

BRAZIL OKTOBERFEST TOUR BLUMENAU



Samba Waterfalls & Oktoberfest

10 DAYS / 9 NIGHTS

Tilt back your beerstein for a hearty "Prost!" on this fantastic Brazil Oktoberfest Tour. Combining the highlights of the Iguazu Falls, Rio de Janeiro, and the Atlantic Rainforest, this "special edition" Brazil tour also includes the lively Brazil Oktoberfest celebrations in Blumenau, known as the largest Oktoberfest celebration outside of Munich. Explore Brazil & Argentina while also enjoying one of the most fun and heart-warming celebrations, where German immigrants to Brazil celebrate their heritage with a stein - or two - of a good draught.

We highly recommend you to take a 2-days pre-extension to Buenos Aires, so that you can get a taste of the Argentine capital and South America's east coast.

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**GET CUSTOM
PRICING**
per person

THIS TOUR INCLUDES:

- 9 nights in hotels
- 5 Dinners
- All Breakfasts
- All Transfers & flights and entrances fees
- Professional English-speaking tour guides

HIGHLIGHTS

- Brazilian and Argentine sides of Iguazu Falls
- Oktoberfest in Blumenau, Brazil
- Train Ride through the Atlantic Rainforest
- São Paulo City Tour
- Rio de Janeiro City Tour

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Day 1

ARRIVE IN IGUAZU FALLS

October 15th

Start your adventure by staying close to the spectacular Iguazu Falls. Upon arrival at the airport, your guide will greet you and take you to your comfortable hotel. Settle in and go for a refreshing dip in the swimming pool or just relax at your hotel. Feast on a Brazilian dinner tonight (included).



Day 2

IGUAZU FALLS TOUR

October 16th

Visit Iguazu Falls from both Argentina and Brazil on a full-day excursion. Cross into Argentina for a walk above the Falls, more extensive and powerful than Niagara Falls. For a different perspective, take the Gran Aventura boat cruise underneath the cascading torrents to see them in greater detail and feel the spray of the water. Then head to the Brazilian side and walk out onto an elevated platform to view the mighty *garganta do diabo* or “Devil’s Throat.”



Day 3

OKTOBERFEST IN BLUMENAU

October 17th

Head to the heart of German colonization in the 19th century, the hillside town of Blumenau. German heritage is evident in the architecture, food and festivals of the area, including the popular Oktoberfest every spring. The residents of Blumenau roll out their best kegs of beer and dust off their lederhosen to get into the spirit. Known as one of the largest Oktoberfest celebrations outside Munich, it’s a major attraction for fans of German culture or those that simply enjoy a pint or two. Dine on some traditional *Deutsch*cuisine and stay at a conveniently-located hotel close to all the action



Day 4

OKTOBERFEST PARADE

October 18th

See the highlights of historical Blumenau with your expert tour guide who will also explain how Oktoberfest began here. In 1880, a wave of German and Austrian immigrants decided to settle in the area, pioneering further growth. After the tour, join in with the crowds to watch the Oktoberfest parade that often features musicians from Munich and children dancing to traditional songs. Don’t miss the chance to sample a range of German beers and tasty bratwurst.



Day 5 **CURITIBA**

October 19th

Travel through the diverse landscapes of the region on your way to Curitiba. Journey through the dense Atlantic Rainforest, flat farmland, subtropical forest and Araucária trees. Once in Curitiba, check-in to your hotel. Named the best-organized city in South America and is considered a model of urban planning for many Western countries. A veritable melting-pot, it has welcomed a variety of immigrants of Dutch, Polish, German, Italian, Ukrainian, Arab and Japanese origin. Tonight's dinner (included) offers a taste of the region's mix of cultures and cuisines.



Day 6 **CURITIBA & ATLANTIC RAINFOREST TRAIN RIDE**

October 20th

Take a city tour of Curitiba's highlights today. Visit the stately Glass Opera House and continue to the coast for a stroll along the historic promenade of the Port of Antonina. After lunch, board the scenic historic railway as it winds its way up to 1200m above sea level through the Atlantic Rainforest mountains and back to Curitiba.



Day 7 **SÃO PAULO**

October 21st

Today, board a plane to São Paulo, the world's third largest city and South America's industrial center. Go on a guided tour to discover the major sights and landmarks such as the Liberdade Japanese district, the Sé Cathedral, Patio do Colégio, Paulista Avenue and the financial district of São Paulo featuring beautiful Art-Deco architecture.



Day 8

TRANSFER TO RIO DE JANEIRO

October 22nd

Arrive in Rio de Janeiro, the culturally eclectic *cidade maravilhosa*. Your Brazilian guide will greet you and take you to your oceanfront hotel on Copacabana Beach. Enjoy the afternoon on the world's most famous beach or go for a swim in the rooftop pool. In the evening, be treated to a complimentary *caipirinha* cocktail as well as a *rodizio*, an all-you-can-eat Brazilian barbecue dinner.



Day 9

RIO DE JANEIRO

October 23rd

Enjoy a Rio de Janeiro tour today, starting with a trip to Sugarloaf Mountain. The summit offers a panoramic view of Guanabara Bay, the city sprawl and its gorgeous coastline. In the afternoon, take advantage of some free time to explore the city or head to the beach and dive into the ocean to cool off.



Day 10

RIO DE JANEIRO AND FLIGHT BACK HOME

October 24th

Finish your incredible Brazil and Argentina Oktoberfest adventure with another half-day sightseeing tour in Rio de Janeiro. Ride the *trenzinho* cogwheel railway to the top of Corcovado Mountain where the Christ the Redeemer statue stands with arms outstretched over the city. Admire the sweeping vistas of Rio de Janeiro one last time. In the afternoon or evening, your guide will escort you to the airport for your flight home.