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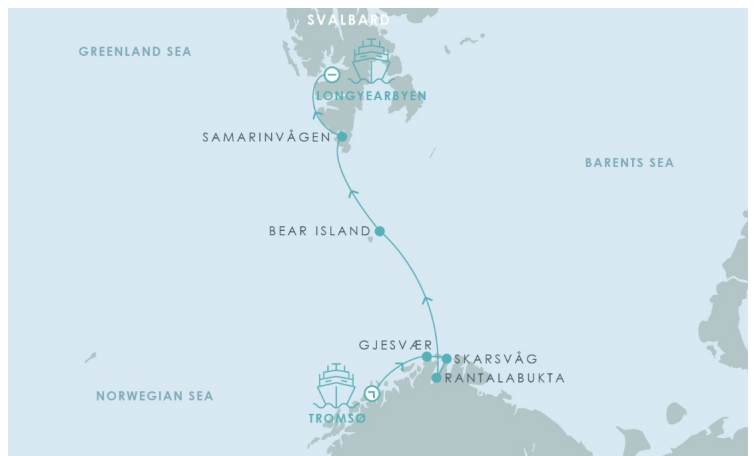


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## TROMSØ, BEAR ISLAND & SVALBARD - 6 DAY CRUISE

This 5-night Arctic journey explores some of the region's most remote and striking frontiers. Glide past calving glaciers where bearded seals rest on drifting ice, and visit Bear Island - a sanctuary for puffins, guillemots, and fulmars. On Reinøya, discover traces of Sami heritage amid raised beaches and dramatic geological formations, while other coastal areas reveal fishing villages and bird cliffs alive with reindeer, gannets, and kittiwakes. Every landing and tender excursion offers an intimate perspective of the Arctic's raw beauty, from towering cliffs and pristine tundra to the bustling seabird colonies that define this wild and extraordinary environment.



### ITINERARY

#### Day 1 The Arctic Circle Tromsø

Our journey begins in Tromsø, located 300 kilometers above the Arctic Circle and commonly known as the 'Paris of the North'. Board Aqua Lares and settle into your luxurious cabin as we set sail into the wilderness.

#### Day 2 The Arctic Circle Gjesvær & Skarsvåg (Nordkapp)

The day begins with an exploration of Gjesvaer, setting out by tender to Gjesvaerstappan, where puffins, gannets, and kittiwakes gather in one of Europe's largest seabird colonies. In the afternoon, we continue to Skarsvag, one of Europe's northernmost villages, where wild reindeer wander past clusters of colorful houses.

#### Day 3 The Arctic Circle Rantalabukta (Reinøya)

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Step ashore on Reinøya, a secluded island once used by Sami herders for reindeer grazing. Join our expert naturalist guides on walks across raised beaches to witness remarkable geological formations.

#### Day 4 The Arctic Circle Bear Island

Today, we head out on excursions along the remote cliffs of Bear Island, home to vast colonies of puffins, guillemots, and fulmars. Enjoy close encounters with the destination's remarkable population of seabirds while out on a tender exploration. Learn more about the island's unique ecology from our naturalist guides.

#### Day 5 The Arctic Circle Samarinvågen

Begin the day exploring Samarinvågen, where a calving glacier fills the bay with ice floes that serve as haul-out sites for bearded seals. Watch seabirds such as little auks, Brunnich's guillemots, and king eiders, and with luck, glimpse a beluga.

#### Day 6 The Arctic Circle Longyearbyen

Bid farewell to Aqua Lares and the crew after a hearty breakfast on board.

Please note:

Itineraries are subject to change.



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## YOUR SHIP: AQUA LARES

**YOUR SHIP:** Aqua Lares

**VESSEL TYPE:**

**LENGTH:**

**PASSENGER CAPACITY:**

**BUILT/REFURBISHED:**

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



and Africa.

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## PRICING

### 10-Sep-2026 to 15-Sep-2026

Cabin. From £7819 GBP pp

### 31-May-2027 to 05-Jun-2027

Cabin. From £8205 GBP pp

### 28-Aug-2027 to 02-Sep-2027

Cabin. From £8205 GBP pp

### 29-May-2028 to 03-Jun-2028

Cabin. From £8875 GBP pp

### 09-Sep-2028 to 14-Sep-2028

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