

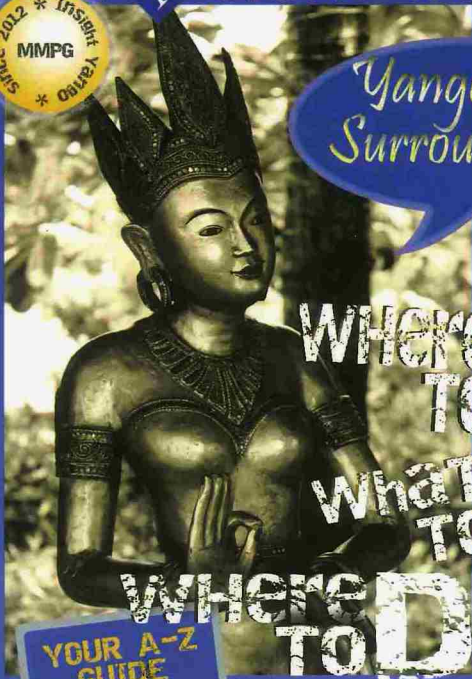
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THE CITY OF YANGON

History

The name "Yangon" is a combination of the words yan [enemies] and koun [run out of]. It has also been translated as "the end of strife". The name "Rangoon" came from the British pronunciation of "Yangon".

In the early 11th century (1028-1043CE) the city was a small fishing village centered around the Shwedagon Paya, and was called Dagon. It was founded by the Mon, who dominated Lower Burma at that time. King Alaungpaya, the king of Burma (Myanmar) from 1752 to 1760, and also the founder of the Konbaung Dynasty, conquered Dagon in 1755, renamed it "Yangon", and settlements around Dagon were established.



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The British captured Yangon during the First Anglo-Burmese War of 1824–26, but was returned to Burmese administration after the war. The city was destroyed by a fire in 1841.

The British again seized Yangon, and all of Lower Burma in the Second Anglo-Burmese War of 1852, and then established Yangon as the political and commercial center of British Burma. The British laid out the new city on a grid plan with the Pazundaung Creek on the east, and the Yangon River on the west. Yangon became the capital of all British Burma after the British captured Upper Burma in the Third Anglo-Burmese War of 1885.

Colonial Rangoon

In the 1890s, the increasing population and flourishing commerce gave rise to the affluent residential suburbs to the north of Royal Lake Kandawgyi and Inya Lake. During this time the British also established hospitals and universities, including Rangoon General Hospital and Rangoon University.



Old Courthouse

In the heyday of the colonial period, Yangon was a mix of colonial buildings and traditional Burmese wooden architecture, and had spacious parks with lakes. By the early 20th century, it is said that the infrastructure and public services of Yangon were like those of London. It was known as “the garden city of the East.”

Modern Era

Yangon became the center of the Burmese independence movement after World War I, with Rangoon University students at the forefront. In 1920, 1936 and 1938 there were nationwide strikes started in Yangon protesting against British colonial rule. During World War II, Yangon was under Japanese occupation from 1942 to 1945, and was heavily damaged during the war. The city was retaken by the Allies in May 1945 at the end of the war.

Recent History

Yangon became the capital of the Union of Burma on January 4, 1948 when the country became independent from the British. In the 1990s as the government began to allow private investment, there



Downtown Yangon

was a construction boom with new high-rise buildings being constructed in the city. In 2005 the political capital of Myanmar was moved to Naypyidaw, about 230 miles north of Yangon.

Culture of Yangon

The city is a mix of diverse peoples, cultures, and religions, and is a blend of British, Burmese, Chinese and South Asian influences. The atmosphere of Yangon is that of a typical Southeast Asian city, but unlike other Asian capitals, it has not yet been overtaken by rampant development. Due to its slow growth, it still retains much of its colonial architecture, and tree-lined avenues. It is a unique example of a 19th-century British colonial capital where men and women still wear the traditional longyi, and street vendors and the sights and sounds evoke an Asian city of the past.

While it is a city with a population of over 5 million people, it is developing at its own pace. Even though it is the center of business activities in the country, and is a busy and bustling city, it still retains some of the charm of a bygone era.

Business Hours

Most regular businesses and government offices in Yangon are open from 09:00 to 17:00, and unlike some other southeast Asian countries, they are NOT closed for lunch.

Safety

On the whole, Yangon is a very safe city, and is actually one of the safest big cities in the world. Most visitors, including female travelers, will not have any problems. Even walking along streets alone at night, and carrying large sums of money, is rarely a problem. Crimes against tourists are taken very seriously, but there have been isolated incidents involving tourists. To be on the safe side, it is best to take the normal big-city precautions like always being aware of your valuables, and your surroundings. As with anywhere in the world, let common sense be your guide.

Be aware that drug trafficking is illegal, and is punishable by death.

Climate

The climate of Yangon is tropical. There are three seasons: June to October - rainy season, November to February - cooler and drier “winter”, and March to May - hot and dry season. The best time to visit Yangon is from November to January when it is somewhat cooler, and not as humid as other months. This is considered the high season with the greatest number of visitors to the city.

DO'S & DON'T'S

Myanmar is a Buddhist country, and 98% of the population are practicing Buddhist. Respect should be paid to religious custom when visiting Buddhists religious sites. The customs and traditions of Myanmar are very similar to those of other Southeast Asian countries. Here are a few Dos and Don'ts to make your trip more enjoyable.

Religion

- ✿ At religious sites, always remove your footwear
- ✿ Dress modestly when visiting a paya
- ✿ Treat Buddhist images with respect
- ✿ Avoid shouting or laughing
- ✿ Be somewhat discrete when taking photos or video
- ✿ Don't point your feet toward a paya or a monk.
- ✿ Don't play loud music in these areas. Note that Buddhist monks are not allowed to listen to music.
- ✿ Do not put Buddha statues or images on the floor, or in an inappropriate place
- ✿ Show respect to monks, nuns, and novices
- ✿ Don't offer to shake hands with monks
- ✿ Sit lower than a monk and elders
- ✿ Don't offer food to a monk, nun, or a novice after noon

Travel Insurance

It is advisable to have comprehensive travel and medical insurance. It should include emergency air evacuation in case of serious medical condition. Make sure the policy covers all activities you will participate in.

time

- ✿ Women should not touch monks
- ✿ If there is no admission fee to a paya, you may leave a donation

Customs

- ✿ It is not always necessary to shake hands
- ✿ Public displays of affection are frowned upon
- ✿ Avoid touching an adult on the head
- ✿ It is considered rude to step over any part of a person
- ✿ Accept or give things with your right hand or both hands.

Travel Tips

- ✿ Most bathrooms do not have toilet paper. Carry tissue with you.
- ✿ Don't leave expensive items in your room. Use the safe deposit box.

Gay Travel

Technically homosexuality is illegal in Burma. However, there have not been any reports of gay travelers being harassed, or having any unusual problems. As mentioned above, public displays of affection is not acceptable, and discretion is advised.

Traveling with children

Single parents, or other adults traveling alone with children, should be aware that some countries require documentary evidence of parental responsibility before allowing single parents to enter the country or, in some cases, before permitting the children to leave the country. They may want to see birth certificates, a letter of consent from the other parent, or other evidence of responsibility for the child. Burmese immigration authorities do not usually ask for such evidence, but it is advisable to have these documents with you.

Drugs

Be aware that the penalty for drug trafficking can be a minimum sentence of 15 years imprisonment, to a maximum of the death penalty.

USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Emergency Numbers

Police (Emergency) 199
Police (Headquarter) 549309
Police (Yangon Division) 545455
Police (Tourist Safety Unit) 376166,
642742, 549209
Fire (Emergency) 191
Fire (Headquarter) 252011
Yangon General Hospital 256112
Central Women's Hospital 222804
Children's Hospital 222807
Ambulance (YGH) 192
Ambulance (Red Cross) 295133
Tourist Information 371910,
374281

Useful Numbers

Airport (Yangon) 662811
Customs 253046
General Post Office 380342, 240330
Highway Bus Station 642122
Railway (Enquiry) 201555
Road Transport 640469
Inland Water Transport 250253
Shipping (Coastal Vessels) 283122
Immigration 249216
Ministry of Hotels & Tourism 297590,
202240, 202241
Directorvate of Hotels & Tourism
371581, 371582, 254153
Myanmar Hotels & Tourism Services
251855, 371928, 371909
Myanmar Travels & Tours 252859,
321927, 371910
Myanmar Travels & Tours (Airport)
662652

HEALTH CARE

Unfortunately, the general state of health care in Yangon is not up to the standards of even other Asian countries. Although health care is technically free, in fact, patients have to pay for medicine and treatment, even in public clinics and hospitals. Public hospitals including the Yangon General Hospital lack many of the basic facilities and equipment one would expect to find in a hospital.



