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# KEY DATA

## 2023 A dynamic year

An increase in attendance of 95,000 visitors.



**1,975**  
million  
visitors



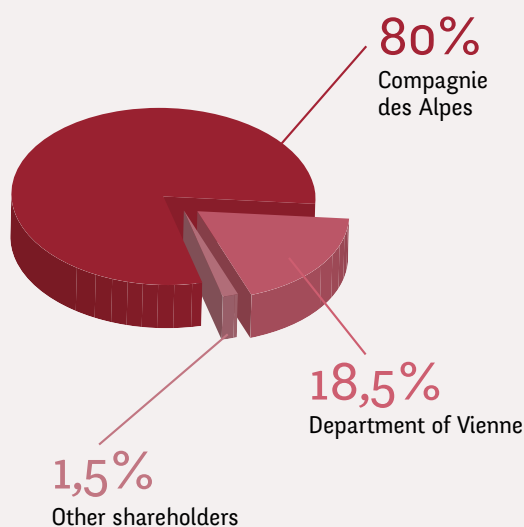
**125**  
million euros  
turnover

## Shareholders

### LA COMPAGNIE DES ALPES

France's leading ski Resort (Tignes, Val d'Isère, La Plagnes...) and manager of 13 leisure destinations (e.g. Parc Astérix, Musée Grévin), Compagnie des Alpes is the majority shareholder in Futuroscope.

### Distribution of the Futuroscope company's capital



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one resort

## 2023 KEY MOMENTS



**April 2023**  
Tornado chaser awarded  
world's best attraction

# FUTUROSCOPE KEY FACTS AND FIGURES



**No.1**

tourist site in the  
Nouvelle-Aquitaine  
region



**1st**

amusement Park  
to open in France  
(in 1987)



**60**

million visitors  
since it was founded



**50 %**

of visitors  
staying for 2 days



**40**

attractions for  
the whole family



**80 %**

individual visitors,  
20 % groups



**100 000**

foreign visitors



**70 %**

of visitors are coming  
with their family

**July 2023**  
Opening of the Ecolodge hotel



**August 2023**  
60,000,000 visitors



# ESSENTIAL FUTUROSCOPE

Futuroscope has over 40 attractions for visitors to enjoy and, as with any amusement park, there are some that really stand out. Here is a guide to the "Best Of" Futuroscope.



## The Extraordinary Journey

Futuroscope's star attraction. Inspired by the Jules Verne tale *Around the World in 80 Days*, The Extraordinary Journey is Around-the-world trip in... four minutes, via the deserts of Egypt, the Himalayas and the Taj Mahal. The enormous moving platform soars and plunges across landscapes to give visitors a literal eyeful thanks to the stunningly rendered images on the gigantic screen. A one-of-a-kind attraction in Europe.



## Tornado Chasers

Visitors join weather scientist Mélanie Melville and tornado chaser Alex Faure as they head off on a mission to use their ultra-powerful probe TrombX to stop a tornado that is about to devastate the town of Poitiers! The revolutionary technological system combines with the highly immersive dramatisation to send Futuroscope's visitors hurtling into the heart of a tornado, where they will feel the thrill of riding in the centre of an event that is as fascinating as it is unpredictable!



## Destination Mars

The park's first roller coaster, this attraction allows visitors to experience what it's like being an astronaut and see whether they have what it takes to go on a mission to Mars. The pre-show presentation is designed as a fun sensory experience with a series of tests to determine the visitors' physical strength, and an opportunity to board a spaceship confinement module. The attraction promises to take visitors into an immersive world featuring effects that can't be found anywhere else in France.





## Evening Show

The open-air night show "La Clé des Songes" is the result of a collaboration between the park's creative teams and ECA2, world leaders in the creation of event shows.

Accompanied on her epic journey to the dreamland by the Sandman, Ada, an extravagant scientist, sets off in search of the missing Key of Dreams. Gigantic sets, spectacular lighting effects, water displays and pyrotechnics all contribute to the immersive power of this show, performed every evening after nightfall.



## The Time Machine with the Raving Rabbids

A bonkers journey through time with the lovable but slightly dim heroes of the Rayman video game franchise from Ubisoft. Visitors don 3D glasses, take a seat on the little train and watch five scenes that include Ancient Greece, the Far West and space travel, with special effects - jolts, smoke and other thrills - adding to the fun. One of the most popular attractions with younger visitors.



## Dances with Robots

A definite must-do at Futuroscope: an unmissable chance to get down, and up, and all around, with some fast and furious dance action in a hip disco! The attraction is set to music by DJ Martin Solveig, and is the only one of its kind. Visitors are strapped into robot arms dancing in rhythm (two thrill levels: mild for young visitors - wild for the more eager) for an unforgettable and fun time.



