

MOSCOW

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Moscow is the city of contrasts, mixing the simple Bohemian and the glittering glamorous! Do not be surprised to find a church dating from the 16th century covered in gold next to a glass building from the 1990's. Here, salty caviar is washed down with sweet "shampanskoye". What represents this spirit better than Moscow's underground railway? For a few roubles you can travel between stations decorated with chandeliers and marble.

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THE CITY



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Since the 12th century the Kremlin has been the dead centre of the city. Ivan the Terrible and Stalin issued their orders from here and today, the Kremlin's walls protect some of the country's most precious treasures.

Outside the walls lies Russia in constant flux. Since Gorbachov introduced perestroika (restructuring) in 1985, the Communists have given way to a new generation of business minded men and women, hungry for progress. But still, the old traditions are being honoured and kept alive, like the Russian authors, Orthodox churches and the national cuisine.

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Moscow might be one of the world's most exciting cities with a mishmash of the old and the new. You will definitely be able to fill your time here surrounded by history, art, culture and great food. Visit St. Basil's Cathedral, learn more about the Gulag and go for long walks in Gorky Park... Moscow certainly has many ways to enchant you.

The Armoury in The Kremlin

If you yearn for gold, velvet and precious stones, you must visit the Armoury. The treasures that have been collected over the centuries by the Russian tsars and princes can be found here. Some magnificent examples are the Fabergé egg and Catherine the Great's coronation dress.

Address: The Kremlin, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 621 46 31

Internet: www.kreml.ru

More Info: Use entrance from the Alexander Garden

The Red Square and The Lenin Mausoleum

Enclosed by GUM, the Kremlin and Vasilij Cathedral, the Red Square stands proud. This is also the place where Lenin rests in his mausoleum. Since 1924 he has been as carefully guarded as he was embalmed.

Address: Krasnaya Ploshad, Moscow

Internet: www.lenin.ru, www.aha.ru/~mausoleu

Email: mausoleu@aha.ru

St. Basil's Cathedral

With its round, brilliantly coloured cupolas, St. Basil's Cathedral truly looks like a fairy-tale castle. Ivan the

Terrible had it built around 1550 in order to celebrate a victory over the Tartars. Today the cathedral is one of the world's architectural wonders.

Address: Krasnaya Ploshad' 2, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 698 33 04

Internet: www.saintbasil.ru

The Tretyakov Gallery

With its 62 halls and 100,000 paintings, the Tretyakov Gallery contains the world's largest collection of Russian art. Fortunately, these are not all displayed together, but a few at a time.

Address: 10 Lavrushinsky Lane, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 953 10 51

Internet: www.tretyakovgallery.ru

Email: tretyakov@tretyakov.ru

The Pushkin Museum of Fine Art

The Pushkin Museum of Fine Art is a paradise for those interested in art. Here Impressionist and Post-Impressionist art mingle with older works by Rembrandt and Botticelli.

Address: Ulitsa Volchonka 12, Moscow

Opening hours: Open daily 10am-7pm, ticket office 10am-6pm. Closed on Mondays

Phone: +7 495 609 95 20 / +7 495 697 95 78

Internet: www.arts-museum.ru

Moscow Metro

Going on the metro in Moscow is an attraction in itself. The metro here is just beautiful with its architecture and majestic spaces. If you have to choose, two of the most beautiful stations to visit are "Komsomol'skaya" and "Kazan'skaya".

Izmaylovo Market

One of the most famous places in Moscow for buying souvenirs is at the Izmaylovo Market. Here you can find all the typical Russian souvenirs like matryoshka dolls and fur hats. The market is quite big, so make sure to have enough time and money when coming here.

Address: Izmaylovo Market, Moscow

Gorky Park

In the middle of Moscow you can find Gorky Park, named after the author Maxim Gorky. This park is located on the riverbank and is full of fun activities. Here you can find parkland, a sports centre, an open-air cinema and much more.

Address: Krymsky val str, 9, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 995 00 20

Internet: www.park-gorkogo.com

Email: info@park-gorkogo.com

Sparrow Hills

One of the best lookouts in Moscow is called Sparrow Hills. From here you will get magnificent views over the city, hence that this is also a popular place for spending New Year's Eve. In the park you can wander among ponds and occasionally come here for a concert or event.

Address: Vorob'yevy Gory, Moscow

Arbat Street

The popular Arbat Street is one of the oldest streets in Moscow and it runs through the Arbat District. If you have not been to Arbat Street before, it is definitely worth a visit.

