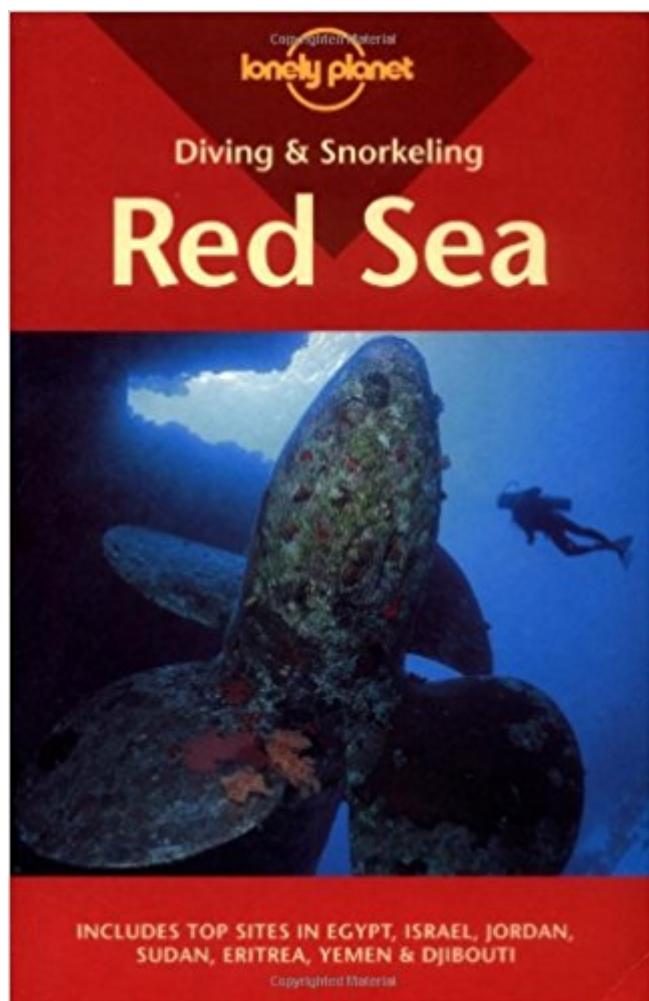


The book was found

# **Diving & Snorkeling Red Sea: Includes Top Sites In Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Sudan, Eritrea, Yemen & Djibouti (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Red Sea)**





## Synopsis

For five millennia people have gathered along the shores of the Red Sea, but only in the past five decades have recreational divers delved beneath the waves. They flock here to explore the incredibly diverse underwater topography and marine life, as well as shipwrecks such as the Thistlegorm and the wrecks of Sha'ab Abu Nuhas. On land visitors can wander ancient ruins and buzzing souqs or tour the desert atop a camel. From the towering walls of Ras Mohammed to the offshore islands of The Brothers and Zabargad, this book describes 108 of the best Red Sea sites, with full-color photos throughout. You'll get specific information on: dive sites access and topography typical diving conditions common and hazardous marine life topside information for eight countries 18 easy-to-read maps

## Book Information

Series: Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Red Sea

Paperback: 199 pages

Publisher: Lonely Planet Publications; 2 edition (May 2001)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1864502053

ISBN-13: 978-1864502053

Product Dimensions: 9 x 6 x 0.5 inches

Shipping Weight: 14.9 ounces

Average Customer Review: 3.2 out of 5 stars 3 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #1,897,115 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #9 in Books > Travel > Africa > Eritrea #14 in Books > Travel > Africa > Sudan #22 in Books > Travel > Middle East > Yemen

## Customer Reviews

A bit dated, and the info is rather basic. I wouldn't buy this again, but since it was so cheap, I'm happy I have it.

There's some good things about this book: in typical Lonely Planet style you've got great general travel information for the area (which if I really wanted, I'd buy a general travel book). It does also cover a large number of sites - though is still far from comprehensive. And it has some nice additional information occasionally through the book. Two main peeves though. And they're killers:- Each description is a paragraph, or two at most. You can't tell me very much about a dive site in so

few words.- There are no maps / diagrams for specific dive sites (just area overview maps) - a dive guide fails totally without these. It's a pretty book, but to be any use you need to include maps and more detail per site (if this was done it could be forgiven for not being totally comprehensive). In short, it's nice, but it's no use as a tool for researching a dive holiday. What's further is I now own two of these (Red Sea and Bahamas) - I certainly will not buy another.

Compared to the other Red Sea dive guides I've been able to find, this one is the best by far. The photos are fantastic and the maps are very readable - and the text gives an excellent overview of the dive site conditions and highlights. The descriptions seem balanced and informative, and if the site isn't the greatest, it says so ("hard corals are not a strong point here..." and for a wreck dive - the Salem Express "...take a look, spare a thought for the victims and then head to the nearby reefs."). Based on my 5 dive trips in the RS, it looks very accurate as well.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Diving & Snorkeling Red Sea: Includes Top Sites in Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Sudan, Eritrea, Yemen & Djibouti (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Red Sea) Lonely Planet Diving and Snorkeling Guide Texas: Includes Inland, Coastal, and Offshore Sites (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Great Barrier Reef) Diving and Snorkeling Guide to Texas: Includes Inland, Coastal, and Offshore Sites (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Great Barrier Reef) Athiopien, Somalia, Eritrea, Dschibuti = Ethiopia, Somalia, Eritrea, Djibouti = Ethiopie, Somalie, Erythdee, Djibouti Diving and Snorkeling Guide to the Pacific Northwest: Includes Puget Sound, San Juan Islands, and Vancouver Islands (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Great Barrier Reef) Diving and Snorkeling Guide to Scotland: Includes Shetlands, Scapa Flow and Hebrides (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Great Barrier Reef) Jordan: related: jordan, Petra, Nabatean, Amman, Aqaba, Jerash, Irbid, Nebo, india, hashemite kingdom of jordan, jordan river, capital of jordan Lonely Planet Ethiopia Eritrea and Djibouti (Lonely Planet Travel Survival Kit) Diving & Snorkeling Hawaii: Top Dives in Oahu, the Big Island, Maui County, Kauai, Niihau & Midway Islands (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Hawaii) Diving Deep: A Beginners Guide to Deep Sea Diving: (Scuba, Snorkelling, Diving, Scuba Diver, Deep Sea Diving, Swimming, Scuba Diving) Diving & Snorkeling Turks & Caicos (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Turks & Caicos) Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Bahamas (Diving and Snorkeling Guides) Diving and Snorkeling Guide to Vanuatu (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Great Barrier Reef) Diving & Snorkeling Maldives (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Maldives) Diving and Snorkeling Guide to Bonaire (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Great Barrier Reef) Diving and Snorkeling Guide to Curacao (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Great Barrier Reef)

Diving & Snorkeling Guide to Bermuda (Lonely Planet Diving and Snorkeling Bermuda) Diving and Snorkeling Guide to U.S. Virgin Islands: St. Croix, St. Thomas, and St. John (Lonely Planet Diving and Snorkeling Guides) Diving and Snorkeling Monterey Peninsula and Northern California (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Great Barrier Reef) Diving & Snorkeling Cuba (Lonely Planet Diving & Snorkeling Great Barrier Reef)

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)