## Arthur, the 4D aventure

An attraction created by Luc Besson, director of the Arthur and the Minimoys trilogy, a classic animated movie. It's a non-stop experience thanks to a 4.5-minute Imax film, projected in 3D onto a 900 m2 dome screen and completed with stunning sensory effects in the auditorium!

Visitors embark on a wild ride through the mysterious world of the Minimoys, hanging on to the seats of their ladybird.



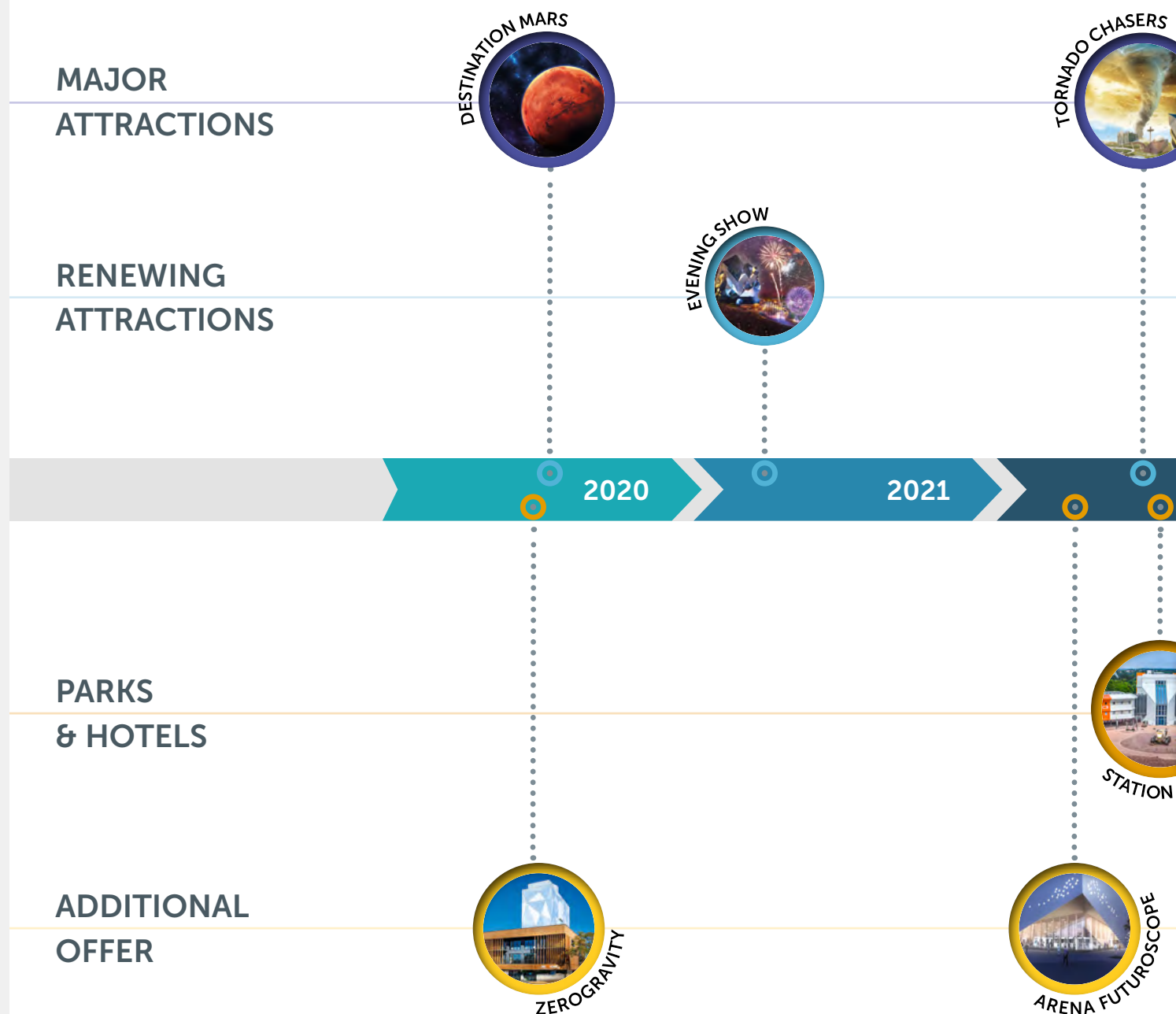
## Futuropolis

Futuropolis is the new kids' town at Futuroscope, with 21 games and attractions across three hectares for all the family to enjoy. Futuropolis is where children "play at grown-ups" and get to be the firemen, inventors, sailors and lifeguards they've always dreamed of being.



