

A decorative border of tropical plants and flowers, including green leaves, pink and yellow buds, and white lilies, framing the central text.

# Voyage the Fiji Islands

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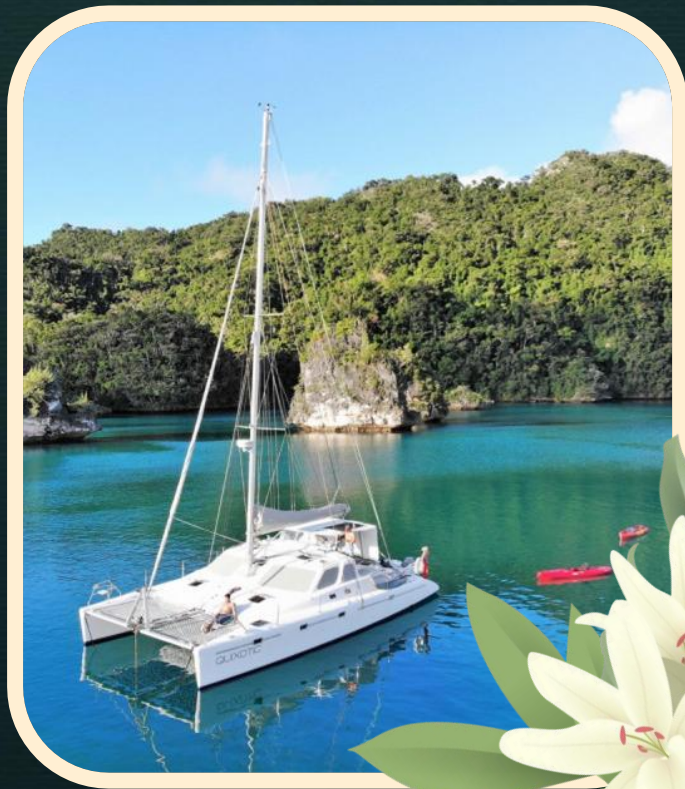


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# About Fiji

A little bit of history



# 5 Reasons to Sail to Fiji

- 330 Islands = Endless Adventure – Drop anchor in secluded bays, explore untouched beaches, and discover Fiji's hidden gems.
- Sailor's Paradise – With steady trade winds, calm anchorages, and world-class facilities, Fiji is the ultimate yachting destination.
- Incredible Marine Life – Snorkel pristine coral reefs, swim with manta rays, or dive with bull sharks in Beqa Lagoon.
- Warm Fijian Hospitality – Experience the legendary "Bula Spirit", traditional village ceremonies, and kava rituals with some of the world's friendliest people.
- Thrill & Tranquility in One Place – Surf epic waves, hike to hidden waterfalls, or simply relax with a cocktail.





NORTHERN MARIANA

HAWAII

MEXIQUE

MARSHALL ISLANDS

PANAMA

MICRONESIA

GALAPAGOS

PAPUA NEW GUINEA

SALOMON ISLANDS

KIRIBATI

TUVALU

SAMOA

WALLIS & FUTUNA

NIUE

COOK ISLANDS

FRENCH POLYNESIA

CORAL SEA

VANUATU

FIJI

TONGA

PITCAIRN

RAPA NUI

AUSTRALIA

NEW CALÉDONIA

TASMAN SEA

NEW ZEALAND

PACIFIC OCEAN

TASMANIA

CHILI

# Demographics



**333 islands**

2 main islands - Viti Levu and Vanua Levu



**850,000**

Population of Fiji - 70% on main islands



**Suva**

Capital of Fiji - business hub



**Main cruising grounds**

Lau, Savusavu, Yasawas and Mamanuca Islands





*DISCOVER*  
*FIJI'S CRUISING*  
Beauty Spots





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# Decisions, Decisions

Why Fiji?



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# 2 Years!

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You can stay in Fiji for up to 2 years!!!

# You can stay in Fiji for 2 years... ...so why leave so soon?



## 24 months duty free exemption for yachts

Stay a long time and have a  
good time on Fiji Time!



