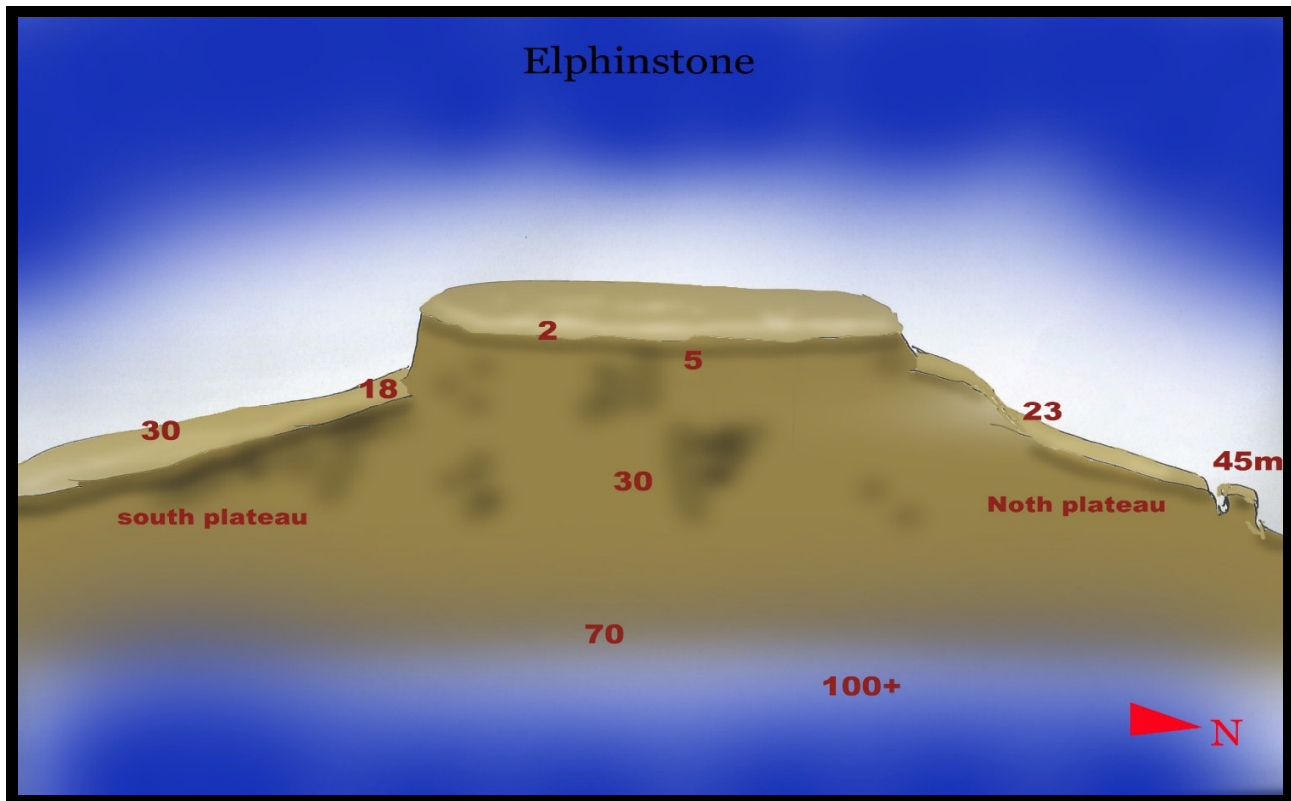


Elphinstone Reef

(Boat Trip)



Distance: 120 minutes by boat in south-east direction from Port Ghalib

Description: One of the most famous dive sites in the world. Excluding the plateaus on the north and south side, Elphinstone is 450 meter long and lies 11km east of the shore. Here you can dive the beautiful overgrown reef walls. In addition, Elphinstone is rich with corals covered plateaus on the north and south side descending in steps from the top to a depth of 20 meter then to 40 meter before sloping to another depth of 60 meter.

Entrance from the boat or drift dive from the zodiac.

Flora and Fauna: Longimanus, grey reef sharks, hammerhead (seldom), Barracudas, trevallies, tunas, scorpion fish, dolphin, shoals of anthias and wonderful soft and hard corals.

Difficulty: Difficult, only for experienced divers. Strong currents possible. No snorkeling.

Requirements: at least 50 logged dives, min Advanced Diver Certification, min 15 years old or min age 18 years and 100 logged dives

Depth: 3 – 40 meter +