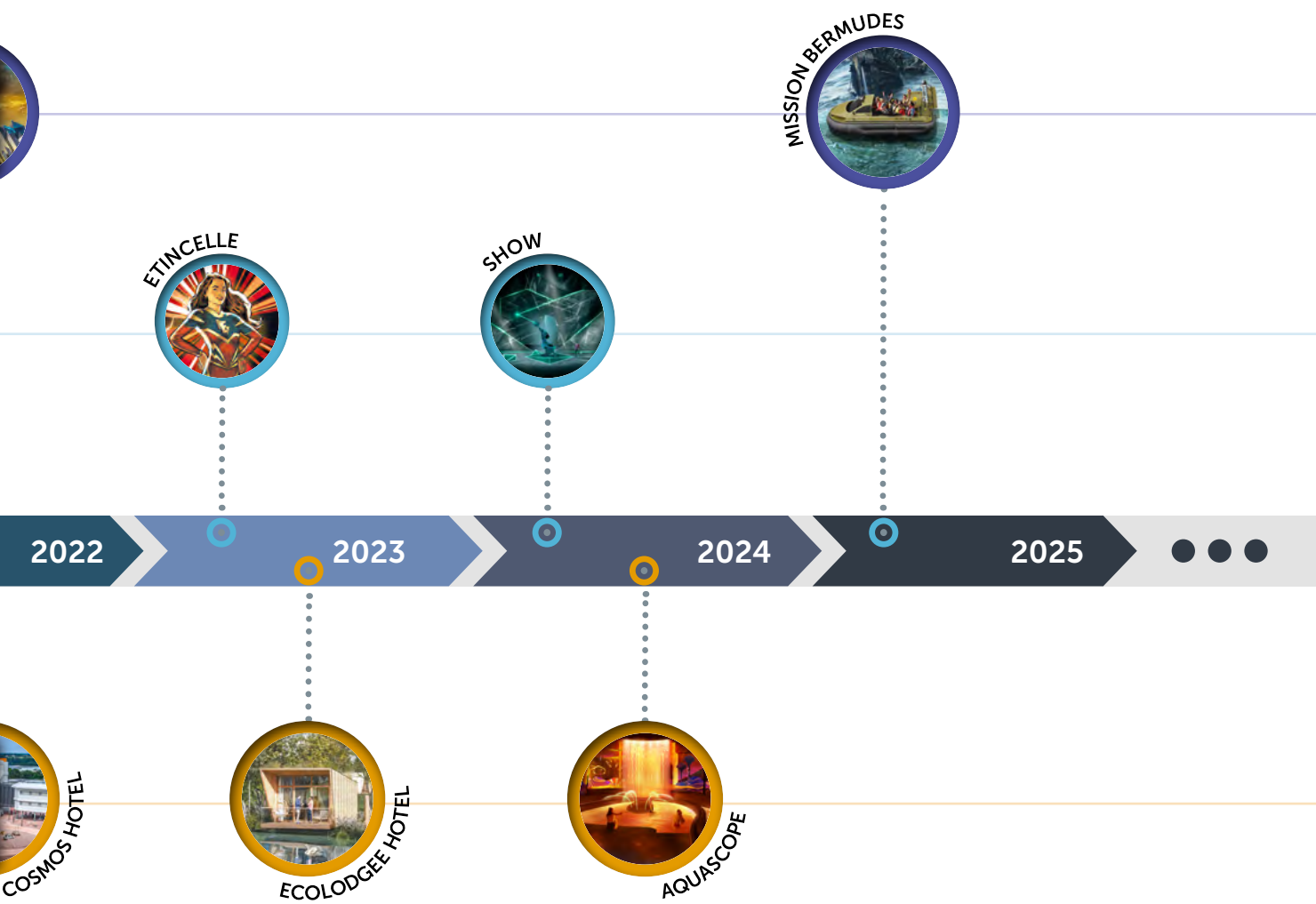
# VISION 2025 : A MAJOR INVESTMENT PLAN

The 2020-2030 investment plan was unanimously approved by Futuroscope's financial partners (the departemental Council and SEML patrimoniale de la Vienne, La Compagnie des Alpes, Banque des Territoires-Caisse des Dépôts), and aims to increase the content at Parc du Futuroscope as well as develop a resort covering more than 22 hectares, as a means of consolidating the site's appeal and positioning it as a top holiday and short-break destination.





Halfway through its investment plan, Futuroscope is continuing its ambitious programme. The latest, the Ecolodgee Hotel, welcomed its first visitors in summer 2023. Ultimately, Futuroscope aims to increase its number of visits by 650,000 to 2.5 million visitors.











