

PEMBA ISLAND known as "The Green Island" is an island forming part of the Zanzibar Archipelago, lying off the east coast of Africa in the Indian Ocean.

With a land area of 988 square kilometers (381 sq mi) it is situated about 50 kilometers (31 mi) to the north of Unguja, the largest island of the archipelago.

In 1964, Zanzibar was united with the former colony of Tanganyika to form Tanzania. It lies 50 kilometres (31 mi) east of mainland Tanzania, across the Pemba Channel. Together with Mafia Island (south of Unguja), these islands form the Spice Islands (not to be confused with the Maluku Islands of Indonesia).



The most important towns in Pemba are Chake-Chake (the capital), Mkoani, and Wete, the largest city. The centrally located Chake-Chake is perched on a mound with a view to the west on a bay

The tiny [Misali island](#) where the tides determine when a dhow can enter the local harbour. Pemba is also becoming well known for its dive sites, snorkelling and with steep drop-offs, untouched coral and very abundant marine life. A recommended good beach budget hotel in Pemba Island for you area [Pemba Misali Beach Resort](#) is a 3 stars and [Ocean Panorama Beach Hotel](#) is 2 stars.

VISIT PEMBA ISLAND

All these islands of Zanzibar, you will visit :

By using Passenger ferry boat or Flight These islands can be easily accessible,

Daily flight with Coastal aviation, Tropical Air, Zan Air, Assalam Air and for Ferry Boat is Azam Marine Company Kilimanjaro Boat.

Zanzibar International Airport is in Unguja island and Pemba airport is in Pemba island.

But Big Flights are landing only in Zanzibar International airport, while Pemba airport is still landing small flights.

WHAT TO DO IN PEMBA,

A huge activities to enjoy in Pemba island from City tour of chake chake, Spice tour of Cloves plantation, Cultural heritage sites, Endless snorkelling at Mesali Island, diving, fishing, and others Beach Relaxation.