Yangon General Hospital

Well-off citizens have access to the country's best medical facilities, and internationally trained doctors. These private clinics and hospitals are quite expensive. For minor illnesses and injuries, your hotel should be able to provide information regarding private doctors with experience treating foreigners. Also, your embassy may be able to recommend a doctor or clinic. However, for any serious illness or injury, you will need to go to Bangkok or Singapore for treatment.

STAYING HEALTHY

Water - As with other Asian countries, tap water is not for drinking. Drink bottled water only. And of course you will need to keep hydrated in Yangon's hot and humid climate.

Disease - Even though Yangon has a hot, tropical climate, infectious diseases are rarely a problem for visitors here. Most common illnesses can be prevented just by using common sense behavior and can be easily treated with medicine.

First-Aid Kit - The wise traveler knows to bring a small but well stocked medical first-aid kit to treat minor illnesses and injuries.

Vaccinations - Consult your physician or health clinic prior to your trip, for recommended vaccinations based on your medical condition, and past health history.

Medication - For your trip you need to bring a supply of any medications you are taking. Specialized medications may not be available here, and buying medication over the counter here can be problematic at best. buying medication over the counter here can be problematic at best.

HOSPITALS

Yangon General Hospital

Bogyoke Aung San Road, between Bo Ywe Street & Lanmadaw Street, Latha Township
Tel: +951-256112, 256123-31

Central Women's Hospital

Baho Road, Lanmadaw Township
Tel: +951-222804-6,222811

Yangon Children Hospital

No.2 Pyi Daung Su Yeik Thar Street, Corner of Baho Road, Dagon

CLINICS

30th Street Clinic

191/193 G Floor, 30th St., Upper Block, Pabedan Township
Tel: +951-246177, 371611

AEA International Clinic

Inya Lake Hotel, No.37 Kabar Aye Pagoda Rd.
Tel: 667866, 667871, 667877, 667879

Australian Embassy Health Clinic

No.24 Aye Yeik Mon Rd, 4 Ward, Hlaing Township
Tel: +951-531342

Aung Yadana Medical Centre

1 Waiza Yan Tar Rd., (Corner of Yadanar St.), Thingangyun Township
Tel: +951-571065, 573623, 707595, 703025

Township
Tel: +951-222807-9

Pun Hlaing International Hospital

Pun Hlaing Golf Estate Avenue, Hlaing Thayar Township
Tel: +951-684323-7

Witoriya General Hospital

68 Tawwin St, 9 Mile, Mayangone Township
Tel: +951-665943

Aung Yadana Medical Centre

5/24 Waiza Yan Tar Rd, Thiri Gone Housing, Thingangyun Township
Tel: +951-561878, 573631-2

Bahosi Medical Centre

Bahosi Housing Complex, Lanmadaw Township
Tel: +951-2300631(Hot Line), 2300502-530, 224667

Good Faith Health Care Services

No.2/A Thukhawady St., Yankin Township
Tel: +951-579086, 663840

Green Cross Specialist Centre

101-A, Ground Floor Lane Thit St., Upper Block (Near Mawtin Junction), Lanmadaw Township
Tel: +951-2300551, 2300652-3

International SOS Assistance

37 Kaba Aye Pagoda Rd, Inya Lake Hotel, Mayangone Township
Tel: +951-667877, 667871, 667879

Mahar Myaing Medical Centre

308 Pyay Rd, Sanchaung Township
Tel: +951-504927, 503825, 537918

Pacific Medical and Dental Care

No.81 Kabar Aye Pagoda Rd, Bahan Township
Tel: +951-548022

DENTAL CARE

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Dental Clinic

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Tel: +951-255118,

EYES CARE

American Vision
397 Shwe Bon Tha St., Upper Block, Pabedan Township
Tel: +951-241897, 241898, 242476

Sakura Medical Centre

23 Shin Saw Pu St, Sanchaung Township
Tel: +951-510079, 510186, 512668, 512669

Sedona Clinic

Room 1009, Sedona Hotel, 1 95 Yangon Medical Center (YMC)
126-A Dhama Zedi Rd, Bahan Township
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MiCasa Dental Clinic

Ground Floor, MiCasa Hotel Apartments, 17 Kaba Aye Pagoda Rd, Yankin Township
Tel: +951-650930-40 Ext-171

Mr.Dentist

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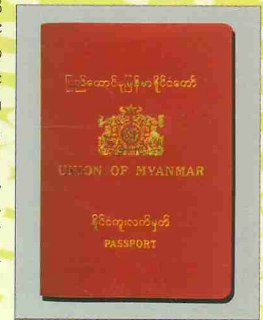


VISA INFO

VISAS

You can get a visa to enter Myanmar by applying directly to the nearest Myanmar Embassy. The usual fee for a tourist visa is USD \$20. You can also apply through a travel agent, but they will charge a fee for their service. If you already have a visa when you arrive at the airport, you can proceed directly to Immigration.

Note: Immigration laws and regulations do change, and recently there have been many changes. Always check with the Myanmar Embassy in your country and/or a travel agent regarding current visa regulations.



VISA ON ARRIVAL

Currently pre-arranged visas on arrival are available at Yangon International Airport. Contact your travel organizer (travel agent) to arrange for this in advance. You can board your flight with a copy of the approval letter of pre-arranged visa on arrival which is issued by the Ministry of Tourism. The official visa fee is USD \$30, however the travel organizer will also charge a fee for their service.

The procedure at the 'Visa on Arrival' window is somewhat disorganized. Passengers form a kind of scrum in front of the window, and you have to ask for an application, and after filling it out, you have to hand in the application with your passport. Then you wait by the window for them to process the application. Then they hold up your passport, and you get it back. You can then proceed through immigration. Tourist visas are single entry, and valid for 28 days stay in the country. Contact the Myanmar Embassy in your country for information on other types of visas.

The visa sticker is a full-page type. Make sure you have an empty full-page in the visa part of your passport. You may, or may not, be asked a passport sized photo. Always have a couple of passport sized with you, just in case.

CAUTION: At the "Visa on Arrival" window, only U.S. dollars are accepted. Make sure you have fairly new dollar bills. Any bills that are old, dirty, torn, written on, or heavily creased will be rejected.

VISA EXTENSION

At present, tourist visas are valid for 28 days and cannot be extended. If you plan to stay in the country longer, there is a multi-entry business visa you can apply for. However, you will need a recommendation letter from a company in Myanmar. Contact your nearest Myanmar embassy for more information.

OVERSTAY

Overstay in Myanmar is illegal and no matter what the reason for your overstay, you may have a problem at places where you will need to show your passport (i.e. hotel, ferry, train, airport, etc). For more information, please contact your travel agent, or the Yangon international Airport.

MONEY

The currency of Myanmar is the Kyat (pronounced like 'chat'). Like other currencies, the exchange rate goes up and down. The rate for the Kyat is somewhat volatile, but is usually around 800 to 900 Kyat to the US dollar. It is no longer required for visitors to bring in a certain amount of money, and it is no longer required to exchange money into FEC (Foreign Exchange Certificate). The Kyat comes in 1, 5, 10, 20, 50, 100, 200, 500, 1000, 5000 and 10,000 denomination notes. There are NO coins in Myanmar currency. The Kyat is the only official currency of Myanmar, but most hotels quote prices in US dollars, and some businesses that deal with visitors may accept dollars. Also, entrance fees to various attractions; paya, museums, etc. are in US dollars. In fact, some of these places may even refuse to take Kyat. It is best to always carry an amount of dollars with you. Also, bring only dollar bills that are in good condition, and preferable new bills. US dollar bills that are old, badly used, torn, dirty, written on, or heavily creased will be rejected. They seem to still be especially strict about this in Myanmar.



