



Berkana

your DMC in Brazil

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Eco-adventure: Amazon & Pantanal

“Let nature involve you and be amazed by the rich Brazilian fauna and flora”

DAY 1 - Manaus/ Amazon

Arrival in Manaus - the capital of the Amazonas State in the North Region of Brazil, the gateway to the Amazon Forest. Transfer to the pier to board on the Iberostar Grand Amazon – the most luxurious cruise-ship of the Amazon Jungle. Get ready for an incredible experience where you will have close contact to the nature. Watch the amazing sunset. After that enjoy a welcome cocktail followed by a dinner party. Overnight at the Iberostar Grand Amazon****. (D)



DAY 2 - Amazon

Be prepared for your first adventure in the jungle! Board on small motorized boats to reach the land. Trekking with your local guide inside the forest. Theme lectures where you will learn about the rich flora and fauna of the region. Photo safari, piranha fishing and alligator spotting tours will also fill up your day! Overnight at the Iberostar Grand Amazon****. (B,L,D)

DAY 3 - Amazon

Early morning bird watching. Tour by motorized canoes. Trekking, theme lecture, photo safari. Evening dance at the party room. Overnight at the Iberostar Grand Amazon****. (B,L,D)

DAY 4 - Amazon

Trekking, photo safari, theme lecture, arrival at “Praia Grande” (Big Beach). Free time to enjoy the beach. Music and open bar on the top deck. Farewell dinner party with Folkloric Show. Overnight at the Iberostar Grand Amazon****. (B,L,D)



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DAY 5 - Amazon / Manaus / Campo Grande

Early morning watch the Meeting of the Waters - where the waters of two rivers Negro and Solimões meet, but don't mix due to difference of density. Arrival in Manaus. Check-out. HD City tour to Manaus. The city became famous in the late 19th and beginning of 20th century due to the rubber boom. Visit includes the Municipal Market and the Opera House. Transfer to the airport for a flight to Campo Grande - the city is the capital of Mato Grosso do Sul state and is the gateway to the Pantanal. Arrival, transfer to the hotel. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B)



DAY 6 TO 8 - Campo Grande / Pantanal

Pantanal is an ecological paradise, one of Brazil's most important natural reserves and the largest wetland area on the planet with the highest concentration of wildlife in the Americas. The Pantanal is one of the best places in Brazil for flora and fauna observation.

3 nights package at the Refugio Ecológico Caiman with regular tours included, with specialized guides, nightly tours to spot nocturnal wildlife in safari vehicles, trekking, boat cruises, horseback riding, photographic safari and bicycle tour. Overnights at Refúgio Ecológico Caiman. (B,L,D)



DAY 9 - Pantanal / Campo Grande Out

Morning transfer to Campo Grande airport. Flight back home.

End of our Services

It includes

- Private transfer with English speaking guide;
- All visits mentioned in the program;
- Meals mentioned in the program;
- Hotel accommodation;
- 4-nights cruise on the Iberostar Grand Amazon with all inclusive services.
- 3-nights package at Refúgio Ecológico Caiman.

“Let nature involve you and be amazed by the rich brazilian fauna and flora.”

Fortaleza and Jericoacoara

Sand dunes, cliffs, alluring waters, deserted beaches... Ceará coast makes your dream come true!

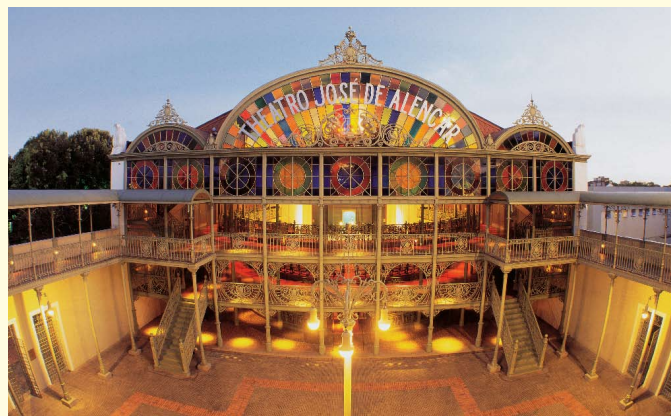
Few places present as many attractions, both natural and cultural, as Fortaleza city. Located at only two degrees below the Equatorial Line, this authentic tropical paradise welcomes thousands of visitors every year, who are fascinated by the wide beaches, the sea of green and warm waters, the brightness, the historical monuments, the handicraft works, and the people's customs and traditions.

Jericoacoara is a beach paradise reached only by driving through miles of soft sand. On the way you will discover miles of deserted beaches and coconut trees. Arriving in the small fishing village, you can hike, ride horseback or even go windsurfing. After the unforgettable sunset, the streets of the town are illuminated only by the moon and the stars.



DAY 1 - Fortaleza

Arrival in Fortaleza. Meet & greet by our local bilingual guide and transfer to the selected hotel. Welcome drink. Dinner. Overnight at the hotel. (D)



DAY 2 - Fortaleza

FD Morro Branco and Praia das Fontes. Our tour begins in the famous Morro Branco Beach, located 80 km from Fortaleza, where the visitors will have a pleasant tour to famous multicolored sand dunes (with a total of 15 different colors that are used to make the famous bottles of sand, the most popular souvenir of Ceará).

We will also visit the cliffs that form a kind of a natural labyrinth where a set of fresh water sprout from the ground and spill over down the beach, thus providing and invigorating freshwater shower after a salt water dip in the sea. Visit to Praia das Fontes (Water Spring Beach), with warm crystal-clear water, and ideal place to enjoy the rest of the day. Overnight at the hotel. (B,L,D)

Fortaleza and Jericoacoara

DAY 3 - Fortaleza

FD Canoa Quebrada Beach located 170 km away from Fortaleza. Its cliffs are up to 30 meters high, which makes it a perfect natural observation point. Paradisiacal beach, that fame attracts and enchants visitors for the possibility of finding time for peace and relaxation and also for making an exciting tour by buggy. Lunch included at a typical restaurant. Overnight at the hotel. (B,L,D)



DAY 4 - Fortaleza

Morning city tour to Fortaleza. We will visit the old and the modern Fortaleza, from Beira Mar Avenue, where most of the hotels are concentrated, to Futuro Beach, passing by Iracema statue, Mercado dos Pescadores (Fisherman Market), the dunes, Aldeota, Portugal Square, Iracema and Ideal Beaches, the famous Metal Bridge, the Central Market, the Metropolitan Cathedral and the Center of Tourism and Handcrafts.

