

LA DIGUE & SEYCHELLES' INNER ISLANDS CRUISE

This East African sailing adventure explores the stunning islands of the Seychelles, beginning and ending at L'Escale Marina on Mahe. Glide across crystal-clear waters to discover Beau Vallon Bay's famous beach, spot rare wildlife on protected Cousin Island, and wander Praslin's lush Vallee de Mai. Encounter giant tortoises on Curieuse, cycle the charming lanes of La Digue, and snorkel among vibrant reefs at Grande Soeur and Ile Cocos. The journey ends with the pristine bird sanctuary of Aride, offering an unforgettable glimpse into the region's unspoiled natural beauty.



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Day 1 East Africa L'Escale Marina (Mahe) & Beau Vallon Bay

Embark on the voyage of a lifetime from Mahe, the largest island in the Seychelles archipelago. Settle into your luxurious design suite on board Aqua Lares and meet your Cruise Director and Naturalist Guides. Enroute to our first destination, enjoy panoramic views from the sundeck as we sail past neighboring islands.

Day 2 East Africa Cousin & Praslin

In the morning, wake up to views of Cousin Island, designated a Special Nature Reserve in Seychelles. Cousin Island has a



flourishing ecosystem with bird species such as the Flycatcher and Moorhen coexisting with colonies of Hawksbill Turtles, giant tortoises and other fauna endemic to the archipelago. Upon arrival, experience a guided walk around the island that shelters over 250,000 birds. After lunch, we head over to Praslin Island, the second-largest granitic island in the Seychelles archipelago. This island presents the opportunity to visit and hike through the ancient Vallee de Mai palm forest.

Day 3 East Africa Curieuse & La Digue

We begin the morning at Curieuse Island, a national marine park on the northwest coast of Praslin. Embark on a guided hike to discover the island's rich mangrove forest, home to Coco de Mer palm trees and giant tortoises. Afterwards, jump into the water for a snorkel to explore the vibrant reef system and observe the diverse marine wildlife. We continue the day's activities with an excursion to La Digue Island in the afternoon. La Digue is unspoiled by the passage of time, steeped in tradition and history. Discover the island's beautiful vistas and stunning beaches. At L'Union Estate, visit local hallmarks such as the coconut distillery, art gallery, and museum.

Day 4 East Africa Grande Soeur & Ile Cocos

In the morning, we explore Grand Soeur Island, one of the best deep-sea diving sites to observe sharks and other marine life. The island offers excellent snorkeling opportunities along the reef and granitic coast, where you can spot parrotfish and sea turtles. After lunch, visit Ile Cocos, renowned for its crystal-clear waters and remarkable rock formations.

Day 5 East Africa Aride

The day begins with an exciting beach landing on Aride, the northernmost island of the archipelago. Aride Island is a Special Ornithological Nature Reserve that boasts one of the largest populations of birds in the Indian Ocean. Enjoy a walk through the forest that a myriad of seabird species, such as the white-tailed tropicbird, call home. The island also houses rare endemic flora including Wright's Gardenia which can only be found in its natural state on this island.

Day 6 East Africa L'Escale Marina (Mahe)

Enjoy a hearty breakfast on board before bidding farewell to Aqua Lares and the crew.

Please note:
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VESSEL TYPE:

LENGTH:

PASSENGER CAPACITY:

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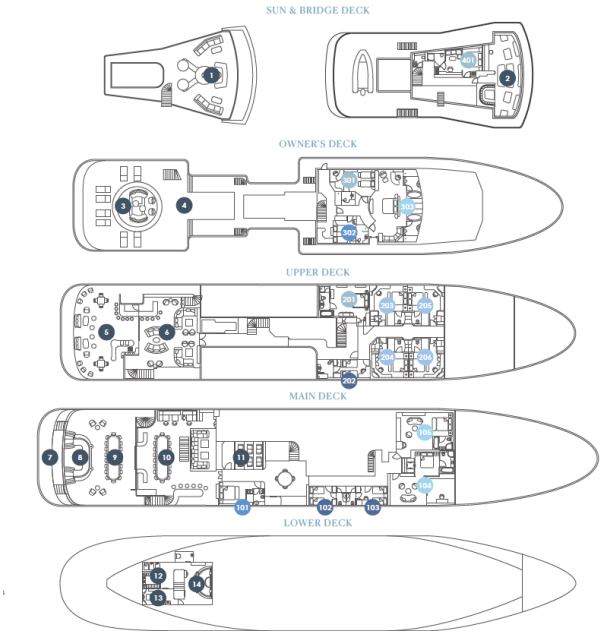
Superyacht sailing in Seychelles & Tanzania An awe-inspiring presence in the Indian Ocean, Aqua Lares is the first superyacht to offer both charter and individual cabin bookings for expeditions to Seychelles & Tanzania. Featuring 15 bespoke cabins, a one-to-one crew-to-guest ratio, and expert-led excursions, Aqua Lares offers a superyacht experience unlike any other in East Africa. While sailing on this small-ship expedition, guests have the opportunity to discover biodiversity hotspots such as Aldabra and La Digue, as well as remote islands including the African Banks which are generally inaccessible to larger cruises. Aqua Lares pairs days of adventure with all the comforts of a five-star hotel, including a curated fine dining experience, highly personalized service, and a range of social spaces for rest and relaxation. Whether it's sipping cocktails on the sun deck, cooling off at the jacuzzi, or indulging in a spa treatment, moments on board can be just as special as those spent exploring the pristine beaches and island towns of Seychelles and Zanzibar. Spread across six decks, Aqua Lares offers a bespoke blend of grandeur and elegance, creating an extraordinary oasis for adventurous exploration and world-class luxury. Accommodating a total of 30 guests, Aqua Lares features 15 elegant design cabins across five categories, including three Owner's Suites sized between 419 and 710 sqft (39 and 66 sqm). The remaining cabins are sized between 139 and 322 sqft (13 and 30 sqm), each one individually designed and custom-furnished down to the smallest detail. Every room features warm interiors, creating an inviting atmosphere, complemented by solid wood veneers, as well as wallpaper and fabrics sourced from Italian renowned Dedar. Their sophisticated, artistic patterns subtly tie into the natural surroundings, reflecting the vibrant cultures and rich textures of both Europe



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