

Raja Ampat - Misool

SORONG TO SORONG

9 Days & 8 Night - Diving and Discovery Cruise





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GENERAL PRESENTATION

Misool, with one of the richest biodiversities in the world, is a true dream destination. Within its 425 km² Marine Protected Area—established through a collaboration between the Misool Eco Resort and local communities—thrives an underwater festival of massive gorgonians, corals in a thousand hues, and an endless variety of marine life. Expanded in 2010 to 1,220 km², this sanctuary is one of the most successful marine conservation initiatives worldwide.

Above water, Misool is just as magical: turquoise lagoons, dramatic sugarloaf karsts, lush mangroves, hidden caves, and pristine beaches that invite quiet moments of wonder.



DAY 01

SORONG TO MISOOL

Upon arrival in Sorong, you will be welcomed at the airport or your hotel and transferred to Jakare, waiting in the harbor. Refreshing drinks and light snacks will be served while your Cruise Director introduces the crew, shares important safety and itinerary briefings, and guides you to your cabin to settle in.

We will begin our voyage southward toward Misool, pausing for a gentle check dive at **Pulau Matan**. Depending on sea conditions, we will reach Misool by nightfall or early the next morning—ready to begin your immersion into this natural wonder.

Note: All dives and snorkel activities in Misool are conducted in coordination with local authorities and partner resorts. Dive sites may be visited in a different sequence depending on sea conditions, weather, and environmental considerations, ensuring both guest safety and the preservation of this pristine marine environment.





DAY 02

DAFALEN

Our journey begins in Dafalen Lagoon, one of Misool's most iconic settings. Towering limestone cliffs surround calm, turquoise waters where hidden passages connect secret lagoons. It's an idyllic place for **kayaking, snorkeling, or simply soaking in the views**

Highlights include:

- **Trek to Kolam Hati**, the famous heart-shaped lagoon.
- **Dive Dafalen Wall**, where giant sweetlips thrive alongside colorful macro life.
- **Snorkel in the Jellyfish Lake**, an enchanting and otherworldly experience.

In the evening, we will enjoy a **night dive at Wayil Batan**, before anchoring in its sheltered waters.



DAY 03

WAYIL

Welcome to the **Wayil archipelago**, a paradise of sugarloaf karsts, white-sand beaches, and crystalline lagoons framed by lush greenery.

Diving highlights include:

- **Neptune Fan Sea Channel**, with its dramatic walls of gorgonians.
- **Four Kings**, a majestic site where four pinnacles rise from the depths, teeming with reef and pelagic fish.
- Other gems such as **Barracuda Point, Wedding Cake, and Dunia Kecil**, each offering unforgettable encounters.

We will spend a peaceful night at anchor in Wayil.

