

WILD LANDS OF SCOTLAND, THE FAROE ISLANDS AND ICELAND - LUXURY CRUISE

From Celtic shores to the volcanic boundaries of Iceland , this journey follows in the footsteps of awild and magnetic North. In Ireland and Scotland, there is one natural wonder after another. Mysterious basalt rocks, windswept beaches, Highlands sculpted by the lochs and the mist continue to resonate to the rhythm of past legends. Further north, the Fareoe Islands archipelago reveals itself, between sheer summits, hanging meadows populated with sheep and rugged cliffs sheltering colonies of seabirds. Then, mineral, wild and dizzying Iceland -- the perfect conclusion to this odyssey into the heart of Nordic landscapes , featuring fishing villages, mythology and grandiose nature.



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Day 1 - Rosyth (Edinburgh), Scotland

Situated on the southern shore of the Firth of Forth opposite to Rosyth, the great city of Edinburgh has served as Scotland's capital since the 15th century. Although no longer the largest city in the country, it remains the political, religious, and cultural focus of Scottish pride. **Edinburgh Castle** , in the very center of the city, is one end of the world famous **Royal Mile** that leads through the **Old Town** to the **Palace of Holyroo** d, the Queen's official residence in Scotland. A **UNESCO World Heritage site** , it is a wonderful place to shop and to sample local delicacies, like haggis and the whisky for which Scotland is renowned.



Day 2 - At sea

During your journey at sea, make the most of the many services and activities on board. Treat yourself to a moment of relaxation in the spa or stay in shape in the fitness centre. Depending on the season, let yourself be tempted by the swimming pool or a spot of sunbathing. This journey without a port of call will also be an opportunity to enjoy the conferences or shows proposed on board, depending on the activities offered, or to do some shopping in the boutique or to meet the PONANT photographers in their dedicated space. As for lovers of the open sea, they will be able to visit the ship's upper deck to admire the spectacle of the waves and perhaps be lucky enough to observe marine species. A truly enchanted interlude, combining comfort, rest and entertainment.

Day 3 - Lerwick, Shetland Islands

The small and charming **capital of the Shetland Islands** , with its sea front of old houses and narrow streets, offering travellers its old districts and a warm port atmosphere. **Geopark Shetland** , a **UNESCO World Heritage Site** , is located to the north. Incredibly well-preserved archaeological sites and ruins prove that the islands' occupation dates back to the first Neolithic colonies. **The Shetland Museum** and Archives recounts the Shetlands' history of heritage and culture: Lerwick's abundant waters were even fished by the Dutch in the past.

Day 4 - Kirkwall, Orkney

Capital of the **Orkney archipelago,** **Kirkwall,** which means "church bay", is an ideal stopover before continuing on to the **Northern Isles.** Sheltered in a wide bay, the lively town welcomes the visitor with its charming paved alleyways edged by old houses and craft shops. **Tankerness House,** the oldest homestead in the town, is a must-see landmark. But the true architectural treasure of the aptly named Kirkwall is none other than its remarkable red and gold stone cathedral. And because whisky is inseparable from Scotland's identity, stop at the Highland Park Distillery for a highly instructive visit.

Day 5 - Ullapool, Scotland

On the West Coast of the **Northern Highlands,** you're sure to be charmed by the picturesque city of **Ullapool,** so often admired by holidaymakers passing through. While this delightful fishing port has proven to be the ideal departure point for exploring the region on foot, the place itself is worth the detour. Stretching along the quiet, majestic banks of **loch Broom,** whitewashed cottages line the harbour and the pretty pebble beach. The view of the surrounding mountains only makes this image postcard-perfect. To find out more about Ullapool's origins, you can visit the town's museum dedicated to local history.

Day 6 - Stornoway, Hebrides

Discover **Lewis** , the largest island of the Hebrides, considered to be the cradle of Gaelic culture. Here, the peat- and heather- covered valleys and lochs stretch on to infinity, and numerous bird colonies have taken up residence in the long, jagged coastlines where. Not far from **Stornoway** , the island's main town, built by the Vikings in the 9th century stands one of Scotland's most prominent prehistoric sites: The **Standing Stones of Callanish**. Dating back to more than 3,000 years B.C., these imposing stones placed in a cruciform pattern were laid out according to the moon and stars and their main purpose was to keep track of seasonal cycles, as this was essential for farmers at the time.



