



Ecotourism Itineraries in Brazil

2025



★ Pantanal (4 days / 3 nights)

→ Aguapé Lodge is an eco-lodge in the Pantanal, 195 km from Campo Grande and 54 km from Aquidauana, with the last 50 km on a dirt road. It offers full-board stays with daily meals (excluding drinks) and two guided excursions per day to explore the region's rich wildlife. Though transportation isn't provided, it can be arranged. The lodge is ideal for nature lovers seeking a peaceful, immersive experience in the Pantanal.



Pantanal

1st Day - Arrival in Pantanal

- The accommodation program at **Fazenda Aguapé Lodge Pantanal** includes:
- Full board (breakfast, lunch, and dinner), with meals prepared with regional ingredients grown by local communities and projects.
 - Water and juices are served during meals;
 - Regular activities in shared vehicles, at predetermined times to contemplate nature, such as safaris, night spots, Canadian canoe trips, and hikes along trails, accompanied by Aguapé guides, most of whom are biologists and field guides, natives who are true connoisseurs of the region.
 - Snacks during the tours.

02nd to 04th Day - Pantanal

→ Free days for independent activities and activities offered and organized by **Fazenda Aguapé Lodge Pantanal**:

→ **HORSE RIDE:** All the tours take you through unique landscapes, but horseback riding is one of the main attractions at Pousada Aguapé, as it is the best way to get to know the Pantanal. Riding through its open fields, wetlands, capões, mountain ranges, corixos and baias, we come across a rich variety of flora and fauna. We come across a rich variety of flora and exuberant fauna, typical of a well-preserved region. The horses are calm, which means that even those who have never ridden a horse can do so. There are several trails, with shorter or longer routes, which can be done during both the floods and the drought, always accompanied by experienced local guides.

→ **CATTLE MANAGEMENT:** Living with the Pantanal people and getting to know their habits and customs is at its best when dealing with cattle, which our guests can safely take part in. The landscape, the language, and the “stories”, all add up to a rewarding and unforgettable experience at Aguapé Lodge. This tour is subject to availability and the type of service that will be provided by the farm's pedestrians.

→ **MOTORBOAT TRIP ON THE AQUIDAUANA RIVER:** Getting to know the Aquidauana River and all the beauty and exuberance of its riparian forest with its centuries-old trees, the natural habitat of birds, mammals, and reptiles that take refuge on its banks or simply delighting in the sounds and songs of the birds, are part of the route of the boat trip. On this tour, which lasts around 2 hours, it is compulsory to wear a life jacket (provided by the pousada). The tour takes place on a motorboat with a capacity of between 6 and 9 people.

→ **TREKKING:** Trekking is done in dense bushes, open fields, and gallery forests. It's in this tour that you will have better contact with the flora and fauna of the region learning about their function and importance in the Pantanal ecosystem. It is a good opportunity to see the animals more closely. There are different routes that you can go on that take around 2 hours. In some seasons, the tracks can go through places with water. Clothing and footwear may get wet.

→ **For the walk, the use is mandatory and it is recommended:**

→ Trousers;

- Closed shoes;
 - Sunscreen;
 - Repellent;
 - Cap or hat;
 - On this tour note the trail used, always being the guide in front and all in a row. At any point of the trail, the guide can communicate with the lodge and a car can pick you up if necessary.
- **PHOTOGRAPHIC SAFARI:** The Photo Safari takes place in an open 4x4 car, adapted for the tour. It allows you to reach regions that are more distant from the farm's headquarters, passing through various types of vegetation such as fields, savannahs, wetlands and corixos. It offers a wide view of the landscape and you can see a greater diversity of regional fauna. This tour lasts around 2 to 2.5 hours and may or may not be combined depending on the time of sunset and the weather conditions.
- **NOCTURNAL SPOTTING:** During the night, nocturnal animals and the starry sky of the Pantanal are what you'll find on the nocturnal game drive. This tour takes place in a car (the same type of vehicle used on safari), with the use of a flashlight that makes it easier to spot the animals at night. The tour lasts about an hour.
- **PIRANHA SPORT FISHING:** Piranha fishing takes place in a bay of the Aquidauana River near the farm's headquarters. The piranha is mainly used to make a typical local dish, Caldo de Piranha (Piranha Broth), and also serves as food for the alligators who are already watching the fishermen steal their fish. It is important to follow the guide's instructions because even after being hooked, the piranha can still bite. That's why all fish must be removed by the guide. The duration of the tour varies, depending on the interests of each guest.
- **KAYA TOUR:** Quiet walk to enjoy the sounds of nature, on a route within the bays (lagoons) of the Aquidauana River. Made in fiber kayak, rowing with a capacity for 02 people. The route may vary according to the time of the waters, taking from about 40 minutes to 1h30 hours. It is mandatory to wear a life jacket (provided by the hostel). Allowed for children over 05 years. Children from 05 to 11 years are only accompanied by parents or guardians. Kayaks are stable and easy to drive. P.S. possibility of getting wet
- **We recommend the use of:**

- Sunscreen;
- Repellent;
- Cap or hat;

05th Day - Pantanal

- Breakfast at the hotel, and at a pre-determined time, transfer to Campo Grande airport to board the flight back to the city of origin. Duration of the trip (approximately 03h30). ****End of our services****

HOTELS							
Destination	Hotel	Category	Room Type	Includes	Number of Nights	Option	Price for Double

SERVICES				
Destination	Service	Period	Option	Price for Double

OUR ITINERARY INCLUDES:

- 03 nights accommodation at Agupé Lodge;
- Breakfast, lunch, and dinner (drinks not included);
- Regular excursions from the lodge's program (02 trips per day);

- Private round-trip transfers to/from the lodge;
- English-speaking guide;
- 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.

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.