

## 7 New Escapes in the Caribbean

From an off-the-grid tropical hideaway to a reefside diving resort, these new hotels will take you far from anything that resembles snow and cold.



An aerial view of the Coulibri Ridge resort in Dominica. Coulibri Ridge

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### Dominica

#### [Coulibri Ridge](#)

Sitting atop a lush green mountain ridge with views of the Caribbean Sea, [Coulibri Ridge](#) has all the trappings of a carefree resort — a spa, yoga pavilion, gym, high-speed Wi-Fi — while being fully off the grid. The 285-acre retreat uses solar energy as its primary power source (there are wind turbines, too), grows much of its own produce, and funnels purified rainwater to its two infinity pools and 14 spacious studios and duplex suites. Each has a terrace with views of the sea, as well as a kitchenette, binoculars and a birding book. Certain suites have a second terrace overlooking the Sulphur Spring Valley, some with outdoor rain showers and others with private pools.

Should you feel the urge to roam, tropical gardens, an orchard and ruins from an 18th-century estate await. And it's easier than ever to get there: American Airlines this year began offering daily flights to Dominica from Miami International Airport. Rates from \$500 for a special opening package (stay seven nights, pay for five) until Dec. 14. From Dec. 15 to Jan. 15, 2023, rates start at \$800 a night. Breakfast is included; lunch and dinner are à la carte.



The yoga pavilion at Coulibri Ridge in Dominica. Coulibri Ridge