Address: Ulitsa Arbat, Moscow

Memorial Museum of Cosmonautics

This unique museum can be found below the ravishing Space Monument. At The Memorial Museum of Cosmonautics there are several exhibitions with different space objects, documents and art. If you are interested in space and the cosmonauts, you will most certainly not be disappointed.

Address: Prospekt Mira 111, Moscow

Opening hours: Open 11am-7pm. Closed on Mondays

Phone: +7 495 602 20 73 / +7 495 682 60 92

Internet: www.space-museum.ru

Email: cosmomuseum@yandex.ru

Seven Sisters

The so called Seven Sisters dominate the skyline of Moscow and consist of seven skyscrapers built in Stalinist style. The skyscrapers are still among the tallest buildings in Europe and can be found all around town. One of the Seven Sisters is the Moscow State University-building, which can be found on Sparrow Hills.

Gulag History Museum

Founded in 2001, this museum is devoted to showing the rise and fall of the labor camps in Russia called Gulag. Here you can find both permanent and temporary exhibitions as well as concerts and events.

Address: ul Petrovka 16, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 621 73 10

Internet: www.gmig.ru

Cathedral of Christ the Savior

This enormous, beautiful cathedral is located by the river and was designed by the architect Konstantin Ton. The cathedral dates back to 1812 and you can recognize the cathedral by its copper domes that dominate the skyline.

Address: Volkhonka Ulitsa, Moscow

Internet: www.xxc.ru

Bolshoi Theatre

The stunning Bolshoi Theatre is considered to be one of the main sights in Moscow. Here you can enjoy several ballets, operas and different performances in a vast and gorgeous interior.

Address: Gorod Moskva, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 455 5555

Internet: www.bolshoi.ru

Email: sales@bolshoi.ru

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health and will wake up the strong Russian bear in each and every one of you! Steam sessions are established individually for each guest. The bath-room can accommodate up to 3 people at a time. After bath session we will prepare a delicious treat for you and your friends in the restaurant "Expedition. Northern cuisine" which is located on the second floor.

Address: Pevcheskiy pereulok dom 6, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 775 60 75

Internet: www.expedicia.ru

DINING



Photo: Steve Jurvetson

It is truly an adventure to go out for dinner in Moscow. The city is teeming with extravagant theme restaurants where you are transported through both time and space. Suddenly you might find yourself in Thailand, on a farm or in the last century. If you want to eat real good food and spend less, you can go to some of the city's many Georgian and Armenian restaurants. There are also food chains such as Moo-Moo and Yolki-Palki where you can serve yourself inexpensive, simple Russian fare. For most restaurants it is recommended to book a table in advance.

Restaurant Expedition



Restaurant "Expedition. Northern cuisine" serves delicacies of northern Russian cuisine of the highest quality. Each product "flies" or "comes" or "swims" here from

distant ecologically clean lands and is cooked only on Baikal water! This restaurant is the place for those who appreciate high quality in everything! So don't be surprised if some famous singer is performing a song for his friends at a table next to yours... They are big family and every guest for them is a good friend!

Address: Pevcheskiy pereulok dom 6, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 775 60 75

Internet: www.expedicia.ru

Café Pushkin

This is one of Moscow's finest restaurants. Go on a journey through time back to the sumptuous 19th century. Here, well-dressed Muscovites enjoy caviar and the Franco-Russian cuisine. Here you can also enjoy a grandiose breakfast buffet.

Address: Tverskoy bulvar, 26a, Moscow

Opening hours: Open 12am-12am

Phone: +7 495 739 00 33

Internet: www.cafe-pushkin.ru

Noev Kovcheg (Noah's Ark)

Noev Kovcheg serves award-winning Armenian food. When here, be sure to taste the famous Armenian cognac. The prestigious restaurant opened its doors to the public on July 17th (1999), the same date that Noah's Ark settled on the mountain of Ararat. This date is supposed to bring luck.

Address: 9, M.Ivanovsky Lane, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 917 07 17 / +7 495 628 29 29

Internet: www.noevkovcheg.ru

Scandinavia

At this restaurant you can enjoy European food of a very high standard served by Swedish chefs, the steaks are especially renowned. In the winter you can have a drink in the ice bar, and in the summer a cocktail in the courtyard.

