



### Introduction

Indonesia is a destination that offers so much above and below water: a staggering diversity of marine life ranging from the smallest to the largest such as pygmy seahorses to whale sharks and an amazing variety in between.

Raja Ampat is located off the northwestern tip of the Bird's Head peninsula on the island of New Guinea, in the West Papua province of Indonesia. According to Conservation International, marine studies suggest that the diversity of marine life in the Raja Ampat area is the highest recorded on Earth. The diversity is considerably higher than any other area sampled in the coral triangle made up of Indonesia, the Philippines and Papua New Guinea. The coral triangle is the heart of the world's coral reef biodiversity, making Raja Ampat arguably the richset coral reef ecosystem in the world.

Raja Ampat, or the **Four Kings**, is an Archipelago, comprising more than 1,500 small islands, cays, and shoals. It covers more than 40,000 km2 of land and sea, which also contains Cenderawasih Bay, the largest marine national park in Indonesia.

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Misool is one of the four major islands in the Raja Ampat Islands in Southwest Papua, Indonesia. It is home to an abundance of marine life, soft corals, and overhangs. Misool represents one of the most pristine reef systems left on earth — one of only a handful of places in the universe where biodiversity is improving rather than declining.

Raja Ampat and Misool is a dream diving location for scuba divers from all over the world. However, this marine paradise is also an area of strong currents, which can be difficult for even the most experienced of divers.

We require that you are certified as a PADI Advanced Open Water/Deep Diver or equivalent and recommend that you have a minimum of 30 logged dives to join our Raja Ampat itinerary.

The Trip offers a great mix of pelagic, macro and stunning reefs. And you also get our 'No Hidden Extras' guarantee as all marine park fees and port departure fees are included in our price.



# ITINERARY

Day 1

Day 2 - 9

Day 9

Day 10

**Pick up at Sorong Airport or** your hotel. 9:00am transfer to **Emperor Harmoni, our ship** and home for the next 10 days. Check In, lunch, dinner and sailing overnight.

We will do 2-3 dives per day, except for the days we have a long crossing. In that scenario we will only do 2 dives.

There are many chances to see sharks, mantas and other pelagics combined with pristine reefs. Get ready for the immensity of marine life, colors and creatures that are only found in these waters. And be prepared to visit remote islands.

**Arrival at Sorong Port during** the day (spending night in port).

> Breakfast in the morning. Check out at 12:00pm and transfer from Emperor Harmoni to Sorong Airport or your hotel of choice.

From here you decide what you want to do

#### DAY 1

Pick up at Sorong Airport (SOQ). We recommend that you arrive at Sorong the night before. One of our staff members will be waiting for you at the airport in the morning. At 9:00am our free transfer will take you to EMPEROR HARMONI. Upon arrival we will do the check in, briefing of the boat, diving and itinerary. We will have lunch and dinner on board. The sailing starts already in the afternoon.

#### **DAY 2-9**

The planned route (condition depending) will take a trip around Gam, Wayag, Kawe, Aljui Bay, Uranie, Penemu, Pelee, Cape Kri/Dampier Strait, Batanta, Daram, Wayilbatan, Fiabacet. During the trip we have scheduled 2-3 DIVES DAILY. This includes day dives, some night dives & optional snorkeling (weather depending).

#### **DAY 10**

11:30am check out. Our transfer will take you back to Sorong Airport (SOQ) or a hotel of your choice. If the return flight leaves in the afternoon there is a day hotel option near the airport.

