

Amazônia (Juma Lodge)

Juma Amazon Lodge is situated in the heart of the Amazon Rainforest, in a remote and unspoiled area, Juma Amazon Lodge is a comfortable refuge, carefully designed to blend in perfectly with the natural environment. Juma Amazon Lodge offers a unique experience with just 20 bungalows, harmoniously inserted into the dense Amazon Rainforest. Built on stilts on dry land, the bungalows are located in the treetops, adapting to the seasonal variations in river levels, which can rise to 15 meters during floods.



Bangalô Vista Rio no Juma Lodge (Rio View Bungalow at Juma Lodge)

1st Day - Arrival in Manaus – Autazes

- Arrival in Manaus, reception, and transfer to the hotel last approximately 3 hours and are divided into three sections as follows:
- The first section takes about an hour and includes a boat trip from Porto Cesa in Manaus to Vila do Careiro by speedboat. During this stretch, the boat passes the Meeting of the Waters on the way out and the Pirarucu Float on the way back.
- The second leg is overland, from Vila do Careiro to the Maçarico River via the BR 319 Manaus - Porto Velho highway by minibus. Depending on the season, you can stop along the way to observe the water lilies.

- The third leg is by speedboat, taking approximately one hour, from the Maçarico River to the Juma Amazon Lodge. This is the first intimate contact with the forest, passing through holes and streams.
- Accommodation for 03 nights at the Juma Amazon Lodge, with full board.
- In the afternoon, a canoe and paddle trip through the igarapés and igapós. After dinner, a trip to spot caimans, frogs, and birds.



Included activities in the 04 days / 03 nights package:

- **Meeting of the Water:** En route to Juma, we stop to observe the magnificent Meeting of the Waters, where the muddy waters of the Solimões River meet the black waters of the Negro River. At this crucial junction, the two rivers — with different speeds, temperatures, and consistencies — run side by side for several kilometers without actually mixing, ultimately joining to form the great Amazon River.
- **Canoeing:** Our canoeing tour provides an in-depth / up-close exploration of the igarapés (Amazonian creeks) and the igapós (flooded forest), an experience made possible only by paddle canoes. Along the way, you can hear the mysterious sounds of the forest.
- **Visiting the Observation Tower:** The Juma region will be seen from above, from our 31-meter (102ft) high observation tower. In addition to the wonderful views from up there, it is very interesting to understand how the hotel was built and how we deal with sustainability, especially photovoltaic

solar energy.

- **Night Tour:** We depart on an evening expedition to observe frogs, birds, and, most importantly, caymans. Our guide uses only his flashlight to help spot them, making the tour very exciting. The night noises and starry sky are also impressive.
- **Dawning at Juma River:** Early in the morning we will observe the dramatic and mesmerizing changes in the sky's color and the sounds of the waking birds. Our guides are equipped with binoculars to complement this experience with ample bird watching.



- **Jungle Hike:** In this educational jungle walk, our expert guide will introduce the wildlife of the Amazon. He will show plants and describe their uses, as many are edible or medicinal. The paths used in exploration walks are constantly changed to avoid damaging the forest.
- **Piranha Fishing:** We will board a motorboat to fish and learn more about the infamous piranha as well as other Amazonian fishes. Fishing is easier in the dry season as the fish cannot hide in the flooded areas as they tend to do in the wet season.
- **Lecture:** Enjoy the insight of one of our highly trained and skilled local guides as he gives an informal

lecture on everyday life in the Amazon, local tales and legends, and the overall culture, fauna and flora of the region. We have a professional microscope that makes it more interactive and interesting.