Address: Maliy Palashevskiy pereulok 7, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 937 56 30

Internet: www.scandinavia.ru

Maharaja

Maharaja is one of the best Indian restaurants located in the heart of the city. The staff is bilingual and the service is excellent. They focus on natural ingredients so you do not have to worry about artificial colouring or preservatives.

Address: Ulitsa Pokrovka 2/1, Moscow

Opening hours: Open 12pm-11pm

Phone: +7 495 621 98 44

Internet: www.maharaja.ru

Email: admin@maharaja.ru

El Gaucho

Argentinean restaurants are always good choices if you feel like a big and tasty steak, this one is no exception. The meat is fantastic and cooked on charcoal. Of course, they also have an extensive wine list to go with the menu.

Address: 6 Zacepinsky Val, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 953 28 76

Internet: www.elgaucho.ru

Les Menus

In the beautiful Lotte Hotel you can find Les Menus. The Michelin three-star chef Pierre Gagnaire provides the guests with experimental dishes in a classic and stylish interior.

Address: 8 bld.2, Novinskiy Blvd., Moscow

Opening hours: Open 12pm-11.30pm

Phone: +7 495 287 05 15

Internet: www.lottehotel.ru

Twenty-Two

Claimed to be one of the best restaurant in Moscow, Twenty-Two is a popular concept restaurant located right in the city centre. The restaurant has a unique décor and a wonderful atmosphere.

Address: Noviy Arbat, 22, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 776 86 22

Internet: www.twentytwo22.ru

Email: info@twentytwo22.ru

Rybniy bazar

In downtown Moscow, near Pushkinskaya / Tverskaya underground station, you can find the elegant Rybniy bazar. This restaurant serves seafood, and the lobster and oysters are especially popular here.

Address: Trehprudniy per 10/2, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 650-5444

Internet: www.rbazar.ru

Khachapuri

At this city café you can enjoy some traditional Georgian food. Here you can choose between traditional grilled

dishes, soups, kebabs and much more. It is recommended to leave lots of room in your stomach when coming here, because the portions are claimed to be huge.

Address: Ukrainsky Boulevard, 7, Moscow
Phone: +7 985 764 23 64
Internet: www.hacha.ru

Darbar

Located on the 16th floor at Hotel Sputnik, this restaurant offers stunning views over the city. Darbar is a popular Indian restaurant and the perfect place for relaxing after a day's touring.

Address: Leninsky prosp., 38, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 930 2925 / +7 495 930 2365
Internet: www.darbar.ru
Email: menu@darbar.ru

Café Mu-Mu

Café Mu-Mu is an affordable restaurant chain serving both light snacks and full meals. The interior is very cosy and the restaurant has become increasingly popular for its simple and tasty food.

Address: Plotnikov Ct. 45/24, Moscow
Phone: +7 499 261 36 76
Internet: www.cafemumu.ru
Email: fastland@cafemumu.ru

Mary Jane Bar

This cosy and friendly restaurant is located in the south of Moscow. Mary Jane Bar serves a wide range of European food. Here you can choose between salads, pastas, soups, meat and much more.

Address: Novodanilovskaya naberezhnaya, 4B, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 796 20 32
Internet: www.maryjanebar.ru
Email: box@maryjanebar.ru

Pane & Olio

If you are looking for a genuine Italian restaurant in Moscow, Pane & Olio certainly qualifies with its cosy atmosphere and classic menu. Here you can indulge in

Carpaccio, focaccia, pastas and several other Italian delights.

Address: Timura Frunze, 22, Moscow
Opening hours: Open 12pm-12am
Phone: +7 499 246 26 22
Internet: www.paneolio.ru

Chicago Prime Steakhouse & Bar

At the stylish Chicago Prime Steakhouse & Bar you can enjoy some really good dishes for both lunch and dinner. The mouth-watering steaks will most likely leave you more than satisfied.

Address: Strastnoy Blvd., 8a, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 988 17 17
Internet: www.chicagoprime.ru
Email: info@chicagoprime.ru

Delicatessen

Claimed not be easy to find, this restaurant is definitely worth the search. Delicatessen is located in a courtyard and serves traditional food and drinks in a unique atmosphere.

Address: ul Sadovaya-Karetnaya, 20, str. 2, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 699 39 52
Internet: www.newdeli.ru
Email: cafe.delicatessen@gmail.com

CAFES



Photo: Einar Fredriksen

The Russians love chocolate and sweets. The well-off like to go to one of the luxury hotels and enjoy a cake together with a cup of tea and a slice of lemon. A magnificent example is Vienna Café at the hotel Renaissance Moscow.