We will also see the old lighthouse in Mucuripe, Our Lady of Assumption Fortress and the Historical and Anthropological Museum. Afternoon at leisure to enjoy the city. Overnight at the hotel. (B,D)

DAY 5 - Fortaleza / Jericoacoara

Transfer by Land Rover by the beach to Jericoacoara. Our day will be one of pure fun and adventure as we make selected stops along the way. Known as one of the world's best beaches, rustic Jericoacoara is as beautiful as it gets. Since 1984, the area was declared protected in order to preserve its environmental integrity.

The beaches, palm trees, dunes, reefs and rocky outcroppings are truly a sight to behold. Arrival and check in at the selected Hotel. Overnight at the Hotel. (B,D)

End of our Services



“Sand dunes, cliffs, alluring waters, deserted beaches... Ceará coast makes your dream come true!”

It includes

- Private transfer and excursions with English speaking guides;
- Tickets for the visits mentioned;
- Meals mentioned in the program;
- Hotel accommodation.

Beach Paradises

Rio de Janeiro, Búzios, Angra dos Reis, Florianópolis, Salvador da Bahia, Costa do Sauípe, Praia do Forte, Natal, Pipa, Fortaleza, Recife, Porto de Galinhas.

DAY 1

Arrival to the select city. Transfer will be as follows:
 Rio de Janeiro, Florianópolis, Natal, Fortaleza, Recife and Salvador: transfer airport/ hotel.
 Búzios and Angra dos Reis: transfer from Rio de Janeiro airport.
 Costa do Sauípe and Praia do Forte: transfer from Salvador airport.
 Porto de Galinhas: Transfer from Recife airport.
 Pipa: Transfer from Natal airport.
 Overnight at the selected hotel.



It includes

- Accommodation in DBL room at the selected hotel or similar, depending on the availability.
- Transfers airport/ hotel/ airport.
- Local guide assistance.

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DAY 2 TO 6

Days at leisure for total relaxation on the beach. Possibility of participating on optional tours and excursions. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B)

DAY 7

Transfer back to the airport and flight back home. (B)

End of our Services



Fishing

Peacock bass fishing on the amazon jungle on board of the Santana I.

Imagine fishing along the world's largest river, in the midst of the world's largest rainforest! And the fish to be caught are some of the world's largest and hardest fighting! Amazon waters also offer incredible beauty and the opportunity to test your skills against one of freshwater fishing's greatest challenges; the Peacock Bass!

This is a ideal travel destination for the experts or beginners fisherman, in a comfortable hotel boat where you can joy your fishing buddies, family, friends and even working colleagues. The Santana I is ideally suited as a home base for exploring and fishing in the Amazon region. With a draft over a meter shallower than most of the other fishing hotel boats serving the area, it can travel in areas that others can't get to during the low water (prime fishing time).



DAY 1 - Manaus

Arrival in Manaus. Meet and greet by our local bilingual guide. Transfer to the selected hotel. Overnight at the hotel.

DAY 2 - Manaus / Amazon Jungle

Morning transfer to Santana I. Accommodation. Afternoon fishing. Overnight on board. (B,L,D)

DAY 3 - Amazon Jungle

Period dedicated only to sport fishing. Overnight on board. (B,L,D)

DAY 4 - Amazon Jungle

Period dedicated only to sport fishing. Overnight on board. (B,L,D)

DAY 5 - Amazon Jungle

Period dedicated only to sport fishing. Overnight on board. (B,L,D)

DAY 6 - Amazon Jungle

Period dedicated only to sport fishing. Overnight on board. (B,L,D)



Fishing



DAY 7 - Amazon Jungle / Manaus

The Santana I will return to Manaus. Disembark. Afternoon check in at the selected hotel. Special farewell dinner with folklore show. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)

DAY 8 - Manaus out

Morning city tour in Manaus including the Opera House and the Municipal Market. Transfer to the airport. Flight back home.

End of our Services



It includes

- Private Transfer in/out with bilingual guide;
- 2 nights accommodation at the selected hotel;
- Tours mentioned in the itinerary;
- 5 nights cruise in the Santana I;
- All meals and beverages aboard the Santana;
- Guided fishing with 2 fishermen per one knowledgeable local fishing guide in spacious bass boats with trolling motors.

“Have a nice time fishing on board of a magnificent ship.”

Scuba Diving

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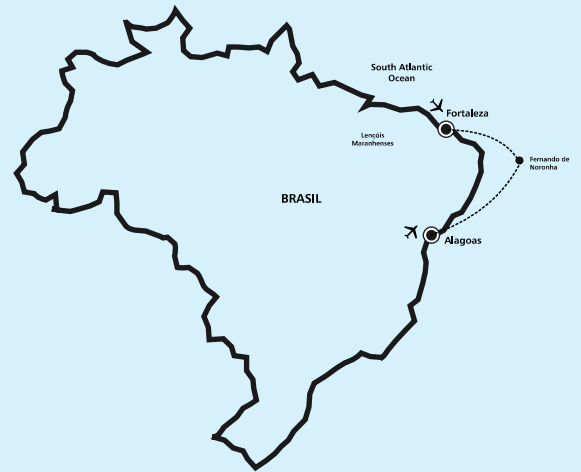
The best dive site in Brazil is the archipelago of Fernando de Noronha. It's the most untouched spot, and it's simply gorgeous on the surface, appealing to everyone. The difficulty ranges from beginner to advance. Best time of the year is from July to December for beginners, all year round for advanced divers.

