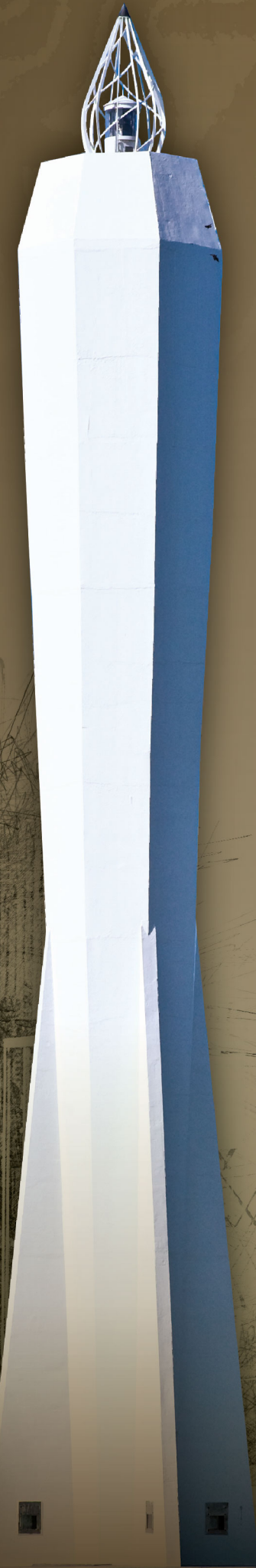




MADANG PROVINCE

Madang has one of the South Pacific's most beautiful harbours, with a backdrop of steep mountains and lush tropical vegetation. There is good fishing and diving along the magnificent coast, which is world famous for its coral gardens and superb visibility. Madang was the centre of heavy fighting during World War II, and there are 34 sunken ships to explore at Hansa Bay, near Bogia. Although small, Madang has modern urban facilities, including hotels, department stores, markets and artefact shops. It is a key destination for meeting and conferences.

Madang was once renowned to be the most beautiful town in Papua New Guinea as it houses a lighthouse called Kalibobo that cannot be missed upon any cruise liner arrival into the bay.



Things to do

- ▶ **Diving and Snorkelling:** There is great snorkelling off all the islands around Madang Harbour and at Jais Aben Resort, 20km north of Madang. Fantastic dive sites near Madang are Magic Passage, war wrecks and Planet Rock, an underwater sea mount with a population of curious hammerhead sharks, multitudes of small fish and beautiful corals. Further north there are war wrecks at Bogia Bay and Hansa Bay. Reefs around Bagabag Island are swept by strong currents and have pelagic fish.
- ▶ **Golf:** Cool sea breezes make playing pleasurable on the well-maintained course located beside the coast road on the east side of Madang, with the clubhouse overlooking the sea.
- ▶ **Trekking**
- ▶ **Fishing:** Anywhere off the coast of Madang is good, especially Bagabag Island. Hotels, dive operators and the visitor bureau have lists of charter boats.
- ▶ **Butterfly Farming:** The Babalit Tourism Circuit has a number of tourism sites with relation to Butterfly farming.
- ▶ **Canoeing:** Jais Aben resort has canoes for hire as do the guesthouses on Siar Island. Otherwise hire someone from one of the many villages to paddle you around.
- ▶ **Kayaking:** Jais Aben Resort and Madang Resort have Kayaks for hire.
- ▶ **Surfing:** Tupira Surf Club located at Ulingan BAY,
- ▶ **Gym:** Jais Aben and Madang Lodge have gym facilities in house for their guests and interested individuals alike.



Things to see

- ▶ Madang
- ▶ Visitors and Cultural Bureau
- ▶ Arts and Crafts
- ▶ Orchids and animals
- ▶ Kranket, Siar and Samun Islands
- ▶ Kau Rainforest Museums
- ▶ Volcanoes

Wharf/ Port Information

Port Details:

Location	LAT: 05° 12.54'S LONG: 145° 49.33'E
Chart Reference	AUS 654

Wharves:

Berth	Length	Width	Water Depth (Below LAT)	Deck Height (Above LAT)
Berth 1 Main Wharf	137m	12.8m	10.1m	3.1m
Berth 2 Small Ships	30m	4.5m	1.6m	1.8m

Tourism Office

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