Art Klub "Nostalgie"

This charming café has a touch of Paris. While the little ones are enjoying the children's menu, the adults can study the wine list. 5,000 bottles are waiting to be uncorked in the wine cellar.

Address: Chistoprudniy bulvar 12a, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 258 5668
Internet: www.nostalgie.ru

Upside Down Cake Company

Upside Down Cake Company is a bakery inspired by the metropolis New York and has cool interior with white walls and granite table tops. The pastry menu is quite impressive, containing cupcakes, ciabatta sandwiches, coconut pie and a number of cakes, just to mention a few.

Address: 76 B. Gruzinskaya Street, Moscow
Phone: +7 499 250 07 31
Internet: www.upsidedowncake.ru

Kafé Margarita

This nice café, named after Bulgakov's novel "The Master and Margarita," lies next to the Patriarch's pond. Come here in the evening, have a beer and listen to violin and piano concerts.

Address: Malaya Bronnaya ulitsa 28, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 699 65 34
Internet: www.cafe-margarita.ru

Coffeemia

This Moscow-based coffee shop chain has several cafés in the city centre and two in the Domodedovo airport. The thing uniting these coffee shops is the passion for coffee in all its forms. You can try a large number of espresso-based beverages or some of their cakes, pastries and desserts.

Address: Trubnaya sq. 2, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 229 84 59
Internet: www.coffeemia.ru

Bed Café

This could be just the perfect venue for a romantic date with your sweetheart. Bed Café is a café with a boudoir theme full of white linen, white sofas and soft lighting.

Address: Ulitsa Presnensky Val 6, Moscow
Phone: +7 499 253 94 54
Internet: www.bed-cafe.ru

BARS & NIGHTLIFE



Photo: Kyle Taylor

In Russia vodka means "little water", which might be a reason why many Russians also drink it as if it was water. No wonder that the atmosphere in Moscow's bars and dance halls is so lively. When going out in Moscow, you will be in for a real treat.

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Vogue Café

This venue is the result of a collaboration between Vogue and the well renowned Russian restaurateur Arkady Novikov. The chic and elegant interior draws the fashion friendly and glamorous people in for exotic cocktails.

Address: Ulitsa Kuznetsky Most Lubyanka, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 623 17 01

Internet: www.novikovgroup.ru

Night Flight

Night Flight is a well-known night club amongst the party people in Moscow. This sophisticated club is Swedish-managed and boasts a gourmet restaurant, a VIP lounge and a disco bar with a live DJ.

Address: Tverskaya st., 17, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 629 41 65

Internet: www.nightflight.ru

Irish Pub Belfast

The Irish pubs can be found all around the world, and all of them offer a great friendly atmosphere and hearty meals. The Irish Pub Belfast in Moscow is definitely no exception!

Phone: +7 495 953 05 56

Internet: www.belfast-pub.ru

More Info: Directions can be found on website

Sixteen Tons

At this popular English pub, Sixteen Tons, they brew their own beer called 16 ton. This beer has gotten several International awards. If you go upstairs there is a club with good live bands.

Address: 6/1, Presnensky Val St., Moscow

Phone: +7 499 253 53 00

Internet: www.16tons.ru

Propaganda

Propaganda is a real club classic. Here famous DJ's play before a good-looking and dancing crowd. The club is open every day, specialising on house music during the weekends.

Address: Bolshoy Zlatoustinskiy pereulok 7, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 624 57 32

Internet: www.propagandamoscow.com

SHOPPING



Photo: Kyle Taylor

In order to satisfy the wishes of Russian business women, chic designer stores have opened their doors in Moscow. Today there is definitely a risk that tourists will return home with considerably more expensive souvenirs than fur caps and Russian dolls. Popular shopping streets are Noviy Arbat and the more exclusive Kuznetskiy, but the number one shopping street is Tverskaya ulitsa. Stalin had the street restored in the 1930's, so here, too, there is evidence of his liking for massive, grey buildings.

Those who wish to start their shopping trip at one of the shopping centres with the finest old traditions in the world should head for GUM. The building was designed in the new Russian style at the end of 19th century. During the Stalinist period, GUM was temporarily converted to offices. Now it accommodates, among other things, Galeries Lafayette, Dior and Benetton. Families with children can have a wonderful time at Detskiy Mir, the children's department store, which is full of an interesting mixture of Russian and imported toys.

