

Villa Dahlias

Region: Provence-Alpes **Sleeps:** 6

Overview

A stone's throw from the idyllic village of Lourmarin, located in the captivating Luberon region, this charming 3-bedroom villa is perfectly placed for a family or small group of friends wishing to make the most of this wonderful part of Provence.

The ground floor living and dining areas offer a sense of space with their open plan design and sliding windows opening straight out to the terrace. Across two floors, three double bedrooms, two featuring queen-size beds, are simply yet comfortably furnished whilst a pretty bathroom and separate shower room means there is ample space for up to six guests.

The swimming pool is a gorgeous place to spend a summery afternoon with its decked terrace, pretty stone wall and olive trees. The covered al-fresco dining terrace is ideal for convivial lunchtimes, no doubt enjoying gastronomic delights from local Luberon markets.

Lourmarin, less than 2km away, awaits with its medieval lanes filled with inviting shops and pretty terrace cafes. Admire the vibrant colours of the Provençal market on a Friday morning and appreciate why this picture-perfect village has inspired so many artists and writers over the many years, including the late Albert Camus of course. Tour Lourmarin's famous château and look out for concerts and other events taking place in the castle's enchanting surroundings.

Potter around other pretty villages of the Luberon, perhaps starting off in Ansouis and Cucuron, then venturing north to iconic perched villages such as Gordes, Bonnieux and Ménerbes. Aix-en-Provence is also easily reached, only 38km by car, whilst other gems of Provence include L'Isle-sur-la-Sorgue, Saint-Rémy-de-Provence and the historic city of Avignon.

Facilities

Private Pool • Child-Safe Pool • Ideal for Kids • Ideal for Teens •
Wi-Fi/Internet • <1hr to Airport • BBQ • Hairdryer • Ground Floor Bed & Bath • Canoeing/Kayaking • Walking/Hiking Paths • Wine Tasting •
Cycling • Horse Riding • Fishing • Outstanding Landscapes • Outdoor Pursuit & Activities • Tourist Towns & Villages • Historical Sites • RWC-Marseille



Interior & Grounds

Villa Interiors (135m2, two floors)

- Lounge with TV and fireplace
- Dining area
- Open plan kitchen, well-equipped including electric oven, microwave oven, induction hob, dishwasher, American fridge and freezer
- Cellar/laundry room
- WC
- Bedroom with double bed (160x200cm) with door leading to covered terrace
- Family bathroom with bath, Italian shower and two sinks
- Bedroom with double bed (140x200cm)
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- Bathroom with shower, sink and WC

Outside Grounds (600m2, enclosed)

- Swimming pool (8x3m) with safety alarm
- Terrace with al-fresco dining area
- Plancha
- Electric gate
- Car parking space

Facilities

- Wi-Fi
- TV
- Hairdryers
- Washing machine and dryer



Location & Local Information

In the Vaucluse department of southern France, Villa Dahlias is located just outside the pretty village of Lourmarin in the southern part of the captivating Luberon region, 38km from Aix-en-Provence.

In a residential hamlet outside the village, the heart of Lourmarin is just under 2km away by car or bike. It's such an idyllic place to spend time whether exploring its flower-filled lanes, coming across little shops, stopping off for a coffee on a café terrace or discovering some of the village's excellent restaurants. It's Friday morning Provençal market is a joy to experience and don't miss the opportunity to tour the village's famous château which hosts several concerts as well as other festivities and events.

As you admire the countryside in this part of the Luberon, pass vineyards, olive groves and orchards growing cherries and almonds. There's canoeing and kayaking on the Durance River and the nearby Étang de la Bonde, where locals swim in the summer, is a peaceful area for walking and fishing. Horse-riding and cycling are also very popular pursuits here.

Visit Ansouis (10km), another classified French 'Plus Beaux Villages', home to a wonderful castle and Michelin starred restaurant. Also spend time in Cucuron (6km), such a lovely place with a delightful square, *bassin*, another high-end restaurant and Tuesday morning market.

Heading further north, other perched villages of the Luberon are a must-see such as Bonnieux (15km), Ménerbes (27km) and Van Gogh's beloved Gordes (35km). Foodies won't want to miss the Saturday morning market in Apt (20km) whilst a little further afield is L'Isle-sur-la-Sorgue (40km), home to one of France's most famous *brocantes* on a Sunday morning.

Driving south, Aix-en-Provence (38km) is worthy of a brilliant day out with its parks, galleries, museums, book shops and café terraces. The landscapes of Les Alpilles also await with gems such as Les Baux-de-Provence and Saint-Rémy-de-Provence reached in around an hour by car.



Local Amenities

Nearest Airport	Avignon Airport (55km)
Nearest Airport 2	Marseille Provence Airport (66km)



Nearest Train Station	Gare de Pertuis/Aix-en-Provence TGV (21km/55km)
Nearest Village	Lourmarin (Within 2km)
Nearest Restaurant	Lourmarin (Within 2km)
Nearest Supermarket	Grocery store in Lourmarin (2km)
Nearest Town	Pertuis (20km)
Nearest City	Aix-en-Provence (38km)
Nearest Golf	Golf International de Pont Royal (28km)

What we love

- A family home with charming interiors and a delightful swimming pool
- Enjoy al-fresco meals on the picturesque terrace
- How wonderful to be so close to Lourmarin, one of France's '*Plus Beaux Villages*' famed for its associations with Albert Camus
- Spend the day in beautiful town of Aix-en-Provence or visit other picture-perfect Luberon villages such as Gordes and Ménerbes

What you should know...

- Please note that published rates are only valid for the current year. Any bookings for subsequent years will be on request only and correct rates will be confirmed at the time of booking.
- Please note that your booking will only be confirmed once we have checked availability with the owner or their property manager.

Terms & Conditions

- Security deposit: €1200 charged to client's credit card before arrival and refunded two weeks after departure, subject to full inspection.
- Arrival time: 5.00 p.m. Late arrivals after 9.00 p.m. may be charged a late arrival fee of €120.
- Departure time: 10.00 a.m.
- End of stay cleaning included?: No. €50, payable locally. This is for a standard changeover clean. Guests are required to leave the accommodation clean, tidy and in the same condition as on their arrival. Any extra cleaning, laundry, maintenance and/or rubbish disposal required will be charged against the security deposit.
- Changeover day: Saturday. All other changeover days on request.
- Minimum stay: 7 nights. All other durations on request.
- Energy costs included?: Yes.
- Heating costs included?: Yes.
- Tax: French Visitors Tax payable locally (typically costs €1-€5 per adult per night- please enquire if exact amount is required).
- Pool heating charge?: Extra cost, payable locally. Please note that like all heated pools, pool heating and water temperature are reliant on weather and outside temperatures.
- Pool opening dates?: Please note that pool opening dates are subject to local weather conditions and pool maintenance requirements and that cooler months may not be suitable for swimming.
- Pool towels included?: Yes.
- Linen & towels included?: Yes.
- Pets welcome?: Not allowed.
- Smoking Allowed?: No.
- Insurance: Guests are required to be in possession of a valid insurance policy, which covers them for cancellations, loss of personal belongings, personal liability and any accidental damage caused during their stay.
- Other Ts and Cs: Weddings, stag/hen parties and any special events are not allowed.
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