

ABOUT BHUTAN

Nestled in the Eastern Himalayas, sandwiched between China in the North and India in the South, East and West, Bhutan is one of the most popular travel destinations in the world, often known as the 'Last Shangri-la'. From the picturesque villages to the colourful monasteries perched on cliffs, to spotting endangered blacknecked cranes and to soaking in the sights of the mountains splashed with rhododendron blooms, it is packed with cultural and natural treasures. Bhutan's natural beauty and spectacular charm never fails to reward the inquisitive.

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Area:	38,394 sq. km
Altitude:	180 m to 7550 meters
Population:	7,41,822 (2013)
Economy:	Agrarian
Religion:	Buddhism
Language:	Dzongkha
Currency:	Ngultrum (Nu.)
Country Code:	975
Capital:	Thimphu
Local Time:	Six hours ahead of GMT
National Animal:	Takin
National Dress:	Gho for men, Kira for women
National Game:	Archery
National Bird:	Raven
National Flower:	Blue poppy
National Tree:	Cypress
National Butterfly:	Ludlow's Bhutan Swallowtail

AVERAGE TEMPERATURES IN DEGREE CELSIUS (°C) - HIGH/LOW

T/Gang	Mongar	Bumthang	Trongsa	Wangdue	Punakha	Thimphu	Paro	Month
20.4/10.5	15.5/8.2	-5.1/10.8	-0.2/13.0	-4.3/17.0	-4.2/16.1	-2.6/12.3	-5.8/9.4	Jan
21.7/11.5	15.9/8.3	-1.4/10.0	13.9/0.4	19.0/7.8	19.6/5.3	14.4/6.0	13.4/1.5	Feb
24.8/14.4	20.0/11.6	16.2/3.5	16.7/4.4	22.8/10.4	21.2/9.2	16.4/3.9	14.5/0.6	Mar
28.3/17.0	22.8/14.0	18.7/3.9	20.1/6.6	26.2/12.9	24.4/11.9	20.0/7.1	17.6/4.6	Apr
30.0/20.6	25.1/17.4	21.3/9.5	21.0/11.6	29.1/17.7	27.2/14.8	22.5/13.1	23.5/10.6	May
30.7/22.6	26.1/19.5	22.5/13.5	22.2/13.6	29.2/20.1	31.2/19.5	24.4/15.2	25.4/13.1	Jun
31.5/23.6	16.1/15.8	14.1/10.9	25.3/15.3	18.4/16.2	32.9/21.6	18.9/13.4	26.8/14.9	July
30.2/22.7	25.4/19.6	23.0/13.7	23.8/15.0	29.1/20.0	31.4/19.8	25.0/15.8	25.3/14.7	Aug
30.0/23.9	24.7/19.4	21.6/12.1	22.8/14.2	27.5/19.1	29.9/20.0	23.1/15.0	23.4/11/7	Sep
29.1/17.7	22.7/15.8	19.5/5.9	21.8/11.7	26.1/14.7	27.8/18.9	21.9/10.4	18.7/7.4	Oct
26.1/13.6	19.9/11.2	-0.5/16.1	19.8/6.4	22.6/9.6	22.3/13.0	17.9/5.0	13.9/1.4	Nov
23.0/11.6	15.7/9.5	-2.3/12.3	18.2/2.5	19.1/6.3	15.0/7.9	-1.1/14.5	-1.7/11.2	Dec



