

Best of Baku
04 NIGHTS / 05 DAYS
Tour Code: IBAK4
Countries Covered: Azerbaijan
Cities Covered: Baku



Highlights

- Baku City Tour
- ABSHERON TOUR
- GABALA TOUR

DAY 1 WELCOME TO BAKU

1400 Hrs

WELCOME TO BAKU!

Arrive at Heydar Aliyev International Airport. After immigration & collecting your bags, meet our representative at the airport. After a warm welcome, proceed to the hotel & Check-in.

DAY 2 EXPLORE BAKU – CITY OF GOD!

1000 Hrs

Breakfast at your hotel.

The Old City Tour.

Baku Old City, also known as Icherisheher, is a historic core that reflects the rich cultural and architectural heritage of Azerbaijan's capital, Baku. Exploring the Old City is like taking a journey back in time, as it is a UNESCO World Heritage site that has preserved its medieval charm amidst the modern developments in the surrounding areas.

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1200 Hrs

Walking Tour of Nizami Street

The second destination of the Baku City tour is Nizami Street which is a large pedestrian and shopping street in downtown Baku, Azerbaijan, named after classical poet Nizami Ganjavi. The street's history could be traced back to Baku's town-planning project of 1864. The street runs through the city's downtown from west to east. It begins from Abdulla Shaiq Street, in the mountainous part of the city and ends at a railroad bed on Sabit Orujov Street. The total length of the street is 3,538 m.

Nizami Street is home to various outlets, from banks to fashion stores, and is one of the most expensive streets in the world.

1400 Hrs

Lunch at a restaurant of your choice (**Direct Payment**)

1600 Hrs

Highland Park + Funicular experience

This comes with the terrific seashore. The funicular here in Highland Park was constructed around the 1940s and this beautiful funicular has been here in Azerbaijan since then. The highlight of Highland Park is the extraordinary stairway. The beautiful stairway seems like a walk every tourist should take at least once to be able to experience every beautiful moment of this splendid architecture. The tourists usually spend a lot of time trying to seep in all that the beautiful sightings of the Highland Park have to offer. The scenic beauty is something one cannot miss out on!

1800 Hrs

The cultural Centre of Heydar Aliyev

We will have a visit to the charming example of modern architecture - The **Heydar Aliyev Centre** - a 57,500 m2 building complex in Baku, Azerbaijan designed by Iraqi-British architect Zaha Hadid and noted for its distinctive architecture and flowing, curved style that eschews sharp angles. The centre is named after Heydar Aliyev, the first secretary of Soviet Azerbaijan from 1969 to 1982, and president of Azerbaijan Republic from October 1993 to October 2003. **(Photo stop)**

2000 Hrs

Hotel or Restaurant Drop-Off.

DAY 3

ABSHERON TOUR + GOBUSTAN

DAY 03

Begin your day with hotel's buffet breakfast

10:30 Hrs

Start of Excursion

Tour will start with **Ateshgah (Fire Worshippers Temple)**

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Based on Persian and Indian inscriptions, the temple was used as a Hindu and Zoroastrian place of worship. "Atash" is the Persian word for fire. The pentagonal complex, which has a courtyard surrounded by cells for monks and a tetra pillar-altar in the middle, was built during the 17th and 18th centuries. It was abandoned in the late 19th century, probably due to the dwindling of the Indian population in the area. The natural "eternal flame" went out in 1969, after nearly a century of exploitation of petroleum and gas in the area, but is now lit by gas piped from the nearby city.

Trip to **Fire Mountain - "Yanardag" or Absheron peninsula**, 25 km north of Baku. Literally, the word "Yanardag" means "Blazing Mountain". Blazing bodies of flame dance on stones and floor. Yanardag is a natural gas fire which blazes continuously on a hillside on the Absheron Peninsula on the Caspian Sea near Baku, the capital of Azerbaijan, which itself is known as the "land of fire."

Lunch time (Direct Payment)

16:00 Hrs.

Transfer back to Baku

Gobustan Museum was opened in 2012 after a thorough reconstruction. Today it is a modern interactive museum complex in the collection of over 100,000 archaeological materials. In 2013 the reserve museum became one of the winners of the contest "The Best European Museum of the Year", which is held by the European Museum Forum and is one of the most prestigious competitions in the world in this field.

