# Singapore



Singapore, city-state located at the southern tip of the Malay Peninsula, about 85 miles (137 kilometres) north of the Equator.



It consists of the diamond-shaped Singapore Island and some 60 small islets; most of the islands of the country are uninhabited. The main island is separated from **Peninsular Malaysia to the** north by Johor Strait, a narrow channel crossed by a road and rail causeway that is more than half a mile long.



Singapore - the legendary city-state, which from a poor country in Southeast Asia in a short time has become a center of finance and trade. Today it is one of the most visited places on earth



# Singapore Flyer







One of the main attractions of the city is a wheel «Singapore Flyer» Ferris. It is the tallest Ferris wheel in the world, it is 30 meters higher than the ex-leader of the London «London Eye». A total of 28 cubicles, each of which can hold 28 people. The wheel makes the turnover in 28 minutes. Initially, the wheel rotates counterclockwise, but in 2008, on the advice of experts, the direction have changed.

#### **Fountain of Wealth**







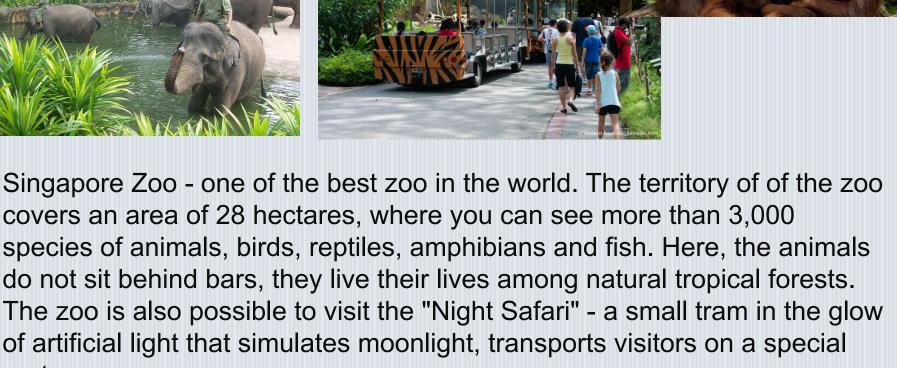
Fountain of Wealth, built according to the rules of the Chinese Feng Shui teachings, is located in the heart of Singapore and is part of the shopping center. In 1998, the fountain is included in the Guinness Book of Records as the largest in the world. The entire design of the fountain is endowed with deep meaning and generally symbolizes the wealth and life: bronze ring of the fountain is a spiritual unity, equality and harmony in Singapore nations and represents the universe.







route.



## Merlion Statue





Statue of Merlion is the symbol of Singapore. The sculpture, which has the body of a fish and a lion's head, was built on the emblem of the city, which was developed in 1964. The original 70-ton statue of 8 meters high is located near the mouth of the Singapore River. In 1972, was opened the Merlion Park, which is the center of this sculpture.

## Cable Car (Sentosa)





The cable car - one of the main attractions of the city, it connects the mainland with the island of Sentosa. Every day, thousands of tourists choose this type of transport to enjoy the spectacular views of the bay. Today, Singapore's cable is the longest road in the world

## Marina Bay Sands Hotel





It's the most grandiose structure of the city, marked on every tourist circuit of Singapore landmarks. The official opening was in 2010. This three 200-meter towers on which "lies" terrace in the form of a ship. The main pool, it is the attraction of the hotel Marina Bay Sands. The swimming pool is outdoors and has no visible upstands. The length of the pool of 150 meters.

### Oceanarium "Underwater World"





In late 2012 a new oceanarium opened in Singapore, which is currently the largest in the world

The volume of the aquarium is about 50 mln. liters, which is home to about 100,000 marine animals of which 800 different species.

#### **Amusement Park Universal Studios**



The largest theme park attractions and entertainment in Southeast Asia. The park was opened not long ago, in March 2010, but has already attracted a large number of visitors and tourists. After all, he has the world's highest double roller coaster ride.