

EXPLORE



THE
BELUGA

GALAPAGOS



**Enchanted
Expeditions**
Ecuador & Galapagos

STYLE.SPEED.COMFORT.

Cruise the Galapagos with style, speed and comfort aboard our superior first-class motor yacht, the Beluga. With panoramic windows in the salon, and vast deck spaces the Beluga provides its guests with breathtaking changing views while relaxing, dining, and socializing. Our friendly and professional crew will ensure that your journey is comfortable, gratifying, and memorable.



THE MOST AUTHENTIC WAY TO TRAVEL

Travelling by yacht is the most authentic way to see the Galapagos Islands. The Beluga offers its passengers with unique experiences, visiting many areas of the archipelago that are only accessible by a live aboard boat. These remote sites allow our passengers to see and experience the wildlife in their natural habitat.

We pride ourselves in providing our passengers with the most knowledgeable, and skillful naturalist guides. Their expertise gives our passengers more insight, awareness and in-depth education of the islands flora and fauna.

Because our boat travels at a faster speed, our passengers are able to spend less time travelling and more time relaxing and admiring the scenery.



A TYPICAL DAY AS AN EXPLORER

Each day passengers awaken in a new part of the islands and disembark shortly after breakfast for morning activities, which include a walk through one of the various visitor sites followed by a snorkelling excursion.

After lunch the boat moves to a new visitor site. During this time guests have the opportunity to rest and look for marine life from one of the decks.

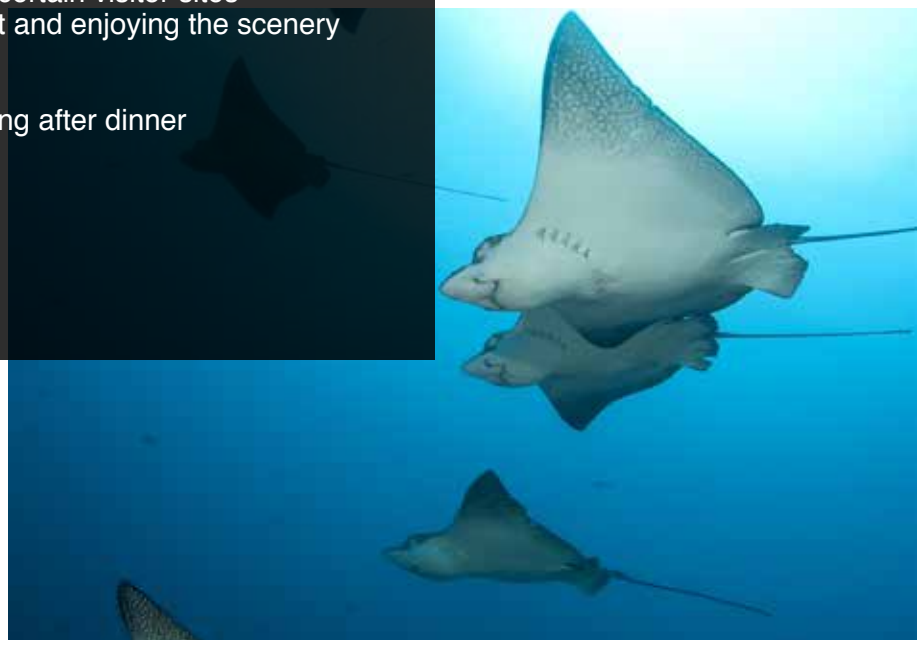
Later in the afternoon passengers disembark for another nature walk, and perhaps another opportunity to snorkel, swim, or kayak.





HIGHLIGHTS

- All excursions led by high level naturalist guide
- 2 different visitor sites per day (morning & afternoon)
- 2 Nature walks on most days
- 1-2 Snorkeling excursions each day
- Opportunities to kayak at certain visitor sites
- Relaxing aboard the yacht and enjoying the scenery and marine life
- All meals and snacks
- Guide briefing each evening after dinner



THE SPECS

Technical Specifications

Fully air conditioned, spacious and comfortable, flat screen TV and DVD system in salon.