DAY 1 - Recife

Arrival in Recife. Meet and greet by our local bilingual guide and transfer to the selected hotel. Overnight at the selected hotel. (D)

DAY 2 - Recife / Fernando de Noronha

Transfer to the airport. Flight to Fernando de Noronha Island. The flora and fauna are rich and well preserved and, due to its location, the marine biology here is more diverse than anywhere else in Brazil. Fernando de Noronha has the only mangrove in the ocean and also has a patch of Atlantic Forest (Mata Atlantica). Walking tour through the local village, visiting historical buildings such as the old colonial church and the Forte dos Remedios, and the beaches in the vicinity of the village. Overnight at the selected Hotel. (B)



DAY 3- Fernando de Noronha

This morning we'll take an excursion by boat to the Baía dos Golfinhos (Dolphin Bay). In a well-equipped cabin cruiser or catamaran, cruise to the dive site as directed by the divemaster. Schools of Spinner dolphins will accompany the boat and amaze us with their almost-choreographed frolicking. Marvel at the underwater world with its varied fish, lobsters, sponges, coral formations, sea turtles, stingrays, and various species of shark. Optional "baptism" dive tour available for beginners. On the return trip, we will stop at Sancho Bay (Baía Sancho) on the west side of Fernando de Noronha for snorkeling in transparent waters with thousands of colored tropical fish. Rest of the day free to explore the island. Possible activities include walking tours, renting a bike or even a car, and horseback riding. Overnight at the selected Hotel. (B)

DAY 4 - Fernando de Noronha

Choose among the many activities available, including spectacular snorkeling or scuba diving tours. Classes available for beginners, or you can go bike riding, horseback riding or hiking through the many island trails.

Scuba Diving

Advanced divers can go out deep to the sunken Corvette V-17, or beginning to intermediate divers may choose easier sites in and around the many bays and reefs of the island. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B)

DAY 5 - Fernando de Noronha / Maceió

Flight to Maceió. Meet and greet by our local bilingual guide. Transfer to the hotel. Afternoon at leisure. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,D)

DAY 7 - Maceió

A full day of diving is planned at one or more dive locations in the area. Choose from great coral-encrusted wrecks, vast reefs and rock formations like Draguinha, Sequipe, Dragão, Recanto and Eufrásio. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B)

It includes

- Local ground transportation;
- Hotel accommodation;
- Daily breakfast & selected meals;
- Selected activities & admission fees;
- Bilingual guide services



DAY 6 - Maceió

Transfer to a beachside hotel. The white sandy beaches of Pajuçara, Jatiúca, Jacarecica, Guaxuma and Garça Torta are reputed to be some of the prettiest in all of Brazil. Take a low-stress jangada boat ride out into the clear waters off the coast or take a diving excursion. Maceió has several great diving sites, wrecks and a wide array of fishes and sea life. Excellent visibility extends from 7 to 30 meters. A complete line of diving equipment as well as PADI courses can be provided upon request. You may also hire underwater photographic equipment. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B)

“Reality or art? Explore the beauties of these worldwide recognized paradise spots will challenge your mind.”

Brazilian Flavor

“Meet the old barons of the coffee in a fascinating tour to the old coffee farms”

DAY 1 - Rio de Janeiro / Vale do Café

Departure from your Rio de Janeiro Hotel to the “vale do café”. The visit starts at Ponte Alta farm, with specialized guide and transportation included. We will meet the Baron of Mambucaba and his wife that will tell us the stories of the glory period of the coffee in Brazil. Typical farm lunch will be served so we can taste the rich gastronomy of the interior of Rio de Janeiro state. We will continue our tour towards the Arvoredo Farm where we will visit the main house and learn about the furniture, art and architecture from the XIX century. The local staff will dress in old style and they will pretend they are the Baron of Santa Maria and his wife. Dinner and overnight at a local Hotel-Farm. (L,D).

DAY 2 - Vale do Café

Breakfast and departure to Consevatória, the capital of serest, known by its old mansions and by the tunnel that cries – that was open by the slaves. After that we will visit the São João da Prosperidade Farm, a historic farm built in 1830 by Mata Gente Captain. The history will be told by the current owner of the farm in a truly travel in time. Lunch on the way and visit to Taquara Farm, considered to be the farm that most reflects the period of the coffee as it has maintained all the furniture since its foundation, passing by several generations until the current administration. Besides, it is the only historic farm that has approximately 130.000 coffee trees. Before arriving at the hotel, we will pass by the city of Vassouras – important city of the XIX century that has the main constructions of the coffee period. Dinner and overnight at a local Hotel-Farm. (B,L,D).



DAY 3 - Vale do Café / Rio de Janeiro

Morning at leisure and return to Rio de Janeiro. (B)

End of our Services

It includes

- Private transfer and excursions with English speaking guides;
- Tickets for the visits mentioned;
- Meals mentioned in the program;
- Hotel accommodation.

Bonito & Pantanal

“A good opportunity to visit 3 paradises in only one trip!”

DAY 1 - Campo Grande / Pantanal

Arrival in Campo Grande. Transfer from Campo Grande airport to Refúgio Ecológico Caiman (duration of the car ride: 4 hours/ 236 km). Arrival. Welcome drinks and tours presentation and accommodation. Dinner. Overnight at Refúgio Ecológico Caiman. (D)

DAY 2 - Pantanal

Breakfast. 2 tours: one in the morning, one in the afternoon. In the evening, a slide show. Overnight at Refúgio Ecológico Caiman. (B,L,D).



Day 3 - Pantanal

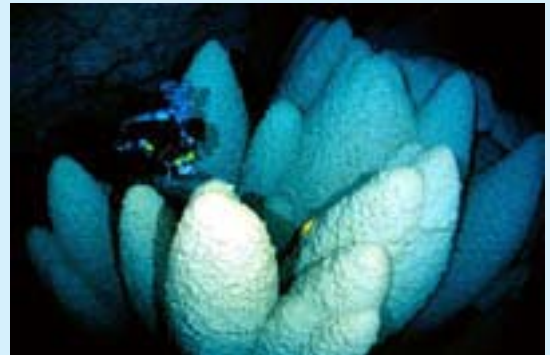
Breakfast. 3 tours included one in the morning, one in the afternoon and one in the evening. (B,L,D)
Notes: tours in Pantanal include the best of Pantanal's fauna and flora, walking tours, photo safaris, nocturnal animals' observation, horseback riding, canoeing and access to the customs and culture of the local cowboys, known as "Pantaneiros". It is also the Hyacinth Macaw Project base.