## Yacht Friendly

Each time the vessel clears out  
of Fiji and clears back in restarts  
the 2 year clock - they want you  
to keep coming back





**Scuba-diving**



**Surfing**



**Fishing**



**Ziplines**



**Mountain biking**



**World class golf courses**



**White water rafting**



**Skydiving**



**Waterfall visits**



**River Jetboat Rides**



**Cave tours**





Visit the mudbaths



Cloud 9



Kula Eco Park



Church of the Black Christ



Firewalking



Fiji Museum



# Road Trippin'

Jump in a car and go explore Viti Levu and Vanua Levu

- Suva is surprisingly big. Lots of great restaurants and history
- Scenery along the roads is incredible



# Excellent Air Connectivity

Fiji Airways has excellent connectivity.

Direct flights are

- LAX
- San Francisco
- Hawaii
- Singapore
- Sydney
- Melbourne
- Brisbane
- Adelaide
- Auckland
- Christchurch

Better than most other countries in the Pacific!





A decorative border of tropical plants and flowers, including white lilies, green ferns, and colorful bird-of-paradise flowers, framing the central text on a dark green background.

# Great internet

4G most places

2 Providers – Vodafone and Digicel

Cheap! – 250GB for \$16

Starlink works in Fiji!

# MUSKETCÖVE

## *The Legendary* 34TH FIJI REGATTA

15TH TO 20TH SEPTEMBER 2017

MUSKETCÖVE  
Island Resort & Marina, Fiji

MUSKETCÖVE  
YACHT CLUB FIJI






**Entry fee:** F\$75 per adult  
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Fee includes opening night cocktails  
& welcome dinner, grand finale prize giving  
cocktail party & gourmet buffet dinner plus  
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Book early to secure your  
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# Affordable

Standard price comparisons from shops:

Can of Coke - \$0.72

Carton of Milk (1L) - \$1.20

Bottle of Fiji Bitter - \$1.20

Bottle of Australian Red Wine - \$7.00

Diesel per litre - \$1.10

Unleaded per litre - \$1.18

Casual Labour per hour - \$3.70

Loaf of bread - \$0.95

Dentist Visit - \$25 for basic or \$75 for filling



# Get some work done on your boat



## Mechanical

Diesel and petrol engines



## Spray Painting

As good as anywhere



## Sail and Canvas

Excellent sailmakers and upholstery works



## Carpentry and Fibreglass

Skilled workmanship



## Electrical

Patient & precise electricians



## Rigging

Mast, stays, chainplates

All imported parts for your yacht are duty free!



# More reasons to stay and play in Fiji

## English speaking

English is the official language of Fiji - you will have a better cultural experience because you can communicate with everyone

## Modern Conveniences

"Everything" you need is here

## Safe

Gun ownership is illegal in Fiji and like the rest of the Pacific, it is very safe

## Remoteness and Isolation

If you want to get away from "everything" then the islands are only a short sail away

## Friendly

Fiji is consistently voted as one of the friendliest countries in the world

## Best of both worlds

Fiji has the perfect blend of being small enough that you get to know everyone but big enough that you can be on your own when you want




# Sevusevu – The ceremony







A decorative border of tropical plants and flowers surrounds the central text. The border includes large green monstera leaves, smaller green fern-like leaves, and clusters of white lily-like flowers with yellow and red accents. The background is a dark, textured green.

# Keep Living The Dream

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A quick video by Captain Kurt on SY Ellie....





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# Documentation and Arrival Requirements



# Arriving into Fiji

- 4 Ports of Arrival
  - Savusavu
  - Denarau Marina
  - Vuda Marina
  - Suva
- Complete your C2C form before you depart for Fiji (simply google "Fiji C2C Form")





## ADVANCE NOTIFICATION/INWARD REPORT FOR YACHTS/SMALL CRAFT FORM C2-C

Official Use ONLY

Rotation Number

If your browser doesn't support this fillable document please download and view using [adobe reader](#). Then submit.