Mechanical Equipment

Twin Scania Diesel Electronic engines 450 HP each, 3 Perkins generators for 110v and 220v, 2 reverse osmosis water makers, auto pilot system, sewage treatment plant

Safety Equipment

VHF DSC & HF DSC radios, EPIRB, SART, satellite tracking device, 2 GPS's, AIS vessel tracking, 2 radars, depth sounder, flares, basic first aid kits, 2 tenders with outboards, fin keels for extra stability, flotation rings, life rafts with surplus capacity for all passengers and crew.

Guest Accommodation

8 double cabins each with private bath (H/C water showers) and 110v (220v available in salon), security safes in each cabin.

Crew

All crew are fully trained and certified. Captain, multilingual naturalist guide, cook, 2 engineers, barman and 4 sailors.

Type: Motor Vessel, steel hull.

Category: Premium First Class

Capacity: 16 passengers

Length: 110 ft

Beam: 23 ft

Speed: 12 knots cruising

Cruising range: 1200 nautical miles

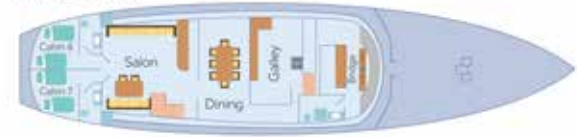
Certified: Smart Voyager, for adhering to conservation standards, SOLAS certified



UPPER DECK



MAIN DECK



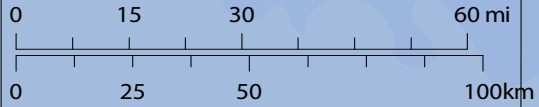
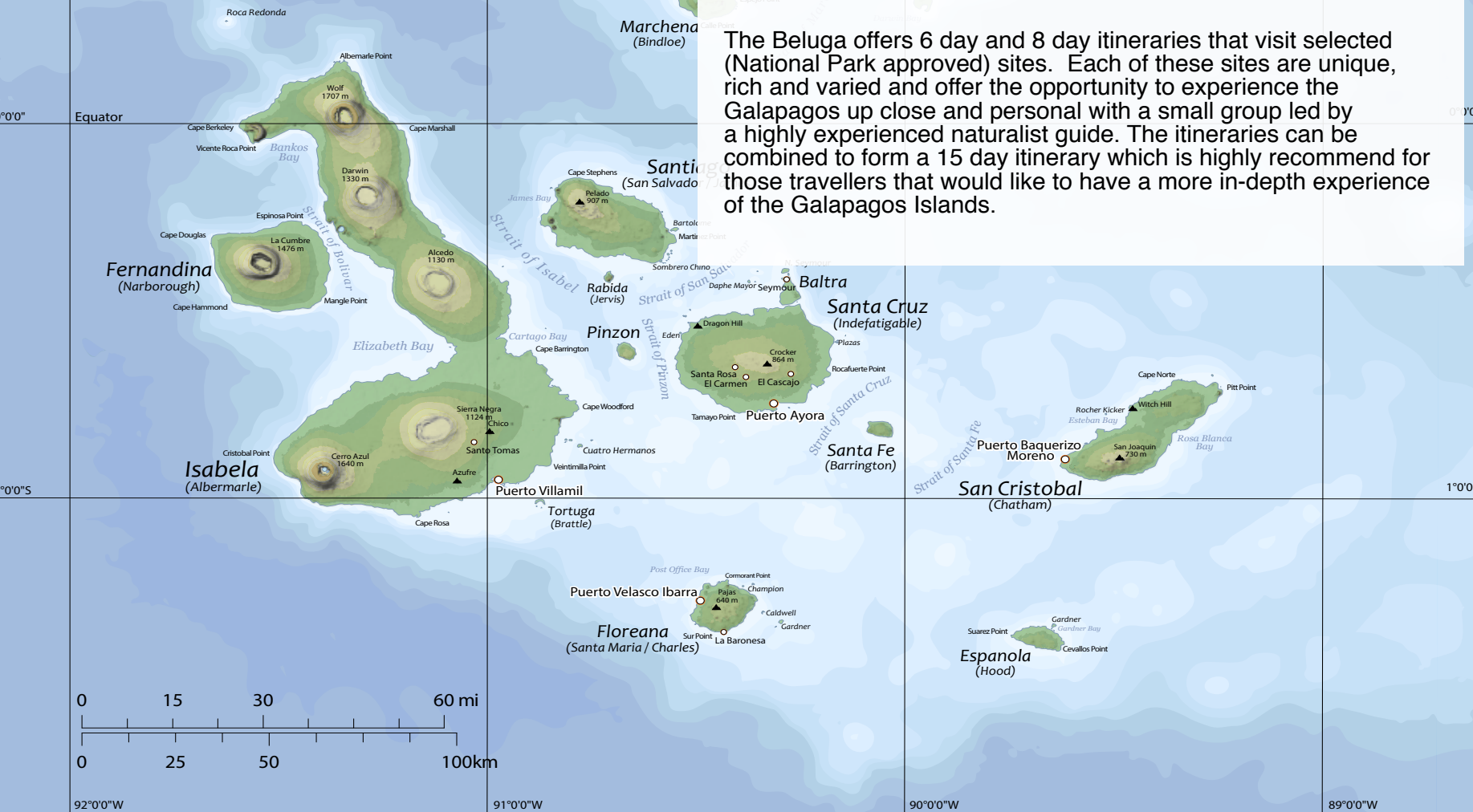
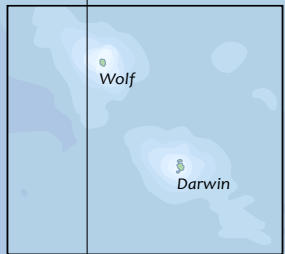
LOWER DECK