For those who wish to visit a market, a trip to Vernisazh, the famous market in Izmailovo Park, is recommended. There are hundreds of stalls selling traditional souvenirs, but also porcelain and jewellery. Do not be afraid to bargain, if it does not work at the first stall, then maybe at one of the subsequent 99 it will. Yeliseyev's covered market is the name of Moscow's most famous delicatessen shop. During the Soviet period it was called

Gastronom no. 1. This is the place to buy your ration of vodka and caviar. The Russians are professional tea drinkers and at Chudesa Podnebesnoi you can find the finest Chinese teas.

ACCOMMODATIONS



Photo: Bernt Rostad

The hotel's prices fluctuate depending on the season and the country's economy. There may be additional charges like reservation fees and taxes and the hotels often indicate their prices in dollars or euros. No matter where you end up staying, if it is at a luxury hotel or a budget accommodation, congratulations, you have chosen to stay in one of the most exciting cities in the world.

Hotel Metropol

The city is proud of the Metropol, known for its impressive dining room with a domed glass roof. This beautiful 5-star hotel is built in striking Art Nouveau style, in the vicinity of Red Square.

Address: 2 Teatralny Proezd, Moscow

Phone: +7 499 501 78 00

Internet: www.metropol-moscow.ru

Email: metropol@metmos.ru

Hotel Savoy

5-star Savoy is one of Moscow's most popular hotels, built in 1912, and has recently been restored. The interior, with its murals and chandeliers, gives a flavour of pre-Revolutionary Russia. Staying here you can expect good service, a perfect location and a popular restaurant.

Address: Ulitsa Rozhdestvenka 3, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 620 85 00
Internet: www.savoy.ru
Email: infa-hotel@savoy.ru

Vanilla Bed & Breakfast

This Bed & Breakfast abides by three words: Affordable, Personal and Private. The location in the city centre combined with spacious rooms and a homey feel make this place appreciated by many guests.

Address: Bol. Kozikhinskiy per. 4, Moscow
Phone: +7 916 805 54 09
Internet: www.vanillabnb.com
Email: bookings@vanillabnb.com

Jazz Hotel

This little inn offers a spacious accommodation with an exciting contemporary design. The friendly staff will welcome you with open arms. The rooms are very clean and WiFi is always available with a strong connection.

Address: 2 Starokashirskoe Shosse, Moscow
Phone: +7 499 613 8008
Internet: www.jazzhotel.ru
Email: info@jazzhotel.ru

Royal-Zenith Hotel

Royal-Zenith Hotel is located in the leisure resort Serebryaniy Bor and offers plenty of facilities and entertainment to make your stay pleasant. The hotel has a sports and health centre, two restaurants with bars and live music every night, several cafés, a roof-top solarium and even a bar in the sauna.

Address: 49 B Ulitsa Tamanskaya, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 721 90 00 / +7 495 956 75 95
Internet: www.royal-zenith.ru

Lotte Hotel Moscow

Lotte Hotel Moscow is one of the most exclusive hotels in Moscow. The hotel is part of a Korean luxury hotel group and offers ultra-modern facilities. Amenities at the hotel include the restaurant Les Menus where the star chef Pierre Gagnaire serves culinary dishes, a large spa and a

pool.

Address: Novinskiy Boulevard Build.2, 8, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 745 10 00
Internet: www.lottehotel.ru

Ararat Park Hyatt Moscow Hotel

Located only 5 minutes from the Red Square, Ararat Park Hyatt offers an ideal accommodation for touring along with excellent service. Amenities at the hotel include a fitness centre, pool, restaurants, and free WiFi.

Address: Neglinnaya Street, 4, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 783 12 34
Internet: www.moscow.park.hyatt.com
Email: moscow.park@hyatt.com

Atlanta Sheremetyevo Hotel

Located near the Sheremetyevo Airport, this guest house is the perfect accommodation if you are arriving to or departing from Moscow. The guest house also offers transfer to and from the airport. If you are only staying for a few hours you only pay for those hours.

Address: 7 Severnaya Street Sheremetyevo, Moscow
Internet: www.atlantahotel.ru
Email: booking@atlantahotel.ru

Barvikha Hotel & Spa

Barvikha Hotel & Spa is located in one of the classiest suburbs of Moscow. The hotel features a unique design accompanied by amazing spa facilities. This is truly a great place for a relaxing weekend with amenities onsite including a restaurant and bar.