“ One of the most beautiful swamps of the world! A perfect ecosystem. ”

Bonito & Pantanal

DAY 4 - Pantanal / Bonito

Breakfast. Ecotour to Boca da Onça Farm (Bodoquena Region) visiting 12 waterfalls. Departure to Boca da Onça, a region where we find crystalline waterfalls, trails of totally preserved forest and the scenic Salobra River, natural swimming pools and the highest waterfall of the State: The Boca da Onça Waterfall, 156 meters high, one of the most spectacular waterfalls in Brazil. After the visit we continue Bonito (1 hour/ 50 km). Arrival and accommodation to the selected hotel. Dinner and overnight. (B,L,D)



DAY 5 - Bonito

Breakfast. Floating in Bonito's crystal waters, where there is a great variety of fish and opportunity for diving. Lunch included. Dinner at the hotel. Overnight at selected hotel. (B,L,D)



DAY 6 - Bonito / Campo Grande

Breakfast. Visit to Grotto Blue Lake, the most beautiful grotto of the region. The beauty of the place can already be noticed at the entrance, where pointed stones assume interesting shapes. The descent to the core of the cave is approximately 100 meters and ends at the magnificent turquoise blue lake. For the purpose of preservation, no swimming is allowed, despite the temptation of diving. Transfer from Bonito to Campo Grande airport. (4 hours/ 320 km). Flight back home. (B)

End of our Services

It includes

- Transfer from Campo Grande airport to Pantanal
- Transfer from Pantanal to Bonito
- Transfer from Bonito to Campo Grande airport
- 03 nights at Refúgio Ecológico Caiman
- 02 nights at selected hotel in Bonito
- 1 day use at Fazenda Boca da Onça
- Tours in Bonito and Pantanal according to the description of the program
- Assistance guide bilingual (English and Spanish)

Classic Brazil

“Discover the enchants, culture and rythmes of Brazil”

DAY 1 - Rio de Janeiro

Arrival in Rio de Janeiro, the Marvelous City! Meet & greet by our local guide at the airport and transfer to the selected hotel. Welcome drink. Dinner at a local restaurant. Overnight at the selected hotel. (D)

DAY 2 - Rio de Janeiro

Morning visit to the famous Corcovado. You will take a cozy little train passing through the Atlantic Forest, until the top of the Corcovado Mountain, where you will reach the feet of the Christ Statue. From there you will appreciate the most incredible view of Rio de Janeiro. Barbecue Lunch. Visit to the Sugar Loaf, where you will take the cable car up to the top of the Sugar Loaf Moutain, to explore a different view of the one seen in the morning. After this full day tour you will be able to picture the city and to understand much more about the happy spirit of its people! Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)

DAY 3 - Rio de Janeiro

Morning schooner cruise to the Guanabara Bay to enjoy the city view from the sea. Afternoon at leisure to go shopping or to enjoy Copacabana beach. Dinner followed by a Folkloric Show at Plataforma where you will be introduced to many Brazilian rhythms and dances. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,D)



DAY 4 - Rio de Janeiro / Foz do Iguaçú

In the morning, transfer to the airport and flight to Foz do Iguaçú. Arrival and transfer to the hotel. Iguaçú is one of the biggest wonders of nature in South America: located amidst a sub-tropical forest in the triangle of Argentina, Paraguay and Brazil, a gigantic row of waterfalls goes down into the river Iguaçú. Later in the day visit to the Brazilian side of the falls. We will walk along the paths following cascades and then along the catwalk that leads very close to the bottom of the Devil's Throat. The guests will enjoy magnificent views. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,D)



Classic Brazil

DAY 5 - Foz do Iguaçu

Today visit of the Argentinean side of the falls. Quick customs check, crossing the Tancredo Neves bridge over the Iguaçu River, which forms the border between Argentina & Brazil. Once in Argentina, tour takes a scenic highway up the Argentinean Iguassu National Park. We will also take the ecological jungle train that leads to the most impressive observation point of the falls – The Devil’s Throat . Return to the hotel. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)



DAY 6 - Foz do Iguaçu / Salvador da Bahia

Morning transfer to the airport to catch your flight to Salvador da Bahia. Afternoon at leisure. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B)

DAY 8 - Salvador da Bahia

Full day city tour to Salvador, including the upper city and the lower city. Our tour begins with a panoramic city tour. Stop at Farol da Barra where you can take nice pictures of the lighthouse. Continuing the tour to the famous Pelourinho, filled with a rich collection of 16th, 17th and 18th centuries, colonial architecture, which UNESCO considers the most important that exists in the world today.

DAY 7 - Salvador da Bahia

Full day tour to the amazing Praia do Forte, including the Garcia D’Avila Castle and the Tamar Marine Turtle Project. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)

Lunch at a local restaurant and visit to Bomfim Church and Mercado Modelo - a large market featuring a diversity of Bahia craftsmanship and cuisine delicacies. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)



DAY 9 - Salvador da Bahia out

Morning at leisure. Afternoon transfer to the airport and flight back home

End of our Services

It includes

- Private transfer and excursions with English speaking guides;
- Tickets for the visits mentioned;
- Meals mentioned in the program;
- Hotel accommodation;

New Year in Rio de Janeiro

“Celebrating the New Year in big style!”

The New Years celebration attracts millions of people to Copacabana beach to commemorate the arrival of the New Year and to witness one of the world’s spectacular fireworks displays.

DAY 1 - Rio de Janeiro

Arrival in Rio de Janeiro – the Marvelous City. Meet and greet by our local bilingual guides and transfer to the selected hotel.

Afternoon visit to the Sugar Loaf, where you will take the cable car up to the top of the mountain to enjoy a beautiful sunset. Dinner at a local restaurant. Overnight at the selected hotel. (D)

DAY 2 - Rio de Janeiro

Visit to the Corcovado – take the train through the Tijuca Forest to reach the statue of the Christ. From there, we have the most incredible view of the whole city. Barbecue lunch. Afternoon at leisure. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)



DAY 3 - Rio de Janeiro

FD at leisure for relaxation. Dinner at the hotel. New Years Celebration on the Copacabana beach to enjoy the fireworks display and music shows. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,D)



DAY 4 - Rio de Janeiro

FD at leisure to recover from the previous night. Enjoy the beaches of Rio de Janeiro and begin the new year in good style! Sea food farewell dinner. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,D)

DAY 5 - Rio de Janeiro

Transfer to the airport. Flight back home.

