

Tour Name: Hyderabad to Goa the Deccan Route

Tour Duration: 8 Nights/ 9 Days

Tour Map: <https://tinyurl.com/27wachzm>

Tour Overview

Embark on an enriching journey through the "Hyderabad to Goa the Deccan Route" tour, spanning historical marvels and coastal delights. Begin in Hyderabad, exploring its ancient allure at Golconda Fort and the majestic Qutubshahi Tombs. Journey onwards to Gulbarga and Bijapur, where medieval forts and architectural wonders like Gol Gumbaz await. Transition to Kolhapur, steeped in myth and history, before venturing into Goa's sun-kissed realm. Discover Old Goa's UNESCO-listed churches and the imposing Aguada Fort, then unwind along iconic beaches like Calangute and Baga. This tour blends rich heritage with coastal bliss, promising an unforgettable exploration of South India's cultural tapestry and natural beauty.

Tour Itinerary

Day 1: Arrive Hyderabad

- On arrival at Hyderabad airport, you'll be greeted by our representative who will assist you to your hotel. The rest of the day is at leisure for you to relax and settle in.
- Overnight at the hotel.

Day 2: Hyderabad

- Enjoy breakfast at the hotel before embarking on a journey through Hyderabad's rich history. Begin with the majestic Golconda Fort Complex, known for its impressive architecture and strategic location.
- Explore the nearby Qutubshahi Tombs, showcasing intricate Persian and Indian architectural styles. Visit the iconic Charminar, a symbol of Hyderabad, and the nearby Mecca Mosque, an exquisite example of Islamic art and architecture.
- Discover the extensive collection at the Salarjung Museum, housing artifacts from around the world, and stroll through the opulent Chowmohalla Palace, once the seat of the Nizams.
- Overnight at the hotel.

Day 3: Hyderabad - Gulbarga (260kms)

- After breakfast, depart for Gulbarga. En route, visit Bidar Fort, an imposing structure with significant historical importance.
- Explore Mahmud Gawan Madarsa, a medieval Islamic school known for its architectural beauty and cultural significance.
- Continue to Bahmani Tombs, showcasing the royal necropolis of the Bahmani Sultanate.
- Arrive in Gulbarga and check in at the hotel for an overnight stay.

Day 4: Gulbarga - Bijapur (170kms)

- Start the day with a visit to Gulbarga Fort, originally constructed by Raja Gulchand and later fortified by the Bahmani Sultanate.
- Explore Jama Masjid, an architectural marvel with its grand structure and historical significance.
- After sightseeing, drive to Bijapur and check in at the hotel.
- Overnight at the hotel.

Day 5: Bijapur - Kolhapur (185kms)

- Begin the day with a comprehensive city tour of Bijapur. Visit Bijapur Fort, a sprawling complex with an array of monuments dating back to the Adil Shahi dynasty.
- Highlights include Asar Mahal, known for its beautiful architecture and historical artifacts, and Bara Kaman, an unfinished mausoleum.
- Explore Gol Gumbaz, famous for its massive dome and whispering gallery. Visit Jama Masjid, Malik-e-Maidan Cannon, Mehtar Mahal & The Ibrahims Rouza.
- Drive to Kolhapur and check in at the hotel for an overnight stay.

Day 6: Kolhapur - Goa (225kms)

- After breakfast, visit Mahalakshmi Temple, an ancient Hindu shrine dedicated to Goddess Mahalakshmi, renowned for its spiritual significance and architectural grandeur.
- Explore Bhavani Mandap, an old palace complex with historical artifacts and intricate craftsmanship.

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- Drive to Goa via Belgaum. Visit Belgaum Fort, a historic fortress dating back to the 13th century, and admire its impressive architecture.
- Explore Kapileshwar Temple, dedicated to Lord Shiva, and St. Mary's Church, a colonial-era church with Gothic architecture.
- Arrive in Goa and check in at the hotel for an overnight stay.

