

ULTIMATE YACHTS

MOYO TO KOMODO NATIONAL PARK

10-night itinerary featuring Amanwana Resort

THE ULTIMATE INDONESIAN YACHTS TEAM IS PASSIONATE ABOUT EXPLORING SOUTH EAST ASIA'S MOST COMPELLING COASTLINES. WE BELIEVE THAT CHARTERING A PRIVATE YACHT IS THE PERFECT WAY TO EXPERIENCE THE SECRETS OF OUR BLUE PLANET.

Our handpicked collection of luxury and expedition charter yachts offers an unrivalled means of experiencing both land & sea from the comfort of boutique accommodation on the waves. Our yachts combine tradition, elegance and modern conveniences, and each one comes with a skilled crew including an expert captain, a cruise host and a private chef.

We know our niche inside out and we take pride in our longstanding relationships with clients, yacht owners and agents alike. We will take the time to truly know everything about each yacht, from the cruise director's strengths to the cuisine and service onboard.



KOMODO NATIONAL PARK

LOCATED TO THE EAST OF BALI AND LOMBOK, KOMODO NATIONAL PARK IS A UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE SITE, HOME TO THE LEGENDARY ENDEMIC KOMODO DRAGON AND ONE OF THE MOST SOUGHT-AFTER CRUISING GROUNDS IN INDONESIA.

Stretching east from Bali lies Lombok, Sumbawa, Moyo and Flores – these isles host a wealth of interesting sights above land. The famed islands of Komodo National Park are known for the endemic Komodo dragons, respected by locals who believe they descend from one born to a dragon princess, centuries ago.

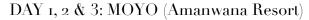
Rolling hills and mangroves in the north give way to craggy mountainous terrain in the central region, while in the south, Horseshoe Bay is about as close as you can get to Jurassic Park with cliffs shrouded in cloud and the force of the Pacific Ocean pounding the coast outside the cove.

With an official count of more than 1,000 types of fish and 260 types of corals, the warm tropical waters of Komodo National Park are one of the most species-rich underwater environments on earth. One of the wonderful things about this underwater playground is that around 60% of its dive sites are also suitable for snorkelling with their shallow, fringing reefs. Surfers can explore the surrounding islands of Lombok, Sumbawa, Sumba and Rote for perfect waves.





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Today you will land at Moyo Island by seaplane and transfer to the footloose Amanwana Tented Resort. Just off the coast of Sumbawa in the Lesser Sunda chain, Moyo Island is a pristine nature reserve known for beautiful reefs, waterfalls and lush green forest inhabited by deer, wild ox, boar and macaque monkeys. Here, you'll find the barefoot luxury Amanwana Resort. This opulent camp has 20 luxurious tented rooms set either on the beach or within the jungle and its peaceful reefs are an excellent place to learn scuba diving.

DAY 4: SATONDA

Today, you will board your private yacht anchored close to Moyo, and settle in on board as the yacht sets sail for Satonda. The saltwater crater lake of Satonda was created by the great Mt Tambora volcano that erupted in 1815 - one of the biggest eruptions in history – and a truly magnificent sight. Here, you can swim or try watersports on the mirror still crater lake. At sunset, you'll see thousands of bats flocking into the orange skies on their nightly hunting jaunt. Enjoy dinner served on deck under the stars.

DAY 5: SANGEANG

This morning, the active volcano of Sangeang Api, off the coast of Sumbawa, will come into sight. At this spot, a unique underwater phenomenon may be experienced - the black sand slopes bubble with escaping gas alongside a rainbow of soft coral bommies. Head to shore to Wera Village to see how locals build their traditional "phinisi" boats with techniques unchanged for generations.

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DAY 6: GILI BANTA

This afternoon, the yacht will continue east to Gili Banta. This paradisiac island is known for its beautiful beaches and stunning marine life, and today, you can play castaway on this uninhabited isle. A leisurely afternoon here can be spent exploring the island or reclining under an umbrella, or perhaps checking out some of the snorkel and dive sites in the local area.

DAY 7: GILI LAWA LAUT

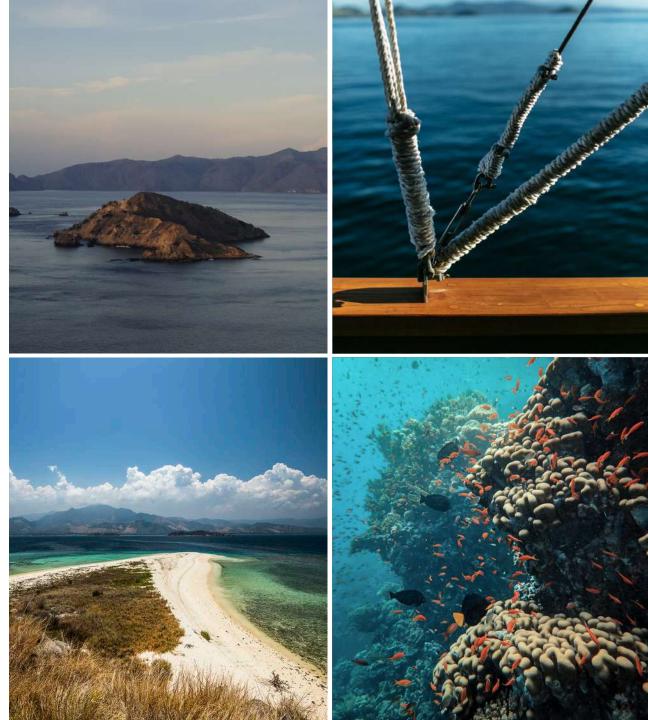
Today the yacht will anchor on the northwestern edge of Komodo, near the Gili Lawa islands. These two islands are home to Komodo's most famous underwater sites including Castle Rock, Shotgun, The Passage and Lighthouse. Pitch up on a stretch of golden sand between underwater pursuits. A steep trek will reward you with stunning vistas over the surrounding islands.

DAY 8: PADAR ISLAND

Set between Rinca and Komodo in the central region of the national park lies the picturesque island of Padar. A sheltered bay on the southeast side of the island makes for a beautiful anchorage in the shadow of dramatic craggy peaks. Central Komodo's nutrient-rich waters attract shoals of schooling fish on current swept walls renowned as some of the best coral reefs in Indonesia. This bay is a wonderful spot to try watersports, relax on the beach or take a tender cruise into the mangroves,

DAY 9: RINCA ISLAND

Lesser known than neighboring Komodo Island, Rinca is an excellent place to observe Komodo dragons, as well as the monkey population and an array of birdlife. This morning, stroll through the park with a ranger and catch sight of the famed Komodo dragons. This afternoon, submerge at underwater sites in the channel between Komodo and Flores, such as Tatawa Besar and Kecil, relax on a sandy beach flecked with shells or explore nearby coves and try some watersports.





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DAY 10: MANTA POINT

Today, you will have a chance to visit a Manta cleaning station. Swim surrounded by Manta rays as they circle you in an underwater ballet. This area offers one of the most active underwater landscapes in Komodo with vibrant soft and hard coral gardens home to large numbers of fish. After lunch onboard, spend the afternoon beach combing or cruising mangroves and hidden coves on the tender, or relax onboard in the sunshine.

DAY 11: LABUAN BAJO

This morning, the yacht will return to Labuan Bajo port. After a final decadent breakfast on deck, your crew will assist you in disembarking the yacht and transfer you back to the airport to catch your flight home.



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