End of our Services

It includes

- 4 nights accommodation at the selected hotel or similar, according to availability;
- Transfer in/out with private english speaking guides;
- Tours mentioned in the itinerary;
- Meals mentioned in the itinerary.

Please contact us for our suggested hotels’ list.



Lençóis do Maranhão

“Where the desert is actually a hidden paradise...”

DAY 1 - São Luis

Flight to Sao Luis and transfer to the selected hotel. Afternoon tour to the colonial city. We will go around the old charming town and visit the churches of Santo Antonio, Sé Remedios and Carmo. Squares of Gonçalves Dias, Dom Pedro II, Benedito Leite, João Lisboa, Odorico Mendes, & Deodoro; Museums, the house of the state of Maranhão, and homes of artists. Besides this we will also pass in front of several old big houses in downtown, with its characteristic facades covered by Dutch tiles. Dinner at the Hotel. Overnight at the selected Hotel. (D)



DAY 2 - São Luis / Alcântara / São Luis

Breakfast at hotel. Full day tour of Alcântara, across the channel. The city was chosen as a National Patrimony in 1948, for its beauty and historical significance. On the tour you will see the mansions and ruins strewn along 3 beaches, and 10 streets, memories of the Portuguese colonization. Dinner at the Hotel. Overnight at the selected Hotel. (B,L,D)

DAY 3 - São Luis / Barreirinhas

Transfer to Barreirinhas (by plane – great photo opportunities or by the road). Check in at the selected hotel. Afternoon 4x4 safari tour at Lençóis National Park. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,D)

DAY 4 - Barreirinhas

Motor boat on the Preguicas River. Visit the Environmental Protection Area, including short walks to the dunes, visit to the fishing villages and its lighthouse. Stop at Caburé Beach. Return to the hotel. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,D)

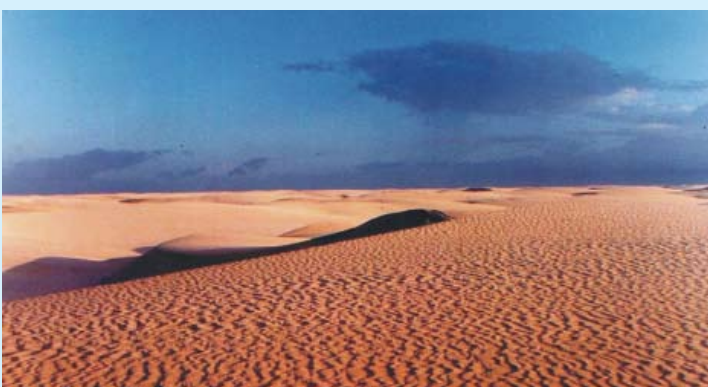
DAY 5 - Barreirinhas / São Luis

Buffet Breakfast. Transfer to Sao Luis Airport. (B)

End of our Services

It includes

- Private transfer and excursions with English speaking guides;
- Tickets for the visits mentioned;
- Meals mentioned in the program;
- Hotel accommodation at the selected hotels or similar hotels according to the availability;



Rio de Janeiro Carnival

“Experience the most incredible party on the planet, and be part of this trully celebration of life!”

Carnival is the most important Brazilian Party! It is when the whole country stops to celebrate life! This is the most approximated description of this contagious event, so difficult to explain but so easy to understand once you are part of it, where happiness and joy are the only rules.

It is such a magic moment! And the Cariocas know better than anyone to express the felling of the Carnival, translating it in the exuberant Samba Schools Parade at the Sambodrome, where colors, samba, music, rhythms makes more than a spectacle but a passionate celebration. But apart from the Sambodrome, Carnival in Rio also takes place in every corner of the city: in local parades, street parties and balls.

DAY 1 - Rio de Janeiro

Arrival in Rio de Janeiro. Meet and greet by our local English speaking guide and transfer to the selected hotel. Day at leisure to explore the Copacabana beach. Overnight at the selected hotel.

DAY 2 - Ro de Janeiro

Morning visit to the famous Corcovado. You will take a cozy little train passing through the Atlantic Forest, until the top of the Corcovado Mountain, where you will reach the feet of the Christ Statue. From there you will appreciate the most incredible view of Rio de Janeiro. Barbecue Lunch. Visit to the Sugar Loaf, where you will take the cable car up to the top of the Sugar Loaf Moutain, to explore a different view of the one seen in the morning.



After this full day tour you will be able to picture the city and to understand much more about the happy spirit of its people! Tonight you can go to the famous Ipanema neighborhood to participate on the street Carnival called “Banda de Ipanema”. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)

DAY 3 - Rio de Janeiro

Day at leisure to enjoy the city as you wish. Enjoy the Ipanema Hippy Fair, the best handcraft street market that takes place in Ipanema only on Sudays, where you can by typical souvenirs. You can also join the street Carnival early in the morning in the city center. Around 7pm, transfer to the Sambodrome to enjoy the most incredible spectacle on earth: The Samba School`s Parade! Overnight at the selected hotel. (B)

DAY 4 - Rio de Janeiro

Day at leisure to recover from the previous night, as tonight the Carnival Continues. Around 7pm, transfer to the Sambodrome to enjoy the second night of the Samba School Parade! Overnight at the selected hotel. (B)

Rio de Janeiro Carnival

DAY 5 - Rio de Janeiro

Day at leisure. You can lie on the beach, have a coconut water, drink some caipirinhas, swim, get tan... But if you still have the energy, Carnival hasn't stopped yet! You can join on local street parties and even in Carnival Balls at night. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B)

DAY 6 - Rio de Janeiro out

Morning schooner cruise to the Guanabara Bay to enjoy the last views of the Marvelous City!!! Barbecue Lunch at a local restaurant. Check out, transfer to the airport and flight back home. (B,L)

End of our Services

It includes

- Private transfer and excursions with English speaking guides;
- Tickets for the 2 nights of the Samba School Parade;
- Meals mentioned in the program;
- Hotel accommodation at the mentioned hotels or similar hotels according to availability;



“Enjoy one of the world’s most famous carnivals. The magic is all around!”