Myanmar Currency

Exchanging Money

It is technically illegal to exchange money at any place other than at the Currency Exchange Center, and government approved exchange banks. (see locations below) Unfortunately, government sanctioned exchange places are not in convenient locations, do not always offer the best exchange rates.

However, it may be possible to exchange money at other places. Some hotels may be able to exchange some money for you. It is said that the best place to change money is at the Bogyoke Aung San Market. You should ask at a couple of the shops to get the best rates. However, do not listen to anyone who approaches you offering to exchange money. And you should avoid any money changers around the Sule Paya. They have an especially notorious reputation for cheating. In any event, when exchanging money at private money changers, you do so at your own risk.

There is an official currency exchange counter in the arrival hall at the airport, but the exchange rate offered may not be favorable. It is suggested that it is best to exchange enough money for your immediate needs. Then exchange more money when you get to town.

Remember that the Myanmar Kyat is not convertible outside the country. If you end up with a large amount of Kyat, you will need to change it to another currency before you leave. If you have only a small amount, you can keep it as a souvenir of your trip.

ATMs

Currently there are NO ATMs that can be used for international transactions. However, as of early October's news, there will be ATMs in Myanmar soon.

Credit Cards

Myanmar is still a very cash oriented society. At present there are only a few places that will accept credit cards.

Note: In light of the above, visitors are advised to bring enough cash to cover the expenses for their trip.

Foreign Currency Exchange Banks

Yoma Bank Ltd.

Rm-3/4, 380 Bogyoke Aung San Rd,
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Tel: 01-240264, 01-240401,
01-240392 Ext: 1103/1104

Currency Exchange Center

No.99/103 Thein Phyu Rd, (Lower
Block), Botahtaung Township
Tel: 09-73211683



Myanmar Foreign Trade Bank

United Amara Bank Ltd. (UAB Bank)

G-Flr, 126 Latha St., Ward (4), Latha Township
Tel: 01-373718-33

Myanmar Oriental Bank Ltd. (M.O.B Bank) *(Head Office)

166/168 Pansoedan Rd., Middle Block (Between Anawrahta Rd. & Mahar Bandoola Rd.)
Kyauktada Township
Tel: 01-246594, 01-246595-6

Kanbawza Bank Ltd.

Corner of Bank St & Mahar Bandoola Garden St, Kyauktada Township
Tel: 01-393952-3, 01-373962-3

Myanmar Foreign Trade Bank

80-86 Maha Bandoola Garden Street, Kyauktada Township
Tel: 254585, 370994
Fax: 289585

Myanma Investment & Commercial Bank (MICB)

170-176 Bo Aung Kyaw Street, Botahtaung Township
Tel: 281775, 280395

TIME & COMMUNICATIONS**Time**

Myanmar is 6.5 hours ahead of Greenwich Mean Time. If you are coming from Thailand or Cambodia, turn the time back half an hour. If coming from India, turn the time forward one hour.

Mobile Phones / SIM Cards

Tourists can purchase SIM Cards at shopping centers for 50,000 kyat. These SIM cards have 1 month validity, and the cost for calling is 300 kyat per minute for outgoing calls, and 50 kyat per minute for incoming calls. As there are only a few shops in Yangon that sell these SIM cards, check with the hotel reception, and they may be able to assist you. Note that the cost may be slightly more than 50,000 kyat at some shops.

Internet Access

In recent years internet access has improved markedly. There are now quite a few internet cafes in Yangon, and while rates are reasonable, the speed may still be a bit slow at times. Most hotels offer internet access, even at mid-range and small hotels. While there is still censorship of the internet (some web portals like Yahoo! and Gmail may occasionally not work), most places offering internet can get around this. The rate is usually around 400 to 600 kyat per hour. But if the electricity is cut off, the shop will turn on the generator, and add an extra charge of about 100 kyat per hour to the fee.

There are few Internet shops on Sule Pagoda Road, downtown. However, most of them will be very busy and noisy with customers playing games. If you have a laptop, you can use a cafe or restaurant that offers free WiFi. For example, the cafe shop at the East Hotel on Sule Pagoda Road, or the 50th Street Bar & Grill on 50th Street have free WiFi.

TV

All over-the-air TV channels are owned by the government. Most hotels have satellite TV, but the number of channels is quite limited. Surprisingly though, they do have CNN. Some small hotels may not have satellite TV, and only have the state-run channels.

Newspapers

There are three major newspapers in Myanmar; The Myanmar Times, a private English-language weekly; The New Light of Myanmar; English and Burmese; and the Kyehmon (Mirror), a state-run daily in Burmese only.

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Online E-visa available through site: www.myanmarvisa.gov.mm

Ministry of Tourism Website for travel updates: www.myanmar-tourism.org

Myanmar Tourism Promotion Board website: www.myanmar-tourism.com

Fine dining Myanmar restaurant: www.myanmar-restaurantpadonmar.com

www.monsoonmyanmar.com and www.operayangon.com

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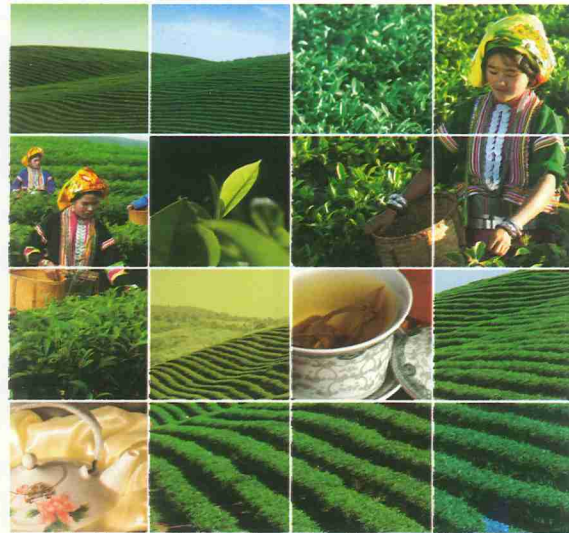
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AIRPORT

Yangon International Airport

For most visitors, the Yangon Airport is their first experience in Myanmar. The new international terminal was opened in May 2007. The airport can handle 2.7 million passengers per year. The old terminal is now used for domestic flights. The airport is served by all Myanmar carriers, and approx. 28 international airlines.



Yangon International Airport

The airport is located in Mingaladon Township, about 15 kilometers (9.3 mi) north of downtown Yangon. It is the second largest airport in the country. Actually Mandalay Airport is the largest, which is now welcoming the international carriers, such as Air Asia.

The airport was originally built on a former World War II airfield in 1947, and was at one time, regarded as the best in South East Asia. However, over the years, it was not upgraded, and fell into disrepair and became rundown. The modernization program was started in 2003, and there are now separate floors for arriving and departing passengers, an automated baggage handling system, special lounges for government officials and business people, and a two-story car park for 340 vehicles. It is owned by the Government of Union of Myanmar and operated by the Ministry of Transportation. Website: www.mot.gov.mm.

For transport to the city, there are many taxis (and touts for taxis) ready to whisk you away town. Be prepared to bargain the fare. You should be able to get a taxi for between 6,000 and 8,000 Kyat. However, be aware of locals that offer to take you to your destination, and who want to show you the way. Do not ride in a taxi with someone you don't know.

For more about taxis and transportation, see TRANSPORTATION on page 28. For Immigration and Visa procedures, please see VISAS on page 13.



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TRANSPORTATION

Walking

It is possible to walk to some attractions from your hotel in some areas of the city. Especially in the downtown area, you can see a lot more by walking, and because of traffic congestion, it may even be faster to walk. There are also Walking Tours of the city available. Distances in some areas are not great, and with a good map, and if you take it easy, you can walk to many places. Unfortunately, the sidewalks in Yangon are generally in very bad shape. In some places the sidewalks have large holes, loose pavement, and missing drain covers. You need to be careful, and pay attention to where you are stepping. Walking after dark can be especially treacherous. However, there now seems to be a program of concreting in sidewalks and side streets in the city.



