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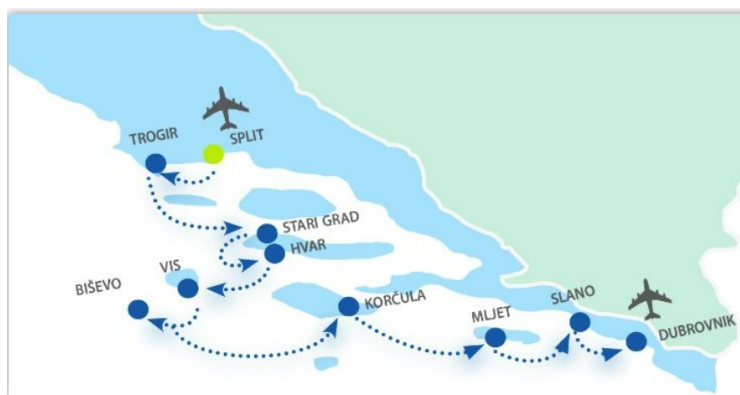
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SPLIT TO DUBROVNIK INCLUDING TROGIR

Join a small luxury vessel to visit many of the highlights and lesser known gems of Croatia's Adriatic coastline. We will spend most mornings cruising for a few hours and stopping in secluded bays for a relaxing swim, the afternoons exploring the historic towns and cities we visit and the evenings trying some of the plethora of restaurants and cafes that abound. This coastline has been controlled by the Ancient Greeks, Romans, Illyrians, Venice, Hungary, Serbia, Yugoslavia and finally Croatia, and the Ottomans and Italians have also had major influences. Marco Polo was born in Korcula and Roman Emperor Diocletian built a vast palace which still dominates Central Split today. Small ships None but the smallest cruise ships are allowed into many of the small harbours and ports that litter the Croatian coastline and islands. Many big ships visit Dubrovnik and Split but nothing in between, simply because they can't. They miss out on some of the highlights of this beautiful and historic region such as Hvar, Bol, Korcula and Vis. Our vessels, that carry a maximum of 40 people, can access all the small ports as well as the bays where we stop to swim on most days, and with just 40 people our guests are easily absorbed and catered for in the many small restaurants and cafes that abound.



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Day 1. Split

You will be transferred from Split airport or your Split hotel to harbour, where embarkation begins at 1 pm. Get settled in your cabin before attending a Welcome reception followed by dinner this evening. (WR & D).

Day 2 Split – Trogir (NP Krka excursion)

In the morning join a guided tour of Split, visit the seafront promenade and Roman Emperor Diocletian's Palace. The historical center of the city is listed as a UNESCO World Heritage site. Set sail to the old Dalmatian town Trogir. Trogir is sometimes referred to as "miniature Venice" or a "mini Dubrovnik" because of its ancient walls, or a "floating museum town" - as it has a masterful architecture including some

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stunning Venetian palaces. After disembarking in Trogir we will take the bus to visit Krka National Park. You will discover the pristine nature and waterfalls of the Krka National Park, an area extremely rich with flora and fauna. Overnight in Trogir. (B & L).

Day 3 Trogir – Stari Grad

Morning guided tour of Trogir with a local tour guide. Afterwards, enjoy sailing towards Stari Grad on the Island of Hvar, swim stop and lunch on board. Stari Grad is one of the oldest towns in Europe with many friendly and affordable konobas and restaurants in the backstreets of the old town. The Stari Grad Plain and the old town centre of Stari Grad have been listed as UNESCO World Heritage Sites since 2008. Your evening is free to explore Stari Grad on your own (B & L).

Day 4 Stari Grad – Hvar – Vis

Leaving Stari Grad in the morning towards city of Hvar. A sightseeing tour of Hvar town shows you the first public theatre in Europe and many more historical sites. Afterwards continue to Vis. The town of Vis is on the northern side of the island and was developed near the remains of ancient Issa, the first urban centre in Croatia, formed by the Greeks in 4th century B.C. Visit the remains of the Roman Baths, Church of Our Lady and City Museum or take a walk enjoying the view of the beautiful Village Rusticae situated along the coast. Your evening is free in Vis. (B & L)

Day 5 VIS – Biševo – Korula

Leaving Vis, we will have an early morning cruise towards Biševo island to visit the Blue Cave, a magnificent natural phenomenon on the islet Biševo just in front of the town of Komiža. Possibility of our visit will depend on weather conditions, however you will be notified of this on time. Afterwards, cruise towards the Korula, and the island's main settlement, known as the birthplace of Marco Polo, one of the world's most famous explorers of all times. Stop for lunch in one of the secluded bays en route. Afternoon arrival in Korula followed by a guided walking tour of one of the best-preserved medieval cities in the Mediterranean. Korula has an abundant choice of restaurants to enjoy and there are numerous bars and clubs for those looking for evening entertainment. Overnight in Korula. (B & L).

