

LEAVING FROM CAI BE TO HOI AN

The fastest and most convenient way to go from 'The Durian Lodge at Mekong' in the city of 'Cai Be' to 'Hoi An' is via Can Tho Airport, rather than going back to Saigon to catch the plane, as the road distance between Cai Be and Can Tho is shorter (72.2 km) than the road distance between Cai Be and Saigon (129 km).

The closest airport to Hoi An, also spelled in English as "Hoian", is Danang Airport. There is only one airport in Danang.

The following Airline departs from Can Tho to Danang Airport.
Vietjet Air (a Vietnamese budget airline along the lines of EasyJet in Europe)

You can book your airplane ticket online for Danang with VietJet Air at: <http://www.vietjetair.com/Sites/Web/en-US/Home>

The air transit time from Can Tho Airport to Danang Airport is 1 hour and 15 minutes.

To go from The Durian Lodge to Can Tho Airport, please kindly make your online reservation at the following link:
<http://carservice.thedurianlodge.com>

The transit to time from The Durian Lodge to Can Tho Airport is approximately 1 hour and 30 minutes.

Please allow a 30 minutes time security margin for arrival at Can Tho Airport in case of traffic or accidents, so if you have to be at the airport for check-in, let's say at 10.00 am, we suggest that you depart from The Durian Lodge at 8.00 am.

You should be at the airport one hour prior to departure. We recommend that you print your boarding passes prior to departure for the airport, in order to check in at the designated check-in lane for online boarding passes, which is always faster.

Upon arrival at Danang Airport, one has to go by road to Hoi An. The travel distance between Danang Airport to Hoi An is 30 kilometers with a transit time of approximately 40 minutes

You have two choices to go from Danang Airport to Hoi An:

1. Arrange a pick-up service through your hotel (some hotels have hotel shuttle buses)
2. Take a taxi at the airport (Dong 350,000 to 500,000)

Notes:

In order to avoid any disappointments with your trip to Hoi An, a common occurrence, we would like to bring the following facts to your attention:

Hoi An is famous for its status as a quaint historic UNESCO city, but not so for the quality of its beaches. To enjoy a beach vacation at some of Vietnam's most beautiful beaches in this area - which are absolutely stunning during summer time - we recommend that you do not book your hotel in Hoi An, but in a beach location exactly between the Furama Hotel and The Nam Hai Hotel.

For your reference, please see the following [map](#).

Also, please note that the beaches in the Danang/Hoi An area are only suitable for swimming between June 15 to September 15, as it usually rains - sometimes daily - during the rest of the year, in particular during the months of December and January. The best time to visit Danang/Hoi An is July and August. Also, please note that temperatures in Danang/Hoi An in winter are only around 15 degrees Celsius.