### 1. REGISTRATION DETAILS

Craft name :		
Country of registration:	Port of registration:	Registration Number:
Call sign:	Name of person in charge:	Total number of persons on board:
Date of registration:	Sail Number:	Home Port:

### 2. ADVANCE INFORMATION OF ARRIVAL *(To be filled by the Master)*

Estimated date of arrival:		Estimated time of arrival:
Port of arrival:	Port of departure:	Departure date:

### 3. ARRIVAL DETAILS *(This portion is to be completed by the clearing Officer)*

Port of arrival:	Date of arrival:	Time of arrival:
Port arrived from:	Estimated period of stay in Fiji:	

### 4. LIST OF PREVIOUS PORTS OF CALL AND DATE OF DEPARTURE *(Please list in sequence, latest ports first)*

1.		6.	
2.		7.	
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5.		10.	

### 5. FIREARMS *(Specify makes, models & serial numbers)*

Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	





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**MARINA**

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INWARD  
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AT VUDA MARINA**

**WHEN YOU CLEAR INTO FIJI AT VUDA  
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\*Conditions - This offer is valid for the first 100 clearances in 2024 only.



# Marinas in Fiji

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And some details about Vuda Marina



- Coprashed Marina in Vanua Levu
- Vuda Marina in Viti Levu
- Musket Cove on Malolo Island
- Port Denarau Marina
- Royal Suva Yacht Club
- Nawi Island







Coprashed Marina



Musket Cove Marina



Denarau Marina



Vuda Marina

# NAWI ISLAND – Savusavu





150 INWATER BERTHS



63 TONNE TRAVEL LIFT



50 HARDSTAND



40 TONNE MULTIHULL TRAILER



YACHT CHANDLERY



90 CYCLONE PITS



AFFORDABLE ACCOMMODATION



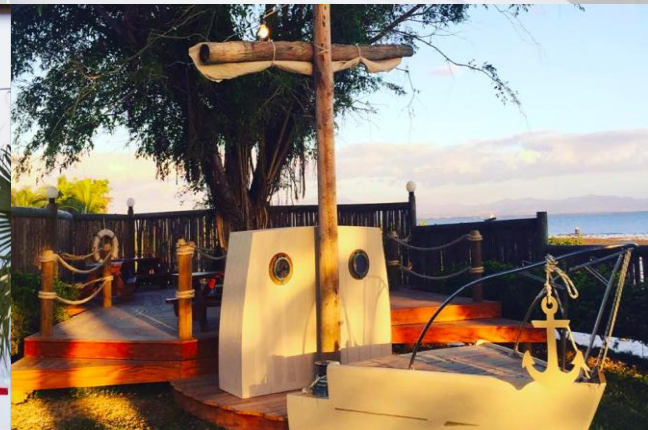
FUEL DOCK



BOARDING STATION



AWARD WINNING RESTAURANT



KIDS PLAY AREA

# Proven Storm Shelter



- Recognised by many insurance companies
- Successfully navigated through 28 years of cyclones
- Extremely knowledgeable and experienced team of more than 100 staff
- Close proximity to Mamanuca and Yasawas



# Costs to stay at Vuda Marina (USD)

Rates on our website

- Below prices are for a 40' yacht weighing less than 20 tonne
- Inwater Berth per day - \$23
- Inwater Berth per month - \$460
- Haulout - \$250
- Hardstand per day - \$35 Hardstand per month - \$730
- Cyclone Pit - \$760 per month
- Water AND electricity AND ice is free
- Free 1 hour wifi access per day



# 3 Options at Vuda Marina

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Inwater Berth

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Cyclone Pits

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Hardstand



# Inwater Berths

- Easy to provision
- Access to Nadi Airport for friends and family
- Power, water, wifi and ice included
- Floating dock and fixed dock options
- Fuel dock
- Access to LPG refill station
- Award winning restaurant and bar  
(leave your burgee)