Walking in Downtown

Also be aware that as in other Asian countries, traffic does not stop for pedestrians, so be very careful when crossing the street.

Note: Visitors are not allowed to drive in Myanmar. Motorcycles and bicycles are not permitted within the city of Yangon.

Taxis

For any distance longer than walking distance,



Yangon Taxi

convenient, but will be 2 or 3 times more expensive than one you flag down on the street.

Taxis do have meters, but this seems to be just a formality. You need to negotiate the fare to your destination before you depart. Drivers know the major landmarks, and can understand basic commands in English. Fares for destinations in and around the downtown area should be about 1000 to 2000 Kyat. However, fares will be higher late at night. Taxis can also be hired by the hour (3000 kyat), or by the day (US\$20 to 30).

Buses

There are 2 kinds of buses: City Buses, and Highway (Long-Distance) Buses.

CITY BUSES

There are about 6,300 buses operating on many bus routes in the city, carrying over 4.4 million passengers a day. As with any large Asian city, they are extremely crowded in the morning and in the late afternoon and evening. But as with other infrastructure in Myanmar, they have not kept up



City Bus

with the times, and most are old, non air-conditioned buses. The fare is only about 100k, but unfortunately all the numbers and destinations on the buses are in Burmese writing. But if for the adventurous, they are a very cheap way to get around the city.

HIGHWAY BUSES

There are two major bus terminals in Yangon: the Aung Mingala Highway Bus Station (aka Highway Bus Station), and the Hlaing Thar Yar Bus Terminal. Long-distance buses are air-conditioned with reclining seats. Unfortunately, most signs at bus terminals are in Burmese. But there are many English speaking tourists eager to help you. You can buy tickets at the bus terminal, but to avoid hassles, it is best to buy your ticket beforehand. Tickets can be purchased at many hotels, and at bus company ticketing offices opposite the Yangon Train Station, and near Aung San Stadium.



Bus Ticket Offices

T Aung Mingala Highway Bus Terminal
R This is the official bus terminal for bus lines to all points north of Yangon, and to
A Kyaiktiyo, Mawlamyine, and other points south.
S Location: Northeast of the Yangon International Airport.

P Hlaing Thar Yar Bus Terminal
O This is the terminal for buses to the Irrawaddy delta region (Chaung Tha Beach
R Ngwe Saung Beach, etc.)
T Location: On the other side of the Yangon River on Highway 5.

A There is also a third, smaller station: Tha Khin Mya Pan-gyan Gate near the Tha
T Khin Mya Park. Buses from this station go to Bago, Mawbi, and Taikgyi. It is within
I walking distance from downtown, but buses from here are older, and non-air
O con.
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Trains

Yangon Central Railway Station
 Located in downtown Yangon, it is the largest railway station in Myanmar. Trains to destinations all over Myanmar leave from here. It is located on the southern side of the railway compound on Upper Pansodan Street, north of Bogoyoke Aung San Road.

The station was first built by the British in 1877. The original station was built in the British Victorian style, and because of the beauty of the architecture, it was known as the Fairy Station. However, during World War II the station was a favorite target of Japanese bombs, and in 1943 it was completely destroyed by the retreating British forces.

The current station was rebuilt based on Burmese traditional architectural styles, and was completed in 1954. It was designated as an historical landmark in 1996. Unfortunately it appears that there has been no upkeep since 1954, and is in rather sad condition.

The Yangon Circular Train also runs through the station, and is quite popular as commuter line connecting Yangon's suburbs. It is also a tourist attraction of sort



Yangon Central Station

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3 UP	5:30	7:18	12:16	15:01	18:07	21:30
5 UP	5:00	6:48	11:18	14:13	17:00	20:10
11 UP	6:00	7:48	12:47	15:50	18:45	22:00
29 UP	12:15		18:23	21:12	0:20	4:00

Circular Train Schedule

Yangon Central Railway Station To Mingalardon

Time (Destination)
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Time (Destination)
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River Travel

Many years ago, travel by river ferry was about the only way to get to many places from Yangon through rivers and canals. Now passenger ferries still ply the major waterways, and Yangon's four main passenger jetties, are located near the waterfront downtown. They are now mostly for local ferries to cross the river, and regional ferries to the Irrawaddy delta. Passenger ferries to Upper Burma by the Irrawaddy river are now mostly used for tourist river cruises.



Ferry

SHOPPING



Shave Ice Vendor

shops all around Yangon.

In the local markets, and when buying from street vendors, bargaining is expected. But be aware that tourists will be charged higher prices to begin with. Of course local markets offer the best bargains, while shopping centers are usually more expensive for most items. We have listed a few of the more popular shopping venues for you.

Local Markets

Bogyoke Aung San Market

Formerly known as Scott Market, this is the most famous local market in Yangon. The large colonial building was built in 1926. There are 1,641 shops in the market, and almost anything you can imagine is for sale here, including handicrafts, lacquer ware, wood and ivory carvings, tapestries, silverware, brassware, silk and cotton fabrics, clothing, and on and on.



Bogyoke Aung San Market

Nominal opening and closing times: 09:00 to 17:00. Location: Bogyoke Aung San Road, between Shwe Dagon Pagoda Rd. & Shwe Bontha St.

Yuzana Plaza

This is a popular shopping destination for local residents. On the ground floor are many wholesale outlets selling packaged food, beer, pets, etc. Shops on the upper floors sell locally made products, fashions and household appliances. Open: 08:30 to 17:00

Location: Banyar Dala Street, Mingalar Taung Nlyunt Township

In Yangon there are countless shopping options for visitors to choose from. The most interesting products on sale for visitors include textiles, clothes, silverware, lacquer ware, jewelry, and handicrafts. Myanmar is famous for the production of precious gems such as ruby, sapphire and jade, and thus there are many gem & jewelry



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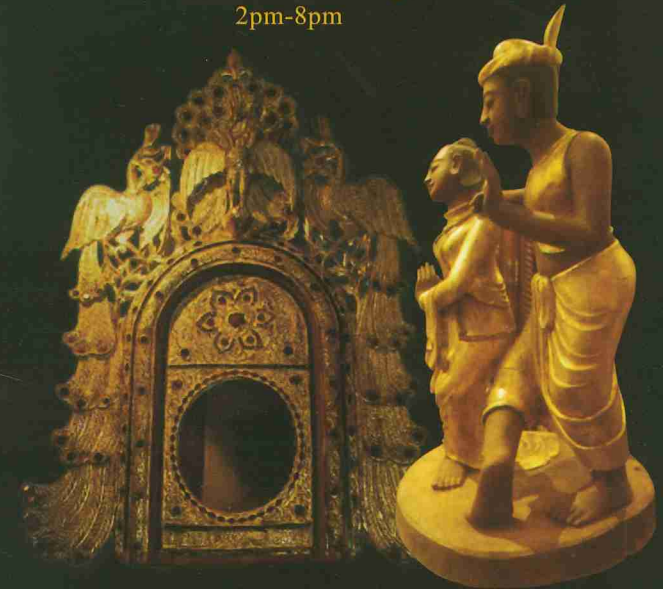


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Shopping Centers



Taw Win Center

JUNCTION Centre Maw Tin, formerly Maw Tin Towers, opened in late 2010. The massive complex features two 18-storey towers, 500,000 square feet of commercial real estate and about 130 residential apartments. It is now one of the biggest shopping center in town. It sits at the corner of Lan Thit Lane and Anawrahta roads in Lanmadaw township, Yangon

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J's Irrawaddy Dream

A very nice place for locally made silk fabrics, clothes, lacquer ware,

Taw Win Center

This is the newest and largest shopping center in Yangon. There are 5 floors of brand name shops, clothes, electronics, jewelry, furniture, restaurants, super market, game center, 3D Cineplex, promotion & event center, and more. Said to have the biggest book store in Yangon.

