DALMATIAN PARADISE

ROUNDTRIP SPLIT



Small ship cruises along the charming Croatian coastline and islands on the lavishly designed, fully air-conditioned vessels with spacious en-suite cabins. Itinerary includes exciting gastronomical and sightseeing experiences with guaranteed weekly departures (May – August) and visits to Split, Pelješac peninsula, Mljet, Dubrovnik, Korčula, Hvar and Bol. Enjoy seven unforgettable days cruising on the southern Adriatic Sea from one island to another with the small ship cruiser. Relax and let the captain, the crew and our tour manager take care of you. Spend mornings relaxing on spacious decks and sunbathe or swim in the Adriatic Sea. Afternoons and evenings are carefully planned for exploring Croatia's finest destinations with local experts.



ROUNDTRIP CRUISE

8-DAYS/7-NIGHTS

ROUNDTRIP FROM SPLIT

Wednesday/Saturday

May 15, 29; Jul 10, 17, 24; Aug 7

DELUXE SUPERIOR VESSELS

FROM 2,000€ \$2,200 est. USD SPLIT – HVAR – PELJEŠAC PENINSULA – MLJET & DUBROVNIK –DUBROVNIK – KORČULA – BOL, PUČIŠĆA/MILNA – SPLIT

ITINERARY

DAY 1 - SPLIT

Transfer from Split airport or hotel to the Split harbor where the vessel will be docked. Check-in from 14.00 h onwards. After settling, enjoy the guided tour of the city at 17.00h (not possible for late arrivals). Split is a historic town under UNESCO protection and part of the world heritage. One will find an abundance of Roman architecture — of special interest is the magnificent Diocletian palace, once inhabited by the Roman emperor. After the tour of Split, return to the vessel for a welcome reception and cocktail. Enjoy the meet and greet party on board. Overnight in Split. (D)

DAY 2 – SPLIT - HVAR Morning departure towards Hvar. Swim stop at the Pakleni Islands. Arrival to Hvar in the afternoon. Hvar is the longest Island in the Adriatic and one of the sunniest; known for lavish lavender fields and breathtaking beauty. Many historical landmarks can be found in Hvar, such as the Renaissance cathedral with its original tower and the oldest community theatre in Europe which was founded in 1612. Hike up to the town fort overlooking the harbour to get some lovely scenic views of the vessel and the Pakleni islands. In the evening Hvar offers an abundance of entertainment - many restaurants, bars and cafes are open long into the night. Overnight in Hvar. (B, L)



DAY 3 - HVAR - PELJEŠAC PENINSULA

Early morning departure towards the Pelješac peninsula, home to Croatia's best-known red wines: Dingač and Postup. Move away from the shore inland to explore the rural areas. Afternoon transfer to the village, followed by a visit to a local farm to indulge in a typical heritage dinner with Croatian delicacies and local dishes made from their own produce. Late transfer back to the vessel. Overnight on Pelješac peninsula. (B, L, D)



DAY 4 - PELJEŠAC PENINSULA - MLJET & DUBROVNIK

Next morning, head further to the Island of Mljet. Join the cruise manager for a stroll to the famous salt lakes in the Mljet National Park and enjoy the boat ride to St Mary Isle, where an ancient Benedictine monastery, an old abbey and a church dating from the 12th century is situated. Return to the vessel for lunch, followed by departure towards Dubrovnik. Late afternoon arrival in Dubrovnik, but before docking at Gruž harbor, the captain will arrange an evening dinner cruise alongside the old city walls. Enjoy the spectacular views of this magnificent ancient town. Overnight in Dubrovnik. (B, L, D)



DAY 5 - DUBROVNIK

After breakfast, transfer to the Old Town for the guided walking tour to enjoy this magical town. There will be plenty of opportunities to take great pictures as the cable car takes us from the Old Town to Srđ mountain to enjoy scenic views of the Walls and Elaphiti Islands. Afternoon at leisure to find idyllic spots for lunch and dinner. Meander through the narrow carfree limestone streets — worn smooth under the soles of centuries of pedestrians, seek out a drink in one of the trendy piazzas or walk the famous 1,940 m long walls and take a stroll along the famous Stradun — both a street and a square, a promenade inside the city walls. Overnight in Dubrovnik. (B)



DAY 6 - DUBROVNIK - KORČULA

In the morning, leave this magnificent town and the cruise continues towards the island of Korčula, best known as the birthplace of Marco Polo. Stop for lunch in one of the secluded bays en route. Early afternoon arrival in Korčula followed by a guided walking tour of the enchanting town fortified by walls. Korčula treasures more legends, tales and monuments than any other place, discover some wandering along the herringbone pattern streets. Korčula has an abundant choice of restaurants for a great gourmet experience and there are many bars and clubs for those looking for evening entertainment. Overnight in Korčula. (B, L)



DAY 7 - KORČULA - BOL - MILNA or PUČIŠĆA

Today's destination is the Island of Brač and the picturesque town of Bol. Walk along the promenade or swim at one of the most famous beaches in Dalmatia – Zlatni Rat (the Golden cape - known for its gravel promontory shifts from side to side as the wind and waves constantly change its shape). Bol is a typical fishermen's town turned into a popular tourist destination. After lunch on board, time at leisure until wine tasting. Departure for Milna or Pučišća and Captain's farewell dinner with live entertainment on board. Overnight in Milna or Pučišća. (B, L, CD)



DAY 8 - SPLIT

One last breakfast onboard followed by goodbyes with the crew and new friends! Check-out and transfer to airport. (B)



INCLUDED:

- Welcome reception & cocktail
- Daily buffet breakfast
- Three-course lunch daily + cheese and salad bar
- Captain's dinner with live entertainment
- Olive oil and wine tasting on board
- Abundant fresh fruit
- Professional Tour manager
- Tourist taxes & port fees
- Luggage handling
- Daily cabin service and towel change
- Complimentary wi-fi onboard
- Guided walking tours in English of towns: Dubrovnik, Hvar, Korčula, Split
- One-way bus transfer from Dubrovnik port to Old town Dubrovnik for sightseeing
- Dubrovnik cable car fee
- Spectacular evening dinner cruise along the old town city walls of Dubrovnik
- Croatian wine tasting
- Authentic heritage dinner on Pelješac peninsula
- Mljet National Park entrance fee
- No Additional fees except gratuities and bar drinks

DELUXE SUPERIOR VESSELS

The most recent class of Katarina Line vessels, crème de la crème on the Adriatic Sea, the 11 Deluxe Superior yachts offer comfort and amenities one expects of high-end vessels. Built with high-quality materials of solid wood, glass, marble, stainless steel and similar materials, these vessels are floating mini boutique hotels. Minimum 47 meters in length, newly built or refurbished, with hot tubs and beautiful sun decks with lounge area, deckchairs and more. Spacious, superbly designed, air-conditioned en-suite cabins with double or twin beds, 15 to 20m2 in size. Cabins are equipped with wardrobes, deposit boxes, hairdryer, bathroom toiletries, bathrobe, slippers, LCD TV, and more. VIP Upper Deck cabins feature balconies.









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WEDNESDAY DEPARTURES	May 15	May 29 Jul 10, 17, 24 Aug 7
VIP upper/main deck	2,700€	3,000€
DELUXE SUPERIOR	\$2,970*	\$3,300*
Upper/main deck	2,300€	2,700€
DELUXE SUPERIOR	\$2,530*	\$2,970*
Lower deck	2,000€	2,350€
DELUXE SUPERIOR	\$2,200*	\$2,585*

*ESTIMATED USD BASED ON \$1.10 TO 1€.