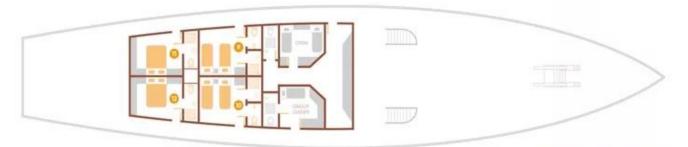
# EMPEROR HARMONI LIVEABOARD





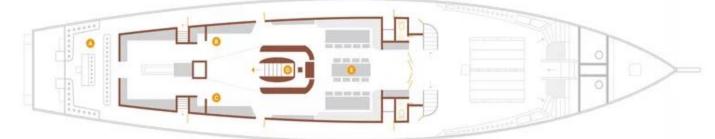
#### EMPEROR HARMONI

#### UPPER DECK



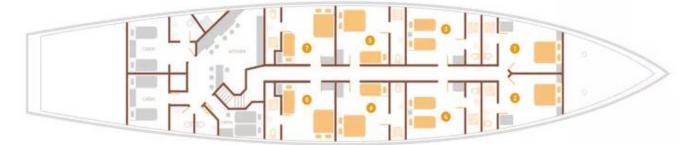
CABINS 9 AND 10 TWIN OR DOUBLE CABINS 11 AND 12 DOUBLE

#### MAIN DECK



- REY
  A DIVE DECK
  B BAR
  C CAMERA CHARGING AREA
  D STAIRCASE
  E DINING AREA

#### LOWER DECK



CABINS 1 AND 2 DOUBLE CABINS 3 AND 4 TWIN

### EMPEROR HARMONI BOAT FACILITY

- •Main deck: Air-conditioned lounge; comfy sofas, 49" HD flat screen with digital movie, music and book library; board games. Internationally stocked bar and spacious dining area. Camera charging area.
- •Upper deck: Outdoor seating with beanbags and sunbeds.
- •WiFi: Complementary, but limited. If you want to buy more, you can do it on board, but we recommend that you buy a simcard at the airport.















### EMPEROR HARMONI DIVING FACILITIES

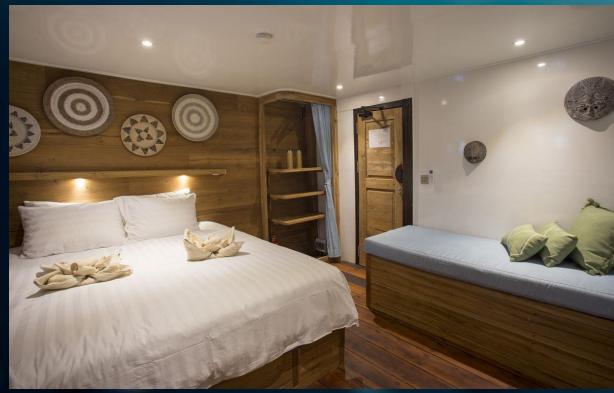
- •Up to 4 dive guides.
- •Diving Tender: 3 x 5m RIB with 50 Hp outboard and ladders.
- •Dive equipment rental: Full range on offer; must be arranged before arrival in resort. All divers are required to use a dive computer and SMB for every dive and a torch each for night dives.
- •Dive tanks: Equipped with 12 litre Aluminium tanks as standard and 15 litre Aluminium tanks on request. FREE Nitrox.
- •PADI courses available: PADI Discover Scuba, Advanced Open Water, Nitrox Speciality.
- •Medical: Oxygen, comprehensive First Aid and AED available.
- •Camera facilities: Charging stations, air gun, rinse tanks and camera table.





# EMPEROR HARMONI LOWER DECK TWIN





#### 4.590€

Lower deck twin cabins are approx. 12sqm with port holes and individually controlled air con. 2 cabins have twin beds and 4 cabins have both a double and single bed. Cabins 7 & 8 are best suited to a couple or family share. All cabins have an ensuite bathroom with shower. 2 cabin and 1 deck towel per guest.



# EMPEROR HARMONI LOWER DECK DOUBLE



Lower deck double cabins are approx. 9sqm, with port holes, a double bed and individually controlled air con. Ensuite bathroom with shower. 2 cabin and 1 deck towel per guest.



### EMPEROR HARMONI UPPER DECK TWIN





### 4.790€

Upper deck twin cabins are approx. 10sqm with windows, twin beds which can be converted to a double bed on request and individually controlled air con. Ensuite bathroom with shower.

