

Galets d'Or

Region: Provence-Alpes **Sleeps:** 10

Overview

Set at the foot of Les Alpilles and encircled by poetic Provençal landscapes, Galets D'Or is a masterfully restored mas where nature and elegance harmonise in rare perfection. Here, in a world unspoilt by noise or haste, each moment stretches out in peace, with hiking trails on your doorstep, yet you are just over 7km from the artistic ambience of Saint-Rémy-de-Provence.

The gardens at Galets D'Or are nothing short of artful. Layered terraces framed by dry-stone walls, trailing wisteria and ivy-covered pergolas draw the eye to the home's golden stone façades. Whether breakfasting under the shade of the gloriette, wandering past the ornamental pond or dining al-fresco as evening nears, you'll find beauty at every turn. Thoughtfully designed to balance openness with seclusion, the grounds offer abundant space to gather or retreat.

Step inside and the mas reveals its soul, an ode to Provençal heritage with artistic touches. Original features remain proudly intact, while en suite bathrooms and air-conditioning in the upstairs bedrooms ensure modern comfort. Each space is brought to life by curated artworks and carefully chosen finishes, offering guests a stay that feels both intimate and inspiring. The vast sitting room, with its fireplace and terrace, is the heart of the home, ideal for lively evenings or quiet reflection. And beyond, the salt-water swimming pool beckons, sheltered and serene.

Located just a short drive from Saint-Rémy-de-Provence, Galets D'Or places you at the edge of one of the region's most beloved towns. From bustling markets and art galleries to quiet cafés beneath plane trees, Saint-Rémy offers Provençal life at its finest, rich in history, culture and bustling charm.

Facilities

Wi-Fi/Internet • Air-Con • Not for little ones • Washing Machine • Private Pool • Cots (Cribs) • Saltwater Pool • Pool Safety Feature • Ideal for Kids • <1hr to Airport • Tumble Dryer • Electric Car Charger • All Bedrooms En-Suite • Caretaker/Owner on Site • High Chair(s) • Parking Space



Interior & Grounds

House Interiors (350m2)

Ground Floor

- Living room with TV, fireplace and doors opening to terrace
- Dining room with table for 10 guests
- Kitchen, fully-equipped
- Laundry room with washing machine and dryer
- Guest WC
- Bedroom 1 with king-size double bed (180x200cm), access to garden and en suite bathroom with shower, sink and WC
- Bedroom 2 with double bed (140x200cm), access to outside and en suite bathroom with shower, sink and WC

First Floor

- Bedroom 3 (inside or outside access) with king-size double bed (180x200cm), air-conditioning and en suite bathroom with shower, sink and WC
- Bedroom 4 with queen-size double bed (160x200cm), air-conditioning and en suite bathroom with bath, sink and WC
- Master Bedroom 5 (inside or outside access) with queen-size double bed (160x200cm), air-conditioning, dressing area and en suite bathroom with bath, shower, sink and WC

Outside Grounds (one hectare, enclosed)

- Salt-water swimming pool (12x6m) with safety alarm
- Sun loungers and parasols
- Pergola with al-fresco dining table for 10 guests
- Landscaped garden (with different levels and steps)
- Gazebo
- Water feature
- Parking
- Electric vehicle charging station



Location & Local Information

South-west of Saint-Rémy-de-Provence, Galets d'Or enjoys a remarkable, rural and peaceful location in the foot of Les Alpilles with hiking trails from the estate.

Follow the winding lanes towards Saint-Rémy-de-Provence (7.5km) where cobblestone lanes wind past shuttered stone houses, leafy squares echo with the clink of café glasses and the bustling Wednesday morning market overflows with lavender, olives and artisan delights. Known as the birthplace of Nostradamus and a place that captured Van Gogh's imagination, this idyllic town embodies the essence of southern France — artistic, soulful and steeped in sunshine.

Another short, winding drive away, the dramatic limestone cliffs of Les Baux-de-Provence (6.5km) rise from the landscape like a medieval mirage. Here, the spectacular ruins of a hilltop castle overlook a panoramic valley dotted with olive groves and cypress trees. Don't miss the immersive Carrières des Lumières, an extraordinary art show projected inside a former stone quarry — a sensory experience like no other.

