

## Ports & Excursions



### Lombok, Indonesia

The crystalline waters of the Lombok Strait separate the island of Lombok from its neighbor Bali. For experienced travelers, Lombok will seem a throwback to Bali's halcyon days - reminiscent, indeed, of that island some 30 years ago, before globalization brought a steady stream of development to its shores. Like its neighbor, Lombok is renowned for its traditional craft villages. Artisans produce the exquisite brocaded cloth called songket, elegant woodcarvings, and superb pottery made from local hillside clays. The island also possesses great natural beauty, from the dramatic rice terraces and plantations of the south to the tropical rain and cloud forests of the north. Lombok is home to Mt. Rinjani, Indonesia's second highest peak, a magnificent volcano soaring over 12,000 feet above sea level.

The Lombok Strait is part of the Wallace Line - a major eco-geographical boundary separating the flora and fauna of East Indonesia and Australia from West Indonesia. Many species found on Lombok, for example, are not found on neighboring Bali, just 20 miles away across the strait.

### Points of Interest

#### 1 Sekotong Village

This new and up-and-coming tourist destination is home to spectacular beach scenery, exotic sunsets and a majestic view of Mt. Rinjani, Lombok's highest peak, and Mt. Agung on Bali.

#### 2 Lingsar Temple

Built in 1714, this Hindu shrine also welcomes Buddhist and Muslim worshippers. Lingsar is famous for a pool of water in the Wektu Telu area, sacred to the deity Vishnu.

#### 3 Majura Water Palace

Once part of the Balinese kingdom's royal court, now a popular retreat for fishermen and families, Mayura Water Palace is an example of the Balinese "bale kambang" (floating pavilion) architecture.

#### 4 Craft Villages of Lombok

Lombok boasts several crafts villages, including Banyumulek where elegantly designed Earthenware is a favorite of connoisseurs, and Sesela, where island keepsakes are made from ketak wood and pearl.

#### 5 Senggigi Beach

Senggigi is Lombok's oldest and most famous resort area. Peaceful, dotted with white sandy beaches and challenging waves for surfers, the beach also promises a colorful adventure for snorkeling.

#### 6 Sendang Gile Waterfall

This 328 ft. high waterfall is located at the foot of Mt. Rinjani, in the Mt. Rinjani National Park, and is one of Lombok's most well-known tourist attractions. It is actually divided on three separate layers from bottom to top ? Sendang Gila, Tiu Kelep, and Batara Lajang.

#### 7 Mataram

Located on the western side of the island of Lombok, it's in proximity to the main tourist stretch of Senggigi Beach. This capital city of the province of West Nusa Tenggara is the center of government, education, commerce, industry, and services. A favorite site to visit is the Mayura Garden, a water palace built in 1744.

#### 8 Kuta Beach

Kuta is a village on the island of Lombok in the Indonesian province of West Nusa Tenggara. Kuta is known for its beautiful beaches and is therefore one of the tourist attractions of Lombok.

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### Sightseeing & City Tours



Most Popular

#### Lingsar Temple, Mayura Water Palace & Craft Village

AMI-100 | Lombok, Indonesia | Group Size: 32

You will visit:

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8 hours

from \$164.95 (AUD)

This full-day tour unveils some of the most beautiful architecture and crafts of Lombok. You'll explore the 18th-century Lingsar Temple and witness Mayura Water Palace, an 18th-century floating pavilion. After lunch at a beach resort, you'll stop at a crafts village renowned for its songket weaving.



#### Craft Villages of Lombok

AMI-200 | Lombok, Indonesia | Group Size: 32

You will visit:

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4 hours

from \$89.95 (AUD)

Witness the exquisite handicrafts of two craft villages and get your hands dirty on this half-day tour. You'll visit Sesela and watch as villagers practice ketak and cukli woodcarving before fashioning your own island keepsake. You'll also discover the secrets of Banyumalek pottery and work the local red clay yourself.



#### Cultures of Lombok & Senggigi Beach

AMI-105 | Lombok, Indonesia | Group Size: 32

You will visit:

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8 hours

from \$189.95 (AUD)

Your full-day tour into the culture and customs of Lombok begins at Nusa Tenggara Barat Province museum. Witness Narmada Water Palace and Lingsar Temple, as well as Senggigi, Lombok's most famous resort area, and Banyu Mulek, a village known for its pottery. A traditional Indonesian buffet rounds out your day.



#### Sasak Traditional Houses, Crafts Villages & Kuta Beach

AMI-110 | Lombok, Indonesia | Group Size: 32

You will visit:

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8 hours

from \$189.95 (AUD)

Explore Lombok's traditional handicrafts on this full-day tour. Visit Banyu Mulek and marvel at its elaborate pottery. Witness the village of Sukarara and its traditional batik Ikat fabrics. End your day at a four-star resort where you'll savor an Indonesian buffet and swim in the pool or crystal waters of Kuta Beach.



**Mataram Highlights**  
AMI-205 | Lombok, Indonesia | Group Size: 32

You will visit: 5 hours from \$114.95 (AUD)

Get a brief but in-depth look at Lombok on this half-day tour. Witness Nusa Tenggara Barat Province museum its handwoven collections and Kris knives. Step into Lingsar Temple and feed the eels in its famous pool. Also take in the Sayang-Sayang Art Market, famous for handcrafted poster, baskets and wooden carvings.

Special Interests



**Sekotong Village & Cocotinos Beach**  
AMI-590 | Lombok, Indonesia | Group Size: 32

You will visit: 3.5 hours from \$89.95 (AUD)

Travel to Sekotong for a truly relaxing visit to Cocotinos Beach, one of the island's finest beaches. For nearly 1 1/4 hours, swim, sunbathe or do nothing at all under the warm Indonesian sun. Also visit a local grass roof factory and traditional brick factory on this half-day tour.

Exploring on Your Own



**Senggigi On Your Own**  
AMI-280 | Lombok, Indonesia | Group Size: 32

You will visit: 5 hours from \$64.95 (AUD)

This half-day tour invites you to sun, swim, dine and shop at Senggigi, Lombok's premier travel destination. Senggigi is an idyllic retreat, lined with sparkling beaches, luxury hotels, shops and cafes. You'll have nearly three hours of free time to explore it all on your own.

Activities & Adventures



**Senggigi & Gili Trawangan Islands**  
AMI-595 | Lombok, Indonesia | Group Size: 32

You will see: 9 hours from \$244.95 (AUD)

Take a dip in the sea at Gili Trawangan, a tiny island known for its beach parties and a laidback lifestyle. Visit Senggigi, Lombok's most famous resort, and stop at Banyu Mulek where you'll witness the creation of elaborately decorated pots. A traditional Indonesian buffet rounds out your full-day tour.