The Colors of Brazil

"A complete itinerary full of emotions"

DAY 1 - Salvador

Arrival in Salvador. Meet and greet by our local English speaking guide and transfer to the selected hotel. Welcome drink. Afternoon visit to Salvador, including the Barra Lighthouse, the famous Pelourinho, filled with a rich collection of 16th, 17th and 18th centuries, colonial architecture, which UNESCO considers the most important that exists in the world today and stop at Mercado Modelo - a large market featuring a diversity of Bahia craftsmanship and cuisine delicacies. Dinner at the hotel. Overnight at the selected hotel. (D)

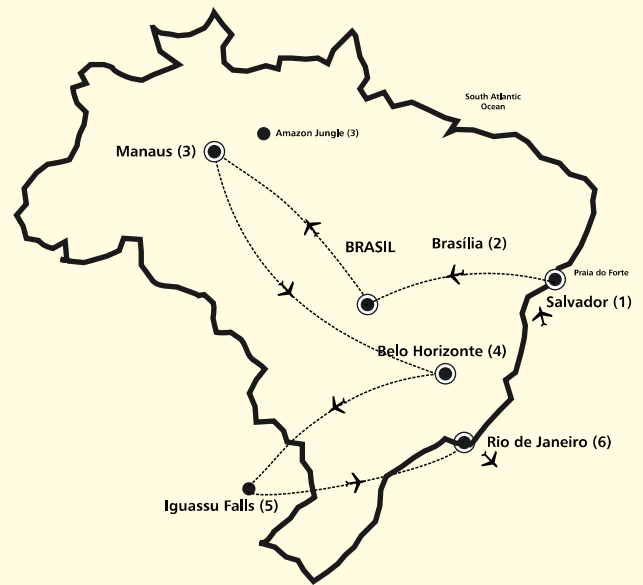
DAY 2 - Salvador / Praia do Forte / Salvador

Departure for a FD at Praia Do Forte including the Garcia D`Ávila Castle and Tamar Turtle Marine Project. Lunch at a local restaurant. Return to Salvador. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)



DAY 3 - Salvador / Brasília / Manaus

Morning transfer out. Flight to Brasília, the capital of Brazil. Panoramic city tour including the Residential super-blocks, the Alvorada Palace, Itamarati Palace (Foreign Relations Ministry), Plaza of the Three Powers, TV Tower and Cathedral, and other places of interest. Barbecue lunch. Shopping tour. Departure to the airport for a flight to Manaus. Arrival in Manaus and transfer to the selected hotel. (B,L)



DAY 4 - Manaus / Amazon Forest

Morning visit to Manaus. Lunch at the hotel. Transfer to the pier to board on the Iberostar Grand Amazon – the most luxurious cruise-ship of the Amazon Jungle. Get ready for an incredible experience where you will have close contact to the nature. Watch the amazing sunset. After that enjoy a welcome cocktail followed by a dinner party. Overnight at the Iberostar Grand Amazon. (B,L,D)

DAY 5 - Amazon Forest

Trekking and photo safari, boat excursion, theme lecture, bird watching, alligator spotting. Overnight at the Iberostar Grand Amazon. (B,L,D)



The Colors of Brazil

Day 6 - Amazon Forest

Bird Watching, photo safari, trekking, theme lecture, folkloric show.
Overnight at the Iberostar Grand Amazon. (B,L,D)

Day 7 - Amazon Forest / Manaus / Belo Horizonte

Passing by the meeting of the waters. Morning check out. Disembark. Transfer to the airport. Flight to Belo Horizonte. Arrival in Belo Horizonte and transfer to the selected hotel. Dinner at the hotel. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,D)



“A journey throughout the dazzling natural varieties.”

DAY 8 - Belo Horizonte / Congonhas / Mariana / Ouro Preto

Transfer to Congonhas do Campo, to appreciate the Senhor Bom Jesus church and the sculptures of Aleijadinho – a famous Brazilian artist. Lunch at a local restaurant. Afternoon visit to Mariana, a city very rich in baroque architecture. Arrival in Ouro Preto and transfer to the selected hotel. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)

DAY 9 - Ouro Preto / Belo Horizonte

Visit to Ouro Preto including the beautiful churches of colonial and baroque style, specially the Saint Francis of Assisi Church.

Lunch at a local restaurant. Transfer to Belo Horizonte. Arrival and transfer to the selected hotel. Dinner at the hotel. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)

The Colors of Brazil

DAY 10 - Belo Horizonte / Foz do Iguaçu

Transfer to the airport for a flight to Foz do Iguaçu. Arrival and transfer to the selected hotel. Afternoon visit to the Brazilian Falls. Dinner at the hotel. Iguaçu is one of the biggest wonders of nature in South America: located amidst a sub-tropical forest in the triangle of Argentina, Paraguay and Brazil, a gigantic row of waterfalls goes down into the river Iguaçu. We will walk along the paths following cascades and then along the catwalk that leads very close to the bottom of the Devil's Throat. The guests will enjoy magnificent views. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,D)



DAY 11 - Foz do Iguaçu / Rio de Janeiro

Visit to the Argentinean side of the Falls. Lunch at a local restaurant. Transfer to the airport and flight to Rio de Janeiro. Arrival in Rio – The marvelous city and transfer to the selected hotel. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)

DAY 12 - Rio de Janeiro

Morning visit to the famous Corcovado. You will take a cozy little train passing through the Atlantic Forest, until the top of the Corcovado Mountain, where you will reach the feet of the Christ Statue. From there you will appreciate the most incredible view of Rio de Janeiro. Barbecue Lunch. Visit to the Sugar Loaf, where you will take the cable car up to the top of the Sugar Loaf Mountain, to explore a different view of the one seen in the morning. Exciting helicopter tour around the city! Farewell dinner. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)

DAY 13 - Rio de Janeiro

Morning at leisure to enjoy the beaches of Rio or to go shopping. Lunch at the traditional Confeitaria Colombo in the city center. Panoramic visit of the city center. Transfer to the airport and flight back home.

