LA GALIGO

Jurassic Komodo

Labuan Bajo to Labuan Bajo | Sebayur, West, Northwest and Southwest Komodo and Rinca



Komodo at its wildest, packed into a short and powerful trip.

Manta rays come to visit the cleaning stations, and teams of hunting giant and big-eye trevally patrol the blue waters of the reefs, chasing large schools of smaller fish.

Eagle rays glide effortlessly in the currents while reef sharks hunt for their next meal.

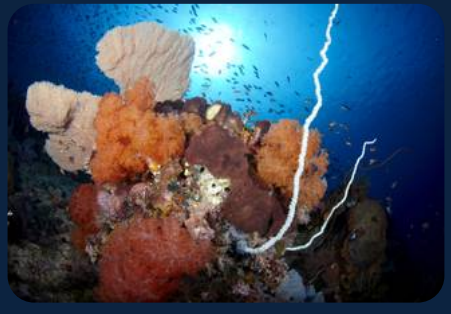
One rip-roaring drift is akin to an underwater rollercoaster that needs to be experienced to be believed.

Night dives bring flamboyant cuttlefish, ghost pipefish, wunderpus and blue-ringed octopus.

On land, the legendary Komodo dragons of Rinca live in their natural habitat, and at sunset thousands of fruit bats take to the skies.

LENGTH	DEPARTURE PORT	ARRIVAL PORT	EXPERIENCE
5 nights	Labuan Bajo	Labuan Bajo	Certified divers







Your itinerary

DAY 1

Labuan Bajo and Sebayur

Welcome to La Galigo!
We will collect you from your hotel or Labuan Bajo airport between 8:00 and 9:00 A.M. on the day of departure to welcome you onboard La Galigo.
After a refreshing welcome drink, a quick breakfast, and a safety briefing of our vessel, we aim to anchor up around 10:00 A.M. from Labuan Bajo.
After around two hours of sailing, we will arrive at our first destination, the islands of Sebayur Kecil and Sebayur Besar, where we will conduct two dives after lunch.
We have identified Sebayur as a fantastic, calm introduction for your first day in the park.

DAY 2

West Komodo

After a morning dive at stunning Tatawa Besar, we go in search of manta rays at the world-class dive site Manta Point (known to the locals as Karang Makassar).
After lunch, we will head to one of the highlights of Komodo diving, Batu Bolong, which presents us a chance to see large pelagic species such as Giant Trevally and Barracuda, as well as sharks and Napoleon Wrasse.
Later that afternoon, we set sail for the northwest part of Komodo, for a light trek on the island of Gili Lawa Darat, to witness an amazing Komodo sunset, dipping behind the nearby active volcano of Sangeang.

DAY 3

Northwest Komodo

Day three is our personal favourite in terms of diving, and all three of the dives normally conducted on this day are what we would consider unforgettable.
The morning is spent on both Crystal Rock and Castle Rock, two submerged pinnacles that are home to an abundance of marine life.
Teams of hunting Giant and Big-Eye Trevally patrol the blue waters of the reefs, chasing large schools of smaller fish.
Eagle Rays glide effortlessly in the currents whilst the reef sharks hunt for their next meal.
The afternoon sees us visit the legendary dive site known as The Cauldron (a.k.a The Shotgun).

DAY 4

Southwest Komodo

We wake early in the morning to take in one of Komodo's world-class golden sunrises, followed by one of its best dive sites, the Golden Passage which is a drift dive that offers outstanding coral reef topography, as well as encounters with schools of Sweetlips and Snappers, White Tip Reef Sharks and the occasional passing Manta Ray.
During breakfast, La Galigo will anchor up and head south into the centre of the park, where we will endeavour to dive Police Corner if conditions are favourable, one of the less-known sites in central Komodo.

DAY 5

Komodo on foot

Today we take to land to discover Komodo's world-renowned sites.
After the morning dive and a hearty breakfast, we visit Rinca Island home to the legendary Komodo dragons in their natural habitat.
Please note that closed-toed shoes are required, sandals are not permitted.
We'll continue onto the world-renowned Pink Beach a gorgeous, shallow coral garden with schools of sweetlips and other colourful reef fish.
Pulau Kalong is the perfect ending to our Jurassic Komodo trip where at sunset we witness thousands of fruit bats take to the skies in search of food.

DAY 6

Disembarkation in Labuan Bajo

La Galigo will be anchored up in the morning around 2:00 A.M. in Labuan Bajo, in preparation for you to catch your flight, or check in to your hotel.
Guests are welcome to stay onboard until 11:00 A.M., during which we have the chance to exchange trip images, and contacts so you can keep in touch with newfound dive buddies while we assist you with transportation to your desired location.







ROUTE MAP

Jurassic Komodo route



INCLUDED

What your trip covers

INCLUDED IN THE TRIP PRICE

- Transfers from your hotel or the airport to the harbour on embarkation day, and back to your hotel or the airport on disembarkation day
- All meals and non-packaged snacks
- Coffee, tea and drinking water
- Fresh fruit
- Post dive snacks and refreshments
- 12 litre dive tanks and air fills, up to 4 per day
- Weights, mask and fins
- SMB and reel, reef hook where applicable and dive computer
- Dive transport by tender, with dive guides
- Land excursions where applicable

NOT INCLUDED

- Flights
- Dive insurance, which is mandatory and includes medical evacuation, and travel insurance
- Visas and associated fees
- Airport taxes and extra baggage fees
- Hotel nights and transfers before or after the trip
- Port clearances, ranger, anchorage, village and marine park fees
- Dive equipment rental, nitrox, 15 litre tanks and extra tank fills
- Dive courses and certification
- Alcoholic drinks, soft drinks and packaged snacks (guests may bring their own spirits)
- Fuel surcharges, which may be applied depending on global fuel prices
- Crew tips, which are customary
- Merchandise and drone fees