

JESÚS MARIA DE LA LIMPIA CONCEPCIÓN, 1654

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Country: Ecuador

Place: Shanduy, off Punta Carnero, 11 m deep.

Coordinates (Approximate): *Lat. 2°36'S; Long. 80°51'W*

Type: Galleon

Identified: *Jesús Maria de la Limpia Concepción*

Dated: Lost October 1654

Beam: Unknown

Keel Length: Unknown

Length Overall: Unknown

Number of Masts: Unknown

History of the shipwreck

A galleon from the Pacific silver route, sailing from Callao, Lima, Peru, to Panama, sunk in 1654 off Shanduy, Ecuador, and was located and salvaged by treasure hunters. The artifact collection was divided between the salvage company, SubAmérica Discoveries, and the Ecuadorian government.

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