# Information on Singapore

### Arrival

Taxis are available at taxi stands outside the Arrival Hall of each terminal. A ride to the city takes about 30 minutes and costs between \$20 to \$40. Fares are metered and there is an additional airport surcharge for all trips originating from the airport.

#### More information is available here: http://www.changiairport.com/en/transport/public-transport.html?anchor=taxi

### **Getting Around**

Singapore is well connected by MRT, buses and taxis. You should be able to hail a taxi in most parts of Singapore. However, do remember that taxis are only allowed to pick up or alight passengers at designated taxi stands in the city center.

#### Time Zone

UTC/GMT +8 hours

### Weather

Singapore is known for its hot and humid weather, with little variation throughout the year. The average daytime temperature is  $33^{\circ}C$  ( $91^{\circ}F$ ), dropping to around  $24^{\circ}C$  ( $75^{\circ}F$ ) in the evenings.

### Telecommunication

Singapore's international dialing code is +65. While in Singapore, if international roaming service is available on your mobile phone, you do not have to press +65 as it will automatically connect you to the local numbers here.

### Money Matters

The currency used in Singapore is the Singapore dollar (S\$). Money changing services can be found at Changi Airport, hotels and most shopping malls around the island. You may also access automated teller machines (ATMs) that accept most credit cards such as Visa, MasterCard and American Express.

## **Electricity and Electronics**

#### Power Plugs and Voltage

Singapore uses the British BS1363 three-pronged square pin type socket.

The standard voltage in Singapore is 220V/240V, 50 Hz. If you have equipment that runs on a different voltage, please use an adaptor.



Police	999
Fire	995
Ambulance	995
Singapore General Hospital	+65 6222 3322

### Places of Interests

- Gardens by the Bay
- Singapore Botanic Gardens
- Jurong Bird Park
- Night Safari
- River Safari
- Singapore Zoo
- Chinatown
- Little India
- Singapore Flyer
- Asian Civilisations Museum
- Esplanade Theatres on the Bay
- Sentosa Island

More information at: *http://www.visitsingapore.com/travel-guide-tips/* 

