



OUTSTANDING DIVE
EXPERIENCES

Malayeka is a traditional and elegant Indonesian wooden Phinisi, handcrafted by the renowned boatbuilders of Bulukumba, South Sulawesi. Built in 2014 and extensively refurbished in 2026, she combines timeless craftsmanship with modern comforts, advanced navigation systems, and comprehensive safety equipment to provide exceptional liveaboard experiences throughout Indonesia. Designed with divers in mind, Malayeka features a spacious dedicated dive deck, an air-conditioned camera room, comfortable indoor and outdoor social areas, and purpose-built dive facilities for smooth and enjoyable diving operations.

TRANSPORTATION

The recommended flights for your Malayeka expedition will vary depending on your selected itinerary and embarkation/disembarkation port. Detailed flight recommendations for each destination will be provided with your trip confirmation to help you plan your journey.



TRANSFER ARRANGEMENT

Complimentary transfers are included on the official embarkation and disembarkation days.

On embarkation day, the Malayeka team will meet you at the designated airport or your hotel and escort you to the vessel.

At the end of your voyage, our team will arrange your transfer from Malayeka to the designated airport or your hotel, according to your onward travel plans.

To ensure seamless transfer arrangements, please complete and return the Malayeka Guest Information Form with your flight itinerary, accommodation details, and any other requested travel information. Our operations team will coordinate all transfers based on the information provided.

Cruise departing from	Flight Arrival No Later than	Flight Departure Not Before than	Latest check- out time
Raja Ampat – Sorong Airport (SOQ)	11:00 AM	Any time	10:00 AM
Ambon (AMQ), Ternate (TTE), Manado (MDC), Morotai (OTI), Tobelo (KAZ), Kaimana (KNG)	2:00 PM (14:00)	Any time	10:00 AM
Maumere (MOF) – Labuanbajo (LBJ), Alor (ARD)	1:00 PM (13:00)	Any time	10:00 AM
Bima (BMU)	12:00 PM (Noon)	Any time	10:00 AM

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MALAYEKA LIVEABOARD

DECKS & CABINS DESCRIPTION

Malayeka accommodates **14 guests** in **8 comfortable guest cabins**, with a maximum capacity of **16 guests** when both bunk-bed cabins are occupied by two guests. The bunk-bed cabins are also available for **single occupancy at no additional supplement**, subject to availability. The vessel features **6 cabins on the Lower Deck** and **2 balcony cabins on the Upper Deck**.

Sun Deck

The spacious Sun Deck is the perfect place to relax between dives or simply enjoy the beauty of Indonesia's spectacular seascapes. Guests can unwind on comfortable sunbeds or bean bags while taking in panoramic ocean views, spectacular sunsets, and star-filled skies.

Upper Deck

At this level we have:

- Spacious outdoor seating and sunbathing area
- Two private balcony cabins

The Cabins:

- Two adjustable bedding (Double or Twin configuration) Master Suite with Queen size bed with private balcony
- Private bathrooms with hot/cold water shower
- Air Conditioning
- Desk
- Wardrobe
- Large windows

Main Deck

The Main Deck is the social heart of Malayeka, offering inviting spaces for dining, relaxation, and dive preparation.

Facilities include:

- Indoor air-conditioned dining area where freshly prepared meals are served throughout the day.
- Indoor air-conditioned lounge
- A dedicated, air-conditioned camera room equipped with spacious workstations, international power outlets, extension cords, lighting, and fans for charging and maintaining underwater photography equipment.
- A purpose-built dive deck featuring individual dive stations for every guest, allowing equipment to be safely stored and conveniently organized throughout the cruise.

Lower Deck

At this level we have:

- Two Double Cabins
- Two Twin Cabins
- Two Bunk-bed Cabins

All cabins feature:

- Private bathroom with hot/cold shower
- Air conditioning
- Wardrobe
- Storage space
- Reading lights
- Power outlets

The bunk-bed cabins can also be occupied by one guest without a single supplement, subject to availability.