Day 6 Korula – Mljet – Slano (Oyster Tasting)

In the morning head further south to the Island of Mljet. Join the Cruise Manager for a stroll to the famous salt lakes in the Mljet National Park. Alternatively, you can rent bicycles, scooters, or kayaks to explore the National Park or island on your own. Lunch on board and departure for a small village called Slano on the mainland. Slano is a peaceful fishermen's village, and the starting point to Ston, situated on Pelješac peninsula, fortified small village famous for its oysters. Pelješac peninsula is known as one of the best wine-producing regions in Croatia. After exploring the town, we leave to a small nearby village to enjoy the authentic local oyster tasting. Tonight, enjoy Captain's dinner and overnight in Slano. (B, L, T & CD)

Day 7 Slano – Elaphiti Islands – Dubrovnik

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Early morning cruise to Elaphiti islands with swim stop on one of the secluded bays. Continue sail to Dubrovnik, and before we moor at port we cruise alongside the old city walls. After docking, join a guided tour with panoramic ride. After the panoramic view, we will arrive at the historical center of Dubrovnik, walk through STRADUN - both a street and a square, the most famous place inside the town walls, enlisted as UNESCO's World Heritage site. Your guide will show you the most interesting sights of the Old Town and visit the Franciscan Monastery with its Pharmacy. After city tour, you will be on your own to explore the city, visit City Walls, the Franciscan Monastery with Europe's second oldest pharmacy, the Rector's Palace, and the Cathedral, or take a boat ride to Lokrum island or take the cable car to the top of the Mount Sr . Overnight in Dubrovnik. (B & L)

Day 8 Dubrovnik Departure

After breakfast it's time to disembark. You will be transferred to Dubrovnik airport or your Dubrovnik hotel. (B).



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Equator & Prestige**

VESSEL TYPE:

LENGTH:

PASSENGER CAPACITY:

BUILT/REFURBISHED:

My Wish M/S My Wish is a brand new deluxe superior category vessel with latest state-of-the-art equipment and amenities. Maximum capacity is 38 passengers in 18 cabins, guaranteeing an intimate setting for all guests. Noteworthy are 10 upper deck cabins with private balconies. Each cabin is fully equipped with A/C, LCD TV, safe deposit box, fire alarm, internal communication system between room and bar. Bathrooms are equipped with toilet, shower, wash basin, hair dryer, slippers, bathrobe, and for added convenience cosmetic package. All cabins are sound-proof and each cabin comes with the fire-proof doors. Electricity on board: 220V. Ship Amenities: salon/restaurant, bar, outdoor showers, swimming platform, PA system, and jacuzzi. Cabins Upper Deck: - 10 double cabins with private balconies Lower Deck: - 4 double cabins, 2 twin cabins, 2 triple cabins Cabins include: LCD TV, A/C, safe deposit box, hair dryer, slippers, bathrobe, sound-proofing, internal communication system with bar. Read more about My Wish luxury Croatia cruise ship My Way The 46 metre long MV My Way was launched in 2018 and provides a high level of comfort to cruise the Croatian Coastline. Unusually My Way has

