# 7 Days Iran Ski Tour

Epic ski trip to north of Tehran

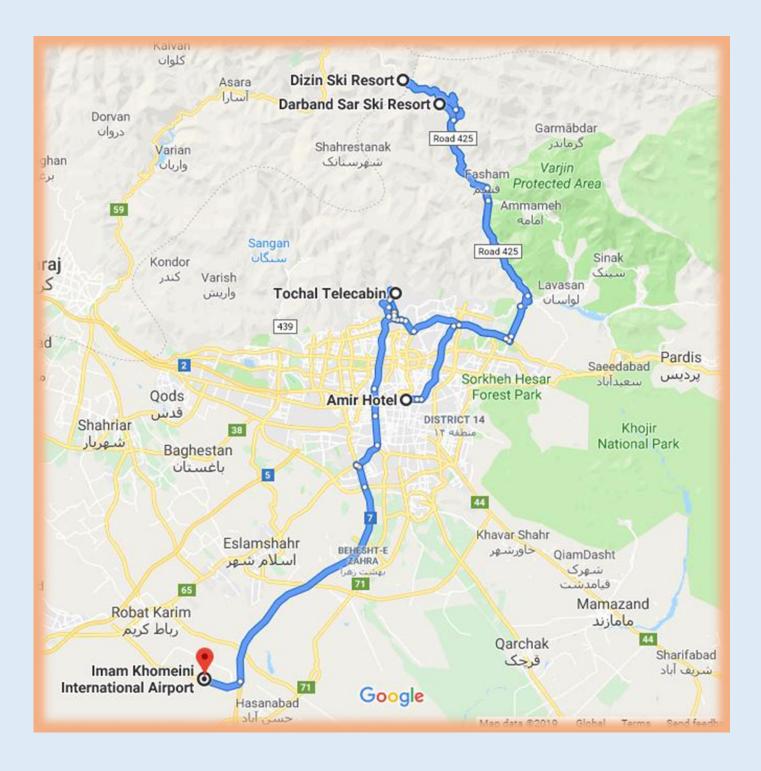
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# "7 DAYS IRAN SKI" Itinerary

#### **TRIP HIGHLIGHTS**

Skiing in the northern mountains of Iran can be an unforgettable experience.



# **Over Night**



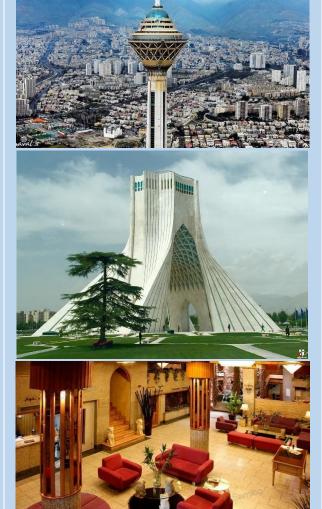
Day 1 Arriving in Tehran, Hotel Check-in / Depending on arrival time a short evening sightseeing in Tehran could be arranged.



Day 2

Tehran to Gajereh Hotel via Chalus Road 125 Km / via Shemshak Road 77 Km

> (Will take about 2 hours and 20 min. or 1 hours and 45 min. based on route)









Amir Hotel (Tehran)

Gajereh Hotel (Gajereh Village near Dizin Ski Resort)



Day 4

Full day of skiing / After breakfast,enjoy a full day of skiing at the resort.







Gajereh Hotel (Gajereh Village near Dizin Ski Resort)





Hotel (Shemshak / Darbandsar)

Transfer to Darbandsar / Shemshak ski resorts in the morning / Continue Skiing until night is possible

Gajereh hotel to Darbandsar Ski resort 22 Km

(will take about 45 min.)

Come back to Tehran in the morning and Transfer to Tochal telecabin / You will be taken atop the Tochal peak and ski resort and hotel by telecabin and telesiege / Hotel check-in / Enjoying a full day of skiing at the highest ski resort in Iran / Relax and enjoy the evening at **Tochal Hotel** 

Day 5

Darbandsar to Tochal Telecabin 58 Km

(Will take about 1 hour) and 20 min.) Tochal telecabin station 1 to 7 7.5

Km + to Tochal hotel 1.1 Km

(will take about 1 hour)







**Tochal Hotel** (Tochal international Ski Resort & Complex)

Spend time in the Tochal Ski resort in the morning / Come back to Tehran / Transfer to IKIA Airport, IBIS Hotel Check-in / Rest and relax

Day 6

Tochal hotel to Tochal telecabin station 7 to 1 1.1 Km + 7.5 Km (will take about 1 hour) **Tochal Telecabin to IKIA Airport 65-**81 Km based on route (Will take about 65 min. or 75)

min. based on route)

**IKIA Airport IBIS Hotel** (Tehran)



#### NOTE:

Depending on access road closure to the Tochal or Disin ski resorts because of inappropriate weather conditions, if possible, alternative plan in other ski resorts of Tehran will be provided.

# Services :

• VIP air-conditioned coach transportation from/to Imam Khomeini International Airport (Tehran) on day 1 to day 7.