**1 ZerOGravity**  
Flight in a wind tunnel.  
*Already available by reservation.*  
[www.zero-gravity.fr](http://www.zero-gravity.fr)

**2 Arena Futuroscope**  
A hall dedicated to culture, sport and entertainment, and for hosting corporate events, which can be configured (1,500 to 6,000 seats).  
[www.lavienne86.fr](http://www.lavienne86.fr)

**3 Aquascope**

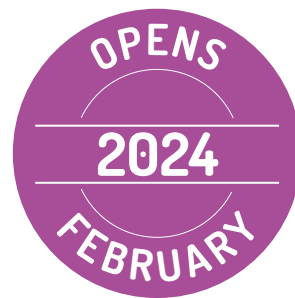
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**6 Ecolodgee Hotel**



# NEW FOR 2024 ÉCLIPSE



## A spellbinding robotic show where reality meets virtual reality

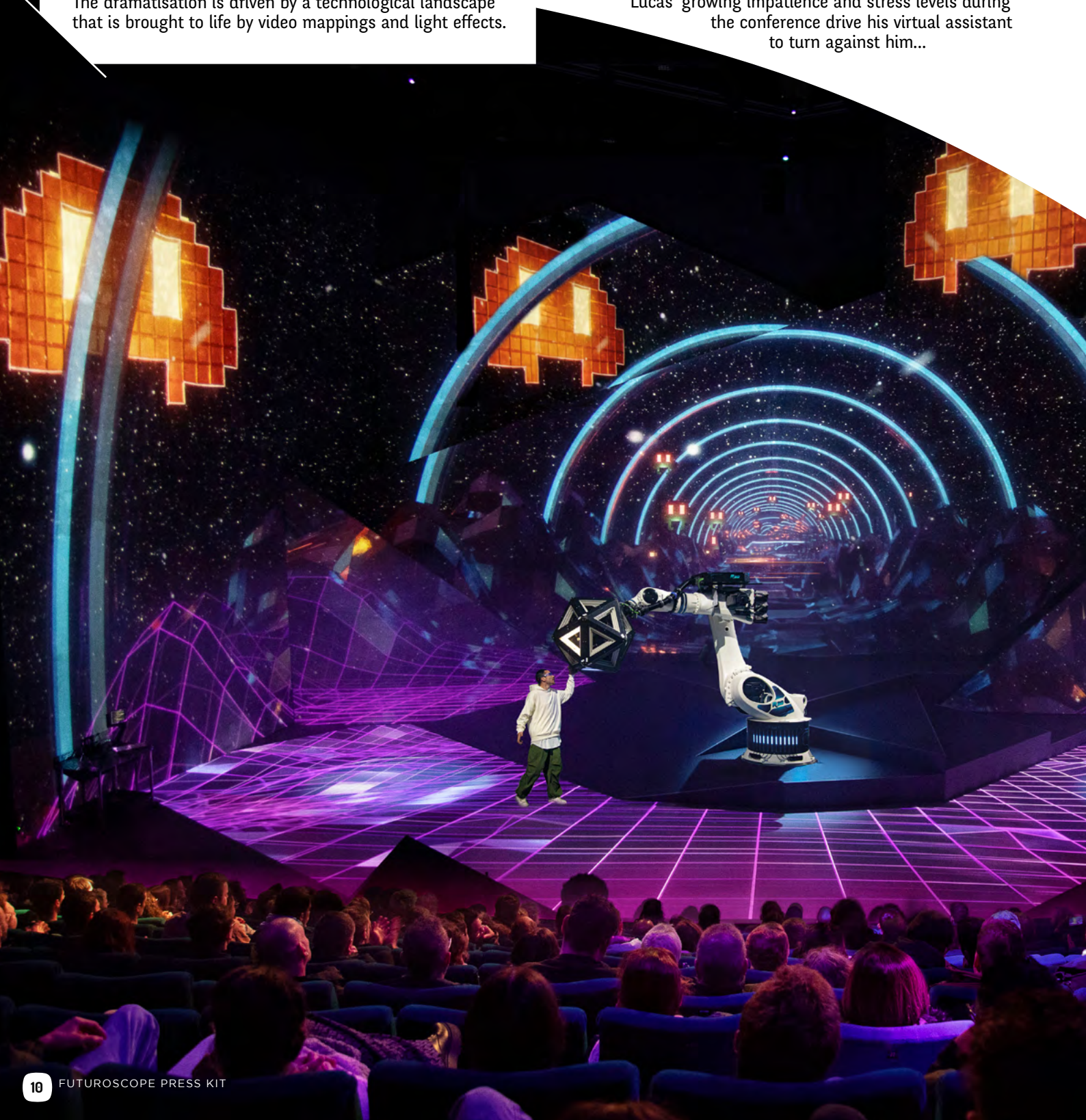
Futuroscope opens its new season with a brand new type of live show. Eclipse is an exclusive presentation devised and developed with the Cirque Éloize company from Quebec, which creates and produces cultural events through a fusion of circus arts, dance and technology.

The dramatisation is driven by a technological landscape that is brought to life by video mappings and light effects.

This show features a performance dancer in the role of Lucas, a robotics and computer genius who already has a number of inventions to his name.

These include Eclipse, a virtual assistant, and a robot that he has come to unveil exclusively at FuturoLab.

Lucas' growing impatience and stress levels during the conference drive his virtual assistant to turn against him...







Lucas and his faithful robot set out on a dangerous mission to neutralise Eclipse, who possesses an outstanding capacity to learn. Our heroes' friendship grows stronger as they continue on their quest, creating a thrilling immersive experience for spectators.

