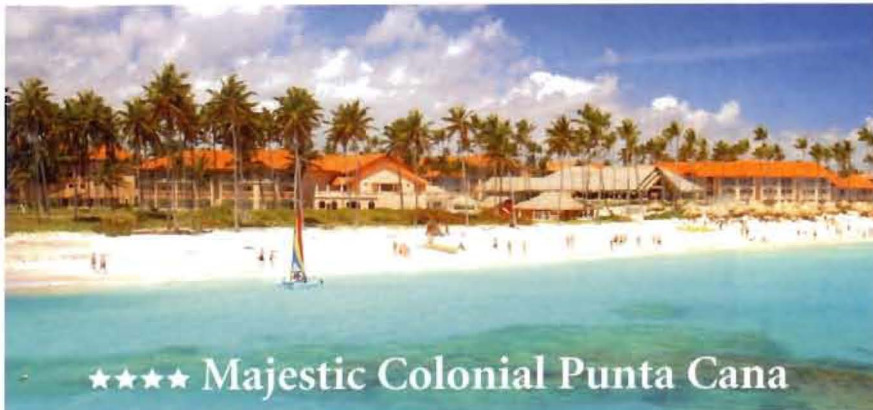




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by Jan Ross, Social Media Director, The Travel Authority

"One cannot collect all the beautiful shells on the beach; one can collect only a few, and they are more beautiful if they are few"

- Anne Morrow Lindbergh

Last summer, I went with Vacation Express on a trip to visit some resorts in Punta Cana, located in the Dominican Republic. Vacation Express is a provider for many gorgeous resorts and hotels in Punta Cana and other tropical locations. Most people head for Mexico when they want to see beautiful beaches and enjoy all-inclusive resorts but Punta Cana equals any Mexican location in every way. A tropical location with temperatures ranging from the high 70's to the low 90's all year long, Punta Cana also has lovely breezes from the ocean which makes the temperature comfortable.

The beaches are beautiful and the resorts completely fabulous, but the Hotel Majestic Colonial and the Majestic Elegance are truly exceptional. The Majestic Elegance features the Elegance Club, which is for adults only. But for families, the Hotel Majestic Colonial is your best bet. Located on the beautiful, pale tan sands of the Playa Bavaro beach, with 9 bars, 6 restaurants and 24-hour room service, everyone will find something they enjoy here. They will even restock your in-room minibar daily. The Oriental restaurant, Matsuri, offers an authentic Japanese cooking presentation and a delicious sushi bar or stop by Tres Carabelas for some fresh seafood.

Only a short distance from the Punta Cana International airport and the La

Romana International airport, there are several parks nearby as well as some mostly deserted islands that will provide you with an incredible sailing, snorkeling and swimming experience.

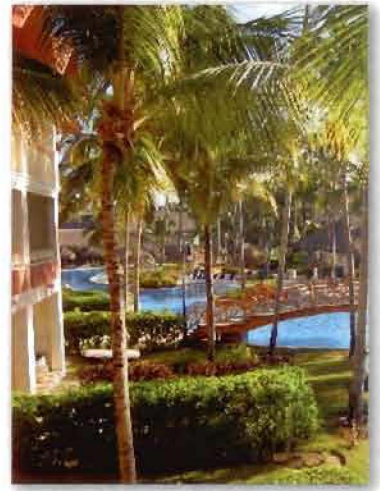
The hotel has 658 rooms which range from large junior suites with a choice of views to one-bedroom colonial suites with a solarium and outdoor Jacuzzi and even a presidential suite, which includes a bedroom, dining room, living room and a large terrace, facing the ocean, with an outdoor Jacuzzi and patio furniture.

Choose to spend time in the casino or theatre, visit the fitness center, tennis courts, basketball court or the golf course located only 5 minutes from the main entrance. As far as I'm concerned, you can play all the sports you want just as long as I can spend time at a fabulous spa and be pampered from head to toe. And this is truly a fabulous spa.

Divided into three separate relaxation areas, the first is the Massage Area with a gorgeous fountain, lush foliage and 10 cabins for massages. One of the cabins is the "VIP Room" which is a double size cabin with a shower, Jacuzzi and sauna – great for couples. Then there's the Humid Area containing eight different showers, all at different temperatures, saunas, Turkish baths and a huge Jacuzzi. Finish up in the Salon Area where you can get any sort of hair treatment or style along with manicures, pedicures and facial treatments. Now you are ready for that fancy dinner in one of the wonderful restaurants!

One of the nicest things about this resort if you are interested in a family vacation is that they have a kids club for ages 6-14 with its own swimming pool, indoor play area with video games and plenty of activities supervised by the trained staff.

The whole family will enjoy the beautiful, wide beach and the gorgeous, clear tropical water with colors from a deep emerald green to a pale turquoise.



Swim, relax in the sun, or take advantage of the water sports equipment which is part of the all-inclusive price. Windsurfers, snorkeling equipment, sea kayaks, boogie boards and catamarans can also be borrowed by guests. A free introduction to diving lesson in the swimming pool is also included for those who are interested and you can even choose to become PADI certified. There are also a variety of dive packages and motorized water sports which can be purchased at the Marina Dive Shops right on the beach.

But all these activities sound just a little too strenuous for me. A massage. A fresh seafood lunch. Lying on a lounge chair on the beach. This sounds like the perfect day for me. But the nice thing about this resort is that everyone in your family can choose their perfect day. Each choice may be different. But at the Hotel Majestic Colonial? Every choice is perfect.

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