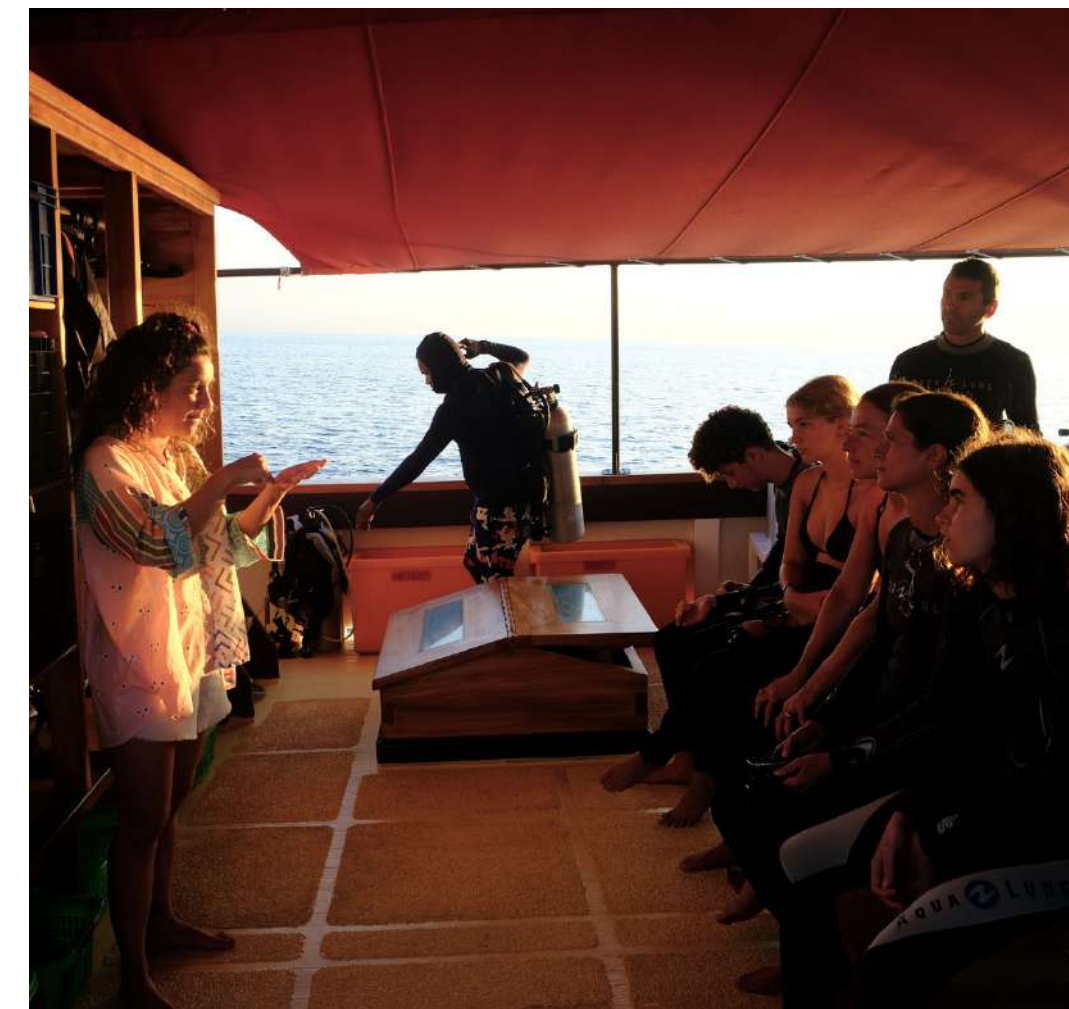
DAY 04

FIABACET

In the **Fiabacet area**, spectacular ridges and pinnacles offer a diversity of life both big and small:

- **Fiabacet Ridge**, home to pelagics, turtles, and manta rays.
- **Tank Rock and Nudi Rock**, linked by a stunning underwater ridge.
- **Whale Rock and Fiabacet Pinnacle**, where soft corals flourish alongside rare creatures like pygmy seahorses (Barbiganti and Denise).

That night, we will dive Romeo & Juliet Besar, before anchoring nearby.