**Running time:** 20 minutes

**7 dancers**

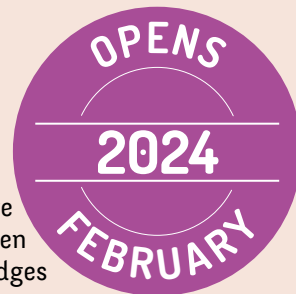
**Show produced by Futuroscope and**

**ÉLOIZE ENTERTAINMENT**  
PAR CIRQUE ÉLOIZE



# ANTARCTICA

IMAX® 3D Laser 4K Film



It's a land of mystery, yet what happens there affects every one of us. The never-before-seen images in this report take viewers to the edges of this wild and majestic continent and reveal how vital Antarctica is to our planet.

This is the coldest, driest and windiest place on the planet, with the most turbulent oceans. The latest underwater filming techniques make it possible to dive beneath the sea ice that is over one metre thick, fly above vast colonies of penguins, and watch the largest gathering of humpback whales ever filmed.

*Showing daily at the Kinémax alternately with the film "Through Thomas Pesquet's Eyes".*



# OCEANS, BEYOND THE POLES

OUTDOOR EXHIBITION

Emmanuelle and Ghislain Bardout's passion for diving, the oceans and the poles led them to found Under The Pole in 2008.

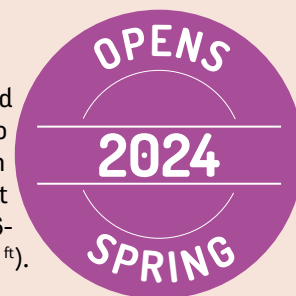


Under The Pole is an undersea exploration project that combines expeditions around the globe, scientific research and outreach as a means to safeguard the oceans.

Futuroscope invites you to explore 56 giant photos from Under The Pole's many expeditions that will take you down to the polar depths to discover the Capsule underwater module, marine animal forests, and more.

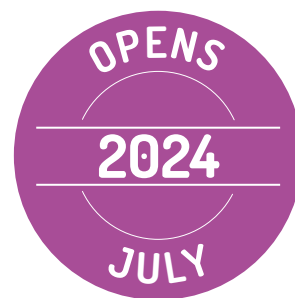
# FUTUROPOLIS

Futuropolis, the playtown for children, has added two new attractions for the whole family to enjoy. The Lumberjacks River is a water ride with a mini splash for smaller children (min. height 0.90 m/<sup>3</sup>ft), while Hydro-Dynamo is a giant, 16-seat, 12-metre-high swing (min. height 1.05 m/<sup>3</sup>½ ft). Thrills large and small guaranteed!





# NEW FOR 2024 AQUASCOPE



## The unique aqua-fun park in France

**Futuroscope is revolutionising the aquatic park world with the only immersive experience of its kind in France.**

Futuroscope has big plans to bring you water and digital technology as you've never seen or experienced them before, at its new aquatic complex. In July 2024, Futuroscope will be opening Aquascope, its 6,000 m<sup>2</sup> next-generation indoor water park.

Visitors who are looking for thrills or just looking to relax now have the perfect excuse to stay at Futuroscope a little bit longer and enjoy a stunning, half-day immersive interlude in Aquascope's three zones:

- **Thrill zone**, featuring 8 slides, some designed exclusively for Aquascope, that offer carefully crafted visual appeal to go with the breathtaking drops, all accessed from one central hub. They include a spiral slide that winds its way around the building before launching riders into one of the Thrill Zone pools. Then there is the vertical drop-launch Rocket slide, a head-first slide, and even... the two-lane Racer. It also has a family option with the 4- to 5-person tube slide.

An overhead net stretches above the wave pool, while a bar and DJ area will be added for night-time events.







- **Immersion zone**, featuring an aquatic cinema, an underwater viewing experience, a futuristic zone with on-water video mapping, water jets, and special effects (a performance in a chlorinated environment!). The digital set design was created by Canadian multimedia entertainment specialists Moment Factory.
- **Aquafun zone for kids**, for children aged 3 and over, designed around the theme of the mascot Kraki. Visitors will also be able to float a tube along the 350-metre-long lazy river that passes through the aquapark's three fun zones.

Finally, outside are a dynamic river, a summer swimming pool, and a beach area, which will all be open during the summer.



Aquascope will have its own ticketing system (but also in conjunction with Futuroscope) and can hold 1,700 fun seekers. Aquascope features the latest innovations in hydraulic, thermal and energy engineering, and at nearly 60 million euros is Futuroscope's largest investment since the Park was founded. The site will be monitored and run by 45 newly recruited pool attendants.





