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ADRIATIC DISCOVERY - DUBROVNIK TO SPLIT

A classic cruise along Croatia's gorgeous Adriatic coast, taking in the great cities of Dubrovnik and Split as well as some of the small islands and harbour towns that have been so beautifully preserved for centuries. Enjoy captivating landscapes, popular historical sights and fabulous gastronomic spots with a spectacular personalized service. What could be better than spending a holiday hopping from island to island. Immerse yourself in the beauty of Croatia's coastline on an 8-day luxury cruise and treat yourself to an unforgettable Adriatic holiday. These cruises create a whole different experience, both onshore and on-board. Smaller ships allow easy access to tinier, less-trafficked, breathtaking bays and coves that bigger vessels just can't get to, leading to a refreshingly unique experience.



ITINERARY

DAY 1: DUBROVNIK (Saturday)

Welcome to Dubrovnik, the "Pearl of the Adriatic". Upon arrival at the airport, you will be greeted by our representative and they will get you settled aboard your transfer and you'll be on your way to Dubrovnik's Gruž harbour. Once you reach the harbour, you will be able to check in. Cabins will be ready for you from 2 p.m. However, if arriving early, you'll be able to safely deposit your luggage aboard the ship. You are free to enjoy Dubrovnik until the evening, when we will serve the Welcome dinner aboard the ship and your cruise manager will introduce you to the entire crew. Overnight in Dubrovnik

DAY 2: DUBROVNIK - SLANO (Sunday)

After breakfast, we will visit the old town of Dubrovnik, where a local guide will take you on a sightseeing tour of the UNESCO protected old town, acquainting you with its most important monuments and hidden spots. After returning to the ship, we set

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sail for Slano, a picturesque town in a deep cove a few hours sailing to the north of Dubrovnik. After lunch on board and a swim stop, we will arrive in Slano. Upon arrival, we will embark on our gastronomic adventure in Ston, well known for its extensive Medieval walls and long tradition of oyster farming, spanning over two thousand years. A short boat ride to the oyster farm in the middle of the bay and, with a glass of wine in hand, we'll be tasting this natural aphrodisiac straight from the sea. Talk about a gourmet's dream! We arrive back in Slano later in the afternoon and the remainder of the day is yours to enjoy. Overnight in Slano

DAY 3: SLANO - MLJET (Monday)

Early in the morning, we depart for Mljet, one of the most beautiful and the most densely forested islands of the Adriatic. Isolated and untouched, the island is known for its mysticism, olive groves, vineyards and rich forests. Take in the rich flora and fauna, and peacefully enjoy the pristine beauty of natural surroundings. After lunch on board and a swim stop along the way, we arrive in the town of Pomena (population: 52!). Upon arrival in Pomena, a visit to a national park encompassing most of the island is planned. The park's highlights are the two saltwater lakes - the Little Lake and the Big Lake with its Benedictine monastery on the Isle of St. Mary. This evening you are invited to the Captain's dinner aboard the ship. Overnight in Pomena.

DAY 4: MLJET - KOR ULA (Tuesday)

We depart for the island of Korula during breakfast, making sure to stop for a swim in one of the many secluded bays along the way. Lunch will be served on board. In the afternoon we arrive in Korula, the birthplace of the famous explorer Marco Polo. Our local guide will take you on a unique tour of the old

town of Korula. You will hear many interesting stories and legends about the city and the life of Marco Polo, the most famous son of Korula. The casual approach to discovering the history and culture of Korula will surely delight you. In the evening, we suggest you enjoy one of Korula's many exquisite restaurants. Overnight in Korula.

DAY 5: KOR ULA - VIS (Wednesday)

In the morning we set sail towards the island of Vis. With lunch on board and a swim stop along the way, we arrive in Vis in the early afternoon. The island of Vis, formerly a major naval base, was closed to tourists from 1945 until the breakup of Yugoslavia in the 90's, which helped preserve the authentic appearance of its villages. In the afternoon you will have time to enjoy Vis at your own pace and enjoy everything it has to offer. Overnight in Vis.

DAY 6: VIS - BLUE CAVE - STARI GRAD (Thursday)

In the morning, before breakfast, we sail towards Biševo and the unique natural phenomenon that is the Blue Cave. The Blue Cave is a wonder of the Adriatic Sea and the most attractive sight of the island of Vis, which attracts a large number of visitors each year. After the Blue Cave, we set sail for Stari Grad, with a swim stop on the Paklini Islands and lunch served on board. After the swim stop, we continue on our way towards the town of Stari Grad on the island of Hvar, where we arrive in the early hours of the afternoon. Upon arrival, you will have some free time to enjoy Stari Grad at your own pace. Later in the afternoon we will visit the UNESCO protected Stari Grad Plain, where you will have the opportunity to enjoy a beautiful sunset, local wine and traditional "peka" dinner of the Hora estate, surrounded by olive groves and fields of lavender. Overnight in Stari Grad.



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DAY 7: STARI GRAD - BOL - SPLIT (Friday)

Early in the morning, while breakfast is served, we set sail for the island of Bra . Before lunch on board, you will have time to enjoy a swim stop at the world-famous Zlatni Rat beach. After the swim stop, we continue on our way to Split, arriving in the early afternoon. Upon arrival, join our local guide for a tour of Split's old town to get acquainted with emperor Diocletian's Palace and learn about the rich heritage of Split's millennial history. After the walking tour, you will have free time to enjoy the city at your own pace. Overnight in Split

DAY 8: SPLIT (Saturday)

After breakfast, it will be time to check out and enjoy your complementary transfer to the airport. We hope to see you soon on board again! Check-out by 9 a.m.

Please note:

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VESSEL TYPE:

LENGTH:

PASSENGER CAPACITY:

BUILT/REFURBISHED:

The 46 metre long and 9 metre wide MS New Star was launched in 2018 and was designed purely to cruise the coast of Croatia. A luxury vessel she has a crew of 8 and has modern equipment and amenities including en-suite shower and W/C in every cabin and air conditioning. New Star has a large sun deck with some shade and a jacuzzi tub, a large restaurant and covered outdoor lounge, and a swim platform and ladder so you can easily access the sea at the many swim stops. Cabins New Star has 19 double or twin cabins that measure 15-192 metres; All cabins have air conditioning and en-suite shower and W/C, and a hairdryer and toiletries.



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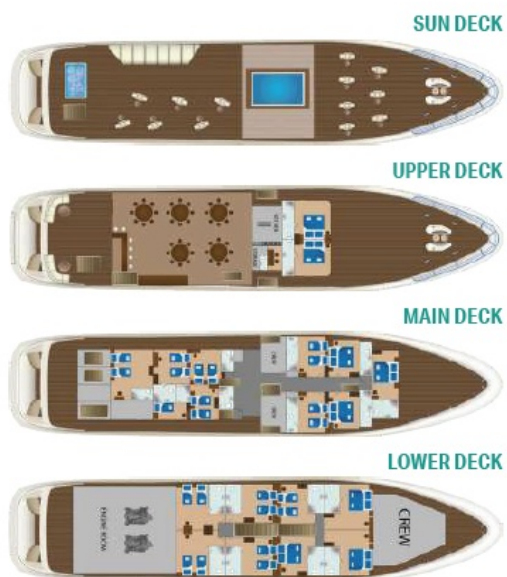
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