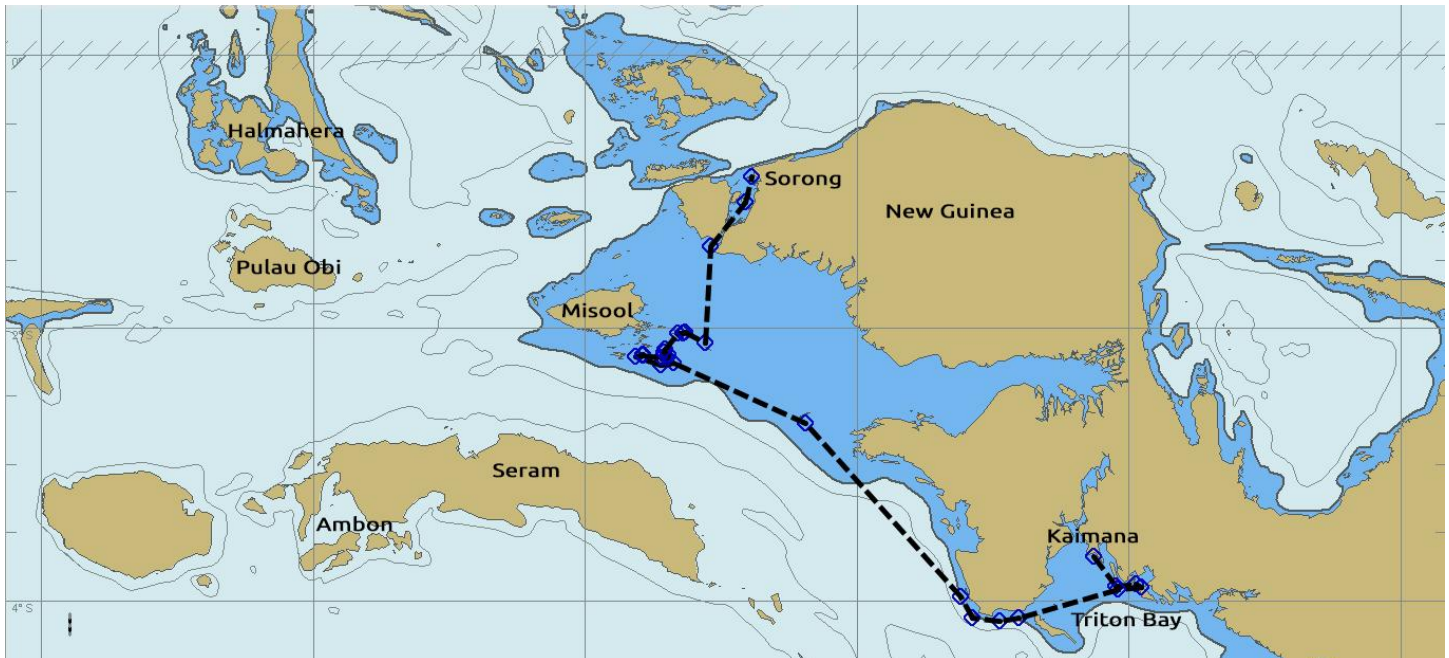


Triton Bay & Raja Ampat Adventure 11 nights/12 days



Cruise Summary

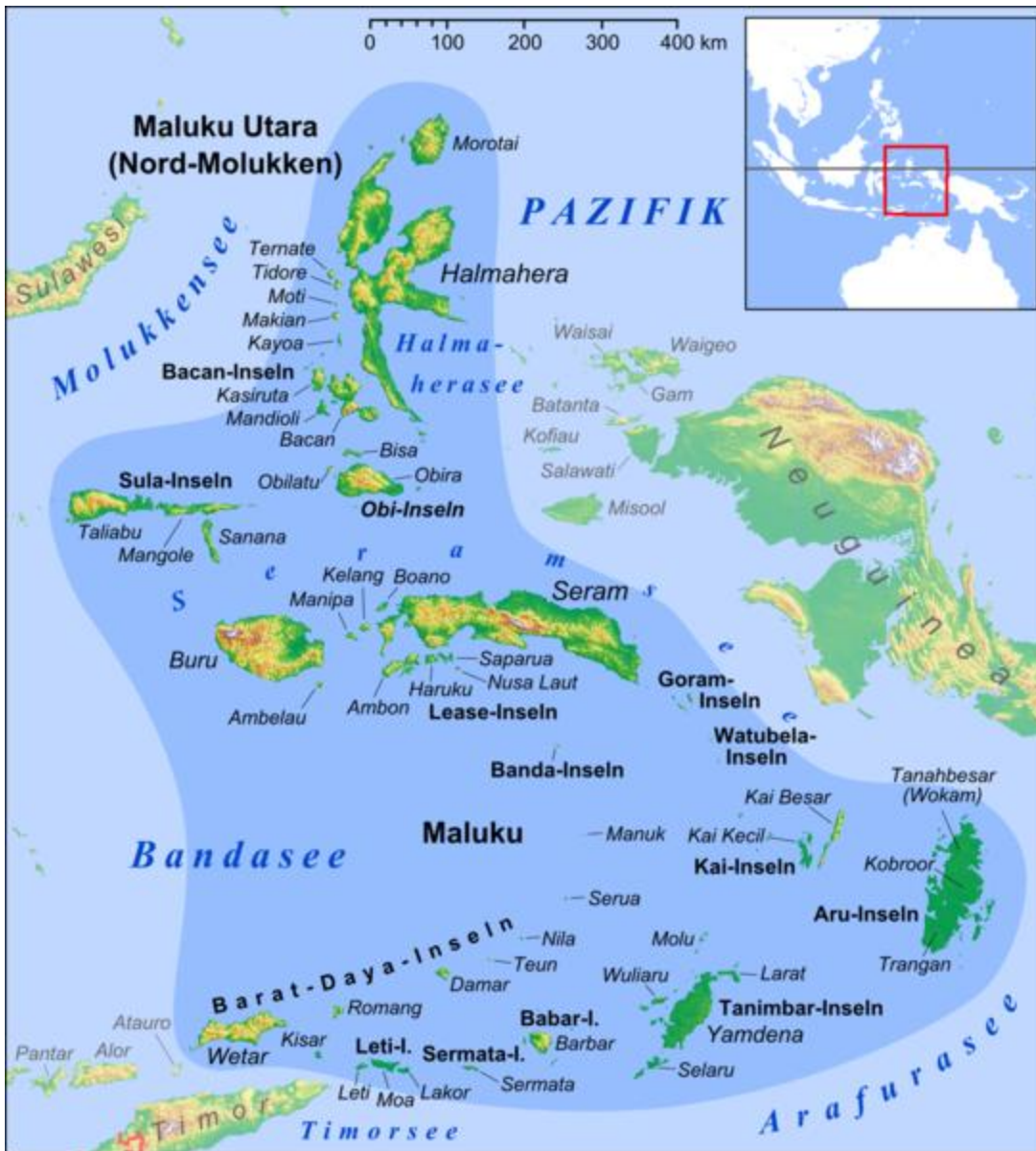
Our 12-day Dive & Adventure Travel starts in Kaimana, located in West Papua Province in Indonesia. In 2008 Kaimana Regency designated 6,000 square meters of land as a special Marine Protected Area – known as **Triton Bay**.

Some of the highlights however include the bobbing pygmy seahorses as well as elegant whale sharks.

Triton Bay and the Iris Strait nearby is often less visited due to its isolated location but it has made a name for itself among serious divers as the place to come in Indonesia if you are looking for abundant marine diversity, and a serene atmosphere away from the crowds.

After 4 days we set our course north west direction Misool, the golden South of Raja Ampat. In this unique underwater world we spend the rest of our journey before sailing towards Sorong.

