



# PANTANAL dynamic low & high



*On its dynamic cycles of Flooding and Dry Season, the Pantanal presents diversified interests through its different environments of flooding fields and gallery forests that defines it in Low & High, attracting large variety of animals that or look for water or for a shelter of it.*

TOUR	DURATION	CODE	PLACES VISITED
PANTANALDynamic	05 D 04 N	DYN-V	Pantanal Dynamic High/Low

## **D 01 .../ CUIABÁ/ PANTANAL dynamic low**

Pick-up at the CGB airport/hotel and immediate transfer to the traditional town of Poconé with introduction to the geological formation and flora characteristics, then to the lodge, arriving there after a brief safari along the Transpantaneira park-road with many stops to observe its rich fauna. Dinner and night safari through the fields – a night-time drive using a vehicle equipped with a flashlight for highlighting nocturnal fauna, with the chance to observe crab-eating foxes, ocelots, and many caiman's eyes!

## **D 02 PANTANAL dynamic low**

In the morning is a walking through one of the many mound-hills, which attracts a lot of mammals among many birds nests. In the afternoon is a departure through the fields and forests until a beautiful lake, where is done a boat trip, with the possibility of seeing many birds nesting sites, reptiles and mammals, from the top of the panoramic tower, especially nice at the sunset. Return at the dusk, in a chance to see some night behaved animals, such as Armadillos, Foxes and the many Caiman eyes!

## **D 03 PANTANAL dynamic low/ high**

In the morning is a horse riding through the flooding fields. The horse is the most versatile means of transportation, allowing both the crossing of the flood plain and access to the distant forests. The 'Pantaneiro' horse is extremely docile. Other animals are so used to it that they don't perceive the rider on the horse. Return for lunch and departure for a terrestrial safari along the Transpantaneira until another lodge. Arrival in time to do a nice and silent non motorized boat trip, through a river, with variation of environments and the possibility of seeing many flocks of birds – including the rare Agami or Boat-billed heron-, reptiles and mammals such as the Giant-otter, more actives at the sunset. Dinner and overnight.

## **D 04 PANTANAL dynamic high'**

In the morning is a silent boat trip through a river, with varied environments and large possibility of seeing the Giant Otters - the 'wolves of the rivers'. In the afternoon is a horse-back riding through the

savannah and dense forests, where rare species of animals – such as Tapirs - can be seen. Dinner and a night safari, in a different environment, with large possibility of seen Anteaters, Ocelots and, with luck, even a Jaguar!

### D 05 PANTANAL dynamic high/ CUIABÁ

In the morning is a walking through a dense forest which is home to a large variety of animals including rare birds. Return for lunch and immediate departure to the Cuiabá airport or hotel, with drop-off at the convenient time.

### 2013 Prices Net per person in USD - American Dollar - INCLUDE:

.ACCOMMODATION _04N	PANTANAL Dynamic low _02N_Piuval > <i>Pouso Alegre</i> ; Dynamic high _02N_Rio Claro > <i>MT Pantanal</i> ;
.MEALS	12 (Twelve) 04 Breakfasts + 04 Lunches + 04 Dinners <u>Pantanal Walking</u> , boat and canoe trips, horse riding,
.SIGHTSEEING	night & terrestrial safaris.
.GUIDANCE	Assistance of a Portuguese/ English speaking naturalist guide with good knowledge of the Savannah, Amazon and Pantanal nature equipped with binoculars, books and check-lists.
.TRANSPORTATION	<03 pax = Sedan car; <12 pax = Van; <22 pax = Volare. Some journeys/ seasons also demand a 4WD or tractors, jeeps, horse or canoe.
.OBSERVATION	_GROUP SIZE_ Maximum 08 pax per tour guide. _The tour <u>Dynamic Pantanal</u> suggested is the Low at Wet Season and High at Dry Season, or both combined for a wider view of the region and most varied species of wildlife. _The <u>Jaguar seeking</u> program 03 night added would give the chance of seeing the largest cat in Americas. _The <u>Remote Pantanal</u> is done by land only on the climax of the dry season (Jul/Dec). At other seasons, it would need the use of horses, jeeps, tractors or charter flights to reach it and have the opportunity of observing rare animals.
.EXTENSION	_At the <u>Savannah</u> , for relaxing or comprehending the geological formation of the continent is suggested extension to <u>Nobres</u> (snorkel and water springs), <u>Chapada Guimarães</u> (waterfalls and panoramic views), <u>Jaciara</u> (rafting, hot springs and cave paintings). _The <u>Amazon South</u> added would complete the visit to three of the most important biomes in Brazil with one of the richest bio-diversities in the whole rain forest.
.EXTRAS	
.Doesn't include:	Flight tickets. Insurance.

	Beverage (except mineral water on transfers), Laundry, Tips or any personal expenses.
.Payment conditions	_30% as guarantee of booking; _40% with 30 days in advance; _30% with 07 days in advance to the pax arrival.
.Cancellation Fee	60 days or more before tour starts = No cancellation fee; 59 to 30 days before tour starts = 20% cancellation fee; 29 to 10 days before tour starts = 50% cancellation fee; 09 or less days before tour starts = 100% cancellation fee.
.Free staying	01 person sharing a DBL room, for 15 paying pax or more.
.Privacy fee <06 pax	TOTAL (Transfers and Tours private)..... = + 30% HS +15%LS PARTIAL (Transfers shared. Tours private) = + 20% HS +10%LS *Since 06 pax, this Pantanal and Savannah tour is private.
.Children policy (Pantanal & Savannah)	0-5 year olds = free. 6-12 = 65% full price. (01 per couple in a DBL)
* PRICE IS NOT VALID FOR THE (HS) HIGH SEASONS: CHAPADA GUIMARÃES_ Week-ends, December 20 <sup>th</sup> -January 31st, July, Holidays. AMAZON_ New Year eve.	

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