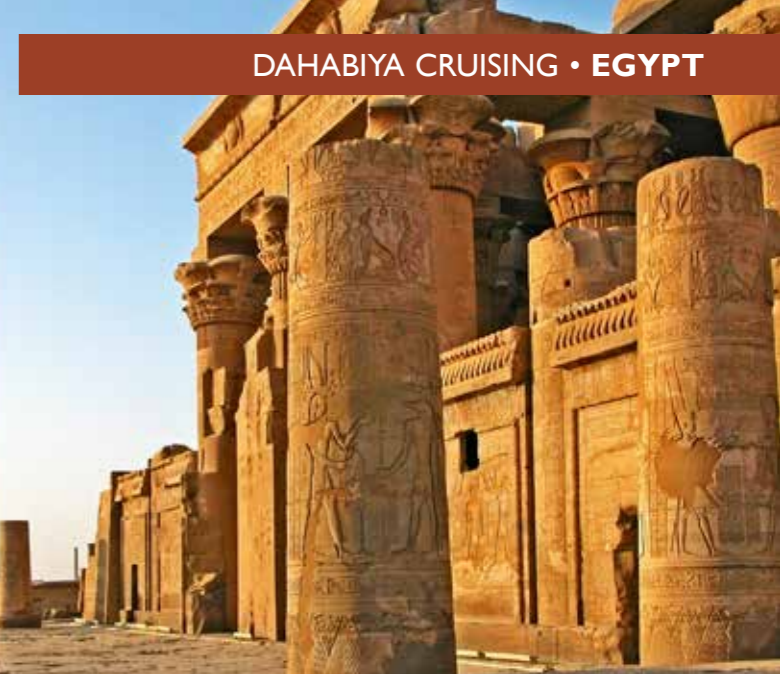




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DAHABIYAS

SONESTA DAHABIYA

Sonesta's boutique sailing boat, the Amirat, offers a unique cruise experience reminiscent of early 20th century exploration. Combining beauty and comfort, the vessel takes just 14 guests and there is an almost equal number of staff to make your stay more enjoyable. The dahabiya includes 5 deluxe cabins and 2 elegant suites with a private terrace. The Amirat features a beautiful lounge, dining room, spacious sundeck and open air Jacuzzi.



Sonesta Dahabiya cabin © Sonesta

EMECO DAHABIYA

Emeco have three dahabiyas in their fleet: the Princess Grace, the Dalida and the Merit, all decorated in both traditional and contemporary style. The Princess Grace and the Dalida each offer 8 spacious ensuite cabins with large windows, whilst the Merit has 10 deluxe cabins. All dahabiyas have a large indoor lounge, dining and bar area, whilst the spacious sundeck has a shaded lounge and dining area, bar, sunbeds and Jacuzzi. Explore the sights with an English speaking guide.



Emeco Dahabiya deck view © Hany Elkattouri

NILE DAHABIYA

6 days/5 nights
From \$1543 per person twin share
Departs Saturdays ex Luxor or Aswan

Sonesta departs Luxor Saturdays:
11 & 25 May, 08 & 22 June, 06 & 20 July, 03, 17 & 31 Aug,
14 & 28 Sep, 12 & 26 Oct, 09 & 23 Nov, 07 & 21 Dec.

Sonesta departs Aswan Saturdays:
04 & 18 May, 01, 15 & 29 June, 13 & 27 July, 10 & 24 Aug,
07 & 21 Sep, 05 & 19 Oct, 02, 16 & 30 Nov, 14 & 28 Dec.

Emeco dahabiya departs Luxor Saturdays: *A

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Sonesta Amirat Dahabiya	\$1861	\$3712
Emeco Dahabiya	\$1543	\$2623
Abu Simbel excursion by air	\$620	\$708

*2020 dates on request.
^June - August on request.

INCLUSIONS

5 night cruise on a full board basis and guided sightseeing.

Return to the gracious era of turn of the century travel and cruise the Nile in style on board a traditional sailing boat called a dahabiya. These boutique sailing boats are fully air-conditioned and

carry just 16 to 20 passengers. Travel from Luxor to Aswan or vice versa, visiting temples and rural villages on the riverbank, soaking up the spectacular scenery. Sightseeing excursions are accompanied by an English speaking guide trained in Egyptology. Dahabiyas are pulled by a tug-boat to ensure a smooth and quiet ride.

ITINERARY

Days 1/2 Luxor

Board your dahabiya today and enjoy a welcome drink and lunch. This afternoon visit the temples of Luxor and Karnak. On day 2 explore the Valley of the Kings, Valley of the Queens, the temple of Hatshepsut and the Colossi of Memnon. LD/BLD

Day 3 Edfu

Continue onto Edfu and visit the wonderfully preserved Temple of Edfu built between 237 and 57 BC. BLD

Day 4 Aswan

Sail to Aswan today. Enroute stop at Sheikh Fadi Island for lunch before a visit to the temple of Kom Ombo. BLD

Day 5 Aswan

This morning visit the Aswan High Dam before taking a short boat ride to see the majestic Philae Temple on the island of Agilika. BLD

Day 6 Tour Ends

Optional visit to Abu Simbel Temple in the early morning. Disembark in Aswan after breakfast. B

Note: Tours also operate in reverse. 7 night cruises are also available.



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Relaxing Dahabiya breakfast on the Nile © Stephen Cameron



Sonesta Amirat Sitting Area © Sonesta