ITINERARIES & VISITS



The Beluga offers 6 day and 8 day itineraries that visit selected (National Park approved) sites. Each of these sites are unique, rich and varied and offer the opportunity to experience the Galapagos up close and personal with a small group led by a highly experienced naturalist guide. The itineraries can be combined to form a 15 day itinerary which is highly recommend for those travellers that would like to have a more in-depth experience of the Galapagos Islands.



THE TOWER ITINERARY

Duration: 8 Days / 7 Nights
Start / End: Wednesday / Wednesday
Pick Up / Drop Off: Baltra / Baltra

Day 1 Baltra / Santa Cruz: Highlands & Darwin Station

Day 2 Plazas / Santa Fe

Day 3 San Cristobal: Cerro Brujo, Leon Dormido & El Junco

Day 4 Española: Gardner Bay & Punta Suarez

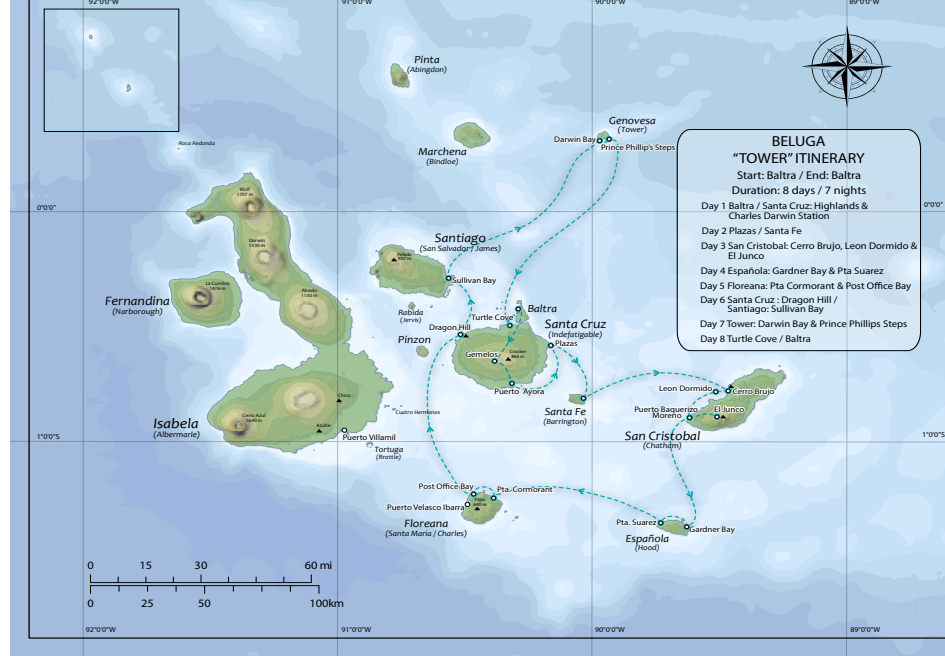
Day 5 Floreana: Punta Cormorant & Post Office Bay