Raja Ampat, or the *Four Kings*, is an archipelago comprising over 1,500 small islands, cays, and shoals surrounding the four main islands of Misool, Salawati, Batanta, Waigeo and the smaller island of Kofiau. The Raja Ampat archipelago is the part of Coral Triangle which contains the richest marine biodiversity on earth. Raja Ampat is the place where coral species reach 75% of all known species and fish nearly 1,300 species. Raja Ampat is also a paradise for bird watchers. The Raja Ampat islands are a truly natural phenomenon with enormous biological diversity.



Day-1

Your flight will arrive in Kaimana. **Kaimana Regency** is a regency in the south of West Papua province in Indonesia.

- We organize the transport from airport or your hotel to our vessel "MARI".
- The best time of arrival the day before the trip or in the day of the trip early morning.
- The Boat will departure between 12 pm and 2 pm.

After a check-up dive near Cayman, we sail east to Triton Bay. The next morning we enter the fantastic underwater world here.

Day 2-11

If possible we offer 3-4 dives daily. When crossing only 1-2 dives a day can be scheduled. We reserve the right to change the itinerary or specific agreed services, if force majeure, unforeseen or unavoidable circumstances require us to do so.

Some of the destinations on our journey:

Kaimana city

Capital of Kaimana Regency, Papua Barat province.



Kaimana Regency is known for its legendary sunsets, there is even a popular song about it. There are simply so many places where you can enjoy sunsets in this part of Papua. The most popular place to enjoy the golden hours is definitely at the beach, which is a lot in Kaimana.

During the sunset, you can see the sky changing its colors multiple times. At some points, you probably could see any color you can think of because the sky is literally burst with colors, from one spectrum to another. Not even Bali has this kind of sunset, that is why many people who have witness sunset in Kaimana tends to come back to enjoy more.

Triton Bay

sits at the center of the famed Coral Triangle which has the claim to fame of being the home of more species of fish and coral than any other spot on earth.



When it comes to aquatic life you can expect to find species that are common across the rest of Indonesia and more. Some of the highlights however include the bobbing pygmy seahorses as well as elegant whale sharks. It is also possible to spot dolphins and marlin here as well as walking sharks which can be difficult to find in other waters around Indonesia.