End of our Services.

It Includes:

- Private transfer and excursions with English speaking guides;
- Tickets for the visits mentioned;
- Helicopter flight;
- Meals mentioned in the program;
- Hotel accommodation;
- 3 nights cruise on the Iberostar Grand Amazon with all inclusive services.

Chapada Diamantina / Itacaré / Marauá

Unforgettable landscapes. Trekking to the most beautiful sites of the northeast region. Adventure, emotion, nature, beauty and lots a fun.

DAY 1 - Salvador

Arrival in Salvador. Meet & great by our local bilingual guide and transfer to the selected hotel. Overnight at the selected hotel. (D)

DAY 2 - Salvador / Lençóis

Transfer to Lençóis – Chapada Diamantina. Arrive in Lençóis, accommodation and sunset at Morro do Pai Inácio (Father Inácio's Hill) from there you have some of the most spectacular views of Chapada, with a series of flat mountains that are so characteristic of this landscape. (B,L,D)



DAY 3 - Lençóis / Capão

After breakfast, transfer to "Pai Inácio" to begin the trail of 12 kilometers towards the most beautiful hill of Chapada Diamantina – the "Morrão". On the way, we will pass by the "águas claras" (clear waters), a natural pool where we can swim. Arrival in Capão for a overnight at a local pousada (inn) that offers the most beautiful view of the whole Chapada. (B,L,D)



DAY 4 - Capão

After breakfast, departure to the trail that will take us to the "Cachoeira da Fumaca" (Smoke Waterfall) with impressive 380 meters of height. The trail has approximately 11 kilometers. Late afternoon return to Vale do Capão. Overnight. (B,L,D)

DAY 5 - Capão / Mucugê

After breakfast, transfer to the local community of "Bomba", in Vale do Capão. Here begins one of the most beautiful trails of the National Park. We will have approximately 15 kilometers walking to the local community of Guiné. On the way, we will pass by Gerais da Vieira, Rio Preto and Pati – which is considered one of the most beautiful valleys in Brazil. Late afternoon arrival in Mucugê. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)

DAY 6 - Mucugê / Igatu

Breakfast and departure to the extreme south of the National Park. We will go to Ibicoara to visit one of the most beautiful sites of the Chapada. It is an impressive canyon and the "Buracão" waterfall offers a breathtaking view. With a 6km trail we will go to the top and to the bottom of the waterfall. We will continue towards the picturesque and pleasant Igatu village. Accommodation and overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)

Chapada Diamantina / Itacaré / Maraú



DAY 10 - Itacaré

Breakfast. Transfer to the beginning of the trail. After a short trekking we will arrive at Arruda Beach, with beautiful natural pools. After that we will enjoy Jeribucaçu Beach. After lunch, we will begin a trail to the Atlantic forest by the river, passing by the ruins of the old factory, watching the local biodiversity with centenary trees, flowers and local fauna. We will end the trekking in the "Cachoeira da Usina" (Factory Waterfall) for freshen up. Return to Itacaré. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)

DAY 7 - Igatu

After breakfast we will go to "Poço Encantado" – a natural spectacle lost in the "sertão bahiano". We will continue to Andaraí for a lunch at the Pousada Ecológica, close to Paraguassu River – where we can stop for a swim. After that, walking tour to the city center of Andaraí. Visit the center of diamond lapidation and stop for a refreshing ice-cream. 4km trail to return to Igatu. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)

DAY 11 - Itacaré / Maraú

After breakfast trekking to the urban beaches of Resende, Tiririca, Costa, Concha and Ribeira. Light trail, following a brook with waterfall and dense atlantic forest. We will arrive at a small waterfall, for a delicious bath. Continuing the trek, we will pass by a dense forest trail and the first lookout appears. We will cross the hill and a coconut groove to arrive in Prainha - one of the most beautiful views of the northeastern coast. Around 4pm, transfer for approximately 2 hours in 4x4 vehicle to Maraú Peninsula. Accommodation and overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)

DAY 8 - Igatu / Lençóis / Ilhéus / Itacaré

After breakfast, departure to the Lençóis airport for a flight to Ilhéus. Arrival in Ilhéus and transfer to Itacaré. Accommodation and overnight at the selected hotel. (B,D)

DAY 9 - Itacaré

Breakfast. Transfer to the beginning of the trail. 10 minutes trail to the beautiful Hawaizinho beach. After that, trekking 25 minutes we will arrive at Engenhoca beach – perfect for surfers. 15 minutes walking to reach a natural pool. After lunch we will go to Camboinha and Itacarezinho beach – the most extensive of Itacaré. Coconut groves, transparent water and white sand make a stunning scenery. Our car will be waiting for us to take us to the Tijuípe waterfall – ideal place for relaxation after a day trip. Late afternoon return to Itacaré and overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)



Chapada Diamantina / Itacaré / Maraú

DAY 12 - Maraú

Breakfast. Jeep tour to the Maraú Peninsula. We will go until the Ponta do Mutuá. From there we will trek to Barra Grande – a picturesque village with small bars by the sea. During the trek we will pass by beautiful landscapes to open fields, dendê plantations and Atlantic Forest. The trek will take approximately 4 hours. Visit to Bela Vista Hill – the most beautiful view of the peninsula. To get there we will have to cross the lagoon by canoe. Return to Maraú and overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)



DAY 13 - Maraú

Tour to the Islands of Camamú Bay: Departure to Jobel by speed boat, we will discover the most beautiful places of the Camamú bay: the fishing villages, the paradisiacal beaches and the Pedra Furada Island. Formed by rocks and a natural arc, covered by palm trees and other trees, it enchants the eyes of its visitors. Duration of approximately 4 hours. Return to Maraú. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)