Day 6 Santa Cruz: Dragon Hill / Santiago: Sullivan Bay

Day 7 Tower: Darwin Bay & Prince Phillip's Steps

Day 8 Turtle Cove / Baltra

*This itinerary can be started in San Cristobal on and operated as a 6 day / 5 night itinerary.



-  Land iguanas, marine iguanas, lava lizards, sea lions, fur seals, giant tortoise, Galapagos snake.
-  Golden mustard rays, eels, white tip reef sharks, sea turtles, possible hammerheads, varieties of fish.
-  Waved albatross (March to December), darwin finches, bluefooted/ redfooted/ nazca boobies, swallowtailed gulls, redbilled tropic birds, hood mockingbirds, galapagos dove, galapagos hawk, short eared owl, lava herons
-  Tall opuntia cacti, salt bush, lantana, prickly pear cactus, manzanillo, palo santo, thorn bush, yellow cordia
-  Walking, hiking, snorkeling, swimming, kayaking (certain sites), relaxing

THE FERNANDINA ITINERARY

Duration: 8 Days / 7 Nights

Start / End: Wednesday / Wednesday

Pick Up / Drop Off: Baltra / Baltra

Day 1 Baltra / Santa Cruz: Highlands & Darwin Station

Day 2 Sombrero Chino / Rabida

Day 3 Isabela: Sierra Negra & Puerto Villamil

Day 4 Isabela: Elizabeth Bay & Punta Moreno

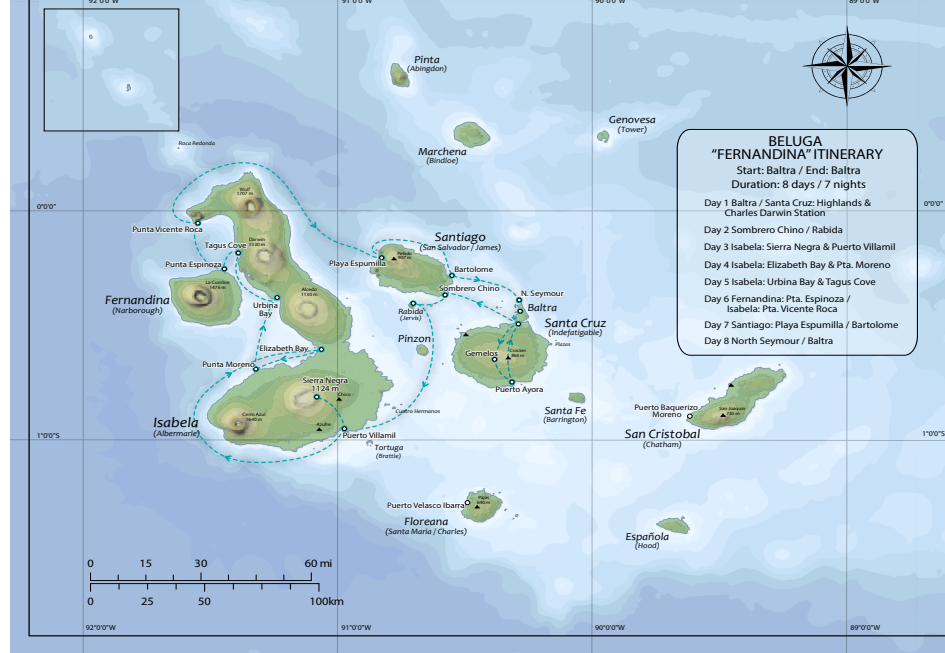
Day 5 Isabela: Urbina Bay & Tagus Cove

Day 6 Fernandina: Pta Espinoza / Isabela: Pta Vicente Roca


