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Scuba Diving Cozumel Mexico by Martin Sadler

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Cozumel was reported as one of Jacque Cousteau's favourite locations and we can see why he liked it. With unspoilt reefs, fast drift dives and great corals and marine life there is some great diving to be had here. Most dive locations on the island are accessible by boat from most locations (taking up to an hour to get there). We would thoroughly recommend the diving here to everyone.

Waters around the island remain consistently between 25Â°C to 28Â°C (78Â°F to 84Â°F) all year round. Generally a 3mm wetsuit is sufficient with a short wet suit in summer and a full length in winter. With over 26 well documented dives catering for all ability levels.

Being set off the coast from the busier Mexican resorts allows Cozumel to be a little more laid back. With some excellent restaurants and bars in town and plenty of nice hotels, this is a destination for all the family.

We would recommend San Juan as our favourite dive on the island. The site is easily accessible by boat and is located just off the west coast near San Jose. The site is characterised by an undulating sandy bottom with scattered outcrops of corals and sponges and quite a brisk current. The site has plenty of marine life including; turtles, nurse sharks and manta rays.

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