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Sacha Lodge

Delve into the heart of Ecuador's Amazon basin, lodging at one of the best jungle hostelrys on the continent: Sacha Lodge. Sacha practices low impact tourism and is sensitive to the preservation of the local cultures as well as the delicate ecosystems that it strives to share with the ecotourist. The Napo River is the principal tributary of the Amazon River and creates this vast rainforest region east of the Andes Mountains. Experience one of EcoAdventures custom vacations to the Ecuadorian Rainforest.



The thatch-roofed, 130 ft. jungle tower juts above the tallest tree level at Sacha Lodge. Climb the tower's inside stairway to the covered observation platform for a true bird's-eye view of the Ecuadorian rainforest and the seemingly unending sea of green! The tower has been enhanced with a 940 foot canopy walkway. This is only one of the many adventures at Sacha Lodge.

Getting There

Getting there is an adventure, too. First fly 45 minutes from Quito to Francisco de Orellana (Coca for short), an outpost on the edge of the rainforest. From there, travel two-and-a-half hours by boat down the Napo River, hike 30 minutes on an elevated boardwalk and finally canoe 15 minutes across the mirror-like Pilchicocha Lagoon to the lodge.



Accommodations



More than basic necessities are provided at Sacha Lodge: screened cabins complete with forest views, modern bathrooms with hot water and free bottled water. The cuisine incorporates local dishes, tropical fruits and traditional hotel fare, which will satisfy the appetite of any active guest.

Activities

Sacha Lodge is home base for hikes and canoe trips through the surrounding rainforest; bird-watching, botany, entomology, fishing and photography are only a few of the many activities available to you. The Lodge offers dozens of trails of varying lengths, degrees of difficulty and ruggedness, as well as several routes accessible by canoe. In addition, the observation tower enables guests to climb 130 feet into the canopy for an unobstructed view of endless miles of intact rainforest, as well as a close-up view of mammals, plants and dozens of species of birds. You might even see a lemur observing you from the observation tower.



Rates Per Person			
Hotel Selection	Dbl	Sgl	Tpl
4 Days/3 Nights (FRI-MON)	\$899	1345	899
5 Days/4 Nights (MON-FRI)	\$1050	1575	1050

Air add-on Quito/Coca/Quito: \$140.
For travel Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays, for 1-3 pax there is a per person surcharge in each direction: 1 pax \$94; 2 pax \$47; 3 pax \$32.
For travel Sundays there is a **\$275 one-way surcharge** for private canoe transfers for 1-4 pax.
Children under 12: 30% off double rate & 50% off the air.
Rates Include: Your choice of either 4- or 5-Day All-Inclusive package at Sacha Lodge.
Not Included: Transfers to/from Quito Hotel to airport, bottled or alcoholic beverages, park fees, and tips to guides and staff.

Itinerary

Day One: Quito to Sacha Lodge Transfer to the airport for your flight to Coca. You will be met by a representative of Sacha Lodge for the boat transfer to the lodge. Enjoy a welcome drink before a brief lodge orientation. (B, L, D)

Days Two & Three: At Sacha Lodge Days for jungle excursions with ecological and native guides. (B, L, D daily)

Day Four: Sacha Lodge to Quito Morning transfer back to Coca for your return flight to Quito. Transfer to your hotel. (B)