There are 850 **mud volcanoes** in the world, and over 300 of them are in Azerbaijan. Most are located in Absheron, around Baku. There are 100 near the Gobustan reserve alone. Azerbaijan is also unique because it has all kinds of mud volcanoes, making it possible to study various aspects of mud eruptions. There are active, dormant, buried and subsea volcanoes in Azerbaijan, as well as those on islands and spewing oil.

Dinner time (Direct Payment)

20:00 Hrs

Road back to the hotel or drop off in any point of city center

Overnight staying at the Hotel in Baku.

Day 4

GABALA TOUR / SHAHDAG TOUR

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	Breakfast at the hotel.
0830 Hrs	Proceed for Gabala / OR / Shahdag Tour.
1200 Hrs	Start of Excursion Nohur Lake - It is located in Gabala, another region of Azerbaijan that one passes when travelling to Sheki. The lake is not on the way but if you go a bit deeper towards the mountains this beautiful view opens up in front of you. Yeddi Guzzle Falls, or as it is called the Seven Beautiful Waterfalls, is located in the city of Gabala, and it is one of the most popular tourist destinations in the city, and the highest waterfalls in the country, located at an altitude of 53 meters above sea level. Here, water from different valleys forms a seven-stage waterfall, you can only see two small waterfalls below, and to have a look at the other five waterfalls, you have to go up the stairs, which requires some physical strength. However, those who go this difficult path are waiting for a mysterious panorama. There is also a restaurant and tea house. For lovers of adventure and adrenaline, it is necessary to know that the waterfall is often dark and cold because it is located in a dense forest that is not affected by sunlight. Excursion in: Tufandag "Winter-Summer Tourism Complex" offers cable car rides at any time of the year, skiing on the ski tracks of different difficulty levels, ski training and ski school, catering service (cafe and restaurants), entertainment centers for kids, hotel and other services. Shahdag Tour The first ski resort in Azerbaijan, is located in the northeast in Shahdag National Park, named after the iconic Mount Shahdag in the Gusar region of Azerbaijan. Shahdag has pistes both for beginners and real professionals – 14 ski slopes of varying levels of complexity stretch 17 kilometers. Today, the complex includes four high-class hotels built in line with European standards and people continue to come even in summer when activities such as horse riding, quad biking, cable car riding and paintballing are available, or you may simply wish to escape the city's hustle and bustle and enjoy the beautiful countryside. If you want to enjoy mountain height and nature, this site suits you. You can do lots of winter activities here. Snow Grooming Machine Trip
1200 Hrs	Paintball, Zip Line, Horse Riding, Tubing, Children Entertainment Center, Adventure Park, Shooting Center, Roller Coaster, Quad Tours, Snowmobile Tours, Ice Rink (Activities on your own)
1900 Hrs	Back to Baku
	Dinner time (Direct Payment)
2000 Hrs	Transfer to the airport.

Day 5 DEPARTURE TRANSFER

Breakfast at the hotel.

1200 Hrs *Check-out formalities.*

1400 Hrs Lunch Time (**Direct Payment**)

Transfer to the airport.

We trust that you enjoyed your Vacation. Please do give us your valuable suggestions on feedback@southerntravels.in.

Meals: Daily Breakfast except on Day 1

***** TOUR ENDS WITH SWEET MEMORIES *****

TOUR PRICE IN INR (PER PERSON)

Hotel 4*	City Name	Double	Child With Bed	Child Without Bed	Single
Atlas Hotel or Similar	Baku	INR 35200	On Request	On Request	INR 45000
Hotel 5*					
Hyatt Regency or Similar	Baku	INR 71600	On Request	On Request	INR 106400

Note: Above rates are valid until 31st March 2027

<u>INCLUSIONS</u>	<u>EXCLUSIONS</u>
✓ 04 nights stay as per choice of hotels mentioned above. ✓ Daily breakfast. ✓ Fire Temple & Fire Mountain Tickets Included. ✓ Gobustan Museum & Gobustan Mud Volcano Included. ✓ Gabala/Shahdag Cable Car Included. ✓ Haydar Aliyev tickets included.	✓ International Air tickets ✓ Airport Taxes ✓ Overseas medical insurance ✓ Meals (unless or otherwise specified), Tips, Laundry, telephone, optional excursions and other items of a personal nature. ✓ 5% GST payable to Govt. of India ✓ TCS payable extra as per Govt. of India norms ✓ City Hotel Taxes ✓ Cost of foreign exchange for personal use.

