## Amanemu

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Set in Ise Shima National Park, Amanemu (peaceful joy) is perched on the shores of Ago Bay, a blue expanse dotted with islets and drifting oyster rafts. Lying south of Tokyo, two hours by train from Nagoya or 25 minutes by private helicopter, the resort provides easy access to Japan's most sacred Shinto shrines and ancient pilgrimage routes winding through nearby forests.

Celebrating the tradition of *onsen* (bathing in mineral hot springs), Amanemu's 2,000-square-metre Aman Spa is an integral part of the resort. Offering an enriching guest experience centred on holistic wellbeing, it has its own thermal spring feeding two outdoor pools, each a different temperature, and two exclusive *kashikiri* onsen pavilions. The spa also offers four treatment rooms, a fitness centre, a yoga studio and a pool for aquatic body work.

The benefits of onsen can also be enjoyed in Amanemu's 24 suites and eight two-bedroom villas. Each features a private plunge-bath supplied with water drawn from the same natural hot springs as the Aman Spa.

Identical in layout and design, Amanemu's 99-square-metre suites present combined bedroom and living spaces and expansive decks. Suites are divided into three different categories depending on their outlooks: Mori Suites are surrounded by indigenous vegetation with tranquil green views; Sora Suites are situated closer to the coast with peaceful green views towards Ago Bay; closest to the shore, Nagi Suites offer the best views of Ago Bay. The eight two-bedroom villas offer expansive living and dining spaces, and four include a large onsen room. The four Tsuki Villas have their own private gardens and separate pavilions housing private onsen facilities, with hot spring-fed baths both indoors and out.

The resort's Restaurant and Lounge Bar embrace the area's gourmet heritage, serving exquisite Japanese and international cuisines. Other facilities include a serene library.

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Set in Ise Shima National Park, Amanemu (peaceful joy) is perched on the shores of Ago Bay, a blue expanse known as the Bay of Pearls dotted with islets and drifting oyster rafts. The ancient Kumano Kodō pilgrimage routes wind through forests nearby, and Japan's most sacred Shinto shrines are within easy reach.

Lying south of Tokyo on 341 acres, two hours by train from Nagoya or 25 minutes by private helicopter, Amanemu embraces a classic Japanese aesthetic in line with traditional ryokan inns. An exclusive sanctuary at one with nature, the resort's proximity to the revered 2,000-year-old Shinto shrine of Ise Jingū inspired much of its design and peaceful ambience.

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Identical in layout and design, Amanemu's 99-square-metre Suites present combined bedroom and living areas with woven textile shutters opening to embrace the outdoors. Expansive decks offer outdoor living areas and beautiful views. Suites are divided into three different categories depending on their outlooks: Mori Suites are surrounded by indigenous vegetation with tranquil green views; Sora Suites are situated closer to the coast with peaceful green views towards Ago Bay; closest to the shore, Nagi Suites boast premium views of Ago Bay.

The eight two-bedroom villas offer expansive living and dining areas and private onsen facilities. The Mori Villa, two Sora Villas and Nagi Villa each boast a large onsen room and offer similar views to suites of the same name. The four Tsuki Villas have their own private gardens and separate pavilions housing private onsen facilities, with hot spring-fed baths both indoors and out.

Situated in a region renowned for its gourmet heritage, from outstanding seafood to the renowned Matsusaka beef, Amanemu presents a Restaurant and Bar Lounge celebrating this local abundance. The area was once known as *Miketsukuni* (Land of Imperial provisions) when it served as the breadbasket of the ancient Imperial Court. Other facilities include a serene library and a boutique.

Guests can enjoy bespoke Aman Journeys seeking out the cultural nuances and finest experiences of the region. Day trips hiking the Kumano Kodō trails, boat trips on Ago Bay and private meals with Ama, the legendary female pearl divers, to traditional Japanese sake and tea tastings, can easily be arranged.