

French Polynesia Accommodation Tahiti

We had just two days in Tahiti. We organized a sightseeing tour with a local tour operating company to see the highlights of French Polynesia's main island. Because of the international airport Tahiti is the ideal starting point to discover the other islands in this tropical paradise.



Fare Swiss B&B

(out of 5 stars) From the hotel's website: Fare Suisse is a homey pension in the capital of French Polynesia - Papeete. The pension is 10 minutes away from the airport and offers comfortable access to the harbour and to the shopping area as well to all place of interest of Papeete. Each of our rooms captures modern design, with local character and renowned standards of Swiss hospitality, service efficiency and product quality.

Our verdict: We arrived at midnight and have been picked up by Beni (great service). The apartment (Bora Bora) we booked had a bedroom with ensuite, a little kitchen and a sitting area. It was clean but it will need some renovations in the next couple of years. Fare Swiss is close to a well stocked Supermarket, down town. Papeete is just a short walk away. Comparing with other places in Papeete and considering the free airport transfer, we think Fare Swiss is the right choice for a short stay in Papeete.

Price indicator: 100-140USD/night/room - depending on room and season

Location: 5 room: 5 sleep quality: 6 food: 6 service: 8 cleanliness: 9 value: 9 Total: 6.9 scale of one to ten: 1 poor <----> 10 perfect





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French Polynesia Accommodation Bora Bora

For us this little paradise is without any doubts one of the most beautiful islands we have ever seen. Bora Bora is one of the few places on earth that everyone hopes to witness in their lifetime—and once you see it, you are forever in love with it.

Bora Bora Pearl Beach Resort
From the hotels property overview website: Making the most of the spectacular vistas, the Bora Bora Pearl Beach Resort & Spa is located on 17 waterfront acres. Guest accommodations are in thatched-roof Polynesian-style bungalows scattered in lush tropical gardens and across the turquoise water. The natural splendour invites such

activities as kayaking, outrigger canoeing and catamaran cruises. Member of The Leading Hotels of the World.

<u>Our verdict:</u> The hotel is facing the magnificent mountains of the main island of Bora Bora. The location, the friendliness of the staff and the management, the well maintained gardens and the beautiful bungalows made the Pearl Beach Resort Bora Bora unforgettable to us. We had the opportunity to see all the different types of Bungalows and we have to say that all of them are very nice. We loved the privacy of the Garden bungalows with a little pool, or our Beach Front Bungalow with his "open bath room" in the private backyard as well as the Over Water Bungalows with all the features for a romantic dream holiday.

Price indicator: 470-800 USD/night/room - depending on room and season

Location: 10 room: 8 sleep quality: 9 food: 9 service: 9 cleanliness: 9 value: 9 Total: 9.0 scale of one to ten: 1 poor <-----> 10 perfect



Bedroom beachfront bungalow



beachfront bungalow in the back



beachfront



Overwater bungalows



beachfront



Overwater bungalows



French Polynesia Accommodation Moorea

Moorea, the magical island is one of the most scenically striking islands in French Polynesia. Surrounded by a bright blue lagoon, the volcanically formed island of Moorea was rated as the third-best island in the world by the Conde Nast Traveler's Readers Choice Awards



Moorea Pearl Beach Resort

This charming boutique hotel is a perfect blend of luxury and serenity making it an ideal destination for couples, honeymooners, divers and families. Pearl Resort & Spa offers garden bungalows with private plunge pool, guests may also enjoy the clear water of the infinity swimming pool, the largest one of the island. All bungalows offer a direct access to the lagoon. Overwater bungalows are set right above the reef drop off for fabulous snorkelling.

Our verdict: The whole complex is nicely located at the north part of the island close to the beautiful Cook's Bay and not far away from the airport. The grounds are well maintained. The bungalows (we stayed at a garden bungalow) are very nice and offer a high standard in a typical Polynesian style. The beach area is a bit on the small side. The restaurant is good but the choices for breakfast and dinner could be bigger if you stay for longer time. Internet is available but only on a 24 hour base (20 US\$). It did not work in our garden bungalow. We can recommend the Moorea Pearl Resort for people who love all the water sport activities the hotel has to over. **Price indicator:** 240-480 USD/night/room - depending on room and season

Location: 9 room: 9 sleep quality: 9 food: 7 service: 8 cleanliness: 9 value: 8 Total: 8.4 scale of one to ten: 1 poor <----> 10 perfect



Water sport beach



Garden bungalow



Garden bungalow



(out of 5 stars)

Garden bungalow



Garden bungalow



Infinity pool



at the restaurant