

NORTHERN CROATIA PREMIUM CRUISE FROM OPATIJA

Cruise aboard a very comfortable small ship to explore Croatia's coastline. You'll visit picturesque islands, charming cities, lovely small ports and a few hidden gems on this very relaxing cruise. You will explore stunning Kvarner Bay and its islands as well as the beautiful city of Zadar. Spend your mornings admiring the spectacular scenery, enjoying swimming in crystal clear Adriatic sea and your afternoons and evenings exploring old historical towns or indulging in late nights in some of these beautiful port towns. Embark in Opatija at the foot of U ka mountain. Built at the turn of the 20th century, Opatija has been a popular destination for tourists for 100 years. Well-maintained public gardens, the illuminated 12-km-long coastal promenade, cafes, villas, hotels and plenty of opportunities for shopping and excursions make Opatija an ideal destination. We will also spend a night in beautiful Mali Losinj. Due to excellent climate Lošinj was proclaimed as a climatic health resort by a decree of the Ministry of Health of the Austrian-Hungarian Monarchy in 1892. Soon it became a popular holiday destination of the Austrian-Hungarian aristocracy, who built numerous villas and summer residences on the island. Losinj archipelago is famous for dolphins, which you will probably see during your cruise.



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Day 1 - OPATIJA - KRK ISLAND (L)

Departure at 13h with lunch on board. Late arrivals can join in Krk, the homonymous town of the largest Croatian island. The first swim stop en route to refresh and enjoy the crystal clear seawater. Krk has diverse villages of various sizes, stunning promenades, dramatic rock faces with tiny islands and hundreds of hidden bays and beaches. There's a buzz along the waterfront of Krk Town, have a drink in one of the many bars or choose a restaurant for a tasty dinner. Overnight in Krk.

Day 2 - KRK ISLAND - RAB ISLAND (B, T, L)



After breakfast, cruise towards Rab, known as the "island of love". On arrival, join a guided tour (included on Premium Superior & Premium) to see imposing stone walls and Romanesque church towers, churches, palaces, stone streets and ancient facades. Many streets and squares are open-air galleries, as artists work outside. Do not miss tasting the famous cake "Rapska torta". If weather permits, walk up to the Kamenjak hill and watch the magnificent sunset. Overnight in Rab.

Day 3 - RAB ISLAND – ZADAR (B, L)

Morning cruise from Rab towards Zadar, travelling by Pag island with its unusual moon-like landscape. Swim stop on the tiny Maun Island. Upon arrival to Zadar, join the optional guided tour (included on Premium Superior & Premium). Once the metropolis of Dalmatia, today, Zadar is the centre of the region. The rich cultural heritage is visible at every turn: the Roman Forum dating to the 1st century AD, the church of St. Donatus dating to the 9th century AD - the most famous Medieval basilica and symbol of the city, the imposing and mighty city walls, numerous palaces and villas of former noble families. Great restaurants line part of the waterfront and the centre of town. Famous, contemporary creations are the Zadar Sea Organ, one of a kind in the world (listen to the sound) and "The Greeting to the Sun" light installation. Overnight in Zadar.

Day 4 - ZADAR - MOLAT ISLAND or OLIB ISLAND (B, L, CD)

Early departure towards Molat or Olib island (depending on the available harbour space) in the northern part of the Zadar archipelago. Think pure peace and serenity. Tonight, enjoy the Captain's dinner party on board.

Day 5 - MOLAT ISLAND or OLIB ISLAND - ILOVIK ISLAND - LOŠINJ ISLAND (B, L)

After breakfast and the morning swim, cruise towards Ilovik. With only a few hundred inhabitants, Ilovik boasts lovely bays and crystal-clear water. A short stop before departure towards Lošinj. Known as the "sunshine island" and for its abundance of pines, wildflowers and herbs, Lošinj is one of the most popular islands on the northern Adriatic for its hidden coves and cool Mediterranean vibe. On arrival, stroll along the pretty waterfront, visit the Museum of Apoxiomenos or walk up to the Lošinj Aromatic Garden full of indigenous herbs and plants. The small town of Veli Lošinj is easy to reach if you want to explore on foot. Overnight in Mali Lošinj.

Day 6 - MALI LOŠINJ ISLAND - CRES ISLAND (B, L)

Departure towards Cres after breakfast and the morning swim. This unspoiled island of long and narrow shape is abundant with olive groves, vineyards, forests of oak, beech and remarkable stone walls. Cres and Mali Lošinj were once connected as one island before the Romans dug a narrow channel to separate them. Spend the night in the port of Cres, a typical medieval town.

Day 7 - CRES ISLAND – OPATIJA (B, L)

After breakfast, depart towards Opatija. The famous Opatija Riviera is best seen from the sea. On arrival in the afternoon, join a walking tour of Opatija (included on Premium Superior). Stroll the longest lungomare (seaside promenade) in Croatia or stop in Volosko, a traditional fishing village with some of the best fish restaurants in the country.

Day 8 - OPATIJA (B)



Gather for one final breakfast, followed by goodbyes with all the new friends and the crew before they see you off in the port of Opatija.

Legend: B - breakfast, L - lunch, D - dinner, T - tasting, CD - Captain`s dinner



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VESSEL TYPE:

LENGTH:

PASSENGER CAPACITY:

BUILT/REFURBISHED:

Premium superior vessels are recently built mini deluxe vessels featuring similar comfort, but are smaller in size - 38 to 41m in length. Air-conditioned cabins are 8 to 14m2 in size with double or twin beds, hair dryer and safety deposit box. Included services: buffet breakfasts, three course lunches, Captain's dinner, English speaking tour manager on board, three guided tours, daily cabin service, mid-week fresh set of towels and bed linen, luggage handling. Spalato Lenght - 36.7m, Width - 7.6m, Built in 2011/2012. Boat is equipped with swim platform (stairs leading from sitting area at the backof the boat on main deck). Click Spalato cruise ship for more details Amalia Length - 37.4m, Width - 8.2m, Built in 2013. All cabins are airconditioned. Click Amalia cruise ship for more details Seagull Length - 35m, Width - 7m, Built in 1983, refurbushed in 2014. Click Seagull Croatia cruise ship for more details Majestic Majestic is a very comfortable premium vessel - Often used by The Small Cruise Ship Colelction for charters. Length - 37m, Width - 7.6m. Click Majestic cruise ship in Croatia for more details Moonlight Length - 37.4m, Width - 8.2m, built in 2017. All cabins are airconditioned. Click Moonlight cruise ship for more details Dream Length - 40.1m, Width - 8m, built in 2017. TOP DECK - total 1 cabin (double/twin beds). MAIN DECK - total 11 cabins (2 cabins with double bed, 8 cabins with doble/twin beds, 1 cabin can be triple) + 1 additional cabin available for guide only. UNDER DECK- total 8 cabins (with doble/twin beds) Click Dream cruise ship Croatia for details Lupus Mare Length - 42.5m, Width - 8.9m, built in 2011 and completely refurbished in 2021. Click Lupus Mare for more details Pictures shown below are from various ships in fleet, actual layout of cabins and ship may differ. Please Note: the deckplan below is an example only and may vary from



your ship.



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	Port fees (to be paid on board) 60
ADDITIONAL CHARGES:	**EUR pp**