



SOUTHWILD NATUREZAS

**SouthWild**

Transformative Wildlife Experiences



# THE FABLED BRAZILIAN PANTANAL: A FRONT-ROW SEAT TO WILDLIFE

The Pantanal is one of the world's most biodiverse ecosystems, brimming with extraordinary wildlife. This vast wetland is teeming with large birds, impressive mammals, and the mighty Jaguar, the largest cat in the Americas and third-largest in the world. Jaguar sightings are guaranteed, and "Naturezas" Ship provides the perfect vantage point for experiencing these majestic felines up close.

Whether you're an avid birder, a wildlife photographer, or simply someone seeking to witness nature in its most untamed form, "Naturezas" takes you deep into the heart of this remarkable landscape. This is an immersive journey, offering unparalleled access to the diverse wildlife of the Pantanal, with a front-row seat to the region's spectacular natural world.





# THE SHIP: A BLEND OF COMFORT AND EXCLUSIVITY

“Naturezas” is an 85-foot-long, purpose-built vessel designed to enhance your wildlife experience with a focus on Jaguar observation. Anchored in the prime Jaguar-viewing locations of Brazil’s North Pantanal, the ship’s intimate design ensures a peaceful and immersive adventure, with no more than 12 guests on board at any time. This limited capacity allows for highly-personalized service, creating a serene environment where you can fully engage with the wonders of the Pantanal.

The ship features five 15-square-meter (161-square-foot) suites and two 9-square-meter economy rooms. The suites offer either two twin beds or a queen bed.

A standout feature of the suites is a unique innovation in ventilation. Each suite includes large, screened windows at opposite ends, thus allowing cool, flow-through breezes that can be augmented by a silent exhaust fan in the bathroom, which actively draws fresh night air in through the bedroom windows. No other ship in the Pantanal has this unique feature.

In addition to the five suites, “Naturezas” offers two smaller economy rooms for one or two guests. One of these economy rooms is wheelchair accessible, and these economy rooms also have an exhaust fan in the bathroom to pull night air into the room. Of course, all seven guest bedrooms also offer excellent split air conditioning.





# THOUGHTFUL DESIGN AND VIEWS

The heart of “Naturezas” is the expansive “Great Room,” a mostly-glass dining and lounge area offering panoramic views of the lush Pantanal landscape. This serene space serves as the perfect place to relax, dine, or attend insightful wildlife lectures while observing the diverse fauna of the region. Minibars and cable TV are available in the five suites, ensuring a comfortable and well-appointed stay.

The top deck is a wonderful space for birding, sunbathing, or simply unwinding while taking in the stunning surroundings. Shaded areas provide a comfortable setting to enjoy the view, and the wet bar offers a refreshing spot to enjoy drinks while gazing at the verdant, bird-rich riverbank vegetation of the Pantanal.

# ADVANCED FEATURES AND SUSTAINABILITY

“Naturezas” is built to the highest safety standards, equipped with modern navigation systems and advanced fire prevention technologies. The ship also uses state-of-the-art water and wastewater treatment systems to eliminate any environmental impact, ensuring that your experience is simultaneously comfortable, responsible, and sustainable.







## *THE PANTANAL'S WILDLIFE HIGHLIGHTS:*

The northern Pantanal is the best place to encounter South America's iconic large animals, and “Naturezas” ship takes you deep into this wild realm. On your journey, you will spot:

- Jaguars: The apex predator of the Pantanal, prowling the riverbanks and forests.
- Giant Otters: group-living, powerful, mortal enemies of the Jaguar.
- Capybaras: The world's largest rodent, often seen in very cute family groups grazing on the riverbank.
- Paraguayan Caimans
- Hyacinth Macaws, Toco Toucans, and Jabiru Storks.
- You also might spot other delightful denizens of the Pantanal, including Brazilian Tapirs, Marsh Deer, Black-and-Gold Howler Monkeys, Brown Capuchins, Giant Anteaters, Crab-eating Foxes, South American Coatis, and Yellow Anacondas.





## *THE PANTANAL'S WILDLIFE HIGHLIGHTS:*

For birders, the Pantanal is paradise, with 405 bird species, 82 of which weigh more than a pound, the world's longest list of "large birds", and many of these large birds are visible right next to your boat. The avian wonders of the Pantanal include:

- Greater Rhea and Southern Screamer, the majestic Jabiru Stork, two species of toucans, four species of ibises, Savanna Hawk, Black-collared Hawk, and Red-legged Seriema.
- Hyacinth Macaws, Yellow-collared Macaws, two species of Amazon parrots, and other iconic species of parrots.
- Five species of kingfishers, six species of herons and egrets, and a variety of other waterbirds, creating unforgettable avian spectacles.

Of the 405 bird species of the Pantanal, 174 are quite easy to see without much effort, while the remaining 231 hide in the forest canopy, thick bushes and tall grass and therefore require considerable effort and patience to dig out one by one. Fortunately, the canopy is not very tall, so you do not end up with "birder's neck" like when scouring the tops of the tall trees in the Amazon.



# EXCELLENCE IN ITINERARY DESIGN, OPTIMIZING YOUR TIME

This contemporary-design ship provides an ultra-exclusive and immersive experience, with a focus on **Jaguar observation** and **birdwatching**.

