SEVEN SEAS

# Sumbawa Whale Sharks and Komodo National Park

*Sumbawa Besar to Labuan Bajo | Sumbawa and Komodo National Park*

An 11 night crossing from Sumbawa Besar to Labuan Bajo, giving an extra day in Central Komodo over the 10 night route, with the same whale shark morning at Teluk Saleh and volcanic diving at Sangeang.

Ends with a Komodo dragon trek and reef dives at Loh Liang before disembarkation.

| LENGTH | DEPARTURE PORT | ARRIVAL PORT | EXPERIENCE |
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| 11 nights | Sumbawa Besar | Labuan Bajo | Certified divers |







## Your itinerary

This is the 10 night itinerary; the 11 night trip spends a little longer in the hotspots.

DAY 1

### Pulau Moyo

Check dive

Fly to Sumbawa Besar, board, attend the briefing, then a check-out dive at Angel Reef.

DAY 2

## Teluk Saleh, Sumbawa

1 dive

A whale shark swim or snorkel near fishing platforms, then a dive at Tanjung Berhenti.

DAY 3

## Sangeang, Flores Sea

1-2 dives, night dive

Traditional phinisi boat building at Bontoh Village, volcanic-slope dives, and a night dive.

DAY 4

## Gili Lawa, Komodo National Park

2 dives

Castle Rock, Crystal Rock and The Cauldron (Shotgun), with optional sunset viewing or hiking.

DAY 5

## Batu Monco, Komodo National Park

2 dives

Morning dives in a calm bay with possible juvenile mantas, an afternoon dive at Laju Pamale, beach snacks, kayaking and paddleboarding.

DAY 6

## N'Doko, Sumbawa

1-2 dives

Reef dives and snorkelling, a beach barbecue at noon and a visit to a private pink beach.

DAY 7

## Manta Alley and Nusa Kode

2 dives, night dive

Manta Alley, a midday dive at Cannibal Rock, and a night dive at Torpedo Alley.

DAY 8

## Central Komodo

Up to 3 dives, night dive

Karang Makassar (Manta Point), Tatawa Besar, Tatawa Kecil, Siaba Besar, Batu Bolong and the Seven Seas Secret, with a night dive at Pulau Lassa.

DAY 9

## Central Komodo

Up to 3 dives

A further day at Central Komodo's sites, weather and tides permitting.

DAY 10

## Loh Liang and Central Komodo

Up to 3 dives

A ranger-guided walk on Komodo Island to see dragons, deer, birds and monkeys, a dive and snorkel at Pink Beach, then Central Komodo dives.

DAY 11

## Disembarkation

No diving today

Disembark at Labuan Bajo and fly to Bali for onward travel.







### Check in

Embarkation is at Sumbawa Besar.

### Check out

Disembarkation is at Labuan Bajo, with onward transfer to the airport.

### Transfers

Transfers between the nearest airport and the vessel are included on embarkation and disembarkation days only.

INCLUDED

# What your trip covers

### INCLUDED IN THE TRIP PRICE

- Return transfers between the nearest domestic airport and the vessel on embarkation and disembarkation days only
- Full board accommodation
- Drinking water, tea, coffee, juices and soft drinks
- Up to 4 dives a day
- Single 11 litre (80 cu ft) DIN/INT cylinder with air fills, weight belt and weights

### NOT INCLUDED

- International and domestic flights
- Hotel stays and day rooms
- Equipment rental
- Nitrox
- Beer, spirits, cocktails and wine
- On-board merchandise
- Crew and dive guide gratuities
- Marine park and port fees

BEFORE YOU GO

# What to bring

## ESSENTIALS

- Dive certification card and logbook
- Dive insurance, which is mandatory
- Personal dive computer, which is mandatory
- Torch for night dives
- Reef-safe sunscreen

## AND ALSO

- Swimwear, hat and sunglasses
- Light clothing and sandals
- Personal medication and toiletries
- Passport

WORTH KNOWING

# Key notes

### Good to know

The itinerary is tentative, and the route and dive sites depend on weather, tides and sea conditions, as decided by the captain and cruise director

### Good to know

Whale shark encounters at the bagans are seasonal and never guaranteed

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Whale shark sightings at the Teluk Saleh bagans are frequent in the dry season but are never guaranteed