

Titicaca Lake & Uyuni Salt Flats Opt. 4 (8 Days)

Suggested accommodation
According to availability

La Paz: Casa Grande hotel
Colchani: Palacio de Sal (VIP room)
Villamar: Mallku Cueva lodge
Copacabana: Rosario del Lago

Price per person based 2 travellers: 2856.- USD

Price does not include flights. Ask to your travel agent for extra quotation

Custom Itinerary

1 Welcome to La Paz! Day Overnight: La Paz

Welcome to La Paz, Bolivia! We'll greet you at **El Alto International Airport in La Paz** and transfer you to your hotel. Once you are settled, we'll share a cup of coca tea and go over your program, answer questions and share knowledge about Bolivia. We recommend that you take it easy today since there is 50% less oxygen in the air than at sea level. *Acclimatization is essential to enjoying yourselves.*

In the afternoon, your guide will take you for a visit to the Moon Valley, a fascinating geological anomaly called like this because of its bizarre, moon-like landscape and enjoy this nature landscape.

1. Private transfer from La Paz airport to the hotel in La Paz with bilingual assistance

2. Accommodation in La Paz

2 La Paz Urban Trek

Day Overnight: La Paz

Today, you will take the famous **"Mi Teleférico" cable car system** up to El Alto, one of La Paz' suburbs. Then, you'll "trek" your way down to the center of La Paz. You will take to the streets like a local during the 4-hour descent through markets, neighborhoods, plazas, and alleyways. After reaching **El Alto**—at a dizzying 13,615ft (4,000m) above sea level, one of the highest cities in the world!—prepare to be dazzled by the views of the Andes and the sights of La Paz as you walk down through the *"Hanging Neighborhoods"* that surround the city. To top it off, you will take a *micro* or local bus (think oldie Bluebird school buses painted a rainbow of colors) to the heart of the markets area. Here, you'll be able to shop around and go to different markets, including the famous **Witch's Market**. You'll have the afternoon free to rest or explore more of the city.

Note: *Instead of the Urban Trek, you can take the classic city tour, ask to your local specialist for more info.*

+ Breakfast

1. Urban Trek La Paz Half Day

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2. Accommodation in La Paz

3 The Great Uyuni Salt Flats

Day Overnight: Colchani

It's an early start today as you head to El Alto International Airport for a 60-minute flight to the southern town of Uyuni—the gateway to the **Uyuni Salt Flats and Eduardo Avaroa Andean Fauna National Reserve**. You'll be picked up from the airport, and the journey will begin with a short visit to the famed **train cemetery**, which is full of rusting train cars that were once used to transport minerals and people to and from Uyuni. You'll then continue to the salt-harvesting **village of Colchani** to see how locals harvest and produce salt. After this, you will reach the vast Uyuni Salt Flats. Visit the bizarre **Incahuasi Island**, covered in enormous cacti, and enjoy amazing views of the flats.

Enjoy a beautiful sunset in the middle of the endless expanse of glittering salt before returning to Colchani.

Rainy season: from November to April, Uyuni Salt flats are flooded and the access to Tahua or Incahuasi might be difficult or impossible. The program might have to be changed due to these reasons.

+ Breakfast
+ Lunch
+ Dinner

1. Private transfer accommodation to airport in La Paz with bilingual guide

2. Private excursion 3D/2N Uyuni Salt Flats - REA from/to Uyuni

3. Sunset appetizer in uyuni salt flat

4. Accommodation in Salt Hotel in Colchani (Uyuni) + Dinner

4 Eduardo Avaroa Andean Fauna National Reserve

Day Overnight: Lipez

After breakfast, you'll continue through the lunar landscapes of the southern altiplano. We will stop at **San Cristobal miner village**, then continue to Alota valley for lunch. Later we will see amazing rock formations in the **stone valley** while we arrive to **Katal lagoon** where we will see a diversity of Andean fauna such as vicuñas, vizcachas and may others. We will continue to Villamar village, where our hotel is located.

