



Discover Adriatic cruise from Split to Dubrovnik - 17 Days (#17302)

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Overview

Saturday Arrival

Trip Highlights

Split to Trogir, Hvar, Biševo, Korčula, Dubrovnik, Split, Plitvice lakes, Postojna cave, Bled, Ljubljana and Zagreb

Detailed Itinerary

Day 01

Day 1 Split, Saturday (WR, D)



You will be transferred from Split airport to the port, where embarkation starts at 2pm. Get settled in your cabin before attending a Welcome Reception followed by dinner.

Meal: Dinner

Day 02

Day 2 Split – Trogir (Krka National Park excursion), Sunday (B, L)

In the morning join a guided tour of Split, visit the seafront promenade and Roman Emperor Diocletian's Palace. The historical centre of the city is listed as a UNESCO World Heritage site. Set sail to the old Dalmatian town Trogir. Trogir is sometimes referred to as "miniature Venice" or a "mini Dubrovnik" because of its ancient walls, or a "floating museum town" - as it has a masterful architecture including some stunning Venetian palaces. After disembarking in Trogir we take the bus to visit Krka National Park. You will discover the pristine nature and waterfalls of the Krka National Park, an area extremely rich with flora and fauna. Overnight in Trogir

Meal: Breakfast and Lunch

Day 03

Day 3 Trogir – Stari Grad, Monday (B, L)

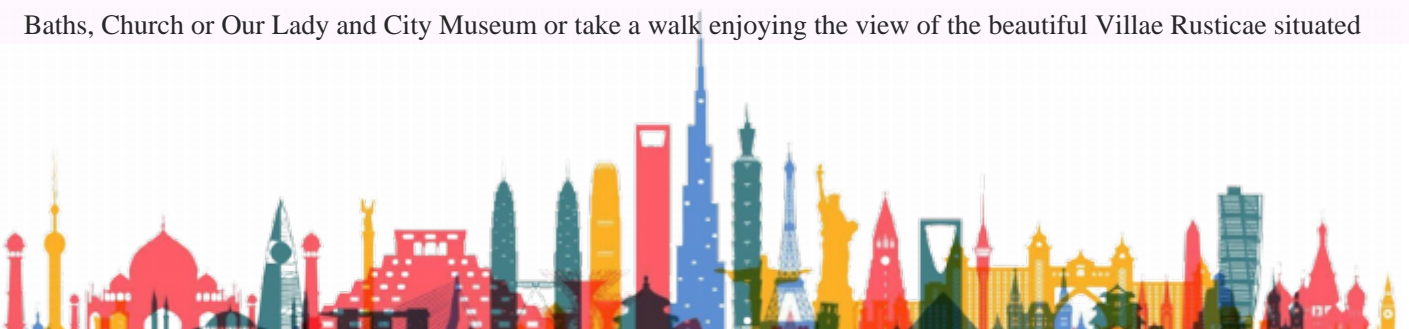
Morning guided tour of Trogir with a local tour guide. Afterwards, enjoy sailing towards Stari Grad on the Island of Hvar, swim stop and lunch on board. Stari Grad is one of the oldest towns in Europe with many friendly and affordable conobas and restaurants in the backstreets of the old town. The Stari Grad Plain and the old town centre of Stari Grad have been listed as UNESCO World Heritage Sites since 2008. Your evening is free to explore Stari Grad on your own.

Meal: Breakfast and Lunch

Day 04

Day 4 Stari Grad – Hvar – Vis, Tuesday (B, L)

Leaving Stari Grad in the morning towards city of Hvar. A sightseeing tour of Hvar town shows you many historical sites, such as St Stephen's Square and Cathedral, the Arsenal with the theatre built on its first floor, the first municipal theatre in Europe. Above the town is the impressive fortress Fortica offering magnificent views over the bay and Pakleni islands. Afterwards continue to Vis. The town of Vis is on the northern side of the island and was developed near the remains of ancient Issa, the first urban centre in Croatia, formed by the Greeks in 4th century B.C. Visit the remains of the Roman Baths, Church of Our Lady and City Museum or take a walk enjoying the view of the beautiful Villae Rusticae situated



along the coast. Your evening is free in Vis.

