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Since it was founded in 1975, Inkaterra has been at the forefront of environmental conservation and ecotourism. Embodying Peru's biodiversity and cultural heritage, four Inkaterra hotels are now part of National Geographic Unique Lodges of the World. The brand is also a member of Green Pearls® Unique Places, a portfolio of handpicked, sustainable and one-of-a-kind destinations worldwide.

Inkaterra Machu Picchu Pueblo Hotel is popular with those heading to the ancient citadel of Machu Picchu. The hotel is an Andean-style cloud forest village of 81 whitewashed casitas.

Guests can visit the Unu Spa, which uses products derived from local plants, and dine at a restaurant overlooking the Vilcanota River that serves Andean cuisine with a modern twist.

Inkaterra Hacienda Urubamba in the Sacred Valley of the Incas is a modern 100-acre hacienda-style hotel, located between Cusco and Machu Picchu amid imposing green mountains.

All 12 rooms and 24 luxury casitas feature epic views of the valley. The architecture and interiors are inspired by the area's cultural history, with custom-made furniture, Incan masks, stoves and handcrafted wooden beams adding to the hacienda's local charm.

An 'earth to table' concept means

guests can pick their own produce from the on-site 10-acre organic farm.

Inkaterra La Casona in Cusco is a 16thcentury colonial manor house located in the traditional Plaza de las Nazarenas. The Relais & Chateaux property has a courtyard with 11 suites featuring open fireplaces, heated floors and extra-large bathtubs, while its halls are decorated with colonial furniture, pre-Colombian textiles and murals.

The Yacu therapy room offers bespoke treatments and, like the manor's dining room, uses locally sourced products.

Inkaterra Hacienda Concepción in Madre de Dios is set in the heart of the Amazon between the Tambopata National Reserve and the shores of the Madre de Dios River, with panoramic views of a territory where 540 bird species can be spotted. Nineteen private cabanas on stilts and a sixroom casa grande, with high ceilings and a thatched roof, are peppered around the property.

Local guides lead tours of the Peruvian Amazon, and excursions include a visit to Lake Sandoval and the Inkaterra Canopy Walkway.

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