2 cabin and 1 deck towel per guest.



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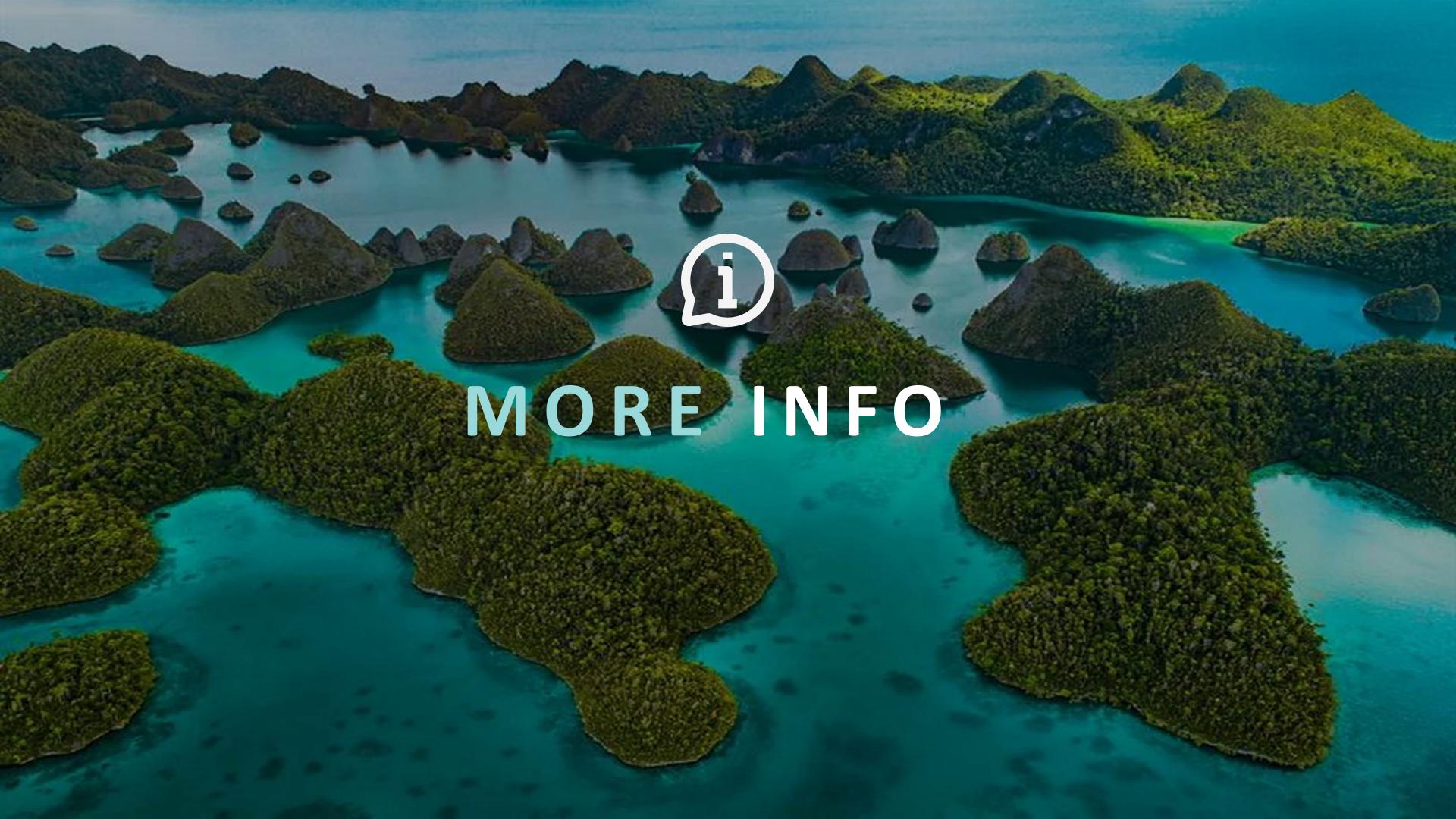




### 4.790€

Upper deck double cabins are approx. 14sqm with windows, a double bed and individually controlled air con. Ensuite bathroom with shower. 2 cabin and 1 deck towel per guest.