Misool

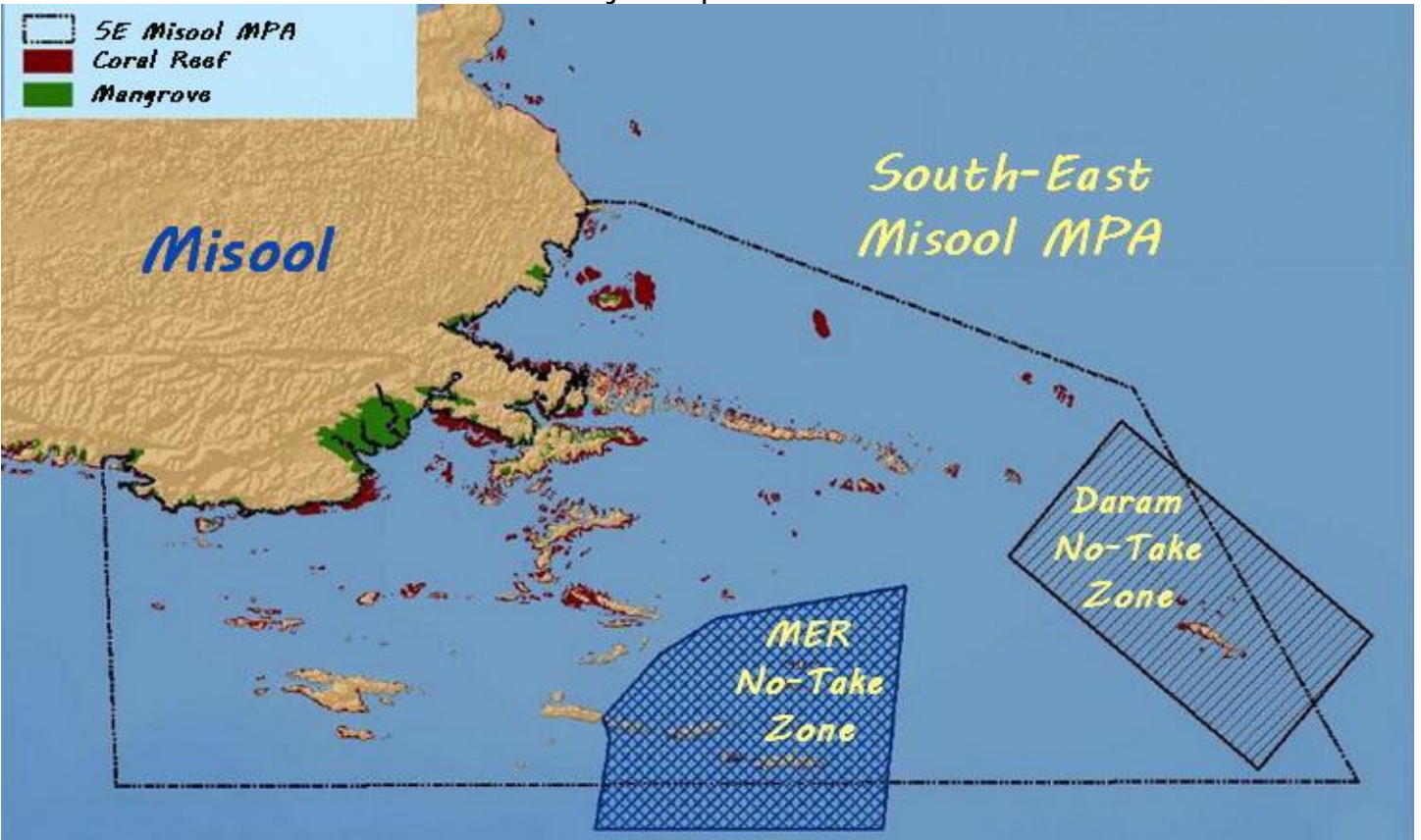
formerly spelled Mysol (Dutch: Misoöl), is one of the four major islands in the Raja Ampat Islands in West Papua. The inhabitants speak the Biga language and Matbat language, as well as Indonesian.

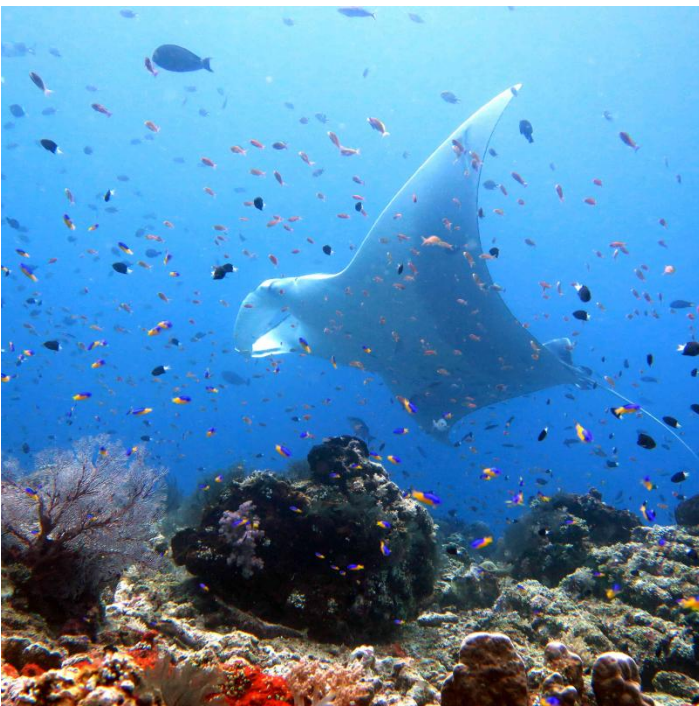
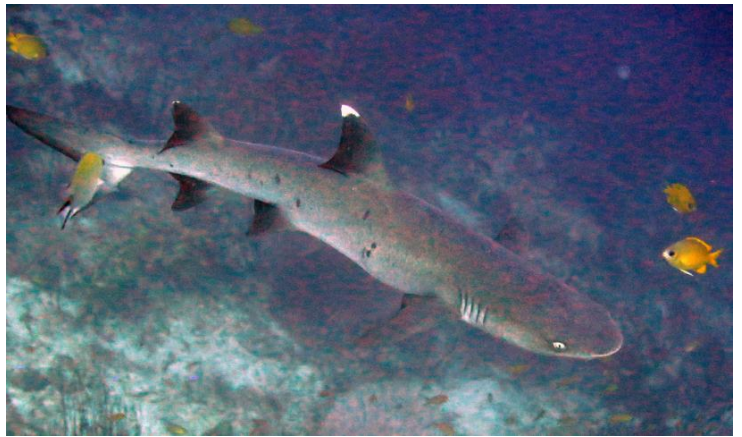
The reason the reefs in the south-east of Misool are so incredibly rich is their relative location to the deep waters of the Ceram Trough and the upwelling of nutrients created as the Indonesian Throughflow makes its way south to the Banda Sea.





