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Experience Amari Koh Samui



Lounge in the glistening sun under swaying coconut palms at Amari Koh Samui...

Set on the white sands of Koh Samui's popular Chaweng Beach, overlooking the glittering waters of the Gulf of Thailand, Amari Koh Samui boasts rooms and suites that are elegantly designed, offering ample space for couples, families and friends to unwind. Whether lounging on the sun-soaked beaches, savouring the innovative cuisine or weaving through stunning coral reefs, this laid-back resort offers an island experience that will immerse guests in the brilliance of tropical Thailand.

Besides the beautiful beaches, warm waters and ocean breeze, Koh Samui is also known as the "Island of Coconuts" as previously the island was the country's key producer of the iconic tropical fruit. Inspired by this unique history and the beautiful silhouette of the coconut leaves have been delicately woven into the decor of all 193 rooms and suites. The interiors are infused with contemporary Thai-style décor reflecting the island's colour and a blend of soothing earth tones across three wings – Thai Village Wing, Garden Wing and Beach Wing. Each superior and deluxe room features a private balcony ideal for quiet evenings al fresco. For those looking for a little more space, the junior suites provide just that, with added luxurious touches including a private terrace with magnificent views of the beach. For families, the property offers 24 two-bedroom family duplex rooms in Thai Lanna-style, with high ceilings providing an additional sleeping space for the little ones.

Just like the interiors, the architecture and landscaping is a twist on traditional village dwellings. Depicting the feel of homes built in close proximity and facing the canal or *klong* (in Thai, "river for living"), the Thai Village wing is built around the central free-form pool. In place of stark permanent fencing, trees were commonly planted as dividers, this has also been done in the Thai Village and Beach Wings to create shade and privacy. The lobby is designed as a central meeting point inspired by the "*sala*" where traditionally, the community would come together to meet and connect. The lobby at Amari Koh Samui is in the open air sala style and invites guests to explore the other hotel facilities including the gardens, main pool, restaurants, Breeze Spa, Fit Centre, and Voyager Lounge, all designed to foster sharing and interaction.

Amari's signature restaurant, **Amaya Food Gallery** boasts an array of Asian and international cuisines. Taking inspiration from Asian street food markets, the all-day dining outlet features open kitchens, creating a unique atmosphere where guests can take a journey of gourmet discovery. In addition, **Amaya Café** is available for cravings at any time of the day and will tempt guests with its freshly ground coffee and pastries in a relaxed and

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comfortable lounge setting. Meanwhile, **Amaya Bar** provides the perfect spot for sundowners and shared

cocktails, and also boasts an integrated BBQ area, serving the best prime cuts and the freshest local seafood. Finally, Samui's favourite Italian restaurant, **Prego** continues to provide casual yet refined Italian favourites, from wood-fired pizzas to hand-made pastas.

Soak in the sun or splash away at one of the two free-form swimming pools, each featuring integrated children's areas for the little ones. Jacuzzis are also available for relaxing after a day of exploring, or guests may visit the **FIT Centre** to keep up with their daily workouts. For the ultimate rejuvenation experience, guests can visit **Breeze Spa** to enjoy one of the signature mood treatments designed to rebalance the mind, body and soul.

To keep younger guests entertained, the friendly staff and fun activities at the **Kid's Club** will ensure kids get the most out of their vacation. Meanwhile, offering a retreat at any time of day, **Voyager Lounge** provides a cool escape from the sun or somewhere to catch up on some reading or play a board game. For those waiting for a late flight, the lounge also offers complimentary use of showers and lockers, so guests can max out their holiday time and take in that last-minute snorkelling session.

White-sand beaches, coral reefs, coconut trees and friendly faces make this a tropical island paradise. To enhance a visit to this picturesque island with all the happenings and exotic locale destined to enchant, relax and inspire is the Destination Amari, or connect with an Amari Host, a helping hand to help guide you throughout your stay.

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