

› INKATERRA ‹
RESERVA AMAZÓNICA
TAMBOPATA - PERU



BIRDWATCHING
IN THE
AMAZON
RAINFOREST

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BIRDWATCHING, NATURE & CULTURE

DAY
1

INKATERRA RESERVA AMAZONICA



You will soon be arriving in Puerto Maldonado, gateway to one of the world's most remote and extraordinary rainforest environments. Your journey will take you into the heart of the Tambopata National Reserve.

Upon arrival, you will be greeted at the Puerto Maldonado Airport by our staff members, who will assist you with your luggage. Next, you will be driven to the river port, a 45-minute boat ride on the Madre de Dios river will end upon arrival at Inkaterra Reserva Amazonica.

Inkaterra Reserva Amazonica staff will greet you and will provide information about the lodge's safety rules and the proposed schedule of excursions during your stay.



540
bird species
registered.

Lunch in the dining room.

Inkaterra Reserva Amazonica offers various à-la-carte excursions, with duration of ¼ day, ½ day, or 1 day, and at three levels of intensity. Since this may be your first rainforest experience, we provide a suggested itinerary designed to help you get the most out of your trip. Travellers may create their own itinerary according to their preferences. Excursions may vary according to weather conditions, without previous notice.



Trail System

A guided walk along one of the trails is a wonderful introduction to the incredible world of the Amazon rainforest. The trails wind past such important giant trees of the forest as the kapok and the strangler fig, and you may see superb examples of bird and insect life.

Evening Nature Presentations on Amazonian topics, and particularly on bird observation in the Amazon rainforest are held every evening by Inkaterra explorer guides, you are very welcome to join the presentations.

Cocktails and dinner in the dining room of the lodge's main house.

Relax on the porch of your *cabaña*, listening to the forest sounds at night, before retiring for the night. - / L / D

DAY 2

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Buffet breakfast at the Lodge

Wake up early to observe the sun rise over the Madre de Dios River.

During this day, depending on preference and weather conditions you may choose one of these two excursions:

Lake Valencia

Enjoy a trip to Lake Valencia Lake 4 hours down the river in the middle of a Brazil Nut fields on the way a stop in Gamitana Farm, located 25 minutes from the Inkaterra lodge, to look for birds as tanagers, flycatchers among other that feed on the agricultural fields of the farm. Then continue the navigation to the Valencia Creek where is possible to find more birds as oropendolas, caciques, flycatchers and the prehistoric looking bird hoatzin. There is a trail into a *terra firme* forest in Valencia Lake where is possible to find interesting birds of that habitat as the Pale-winged trumpeter, pavonine quetzal, manakins, antbirds, and more. Valencia Lake offers the chance for a good fishing activity. Picnic Lunch and return to the lodge.

Ornithology

Our specialized guide will recommend several birding routes, and you will be able to tailor made your day. Wake up really early to start your adventure down the river to start your birdwatching activity. Enjoy breakfast at the boat to continue your excursion at Inkaterra Hacienda Concepcion.

Lunch at Inkaterra Hacienda Concepcion.

Continue during the afternoon to Rolin Island for birdwatching around the island, a good spot for shorebirds and migrants.

Dinner and overnight at Inkaterra Reserva Amazonica. B / L / D



DAY 3

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Buffet breakfast at the Lodge.

Morning excursion to Lake Sandoval. A 40-minute boat ride takes you to the Tambopata National Reserve. Spend an hour-and-a-half walking the 3 km. (1.8 mile) trail through the wildlife-rich reserve, parrots, macaws and the rare Black-faced Cotinga are possible to find there. Here you will

have an excellent opportunity to see the endangered giant river otter. Also residing in and around the lake are some monkeys like the rare Red howler, Brown capuchin and Common squirrel monkeys, Red-bellied macaws, Black caymans, and Side-neck turtles.

Return to the lodge for lunch.

In the afternoon, visit to the Inkaterra Canopy Walkway and the Anaconda Walk. A five-minute boat ride takes you to the Inkaterra Canopy Walkway. Ascend the first tower, 30 meters (99 feet) above the forest floor. Spend an hour-and-a-half walking on the bridges that stretch between seven platforms, to observe a giant strangler fig trees, orchids, toucans, woodpeckers, trogons, and with luck, monkeys or a three-toed sloth. A 30-minute walk takes you to a nearby wetland area, an important rainforest ecosystem that is host to many exotic plants and birds.

Return to the Lodge and nature presentation in the Eco – Center.

Cocktails and dinner at the main dining room.

Spend the night in your cabaña. B / L / D

DAY 4

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Breakfast at the lodge.

Morning check-out. Assistance with your luggage and return by boat on the Madre de Dios river to Puerto Maldonado.

Visit to the Butterfly House in Puerto Maldonado, where you will be able to observe several dozens of the more than 3,800 varieties of butterflies and moths found in Peru.

Assistance with your luggage and transfer to the airport.