TEMAN

Raja Ampat

Sorong to Sorong | Central Raja Ampat, Wayag and Kawe in the far north

Ten nights combine the central Dampier Strait and Arborek with a push into the far north, to the limestone peaks of Wayag and the equator crossing at Kawe, before Pianemo and a final flexible day back in Dampier Strait.

LENGTH	DEPARTURE PORT	ARRIVAL PORT	EXPERIENCE
10 nights	Sorong	Sorong	Certified divers







Your itinerary

DAY 1

Sorong to Waisai

Check dive

Departure from Sorong to board the Phinisi, then a sail toward Waisai for diving, snorkelling and sunset at Soanek Monde.
The night is spent in Waisai.

DAY 2

The Blue River

Up to 3 dives

A sunrise stop for the Birds of Paradise, then the Blue River and a visit to Warsambin village, followed by dives at Chicken Reef and Sardine Reef.

DAY 3

Dampier Strait

Up to 3 dives

Myoskon for diving and beach time, then Cape Kri, and the sand island of Pasir Timbul, with a final dive or snorkel off the village of Yenbuba.

DAY 4

Sewandarek and Arborek

Up to 3 dives

Giant clams and turtles at Sewandarek, then a chance to spot manta rays at Manta Sandy and Manta Ridge, with a visit to Arborek Village and its jetty.

DAY 5

Yanggefo

Up to 3 dives

Barracudas and reef sharks at Mayhem Reef, with mangrove-lined channels ideal for kayaking and paddleboarding in this calm, tranquil bay.

DAY 6

Wofoh Island and beach barbecue

Up to 3 dives

Black corals at Edy's Black Forest, then a gentle drift at Wofoh Wall for nudibranchs and other macro life, followed by an afternoon beach barbecue with paddleboarding, kayaking and volleyball.

DAY 7

Wayag Archipelago

Diving or snorkelling

A climb up one of Wayag's limestone peaks for a panoramic view, then kayaking through hidden lagoons, with diving or snorkelling for blacktip reef sharks and coral.

DAY 8

Kawe

Up to 3 dives

A visit to the equator monument on Kawe Island, with dives at Eagle Rock, known for manta encounters, and Black Rock for coral reefs and reef sharks, plus a short hike for views over the lagoons.

DAY 9

Pianemo

Up to 3 dives

Melissa's Garden for coral diversity, Keruo's Channel for snorkelling, the Pianemo viewpoint, and a final dive at Batu Rufus for its swim-throughs.

DAY 10

Dampier Strait

Flexible diving

A flexible final day of diving back in Dampier Strait, exploring sites not yet visited or revisiting favourites at your own pace.

DAY 11

Back to Sorong

A final breakfast on board, with the chance to share photos and stories, before disembarking in Sorong and transferring to the airport or your hotel.

Check in

Boarding is from Marina Star Harbour in Sorong, with hotel pick-up at around 07:30 and boarding around 08:00. Airport pick-up is arranged for early arrivals.

Check out

Check-out transfers run between 06:00 and 11:00. A same-day international connection out of Sorong is best avoided.

Transfers

One transfer to the boat and one return transfer between the airport or hotel and the boat are included, with hotel pick-up at no extra charge within 10 km of town.







INCLUDED

What your trip covers

INCLUDED IN THE TRIP PRICE

- A check dive on the first day for every diver
- Up to 3 guided dives a day, with one dive guide for up to four divers
- One transfer to the boat and one return transfer between the airport or hotel and the boat
- Marine park and local government fees shown with each trip on our schedule

NOT INCLUDED

- Flights
- Dive and travel insurance
- Diving equipment rental
- Crew tips, laundry and extra drinks
- A private guide for a single Open Water diver, charged per day and shared if more than one Open Water diver is on board
- Certification courses, available only on private charters

BEFORE YOU GO

What to bring

ESSENTIALS

- Dive certification card and logbook
- Dive computer, mandatory for every diver
- Torch for night dives
- Reef-safe sunscreen
- Swimwear, hat and sunglasses

AND ALSO

- Light clothing and sandals
- Personal medication and toiletries
- Passport
- Copy of your travel and dive insurance

WORTH KNOWING

Key notes

Insurance

Travel and dive insurance covering dive injury, medical evacuation and travel is mandatory

Good to know

Open Water divers are limited to 18 metres and dive with a guide at all times

Good to know

Diving gloves are not permitted, for reef protection

Good to know

Dive sites are never guaranteed in advance; the cruise director decides based on conditions

Flying

There is no diving for 24 hours before a flight