+ Breakfast
+ Lunch
+ Dinner

1. Private excursion 3D/2N Uyuni Salt Flats - REA from/to Uyuni

2. Accommodation in Villamar + Dinner

5 Thermal Waters and Pass Through Dali Desert

Day Overnight: Colchani

After an early breakfast, we will visit the

1. Private excursion 3D/2N Uyuni Salt Flats - REA from/to Uyuni

2. Accommodation in Salt Hotel in Colchani (Uyuni) + Dinner

6 Flight to La Paz and transfer to Copacabana

Day Overnight: Copacabana

Transfer to the airport for catch your flight back to La Paz. Upon arrival, take the private transportation to the sacred Lake Titicaca. Lake Titicaca crosses Bolivia and Peru and is one of the largest lakes in the entire continent. Enjoy the fantastic scenery of farms and fishing villages on the way to Copacabana. "Copa" is a small town on the edge of the lake where you will enjoy a delicious lunch at a local restaurant and take a stroll around town. In the afternoon you could take some time for rest at the hotel or have a short trek to the hill "El Calvario". It is a perfect late afternoon walk to watch the sunset. It makes you feel like standing on a ship having the lake all around you and the sunset on your horizon.

Overnight in Copacabana

+ Breakfast

+ Lunch

1. Transfer accommodation in Colchani to airport in Uyuni

Just drives in Spanish (**Duration: 12:25 AM**)

2. Private transfer from La Paz airport to the hotel in La Paz with bilingual assistance

3. Private tour Copacabana - Isla del Sol 2D/1N with private ferry

7 Island of the Sun - La Paz

Day Overnight: La Paz

After breakfast we go to the beach to take a private ferry to Isla del Sol, or Island of the Sun. This is the legendary birthplace of the Inca and holds great spiritual and cultural significance for Bolivians and Andean people. Today, you will have a beautiful short trek to the southern part of the island, visiting the **Inca Stairs and the Fountain of Youth**. You will learn about the significance of the island to **Inca cosmogony** as you take in marvelous views. Once the tour is over, you'll head to the island's small port for a return journey to Copacabana, and from there back to La Paz.

+ Breakfast

+ Lunch

1. Excursion to Sun Island, a short trek to visit Pilkokaina, Inca stairs, and return to Copacabana by ferry. Time for lunch and back to La Paz city

2. Lunch in Copacabana

3. Accommodation in La Paz

8 Departure from La Paz

Day

It's time to say goodbye to Bolivia! A driver will pick you up at your hotel. You'll be taken to the airport to catch your flight. *Thank you for visiting us.*

1. Private transfer accommodation to airport in La Paz with bilingual guide

Detailed Proposal

What is included in this trip?

Day 1

- Private transfer from La Paz airport to the hotel in La Paz with bilingual assistance
- Accommodation in La Paz

Day 2

- Urban Trek La Paz Half Day
- Accommodation in La Paz

Day 3

- Private transfer accommodation to airport in La Paz with bilingual guide
- Private excursion 3D/2N Uyuni Salt Flats - REA from/to Uyuni
- Sunset appetizer in uyuni salt flat
- Accommodation in Salt Hotel in Colchani (Uyuni) + Dinner

Day 4

- Private excursion 3D/2N Uyuni Salt Flats - REA from/to Uyuni
- Accommodation in Villamar + Dinner

Day 5

- Private excursion 3D/2N Uyuni Salt Flats - REA from/to Uyuni
- Accommodation in Salt Hotel in Colchani (Uyuni) + Dinner

Day 6

- Transfer accommodation in Colchani to airport in Uyuni
- Private transfer from La Paz airport to the hotel in La Paz with bilingual assistance
- Private tour Copacabana - Isla del Sol 2D/1N with private ferry

Day 7

- Excursion to Sun Island, a short trek to visit Pilkokaina, Inca stairs, and return to Copacabana by ferry. Time for lunch and back to La Paz city
- Lunch in Copacabana
- Accommodation in La Paz

Day 8

- Private transfer accommodation to airport in La Paz with bilingual guide