BHUTAN ROAD DISTANCE

FROM	TO	APPROX	APPROX
Paro	Thimphu	60 kms	1hrs
Paro	Haa	65 kms	1.5-02 hrs
Thimphu	Haa	115 kms	03-04 hrs
Thimphu	Phuntsholing	174 kms	06 hrs
Thimphu	Wangdue	70 kms	03 hrs
Thimphu	Punakha	77 kms	03 hrs
Thimphu	Phobjkha	135 kms	5 hrs
Punakha	Wangdue	13 kms	45 minutes
Punakha	Phobjkha	78 kms	03 hrs
Punakha	Bumthang	212 kms	08 hrs
Bumthang	Phobjkha	188 kms	05-06 hrs
Gangtey	Trongsa	120 kms	4.5-05 hrs
Gangtey	Wangdue	65 kms	2.5 hrs
Trongsa	Wangdue	129 kms	4.5-05 hrs
Trongsa	Punakha	142 kms	05 hrs
Trongsa	Bumthang	68 kms	02 hrs
Bumthang	Mongar	198 kms	06 hrs
Mongar	Lhuentse	76 kms	03 hrs
Mongar	Trashigang	91 kms	03 hrs
Trashigang	Tashiyangtse	55 kms	02 hrs
Trashigang	S/Jongkhar	180 kms	06 hrs
S/Jongkhar	Phuntsholing	380 kms	07 hrs
S/Jongkhar	Gelephu	280 kms	06-07 hrs

TOUR PRICE

Payments must be made in US dollars prior to arrival in Bhutan. The minimum daily package for tourists travelling in a group of three persons or more is as follows:

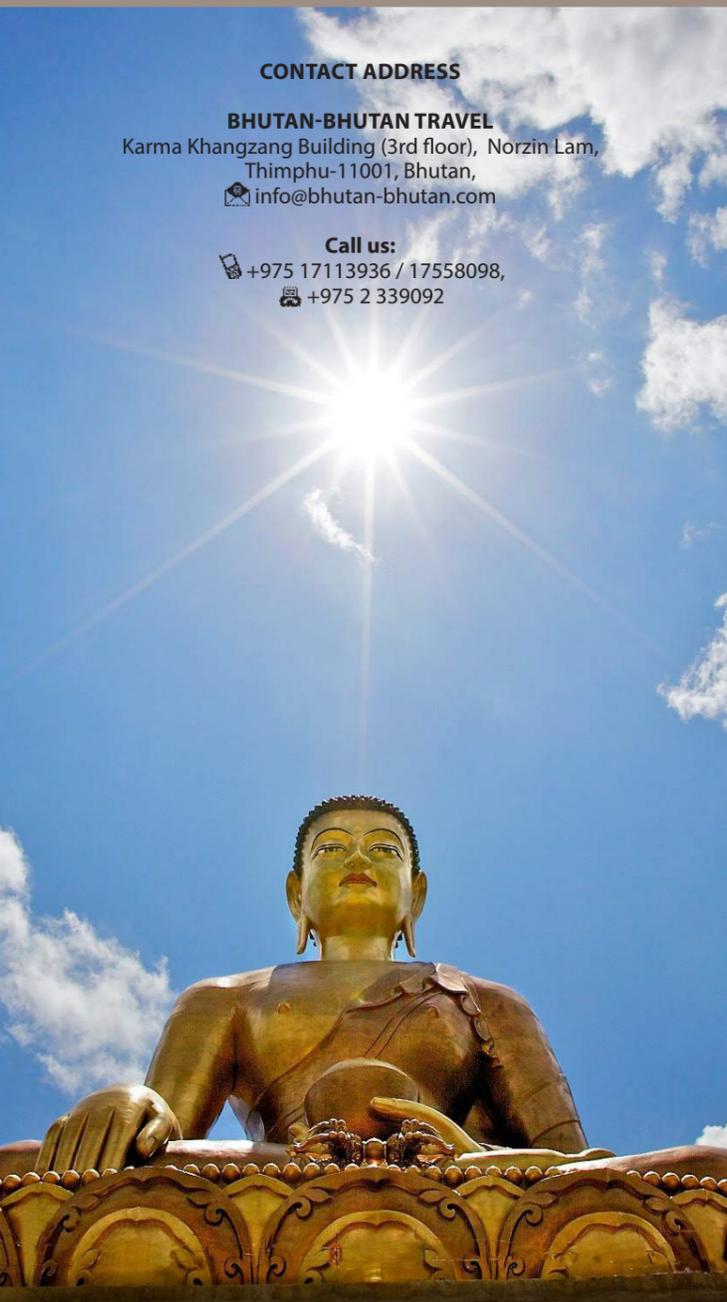
- US\$ 200 per person per night for the months of January, February, June, July, August and December.
- US\$ 250 per person per night for the months of March, April, May, September, October and November.