Open: 09:00 to 21:00. Location: 45 Pyay Rd, Dagon Township

Sein Gay Har Super Center

Somewhat the same as Taw Win Center but a bit older, and prices are cheaper. Good liquor selection. Open: 09:00 to 21:30. Location: 44 Pyay Rd, Dagon Township (opposite Taw Win Center)



J's Irrawaddy Dream

handicrafts, Buddhist statues, jewelry, betel boxes, books, and more. Mostly new products, but some old items as well. Open: 08:00 to 18:00
Location: 92 Strand Road, 2nd floor Strand Hotel
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A large selection of Patrick Robert collections is displayed in the Strand and in the Governor's Residence. Open everyday

Treasure Land Souvenirs

All kinds of handicrafts, souvenirs, gems (jade, sapphires, rubies), jewelry, tapestry, etc. Open: 09:00 to 18:00.
Location: 11 Ma Kyee Kyee St.

Art Galleries

Myanmar has a long history of creating art from ancient times. The history of contemporary art dates back to the British colonial days. We have included here some of the more important art galleries in Yangon.

Visit *Patrick Robert* studio and gallery where are displayed furniture, accessories and art work Mangosteen Mansion - 24 Inyamyang Road - Golden Valley. Tel: +951- 514047 or 513709 Email: patrickrobert09@gmail.com

River Gallery

Since 2005, works by some 30 contemporary Myanmar artists are exhibited in this gallery. They also promote talented local artists in exhibitions around the world. Open: 10:00 to 18:00. 92 Strand Road, Strand Hotel Annex Tel: 243377, ext. 1821
E-mail: rivergalleryart@gmail.com, Web: www.rivergallerymyanmar.com

Sanchaung Township
Tel: 95-1-526286, 539241
E-mail: treasurelan@gmail.com

Gem & Jewelry

Pwint Phyu Pearl & Jewelry

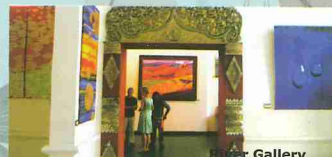
Location: 51 East Wing Block, Bogyoke Aung San Market
Tel: 09-73154311, 09-5177078

Tin Fu Jewelry

Location: 63 Central Hall, Bogyoke Aung San Market, Pabedan Township
Tel: +95 -1- 241 988

Chinatown

In Yangon you can get a tailored shirt, and there are many street vendors selling colonial coins, paintings, souvenirs, fruit, more. They usually set up from 15:00 to 21:00.



River Gallery

A Artist Life Art Gallery

R Open: 09:00 to 16:00. Closed
T Sunday.
409-411 Taung Ngu St., Shwe
G Paukan Ward 17, North Okkalapa
A Township
L Tel: 695765, Mobile: 09-5010292,
L Email: ulungywe@ulungywe.com,
E Web: www.ulungywe.com

A Artist's House Art Gallery

E (Soe Moe - Artist)
S Open: 09:00 to 18:00
657-B Mya Kan Thar 1st St, Kamayut
Township
Tel: 507033, Mobile: 09-5020450,
Email:pgsoemoe@myanmar.com.mm,
Web:www.pgsoemoe-myanmar.com

A Ayeyarwon Art Gallery

Open: 10:00 to 16:00.
899/ 904 Ayer Wun Main Rd, Ward
58, Dagon Seik Khan Township
Tel: 591357, 095176067
Email:ayerwonart@mail4u.com.mm
Web: www.usawhlaing.com

G Gandamar Gallery

Open: 09:00 to 17:00. Closed
Tuesday.
Room-27/28, 1st Floor, Saya San
Plaza, New University Ave., (corner
Saya San Rd.)
Tel: 559006, 542874,
Email: thetwin.shell@gmail.com
Web: www.gandamar.com

M Myanmar Traditional Art & Artisan Association

Open: 09:00 to 17:00. Closed
Monday & Public Holidays.
187- 192 Bogyoke Aung San St.,
Bogyoke Aung San Market, East
Wing, Pabedan Township
Tel: 385259
Email: info@artsmyanmar.org
Web: www.artsmyanmar.org

N New Zero Art Space

Open: 09:30 to 17:00. Closed
Monday.
54 Bo Yar Nyunt St, (behind
Bogyoke Aung San Market), Dagon
Township
Tel: 09-5000802
Email: newzero.org@gmail.com,
Web: www.newzeroartspace.com

S Summit Arts Collection

Chatrium Hotel Shopping Arcade
40,Natmauk Road,Tamwe
Township,Yangon,Myanmar.
Tel: +951-544500 Ext: 6674
Mobile: +959-5005849
E: summitartcollection@gmail.com
W: www.summitgalleries.com

M Myanmar Ink Art Gallery

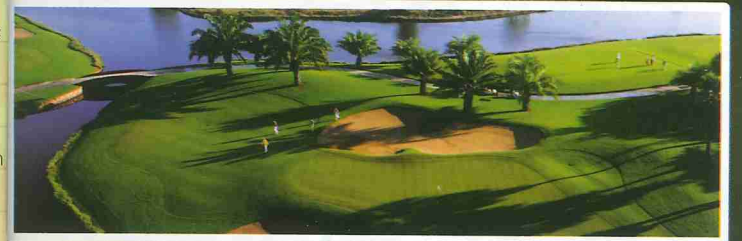
(10:00am- 22:00pm)
32/1,Alan Pya Pagoda
Road,Mingalar Taung Nyunt
Tsp,Yangon,Myanmar.
Tel: +951-374630,09-43163320
E: myanmarinkartgallery@gmail.com

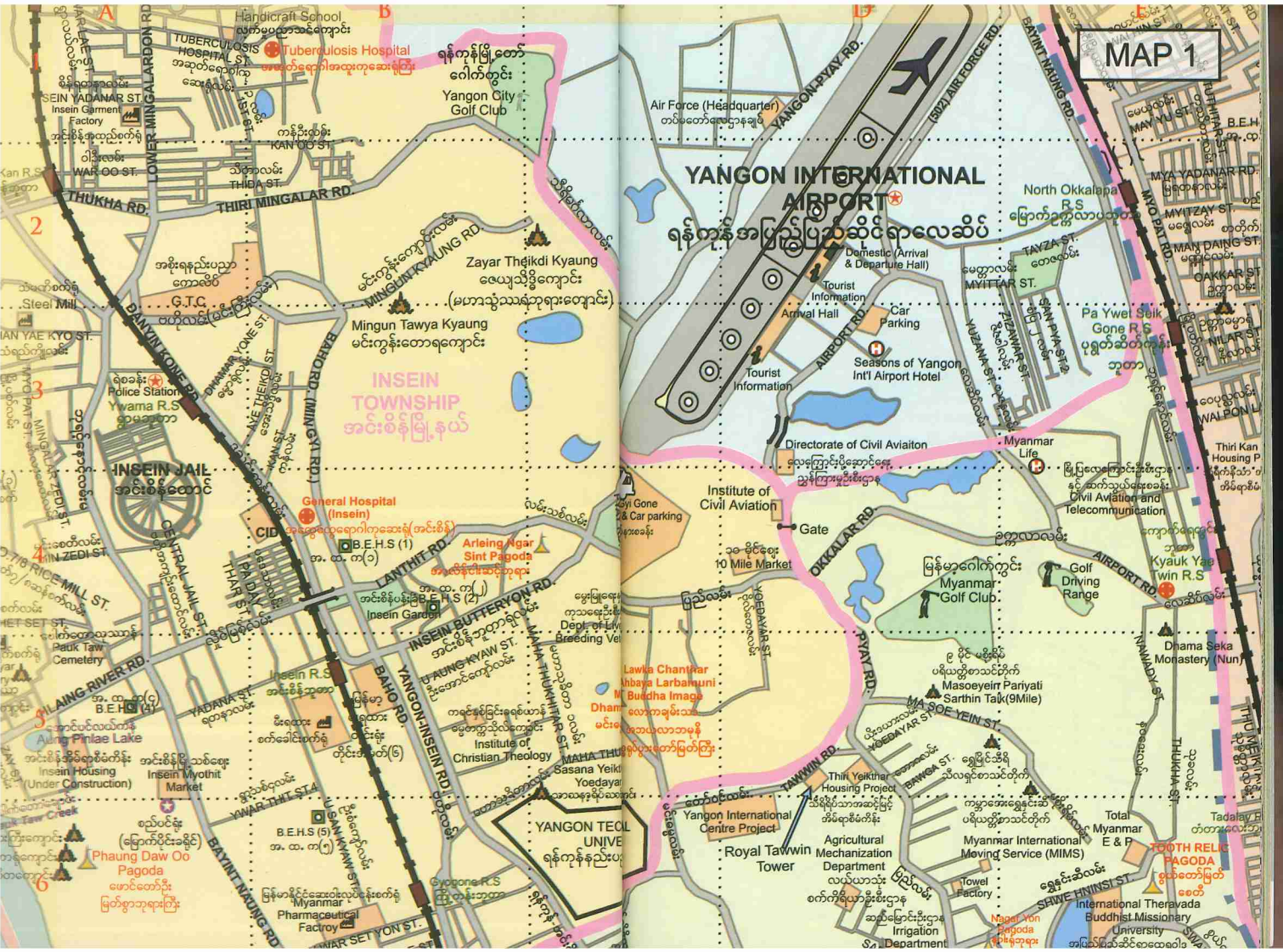
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Tuberculosis Hospital
အမတ်စော့ဂါအထူးကုဆေးရုံကြီး