The ship's specially designed **Jaguar observation boats**, which offer access to the Pantanal's remote and tranquil waterways, providing a unique vantage point for wildlife watching. These large, stable boats allow for close-up encounters with the region's wildlife, offering the perfect platform for spotting Jaguars, Capybaras, Paraguayan Caimans, Giant Otters, and a wide variety of birds.



# THE ULTIMATE JAGUAR-WATCHING EXPERIENCE

At “Naturezas”, we offer a unique opportunity to witness Jaguars in their natural habitat. Your itinerary includes:

- **Full Board:** Enormous, buffet-style meals for breakfast, lunch, and dinner.
- **Boat Transfers:** Comfortable transfers between SouthWild's Porto Jofre Pantanal and “Naturezas”.
- **Jaguar Observation:** Two 4-hour boat outings per day, exploring the prime Jaguar territories of Jaguarland.
- **Comfortable Boats:** Equipped with seats with extra-thick cushions and two-way radios for more comfortable viewing and communication.
- **Expert Naturalist:** An onboard naturalist who will analyze your photos for inclusion in SouthWild's 20-year-old Jaguar Dossier and provide in-depth lectures on Pantanal wildlife.
- **24-Hour Wifi:** Stay connected even in the heart of the wilderness.
- **Snacks & Refreshments:** Fresh fruit, cookies, and unlimited drinking water available at all times.

## NOT INCLUDED:

- Ground transfers to and from Cuiabá or lodges on the Transpantaneira Road.
- English-speaking naturalist guides.
- Beverages (other than water), wine, beer, cocktails, and spirits.
- Private transportation.
- Laundry services, but often we can provide this for a fee.
- Meals not specified in the package.
- Insurance, tips, and other personal expenses.

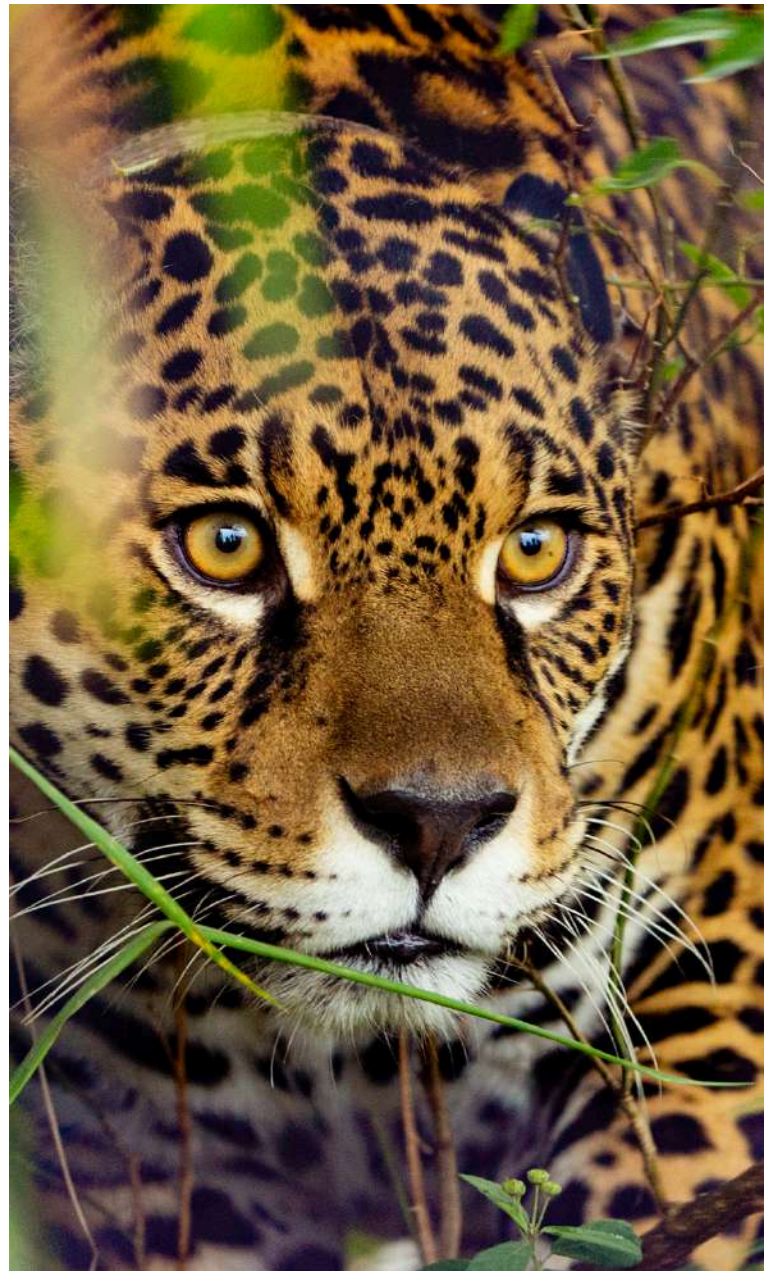




# IN A WILD STATE OF MIND

When you step aboard “Naturezas”, you’re not just visiting a destination—you’re immersing yourself in the raw beauty of the Pantanal. Every moment brings you closer to the natural world, from encountering magnificent Jaguars to witnessing the dynamic wildlife of the wetlands. With “Naturezas”, you’re not just a spectator—you’re a part of the wild.

Join us for an unforgettable Jaguar-watching experience, deep in the heart of the Pantanal. Reserve your place today for an unparalleled adventure in one of the world’s most spectacular ecosystems.







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