



The Pacaya Samiria National Reserve & the Peruvian Amazon Experience

If you find yourself in the Pacaya Samiria National Reserve, you're doing something right. The blooming soul of the northern Amazon Rainforest is among the most protected biodiversity swaths remaining today in the region, and no other destinations in Peru offer the kind of unbarred access to some of Earth's most elusive creatures and plants.

Just imagine going on a morning boat ride skirting the edges of the river in search of cackling macaws and tree sloths slowly waking up to begin their days, then returning to your vessel with a chilled local fruit juice waiting for you. Or, how about swimming in a mirror-like lagoon that is so calm that it seems preface to a storm, yet instead, you're greeted by rare pink river dolphins jumping up to say "hello," then your guide offers you a warm towel after your dip? Finally, what better way is there to close out your evening fishing for red-bellied piranhas during a fiery sunset than with a 3-course, individuallycrafted gourmet meal made of ingredients sourced from the natural backyard that surrounds you?

These and much more are the kinds of details that have been anticipated by the exceptional crew of the Delfins, whose operations have been painstakingly considered to cater to even the most discerning and seasoned explorers who seek styled, boutique experiences along with authenticity and charm.

#### Seasons:

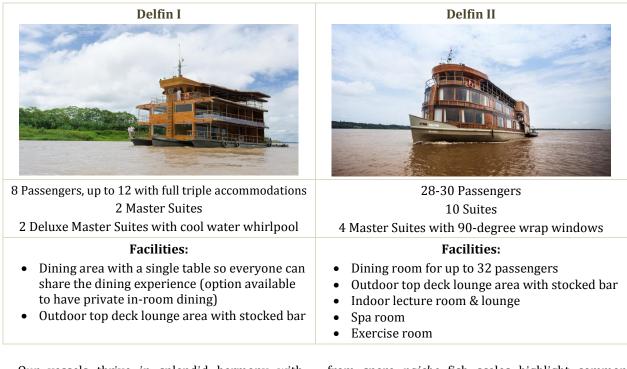
- Low water season: June to October. Ideal for travelers that prefer to walk through the rainforest to discover its flora and fauna. Allows for more trail walks.
- High water season: November to May. Ideal for travelers that prefer to duck into otherwise isolated corners of the reserve onboard speed boats. Allows for more extensive exploration and access via water.



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#### Our Vessels



Our vessels thrive in splendid harmony with nature and its spectacular surroundings. By any standards, our guests appreciate the "noncruise" atmosphere and the sense that you are on board to explore one of the world's most intriguing and authentic environments.

The true detail that set Delfin apart from others is its dedication to collaborating the rich rainforest ecosystem with its own identity, which permeate through every aspect of the vessels and operations. Collected *irapay* leaves (typically seen on residential huts) form the boats' waterproof roofs, lamps made from spare *paiche* fish scales highlight common areas, quality woods from the forest form the very boat and Suites, and custom-made repellants and lotions made of natural jungle ingredients serve every guest.

When lazy afternoons roll around or if you want to gaze at the millions of southern stars set against the blackest of skies, venture to the top deck where soothing lounge space and a bar will lull you into pure relaxation.

The dress code is casual for all excursions and meals.

#### Sustainable Travel

Delfin has made it a highest priority to give back to the Amazon's communities as much as the local people have enriched their travelers' experiences.

Handmade, custom-designed artisanal wares made by the village women vibrantly enhance every Suite and dining room on board, and often the community men with lightning-fast reflexes accompany trail walks to make sure you don't miss fast-moving poison dart frogs or slithering anacondas! Visits to these communities bring our travelers together with the local people, allowing for cultural exchange at both ends.

The rainforest's various cultures and lifestyles have long resolved how to live together in harmony, and Delfin promises to uphold this natural, delicate synergy.





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Delfin I	Delfin II
11 total crew members	20 total crew members
1 expert naturalist guide	3 expert naturalist guides

We has assembled a talented and experienced team of naturalist and interpretive Amazon River guides who are the most important and essential ingredient in our cruises. Their expert knowledge of plants and birdlife, and the history of this part of the Amazon, will be the difference between a visit to Peru and an unforgettable life experience in the jungle. Put together, they have decades of invaluable experience.