Yangon City Golf Club
ရန်ကင်းမြို့တော်
ဂေါက်တွင်း

Yangon City Golf Club
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ဂေါက်တွင်း

Yayur Thikdi Kyaung
ယော့ထီဒီကျောင်း
(မှားသည့်အခန်းကွဲများကျောင်း)

Mingun Tawya Kyaung
မင်းကွန်းတောရကျောင်း

INSEIN TOWNSHIP
အင်းစိန်မြို့နယ်

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အင်းစိန်ဆရာတော်ကျောင်းဆေးရုံ (အင်းစိန်)

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အ. ထ. က (၁)

Arleing Nagar Sint Pagoda
အာရီလင်းနာဂါရဆင့်ပုရား

B.E.H.S (2)
အ. ထ. က (၂)

Insein Garden

B.E.H.S (3)
အ. ထ. က (၃)

Insein R.S
အင်းစိန်အထက

Insein Housing (Under Construction)
အင်းစိန်အိမ်အုံကြီး

Insein Myothit Market
အင်းစိန်မြို့သစ်စခန်း
အင်းစိန်မြို့သစ်စခန်း

B.E.H.S (4)
အ. ထ. က (၄)

Phaung Daw Oo Pagoda
ဖောင့်တော်ဝိုင်း
မြတ်စွာဘုရားတော်

B.E.H.S (5)
အ. ထ. က (၅)

Myanmar Pharmaceutical Factory
မြန်မာဆေးဝါးလုပ်ငန်းစက်

YANGON TECH UNIVER
ရန်ကင်းနည်းပညာ

YANGON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
ရန်ကင်းအပြည်ပြည်ဆိုင်ရာလေဆိပ်

Air Force (Headquarter)
တပ်တော်ချုပ်ရုံးဌာနချုပ်

Domestic (Arrival & Departure Hall)
အတွင်းပြည်လေဆိပ်

Tourist Information Arrival Hall
အထွေထွေသတင်းအချက်အလက်ရုံး

Car Parking
ကားရုံ

Seasons of Yangon Int'l Airport Hotel
အင်းစိန်အပြည်ပြည်ဆိုင်ရာလေဆိပ်

Directorate of Civil Aviation
အထွေထွေသတင်းအချက်အလက်ရုံး
သွင်းကုန်စွမ်းဆောင်ရည်

Institute of Civil Aviation
အထွေထွေသတင်းအချက်အလက်ရုံး

Gate

10 Mile Market
ဆယ်မိုင်စင်တာ

Myanmar Life
မြန်မာ့ဘဝ

Myanmar Golf Club
မြန်မာဂေါ့ဖ်ကလပ်

Golf Driving Range
ဂေါ့ဖ်ကလပ်

Lawla Chantkar Abaya Larbahuini Buddha Image
လာလာချန်တကာအဘယာလာဟူနီဗုဒ္ဓရုပ်ပွားတော်

Dhamma Monastery
ဓမ္မာစာအိုက်

Thir Yektha Housing Project
ထီးရက်ခရီးအိမ်အုံကြီး

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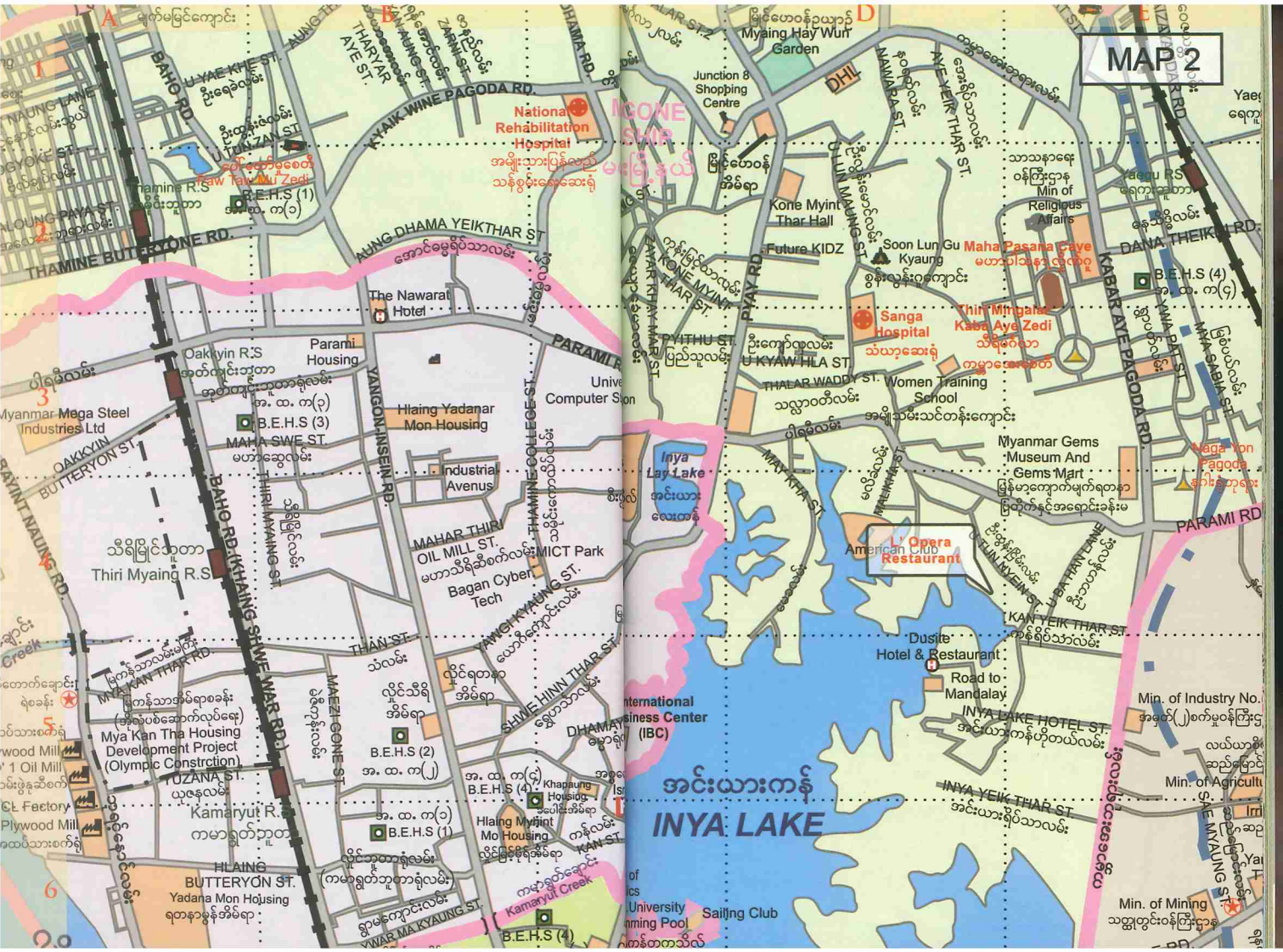
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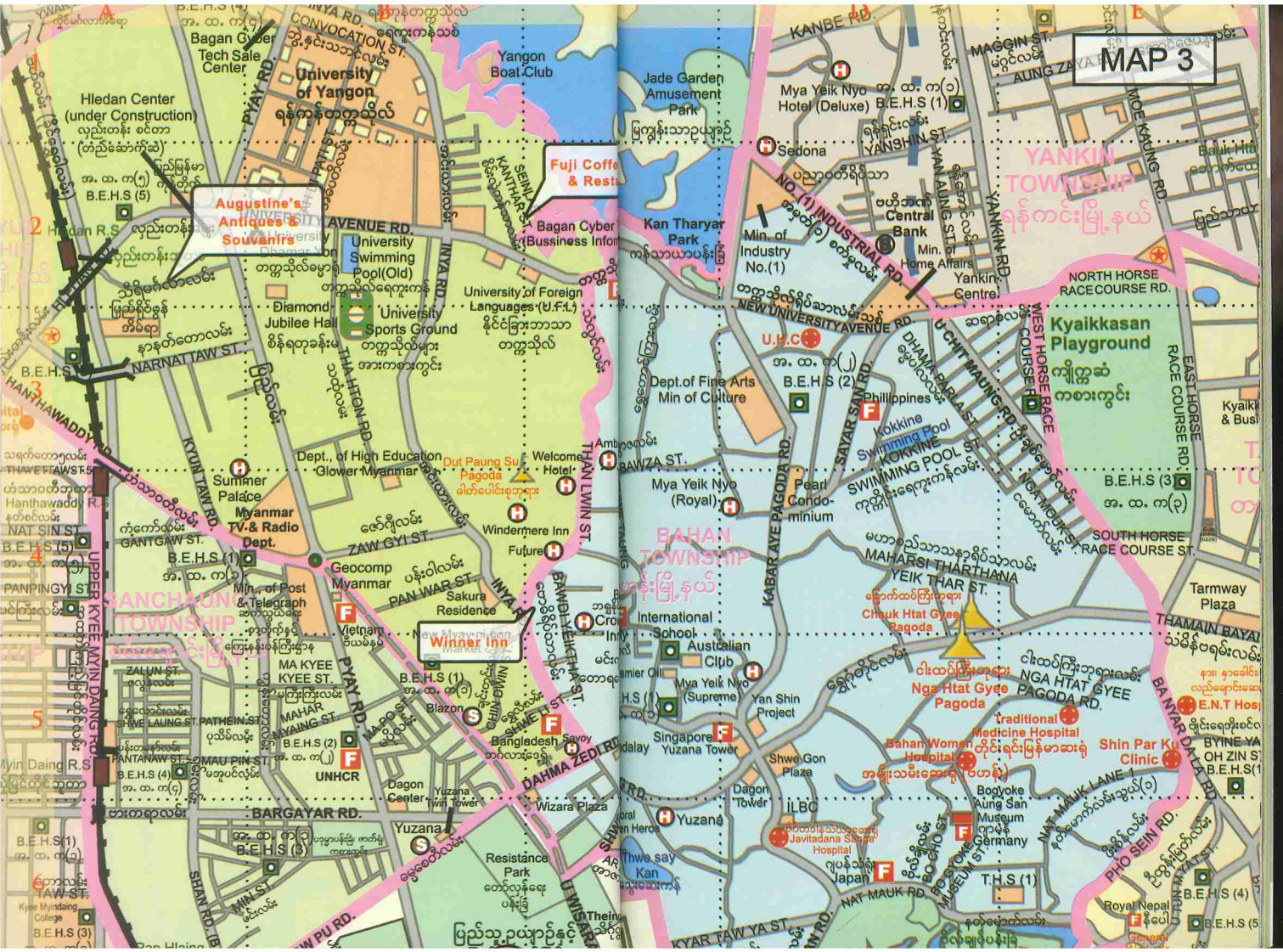
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Towel Factory
အထွေထွေသတင်းအချက်အလက်ရုံး

