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## AMAZON EXPEDITION PACKING LIST

NOTE: Please consider everything on this list as mandatory

### IMPORTANT NOTES:

- GRATUITIES MUST BE IN BRAZILIAN R\$ REALS. Order currency from your bank 30 days in advance of your trip.
- 30 POUND WEIGHT LIMIT. Strict. This is your total weight (carry-on, duty free, rod cases, everything).
- Be encouraged, you do not need to pack a lot for this trip. Remember that we provide daily laundry services. By renting our All-Inclusive Gear Package, many of our return guests can fit everything they need into a backpack, that's it!
- NO LARGE SUITCASES. Small to medium sized luggage is required for the floatplane.
- ROD/REEL CASES like Fishpond's Dakota or Orvis' Carry-it-all continue to be guest favorites. This will be a checked bag.
- PRO TIP: Pack 2 identical small soft sided suitcases (NO HARD SIDE LUGGAGE), check one and carry-on the second. Make sure to have your essentials and medications packed in your carry-on.

### TRAVEL

- \_\_\_\_ **PASSPORT** Must have 2 blank pages, at least 6 months before expiring
- \_\_\_\_ **BRAZILIAN VISA** ([www.nomadicwaters.com/brazilian-visa](http://www.nomadicwaters.com/brazilian-visa))
- \_\_\_\_ **PAPER COLOR COPIES OF YOUR PASSPORT AND VISA PACKED SEPARATELY**
- \_\_\_\_ **TYPE N ELECTRICAL ADAPTOR** for your time in Manaus. Pro tip: a small power strip with a surge protector is smart to have as power fluctuations are common.
- \_\_\_\_ **DOWNLOAD AND ACTIVATE WHATSAPP** on your smartphone for communication with Nomadic Waters and family during your trip.

### CLOTHING

Note: NOMAD hoodies and hats will be available on site

- \_\_\_\_ (3) **LONG SLEEVED TROPICAL FISHING SHIRTS**
- \_\_\_\_ (2) **LUCKY FISHING HATS**
- \_\_\_\_ (2) **BUFFS OR SUN MASKS**
- \_\_\_\_ (2-3) **QUICK DRY PANTS/SHORTS**. No jeans please.
- \_\_\_\_ **LIGHTWEIGHT BREATHABLE RAIN JACKET**. Our favorite is Patagonia's Torrentshell jacket. Rain pants are a smart option if you have the room.
- \_\_\_\_ (2) **T-shirts** are fine for cocktails and dinner, and relaxing après fishing
- \_\_\_\_ **CASTING GLOVES** or **BUFF FINGER GUARDS**, very important for fly anglers
- \_\_\_\_ **HEAD NET/BUG NET**
- \_\_\_\_ **FLIP FLOPS** or **LIGHT WEIGHT BOAT SHOES**. We all live in flip flops here.

### MISC

- \_\_\_\_ **ADVIL, IBUPROFIN, or ASPIRIN** etc.
- \_\_\_\_ **PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS**, in zip lock bag and packed in your carry-on
- \_\_\_\_ **LIP BALM & SUNSCREEN**, 30 to 50 spf (difficult to find in Brazil)
- \_\_\_\_ **ELECTROLYTE REPLENISHER** like NUUN Hydration tablets. Drink 1 per day.

**Note: shampoo and soap will be provided on-site.**

### GEAR

- \_\_\_\_ **PERSONAL WATER BOTTLE**, mandatory
- \_\_\_\_ **SMALL FLASHLIGHT or HEADLAMP**
- \_\_\_\_ **BOAT BAG/GEAR BAG**, waterproof
- \_\_\_\_ **HIGH QUALITY POLARIZED SUNGLASSES**. Bring a spare pair. We prefer an Amber lens for our waters.
- \_\_\_\_ **HIGH QUALITY PLIERS, SNIPS, or SCISSORS** (check these on)

**NOTE:** Save time, weight, and money by purchasing our All-Inclusive Package! Complete tackle recommendations are found in our Learning Center ([www.nomadicwaters.com/peacock-bass-learning-center](http://www.nomadicwaters.com/peacock-bass-learning-center)), the password is 7kilo.

### IN YOUR FISHING BAG

- \_\_\_\_ **WATERPROOF FINGER TAPE**. Nexcare is great.
- \_\_\_\_ **SMALL PERSONAL FIRST AID KIT**
- \_\_\_\_ **INSECT REPELLANT**. Non-deet eucalyptus is best
- \_\_\_\_ **SMALL ROLL OF TOILET PAPER**
- \_\_\_\_ **BANDANA**
- \_\_\_\_ **FLY LINE CLEANER**, we like LOON Line Speed

### OPTIONAL, BUT NICE TO HAVE

- \_\_\_\_ **EAR PLUGS** are great for the charter flight and for your snoring roommate.
- \_\_\_\_ **SMARTPHONE TRANSLATION APP** with Brazilian Portuguese downloaded. We live by Google Translate.
- \_\_\_\_ **YETI TUMBLER** will keep your afternoon cocktails cold.
- \_\_\_\_ **MICROPUFF JACKET**. Your return flight will feel FREEZING COLD. All Brazilians on this flight will be wearing coats.