Address: Odintsovsky district Barvikha village 114-2, Barvikha
Phone: +7 495 225 88 80
Internet: www.barvikhahotel.com
Email: info@barvikhahotel.com

Kadashevskaya Hotel

Ideally located by the river, the chic and luxurious Kadashevskaya Hotel offers great views over the city and the Kremlin. The 35 rooms feature a Scandinavian design with brown colors.

Address: 26 Kadashevskaya nab., Moscow
Phone: +7 495 287 87 10
Internet: www.kadashevskaya.com
Email: info@kadashevskaya.com

D'Hotel

This design hotel is perfect for both business and leisure. D'Hotel is located in the business district and is surrounded by greenery. At the hotel you can find wireless internet and a restaurant.

Address: Yaroslavskaya street, 8, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 730 18 23
Internet: www.dehotel.ru
Email: sales@dehotel.ru

Bega Hotel

The Bega Hotel is located right next to the hippodrome in the centre of Moscow. The hotel offers 150 comfortable rooms, all equipped with a satellite TV and WiFi. All guests also have access to a beauty salon and parking.

Address: 11, Begovaya alleya, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 945 5213
Internet: www.bega-hotel.ru
Email: reservation@bega-hotel.ru

Maxima Zarya

This affordable 3-star hotel Maxima Zarya is located near the Botanical Gardens and offers 192 rooms. At the hotel you can find a restaurant and a lobby bar. In the mornings you can savour the breakfast buffet.

Address: 1 Gostinichnaya St, Mar'ina Roshcha, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 788 72 77
Internet: www.maximahotels.com

Katerina City Hotel

Set on the river, Katerina City Hotel is ideally located in the centre of the city. The hotel offers a 4-star accommodation with 120 rooms. Guests also have access to free WiFi and a Mini-Bar.

Address: Shluzovaya Naberezhnaya 6, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 795 24 44

Internet: www.katerinahotels.com
Email: reception.city@katerinahotels.com

Swissotel Krasnye Holmy

Swissotel Krasnye Holmy offers an accommodation out of the ordinary. The hotel is located in the business district. Considering the hotel is 34 stories high, the views from here are just magnificent. Onsite you can find several culinary options.

Address: Kosmodamianskaya nab., 52 bld. 6, Moscow
Phone: +7 495 787 9800
Internet: www.swissotel.com
Email: moscow@swissotel.com

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Airport - Sheremetyevo International Airport

The largest international airport in Moscow is Sheremetyevo International Airport. For domestic travel, and travels to countries within the former Soviet Union, there are four smaller airports. Sheremetyevo International Airport is located 30 kilometres from the centre.

The easiest way to get here is by taxi. At the airport you can order taxis at the operator desk. You can usually book a taxi in advance through the hotel or travel agency when going to the airport.

Alternatively, there are different bus routes. The buses take about 30-70 minutes depending on the route and your final destination and cost 28RBL-70RBL.

From the Belorussky Railway Station you can catch the train. There are free shuttle buses from the terminals that

will take you to the station. The train takes 35 minutes and costs 320RBL.

Address: Sheremetyevo International Airport, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 578 65 65

Internet: www.svo.aero

More Info: Prices updated August 2013

Airport - Moscow Domodedovo Airport

Another large airport in Moscow is Moscow Domodedovo Airport. The airport is located 22 kilometres from the city.

Taxis can be ordered at the domestic and international arrivals hall. The rate from the airport to the city centre is approximately 1500RBN.

You can also reach the airport from Domodedovskaya underground station by mini-bus or bus and from Paveletsky railway station by train. The train from Paveletsky railway station takes 40-50 minutes going on the Aeroexpress train, and 1 hour and 10 minutes on the commuter train. The express buses and shuttles from Domodedovskaya underground station take 25-30 minutes and leave every 15 minutes. The buses run from 6am-12am. There are more buses with several intermediate stops that take over 3 hours.

At the airport there are car rental services.

Address: Moscow Domodedovo Airport, Moscow

Phone: +7 495 933 6666

Internet: www.domodedovo.ru

More Info: Prices updated August 2013

Metro

Moscow has one of the world's most beautiful underground railways. Furthermore, it operates quite efficiently. One journey costs 30-50RBL and a Smart Card valid for 24 hours costs 200RBL. If you carry a big luggage on the metro, make sure you buy a special luggage ticket that costs 50 RBL. Tickets can be bought at the stations.

In addition, there are buses, trolley buses and trams. Tickets for these can be bought at kiosks in the street or from the driver and validated once aboard.