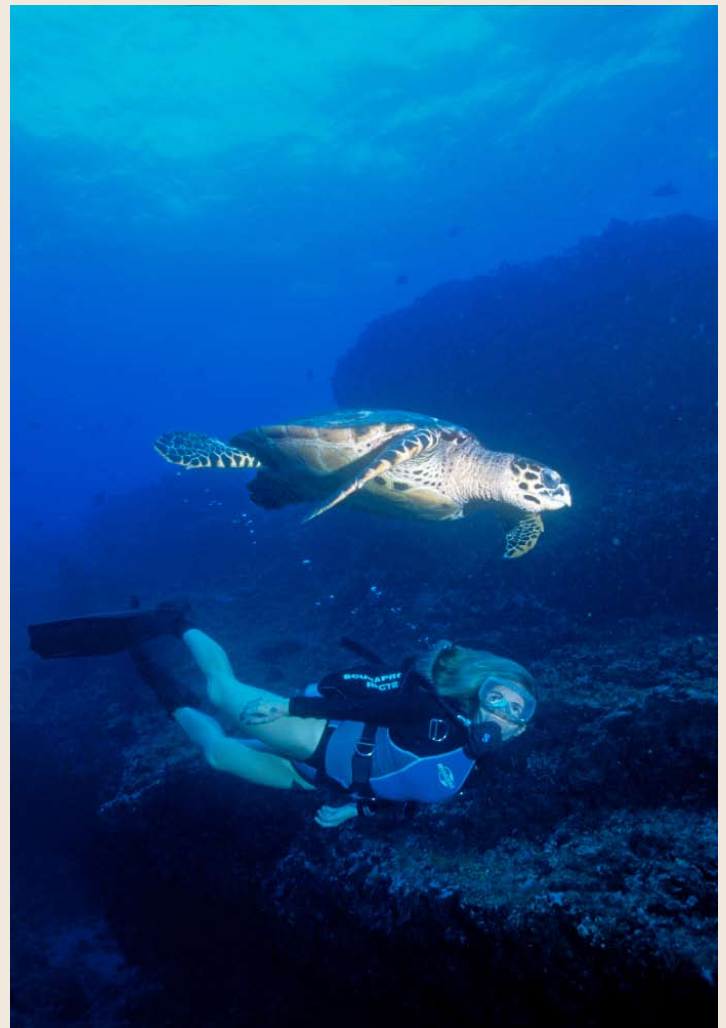
DAY 14 - Maraú / Ilhéus

Morning at leisure. After lunch transfer to Ilhéus airport and flight back home.

End of our Services

It includes:

- ground transportation;
- accommodation with breakfast;
- all the tours mentioned;
- mentioned meals;
- specialized guide;
- entrance fees;
- travel insurance.



The Royal Route

DAY 1 - Rio de Janeiro

Arrival in Rio de Janeiro. Meet and greet by our local bilingual guide. Transfer to the selected hotel in Rio. Dinner at the hotel. Overnight at the selected hotel. (D)

DAY 2 - Rio de Janeiro / Paraty

Transfer to Paraty, a colonial town 250km south of Rio, which takes approximately 3 hours and a half. Paraty is charm, nobility, antiques, relics, sea, islands and comfort. It is 445 years of Brazilian History described in monuments, farms and façades. The irregular cobblestone streets, the balconies and the serenades give personality to this city, still known as the Gold Route (Rota do Ouro), since from the navigations period. Arrival in Paraty and transfer to the hotel. Afternoon visit to the historic city center. Overnight at the selected hotel. (D)

DAY 3 - Paraty / Trindade Village / Paraty

Full day tour to Trindade. The charming fishermen village of Trindade has a rich history to tell, besides 7 fantastic beaches. During the colonial times Trindade was the port used by the pirates to attack the shipping of Paraty. The present residents still talk of legends of lost treasure and chests full of gold. During the sixties the spot was discovered by the hippies and its fame spread. Return to Paraty at the end of the day. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)



DAY 4 - Paraty / Petrópolis

Departure to Petrópolis – a small Imperial city that is the former summer residence of the Brazilian Emperor. With a pleasant climate, Petrópolis is located 809 meters above sea level. Arrive and check in at the hotel and departure for a HD tour including the Imperial Palace (the museum houses the scepter and the crown of the Emperor D. Pedro II, historical documents, jewels and masterpieces that belonged to the Imperial Family), the Crystal Palace and the Cathedral. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)

DAY 5 - Petrópolis / Tiradentes

Morning departure to Tiradentes (5 hours). The city possesses one of the best collections of Baroque art in Brazil — including fountains, mansions, town houses, museums and famous churches such as the Matriz de Santo Antônio. Afternoon walking tour to the main historic sites. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)

DAY 6 - Tiradentes / São João Del Rey / Tiradentes

Another attraction is to take a ride on the old steam train between Tiradentes and São João del Rei, a very pleasant outing. São João Del Rei is one of the historic cities of Minas Gerais that was very important during the Gold Era in Brazil. Visiting the churches is a mandatory part of tourism to this city. Among the 35 churches here are São Francisco de Assis, Nossa Senhora do Carmo, Nossa Senhora do Rosário and Nossa Senhora das Mercês. Late afternoon return to Tiradentes. Overnight at the selected hote. (B,L)



The Royal Route

DAY 7 - Tiradentes / Congonhas / Ouro Preto

We leave Tiradentes towards Ouro Preto (03 hours driving). We will stop at Congonhas, to appreciate the Senhor Bom Jesus church and the sculptures of Aleijadinho – a famous Brazilian artist. Ouro Preto was made rich by the gold. The city even changed his name of Vila Rica to Ouro Preto, which means black gold. The city is still full of architectural highlights from the gold rush days. Today we will walk in the city and visit the main tourist sites like the Baroque Churches, the cobblestone streets, the wealthy mansions and the Mineralogy Museum. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)



DAY 8 - Ouro Preto / Mariana / Ouro Preto

Morning visit walking tour to Ouro Preto. Lunch in a local restaurant. Afternoon visit to Mariana, a city very rich in baroque architecture. Return to Ouro Preto. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L)

DAY 9 - Ouro Preto / Belo Horizonte

Departure to Belo Horizonte. Arrival and check in at the selected hotel. Afternoon city tour to the capital city of the state of Minas Gerais. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B,L,D)

DAY 10 - Belo Horizonte / Rio de Janeiro

Transfer out to the airport. Flight to Rio de Janeiro. Arrival and transfer to the selected hotel in Rio. Late afternoon at leisure to enjoy the Marvellous city. Overnight at the selected hotel. (B)

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