Day 7: Goa

- Enjoy breakfast at the hotel before exploring the heritage sites of Old Goa. Visit the Basilica of Bom Jesus, a UNESCO World Heritage Site housing the mortal remains of St. Francis Xavier.
- Discover the grandeur of St. Cathedral, the largest church in Asia, and the nearby Church of Our Lady of Miracles and Church of Our Lady of Rosary.
- Visit the Nunnery of St. Monica, reflecting Goa's rich Christian heritage. Explore Aguada Fort, built by the Portuguese to guard against Dutch and Maratha invasions.
- Visit the Portuguese lighthouse for panoramic views of the coastline. In South Goa, visit Mangueshi Temple, dedicated to Lord Shiva, and Shanta Durga Temple, devoted to the goddess of peace.
- Drive past scenic beaches such as Calangute, Dona Paula, Miramar, and Baga Beach, known for their golden sands and vibrant atmosphere.
- Overnight at the hotel.

Day 8: Goa

- Breakfast at the hotel. Enjoy a leisurely day to relax on the beach or indulge in personal activities such as water sports, shopping, or exploring local markets.
- Overnight at the hotel.

Day 9: Goa - Departure

- After breakfast, as per your flight schedule, you will be transferred to the Goa airport for your onward journey.
- Meal plan: Breakfast.

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Package Price (USD Per Person Sharing Double/Twin Room)**Valid for Travel: 01 October 2026 – 15 April 2027**

Persons	Solo	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
3★ Standard	2,574	1,364	1,162	1,240	1,093	1,037	961	904
4★ Deluxe	2,945	1,553	1,351	1,429	1,282	1,226	1,150	1,093
5★ Luxury	4,085	2,264	1,936	2,014	1,867	1,811	1,735	1,678

Valid for Travel: 16 April 2027 to 20 September 2027

Persons	Solo	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
3★ Standard	2,491	1,330	1,128	1,206	1,059	1,003	927	870
4★ Deluxe	2,802	1,477	1,276	1,354	1,207	1,151	1,075	1,018
5★ Luxury	3,271	1,831	1,503	1,581	1,434	1,378	1,302	1,245

Single Room Supplement

3★ Standard: USD 352 | 4★ Deluxe: USD 534 | 5★ Luxury: USD 1,089

Triple Sharing Discount (Per Person)

3★ Standard: USD 46 | 4★ Deluxe: USD 62 | 5★ Luxury: USD 206

Price Includes:

- Assistance on arrival at airport.
- 8 Nights' accommodation in selected price category hotels.
- Daily breakfast at hotels.
- Private AC car/van for airport transfers, sightseeing, and excursions as per the program.
- English speaking tour guide on sightseeing days (local guide in each city), as per program.
- Monument entrances and activities charges mentioned in the itinerary.
- Bottled drinking water in car.
- Government taxes.

Price Does Not Include:

- Any flight tickets.
- Camera charges at monuments if any.
- Meals other than mentioned in the inclusions.
- Expenses of personal nature like liquor, laundry, tips, telephone, fax, internet etc.
- Gratuities and optional activities.
- Anything not mentioned in inclusions.

Hotels used or similar for 8-night accommodation

3 Star Hotels

- Hyderabad x 2 nights: Hotel Abode/ Aditya Park
- Gulbarga x 1 night: Kyriad Hotel Gulbarga by OTHPL/ Mastiff Select
- Bijapur x 1 night: The Fern Residency/ Kyriad Hotel Vijayapura by OTHPL
- Kolhapur x 1 night: Veeksar the Fern/ Citrus Hotel
- Goa x 3 nights: The Fern Residency Miramar/ Zone Connect Hotel Parra

