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The Ultimate Indonesian Yachts team is passionate about exploring Indonesia's most compelling coastlines. We believe that chartering a private yacht is the best way to uncover 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 the islands like the back of our hand and we love planning bespoke adventures to suit you. We take pride in our relationships with clients, yacht owners and agents alike. We take the time to truly know everything about each yacht, from the cruise director's strengths to the cuisine and service onboard.

RAJA AMPAT & TRITON BAY

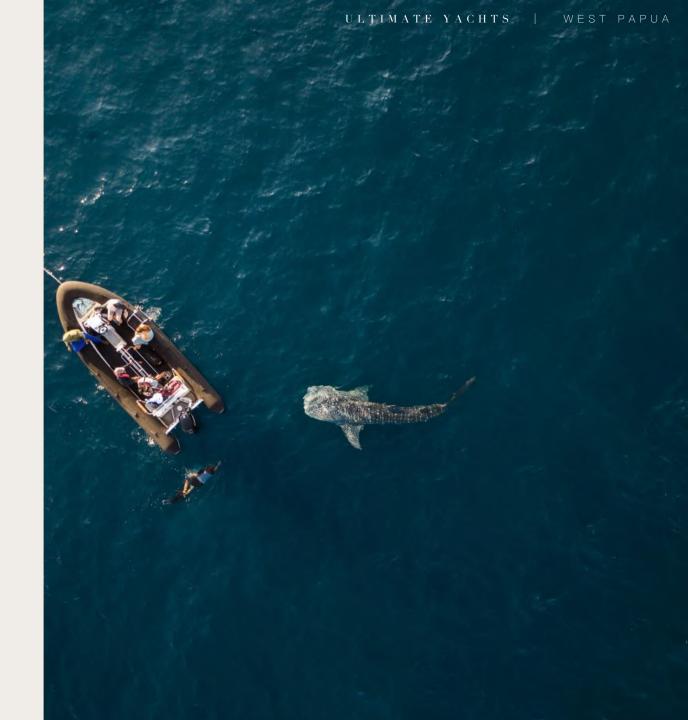


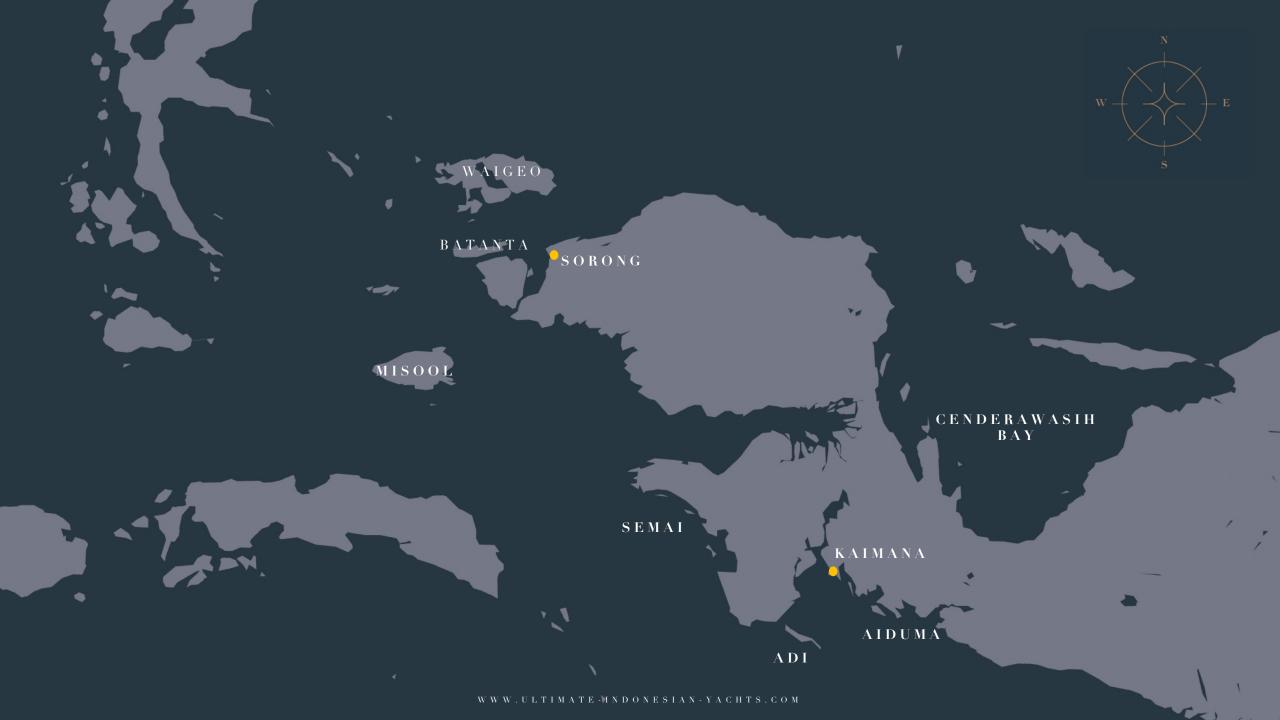
While Raja Ampat may claim most of the fame in this region, West Papua has numerous fascinating cruising grounds for those keen to get off the beaten track and explore far eastern Indonesia. To the south lies Triton Bay; a destination known for frequent whale shark sightings, authentic villages and wreck dives.

