

TOUR TAMBO COLORADO

HISTORY. CULTURE. ADVENTURE AND MUCH MORE

"Discover the coastal masterpiece of the Inca
Empire with our TOUR TAMBO COLORADO. Built
around 1450 near the Pisco River, this adobe
marvel stands as one of the finest Inca
constructions on Peru's coast. Was it a fortress,
a storehouse, or a checkpoint? Unravel the
mysteries of this ancient site, where mud bricks
tell stories of Inca ingenuity and their control
over the Andes trade routes. Join us and step
into a vibrant chapter of Peru's history"



ABOUT

Tour Tambo Colorado

"DISCOVER THE ORIGINS OF TAMBO COLORADO"

Step into history at Tambo Colorado, a remarkable site built during the heydays of the Inca empire. Named for its vibrant red "colorado" walls, this coastal marvel was a key hub for trade and control between the Andes and the coast. Unlike the stonework of the highlands, its adobe walls, once painted in red, yellow, and white showcase Inca ingenuity.



"Tambo Colorado: A Window into the Inca Coastal Expansion"

As the Inca Empire expanded around 1450, they conquered coastal tribes, integrating them into their vast domain. The Peruvian coast, rich in resources, became a strategic region. Tambo Colorado, near the Pisco River, exemplifies their ingenuity—a control point and resting place for the Inca army and officials traveling between the Andes and the coast.



"A Place of Rest, Storage, and Strategic Genius"

Tambo Colorado was more than just a building—it was a vital part of the Inca Empire's infrastructure. Positioned along the Qhapaq Ñan, it served as a rest stop for chasquis (Inca messengers), officials, soldiers, and high-ranking travelers. These tambos were also crucial storage hubs, safeguarding food, weapons, and supplies for emergencies.



"The Inca Empire: Builders of a Vast Civilization"

Imagine an empire stretching from Ecuador to Chile, rivaling the Romans in size and ingenuity—that was the Inca Empire. Through diplomacy and military campaigns, the Incas united diverse cultures under their banner. Their economy thrived on terrace farming and communal labor, while soldiers marched vast roads and priests offered gold-laden rituals to the Sun God.



EXPLORE THE BEST OF SOUTHERN PERU

TOUR TAMBO COLORADO



Inca Tambo at the Pisco Valley

TOUR DESCRIPTION

At 10:30 am, your local guide will meet you at your hotel in Paracas. After a brief introduction, we'll embark on an exciting journey to Tambo Colorado in a private car.

This archaeological treasure lies approximately 50 kilometers from Paracas Bay, nestled in the scenic Pisco River valley.

To reach Tambo Colorado, we'll drive along the Pan-American Highway, a major route that connects Peru's diverse landscapes. After a short while, we'll take a turn east and follow a paved road leading toward the Andes.

This part of the drive is particularly captivating, as it runs parallel to the Pisco River, offering picturesque views of the riverbanks and the surrounding arid terrain.

The journey takes about an hour, giving you plenty of time to enjoy the changing scenery and learn more about the history of the region from your guide.

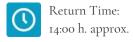
Upon arrival at Tambo Colorado, you'll immediately notice the site's vibrant adobe walls, which are a defining feature of this coastal Inca marvel.



Starting Point Your hotel in Paracas.



Departure Time:



PRICE \$69 per person

"Explore the Best-Preserved Inca Site on Peru's Coast – A Journey Through History and Mystery"

Once at the site, your guide will lead you through the most significant areas of Tambo Colorado. You'll explore its ceremonial plazas, administrative chambers, and residential quarters, each showcasing the ingenuity of Inca architecture. Your guide will share fascinating stories about how this site functioned as a crucial administrative and military hub during the Inca Empire's expansion. You'll also learn about its strategic location, connecting the Andes and the coast, and its role in facilitating communication and control within the empire.

Walking through Tambo Colorado, you'll see remnants of red, yellow, and white pigments on the adobe walls, a unique feature that sets this site apart from other Inca ruins.

These colors not only give the site its name but also reflect the cultural and artistic values of the Inca civilization.

As you explore, your guide will provide insights into the significance of these vibrant hues and their connection to Inca religious and political symbolism.

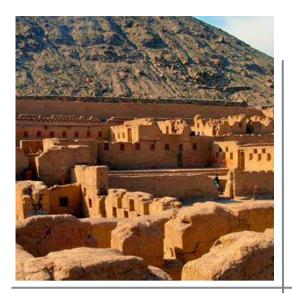
After an engaging tour of Tambo Colorado, we'll begin the return journey to Paracas. The drive back offers another chance to enjoy the scenic views and reflect on the rich history you've just experienced. Once we arrive in Paracas, you'll be dropped off at your hotel, marking the end of this unforgettable excursion.

Inclusions:

- Professional Guide with expertise in local history and culture.
- Private Transportation: Comfortable, air-conditioned vehicle.
- Entry Fees: Admission to Tambo Colorado.
- Hotel Pickup and Drop-off.

Exclusions:

• Meals, extras & Gratitudes.



The Allure of Travel:

Personalized Cultural Tour with Local Expert

Private & Personalized.

Enjoy a private tour tailored to your schedule, with door-to-door service and an English-speaking guide.



Inca Tambo on the Peruvian Coast.

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Private Transportation.

Travelers enjoy the comfort and flexibility of touring in a private vehicle, ensuring personalized attention.

Convenience.

With door-to-door service from your hotel in Paracas, this tour ensures a hassle-free and comfortable travel experience.

Cultural Immersion.

Discover how the Incas strategically conquered coastal tribes, using military might and diplomacy to expand their power.