TRAVELLERS' SURCHARGES

- Single individual - US\$ 40/- per night halt.
- Group of 2 pax - US\$ 30/- each per person per night halt.
- Group of 3 pax and above: No surcharge applicable

LOOK WHAT YOU GET FOR ONLY US \$200 OR US \$250 PER DAY.

- Meet and greet at Paro, currently Bhutan's only international airport
- A free gift of a cap or scarf upon arrival
- Free airport transfers
- A free Bhutan government Visa
- A free detailed topographical map of Bhutan
- All accommodation and portorage in three star hotels throughout Bhutan (4 & 5 star hotels may be available at an additional cost)
- All meals daily (breakfast, lunch and dinner)
- Refreshments daily (bottled mountain spring water and juice)
- A licensed bilingual or multilingual guide to accompany you on all treks and tours
- All travel by private car, 4wd or bus as appropriate
- Free locally brewed wine, beer or soft drinks at your hotels
- All camping equipment (other than personal clothing) on all walking and trekking tours
- All internal taxes and charges
- A sustainable tourism Royalty of US\$ 65 per person per day. This Royalty goes towards free education, free healthcare and poverty alleviation, along with the building of infrastructure.



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OUR POPULAR TOURS

Trekking Tours

DRUK PATH TREK

Trip Duration: 10 days (6 days trekking & 4 days cultural sightseeing)
Max. Elevation: 4210m at Labanla pass
Max. Campsite: 3870m at Jimilangtsho or 4110m at Simkota camp site
Difficulty: Varies from easy to moderate.
Seasons: The best times to embark on the Druk Path Trek are between March-June and September-November.

MERAK-SAKTENG ECO TREK COMBINED WITH CULTURAL TOUR

Trip Duration: 12 days (3 days trek and 9 days cultural tours)
Difficulty: Moderate
Season: Best from late March till early May and from late September till end of October

JOMOLHARI - LAYA - GASA TREK

Trip duration: 17 days (14 days trek & 3 days cultural sightseeing)
Max. Elevation: 5005 m at Sinche La pass
Max. Campsite: 4220m at Shomuthang
Difficulty: Moderate to difficult
Seasons: The best times to undertake this trek is April - June and Mid September - Mid November

Festival Tours

THIMPHU TSHECHU FESTIVAL

Day 1: 28 September 2017 - ARRIVAL AT PARO - THIMPHU (L/D)
Day 2: 29 September 2017 - THIMPHU - SIGHTSEEING (B/L/D)
Day 3: 30 September 2017 - THE THIMPHU TSHECHU FESTIVAL (B/L/D)
Day 4: 1 October 2017 - THE THIMPHU TSHECHU FESTIVAL (B/L/D)
Day 5: 2 October 2017 - THIMPHU - PUNAKHA (B/D/D)
Day 6: 3 October 2017 - PUNAKHA - GANGTEY (B/L/D)
Day 7: 4 October 2017 - GANGTEY - PARO (B/L/D)
Day 8: 5 October 2017 - HIKING TO TAKTSHANG OR TIGER'S NEST TEMPLE (B/L/D)
Day 9: 6 October 2017 - PARO - PARO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (B)