# AN IMMERSIVE RESORT

## Ecolodgee Hotel

After visiting Futuroscope for the day, visitors can settle into the cosy intimacy of their own lodge and its nature-inspired décor. They'll sit comfortably enjoying the view of the great outdoors from the comfort of their terrace. Designed to immerse visitors in a veritable natural setting, this hotel has 120 wooden lodges made from French sustainably managed forests and set in 3.8 hectares of landscaped parkland, including a vast one-hectare lake.

Spacious and bright, these lodges have a main room with a large double bed, a cabin-style children's bedroom with 2 or 3 single beds and a bathroom with toilet. The large French window and the private terrace offer a magnificent view of the surrounding countryside, providing an immersive hotel experience. Breakfast made with organic and/or local produce, is delivered in a basket to the front door of the lodge.

To continue our eco-responsible approach, our lodges have neither air-conditioning nor televisions.

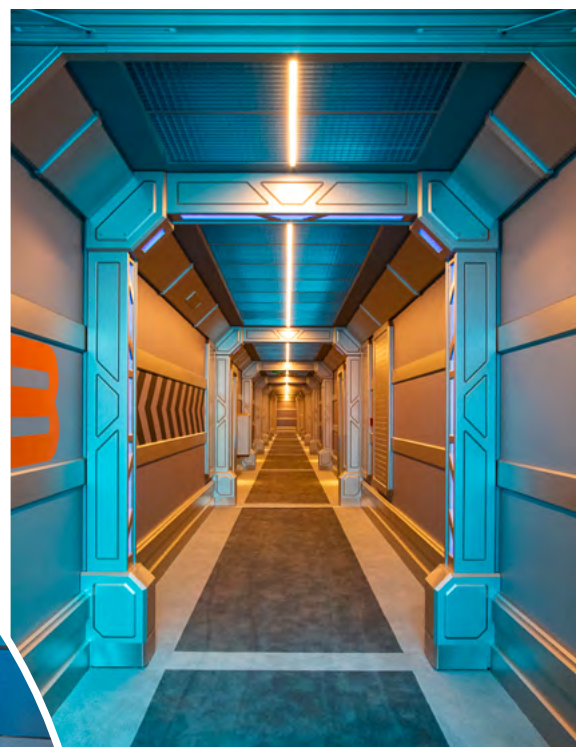






## Station Cosmos hotel ★★★★★

Passengers in the Station Cosmos will enjoy a memorable stay living on another planet and sleeping in one of the rooms in the form of comfortable, futuristic cabins. For one night, they and their crew will become real intergalactic heroes. Designed as a galactic station, the decor is inspired by the worlds of science and high tech. The 76 rooms, designed and organised like the cabins of a spaceship, can accommodate 4 or 5 people. Comfortable and original, they reflect the theme of space with an eye for detail to create an immersive experience. Breakfast is served in the adjoining themed restaurant, the spaceloop. The "Bar des Pilotes", a lounge bar with terrace offers a beautiful view of the Park. This 4-star hotel is certified High Environmental Quality.