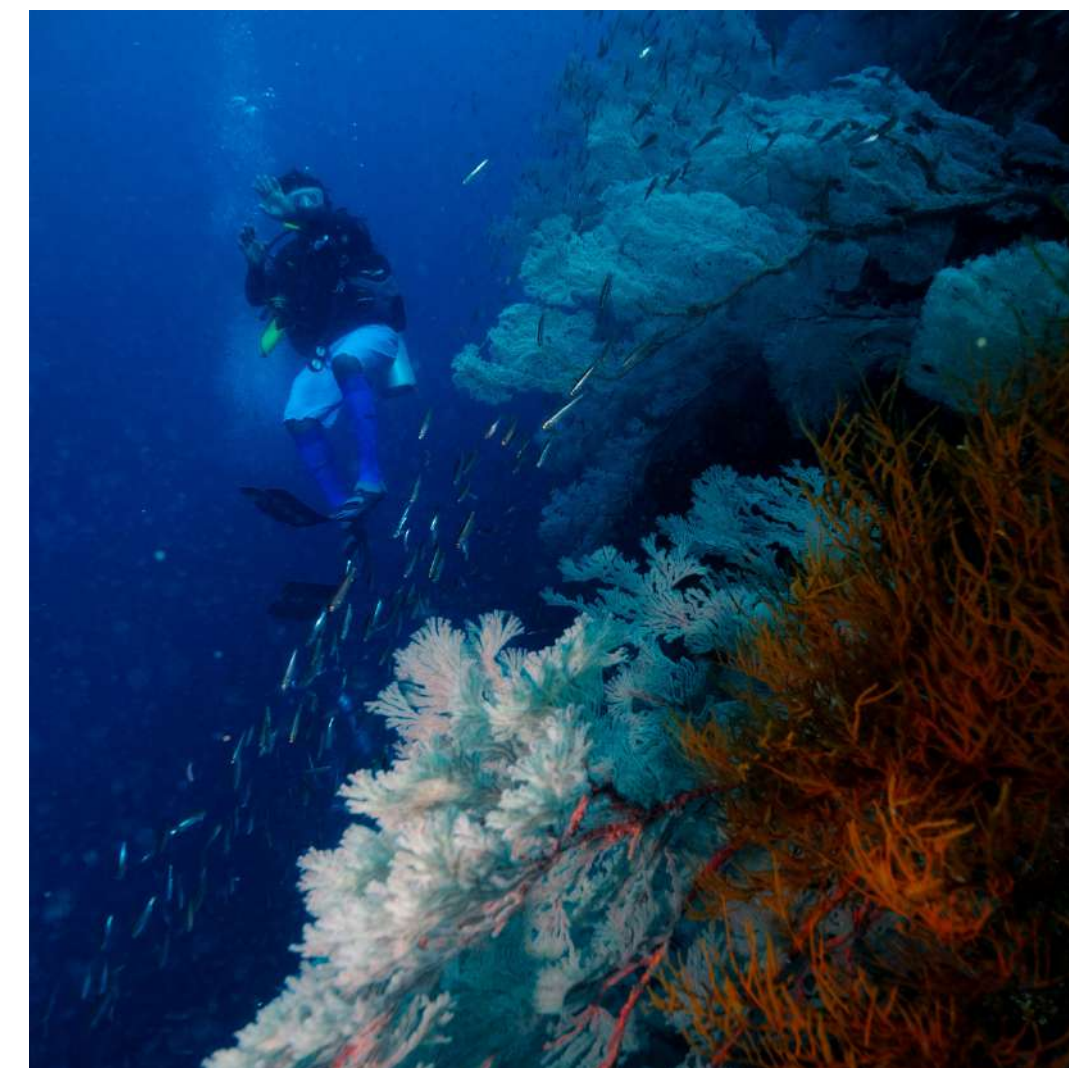
DAY 05

WARAKARAKET

This day brings us to Misool's legendary **pinnacle dives**:

- **Magic Mountain**, one of the region's signature sites, known for manta cleaning stations and an incredible density of life.
- **Eagle Nest and Gas Ridge**, both vibrant with reef sharks, barracudas, turtles, and schooling fish beneath forests of gorgonians.

We will anchor in Juliet for a tranquil overnight stay.





DAY 06 - 07

BOO AREA

Two full days to explore **Boo's extraordinary landscapes and dive sites:**

- **Boo Window**, with its iconic swim-throughs carved by the sea.
- **Boo West**, home to varied underwater topographies, walls, and slopes.
- **Puri Pinnacle**, where schooling anchovies attract dazzling hunting action.
- **Boo East**, including Kalig East and a possible night dive.

When not diving, you may kayak, snorkel, or relax among the pristine lagoons and beaches. On Day 7 evening, we will gather for a convivial BBQ under the stars at Pulau Juliet.

Overnight, Jakare will make the short crossing toward Balbulol.



DAY 08

BALBULOL

Balbulol offers not just spectacular diving, but also landscapes straight out of a dream—emerald lagoons framed by limestone peaks and secret passages leading to hidden coves.

Diving highlights include:

- **No Contest, Baby Rock, and 1 Untuk Semua**, each with pinnacles, swim-throughs, overhangs, and sandy plateaus rich with life.
- Colorful reefs of both **hard and soft corals**, thriving in shallow waters.

Between dives, enjoy kayaking, stand-up paddling, or snorkeling in these crystal-clear waters.