2 x single cabins as well as 19 double or twin cabins spread across 3 decks. There is a large outdoor eating area to the rear of the main deck, an indoor dining room with bar and the large sun deck features a small jacuzzi style pool. Read more about Croatia luxury cruise ship My Way Cabins All cabins have ensuite bathrooms with showers and W/C. All cabins have air conditioning, and are provided with toiletries, LCD TV, a safe, a hairdryer and a small desk. Upper deck cabins measure 8/10 M2 and have windows. Main deck cabins measure 12/14 M2, plus the ensuite bathroom. Main deck cabins have windows or portholes. Lower deck cabins 14/16 M2, plus the ensuite bathroom. Lower deck cabins have portholes. Arca M/S Arca is a modern deluxe vessel refurbished in 2017, with maximum capacity of 38 passengers in 19 twin and double cabins. All cabins are modern and fully equipped with A/C, LCD TV, safe deposit box, fire alarm, internal communication system between room and bar. Bathrooms are equipped with toilet, shower, wash basin, hair dryer, and for added convenience cosmetic package. All cabins are sound-proof and each cabin comes with the fire-proof doors. A fully air-conditioned upper deck dining room can accommodate all passengers at once, yet offer a great degree of privacy for each guest. There is free wireless internet (Wi-Fi), loudspeakers, audio-system, and a direct telephone communication cabin-bar on board. The kitchen is made in line with the latest HACCP standards. An extension of the restaurant is outdoors, on the covered part of the upper deck, spacious enough for all passengers and tables, chairs and including one public lavatory. To make the most of every swimming opportunity, there is a platform with a ladder for easy access to

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the water, as well as small swimming pool at the rear of the ship. Electricity on board: 220V. Cabins All cabins have are fully equipped with A/C, LCD TV, safe deposit box, fire alarm, internal communication system between room and bar. Bathrooms are equipped with toilet, shower, wash basin, hair dryer, slippers, bathrobe, and for added convenience cosmetic package. All cabins are sound-proof and each cabin comes with the fire-proof doors. Read about MS Arca luxury cruise ship in Croatia Desire The wonderful M/S Desire, launched in 2017, is a state-of-the-art vessel with the latest equipment and amenities. Maximum capacity is 38 passengers in 19 twin, double and triple cabins, guaranteeing an intimate setting for all guests. At 48 metres long she is one of the roomier vessels to be found along this coastline. All cabins have are fully equipped with A/C, LCD TV, safe deposit box, fire alarm, internal communication system between room and bar. Bathrooms are equipped with toilet, shower, wash basin, hair dryer, slippers, bathrobe, and for added convenience cosmetic package. All cabins are sound-proof and each cabin comes with the fire-proof doors. A fully air-conditioned upper deck dining room can accommodate all passengers at once, yet offer a great degree of privacy for each guest. The restaurant is equipped with a bar and LCD TV, and each table has easy-access chairs. There is also a corner table for buffet breakfast, armchair and small coffee table in the bar, as well as free wireless internet (Wi-Fi), loudspeakers, audio-system, and a direct telephone communication cabin-bar. The kitchen is made in line with the latest HACCP standards. An extension of the restaurant is outdoors, on the covered part of the upper deck, spacious enough for all passengers and tables, chairs and including one public lavatory. Electricity on board: 220V. Read more about Luxury Croatia cruise ship Desire Equator Equator was built and

launched in 2017 in the Split shipyard, having been designed specifically for cruising the coast and islands of Croatia's Adriatic coastline. With its compact size (39 metres long) and good maneuvering abilities, she can access the small ports and harbours of inaccessible to even medium sized cruise vessels. She has just 18 cabins, Equator carries a maximum of just 36 passengers in comfort. Equator is smaller and less luxurious than the other ships above, but still provides an excellent and comfortable base to explore the coast of Croatia. Equator has 18 spacious cabins, all with private facilities and air-conditioning providing a premium cruise. Passenger cabins are situated on two decks and are all fully air conditioned, with an independent ventilation system and modern private en suite shower and toilet. All cabins are equipped with twin (200x80 cm) or double (200x160 cm) beds, Satellite LCD TV, desk and chair, mirror, night lamps, safe deposit box, radio, hair dryer, 220 V electric supply, lifejacket, wardrobe and luggage space under bed, as well as the latest safety & fire alarm and sound system for messages from the cruise manager or group leader. Standard cabins have two portholes while main deck cabins have a cabin window and porthole in bathroom. Read more about MV Equator Croatia Cruise ship Prestige The 47 metre Prestige was built specifically for cruising the Croatian coastline and she is perfectly adapted to provide the maximum luxury whilst still being small enough to access the many small ports, harbours and bays that even medium size cruise ships can only dream of. Cabins Prestige has just 20 cabins all with air-conditioning and ensuite shower and W/C as well as TV, safe deposit box, hair dyer and sound proofing. Click here to read about Prestige Luxury Croatia



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