Meal: Breakfast and Lunch

Day 05

Day 5 Vis – Biševo – Korčula, Wednesday (B, L)

Leaving Vis, we will have an early morning cruise towards Biševo Island to visit the Blue Cave, a magnificent natural phenomenon on the islet Biševo just in front of the town of Komiža. Possibility of our visit will depend on weather conditions; however you will be notified of this on time. Afterwards, cruise towards the Korčula, and the island's main settlement, known as the birthplace of Marco Polo, one of the world's most famous explorers of all times. Stop for lunch in one of the secluded bays en route. Afternoon arrival in Korčula followed by a guided walking tour of one of the best-preserved medieval cities in the Mediterranean. Korčula has variety of different restaurants, bars and clubs for those looking for evening entertainment. Overnight in Korčula.

Meal: Breakfast and Lunch

Day 06

Day 6 Korčula – Mljet National Park – Slano (Oyster Tasting), Thursday (B, L, T, CD)

In the morning head further south to the Island of Mljet. Join the Cruise Manager for a stroll to the famous salt lakes in the Mljet National Park. Alternatively, you can rent bicycles, scooters, or kayaks to explore the National Park or island on your own. Lunch on board and departure for a small village called Slano on the mainland. Slano is a peaceful fishermen's village, and the starting point to Ston, situated on Pelješac peninsula, fortified small village famous for its oysters. Pelješac peninsula is known as one of the best wine-producing regions in Croatia. After exploring the town, we leave to a small nearby village to enjoy the authentic local oyster tasting. Tonight, enjoy Captain's dinner and overnight in Slano.

Meal: Breakfast, lunch and Dinner

Day 07

Day 7 Slano – Elaphiti Islands – Dubrovnik, Friday (B, L)

Early morning cruise to Elaphiti islands with swim stop on one of the secluded bays. Continue sail to Dubrovnik, and, before we moor at port, we cruise alongside the old city walls. After docking, join a guided tour at the historical centre of Dubrovnik, walk through Stradun – both a street and a square, the most famous place inside the town walls, enlisted as UNESCO's World Heritage site. Your guide will show you the most interesting sights of the Old Town and visit the



Franciscan Monastery with its Pharmacy. After city tour, you will be on your own to explore the city, visit City Walls, the Franciscan Monastery with Europe's second oldest pharmacy, the Rector's Palace, and the Cathedral, or take a boat ride to Lokrum Island or take the cable car to the top of the Mount Sr?. Overnight in Dubrovnik.

Meal: Breakfast and Lunch

Day 08

Day 8 Dubrovnik, Saturday (B, D)

After breakfast it's time to disembark. You will be transferred to Dubrovnik hotel. The rest of the day is at leisure until you gather with your Tour Director and fellow travelers for a Welcome Dinner.

Meal: Breakfast and Dinner

Day 09

Day 9 Dubrovnik Sunday (B)

On a morning walking tour of Old Dubrovnik visit the Rector's Palace, and see the Bell Tower Clock, Orlando's Column, Sponza Palace, the Dominican Monastery, and Franciscan Monastery with its Pharmacy, one of the oldest in the world. The rest of the day is free or join us for Optional Excursion home hosted Dubelj with dinner.

Meal: Breakfast

Day 10

Day 10 Split, Monday (B, D)

Travel north along the spectacular Adriatic coast, past old fishing villages and new resorts, to the city of Split.

Meal: Breakfast and Dinner

Day 11

Day 11 Split, Monday (B,)



In the morning, enjoy a sightseeing tour featuring the historic inner city, built around the Roman Emperor Diocletian's Palace, a UNESCO World Cultural Heritage site. Then see the remnants of Split's Roman heritage, its Renaissance and Gothic structures, Jupiter's Temple, the Peristyle, and the Cathedral. The rest of the day at leisure to stroll through the beautiful streets of Split, enjoy at the beach or join us on an Optional Excursion to Jet Set spot of rich and famous – Island of Hvar.

Meal: Breakfast

Day 12

Day 12 Trogir – Plitvice Lakes, Wednesday (B, D)

After breakfast, head to Trogir, the centre of artistic activities. Scholars from around the world gather here to study and paint. Then, turn inland and travel to spectacular Plitvice Lakes National Park. Have your camera ready as you take a walking tour around the lower lakes. Enjoy the breath-taking scenery of this natural wonder of sixteen terraced lakes surrounded by thickly wooded mountains and lush vegetation.