Day 7 Santiago: Playa Espumilla & Buccaneers Cove / Bartolome


Day 8 North Seymour / Baltra


*This itinerary can also be started in Pto Villamil on Day 3 and operated as a 6 day / 5 night itinerary




 Land iguanas, marine iguanas, lava lizards, sea lions, giant tortoises, sally lightfoot crabs

 Variety of fish, sea turtles, eels, rays, invertebrates, possible hammerhead sharks, sea urchins, possible sea horses

 Flamingos, penguins, flightless cormorant, brown pelican, Darwin finches, bluefooted boobies, whimbrels, lava gulls, swallowtailed gulls, Galapagos hawk, red-billed tropic birds, common gallinules

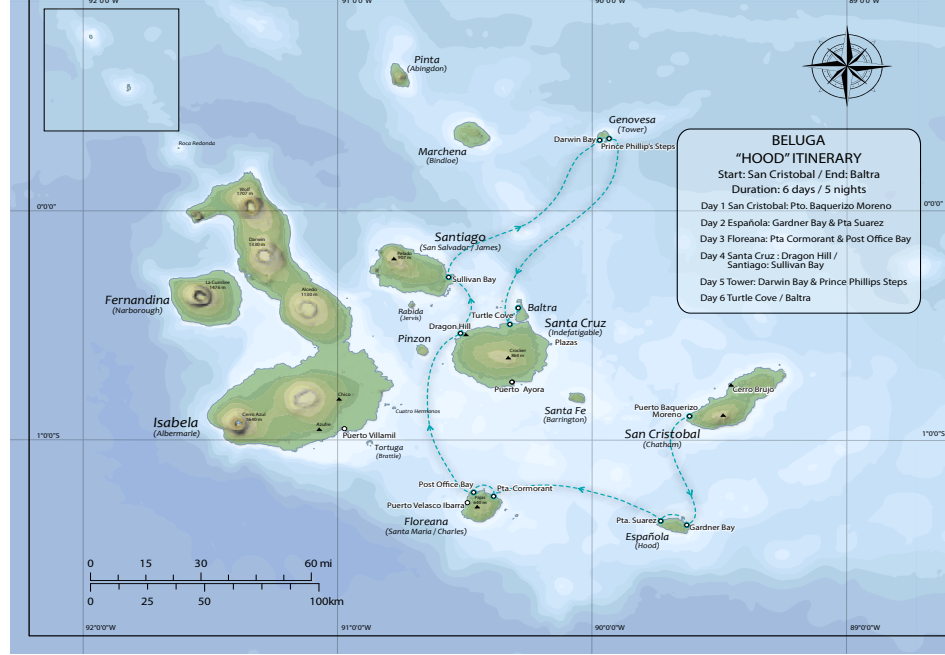
 Salt bush, algodoncillo, jerusalem thorn, castela, lantana, red white and black mangroves, lava cactus, palo santo, manzanillo, yellow cordia, opuntia cactus






 Walking, hiking, snorkeling, swimming, kayaking (certain sites), relaxing

THE HOOD ITINERARY

Duration: 6 Days / 5 Nights
Start / End: Friday / Wednesday
Pick Up / Drop Off: San Cristobal / Baltra

- Day 1** San Cristobal: Pto. Baquerizo Moreno
- Day 2** Española: Gardner Bay & Pta Suarez
- Day 3** Floreana: Pta Cormorant & Post Office Bay
- Day 4** Santa Cruz: Dragon Hill / Santiago: Sullivan Bay
- Day 5** Tower: Darwin Bay & Prince Phillip's Steps
- Day 6** Turtle Cove / Baltra

