Machu Picchu Full Day by Voyager Train

from cusco to the citadel and back, aboard inca rail

DURATION	DIFFICULTY	MAX. ALTITUDE	BEST SEASON
Full day	Easy	2,430 m	Apr — Oct

This is our most practical way to visit Machu Picchu in a single day from Cusco. You travel on Inca Rail's Voyager train, the company's tourist class: a comfortable option that usually has good early-morning availability and keeps the overall cost of the trip in check. We pick you up before dawn and drive to Ollantaytambo, where you board the train to Aguas Calientes along the Urubamba River. Our staff meets you in town, you ride the bus up to the citadel and explore it for about 2.5 hours with a professional guide in a small group. Afterward you have free time for lunch before taking the train back in the afternoon. We buy your tickets through the official system and match your train schedule to your entry time. The return train may be Voyager or PeruRail's Expedition, depending on availability and when your visit ends; both are tourist class and offer a very similar experience.

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Pre-dawn transfer to Ollantaytambo, Voyager train to Aguas Calientes and a guided visit of about 2.5 hours at Machu Picchu. Free time for lunch, then train and van back to Cusco in the evening.

15–16 h day · 2,430 m (7,970 ft)

WHAT IS INCLUDED

- Pickup at your Cusco hotel (or an agreed point in the Sacred Valley)
- Transfer to Ollantaytambo station
- Voyager train ticket (Inca Rail) Ollantaytambo – Aguas Calientes
- Return train ticket in tourist class (Voyager or Expedition)
- Round-trip bus Aguas Calientes – Machu Picchu
- Machu Picchu entrance ticket (circuit based on official availability)
- Professional guide, about 2.5 hours (Circuits 2A and 2B)
- Assistance from our staff in Aguas Calientes
- Return transfer from Ollantaytambo to your Cusco hotel

NOT INCLUDED

- Breakfast and lunch
- Guide for Circuits 1 and 3 (optional private service)
- Huayna Picchu or Machu Picchu Mountain climb
- Tips, souvenirs and personal expenses
- Travel insurance

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