

Manaus, Brazil

A thousand miles up the Amazon — a rubber-boom metropolis in the heart of the rainforest, where a grand opera house rises from the jungle and two great rivers run side by side without mixing.

 Docked (floating port)  Typical call: 10–12 hrs  Brazilian Real (BRL)  Portuguese · limited English

MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date:	Arrive:	All aboard:
Excursion:	Notes:	

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Floating port

Walk to center: 5–10 min

Best For: Amazon · Wildlife

Don't Miss: Meeting of the Waters

 Getting around:  Taxi  R\$10–R\$18 (~US\$2–4) ·  Rideshare  Uber, 99

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Meeting of the Waters** — Watch the inky Rio Negro and the sandy Rio Solimões run side by side for kilometers without mixing — a natural wonder...
- **Amazon Jungle & Wildlife Cruise** — Navigate igarapés (jungle creeks) and flooded forest by small boat, spotting pink river dolphins, sloths, monkeys, and...
- **Teatro Amazonas Opera House** — The opulent rubber-boom opera house (1896), with its tiled dome and European chandeliers — a surreal monument to...
- **Pink River Dolphin Encounter** — A boat trip to a calm tributary to see (and sometimes swim with) the Amazon's famous pink dolphins, often combined with...

BEST WALKS

- **Historic center & opera house** ~2 km · 1.5 hrs · easy — From the floating port up to the Teatro Amazonas on its mosaic plaza, past the Igreja de São Sebastião and the colonial-era Palacete...
- **Mercado Adolpho Lisboa** ~1 km · 1 hr · easy — A riverside market hall modeled on Les Halles in Paris, brimming with Amazonian fruit, fish, and crafts — a vivid, authentic stop near...
- **Praça da Matriz & cathedral** ~1 km · 45 min · easy — The central square and the Manaus cathedral, the civic heart of the rubber-boom city, a few blocks up from the port.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)				DAYLIGHT & MONEY	
Mon	High	Low	Rain	Apr 5:59AM–6:00PM · Jun 6:02AM–5:58PM · Aug 6:04AM–6:04PM · Sep 5:52AM–5:57PM · Oct 5:40AM–5:50PM	
Apr	84°	76°	27d		
Jun	85°	75°	19d		
Aug	90°	77°	9d		
Sep	91°	78°	11d		
Oct	90°	78°	15d		

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Hydrate relentlessly. Manaus is equatorial — extreme heat and humidity. Carry water, wear a hat, and pace yourself, especially on jungle outings.
- Do a boat excursion. The Meeting of the Waters and the jungle creeks are the reason you're here — far more rewarding than staying in the city.

Manaus, Brazil — Port Map

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Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



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| 1 Amazonas Theater | Historic opera house, a symbol of rubber boom wealth. | 2 Parque Municipal do Mindu | Urban park protecting the endangered pied tamarin monkey. |
| 3 Museu Do Homem Do Norte | Museum showcasing Amazonian human history and regional culture. | 4 Port of Manaus | Bustling port, gateway to the Amazon River and city. |
| 5 Parque Senador Jefferson Péres | Riverside park with fountains, gardens, and walking paths. | 6 Praça da Polícia (Praça Heliodoro Balbi) | Historic square featuring monuments and a police museum. |
| 7 Galeria do Largo | Art gallery showcasing contemporary Amazonian and Brazilian artists. | 8 Museu da Casa Eduardo Ribeiro | Former governor's residence, now a historical house museum. |
| P Cruise port / terminal | | | |