Meal: Breakfast and Dinner

Day 13

Day 13 Opatija – Postojna – Bled, Wednesday (B, D)

Return to the coast and travel along the beautiful bay of Kvarner to its popular resort, Opatija. After a bit of free time, journey continue north to Postojna, home to one of the largest caves in Europe. Tour this fantastic subterranean world by miniature electric train. Afterward, continue to Bled, beautifully set in the Julian Alps.

Meal: Breakfast and Dinner

Day 14

Day 14 Bled, Friday (B)

An Alpine Lake surrounded by high peaks, Bled was “discovered” by travelers in the middle of the 19th century. Since then, a small town of hotels, villas, and restaurants has developed around the lake, turning Bled into a lively, all-seasons resort. A sightseeing tour features the charming town and the lakeshore, and visits imposing Bled Castle, perched on a cliff high above the lake. The balance of the day is at leisure. Perhaps join an optional excursion visiting the small island in the middle of the lake, browse through the shops and boutiques, or ax and enjoy the enchanting scenery.



Meal: Breakfast

Day 15

Day 15 Ljubljana – Zagreb, Saturday (B, D)

Leave the mountains and head to Ljubljana, the capital of Slovenia. See the most significant sights of the old city centre on a walking tour. Highlights include the picturesque open-air Central Market, the Three Bridges, Baroque Town Hall, and Robba's Fountain. Then, continue to Zagreb, Croatia's capital city.

Meal: Breakfast and Dinner

Day 16

Day 16 Zagreb, Sunday (B)

This morning, enjoy a city tour featuring the historic Upper Town, St. Mark's Church, St. Catherine's Church, the Cathedral, Parliament, and Government Palace. The rest of the day is at leisure to explore the winding streets of the old town or take an optional excursion to see the countryside.

Meal: Breakfast

Day 17

Day 17 Zagreb – departure, Monday (B)

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the airport for your departure flight.

Meal: Breakfast

Inclusions

First class hotels

Arrival shared transfer from Split airport to the port and departure shared transfer from hotel to Zagreb Airport on the first and the last day of the tour

Breakfast daily and 5 dinners



Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
Professional Tour Director throughout
Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
Whisper technology enhanced touring
Service charges and hotel taxes
7 nights cruise from Split to Dubrovnik
Supreme category ship in a cabin with private facilities, A/C & TV
Daily buffet breakfast
6 lunches (3 course meal and salad bar)
Welcome dinner and Captain's dinner with music during cruise
Water dispenser during cruise
Complimentary coffee, tea, and fresh fruits available daily during cruise
Professional English-speaking Cruise Manager throughout
Whisper technology
Daily cabin servicing, fresh bed linen and towels midweek during cruise
One beach towel per person per week
Complimentary Wi-Fi on board.

SIGHTSEEING TOURS INCLUDED:

Professional English-speaking guide for city tours of Zagreb, Ljubljana, Bled, Postojna Cave, Plitvice Lakes Split, Trogir, Hvar, Kor?ula and Dubrovnik
Entrance fees to the Rector's Palace, Franciscan Monastery's Pharmacy and Diocletian's Palace, Plitvice lakes National Park, Postojna Cave, Bled Castle
Guided tour and entrance to Krka National Park and Mljet National Park
Oyster tasting in Ston

Exclusions

Drinks, extra meals
Port tax AUD 145 per person (to be paid by on board)
All other entrance fees not mentioned in the inclusions

Note



HOTELS USED OR SIMILAR

DUBROVNIK: Lero (F) or similar

SPLIT: Hotel Corner (F) or similar

PLITVICE: Jezero (F) or similar

BLED: Kompas (F) / Bled Rose (F) or similar

ZAGREB: Zonar (F) or similar

SUPPLEMENTS (OPTIONAL):

Additional beach towel AUD 17 per person on request

Entrance to Blue Cave to be paid on the spot

Private car transfers available on request (Vehicle transfers are not available in the pedestrian areas).

B-Breakfast, L-Lunch, D-Dinner, WR-Welcome Reception, CD-Captain's dinner, T-Tasting

Program Touring / Guide

Escorted Experience

Fixed Departure

21 Sep, 2024

First Class Hotels

AUD 6,907 P P twin share

AUD 9,963 P P single

AVAILABLE