Most of our guides were born and raised in the rainforest they now call their office, in small communities that are spread throughout the Peruvian Amazon. They spent their childhoods walking the forest paths, climbing trees to pick fruit, fishing the small streams, and chasing iguanas along the shoreline. Now, they are proud to share their knowledge and passion with our travelers from around the world.

Many of them have also participated in training sessions and projects with Peruvian and North American professors, researchers, scientists, and other professionals of similar leagues.

All our guides are bilingual in Spanish and English, and some have additional language aptitudes.

You will also discover during a cruise that they have delightful musical talents to boast!

Delfin I	Delfin II
Master Suites (2): 32 meters <sup>2</sup> (340 feet <sup>2</sup> ) with	<b>Suites (10):</b> 19.5 meters <sup>2</sup> (210 feet <sup>2</sup> )
furnished private terrace (30 meters <sup>2</sup> (320 feet <sup>2</sup> )) <b>Deluxe Master Suites (2):</b> 34 meters <sup>2</sup> (360 feet <sup>2</sup> )	Master Suites (4): 21 meters <sup>2</sup> (230 feet <sup>2</sup> ) with 90- degree front-facing windows
with a cool water pool found on the private terrace	Bunk Bed Cabin (1): for 2 kids <u>or</u> 1 adult
(32 meters <sup>2</sup> (340 feet <sup>2</sup> )) *Triples available with base in a futon bed, for adults or children	*Triples available with base in a rollaway bed, for children aged 7-11 or under <u>only</u>

All Suites on both vessels come with:

- Air-conditioning
- King or 2 double beds with bedding of 100% • Peruvian pima cotton
- Indoor sitting area •
- Native design elements and handicrafts •
- Large lavatory
- Hot water showers with organic toiletries
- Hair dryer

- Safe box
- Yoga mat
- Binoculars (Delfin I only)
- Mini fridge (Delfin I only) •
- Roof-to-floor paneled windows provide unobstructed views of the ever-changing river conditions and the human communities that live symbiotically with each other

\*Children aged 7-11 are eligible for a 20% discount from the adult rate

### **Delfin I:**



Deluxe Master Suite

Master Suite

Lavatorv

Outdoor lounge



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#### Delfin II:







Bunk bed cabin



Master Suite



Outdoor lounge & bar

Indoor lecture room & lounge





Exercise room

#### **Dining & Drinking**



Thanks to the cultural diversity of our country, Peruvian gastronomy has become one of the most craved-after kitchens on the continent and the world. Because of this, Delfin, apart from being dedicated to bringing you the adventurous Amazonian spirit into your life, is proud to have the opportunity to present you with a full menu of foods and beverages prepared in utmost style, quality, and originality.

We hope you enjoy the creativity of our specialized kitchen and its crew who work hard to present you with balanced and exquisite menus every day. Our innovative chef will surprise you with the most exotic culinary delights, always freshly prepared in the school of Peruvian gourmet gastronomy infused with touches and inspirations from the rainforest around you.

We are happy to accommodate any special diets and restrictions with timely prior notice.

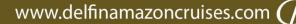
### Meals included:

- Arrival day: dinner
- Cruise days: all meals & snacks
- Departure day: breakfast, lunch

### **Beverages included:**

Delfin I	Delfin II	
Natural juices, soda, coffee, tea, water		
<ul> <li>Beer</li> <li>House cocktails</li> <li>Pisco cocktails &amp; sours</li> <li>House wines with lunch and dinner</li> </ul>	• Beer	







Delfin I	Delfin II
3 nights: Mondays – Thursdays	3 nights: Sundays – Wednesdays
4 nights: Thursdays – Mondays	4 nights: Wednesdays – Sundays

All of our itineraries have been carefully crafted to showcase the best flora and fauna that the Marañon and Ucayali Rivers in the Pacaya Samiria National Reserve have to boast, along with offering ideal soft adventure excursions for travelers to further discover the secrets of the Peruvian Amazonia.

Itineraries vary based on whether the travel dates fall in the high water/rainy season or low water/dry season.