4 Star Hotels

- Hyderabad x 2 nights: The Golkonda Hotel/ Lemon Tree Hotel
- Gulbarga x 1 night: Kyriad Hotel Gulbarga by OTHPL/ Mastiff Select
- Bijapur x 1 night: The Fern Residency/ Kyriad Hotel Vijayapura by OTHPL
- Kolhapur x 1 night: Sayaji Hotel
- Goa x 3 nights: Lemon Tree Hotel Candolim/ The Chances Resort & Casino

5 Star Hotels

- Hyderabad x 2 nights: ITC Kakatiya, a Luxury Collection/ Trident Hotel
- Gulbarga x 1 night: Kyriad Hotel Gulbarga by OTHPL/ Mastiff Select
- Bijapur x 1 night: The Fern Residency/ Kyriad Hotel Vijayapura by OTHPL

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- Kolhapur x 1 night: Sayaji Hotel
- Goa x 3 nights: Alila Diwa Goa/ Kenilworth Resort & Spa, Utorda Beach

Payment Policy:

- Deposit of 25% of the package cost at the time of booking.
- Deposit of 50% of the package cost, 30 days prior to arrival date
- Deposit of 100% of the package cost, 10 days prior to arrival date

Cancellation policy:

- Note: Written cancellation will be accepted on all working days, except Sundays. Any cancellation sent on Sundays will be considered on the next working day (Monday).
- X-mas and New Year Period (20 Dec to 05 Jan): The payment is non-refundable during this period.
- After Trip Commencement: If you cancel the trip after it has commenced, the refund will be limited to the amount we are able to recover from hoteliers/contractors. We are not responsible for refunds on unused hotel accommodations, chartered transportation, or missed meals.
- 61 days or more before the tour: No cancellation charges.
- Between 60 to 30 days before the tour: Cancellation charges equal to 20% of the full tour booking value.
- Between 30 to 15 days before the tour: Cancellation charges equal to 50% of the full tour booking value.
- Within 5 days before the tour or no show: Cancellation charges equal to 90% of the full tour booking value.

Our Liabilities & Limitations:

- Price Changes: After the finalization of the tour/service cost, if there are any hikes in entrance fees, taxes, fuel costs, or guide charges by the Government of India, these will be charged as extra.
- Role as Agent: Agora Voyages acts only as an agent for hotels, airlines, transporters, railways, and contractors providing services. All receipts, contracts, and tickets issued by us are subject to terms and conditions of the service providers.

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- **Itinerary Changes:** All itineraries are sample itineraries intended to provide a general idea. We reserve the right to change the schedule based on factors such as weather, road conditions, or the physical ability of participants to ensure safety, comfort, and well-being.
- **Rate Modifications:** Our rates are based on negotiated rates with hotels and airlines. If the rates are modified by these service providers, we reserve the right to adjust the quoted rates accordingly. Hotel bookings are based on usual check-in and check-out times, unless otherwise indicated.
- **Liability Disclaimer:** We are not responsible for delays, alterations, or expenses incurred due to natural hazards, flight cancellations, accidents, weather, sickness, political closures, or any unforeseen incidents.
- **Damage, Loss, or Injury:** We are not responsible for any loss, injury, or damage to persons, property, or otherwise, caused by acts of God, fire, accidents, machinery breakdowns, political disturbances, theft, epidemics, or other factors beyond our control.
- **Insurance:** We do not offer insurance for accidents, sickness, theft, or other unforeseen circumstances. We recommend travelers arrange for insurance in their home country. All personal property and baggage are at the client's risk at all times.
- **Unforeseen Circumstances:** We are not responsible for costs arising from landslides, roadblocks, bad weather, or similar unforeseen circumstances.

Tipping

- Tipping is not included in our price. It is optional but often expected in the travel industry. There is no limit on the amount you can tip, though the average guideline is around \$10-15 per day for guides, drivers, and other crew members.

Trip Comments

- After your trip, we would love to hear your experience. Any photos, suggestions, or feedback will be greatly appreciated. While we strive to make every trip perfect, we acknowledge that there is always room for improvement. Your comments, whether positive or constructive, are invaluable to us.