



How to get to Tahiti and her Islands?

The Faa'a International Airport, built on the lagoon, is about 5 km west of Papeete near several major hotels. The domestic terminal for Air Tahiti is located right inside and the Air Moorea terminal is only 300 m away.

The airport provides a lot of other functions and related services. Apart from the airlines check-in counters, there is an information counter and vehicle rental offices and shops. Other services are available such as telephone booths, an automatic teller machine, a foreign exchange agency (open weekdays from 7:45 am to 3:30 pm and one hour before international departures), and a postal service (open week days from 6 to 10:30 am and from 12 noon

to 2:00 pm; Saturdays from 6:00 am to 9:00 am), as well as taxi companies.

On the ground floor, there is a snack bar and a restaurant above it called "La rose des vents". Nearby, in a special Tahitian-style house, artisans sell flower leis and shell necklaces.

Passengers arriving on international flights must collect their baggage, go through Customs and then recheck-in at the domestic flight counters some 50 m to the right of the International arrivals area.

AIRLINE	FROM	ROUTING	TIME FLIGHT
Air Calin	Noumea	1/week	05:40
Air France	Paris	3/week	20:55
	Los Angeles	3/week	08:00
Air New Zealand	London	3/week	21:50
	Los Angeles	3/week	08:10
	Auckland	4/week	05:30
Air Tahiti Nui	Paris	5/week	20:55
	Los Angeles	11/week	08:35
	New York	3/week	12:40
	Sydney	2/week	07:00
	Auckland	3/week	05:05
	Tokyo	3/week	11:10
	Osaka	1/week	11:40
Hawaiian Airlines	Honolulu	1/week	05:30
Lan Airlines	Santiago del Chili	2/week	11:00



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Helicopter service

POLYNESIA HELICOPTERES

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By boat

Catamarans and ferry boats cross between Tahiti and Moorea several times a day (see page 100). Schooners and cargo boats serve all the inhabited islands from Papeete. Rotations vary according to the destinations: three times a week to the Society Islands (see page 120), three to five times a week to the Tuamotu (see page 1155), every fifteen days to the Marquesas (see page 187) and the Austral Archipelago (see page 205) and once monthly to the island of Mangareva (see page 183).

How to travel from one island to another?

By plane

REGULARS FLIGHTS:

Air Tahiti operates regular flights between 41 islands out of Tahiti. Also Air Moorea operates a shuttle service between Papeete and Moorea every 30 minutes to 1 hour (10 minute flight time). The maximum load authorized on board is 20 kg for passengers connecting from international flights (+ 5 kg allowance for divers).

CHARTER FLIGHTS ON REQUEST:

Air Archipels, Air Tahiti.

Regular airline carriers

AIR MOOREA

Tahiti-Faa'a International Airport/ Airport de Temae
Mr. Freddy CHANSEAU - B.P. 6019 - 98702 Faa'a - Tahiti
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The charter flights

AIR ARCHIPELS

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Air Archipels offers private day flights as well as night flights to all of the islands of French Polynesia upon request.
Air Archipels operates these high comfort flights with Beechcraft Super King B200's equipped with 7 VIP seats. Two new airplanes were added in April 2005.

AIR TAHITI

See above.

Archipelago serviced	Islands	Distance in km (0,5 miles)	Flight's time*	Flights' frequency (from Papeete)	Boat's frequency
Society Islands	Moorea	19	10 min	15-20 daily rotations/day	23/day
	Tetiaroa	42	-	-	-
	Huahine	180	40 min	4 to 5/day	2 to 8/week
	Raiatea	219	45 min	4 to 7/day	2 to 8/week
	Tahaa	233			
	Bora Bora	259	50 min	6 to 10/day	2 to 8/week
	Maupiti	307	55 min	3/week	1 to 2/week
Tuamotu Islands	Rangiroa	356	1:00	2 to 4/day	3 to 4/month
	Manihi	515	1:15	1/day	2 to 3/month
	Tikehau	307	55 min	6 to 8/week	2 to 3/month
	Fakarava	452	1:10	1 to 2/day	3 to 4/month
	Kaukura	357	55 min	2/week	4 to 5/month
	Takapoto	560	2:15	3/week	1 to 2/month
	Anaa	435	1:10	4/week	3 to 4/month
	Mataiva	311	50 min	2/week	2 to 3/month
	Hao	919	2:10	3/week	1/month
	Takaroa	596	1:30	3 to 4/week	1 to 2/month
	Makemo	643	1:30	2 to 3/week	1 to 2/month
Ahe	498	1:10	4 to 5/week	2 to 4/month	
Gambier Islands	Mangareva	1652	4:40	1 to 2/week	1 to 2/month
Marquesas Islands	Nuku Hiva	1406	3:45	1 to 2/day	1 to 2/month
	Hiva Oa	1433	3:35	1 to 2/day	1 to 2/month
	Ua Pou	1374	4:45	5/week	1 to 2/month
	Ua Huka	1448	5:00	3/week	1 to 2/month
	Tahuata	1429	-	-	1 to 2/month
Fatu Hiva	1403	-	-	1 to 2/month	
Austral Islands	Rurutu	572	1:30	6/week	2 to 3/month
	Tubuai	646	1:40	4 to 7/week	2 to 3/month
	Raivavae	730	1:45	2 to 3/week	2 to 3/month
	Rapa	1000			1/2 month

* Estimated time
All information are subject of change. Contact Air Tahiti and the different boat operators for latest dates.

