DELFÍN
AMAZON CRUISES

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YOUR JOURNEY: 4 DAYS, 3 NIGHTS IN THE HEART OF THE AMAZON

THIS IS MORE THAN A CRUISE—IT'S AN IMMERSION INTO THE SPIRIT OF THE RAINFOREST, GUIDED BY SENSITIVITY, WONDER, AND CONNECTION.

WOVEN BY NATURE, CRAFTED FOR YOU.

ROUTE MAP

High Water Season (January - June)

TECHNICAL ITINERARY

HOUR	DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3	DAY 4
Summary	Arrival to Iquitos, transfer to Nauta, embarkation	AM - Amazon Natural Park PM - Yanayacu Pucaya	AM - Fundo Casual PM - Confluence	Disembarkation, Bee Project & ARCOR, transfer to Iquitos
AM	Arrive to the city of Iquitos	**Los Palmas**: Birdwatching & sloth exploration Breakfast **Amazon Natural Park**: Trail walk to learn about medicinal plants and Shamana Ceremony Return to boat and on board activities	Breakfast **Fundo Casual**: Trail walk and community visit Return to boat and on board activities	Breakfast Disembarkation and transfer to Iquitos Stingless Melipona Bees and Amazon Research Center for Ornamental Fishes Arrive to the airport and farewell
PM	Transfer to Nauta in our private vehicles and lunchtime Arrive at Nauta City, reception at our private port Embarkation Orientation **Marañón River**: Skiff Exploration	Lunch Free time **Yanayacu River**: Kayaking and paddle boarding, swimming near pink river dolphins and Piranha fishing Return to boat and free time	Lunch Free time **Amazon Confluence**: Visit the Unión de los Ríos Return to boat and free time	
Night	Dinner	Dinner **Pucate River**: Night Safari	Farewell Dinner	

NOTES:

Our schedules of activities are subject to change due to weather and river conditions with passengers best interest always in mind. Arrival and departure times may also change due to changes made to the recommended flights by the airline.

INCLUSIONS ON DELFÍN I:

Natural juices, soda, coffee, tea, water, domestic beer, house cocktails, Pisco cocktails & sours, house wines 24/7.

DAY 1

EMBARKATION & FIRST ENCOUNTERS

Your journey begins in Iquitos, a vibrant gateway city surrounded by jungle and water. Our team welcomes you at the airport and accompanies you in comfort aboard our private vehicle. As you journey toward Nauta, a nourishing lunchbox eases you into the rhythms of the rainforest.

In Nauta, one of the oldest towns in Loreto, you'll be greeted at our private embarkation point. Here begins your intimate encounter with the Amazon. Step aboard your Delfín vessel and settle into your suite –an oasis of calm crafted with local elegance, from handwoven details to natural cotton comforts and your own private terrace.

As the vessel glides into the waters of the Marañón River, join your naturalist guide in the observation lounge for an overview of the journey ahead–its landscapes, wildlife, history, and wonder.

At twilight, set out on your first skiff excursion through the seasonally flooded forest. The high waters bring you closer to the treetops, where monkeys leap between branches and colorful birds perch just overhead. As the sun sets, the forest shifts into another world. Search for caimans, owls, and other nocturnal creatures under a starlit canopy. This is the Amazon in high water—immersive, thriving, unforgettable.

DAY 2

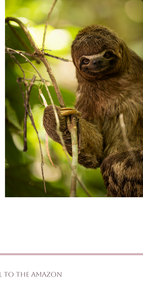
MYSTERIES OF THE FLOODED FOREST

At dawn, you set out to explore Los Palmas, where the rainforest awakens in full splendor. Colorful birds soar overhead while sloths rest quietly in the treetops, perfectly adapted to the rhythms of the Amazon.

Later in the morning, a visit to the Amazon Natural Park brings you closer to the ancient knowledge of the forest. Walking along its lush trails, you'll learn about medicinal plants before joining a shaman for a traditional ceremony, an intimate moment that reveals the spiritual heart of the jungle.

