

Southern Explorer Cruise Itinerary

DAY 1 - SATURDAY SPLIT – MAKARSKA

Departure from Split harbour towards Makarska at 1pm. Cruise along the Dalmatian coast whilst enjoying your lunch. Afternoon swim at one of the wonderful beaches. Overnight in the lively port of Makarska, which has a lovely pebble beach and numerous cafés and restaurants.

DAY 2 - SUNDAY MAKARSKA – MLJET

Early morning departure towards Mljet with a stop on the Pelješac peninsula for a refreshing swim. Afternoon visit to Mljet National Park to enjoy the tranquility of this peaceful island (entry to the National Park is extra). In the middle of the large lake, inside the National park, there is a monastery and church on the island of St. Mary isle. Overnight in port Polača/Pomena.

DAY 3 - MONDAY MLJET – DUBROVNIK

After breakfast depart for Dubrovnik, the highlight of this cruise. Enjoy superb scenery before arriving in Dubrovnik in the afternoon where you can join a guided tour of the city (included). There is an optional cable car ride up to Srđ Mountain for spectacular views of the old town. Take a walk through STRADUN – both a street and a square, a promenade inside the city walls. We also recommend a walk around the city walls! Overnight in Dubrovnik.

DAY 4 - TUESDAY DUBROVNIK – ŠIPAN/TRSTENIK

The morning is free to explore Dubrovnik. Noon departure to continue the cruise towards Šipan Island or the small town of Trstenik on the Pelješac peninsula, where there is the possibility of a swim stop in the afternoon. Overnight in port.

DAY 5 - WEDNESDAY ŠIPAN/TRSTENIK – KORČULA

After breakfast depart for Korčula, swim stop and lunch on board in the bay near the town. Afternoon arrival and overnight in port. Surrounded by ancient walls and fortified bastions Korčula's old town

is very well preserved with its layout and structure dating back to 13th century. Optional sightseeing tour Korčula and wine tasting at a local winery before dining in one of the numerous seafront restaurants or konobas on your own.

DAY 6 - THURSDAY KORČULA – HVAR

Early departure towards the Pakleni Islands for lunch and a swim stop followed by afternoon sightseeing of Hvar, the longest island in the Adriatic. Hvar offers abundant entertainment, excellent restaurants, bars and cafes that are open long into the night. Overnight in Hvar.

DAY 7 - FRIDAY HVAR (BOL) - SPLIT

Swimming is planned at the most famous beach in Dalmatia – Zlatni Rat near Bol which is a typical fishermen's village converted into a popular tourist destination. After lunch start cruise back to Split and a swim stop is planned en route in one of the many bays on Brač Island. There is an optional guided tour of Split, a fine city with Roman architecture and the Diocletian Palace. Overnight in Split.

DAY 8 - SATURDAY SPLIT

Early breakfast, check out and transfer to Split airport for your flight home or extend your stay in this historic City.

Please note: for reasons of navigational safety, the captain and crew of the boat may decide to modify the cruise itinerary, which is beyond Orbital Travel's control.

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS

We have a number of optional excursions which can be booked on board the boat and can be paid for in either EURO, £GBP or the local KUNA currency.

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****SOUTHERN EXPLORER CRUISE****

2 or 5 night mini cruises available

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