# THE GOOD FOOD PARK

## The only one RollercoasterRestaurant® in France

### Space Loop

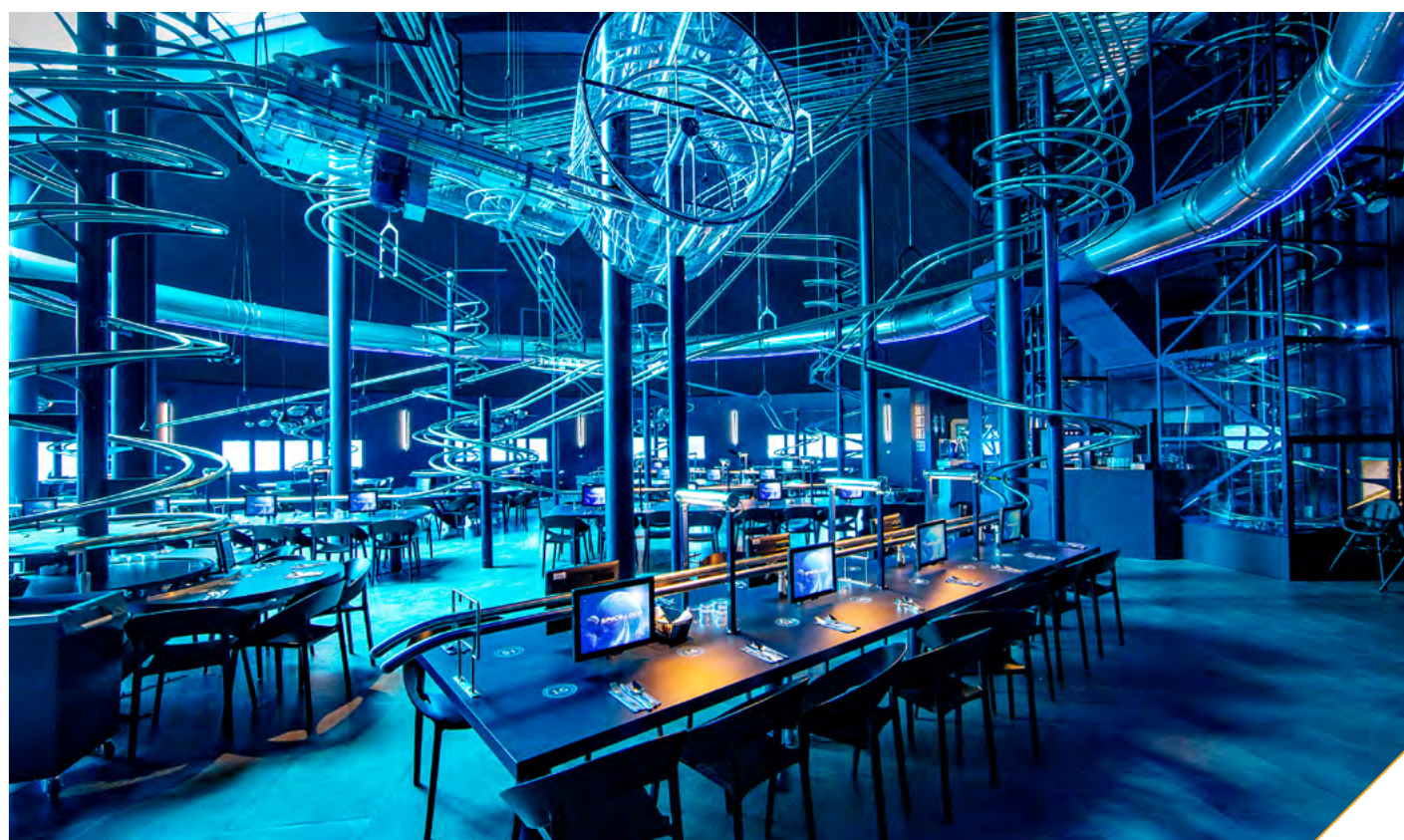
Experimental restaurant

Futuroscope has designed this themed restaurant, unique in France to enhance the Resort experience.

On the outskirts of the "Station Cosmos" hotel, but accessible even to non-visitors and non-residents of the hotel, the new RollercoasterRestaurant® offers much more than just a gastronomic experience.

After ordering your meal via touch screens, you can watch your food travels through the restaurant on an incredible rail system, making loops before arriving hot on your table!

With 208 seats, the restaurant is open for lunch and dinner. Reservations recommended.







Futuroscope has always paid close attention to the meal options it offers. And in this regard, it really does stand out. Here, we take a close look at Futuroscope's emblematic eateries.

Here, each restaurant is unique and offers a culinary experience to suit all tastes and budgets.



## Have a drink, with your legs dangling in the air!

### Aérobar

🍷 Skybar - 12 seats  
⌚ (45-minute flight, with aperitif)

The world's first ever skybar opened at Futuroscope in 2013. Aerobar is a 12-foot diameter pod attached to a tethered balloon and secured in a metal tripod frame. It is designed for twelve guests to enjoy a drink served by the barman, with their legs hanging free 115 feet in the air. A deliciously dizzying experience.



### La Table d'Arthur

🍴 All-you-can-eat buffet  
📍 (including terrace seating)

Futuroscope's biggest restaurant, in a setting inspired by the Arthur, the 4D Adventure attraction.

A real "ship" with a 60-strong service and kitchen crew. A varied buffet with generous servings, hot dishes and original desserts. The ideal place to lunch or dine with the family.

## L'Atelier des Saveurs

🍴 Bistronomy

Like a curiosity shop, this offbeat restaurant offers a collection of extraordinary items from the prominent attraction props, pop-up exhibitions and technical systems that have made Futuroscope's name since it first opened - all in a relaxing, contemporary atmosphere made up of multiple themed areas. Innovative concert stage and railway dining car... Here, curiosity is as much around the table as it is on the plate.





# FUTUROGREEN, FUTUROSCOPE GOES GREEN

Futuroscope has been ISO 5001 certified for its energy performance management since 2019, and aims to be carbon neutral by 2025. The Park and its employees are committed to an environmental and energy policy covering energy use, waste management and reduction, conservation of water resources, biodiversity and soft mobility.



## Energy

Since 2020, Futuroscope has purchased 100% of its electricity from renewable energy sources. The Park aims to be energy positive (producing more electricity than it uses), including its future developments, and become 70% self-sufficient.

In 2025, Futuroscope will be carbon neutral through a programme it has developed to reduce its consumption and increase carbon-free energy production.

The Park had heating and cooling pumps installed in June 2022, which will eventually provide heating for its entire extension. A biomass heating system will also come online in 2023. Futuroscope aims to produce 20 mW of photovoltaic energy for its own consumption by late 2025.

Example: the shade canopies in the Station Cosmos\*\*\*\* car park produce over 100% of the energy used in the hotel and the Space Loop restaurant.