Day 7 - Suduroy Island, Faroe Islands

Suduroy Island , literally "South Island", has one of the smallest populations in the **Faroe Islands**. It has sheer cliffs along its western face. The island is an important breeding ground for seabirds, including **northern fulmars** , **black-legged kittiwakes** , **Atlantic puffins** , and **guillemots**. You will be guided through the island, exploring its authentic villages with black, tarred-wood churches typical of the Faroe Islands, as well as its hiking trails lined with peat fields and stone sheepfolds. Sheep are indeed omnipresent throughout the Faroe Islands -- in fact, there are more sheep than humans --, and they add to the charm of these wild landscapes.

Day 8 - Streymoy Island, Faroe Islands

Streymoy Island is the largest and most populated of the **Faroe Islands** , with 22,500 inhabitants. Lying between Scotland and Iceland, the 18-island Danish archipelago boasts natural wonders that will fascinate lovers of the great outdoors. Here, the hilly green landscapes stand in contrast with the huge basalt cliffs and the invigorating air shifts with the moods of the ocean. To the north, the small village of **Saksun** , with its traditional grass-covered rooftops, has 14 inhabitants. In the curve of a magnificent natural amphitheatre, it overlooks a fjord with a lagoon: an idyllic setting in a secluded and peaceful environment. To the west, in **Vestmanna** , myriad birds nest in the crags along the eroded and vertiginous cliff faces.

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Day 10 - Djúpivogur

Djupivogur is a small town and municipality located on a peninsula in the Austurland in eastern Iceland. The coastline consists of three magnificent fjords, Berufjorður, Hamarsfjorður, and Álftafjorður which create a striking landscape to explore. On land, the town is shadowed by Bulandstindur, a pyramid-shaped basalt mountain peaking at 1069 m, making for an incredible sight. Numerous local legends surround this mountain, which is said to grant wishes during the summer solstice.

Day 11 - Heimaey, Vestmannaeyjar

This land seated off the southern coast of Iceland is the largest of the **Vestmann islands,** and is the only inhabited island in the archipelago. The steep Edfell volcanoes and the green prairies of Herjolfsdalur offer rich contrast of nature. On the Storhofði road, look out over grey sand beaches and cliffs carved out by the Arctic ocean. From here, you can also see the bronze landscapes of the mountaintops. You could visit **Eldheimar** , an ultra-modern and interactive museum which traces the volcanic eruption has experienced Heimaey in 1973.

Day 11 - Sailing in the Vestmannaeyjar



The Westman Islands were formed from a succession of underwater eruptions and consist of 15 islands and around 30 islets. As you will discover, Heimaey has a rich history and captivating landscapes. Dominated by the Eldfjall, it's the only island in the chain that is inhabited. This exceptional site has a very pronounced relief taking in vertiginous cliffs, reefs, sea caves, and surf. Raise your eyes and you will be able to admire the spectacular dives of the Gannets.

Day 12 - Reykjavík

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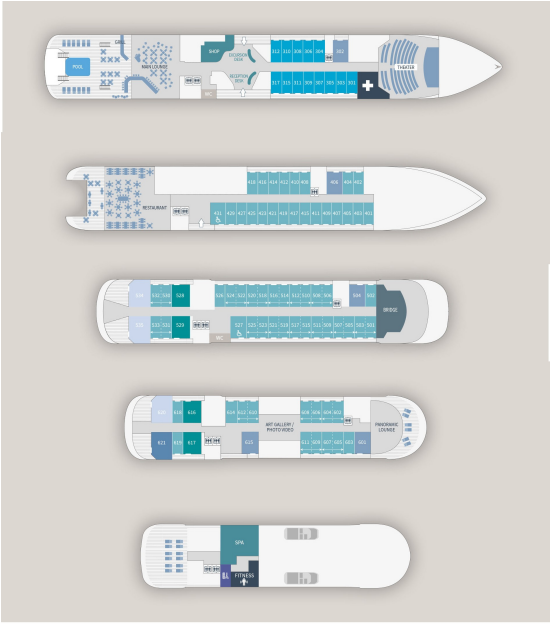
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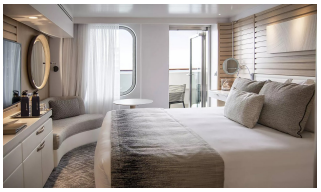
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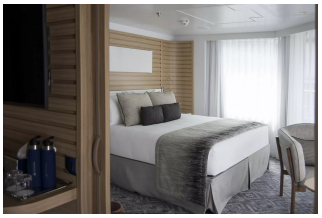
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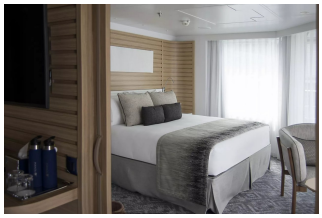


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