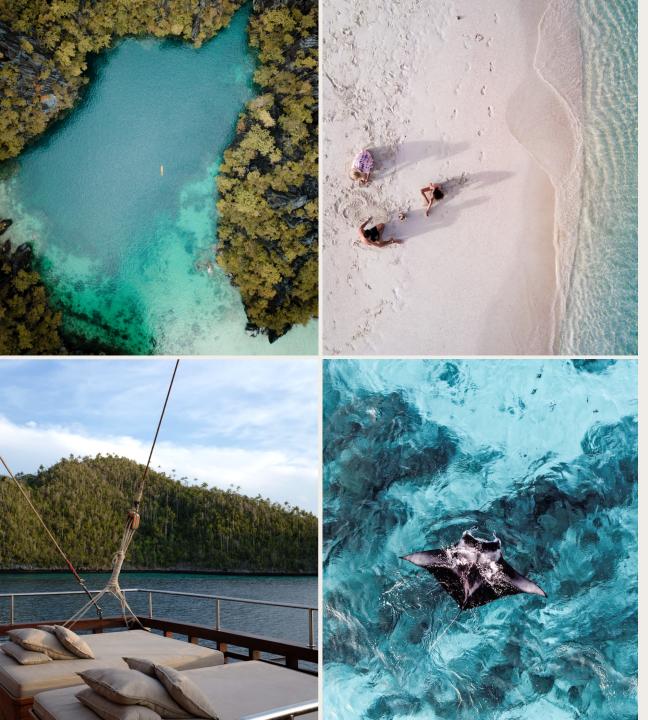
Triton Bay is part of the Kaimana Marine Protected Area, covering over 2,000 square miles. Kaimana in the south is home to the legend of the Garuda bird which today is the symbol of the Republic of Indonesia. Surrounded by the impressive peaks of the mainland, Triton Bay boasts lush rainforest and beautiful waterfalls that are ideal for exploratory hiking, and ancient rock art that can be seen while kayaking.

Triton Bay's marine biodiversity counts 1,005 species of fish, 471 species of hard coral, and 28 species of mantis shrimp with everything from pygmy seahorses to wobbegong and epaulette sharks.

Raja Ampat is described as one of the most extraordinary environments on the planet. The name translates as 'Four Kings,' referring to the main islands of Misool, Batanta, Waigeo and Salawati, which are surrounded by 1,500 islands with WILD beaches and limestone cliffs plunging into agua seas.







DAY 1: SORONG

You will be met at Sorong airport by the yacht's crew and transferred to the harbour, a 20-minute drive. Once you have settled in onboard, the yacht will depart Sorong and begin the cruise to the islands of Raja Ampat while you enjoy lunch on deck. If time allows, go snorkelling or try a check dive before you watch the sun go down with a cocktail. Dinner will be served under the stars.

DAY 2: KRI PENINSULA

This morning, you'll awake to the sound of tropical birds calling from the jungle. Mioskon Bay is a spectacular spot where you can snorkel in the mangroves, or kayak mirror still waters along the verdant coastline. Famed for its fish-life and coral slopes, the Kri peninsula offers some of the most exquisite underwater vistas in Raja Ampat.

