

Galápagos Domestic Flights

Master Liveboards' Galápagos itineraries embark and disembark at San Cristóbal. Domestic flights to San Cristóbal Airport (SCY) operate daily from Quito (UIO) via Guayaquil (GYE).

As flight delays and schedule changes are common between the Galápagos Islands and mainland Ecuador, ***we strongly recommend booking an extra night's hotel accommodation in Quito or Guayaquil*** to avoid missing your international departure if your post-cruise domestic flight is changed.

We work with a local supplier for reservations on LATAM flights and have a seat allocation held for our guests with preferential prices and extra luggage allowances on flights that fit with each itinerary's embarkation and disembarkation dates and times.

We recommend you authorise us to reserve your seats when confirming your liveboard booking to ensure availability and take advantage of our fixed preferential rates. We will invoice you for the flights when you ask us to reserve them, but you will not need to pay for them until the final balance of your liveboard booking is due.

Allocated seats not confirmed 30 days before departure will be released back to the airline for general sale. We therefore can not guarantee availability of seats after that.

Tickets will be issued no earlier than 14 days before the inbound flight departure.

Please note that flight numbers and times indicated below are subject to change and will be confirmed at the time of booking.

7 night itineraries

Direction	Day from/to	Flight No.	Departing	Time	Arrival	Time
Inbound	Monday to Monday	LA1419	Quito	10:34	San Cristóbal	13:04
			Guayaquil	12:16		
Outbound	Monday to Monday	LA1418	San Cristóbal	13:46	Guayaquil	16:32
					Quito	18:10

10 night itineraries

Direction	Day from/to	Flight No.	Departing	Time	Arrival	Time
Inbound	Monday to Thursday	LA1419	Quito	10:34	San Cristóbal	13:04
			Guayaquil	12:16		
Outbound		LA1418	San Cristóbal	13:09	Quito	17:25
					Guayaquil	15:55
Inbound	Thursday to Sunday	LA1419	Quito	10:06	San Cristóbal	12:27
			Guayaquil	11:39		
Outbound		LA1418	San Cristóbal	10:43	Quito	15:01
					Guayaquil	13:29

Pricing & Inclusions

2025 round-trip fare is 650 USD per person on flights between Quito or Guayaquil and San Cristóbal that correspond with embarkation and disembarkation dates and times only. For **2026 departures, the price is 670 USD** per person.

This price is for the allocated seats we have held on embarkation and disembarkation day flights which must be confirmed no later than 30 days before departure, and include the following:

- 2 x checked-baggage items (max. 23 kg each)
- One carry-on bag (maximum 10 kg) and a small personal item.

Flight prices, times and luggage allowances for bookings made less than 30 days before departure are subject to seat availability.

PLEASE NOTE: Flight schedules, availability and prices can change at short notice which, unfortunately, is beyond our control. *Should the price increase, you will need to pay the additional cost.*

We can also book flights on different dates for guests who wish to extend their time in the Galápagos Islands. Prices depend on availability; please ask our reservations team for details.

Galápagos Transit Control Card (TCT)

A Transit Control Card is required for travel from mainland Ecuador to the Galápagos Islands. This card helps the Galápagos authorities monitor the number of visitors and ensure sustainable tourism. Before you check in for your domestic flight, you must obtain a Transit Control Card from the INGALA booth at Quito or Guayaquil Airport.

There is a 20 USD fee for the TCT card, which is **not included in the flight price** and is payable in cash only.

Airport Assistance

We can arrange airport assistance at Quito or Guayaquil Airport for an additional charge. This service includes:

- Check-in Assistance
- Assistance obtaining your TCT card* before flight check-in.
- Our representative will meet guests by the entrance to domestic departures at Quito or Guayaquil Airport holding a Master Liveaboard sign.

****PLEASE NOTE: TCT / INGALA Transit Control Card is not included in the airport assistance charge.***

The cost of the TCT card is 20 USD per person, **payable in cash only** at the INGALA booth at Quito or Guayaquil Airport.

Airport Assistance can only be provided for guests who have booked flights through Master Liveaboards.

Should you choose to make your own arrangements, please be aware that you will need to queue for your transit control card, which can be a slow and time-consuming process.