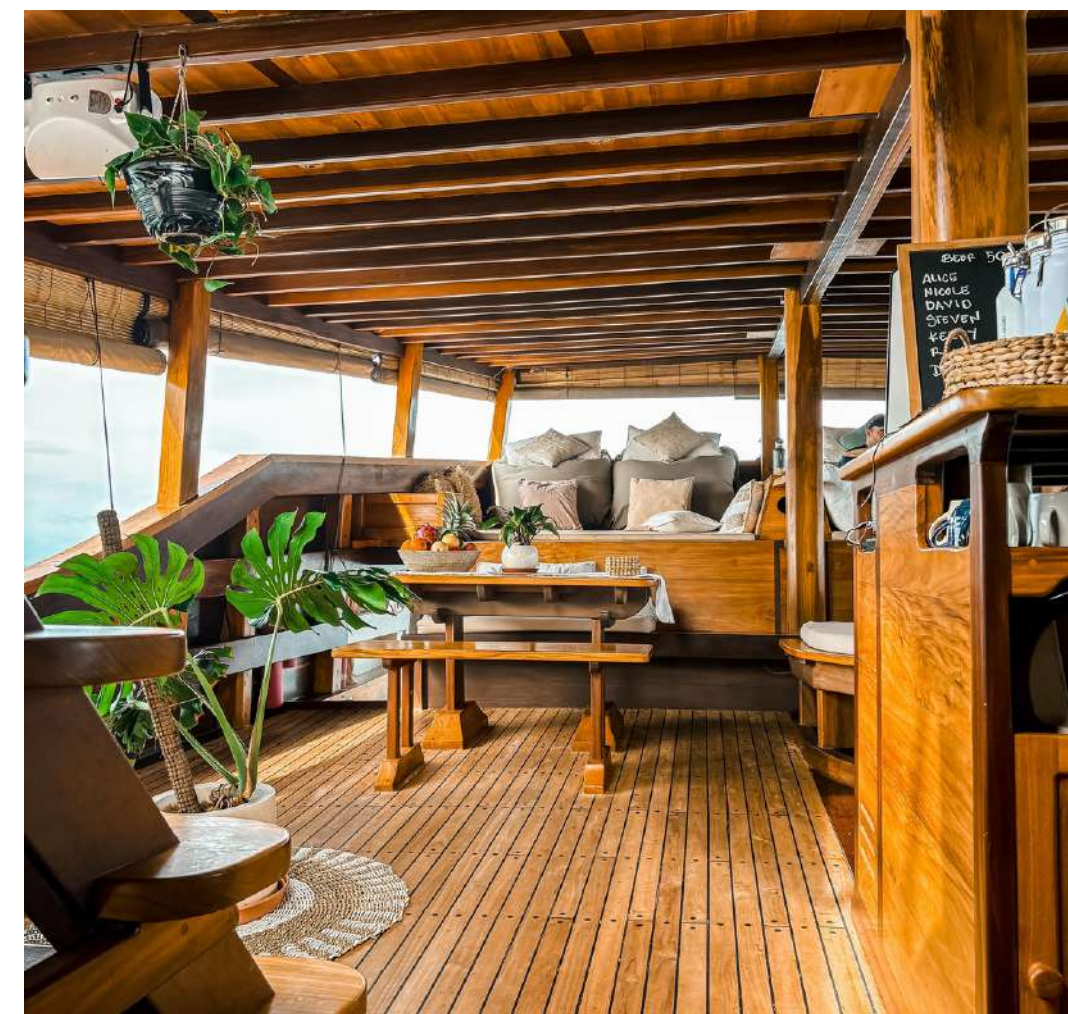
In the evening, Jakare will set sail for Sorong.

DAY 09

SORONG (CHECK-OUT)

We will arrive overnight in Sorong. After breakfast, you will have time to finish packing, exchange photos, and share final moments with fellow travelers and crew. Your Cruise Director will guide you through disembarkation, with transfers arranged to your hotel or the airport by noon at the latest.

A final farewell marks the end of this unforgettable journey through the heart of Misool.



NOTE

- 1 Proposed Itinerary is for planning purpose only and subject to weather and actual conditions on board and at location.
- 2 Daily program will be presented, discussed and confirmed with the guests every evening for the day after.
- 3 We will always respect a minimum of 24 hours interval between the last dive and departure flight.