International Theravada Buddhist Missionary University
အင်းစိန်မြို့သစ်စခန်း

MAP 2





Augustine's Antiques & Souvenirs

Fuji Coffee & Rest

Kyaikkasan Playground

BAHAN TOWNSHIP

MANCHUN TOWNSHIP

Winner Inn

Nga Htat Gye Pagoda

NGA HTAT GYEE PAGODA RD.

Shin Par Ki Clinic

BYINE YA OAH ZIN ST

B.E.H.S (1)

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B.E.H.S (3)

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B.E.H.S (5)

Hledan Center (under Construction)

B.E.H.S (5)

Hledan R.S

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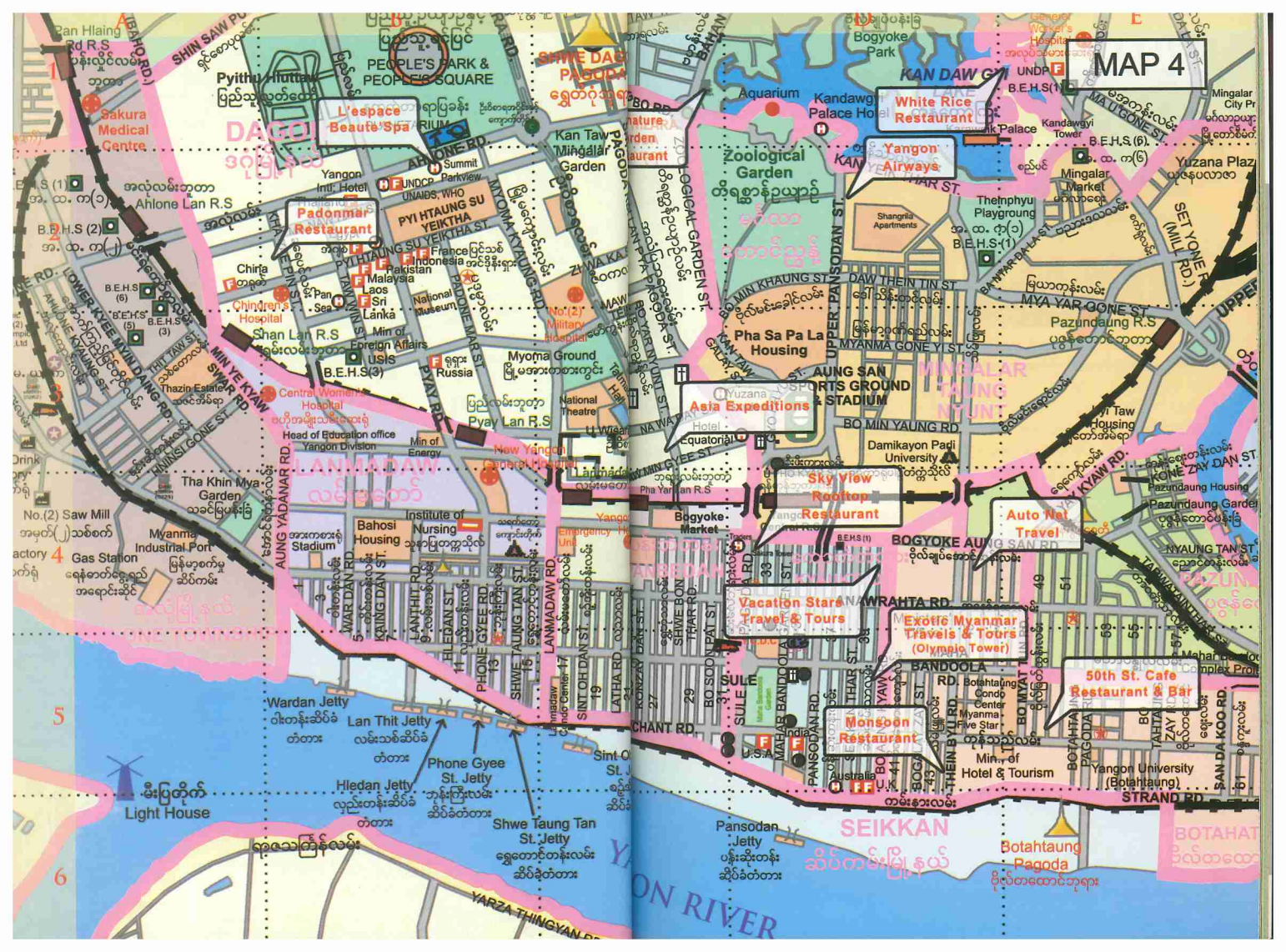
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PYI HTAUNG SU YEIKTHA
Chinfa Hospital
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YARZA THINGYAN

