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One Piece or Two?

It's that time of year: sand, sea, salt air — and scene, if that's what floats your boat. Want a beach vacation with billionaires or bohos? Margaritas or mint tea? Here, the ins and outs of the season's hottest getaways. **SHYAMA PATEL**

	STAR POWER	BUZZ	TAKE SHELTER	COVER UP	ACCESSORY DU JOUR
<p>SAYULITA, MEXICO The bohemian's Baja, where a rollicking beach and colorful town square trump the megaresorts lining the rest of the Pacific Coast.</p>	 If there were stars here, the surfers would skip town.	<p>Once a quiet fishing village, Sayulita has become one big American beach party.</p> 	<p>In a palatial — and cheap — villa in the hills above town (www.sayulita.life.com has listings).</p>	<p>Peasant skirt and huarache sandals.</p> 	<p>An off-duty street vendor to whip up tacos and tamales at your place.</p>
<p>TURKS & CAICOS No night life or shopping, only beaches, underwater adventure and over-the-top spa resorts — just how the masters of the universe (and fashion and Hollywood) like it.</p>	 Donna Karan: Bruce Willis; Michael Douglas; Catherine Zeta-Jones.	<p>\$2 million buys a piece of the yet-to-open Dellis Cay, the islands' next big thing (Douglas and Zeta-Jones are owners).</p> 	<p>Grace Bay Club in Provo if you want to be seen. (Hotel-hopping for dinner is the second most popular sport.) Or sequester yourself with the stars at Parrot Cay.</p> 	<p>If you have to ask, you don't belong.</p>	 A private jet to whisk you home — the no-frills departure lounge is such a buzz kill.
<p>MUSCAT, OMAN Arabian nights on spectacular white sands, with souks, ancient forts and desert dunes to explore.</p>	 The Sultan of Oman and his entourage; Saudi princes.	<p>The sheik way to arrive is by helicopter, right on the beach.</p> 	<p>At Shangri-La's new "six-star" Barr Al Jissah — think tanning valets to fill all your sunscreen needs on the private beach.</p> 	<p>Diane Von Furstenberg bikini for the beach. Tory Burch tunic for the Grand Mosque.</p> 	<p>A Jeep and hiking boots for wandering through Bedouin villages and forts in the hills south of town.</p> 
<p>JOSÉ IGNACIO, URUGUAY This stretch of unassuming houses on an empty white-sand beach north of Punta Del Este may look like the next big nothing, but honey, it's fabulous.</p>	 Gisele! Naomi! Mario! Ralph! (Martin Amis, too, but he's on different lists.)	<p>The insider destination is being invaded: a outpost of Miami's Setai is opening on the beach.</p>	<p>Sleep off a caipirinha binge at Casa Suaya, the L.A. restaurateur Adolfo Suaya's idyllic seaside B&B.</p> 	<p>Tom Ford Black Orchid — and the flossiest G-string you can find.</p>	<p>A friend with access: the scene's so closed, you'll be pining for the other Riviera's buy-a-bottle clubs.</p> 
<p>PHUKET, THAILAND Three years after the tsunami, this hedonist's paradise is back to its boozey, bustling, Bangkok-on-the-beach self — and then some.</p>	 Michael Kors: Sarah Ferguson and her princesses; Roger Federer.	<p>Coming: Philippe Starck's Cape Yuma development. Post-tsunami, the glitz factor has soared, with new ultraluxury resorts and a more upscale vibe in town.</p> 	<p>At Trisara on the quiet northwestern shore, for your own private infinity pool and alfresco massages before breakfast.</p>	<p>Batik sarong, bare feet.</p> 	<p>Fake designer everything for putting on the glitz at the Patong discos.</p> 