- **Jungle Hike with Barbecue:** After hiking (this hike is a bit longer but with fewer stops), we will stop at a tour “Tapiri” (Indigenous hut) to have lunch, a regional cuisine baked over a fire. Subsequently, we will rest in hammocks, as the natives do.
- **Visiting Local Inhabitants:** A local indigenous person will share his knowledge regarding traditional medicinal plants and will demonstrate, among other things, how manioc flour, one of the region’s principal exports and drivers of the economy, is prepared.
- **Accommodations at Juma Amazon Lodge:**
 - **Forest View Bungalows:** the bungalows overlooking the forest are located between the reception and the restaurant. Their location makes it easy for the elderly and people with walking difficulties to get around. And because they are close together, they are an excellent option for families with small children.
 - **Vista Rio bungalows:** the bungalows are located in the treetops up to 15 meters from the river during the dry season and are located in an exclusive area of the hotel, offering total privacy. They have been designed to be completely integrated with the forest, remaining distant from each other. Among them, we have opened a larger bungalow that can accommodate up to four people.
 - **Panoramic Bungalow:** this is the lodge's largest bungalow. Located in the treetops, with an area of 32m², it is equipped with a king-size bed and has a panoramic balcony with two hammocks and views of the Juma River.
 - **Juma Bungalow:** the lodge's newest accommodation.



2nd Day - Autazes

- Early morning sunrise walk. Return to the lodge for breakfast and then a walk through the forest, accompanied by the guide. An opportunity to learn more about Amazonian wildlife and the plants that are edible, medicinal, and useful for various purposes.
- In the afternoon, experience fishing with piranhas, an activity that is more recommended during the dry season, as in the flood the fish hide in the igapós and access is more difficult. Afterward, a stop to observe the vitórias régias and return to the hotel at sunset.
- In the evening, dinner and an educational talk.

3rd Day - Autazes

- Breakfast and meeting with the lodge's representative for a walk with a picnic in the forest.
- Next, a lunch of regional cuisine, grilled over an open fire, is served in the middle of the forest. After lunch, there will be time to rest in hammocks.
- In the afternoon, visit a local caboclo's house, where knowledge about medicinal plants will be shared, and a demonstration will be given on how manioc flour is made, the region's main economic activity.

4th Day - Autazes

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Transfer divided into three segments, lasting about 3 hours, to Manaus airport. ****End of our services****



HOTELS						
Destination	Hotel	Category	Room Type	Includes	Number of Nights	Price for Double
Amazônia	Juma Lodge	Standard	Forest View	Full Board	03	R\$ 6.511,00

OUR ITINERARY INCLUDES:

- Accommodation for 3 nights in the chosen lodging, with breakfast, lunch, and dinner;
- Regular transfers between Manaus airport / Juma Amazon Lodge / Manaus;
- Regular tours described in the itinerary, with a guide in Portuguese or English;
- Travel kit.

OUR ITINERARY DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- Domestic airfare in Brazil;
- Boarding fees;
- Tourist tax is to be paid locally at the hotel;
- Documentation costs;
- Travel insurance;
- Cancellation insurance;
- Excess baggage;
- Early check-in;
- Late check-out;
- Meals not mentioned as included;
- Drinks not mentioned as included;

- Gratuities;
 - Suggested and/or optional tours and excursions;
 - Entrances to the places of visit of the suggested and/or optional tours and excursions;
 - Extras of a personal nature such as laundry, telephone calls, alcoholic drinks, extra food, tips, minibar consumption and anything else not mentioned as included in the itinerary.
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PAYMENT METHOD

- cash payment by credit card.

CONDITIONS FOR CHANGES

- Changes after full confirmation will be charged a penalty of USD 100.00 + penalties from hotels, airlines, shipping companies, and other companies involved where applicable.
- If the ticket has already been issued, the penalties and fines of the airlines involved will also apply.

CANCELLATION CONDITIONS

- Up to 45 days before the start of the trip: 10% of the value of the package per person for administration fees and any fines from the suppliers involved by contractual conditions. If the ticket has already been issued, the penalties and fines of the airlines involved will also apply.
- From 44 to 31 days before the trip: 30% (thirty percent) loss on the total value of the package.
- From 30 to 16 days before the trip: forfeiture of 50% (fifty percent) of the total price of the package.

- Less than 15 days before the start of the trip: 100% (one hundred percent) loss of the total value of the package, regardless of the reasons given by the passenger.
 - - Airfare: The airfares used in packages have strict conditions and are often non-refundable. In the event of cancellation, the penalty varies from 25% to 100% of the amount paid, depending on the airline and the conditions of the fare applied.
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COUNTRY REQUIREMENTS: Brazil

- **Passport:** must be valid for at least 6 months from the date of return and cannot be an emergency passport.
- **Visa:** Requested at the entrance, no fees.
- **Vaccine:** We highly recommend vaccination against yellow fever.

