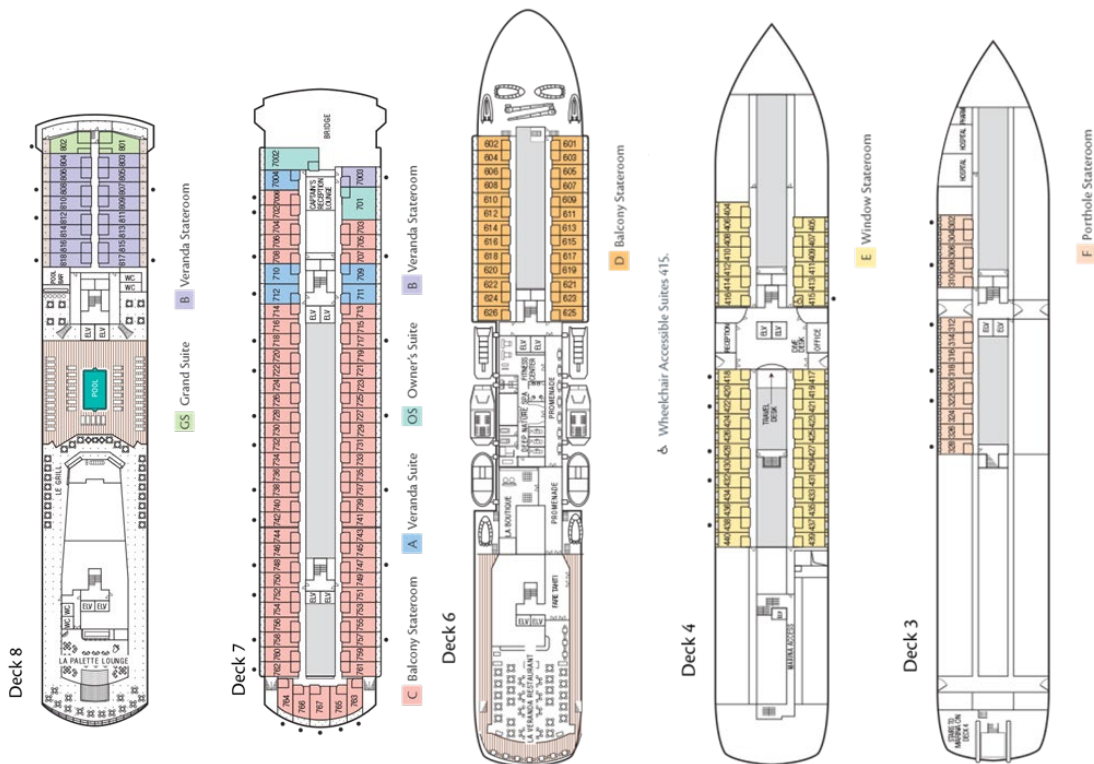
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GUESTS: 332

*All inclusive –

- All shipboard meals, in a choice of venues
- Complimentary room service
- All beverages, including select wines and spirits
- Onboard gratuities for room stewards and dining staff
- Complimentary water-sports

• Denotes suite with two twin-beds that convert to queen. Suite 801 has king.



Rates Per Person -

DATE/CATEGORY - SAVE	F	E	D	C	B	A	GS	OS
Oct 8 – 2025 - 5%	\$7,570	\$8,750	WL	\$11,370	\$14,450	WL	\$23,720	WL
Nov 26 – 2025 - 20%	\$6,400	\$7,400	\$9,200	\$9,600	\$12,200	\$16,340	\$20,000	\$20,800
1/7; 4/8; 5/13; 9/23-2026 - 25%	\$7,550	\$8,720	\$10,840	\$11,310	\$14,370	\$19,240	\$23,540	\$24,490
2/25; 7/29; 12/02–2026 - 30%	\$5,740	\$6,640	\$8,480	\$8,600	\$10,630	\$14,610	\$17,890	\$19,140



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