

JAKARE

Whaleshark & Komodo

Sumbawa Besar to Labuan Bajo | Moyo, Saleh Bay, East Sumbawa and Komodo

Saleh Bay is a secluded marine sanctuary known for its whale sharks, and it sets the tone for a route of big animals and strange sights.

Off East Sumbawa, volcanic gas bubbles rise from the seabed amid healthy coral, and a remote, untouched island has a stunning house reef.

Then come the strong currents of Komodo, with schooling fish, reef sharks and manta rays at their cleaning stations.

The finale is a guided trek to see Komodo dragons, and thousands of flying foxes leaving the mangroves at sunset.

LENGTH	DEPARTURE PORT	ARRIVAL PORT	HIGHLIGHTS
10 days / 9 nights	Sumbawa Besar	Labuan Bajo	Saleh Bay, Bubble Reef, Komodo







Your itinerary

DAY 1

Sumbawa Besar

Check dive

Arrive in Sumbawa Besar and board Jakare, with welcome drinks and a safety briefing, then sail to Pulau Moyo.
The nearby reefs suit a check dive or an easy snorkel in calm, clear water.
Overnight at Pulau Moyo.

DAY 2

Pulau Moyo

Dives

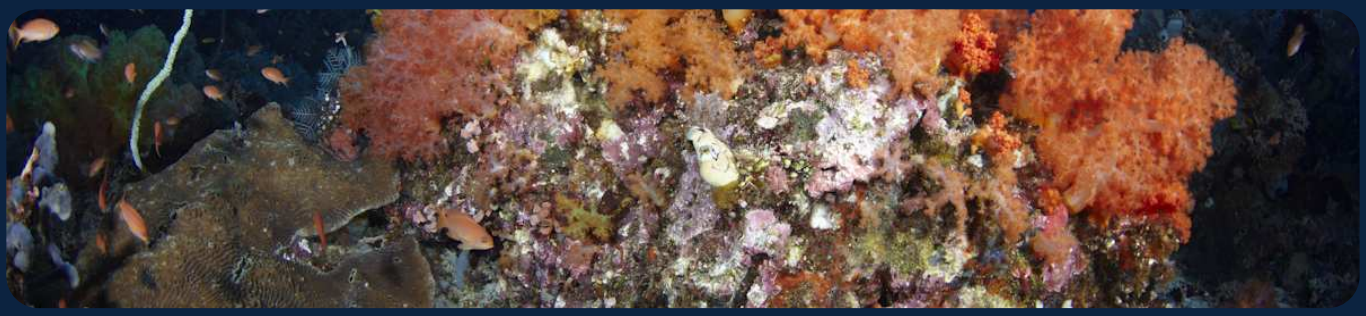
A day exploring Moyo, with snorkelling, diving, a trek to waterfalls or pristine beaches.
In the evening Jakare sails overnight to Saleh Bay.

DAY 3

Saleh Bay and Satonda

Dives

A morning in Saleh Bay, a secluded marine sanctuary known for whale sharks, for snorkelling or diving.
In the afternoon Jakare stops at Satonda, a volcanic island with a saltwater lake in the centre, for land activities, kayaking or paddle boarding.
Overnight sail to Sangeang.



DAY 4

East Sumbawa

Bubble Reef

Arrive in the morning and walk the black sand beaches formed by volcanic activity.
The dive is at Bubble Reef, where volcanic gas bubbles rise from the seabed amid healthy coral.
In mid-afternoon Jakare sails south overnight to Pulau Kelapa.

DAY 5

East Sumbawa, Pulau Kelapa

Dives

Arrive early at the remote, untouched island of Pulau Kelapa for snorkelling, diving, kayaking or paddle boarding.
Overnight at anchor.

DAY 6

East Sumbawa, Pantai Merah and Kalimaya

Dives

A morning sail to Pantai Merah, a pink sand beach, then north to Kalimaya, with a stunning house reef for snorkelling or diving.



DAY 7

Komodo North

Dives

Crystal Rock, Castle Rock and Golden Passage, with strong currents, schooling fish and reef sharks.
In the afternoon a trek to the summit of Gili Lawa Darat for sunset over the archipelago, and overnight at anchor.

DAY 8

Komodo Central and North

Dives

A day around Komodo Central, with Batu Bolong and Karang Makassar, a manta cleaning station, plus kayaking and SUP.

DAY 9

Komodo Central and Pulau Kalong

Dives

An early visit to Komodo Island for a guided trek to see the Komodo dragons, then diving and snorkelling in Komodo Central.
In the late afternoon Jakare sails to Pulau Kalong, where thousands of flying foxes leave the mangroves at sunset.

DAY 10

Labuan Bajo

Arrive early in Labuan Bajo, where you prepare for your flight.
Exchange memories, say goodbye to the crew and disembark.

GOOD TO KNOW

On land and on the way

Saleh Bay

Whale sharks are occasionally seen.

Bubble Reef

Volcanic bubbles on the seabed.

Komodo dragons

A guided trek on Komodo.

Pulau Kalong

Thousands of flying foxes at sunset.

Check in

Guests are met at the airport or at a hotel within 10 km of the port. In Raja Ampat check in is before 10 am, and most guests arrive around 8 am. In Labuan Bajo check in is before 12 noon.

Check out

Check out is between 8 am and 12 noon, with a transfer to the airport or your hotel.

Last dive

The last dive is on the penultimate day of the trip. Divers should wait at least 24 hours after their last dive before flying, so please keep to the no-flying rule when you book your flight home.





INCLUDED

What your trip covers

INCLUDED IN THE TRIP PRICE

- Airport or hotel transfers at embarkation and disembarkation
- Air-conditioned cabin with private bathroom
- Full board, with snacks, drinking water, soft drinks, tea and coffee
- Guided diving with the dive team
- Snorkelling gear, kayaks and stand-up paddle boards
- A French and English speaking cruise director
- Welcome drinks on arrival

NOT INCLUDED

- Flights and hotels before and after the cruise
- National park fees and the fuel surcharge
- Alcoholic drinks and crew tips
- Nitrox and rental dive gear
- Massages and other on-board services
- Dive and travel insurance

BEFORE YOU GO

What to bring

ESSENTIALS

- Dive certification card and logbook
- Completed diver medical questionnaire
- Details of your dive and travel insurance
- Dive computer and surface marker buoy
- Torch for night dives

AND ALSO

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

WORTH KNOWING

Key notes

Good to know

This is a proposed itinerary for planning only, subject to the weather and the conditions on board and at each site

Good to know

The daily programme is discussed with guests each evening for the following day

Good to know

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Insurance

Please arrange dive and travel insurance before you travel