### Currency

The national currency of Indonesia is Rupia (IDR) but you can easily pay with US-Dollar (USD) and Euros (EUR). Visa and Mastercard are also widely accepted.

#### Visa on Arrival

You do not need to apply for a visa prior to traveling. Visitors of all nationalities can get a 30 day visa for \$35 USD upon arrival at the airport in Indonesia (but optional you can get a visa online prior to traveling).

We will update you if there are changes to required immigration documentation.

### Aeropuerto

# Arriving and Departing Dominique Eduard Osok, Sorong (SOQ)

The best combination to/from Sorong is taking a direct flight to/from Jakarta. The airlines that fly from Jakarta are Garuda (most reliable), Lion Air, Air Asia and Batik Air.

Because of the remoteness of our dive destination, we recommend you to arrive one day prior to trip start, in case you miss a flight or any luggage delays.

If you need advice, we are happy to help!

### Climate

	Min °C	Min °C	Rain (mm)
Jan	24	31	221
Feb	25	31	218
Mar	24	31	223
Apr	25	31	236
May	24	30	336
Jun	24	30	335
Jul	24	30	309
Aug	24	30	265
Sep	24	30	221
Oct	24	31	196
Nov	25	32	182
Dec	24	31	194

We recommend 3 to 5 mm wetsuits because the average water temperatures are: 24 - 28 C (74 - 82F)

### Electricity

In Indonesia the power plugs are of type C and F. The standard voltage is 220 V and the frequency is 50 Hz. In Indonesia, the plugs are two-pin, like in most countries in Europe.

We recommend that you always travel with an adapter in case you make a stopover in a country with other types of plugs.

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### Clothing

Light fabrics like linen, cotton and athletic gear made to take the heat are best. There are no dress requirements aboard, however, when on land modest clothing and covered shoulders are recommended.

### Indonesian Law

In Indonesia, it is recommended to wear clothing that covers your shoulders and knees, especially in mosques.

Loving affection or kissing in public is not recommended. If you are in a tourist resort, no problem.

Drinking alcohol in places that are not licensed restaurants or hotels is punishable by law, so we recommend you to not drink alcohol on the street.

Indonesia has one of the strictest anti-drug laws in the world.

### Included

- Transport from airport to boat boat to airport
- Coordinator from Carlu Travel
- 10 days & 9 nights on a Liveabaord
- 3 meals a day & water & juice & snacks
- 2-3 dives per day (depending on weather conditions)
- 12 liter tanks, weights & weight belts
- Nitrox (EANX)
- Diveguides
- Marine Park Fees
- Port Fees
- Fuel Fees
- Local Taxes
- Professional Pictures of the trip

### Not Included

- Flights
- Rental equipment
- Dive insurance (\*you can book with Carlu Travel)
- Travel insurance
- Tips for the crew
- Alcoholic drinks
- Anything not written in the included section

Price —

4.590€

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The Trip has a capacity for **24 guests**. Reservations are confirmed in order that the bookings are received. To book your reservation, please email us at <a href="mailto:info@carludiveandtravel.com">info@carludiveandtravel.com</a>.

Please include the following details.

- ·Full name
- ·Favorite cabin
- · Date of birth
- Nationality
- · Passport number
- · Diver Medical Form
- ·Diving level, number of logged dive, date of last dive
- · Equipment requirements with sizes (please include height, weight and shoe size)

Once your booking is received, there are two payment options for your invoice.

- 1. Full payment at time of booking.
- 2. 1000 Euro deposit at time of booking. Additional 25% due six months prior to departure. Your balance must be paid in full later than 90 days prior to departure.

\*Please fill out a divers medical form. For your safety, and that of others who may dive with you, answer all questions honestly.

Reserve your spot!









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