- Overnights in hotels 4 \* and 5 \*
- All meals included (F/B).
- English (or other languages) speaking guide.
- Comfortable VIP transportation included.
- We provide water, coffee, fruits, sweets in the car on the road for Free.
- Permits wherever needed.
- Travel insurance.
- Obtaining a visa code
- Free wifi

### \*NOT Included:

- All Ski Pistes entrance fees and Ski equipments rental fees.
- International Flight

DIZIN

#### INFORMATION

From 2700m to 3600m

9x Skilifts 3x Chairlifts 4x Gondolas 5x Green slopes 7x Blue Slopes 8x Red Slopes 3x Black Slopes

#### **SKI RESORT**

Dizin is located about 70km away from the capital Tehran, in the Alborz mountain range. It is nearby two other main ski resorts of Iran : Shemshak and Darbandsar.

The resort was created during the sixties, under the reign of **Mohammad Rezā Shāh**. The resort is known for the quality of its snow and for being one of **the highest ski resort in the world**.

Dizin ski resort is the biggest and the most diversified in Iran. The ski area is located in a large funnel shaped valley.

From the snow front, 4 lifts next to one another serve each sides of the all area – 3x Gondolas + 1x Chairlift. Due to Dizin's configuration, you can stay above 3000m and **ski all day long**, without getting bored ! The North exposure of the slopes guarantee great snow quality all along the ski season. The skiable are is 470 ha and the average snow depth is between 2 and 6 meters.

For freeskiing, Dizin is a goldmine ! Besides the great powder field located between the slopes, the resort offers numerous off-pistes trails with perfect view on Mount Damavand.

It is definitely « *the place to ski* » in Iran. With few investments, a good daily grooming and Dizin would be for sure a 5\* international class ski resort !

★ Services : Ski and clothing rental – Ski shops – Ski cours – Restaurants – Hotels – Heliskiing

#### Darbandsar

#### INFORMATION

From 2600m to 3600m

2x Skilifts 3x Chairlifts 1x Gondola 2x Green slopes 2x Red slopes

#### **SKI RESORT**

Bought by a private investor a few years ago, Darbandsar is one of the few ski resort in Iran to develop. It is located one hour away from Tehran and has some great assets.

Darbandsar ski area is behind Dizin the biggest one in Iran! In few years, the resort took over in term of size and diversity Tochal and Shemshak ski resorts, becoming more and more popular among Iranian skiers.

Darbandsar is now equipped with 2x four seats chairlifts, 1x two seats chairlift, 1x gondola and 2 ski lifts.

Starting from the summit, the main slope is wide, groomed everyday and offers 900m of vertical drop. Half of it is equipped with a few snow makers and lights for night skiing. Away from this main axis, a ski lift serves an other red slope.

Potential for freeskiing is interesting! However, for safety and responsibility reasons, off-piste skiing is not allowed. If you still want to explore around, here is the option : Negotiate with the ski patrol to get an authorization

★ Services : Night skiing – Ski and clothing rental – Ski shops – Restaurants – Ski cours – Other activities

#### SHEMSHAK

#### INFORMATION

From 2550m to 3050m

2x Skilifts 3x Chairlifts 1x Green slope 2x Blue slopes 3x Red slopes 2x Black slopes

#### **SKI RESORT**

Until the beginning of the 20th century, Shemshak was a small village lost in the mountain. With the discovery of important coal deposits, the village grew and a road connecting Shemshak to Tehran was built.

At the end of the mining operations, the village became a leisure place for rich people. In 1958, Shemshak ski resort was created, offering to the upper class of Tehran a place to learn and practice this trendy sport from Europe.

Nowadays, Shemshak is still a famous place for Iranian to come relax and have fun! Even-though the resort hasn't expand since its opening, it is still one of the largest in Iran. The proximity of Shemshak with other ski resorts like Darbandsar and Dizin, makes it the Ski Capital of Iran !

★ Services : Night skiing – Ski and clothing rental / shops – Ski cours – Restaurants – Hotels – Other activities

Shemshak ski area is the third biggest in Iran behind Dizin and Darbandsar. The 2x chairlifts (2 seats) starting from the village serve the summit. From the top, you can access several slopes with varying difficulties. 2x ski lifts also reach the summit. A small ski lift in the village is dedicated to the beginner area.

The ski resort offers numerous off-piste trails, reachable straight from its top.

Tochal

#### INFORMATION

From 1900m to 3850m

1x Skilift 2x Chairlifts 1x Gondola 2x Blue slopes

#### **SKI RESORT**

Builded at the end of the seventies, Tochal ski resort is part of a multi-activity complex located North of Tehran. Tochal is a leisure place where Iranian are coming to breath fresh air and enjoy numerous activities: skiing or snowboarding, hiking, summer sledge, zipline, coaster, restaurants, hotel...

At Tochal ski resort, the winter season lasts up to **7 months with 100% natural snow**! If smog isn't to dense, you will experience a breathtaking panoramic view of Tehran from top of the gondola.

The ski area, North-West exposure, is equipped with 3x lifts : 2x chairlifts (three seats) + 1x unused ski lift. The 2 slopes of the resort are nice, wide and properly groomed everyday. The snow quality is worth the try.

Using the lifts, off-piste trails are limited. However, knowing where to go, you can experience long off-pistes starting from Tochal's peak back to the valley leading to Dizin, Shemshak and Darbandsar ski resorts.

★ Services : Ski and clothing rental – Ski school – Restaurant – Hotel – Shops – Other activities