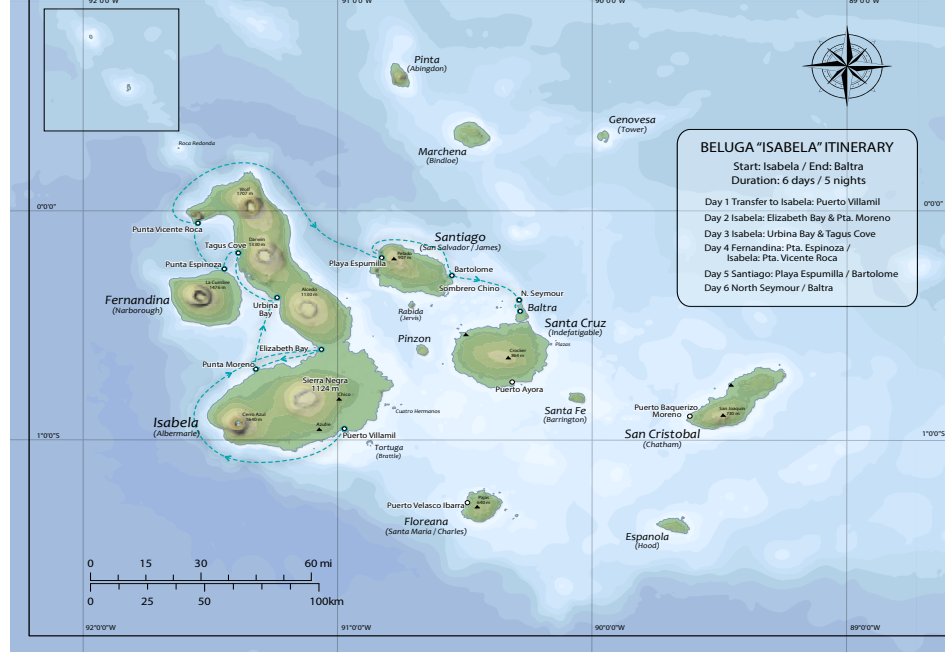


-  Land iguanas, marine iguanas, lava lizards, sea lions, giant tortoises, sea lions
-  Variety of fish, sea turtles, eels, rays, invertebrates, possible hammerhead sharks, sea urchins, possible sea horses
-  waved albatross (March to December), Nazca/ blue footed boobies, swallowtailed gulls, Galapagos hawk, hood mockingbirds
-  Salt bush, algodoncillo, jerusalem thorn, castela, lantana, mangroves, lava cactus, palo santo, manzanillo, yellow cordia, opuntia cactus
-  Walking, hiking, snorkeling, swimming, kayaking (certain sites), relaxing






THE ISABELA ITINERARY

Duration: 6 Days / 5 Nights
Start / End: Friday / Wednesday
Pick Up / Drop Off: Isabela / Baltra

- Day 1** Transfer to Isabela: Puerto Villamil
- Day 2** Isabela: Elizabeth Bay & Pta. Moreno
- Day 3** Isabela: Urbina Bay & Tagus Cove
- Day 4** Fernandina: Pta. Espinoza / Isabela: Pta. Vicente Roca
- Day 5** Santiago: Playa Espumilla & Buccaneers Cove/ Bartolome
- Day 6** North Seymour / Baltra



BELUGA "ISABELA" ITINERARY
 Start: Isabela / End: Baltra
 Duration: 6 days / 5 nights
 Day 1 Transfer to Isabela: Puerto Villamil
 Day 2 Isabela: Elizabeth Bay & Pta. Moreno
 Day 3 Isabela: Urbina Bay & Tagus Cove
 Day 4 Fernandina: Pta. Espinoza / Isabela: Pta. Vicente Roca
 Day 5 Santiago: Playa Espumilla / Bartolome
 Day 6 North Seymour / Baltra