Maussane-les-Alpilles (10km) offers an authentic taste of village life. This picturesque haven is famed for its world-class olive oil, charming restaurants and gentle pace. Enjoy lunch under the shade of plane trees, explore local shops or follow serene walking trails and cycling routes through the surrounding landscapes of olive groves.

For those looking to explore further, a day trip to Arles and the Camargue opens up a world of culture and wild beauty. Arles (25km), with its Roman amphitheatre and Van Gogh landmarks, brims with heritage and artistic flair. Journey south and you'll find the Camargue — a raw, untamed landscape of salt flats, flamingos, and free-roaming white horses, offering a taste of nature at its most primal.

If you can find the time, delve into the historic riches of Avignon (28km), Nîmes (46km) or Le Pont du Gard (40km). Marvel at Avignon's Papal Palace and the elegant bridge immortalised in song, wander the Roman temples and arenas of Nîmes, and stand in awe of the Pont du Gard, a UNESCO-listed aqueduct spanning a tranquil gorge. From ancient wonders to artistic legends, this region promises unforgettable moments at every turn.

Local Amenities

Nearest Airport	Avignon Airport (28km)
Nearest Airport 2	Nîmes Airport (40km)
Nearest Airport 3	Marseille Airport (64km)



Nearest City	Avignon (28km)
Nearest Golf	Golf des Baux de Provence (8km)
Nearest Restaurant	Saint-Rémy-de-Provence (7.5km)
Nearest Supermarket	Intermarché SUPER Saint-Rémy (8km)
Nearest Tennis	Tennis Club Saint-Rémy (9km)
Nearest Town	Saint-Rémy-de-Provence (7.5km)
Nearest Train Station	Gare d'Avignon TGV (25km)
Nearest Village	Les Baux-de-Provence (6.5km)

What we love

Admire artwork, sculptures and objets d'art across this authentic Provençal mas

Every bedroom has its own en suite, some also feature air-conditioning

The landscaped gardens are beautiful with a pergola for al-fresco dining and elegant swimming pool

In a peaceful setting, there are hiking trails from your doorstep

Soak up the artistic ambience of Saint-Rémy-de-Provence, only 7.5km by car

What you should know...

The house is suitable for up to 9 guests (or 10 with a baby) across five double bedrooms – please see the “Layout” tab for details.

Air-conditioning is only featured in the three first-floor bedrooms.

Please note that the gardens are not ideal for young children – supervision is required at all times.

A discreet caretaker lives in his own villa within the estate whilst respecting guests' privacy.

Terms & Conditions

- **Security deposit:** €7,000 charged to client's credit card by Oliver's Travels as a pre-authorisation at least 2 weeks prior to arrival and refunded two weeks after departure, subject to full inspection.
- **Arrival time:** 5.00 p.m.
- **Departure time:** 10.00 a.m.
- **Energy costs included?:** Yes.
- **Linen & towels included?:** Yes.
- **Pets welcome?:** Not allowed.
- **Other Ts and Cs:** Weddings, stag/hen parties and any special events are not allowed.
- **Changeover day:** Saturday. All other changeover days on request.
- **End of stay cleaning available?:** No. €150, payable locally. This is for a standard changeover clean. Guests should be respectful of the property and leave the accommodation in a clean and tidy condition. Any extra cleaning, laundry, maintenance and/or rubbish disposal required will be charged against the security deposit. Mid stay cleaning is optional €15, payable locally.
- **Smoking Allowed?:** Smoking and vaping are not permitted.
- **Other 2:** Quiet and non-intrusive owners/caretaker/staff live on-site, they will be very happy to help.
- **Other 3:** Air-conditioning is only featured in the three first-floor bedrooms.
- **Minimum stay:** 7 nights. All other durations on request.
- **Heating costs included?:** Yes.
- **Tax:** French Visitors Tax payable locally in cash (typically costs €1-€10 per adult per night - please enquire if exact amount is required).
- **Pool towels included?:** Yes.