SAMAMBAIA

Triton Bay and Banda Sea

Kaimana to Ambon | Triton Bay and the Banda Sea



Triton Bay and the Banda Sea join an unspoiled bay full of whale sharks to volcanic islands and limestone pinnacles.

In Triton Bay, whale sharks gather around the traditional fishing platforms near Namatota Island, and the reefs are rich in black coral and soft coral gardens.

The Banda Sea has vertical walls, barrel sponges big enough for a diver to fit inside and visibility of about 36 metres.

Banded and olive sea snakes gather around the warm volcanic vents of Gunung Api, curious but docile.

Banda Neira has a hard coral garden that has grown back since the eruption, and a pier dive for mandarin fish and frogfish.

LENGTH	DEPARTURE PORT	ARRIVAL PORT	EXPERIENCE
11 nights	Kaimana	Ambon	Certified divers







Your itinerary

DAY 1

Embarkation in Kaimana

Arrival by plane in Kaimana.
You are picked up by crew members at the airport and embark in the port of Kaimana.
A general orientation follows.

DAY 2-11

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The Cruise Director plans the route each day, and the stops and dive sites depend on the weather, the dive conditions, the requests of guests and the schedules of other liveaboards. The constants on every cruise are listed under On every cruise.

DAY 12

Disembarkation in Ambon

Depending on your flight schedule, the crew checks your luggage in for you in advance, so you can rest on board and be taken to the airport when your plane is ready to leave.







THE TRIP

On every cruise

Diving

Three day dives of at least one hour each, and one sunset or night dive unless the boat has many miles to cover overnight.

Tender rides

Scenic rides through lagoons and coves in the tenders.

Treks

Trekking to breathtaking viewpoints.

Beaches and villages

Visits to secluded beaches and excursions to traditional villages.

Whale watching

Whale watching on every cruise.

Water action

Water action such as wake boarding and water skiing.

Check in

The boat leaves before 1 pm on the first day, with transfers between the airport and the harbour.

Check out

On the last night the boat returns to the end harbour, so guests can catch early domestic flights.

INCLUDED

What your trip covers

INCLUDED IN THE TRIP PRICE	NOT INCLUDED
Nitrox	Flights and hotels
Weights and weight belts	Wine and spirits
12 litre tanks	Massages
Inflatable kayak	Laundry
Beer, soft drinks, juices, Italian coffee, premium tea and snacks	
Transfers between the airport and the harbour in both directions	
Guided diving with the Cruise Director and dive masters	

WORTH KNOWING

Key notes

Good to know

The itinerary is decided by the Cruise Director as the boat cruises, based on the weather, the dive conditions, guests' requests and the schedules of other liveaboards.

Good to know

Four dive masters go with guests on the dives, usually one guide to every four divers, and solo diving is not allowed.

Good to know

Every diver carries a GPS marine rescue device for the whole trip, the dive staff are trained in Emergency First Response and oxygen is on board.