-  Land iguanas, marine iguanas, lava lizards, sea lions, giant tortoises
-  Variety of fish, sea turtles, eels, rays, invertebrates, possible hammerhead sharks, sea urchins, possible sea horses
-  waved albatross (March to December), Nazca/ redfooted boobies, swallowtailed gulls, Galapagos hawk, hood mockingbirds
-  Salt bush, algodoncillo, jerusalem thorn, castela, lantana, mangroves, lava cactus, palo santo, manzanillo, yellow cordia, opuntia cactus
-  Walking, hiking, snorkeling, swimming, kayaking (certain sites), relaxing



THE TOWER & FERNANDINA ITINERARY

Duration: 15 Days / 14 Nights

Start / End: Wednesday / Wednesday

Pick Up / Drop Off: Baltra / Baltra

Day 1 Baltra/Santa Cruz: Highlands & Darwin Station

Day 2 Plazas / Santa Fe

Day 3 San Cristobal: Cerro Brujo, Leon Dormido & El Junco

Day 4 Española: Gardner Bay & Puerto Suarez

Day 5 Floreana: Puerto Cormorant & Post Office Bay

Day 6 Santa Cruz: Dragon Hill / Santiago:Sullivan Bay

Day 7 Tower: Darwin Bay & Prince Phillip's Steps

Day 8 Santa Cruz: Turtle Cove, Highlands & Puerto Ayora

Day 9 Sombrero Chino / Rabida

Day 10 Isabela: Sierra Negra & Puerto Villamil

Day 11 Isabela: Elizabeth Bay & Punta Moreno

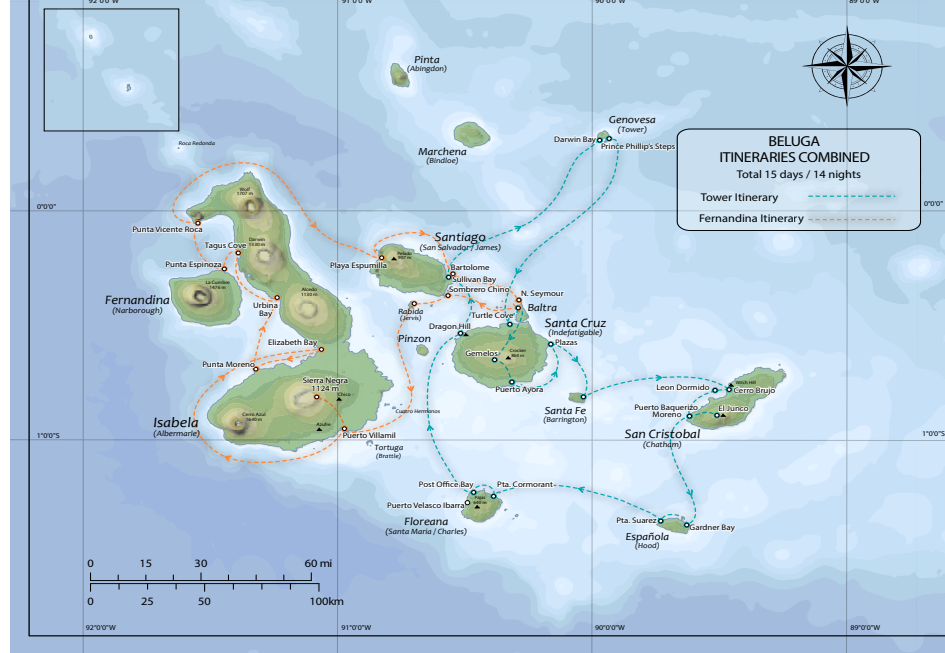
Day 12 Isabela: Urbina Bay & Tagus Cove

Day 13 Fernandina: Pta Espinoza / Isabela: Pta Vicente Roca

Day 14 Santiago: Playa Espumilla, Buccaneers Cove / Bartolome

Day 15 North Seymour / Baltra (end)

Wildlife Highlights as seen in Tower Itinerary and Fernandina Itinerary





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