



**DISCOVERING AMAZON RIVER IN DOLPHIN CRUISE III  
IQUITOS**

(4 Days / 3 Nights)

## FEBRUARY 2027

### Day 1 LIMA – IQUITOS

Meals included: Snack, Dinner.

At the appropriate time, transfer to the airport to board your flight to Iquitos (flight not included).

Our crew will be waiting for your arrival at the airport and will then transfer you in our comfortable private vehicle. We will enjoy a box lunch as we begin our journey to Nauta. Once we arrive in Nauta, our boat will be waiting for you.

As the Dolphin sets sail, your naturalist guide will give you an overview of the trip's itinerary: the activities, the route, and the highlights of the wildlife and vegetation, keeping you focused on the geographical and historical origins of the Amazon.

We arrive at a point on the Marañón River known as Pahuachiro. This beautiful spot is ideal for lingering in search of birds and playful monkeys. Your naturalist guide will point out various creatures. The landscape is adorned with the colors reflected by the sun, a perfect opportunity to photograph your first sunset in the Amazon. At night, the biodiversity of the rainforest transforms completely. You'll look for alligators, bats, and other nocturnal creatures that are just as interesting and unique as they are during the day.

### Day 2 IQUITOS

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

We recommend waking up early to appreciate one of the most important areas of the Pacaya Samiria National Reserve. There's nowhere where nature isn't as abundant as in the tropics, where dawn is even more rewarding, as wildlife is more plentiful and active with the sunrise. We'll board our boats and head to Las Palmas, a place with large trees and palm trees, home to various species of parrots. We'll also find a wide variety of other bird species, and we'll search for the famous Hoatzin, as well as two-toed and three-toed sloth bears.

You will have the opportunity to take a nature walk to learn about medicinal plants. The Peruvian Amazon region is considered the world's largest pharmaceutical reserve, with 965 species of wild plants and 59 species of cultivated plants that the local population uses to treat and prevent many illnesses. You will see that the "Terra Firma" zone reveals the reality of a river dweller and reflects how simple and rewarding life is for them.



After enjoying a delicious breakfast, you'll begin your journey along the Yanayacu and Pucate rivers, passing by various streams and lagoons. This is one of the best-preserved and protected areas of the Pacaya Samiria National Reserve. Your guide will use their expert eye to point out the region's rich biodiversity. If you'd like to experience the Amazon waters firsthand, hop into the kayaks. You'll get a closer look at the surrounding nature, including the magical pink river dolphins that swim in the area. After dinner, enjoy a night hike through the rainforest.

### Day 3 IQUITOS

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner.

The Nauta Caño stream is known for its squirrel monkeys and silverback tamarillos, birds, dolphins, and even sloths! We'll navigate the riverbank in search of small caimans, spiders, and insects of all colors, shapes, and sizes.

The hike through Fundo Casual will take you deep into the rainforest on dry land (non-flooded forest), where your guide will point out the dynamics of the Amazonian creatures and vegetation. Anacondas, rainbow boas, tarantulas, poison dart frogs, and sloths are commonly found in this area. At the end of the tour, you'll see the tallest tree in the region!

Better known as the "Confluence of the Rivers," we can toast while admiring the different colors of the three rivers. The Ucayali River, which in turn flows into the Marañón River upstream from Iquitos, Peru; it forms what countries other than Brazil consider the main channel of the Amazon River. You will have the opportunity to witness a beautiful farewell sunset in this magical destination.

Aboard our boats, you will visit a community to meet the inhabitants, who have called the Amazon home for generations. We will pass by a typical school where the children will be delighted by your visit, and then stop at a craft market where the women of this community display and sell their incredible works of art and handicrafts.

### Day 4 IQUITOS – LIMA

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch

The team will wish you a safe journey as you begin your return trip. At the port of Nauta, our ground staff will be waiting to take you to Iquitos, approximately 95 kilometers away on a paved road.



On the journey from Nauta to Iquitos Airport, we will visit the Amazon Forever River Mammal Rescue and Rehabilitation Center, where you will have the opportunity to meet baby manatees, learn about these gentle creatures, and discover why they are endangered. The center also cares for other animal species that have been rescued from captors who intended to keep them as pets or who had been living in dangerous conditions.

At the airport, our staff will be available to assist you with your luggage and check-in. Your return flight will take you directly to Lima, where you can connect with your international flight.



### **Reservations & General Information:**

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