PARO TSHECHU FESTIVAL

Day 1: 29 March 2018 - ARRIVAL AT PARO (L/D)
Day 2: 30 March 2018 - THE PARO TSHECHU FESTIVAL (B/L/D)
Day 3: 31 March 2018 - THE PARO TSHECHU FESTIVAL (B/L/D)
Day 4: 1 April 2018 - HIKING TO TAKTSHANG OR TIGER'S NEST TEMPLE (B/L/D)
Day 5: 2 April 2018 - PARO - THIMPHU (B/L/D)
Day 6: 3 April 2018 - HIKING TO TANGO MONASTERY (B/L/D)
Day 7: 4 April 2018 - THIMPHU - PUNAKHA (B/L/D)
Day 8: 5 April 2018 - PUNAKHA - PARO (B/L/D)
Day 9: 6 April 2018 - PARO - PARO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (B)

JAMBAY LAKHANG DRUB FESTIVAL

Day 1: 31 October 2017 - ARRIVAL AT PARO - THIMPHU (L/D)
Day 2: 1 November 2017 - THIMPHU - SIGHTSEEING (B/L/D)
Day 3: 2 November 2017 - THIMPHU - PUNAKHA (B/L/D)
Day 4: 3 November 2017 - PUNAKHA - GANGTEY (B/L/D)
Day 5: 4 November 2017 - GANGTEY - BUMTHANG (B/L/D)
Day 6: 5 November 2017 - THE JAMBAY LAKHANG DRUB FESTIVAL (B/L/D)
Day 7: 6 November 2017 - BUMTHANG - SIGHTSEEING (B/L/D)
Day 8: 7 November 2017 - BUMTHANG - PARO (B/L/D) by flight
Day 9: 8 November 2017 - HIKING TO TAKTSHANG OR TIGER'S NEST TEMPLE (B/L/D)
Day 10: 9 November 2017 - PARO - PARO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (B/L/D)

DOCHULA DRUK WANGYAL FESTIVAL

Day 1: 11 December 2017 - ARRIVAL AT PARO - THIMPHU (L/D)
Day 2: 12 December 2017 - HIKING TO TANGO MONASTERY (B/L/D)
Day 3: 13 December 2017 - THE DRUK WANGYAL FESTIVAL (B/L/D)
Day 4: 14 December 2017 - PUNAKHA - THIMPHU (B/L/D)
Day 5: 15 December 2017 - THIMPHU - PARO
Day 6: 16 December 2017 - HIKING TO TAKTSHANG OR TIGER'S NEST TEMPLE (B/L/D)
Day 7: 17 December 2017 - PARO - PARO INT

Festival Tours

TRASHIGANG TSHECHU FESTIVAL

Day 1: 16 November 2017 - ARRIVE AT PARO (L/D)
Day 2: 17 November 2017 - HIKING TO TAKTSHANG OR TIGER'S NEST TEMPLE (B/L/D)
Day 3: 18 November 2017 - PARO - THIMPHU (B/L/D)
Day 4: 19 November 2017 - THIMPHU (B/L/D)
Day 5: 20 November 2017 - THIMPHU - PUNAKHA (B/L/D)
Day 6: 21 November 2017 - PUNAKHA - GANGTEY (B/L/D)
Day 7: 22 November 2017 - GANGTEY - BUMTHANG (B/L/D)
Day 8: 23 November 2017 - BUMTHANG (B/L/D)
Day 9: 24 November 2017 - BUMTHANG - MONGAR (B/L/D)
Day 10: 25 November 2017 - MONGAR - TRASHIGANG (B/L/D)
Day 11: 26 November 2017 - THE TRASHIGANG TSHECHU FESTIVAL (B/L/D)
Day 12: 27 November 2017 - THE TRASHIGANG TSHECHU FESTIVAL (B/L/D)
Day 13: 28 November 2017 - EXCURSION TO RADHI - PHONGMEY VILLAGE (B/L/D)
Day 14: 29 November 2017 - TRASHIGANG - SAMDRUP JONGKHAR (B/L/D)
Day 15: 30 November 2017 - SAMDRUP JONGKHAR - GUWAHATI, INDIA (B/L/D)