To offset the carbon footprint of its investments, Futuroscope is also funding carbon sinks, with 27 hectares of forest planted in Oyré, Mouterre-sur-Blourde and Savigny-Lévescault in partnership with the Centre National de la propriété forestière. It has also entered into agreements with farmers from Lathus, La Chapelle-Bâton and Mauprévoir as part of the Terraterreplan to transition towards low-carbon farming.



## Water

Between now and 2025, Futuroscope will be investing in optimal water consumption on the site with the aim of reducing water usage by 30% per visitor. For example, water recycled from the washbasins will be used to flush the toilets.

Futuroscope has begun using processed urine as agricultural inputs (fertiliser), in conjunction with Toopi Organics, a start-up in Bordeaux, and GSF (the company that provides upkeep services in the Park). This economic and ecological alternative conserves drinking water by saving over 2,000 m<sup>3</sup> of water every year.







## Waste

The terraced seating for the evening show was made from 7,000 Tetra Paks recycled using a process invented by Urban'ext.

142 sorting points are already in place on the Park's pathways. An on-site sorting centre is planned between now and 2025 to provide 100% waste reclamation through optimal collection before onward delivery to processing facilities.



## Biodiversity

In 2023, Futuroscope is expanding with its future Ecolodgee village, which will consist of 120 family lodges in a new, biodiversity-friendly site with freshly planted woodland, an unspoilt island with amicro-forest of 1,000 new trees, and water areas. The project will establish conditions that favour the development of local animal and plant life. The site will cover 3.5 hectares, with 1.8 hectares set aside for 15,000 trees and dry and wet meadows.

In the same spirit, areas around the Park have been identified for late mowing and hands-off management, bird houses have been set up, and less water-intensive plants used as ornamental features.

A total of 3.5 hectares will be used specifically for biodiversity conservation between now and 2025.



## Mobility

600 recharging points are due to be installed in the car parks at Futuroscope by 2025 to provide visitors with simple and environmentally friendly vehicle-recharging solutions.

A fleet of 40 electric vehicles (8 golf carts, 2 segways, 12 scooters and 8 bikes) are available to enable Futuroscope employees to become actively mobile and travel around the Park with zero impact.

Futuroscope's partners (such as GSF, who are in charge of cleaning) are also contributing, using Cobrane electric tricycles that are specially kitted out to collect small items of waste. By 2025, all the utility vehicles will have gone electric.



# ONE PARK, ONE RESORT

40 attractions for all ages, an evening show every day: good reasons to stay in one of the on-site hotels and enjoy everything Futuroscope has to offer at your own pace.

## 2024 Prices

### 1-Day Ticket

from  
**44€\***  
per adult  
(13 years or over)

### 2-Days Ticket + Hotel Break (breakfast included)

from  
**119€\*\***  
per adult

### Key to Dreams evening show included.

Free entry for under-5s.

Prices shown do not include special offers, administration fees, cancellation insurance and tourist tax.

\*Low Season price for one 1-day dated-entry ticket booked in advance up to 1 day before the visit.

\*\*Price shown is per adult for 2 adults (aged 13 or over) staying in a double room at the Hôtel du Futuroscope\*.

## 2024 schedule

(subject to current health conditions)

- From 10 February to 15 September then varies according to the French school holiday calendar.
- Every open day, the Park is open from 10am until nightfall after the end of the night show, « la clé des songes ».
- [Full calendar on futuroscope.com](https://www.futuroscope.com)

## Special amenities



8 restaurants, 10 takeaway outlets. Picnics are also permitted on the lawns inside Futuroscope.



Visitor guide available on the App Store and Google Play.

- To see the geolocation on the map
- To check the attractions start times and current waiting times
- To arrange the visit
- To check the schedules and menus of the restaurant

[Listen Everywhere](#) available on the App Store and Google Play.

- Available on Apple Store or Google Play Store
- Log in to the attraction Wi-Fi
- Open the App and click on Venue Scan
- Select the language and wait for the start



[Especially for young kids](#)

- Free entry for under-5s
- Free pushchair hire at the entrance to the Park
- 4 nappy-changing and bottle-warming areas

## Getting here



**Junction 28 “Futuroscope” of the A10 motorway**

Paris 3h - Bordeaux 2½ h

Special parking for motorhomes.



**TGV-Futuroscope train station**

Paris-Montparnasse 1½ h - Bordeaux 1½ h

Direct footbridge access to Futuroscope.



**Poitiers-Biard airport**

15 min by taxi

Regular flights with Ryanair.  
From London and Edinburgh.







## Extensive hotel facilities

- Eleven 1- to 4-star hotels less than a ten-minute walk away.
- Direct footbridge access to and from the Hotel du Futuroscope.
- Station Cosmos hotel & Ecolodgee Hotel are located at the gateway to the park.
- **Bookings and prices at [futuroscope.com](http://futuroscope.com)**







  
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