By midday, the Yanayacu River invites adventure. Paddle along mirrored waters on a kayak or paddleboard, swim in the company of pink river dolphins, and test your skills with the timeless practice of piranha fishing.

After dinner, the day closes with a night safari along the Pucate River. Under the cover of darkness, caimans, owls, and other nocturnal creatures emerge, their presence illuminated by starlight and the quiet guidance of your naturalist.

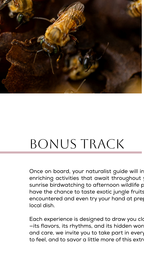


DAY 3

WHERE RIVERS AND CULTURES MEET

In the morning, venture along the Fundo Casual trail, where the rainforest reveals its secrets through towering trees, vibrant flora, and wildlife hidden in the canopy. Along the way, meet members of a local community whose traditions and daily life are deeply tied to the rhythms of the forest. Their knowledge and warmth create a meaningful connection between culture and nature.

In the afternoon, sail to the legendary confluence of the Amazon, known as the Unión de los Ríos. Here, the Marañón and Ucayali Rivers meet to form the mighty Amazon, one of the world's greatest waterways. This awe-inspiring sight embodies the power and beauty of the rainforest, a moment to pause and feel the heartbeat of the jungle.



DAY 4

A FOND FAREWEL TO THE AMAZON

With warm hearts, our staff will bid you farewell as your journey comes to an end. At Nauta's port, our team will escort you by private vehicle back to Iquitos, a scenic 95-kilometer drive.

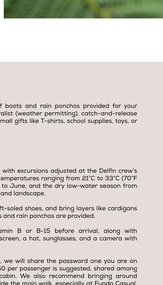
Before your flight, enjoy an interactive activity about melipona stingless bees and their crucial role in the Amazon ecosystem. We'll also visit the Amazon Research Center for Ornamental Fishes, where you can admire the Amazon's vibrant aquatic life–from giant arapaima to colorful freshwater stingrays. This final stop offers a beautiful farewell to the region's rich biodiversity.

Our team will assist with your luggage and check-in at Iquitos airport. At security, your guide and the Delfín crew will warmly say goodbye, hoping your Amazon journey leaves you with unforgettable memories.

BONUS TRACK

Once on board, your naturalist guide will introduce you to the enriching activities that await throughout your journey. From sunrise birdwatching to afternoon wildlife presentations, you'll have the chance to taste exotic jungle fruits you've likely never encountered and even try your hand at preparing a traditional local dish.

Each experience is designed to draw you closer to the Amazon –its flavors, its rhythms, and its hidden wonders. With warmth and care, we invite you to take part in every moment, to learn, to feel, and to savor a little more of this extraordinary world.



ESSENCIAL NOTES:

During your journey, enjoy nature walks with waterproof boots and rain ponchos provided for your comfort, kayak sessions in calm waters guided by a naturalist (weather permitting), catch-and-release fishing, and meaningful visits to local communities where small gifts like T-shirts, school supplies, toys, or candies are warmly appreciated by the children.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Itineraries may change due to weather or river conditions, with excursions adjusted at the Delfín crew's discretion. Iquitos experiences warm, humid weather with temperatures ranging from 21°C to 33°C (70°F to 90°F). The rainy high-water season runs from January to June, and the dry low-water season from July to December, each bringing distinct changes in wildlife and landscape.

Pack light, breathable clothing, long sleeves, swimwear, soft-soled shoes, and bring layers like cardigans or wind-resistant jackets for cooler nights; waterproof boots and rain ponchos are provided.

To protect against insects, we recommend taking Vitamin B or B-15 before arrival, along with conventional repellents and bite creams. Don't forget sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, and a camera with extra batteries, we will give you binoculars per cabin.

All of our vessels have WiFi connection on the third deck, we will share the passward one you are on board. Tips are customary but not included; about US$ 250 per passenger is suggested, shared among the crew and guides, with envelopes provided in your cabin. We also recommend bringing around USD$100 in small Soles denominations for purchases outside the main walk, especially at Fundo Casual, known for its beautiful wooden boards.