# Cyclone Pits

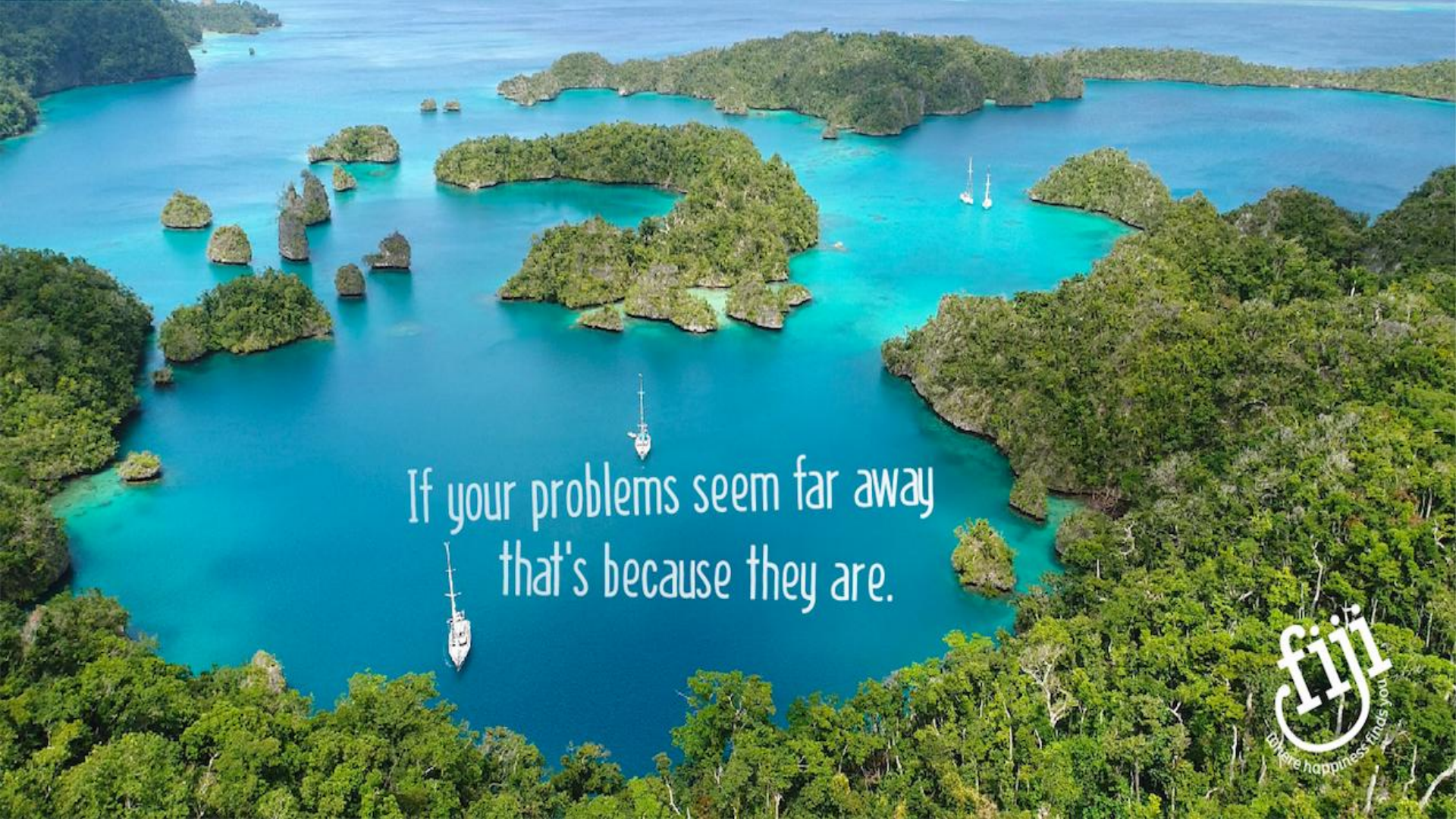
- Safest option for a monohull
- Keel is lowered into a trench
- Hull rests on tyres for stability
- Optional cyclone straps
- Cannot blow over - impossible
- Plenty of space between other boats
- Caretaking service - wipe down, air out, mould control
- Best for longterm storage
- Cheapest option for Sailing Season - basically ½ price



# Hardstand

- Best longterm option for catamarans
- Tied down with cyclone straps
- 40 tonne trailer for catamarans
- 63 tonne travelift for monohulls
- Allow you to do work





If your problems seem far away  
that's because they are.

fiji  
where happiness finds you



# VINAKA

Does anyone have any questions?

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