DAY 3: PENEMU

A cluster of rocky limestone domes makes up the Penemu Islands. Draped with tiers of green vegetation, the islets encircle a shallow green bay and a walking trail along the rocky hills leads to a look out with magnificent views of the lagoon, its outlying islands, and the ocean beyond. Nearby lie some of the most celebrated snorkelling and diving sites in the area, where turtles float over intricate coral gardens and Manta rays meet large schools of game fish in nutrient-rich currents.

12-night Sorong to Kaimana itinerary

DAY 4 - 7: MISOOL

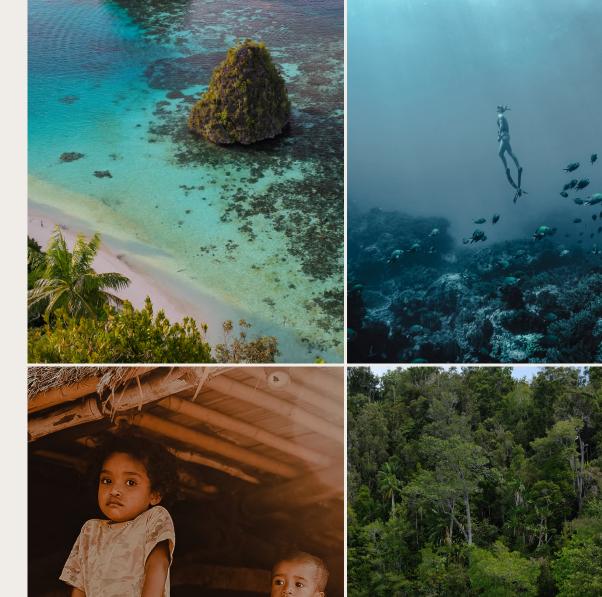
This morning, the yacht will reach the southeast end of Misool. You'll awake to a shimmering pastel sunrise and enjoy a decadent breakfast on deck, with tea and coffee served by your crew. This chain of tiny islands carves the area into hundreds of narrow channels concealing lagoons, coves, cliffs and limestone overhang, caves and endless pristine beaches. Here in Raja Ampat's southernmost island, you'll spend five days exploring Misool's treasures.

DAY 8: PISANG

These tiny islands isolated in the vast waters of the Ceram Sea offer a chance to relax and enjoy sparkling white—sand beaches, clear waters and vibrant reefs before making our way to the shores of West Papua. Here we travel along the shores until we reach the village of Sipitnanam. After visiting with the residents who spend their days fishing the nearby waters or tending their nutmeg plantations, we will enjoy a day of exploration dives by speedboat.

DAY 9: MOMON

Located approximately 150 nautical miles to the south east of Misool, on the mainland of West Papua, is a spectacular waterfall falling directly into the sea. The waterfall stems from a large river that originates in the highlands of Papuan jungle and gushes amongst beautiful primordial jungle. The falls can be approached by tender and you can jump into the ocean and swim directly to the waterfall, where the water pouring over the edge creates a wide screen of fast flowing fresh water.





In 2007, two of the first surveyed sites broke Dr. Gerald Allen's Raja Ampat world record for the most fish species recorded from a single dive site — an astounding 330 species recorded from Papisoi Cape dive site alone. Marine surveyors always find new species here. There may be a chance to trek onland here; there's Papisoi waterfall inland and creatures such as the Papua pigmy kangaroo, deer, wild pig, pigeons and doves to be found.

DAY 11 & 12: TRITON BAY

Triton Bay is a scuba divers' dream, a place where scientists have recorded a total of eight different mantis shrimp species, 24 new fish species, and 20 new species of coral. Scientists also first spotted the new species of two kinds of epaulette shark (the walking shark) most commonly seen at night. For the next two days we will make the most of our time in Triton Bay amongst the undisturbed coves, caves, and lagoons. We can head north by speedboat through the Namatote passage, where the cliffs are well–known as a gallery of prehistoric art, with cave paintings, glyphs and pictorial signs left by ancient nomads high on the rock walls. We can also dive at Namatote to see leopard anemones and look for 'bagan' fishing platforms where we may be lucky enough to find whale sharks. There are night dives at Walker's Reef, where marine biologists discovered the Triton Bay walking shark.

DAY 13: KAIMANA

This morning, the yacht will approach the harbour. After a final 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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