All activities are optional, although we encourage all guests to tempt their adventurous side. 2-3 times daily excursions (one in the morning, one in the afternoon) may include but are not limited to kayaking in the calm creeks and lakes, swimming with dolphins, fishing for piranhas at sunset, skirting the riverbanks in

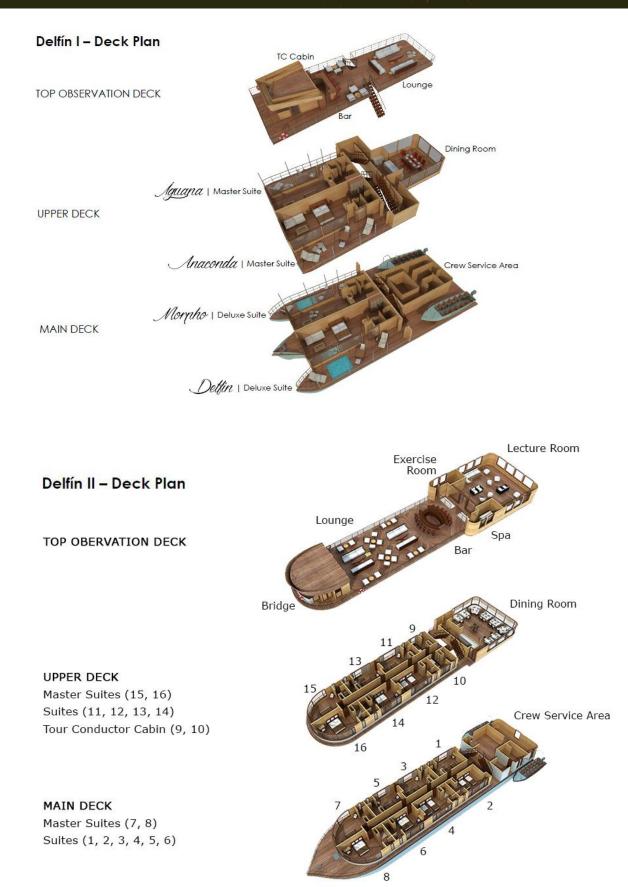
search of playful creatures, birdwatching, trail walks, and visits to local communities to interact with the native people. Optional earlv birdwatching excursions before breakfast are also available for those who are up for the challenge!

For day-to-day itineraries, please consult your trip advisor.

Tailor-Made Charters: These allow us to personalize your Amazon voyage. In addition to our regular itineraries, we can create a unique, fully custom-designed program just for you and your loved ones. Bird watching, professional fishing, and deep exploration of jungle trails are just some examples of specialized daily excursions we can arrange for your specific group's interests, skills, and sense of adventure.

Delfin I	Delfin II
Latest updates: Refurbished in 2010	Year Built: 2009
Type of vessel: River vessel	Type of vessel: River vessel
Port of Embarkation: City of Nauta	Port of Embarkation: City of Nauta
Vessel's Registry: Peru	Vessel's Registry: Peru
Length: 67 feet	Length: 135 feet
Beam: 33 feet	Beam: 32 feet
<b>Draft:</b> 5'8"	<b>Draft:</b> 8'25"
Capacity: 12 passengers	Capacity: 30 passengers
Generator: Caterpillar, 45KW (encapsulated)	Generator: 2 Caterpillars, 55KW each
Engine: Cummins 285HP diesel turbo boosted	(encapsulated)
Cruising Speed: Average 8 knots	Engine: Caterpillar C12 385HP eco-electronic
Water: Water treatment plant with 5.0 cubic meter	Cruising Speed: Average 8.20 knots
capacity	Water: Water treatment plant with 7.0 cubic meter
Sewage Waters: 2.5 cubic meter septic tank	capacity
Radio Communication: VHF, UHF and satellite	Sewage Waters: Sewage treatment plant
phone on board	Radio Communication: VHF, UHF and satellite
Launch Boats: 2 aluminum 10 passenger skiffs	phone on board
equipped with four stroke low emission Mercury	<b>Launch Boats:</b> 3 aluminum 10 passenger skiffs (+1 for emergencies with four stroke low emission Mercury
60HP engines + radio communications with main vessel, life jackets and flares	15HP engine) equipped with four stroke low emission
<b>Life Jackets:</b> one per passenger, available in each	Mercury 60HP engines + radio communications with
Suite	main vessel, life jackets and flares
	Life Jackets: one per passenger, available in each Suite







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