Phone: +7 495 688 02 93
Internet: www.mosmetro.ru
More Info: Prices updated September 2013

Buses and trams

In Moscow there are also buses, trolley buses and trams apart from the beautiful metro. Tickets can be bought from the kiosks in the street or from the driver and validated once aboard. One single fare is 25RBL.

Phone: +7 495 950 4204
Internet: www.mosgortrans.ru
More Info: Prices updated September 2013

Taxi

In Moscow the easiest way to get a taxi is the traditional way: to stand in the street and hold out your arm. Civilian cars like to operate as taxis, it is therefore recommended to only use professional taxi services. Taxi meters are seldom used, so agree on a price before travelling. The minimum taxi order is about 300-400RBL, depending on the length of your trip.

Welcome Taxi
+7 499 922 06 74
www.welcometaxi.ru

Taxi Martex
+7 495 739 52 25
www.zz.ru

Post

There are many post offices around town. If you want to send a letter you can drop it of in one of the dark blue post boxes.

Main Post Office:

Address: Ul. Myasnitskaya 26, Moscow

Opening hours: Open 12am-12am
Phone: +7 495 623 67 01
Internet: www.russianpost.ru / www.moscowpost.ru

Pharmacy

Medical care may be very expensive if you do not have insurance. Hotels often have their own doctor, so start there if you need help.

Pharmacy 36.6:

Address: Valovaya ul., 4, Moscow
Opening hours: Open 12am-12am
Internet: www.366.ru

Telephone

National code: +7

Area code: 495/499

Electricity

220 volt, 50 Hz

Population

11,514,330

Currency

Russian ruble (RBL) 1 ruble = 100 kopeks

Opening hours

Most shops are open from 9/11am-7pm on weekdays. Banks are open from 10am-5pm. Some offices are closed an hour for lunch. Many museums are closed on Mondays and Tuesdays.