SHWE DAB PAGODA
White Rice Restaurant
Yangon Airways
ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN ST.
Pha Sa Pa La Housing
Asia Expeditions
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Sky View Rooftop Restaurant
Vacation Stars Travel & Tours
Exotic Myanmar Travels & Tours (Olympic Tower)
MONSBON RESTAURANT
50th St. Cafe Restaurant & Bar
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Botahaung Pagoda
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MYANMAR GONE YI ST.
BO MIN YAUNG RD.
DAMIKAYAN PADI UNIVERSITY
MYA YAR GONE ST.
Pazundaung R.S.
PAZUNDAUNG HOUSING
NYAUNG TAN ST.
MAHARAJA HOTEL
YANGON UNIVERSITY (BOTAHTAUNG)
SEIKKAN
Botahtaung Pagoda

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CHINA SEA
SHAN LAN R.S.
B.E.H.S.(9)
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INSTITUTE OF NURSING
LANGHIT RD.
HELEDAN ST.
PHONE GYEE RD.
SHWE TAUNG TAN ST.
SINT OR DAN ST.
LANTHAR RD.
LANMADAW RD.
SHWE DAB PAGODA
EMERGENCY HOSPITAL
Wardan Jetty
Lan Thit Jetty
Hledan Jetty
Shwe Taung Tan St. Jetty
YARZA THINGYAN

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SEIKKAN
Botahtaung Pagoda

HOTELS



There is a wide range of accommodation available in Yangon. From backpacker hotels to luxury hotels, there are in plenty of room available, except in the high season (December and January).

Advance reservations are always a good idea, but are not absolutely necessary. Plus if you do have a reservation, they will usually

pick you up at the airport. Hotel rates are quoted in US dollars.

Most budget hotels (around US\$20) are some way from the city centre, and you will need a taxi to go almost anywhere. There are only a few budget hotels in the downtown area. The highest numbers of budget hotels are in the Pazundaung and Botataung Townships. In the cheaper hotels, some rooms may be windowless. On the plus side, these hotels tend to be quieter than those in the city centre, and the rooms may be a bit roomier.

Mid-range hotels are scattered throughout the city, with one concentration in the Sule Pagoda area, and another congregation north of the Shwedagon Pagoda. Luxury hotels are in the city centre, or in the Kandawgyi Lake area.

Electricity outages used to be a big problem in Yangon. But in recent years things have greatly improved, and is not much of a problem now. Of course luxury hotels and mid-range hotels have generators, but budget hotels may, or may not have.

One positive note is that most all hotels include breakfast in the room rate. However the quality and quantity of the breakfast varies widely according to the price.

Provided here is a list of hotels in several price ranges: Budget=\$40 & under, Affordable=\$50-\$80, Deluxe=\$100-\$180, Luxury=\$200 up.

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Luxury

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Web: www.governorsresidence.com

Savoy Hotel

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Deluxe

Chatrium Hotel

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mm.chatrium@chatriumyangon.com.mm
Web: www.chatriumhotelyangon.com

Grand Mee Ya Hta Hotel

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Web: www.grandmeeyahta.com.mm

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mm, gm-savoy@myanmar.com.mm
savoy.ygn@mptmail.net.mm
Web: www.Savoy-Myanmar.com

Strand Hotel

No. 92 Strand Road
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Fax: (951) 243 393
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Inya Lake Hotel

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Tel: +95 (1) 662 866, 662 857-59,
Fax: +95 (1) 665 537, 665 964
E-mail: inyalake@inyalakehotel.com,
reservation@inyalakehotel.com
Web: www.inyalakehotel.com

Kandawgyi Palace Hotel

Kan Yeik Tha Road
Tel: (951) 249255-9, 394837,
394839
Fax: (951) 256184
E-mail: reservation@kandawgyipalace-hotel.com
Web: www.kandawgyipalace-hotel.com

MiCasa Hotel Apartments

17 Kaba Aye Pagoda Road, Yankin Township
 Tel: 951-650933
 Fax: 951-650960
 E-mail: bc.micasa@mptmail.net.mm, resvsn@myanmar.com.mm
 Web: www.myanmar.micasahotel.com

PARKROYAL Hotel

33 Alan Pya Phaya Road, Dagon Township
 Tel: (951) 250 388
 Fax: (95 1) 252 478
 Email: enquiry@parkroyalhotels.com
 Web: www.yangon.parkroyalhotels.com

Sedona Hotel

No. 1 Kaba Aye Pagoda Road, Yankin Township
 Tel: (95-1) 666-900
 Fax: (95-1) 666-911
 E-mail: sales@sedona.com.mm
 Web: www.sedonahotels.com.sg

Afforable Hotels**Asia Plaza Hotel**

277 Bogyoke Aung San Rd., between 38th St. & Seikkanthar St., Kyauktadar Township
 Tel: 95-1-391071
 Fax: 95-1-391375
 Email: reservation@asiaplazahotel.com
 Web: www.asiaplazahotel.com

Summit Parkview Hotel

350 Ahlone Road, Dagon Township
 Tel: (95 1) 211888 / 966
 Fax: (95 1) 227990 / 992
 E-mail: summit@summityangon.com.mm
 Web: www.summityangon.com

Traders Hotel

223 Sule Pagoda Road
 Tel: 951-242828
 Fax: 951-242800
 Email: thyn@shangri-la.com
 Web: http://www.shangri-la.com/en/property/yangon/traders/details

Hotel Yangon

Corner Pyay Road & Kabaraye Pagoda Road, 8th Mile Junction, Mayangone Township
 Tel: (95-1) 667 708, 667 688
 Fax: (95-1) 667 752
 E-mail: hotelyangon@hotelyangon.com.mm
 Web: www.hotelyangon.net, www.hotel-yangon.net

Central Hotel

335/357 Bogyoke Aung San Rd., between 31st St. & 32nd St., Pabedan Township
 Tel: 241001-20 Fax: -248003
 E-mail: central.YGN@mptmail.net.mm
 Web: www.centralhotelyangon.com

Clover Hotel Yangon

7A Wingabar Road, Bahan Township
 Tel: +95 9 731 77781, +95 9 731 77782
 Fax: (951) 546313
 Email: info@cloverhotelasia
 Web: www.cloverhotelasia

East Hotel

234-240 1 Quarter, Sule Pagoda Road, Kyauktada Township
 Tel: + 95 9 73135311, 73135299
 Fax: + 95 1 371358
 Email: reservation@east.com.mm
 Web: www.east.com.mm

Eastern Hotel

194/196 Bo Myat Tun St., between Anawar St. & Maha Bandoola Rd., Pazondaung Township
 Tel: 293815, 293168, 293169 Fax: (95-1) 294 346
 Email: easternhtl@gmail.com
 www.myanmar-easternhotel.com

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 Tel: +951- 524642
 +951-526008
 Mobile: 09-5157115
 Email: gldguest@gmail.com
 Web: www.goldenguestinn-travel.com

Panorama Hotel

294-300 Pansodan Street, Kyauktada Township
 Tel: +951-253 077 (10-Lines)
 Fax: 251 986-7
 E-mail: panoramaygn@myanmar.com.mm
 Web: www.panoramaygn.com

Hotel Yangon

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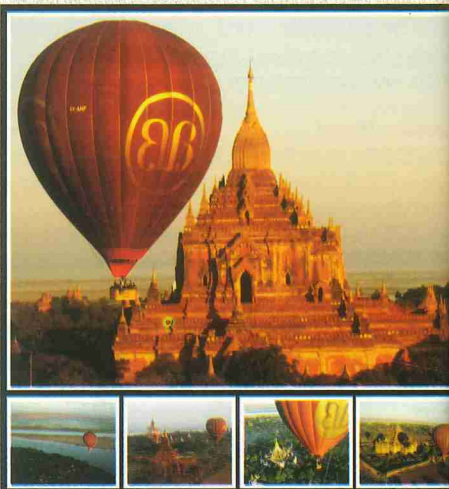
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