

Code RPJGLC **Puerto Maldonado & Jungle Package Lima-Cuzco**

Tour Dossier Introduction

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Tour Code: RPJGLC

Duration: 2 nights / 3 days

Joining City: Lima

Departure City: Cuzco

Nearest Joining International Airport: Lima Jorge Chavez International Airport (LIM)

Nearest Departing International Airport: Cuzco Velazco Astete Airport (CUZ)

Please check this document just before departing in case of last minute changes to your tour.

Tour Documents

 PDF Document  Web Page

 Peru Dossier

 Spanish Language Guide

What's Included

- 2 nights in a Jungle Lodge
- 2 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 2 dinners
- Travel by 2 Airport Transfers, 2 flight(s)
- English-speaking local guide(s) on excursions

What's not Included

- International flights and departure taxes
- Visas, travel insurance, personal items and single rooms.
- Spending money – budget for meals, snacks, drinks, limited souvenirs, laundry, tips and any extras

Detailed Itinerary

Day 1 to 2 - Lima – Puerto Maldonado – Amazon Jungle

Please refer to your tour voucher for full details of this tour's pick up point. You will have a private transfer to airport for a flight to Puerto Maldonado. You will be required to show your passport at check-in, so please have it to hand.

The flight from Lima to the jungle community of Puerto Maldonado is approximately 2 hours including a stop in Cuzco. Upon arrival you may be requested to show your Yellow Fever certificate at the airport.

If time and weather allows we will enjoy a short exploration of Puerto Maldonado, a bustling town with many thousands of motorcycles, busy markets and shops. Arriving at the jetty you will meet your motorised canoe and begin a 30 kilometre journey along the Madre de Dios River to the Eco Amazonia jungle lodge (approx 2 hours by canoe). The large canoes are very safe and lifejackets are supplied. After signing in to the national park office you will disembark at the river's edge and enjoy a welcome cocktail at the lodge.

After this you will be allocated a bungalow built from rustic and typical materials from the area. After a delicious lunch on the first day we have a guided visit with local guides to visit the unique Monkey Island in the middle Madre de Dios River, just five minutes away from the lodge. You will have plenty of time to enjoy marvellous jungle landscapes and the rich diversity of flora and fauna. You will see a great variety of monkeys such as the 'maquisapa', the black and the white 'Martins', 'Leoncito de la Selva' (Little lions), 'Frailes' (Friars), 'Achuñis', 'Ronsocos' etc, as well as an array of birdlife. We leave the island after dusk so you can enjoy the wonderful sunset, one of the most impressive sights of the forest (pooled service)

The next day you will begin with a very early breakfast and a trek into the jungle to the Cocha Perdida or lost lake hidden away in the jungle. The trek to the lake is about 8 km and along the way your guide will stop to point out the different types of birds and insects, as well as the huge variety of plants and trees. The scenery during the trek is extremely varied incorporating dense jungle as well as marsh areas which are crossed by wooden walkways. If you're lucky you may spot monkeys overhead.

On arrival at Cocha Perdida you can take a tour of the lake in a small dugout canoe. The lake is home to a family of giant river otters and the infamous anaconda, although these animals are very elusive and you will have to be very lucky to see them. Close to the lake is an observation platform and a huge observation tower with steps taking you up to one of the tallest trees in the jungle for an incredible view from the canopy. This is definitely not for those who are afraid of heights! You will take a different path back to the river where you are met by a boat and returned to the lodge for lunch. In the afternoon you may have the opportunity to do some piranha fishing or else you can relax back at the lodge (pooled service).

Day 3 to 3 - Puerto Maldonado – Cuzco

On the final day in the jungle we return upriver to Puerto Maldonado for our flight back to Cuzco where you will be transferred to your hotel and have the rest of the day free to further explore this fascinating ancient Inca capital (pooled service).

This itinerary is a guide. Changes may be made before or during your tour to improve the running or due to unforeseen circumstances.

About Add-ons

Add-ons are designed to suit travellers who prefer not to travel on a group tour or who are stopping over in a city on their way from one destination to another. [Visit the Add-ons dossier page](#) for further information on the type of transport and accommodation as well as group size, staff, meals, degree of difficulty and recommended age for this travel style. The add-ons you see here are highly customisable and can be altered and added to.

Don't forget that Tucan Travel also offers Group Tours including [Overland Tours](#), [Adventure Tours](#) and [Budget Expeditions](#), as well as other [Tailored Tours](#).

Day by Day Itinerary

Day	Activity	Country	Meals
Day 1	Amazon Jungle	Peru	LD
Day 2	Amazon Jungle		BLD
Day 3	Cuzco		B

(B - Breakfast, L - Lunch, D - Dinner included)

Please note the day to day itinerary above is given as a GUIDELINE ONLY.

For tours that include the option of a single supplement, a ? will indicate in which destinations single rooms are available.