

# CLASSIC ANTARCTICA AIR-CRUISE

## DISCOVER THE GLORY OF ANTARCTICA



Flying over Cape Horn and the infamous waters of the Drake Passage, Antarctica21 takes you to one of the most spectacular places on earth, the coldest, highest, windiest, driest, and remotest continent – Antarctica. Spend more time in Antarctica, less time getting there while avoiding the potentially rough seas of crossing the Drake Passage by ship.



### **DATES – Magellan Explorer:**

**2024** – Nov 26; Dec 01, 06, 11, 16, 21, 26, 31

**2025** – Jan 09, 14, 19, 31; Feb 05, 10, 15, 20, 25; Mar 02

### **Ocean Nova:**

**2024** – Dec 02, 07, 12, 17, 22, 27

**2025** – Jan 17, 22, 27; Feb 01, 06, 11

**DURATION** – 8 days/7 nights

**SHIPS** – OCEAN NOVA, MAGELLAN EXPLORER

**From** - \$11,495 Double

## ITINERARY:

### Day 1: Start of the Air Cruise

Arrive in Punta Arenas, Chile, before 2 PM where you are welcomed by Antarctica21 staff and transferred to your hotel. In the afternoon, you attend a mandatory briefing that provides important information about your voyage and reviews the essential guidelines for Antarctic visitors. Later, gather for a welcome dinner and meet your fellow adventurers while enjoying a typical regional menu.

### Day 2: Scheduled Flight to Antarctica

Your Antarctic adventure begins with a two-hour flight from Punta Arenas to King George Island, in the South Shetland Islands. As you exit the airplane, the clear Antarctic air fills your lungs for the first time. Explore the area surrounding Chile's Frei Station and Russia's Bellingshausen Station, before boarding a Zodiac to embark your expedition vessel.



### Day 3-6: Exploring Antarctica

Cruise between the South Shetland Islands and the western coast of the Antarctic Peninsula, sailing along ice-filled fjords and among spectacular icebergs, while enjoying the company of seabirds, penguins, seals and whales. Each day, disembark by Zodiac and explore the landscape together with expert polar guides. On board the ship, attend an engaging program of lectures and presentations, and enjoy spectacular views from the lounge while sharing your daily adventures with fellow guests.



No journey is the same as flexibility is the key to success in Antarctica. The Expedition Team sets the voyage route to take advantage of the ever-changing opportunities provided by Nature, crafting a unique and extraordinary experience each time. While the exact itinerary changes with each expedition, you will explore several spots that offer the best possible overview of the varied Antarctic environment. Your voyage may include visits to sites such as Paulet Island, Hope Bay, Port Lockroy, Petermann Island, Paradise Bay, Deception Island, the Lemaire Channel, or many other magnificent places.

### Day 7: Return Flight to Punta Arenas

Return to King George Island and bid farewell to Antarctica before boarding the flight back to Punta Arenas. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel for the night. (Note: Meals in Punta Arenas are at your leisure and not included in the program).

### Day 8: End of the Air Cruise

After breakfast, transfer to the Punta Arenas airport for your onward flight.





**FLY ACROSS THE INFAMOUS DRAKE PASSAGE IN 2 HOURS – RATHER THAN A TWO-DAY OCEAN CROSSING – THANKS TO THE BAE 146 AIRCRAFT.**

**RATES INCLUDE: ·**

For air-cruises starting in Punta Arenas, Antarctica21-exclusive group transfers airport/hotel on Day 1, one overnight with breakfast in Punta Arenas at the Cabo de Hornos Hotel or similar, with a welcome dinner including drinks on Day 1. One overnight with breakfast in Punta Arenas at the Cabo de Hornos Hotel or similar on the day of the scheduled return flight from Antarctica. For air-cruises starting in Punta Arenas, enjoy special access to Explorers House. Antarctica21-exclusive group transfers airport/hotel on the day of the scheduled return flight from Antarctica, and Antarctica21-exclusive group transfers hotel/airport on the last day of the air-cruise.

Flight from Punta Arenas to Frei Station on King George Island and/or vice versa as indicated in the program corresponding to each voyage. Ship cruise as indicated in the program corresponding to each voyage. Daily buffet breakfast and lunch on board the ship offering a wide choice of dishes. Dinner served daily on board the ship offering a choice between one of three main courses. Wine, beer, juice, and soft drinks served with lunch and dinner on board. Coffee, tea, chocolate, cappuccino, water, and snacks on board the ship throughout the expedition. All guided shore excursions. Lectures and entertainment on board. Comprehensive pre- and post-voyage information material. Loan of waterproof boots for landing in Antarctica. IAATO passenger fee.

**Contingency Plan as described below, contact us for further information.**

Possible Flight Delays and Contingency Plan. Flights to and from Antarctica operate based on weather conditions. While historically only a minority of flights have experienced a delay, you should be prepared for that possibility. The Contingency Plan is included in the cost of your expedition. The primary goal of the plan is to provide an engaging and comfortable travel experience while we adapt to Antarctica or return back to Punta Arenas, and the plan includes a range of activities determined by the circumstances. Additionally, the Contingency Plan offers you financial protection by providing a refund should weather conditions prevent us from reaching Antarctica.

