

AMAZON



Amazon Forest, Amazonas, Brazil – 4 days.



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THE EXPERIENCE

There are several ways to see the wonders of the Amazon: hotels, lodges and boat tours. We consider that the best way to see and enjoy nature, especially on the amazing waterways of the Amazon, is to be agile in this wonderful environment and to be always in the midst of the jungle, especially at dawn and dusk. That's the experience that Amazon Clipper provides.

AMAZON CLIPPER PREMIUM

The boat contains 4 decks. On the main deck are located 8 cabins, on the 2° deck you will find 8 cabins and a window-lined dining room (air-conditioned) that seats all passengers leisurely at same time. The 3° deck is an entertainment area, air-conditioned lectures room with library and tv/dvd, a bar with plenty of comfortable seating, as well as a large covered area for outdoor sightseeing, whirlpools and outdoor showers for refreshing and relaxing. The last deck is a spacious sundeck with a fantastic 360° panoramic view.

CABINS

The Premium hosts all guests in 16 spacious all-outside cabins (14m² to 15,75 m²), with lower beds, private bathroom facilities with hot shower, individual air-conditioning and safety box.

CREW

The boat operates with 01 captain, 03 sailors, 01 cook and 01 english speaking field guide.

ITINERARY: BLACK RIVER

DURATION : 4 DAYS /3 NIGHTS

Day 1, Wednesday – Amazon Clipper Premium (Nocturnal activity)

Meeting at the lobby of the Tropical Hotel. At 2 pm we will board and depart upstream on the Rio Negro while we drink a fresh fruit juice and listen to the information about the facilities. After a snack we meet in the leisure room for lectures about the Amazon and its preservation. After dinner we will explore little creeks in canoes look for nocturnal animals. We may see birds, frogs, snakes and caimans.

Meals: Lunch and dinner.

Day 2, Thursday – Amazon Clipper Premium (Anavilhanas Park)

Early morning rise to explore the surroundings along the water's edge in our canoes. We will mainly find fruit eating birds like parrots and toucans. After breakfast in the main boat, we go out again for a jungle walk to discover many surprising fragrances, leaves, fruits, woods and animals. Around midday we will return and we may go for a swim before lunch. In the afternoon we will navigate through the Anavilhanas National Park, one of the world's largest fresh water archipelagos, a labyrinth of waterways. In the late afternoon we will embark in the canoes and learn more about this wonderful park.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner.

BEST TIME TO VISIT

The Amazon has quite hot and humid weather and constant rain. The region can be visited throughout the year and has two distinct seasons. The dry season occurs usually from September to December. From January to June, the rainy season, the rivers reach its highest level; boat access to various regions is easier, allowing navigation in the canopy of many trees that are submerged.



HOW TO GET

Daily flights to Manaus from any major city in Brazil.



Day 3 (Friday) – Amazon Clipper Premium (Fishing, native community and beach)

Early morning we will spend a little time fishing for piranhas and other fish. After breakfast we will visit a native community where we find many of the typical Amazonian fruits like Cupuaçu and Tapereba, also palm trees like Açaí, Tucumã and Pupunha. We will learn about the preparation of manioc flour and about the health and education of the local's children. After lunch we will dock on one white sandy beach to swim in the dark water of Rio Negro and enjoy the Pink River Dolphins. Explore by canoe and scout for wildlife in the late afternoon. Back on the boat, on the way toward the Amazon River dinner will be served.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Day 4 (Saturday) – Amazon Clipper Premium

Early morning exploration of the Lago Janauary Ecological Park. This area is usually a very good place to observe wildlife and chances are we will see the "Victoria Regia", the giant water lilies. While we have breakfast we navigate to the "Meeting of the Waters", the confluence of the world's two largest rivers, the Amazon and the Negro. The boat will finally return to the Tropical Hotel docking area while we will enjoy fine views of Manaus' waterfront. Arrival at 11:30 am and transfer to the airport.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner.

THE REGION

Explore the region using Google Maps. Click on the image below.



AURORAECO DIFFERENTIALS

- + Exclusive, personalized and flexible trip;
- + Trained and experienced hosts and local guides;
- + Constant research into the destination in order to always offer the best options according to each traveler's profile;
- + 24-hour access to a telephone during the trip.

THE BOAT



DETAILED INFORMATION

Boat Style	Luxury Riverboat
Length	32 Meters (106 Feet)
Beam:	9 Meters (30 Feet)
Speed:	10 Knots
Capacity	32 Passenger
Engines	2 - 250 hp each
Generators	2 - 40 kva each (110V/60Hz)



PRICE PER PERSON

US\$ 1,242 per person, based on double occupancy.

INFORMATION

- Price stated in dollars (US\$).
- Price corresponds to the cost per person, based on double occupancy.
- Price subject to change without notice.
- Valid until 12/31/18, except on holidays and festive dates.
- Children up to 12 years old accompanied by parents: 20% off based on double occupancy; 50% based on triple occupancy.
- Individual cabin: additional of 50%.
- Cabin with balcony (Premium) US\$ 150 additional per person.

INCLUDED

- Accommodation in double cabins.
- Welcome drink.
- All meals.
- Excursions as described in the itinerary.
- Bilingual guide.

NOT INCLUDED

- Air ticket.
- Alcoholic beverages or soft drinks.
- Personal expenses.
- Travel insurance.
- Transfer in/out.
- Anything else not listed as included.

PAYMENT METHODS AND CANCELATION

CREDIT CARD (tax of 2,5%) OR WIRE TRANSFER

In order to secure a reservation, passengers must pay 30% of the total price of the trip via deposit up to 90 days prior to the departure date. Reservations made under 90 days before the departure date will result in the payment of the full cost of the trip upon purchase. The following credit cards are accepted: Visa and MasterCard.

Note that:

- Payments with credit cards are processed in Brazilian Reais with a tax of 2,5% percent.
- Payments via wire transfer are converted from Brazilian Reais to US Dollars at the exchange rate of the day of the transaction.

CANCELATION POLICY

- 10% fine on the amount paid if the cancellation occurs at least 30 days before the beginning of the trip.
- 20% fine on the amount paid if the cancellation occurs during the following period: 30 to 21 days before the beginning of the trip.
- If the cancellation occurs less 20 or less days before the beginning of the trip, there may be a fine greater than 20%, calculated upon proof of Auroraeco incurred expenses.

IMPORTANT

- Our prices are subject to change according to availability and time of year. They are not valid for national holidays, Carnaval and New Year.
- The itinerary may vary according to the need for operational changes, which can be caused by factors such as climate and availability.
- There will not be a refund or discount due to overnight reductions, once the check-in is made.
- Upon confirmation of the trip, a Medical Form and a Responsibility Term will be sent to all travelers, and should be filled in, signed and sent back to Auroraeco at least 30 days prior to the start of the trip. If there are less than 30 days between the dates of purchase and departure, please send the above mentioned documents as soon as possible.