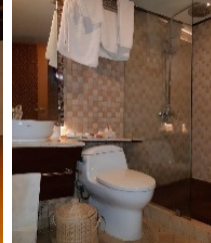
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FACILITIES AND SERVICES



THE RESTAURANT

Enjoy your meals in our air-conditioned indoor dining room area overlooking the sea. Breakfast, lunch and dinner are freshly prepared daily by our onboard chefs and served buffet-style, featuring Indonesian, Asian and international cuisine.

Vegetarian, vegan and special dietary requests can be accommodated with advance notice. Throughout the day, complimentary drinking water, tea, coffee, fresh fruit and snacks are available. Each cruise also includes a barbecue dinner.



Guests are welcome to bring up to 1 litre of duty-free alcohol per person, and no corkage fee will be charged.

OTHER FACILITIES AND SERVICES

- Internet Access: Starlink Wi-Fi is available throughout the cruise. The connection is suitable for emails, messaging, and general web browsing. (Please note that connectivity may vary depending on the vessel's location.)
- Beverages: Drinking water, coffee, tea, and a selection of juices are complimentary throughout the cruise. Soft drinks, local beer, wine, and spirits are available for purchase.

ACTIVITIES

- Scuba Diving
- Snorkelling
- Island Excursions
- Paddle Boarding
- Kayaking

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LOTUS DIVERS @ MALAYEKA LIVEABOARD

Malayeka's professional dive operation follows international diving safety standards, providing personalised service and experienced dive professionals throughout every cruise.

The maximum guide-to-diver ratio is maintained at approximately **1 Dive Guide for every 4 divers**, ensuring a safe and enjoyable underwater experience.

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DIVE CENTER SERVICES AND FACILITIES

- Individual dive stations
- Individual camera rinse tank
- Equipment storage
- Rinse tanks
- Drying facilities
- Camera rinse tank
- BAUER Compressors
- Nitrox Membrane System
- 12L Aluminium tanks (INT & DIN)
- 15L tanks available upon request
- Rental equipment
- Emergency Oxygen
- First Aid Kit
- Safety equipment such as VHF marine radios, GPS, life jackets, first aid kit, DAN
- First-aid Oxygen kits, ENOS Diver Beacon, AED

FACILITIES & SERVICES

- Fresh towels
- Drinking water
- Hot water, tea and coffee
- Fruit
- Homemade snacks
- Spare diving equipment
- Binoculars (on request)

All boats are designed and built for safe and comfortable diving

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TECHNICAL DATA

Dimensions

- Overall length: 41.44 m
- Beam: 9.10 m

Construction

Malayeka is built from traditional ironwood Phinisi built in Bulukumba, South Sulawesi, launched in 2014, and refurbished in 2026.

Engines

1 x 520 HP Mitsubishi Marine Diesel

Cruising Speed

6-10 knots

Generators

- 1 x 125 kVA Mitsubishi
- 2 x 65 kVA Yanmar

Tanks

- Fuel capacity: 15 tons
- Water capacity: 15 tons

Safety Equipment

- 4 x life rafts for total capacity of 60 pax
- 2 x Aluminium tenders with Yamaha 100 HP four-stroke outboard engines
- Smoke detectors, heat rise sensor, CO2 leak sensor and firefighting equipment
- Emergency lighting
- DC Inverter emergency lights in all rooms/decks
- CCTV, various units of Marine GPS & Sonar
- ENOS Diver Beacon Transmitter & Receiver
- Starlink Internet System & Satellite Phone

Desalination Plant

2 x 9 m3 per Day

Cabins

Accommodation for 16 Guests in:

- 4 x double cabins on lower deck incl en-suite bathroom and AC
- 2 x bunkbeds cabins on lower deck incl en-suite bathroom and AC
- 2 x double cabins on upper deck incl en-suite bathroom and AC

Public Areas

- Indoor Restaurant
- Indoor lounge
- Camera room
- Sun Deck
- Dive Deck

Dive Deck

Spacious and designated dive station with individual stations including 2 outdoor showers and 1 public toilet.

Compressors

2 x Bauer PE200 High pressure air compressors +1 x Renner Nitrox Membrane System

Tenders

2.3 x 7 meter aluminium tenders with Yamaha Outboard 100HP four stroke engines