Newspapers

The Moscow Times
The Moscow Tribune

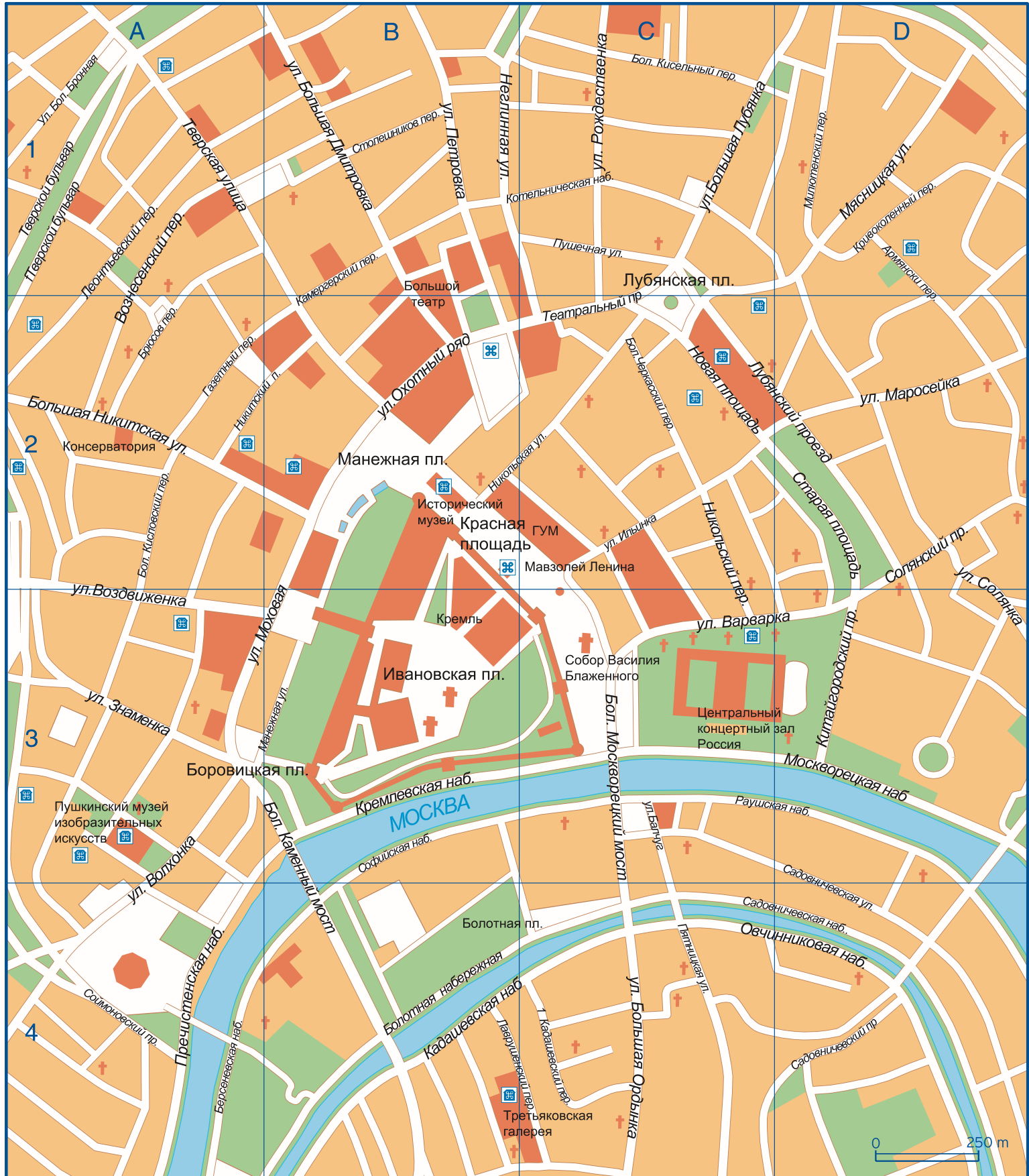
Emergency numbers

Emergency: 01
Police: 02
Ambulance: 03
Moscow Tourist Helpline: +7 800 220 00 02 (English)

Tourist information

Moscow Tourist Information Centre
Gostiny Dvor, 4 Ilyinka, Moscow
+7 095 232 5657
info@moscow-city.ru

Information can also be found at travel agents and upscale hotels.



		Вознесенский пер.	A1 A2	Садовничевская наб.	C4 D4
		Газетный пер.	A2 B2	Садовничевская ул.	C3 D3 D4
		Ивановская пл.	B3	Садовничевский пр.	C4 D4
		Кадашевская наб.	B4 C4	Соймоновский пр.	A4
		Камергерский пер.	B1 B2	Солянский пер.	D2
		Китайгородский пр.	D3	Софийская наб.	B4 B3 C3
		Котельническая наб.	B2 C2	Старая площадь	D3
		Красная площадь	B2 C2 C3	Столешников пер.	B2
		Кремлевская наб.	B3 C3	Тверская улица	A1 B2
		Кривоколенный пер.	D1	Тверской бульвар	A1 A2
		Лаврушенский пер.	B4 C4	Театральный пр.	C2
		Леонтьевский пер.	A1 A2	ул. Балчуг	C3
		Лубянская пл.	C1 C2	Ул. Бол. Бронная	A1
		Лубянский проезд	C2 D2	ул. Большая Дмитровка	B1 B2
		Манежная площадь	B2	ул. Большая Лубянка	C1 D1
		Манежная ул.	A3 B3	ул. Большая Ордынка	C3 C4
		1 Кадашевский пер.	D1	ул. Варварка	C3 D3
	C4	Милютенский пер.	C3 D3	ул. Воздвиженка	A2 B2
	D1 D2	Москворецкая наб.	D1	ул. Волхонка	A3 A4
	A4 B4	Мясницкая ул.	A2 B2	ул. Знаменка	A3
	B3 B4	Никитский пер.	B2 C2	ул. Ильинка	C2
	C1	Никольская ул.	C2 C3	ул. Маросейка	D2
	A2	Никольский пер.	C2	ул. Моховая	A3 B3 B2
	C3	Новая площадь	C4 D4	ул. Неглинная	C1 B1 C2
	C2	Овчиниковская наб.	A3 A4	ул. Охотный ряд	B2
	B4 C4	Пречистенская наб.	C2	ул. Петровка	B1 B2
	B3 C3	Пушечная ул.	C4	ул. Рождественка	C1 C2
	A2 B2	Пятницкая ул.	C3 B3	ул. Солянка	D2 D3
	A3	Раушская наб.			
	A1 A2				
Берсеневская наб.					
Бол. Каменный мост					
Бол. Кисельный пер.					
Бол. Кисловский пер.					
Бол. Москворецкий мост					
Бол.Черкасский пер.					
Болотная наб.					
Болотная пл.					
Большая Никитская ул.					
Боровицкая пл.					
Брюсов пер.					