**RATES DO NOT INCLUDE**

Anything that is not specifically listed under the “Included in the Rate” section. For example:

Accommodation, meals, excursions, and transfers other than those included in the itinerary and the Contingency Plan corresponding to each voyage. Specifically, dinner in Punta Arenas upon return from Antarctica is not included. Beverages purchased at the ship’s bar. Internet connection on board the ship. Personal travel insurance. Extra expenses (communication, laundry, souvenirs, etc.). Gratuities. Visas for Chile and/or Argentina, passport expenses, and any arrival and/or departure tax, if applicable.

**2024/25 RATES – OCEAN NOVA**

CABIN CATEGORY	12/2-17/2024	12/22/24-2/11/2025
TRIPLE	\$ 11,495	\$13,595
TWIN	\$13,795	\$15,795
SINGLE	\$17,795	\$21,995

**2024/25 RATES – MAGELLAN EXPLORER**

CABIN CATEGORY	11/26-12/16/2024 2/25-3/02/25	1/09-2/20/2025	12/21-31/2024
TRIPLE	\$17,995	\$19,795	\$19,995
PORTHOLE	\$15,995	\$17,995	\$18,795
VERANDA	\$19,995	\$21,995	\$22,995
DLX VERANDA	\$21,995	\$23,995	\$24,995
SUITE	\$24,995	\$27,495	\$27,995
PENTHOUSE	\$26,995	\$28,995	\$29,995
SINGLE - VER	\$26,995	\$28,995	\$29,995

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Category	Average size	Details
● Single Cabin	87 sq. ft 8 sq. m	One lower single bed
● Twin Cabin	106 sq. ft 10 sq. m	Two twin beds or one queen bed
● Triple Cabin	150 sq. ft 14 sq. m	Two lower beds and one upper bed

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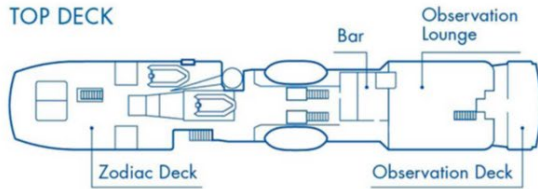
Category	Approx. Size	Details
● Single Cabin	210 sq. ft 19 sq. m	Cabin with sitting area and balcony
● Penthouse Suite	360 sq. ft 33 sq. m	Suite with sitting room, balcony and bedroom area
● Suite	480 sq. ft 44 sq. m	Two-room suite with sitting room, balcony and bedroom
● Deluxe Veranda Cabin	240 sq. ft 22 sq. m	Cabin with sitting area and balcony
● Veranda Cabin	210 sq. ft 19 sq. m	Cabin with sitting area and balcony
● Porthole Cabin	200 sq. ft 18 sq. m	Cabin with sitting area and porthole
● Triple Suite	480 sq. ft 44 sq. m	Suite with two bedrooms, balcony, and sitting area



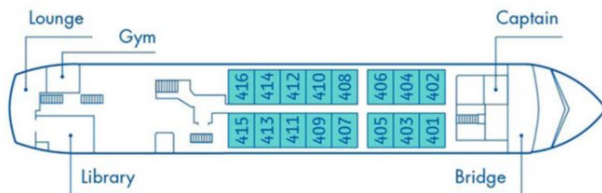
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## Deck Plan for Air-Cruises

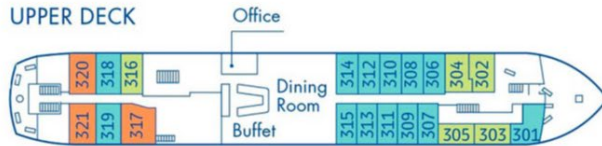
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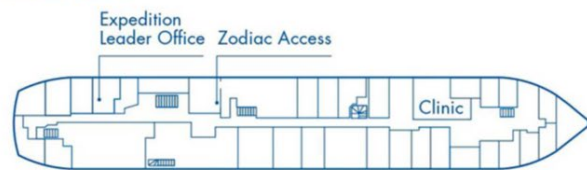
### BRIDGE DECK



### UPPER DECK



### MAIN DECK



CABINS    ● Single    ● Twin    ● Triple

Maximum capacity 67 pax



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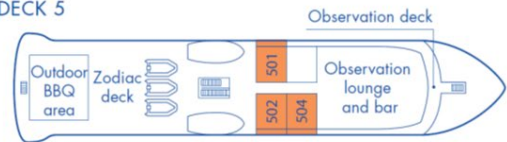


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2024-25 Seasons

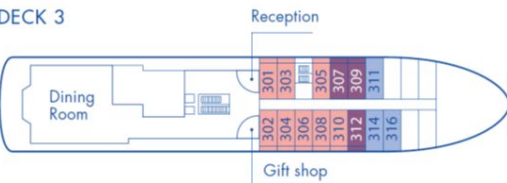
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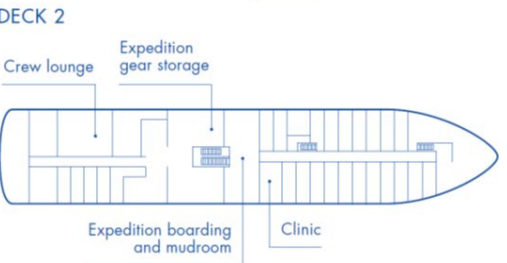
### DECK 4



### DECK 3



### DECK 2



● Penthouse Suite    ● Veranda Cabin    ● Triple Suite  
 ● Suite    ● Porthole Cabin    \* Only available with queen-size bed  
 ● Deluxe Veranda Cabin    ● Single Veranda Cabin