Luxury Tours

THE QUINTESSENTIAL JOURNEY THROUGH THE LAND OF HAPPINESS

Day 1: ARRIVAL AT PARO - THIMPHU (L/D),
Day 2: THIMPHU - PUNAKHA (B/L/D)
Day 3: PUNAKHA - GANGTEY IN THE PHOBIKHA VALLEY (B/L/D)
Day 4: GANGTEY - THIMPHU (B/L/D)
Day 5: THIMPHU - PARO (B/L/D)
Day 6: TAKTSANG MONASTERY OR TIGER'S NEST (B/L/D)
Day 7: PARO - INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (B)

A SPECIAL TOUR OF BHUTAN'S CULTURAL HEARTLAND WITH LUXURY ACCOMMODATIONS

Day 1: ARRIVE PARO - THIMPHU (L/D)
Day 2: HIKING TO TANGO MONASTERY (B/L/D)
Day 3: THIMPHU - PUNAKHA (B/L/D)
Day 4: PUNAKHA - GANGTEY (B/L/D)
Day 5: GANGTEY - BUMTHANG (B/L/D)
Day 6: BUMTHANG-SIGHTSEEING (B/L/D)
Day 7: ATTEND ONE OF THE LOCAL FESTIVALS (B/L/D)
Day 8: BUMTHANG - PARO
Day 9: HIKING TO TAKTSHANG OR TIGER'S NEST TEMPLE
Day 10: PARO - PARO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (DEPARTURE) INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (B)

Best Tours

THE BEST OF BHUTAN

Day 1: ARRIVAL AT PARO - THIMPHU (L/D)
Day 2: THIMPHU - PUNAKHA (B/L/D)
Day 3: PUNAKHA - GANGTEY IN THE PHOBIKHA VALLEY (B/L/D)
Day 4: GANGTEY - PHOBIKHA VALLEY - TRONGSA (B/L/D)
Day 5: TRONGSA - THIMPHU (B/L/D)
Day 6: THIMPHU - PARO (B/L/D)
Day 7: TAKTSANG MONASTERY OR TIGER'S NEST (B/L/D)
Day 8: PARO - PARO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (B)

BIRDS OF BHUTAN

Day 1: ARRIVAL AT PARO - THIMPHU (L/D)
Day 2: THIMPHU - PUNAKHA (B/L/D)
Day 3: PUNAKHA (B/L/D)
Day 4: PUNAKHA - GANGTEY (B/L/D)
Day 5: GANGTEY - TRONGSA (B/L/D)
Day 6-7: TRONGSA - ZHEMGANG (B/L/D)
Day 8: ZHEMGANG - BUMTHANG (B/L/D)
Day 9: BUMTHANG - SENGOR (B/L/D)
Day 10-11: SENGOR - LINGMITHANG (B/L/D)
Day 12: LINGMITHANG - TRASHIGANG (B/L/D)
Day 13: TRASHIGANG - NARPHUNG (B/L/D)
Day 14: NARPHUNG - DEOTHANG (B/L/D)
Day 15: DEOTHANG - SAMDRUP JONGKHAR (B/L/D)
Day 16: SAMDRUP JONGKHAR - GUWAHATI AIRPORT (B)



Domestic Air Route Map



International Air Route Map

IN SEARCH OF RARE ALPINE PLANTS

Day 1: ARRIVAL AT PARO (L/D)
Day 2: TAKTSANG MONASTERY OR TIGER'S NEST - THIMPHU (B/L/D)
Day 3-16: PARO - JHOMOLHARI - PARO (B/L/D),
Day 16: END OF TREK - DRUKGYEL DZONG - THIMPHU (B/L/D)
Day 17: THIMPHU AND THE SACRED WANG CHHU VALLEY (B/L/D)
Day 18: THIMPHU - PARO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (B)



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