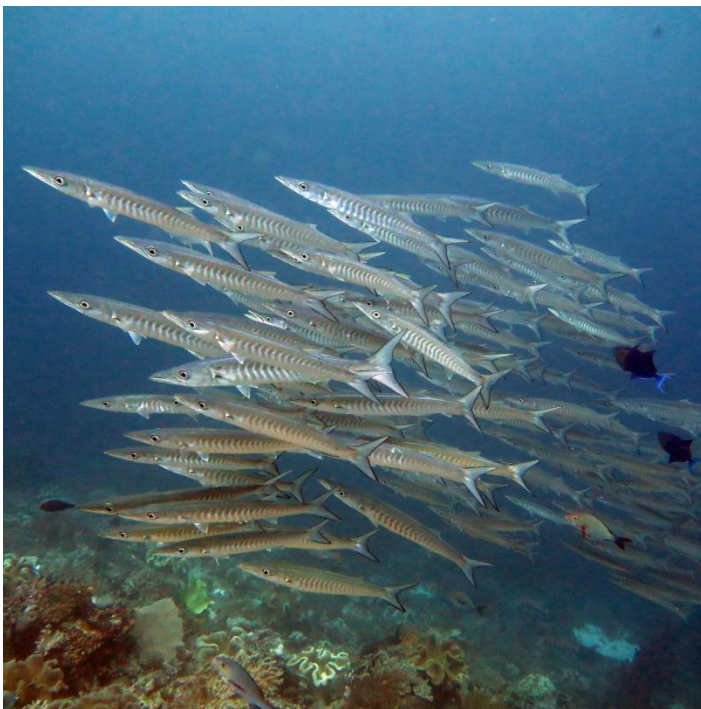
Southeast Misool is the largest and southern most marine protected area (MPA) in the Raja Ampat MPA.





Balbulol, Farondi

In Tomolol, you'll be amazed by the caves in the area, where you can see paintings of huge human palms and animals which were painted by ancient cave dwellers.



Day -11:

Final day of diving - our trip ends at the port of Sorong.

Sorong

is a coastal city in the eastern Indonesian province of West Papua. Its only land borders are with Sorong Regency. It is the gateway to Indonesia's Raja Ampat Islands, species rich Coral reef islands in an area considered the heart of the world's coral reef biodiversity. It also is the logistics hub for Indonesia's thriving eastern oil and gas frontier. Sorong has experienced exponential growth since 2010.



Day -12

Check-out after breakfast or lunch time – depends on your flight time. We say good-bye to our guests and wish them farewell. Our crew will organize the transfer to the airport and assist at check-in for onward flights.

