



pristine Beaches



370 miles of unspoiled coastline are just waiting to be discovered. There are plenty of options depending on personal tastes but one thing is for sure, you won't find the typical crowds found in the more well-known beach resorts of the world. Here are just two of the hot spots not to miss if you are looking for sun and sand and winter temperatures that cannot be beat.

Suatulco

Nine beautiful bays form a paradise of 36 lovely beaches that frame the blues and emerald tones of their waters, warm and transparent, like the people themselves. In the natural surroundings of this area you can engage in an abundance of ecotourism activities such as diving, sport fishing, kayaking and horseback riding, mountain biking, rock climbing and much more. If you are looking for more rest and relaxation there is a great selection of resorts from small and charming to larger sophisticated properties offering the ultimate in amenities. The pretty marina of Santa Cruz and the quaint town of La Crececita are not far from the hotel area and provide a great place for an evening stroll or taking part in the local activities.

Puerto Escondido

Further down the Pacific you'll find a hidden jewel where you won't find any large resorts. Although this area has not yet been a stop for mainstream tourists, the laid back charm and spectacular waves of the region's beaches make the Puerto Escondido area a well-known spot amongst surfers-rated the world's 3rd best in fact. One of the most popular beaches to "hang ten" is Zicatela Beach with waves as high as 6 metres. Take a stroll on the main pedestrian street in the town of Puerto Escondido and enjoy a variety of seafood and regional cuisine as well as some shopping for local crafts. Sport fishing is also a great activity in this area so rich in marine life. Within 30 minutes drive of Puerto Escondido there is even more natural wonder to discover. Explore the quiet waters of the Tilapa Lagoon observing unique birdlife, crocodiles and iguanas or check out the Mexico Turtle Center in Mazunte where the waters are calm and ideal for swimming. Turtle nesting season runs from June until December and is fascinating.

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