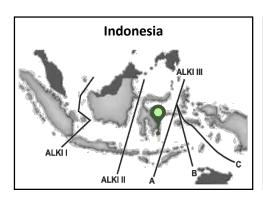
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biodiversity, water sports, and cruise tourism

Now a National Marine Park covering the entire Wakatobi District, it comprises a total of 1.4 million hectares, of which 900,000 hectares are decorated with different, colourful species of tropical coral reefs. For Wakatobi is widely recognized as having the highest number of reef and fish species in the world. The islands are also famous as the largest barrier reef in Indonesia, second only to the Great Barrier Reef in Australia. Wakatobi located in "Coral Triangle", a triangular area of the tropical marine waters of Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, and Solomon Islands.

Here can be found fringing, atolls and barrier reefs and offer more than 50 spectacular dive sites easily accessible from the major islands. This is the habitat of large and small fish species, the playground of dolphins, turtles and even whales. Wakatobi alone is said to have 942 fish species and 750 coral reef species from a total of 850 of world's collection, which, comparing with the two world's famous diving centers, the Caribbean Sea owns only 50 species with 300 coral reef species in the Red Sea, in Egypt.





Location	Wakatobi, South East Sulawesi
Easy Access	Matahora Airport (Wangi-Wangi Island in Wakatobi) - 25 Menit menuju Kabupaten Wakatobi
Land	Coordinative : 19.200 km2 Otoritative : 500 Ha
Potential Investment	Hotel Resort MICE Water Sport (Banana Boat, Jetski)
Tourist Attraction	 Wakatobi Wave Tomia Island Liya Logo Village Kaledupa Island Hoga Island Binongko Island Cemara Wakatobi Beach Bajo Village

Development Utilities and Infrastructures

- 1. Development of Outer ring road in 4 main island
- 2. Development and Improvement Of Matohara Airport runway capacity, propose additional flight to Matahora Airport and Maranggo Airport
- 3. Development and capacity improvement in main island's port and Acceleration of port development in Wanci
- 4. Wakatobi Hospital quality improvement and mini fuel farm (Jobber) development in Wangi-Wangi Island



Key Business Atraction Advantages, among others:

- Snorkeling, diving, visit the Bajau Tribe. Wakatobi has a loyal guests, the sperm whale (*Physeter macrocephalus*) and Stingray Manta.
- The indigenous people of Wakatobi is Bajo Tribe, who live life on the water, or known as the home step. That said, this step can stood firm because it's supported by the reef.
- Wakatobi underwater has 750 coral reef species from total 850 species exist in the world (Operation Wallace version).
- Wakatobi is world biosphere reserve since 2012 by UNESCO.



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