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	✓ Any items or services not specified in the itinerary 'package inclusion. ✓ Surcharges during festive Seasons, Trade Fair and Events ✓ The above price is not valid during the peak season from 15th December 2026 to 15th January 2027. ✓ Important Pricing Note: The above package rates are not valid for New Year's Day (January 1–2), Victory Day (November 8), Flag Day (November 9), Solidarity Day (December 31), Novruz (five days), and other religious holidays as holidays/non-working days.
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Tour Requirements:

- ✓ Your passport validity duration should be 6 months from the date of arrival in India
- ✓ Hand written passport are not valid for Travel
- ✓ For this package you must be in possession of Azerbaijan Visa.

Weather:

- ✓ For detailed Information about weather kindly visit www.accuweather.com

Things To Carry:

- ✓ Mobile phone with appropriate sim card or International roaming
- ✓ Along with your necessary clothing and toiletries carry sun screen lotion, hand sanitizer, sun glasses, cap, sports shoes, umbrella / windcheater, camera etc. and woollens if needed
- ✓ If you are on any medication, carry sufficient stock of the medicines with prescription

Shopping:

- ✓ Clothing, Perfume, Accessories, Russian chocolate etc.

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- ✓ To proceed with visa, we required 2 photographs per person per visa (35mm*45mm matt finish white background 80% face exposer)
- ✓ For detailed supporting documents please be in touch with our representative at respective offices

Time – GMT (Hours Ahead/ Behind India)

- Baku: +4 hrs

Currency

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Note:

- ✓ Any increase in the rate of USD (presently calculated at USD 1 = INR 97) leading to an increase in the cost of the tour, which may come into effect prior to departure. However, at the time of full and final payment the rate of that day will apply.
- ✓ The tour price mentioned is applicable based on minimum 2 passengers, travelling together
- ✓ A part of your tour price will be taken in USD from your LRS as per the RBI/GOI regulation.
- ✓ *Child without bed – Is an individual under 12 years of age, sharing the room with 2 Full Paying adults and without a bed / cot.
- ✓ In a room there can be maximum of 3 adults. As a 3rd person in a triple room, most hotels use roll away beds or 2 queen size beds and the room size will be the same as a Double room.
- ✓ For Two Adults & Two Children (Both under 12 Years) rooming together, the 1st Child will have to pay “Child with Bed” price and the 2nd Child will pay “Child without Bed” price.
- ✓ Additional Supplements on account of fuel hikes may be applicable.
- ✓ Room in the hotel until specifically mention will be base category of room.
- ✓ Standard International Check in time 15:00 and check out time 12:00 at the hotel.
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- ✓ Any type of mandatory fee like a resort fee / city tax etc. should be paid at the hotel directly; the same is not a part of the package and cannot be pre-paid.

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- ✓ Clients must follow the joining instructions printed on our vouchers.
- ✓ Rates are valid for Indian Passport holders only.
- ✓ Given prices are based on August 2026. Any further increase in the same must be borne by the passengers.
- ✓ For detailed Terms & Conditions please refer to our detailed how to book and terms and condition booklet.
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Payment Terms:

Reservation Amount Per Person	South East Asia + Middle East Amount Per Person	Europe, Far East & Africa	US, Australia & New Zealand
Booking Amount	25,000/-	50,000/-	75,000/-
60 Days prior to Departure	50% of the total packages cost	50% of the total packages cost	50% of the total packages cost
30 Days prior to Departure	100% of the total packages cost	100% of the total packages cost	100% of the total packages cost

- ✓ Flights Issued /blocked on Time limit: Full INR component will be collected before issuance in order to secure / retain the same fare within 20 days from Booking amount date.
- ✓ Guest can pay by Cash/ Cheque / Demand Draft / Debit Card / Credit Card
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