Cruise Itinerary "East Sumbawa"

Please note: This is a sample itinerary based on favorable weather and sea conditions. In order to guarantee the most safe and enjoyable adventure for our guests, we reserve the right to adapt the schedule without further notice due to unforeseen circumstances, or based on our Cruise Directions or Captains advice.

Cruise Highlights

6D/5N



Manta Ray Dive Sites



Beautiful Coral Reefs



World-Class Muck Diving



Komodo Dragons

- 19 Dives in some Sumbawa's best Dive Sites, including 3x Night Dive and Muck Dives
- Highlight for UW-Photographers and Critter Enthusiasts
- Non-Diving Activities include Komodo Dragons Trekking, Pink Beach and Viewpoint Hikes
- Non-Divers are welcome to join the cruise at a reduced price

Cabin Types

Cabin	Price per person	Nr. of Room Type	Location
Master	EUR 1.620,00	1x	Main Deck
Standard	EUR 1.500,00	4x	Lower Deck
Single	EUR 1.380,00	1x	Upper Deck



Master Cabin

Double Bed, Private bathroom

Capacity: 2 pax



Standard Cabin

Double Bed or Bunk Bed, Private bathroom

Capacity: 2 pax



Single Cabin

Single Bed, Shared Bathroom

Capacity: 1 pax

Cruise Map



Daily Itinerary - Summary

Day 1 - Sape Bay

- Embark 9:00 AM in Sape
- Welcome Briefing & Boat Orientation
- Meet your Cruise Director & Guide
- 2 Dives in Sape Bay, incl. Snake Island
- Night Dive at "Black Sand" - one of Indonesia's best Muck Dive Sites

Day 2 - Sangeang Volcano Island

- 3 Dives at Sangeang Volcanic Island, known for its geothermal activities, "Bubble Reefs" and critter variety

Day 3 - Gili Banta

- 3 Dives at Gili Banta, known for its immense biodiversity and beautiful coral reefs
- Enjoy your surface Intervals on the island's pristine beaches
- Sunset hike to Gili Banta's viewpoint

Day 4 - Northwest Komodo

- Komodo Dragons Trekking at Komodo Island
- 3 Dives in the Northwest of Komodo, known for vibrant coral reefs, wide array of marine life and regular Manta Ray encounters

Day 5 - Kelapa Island

- 3 Dives including Kelapa Island, an untouched island with vibrant reefs that attracts dolphins, sharks and more
- Ix Night Dive at East Sumbawa's Coast
- Goodbye Dinner

Day 6 - East Sumbawa Coast & Sape

- 3 Dives in East Sumbawa
- Visit Tanjung Meriam & Pink Beach
- Disembark in Sape around 6:00 PM

Daily Itinerary - Details

Day 1: Sape Bay	Embark on your adventure at 9:00 AM in Sape, where our crew will warmly welcome you and guide you to the harbor. After enjoying a refreshing welcome drink on board and settling into your cabin, we'll kick off the trip with a safety briefing and boat orientation. The area of Sape Bay is known for amazing muck diving and offers a rich variety of macro life, which we plan to explore today with three dives. Our first dive will take us to Snake Island, a unique small island renowned for its rocky shores inhabited by hundreds of banded sea snakes, as we search for seahorses, frogfish and many more nestled in the slopy reef and sandy bottom. After a delicious lunch and a second dive, you'll have the afternoon to relax and soak in the stunning views of East Sumbawa's coastline, before we start our night dive at Black Sand, which is known to be an incredible critter heaven. Get ready for an unforgettable experience and a true highlight of this cruise, as we hunt for Mimic and Blue-ringed Octopus, Rhinopias, Hairy Frogfish and many more in the dark sand.
Day 2: Sangeang Volcano Island	Our crew rises early to take the boat north to Sangeang Volcano Island, the namesake of our boat. Today is dedicated to exploring the incredible dive sites around Sangeang Island, renowned for its bubble reef, where volcanic gases escape from the seabed and create a mesmerizing bubbling effect. You'll have the chance to feel the heated sand from geothermal activities first-hand, marvel at the intensely vibrant coral reefs, and embark on a critter hunt for Rhinopias, Seahorses, and Frogfish amongst the black sandy slopes. With Sangeang's combination of volcanic activity and diverse marine life, you're in for an unforgettable experience at its truly unique dive sites. Whether you are a photographer, critter enthusiast, or in search of larger ocean inhabitants like Manta Rays and Eagle Rays, we ensure you an exhilarating adventure. We plan for three dives.
Day 3: Gili Banta	Today, we'll immerse ourselves in the beauty of Gili Banta, an uninhabited island west of Komodo, known for its scenic viewpoints, stunning sunsets, and untouched nature. Experience the rich biodiversity of the surrounding waters, featuring picturesque coral formations, large schools of fish, reef sharks, and often Manta Ray encounters. We'll enjoy three dives, exploring both the calm sheltered dive sites in Gili Banta's bay as well as exhilarating drift dives around the island. Between dives, relax on Gili Banta's beautiful and pristine beaches. Soak in the breathtaking sunset from our boat's sun deck, or join us for a hike to one of the island's beautiful viewpoints. From here, you can witness the stunning sunset over Gili Banta and Sangeang Island, often in solitude given that the destination is less known to tourists than its neighbor Komodo, allowing you to fully appreciate the serene surroundings.
Day 4: Northwest Komodo	Kick off your day with a trek in the northwest of Komodo Island to meet the famous Komodo Dragon, the largest living lizard in the world, found only in select areas of Komodo National Park. A must-do on your Komodo bucket list! After your adventure on land, we'll prepare to dive into Komodo's stunning underwater world with three exciting dives in the area. The northwest and west of Komodo are less touristic, but offer the same incredible diving experiences as found in the more famous North and Central Komodo area. Here, you can explore the vibrant coral reefs and encounter a wide array of marine life, including Komodo's famous Manta Rays, without the crowds, making it an ideal destination for those seeking both adventure and tranquility. Enjoy the beauty of this hidden gem while still experiencing the thrill of diving in Komodo's stunning waters.
Day 5: Kelapa Island	Today, we'll start to discover the eastern coastline of Sumbawa, hardly known by international tourists, but unique in its breathtaking landscapes and dive sites. We plan for 4 dives around Kelapa Island and further south, including an enchanting night dive. Kelapa is a beautiful and untouched island, which offers divers amazing conditions where gentle slopes, overhangs and coral gardens teem with fish-rich reefs. This area is one with higher chances to spot dolphins and sharks in the crystal-clear waters. As the cruise draws to a close, our crew will treat you to a special dinner on board, allowing you to savor your final night with us.

Day 6: East Sumbawa Coast & Sape	We'll kick off our last day with another three dives in East Sumbawa. After our dives, we allow some time for our gear to dry as we head back to Sape Bay, stopping at Tanjung Meriam along the way. This complex shoreline features striking rock walls and secret caves, perfect for exploration and scenic trekking. Finally, we'll visit Pink Beach, just around the corner from Sape Bay, where the captivating pink hue of the sand comes from crushed red coral mixed with white sand, providing the perfect backdrop to relax and unwind for your last afternoon of the cruise. We arrive back in Sape Harbor to disembark around 6 PM, and are here to assist you with transportation to your hotel or Bima Airport.

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