

Croatia's Dalmatian Coast

7-night Small Ship Cruise



17 AUG

DUBROVNIK

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Arrive in Dubrovnik today – airport or hotel transfer included. Check in to your small ship moored in Gruž Port from 2pm onwards. After meeting your Tour Hostess and settling in, we'll head to the city gates for a guided tour of the Old Town where you will discover the charm and fascination of Dubrovnik. The Onofrio's Fountain, Franciscan and Dominican monasteries, and Rector's Palace. Take the cable car from the Old Town to Mount Srđ for incredible scenic views of the city and Elaphiti Islands. This evening enjoy a welcome cocktail and dinner to meet your Captain, crew and fellow cruise passengers.

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ELAPHITI ISLANDS - STON - SLANO

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During breakfast take in the spectacular scenery, as the ship cruises around Dubrovnik City Walls, before continuing to one of the Elaphiti Islands for a swim stop. Afternoon arrival in Slano, a peaceful fishermen's village and the starting point to Ston, a once fortified small town, famous for its medieval ramparts, saltworks and oysters. After exploring the town our excursion takes us to a family-owned oyster farm for a special tasting and experience. Return to the ship for an evening at leisure, to enjoy this peaceful village.

19 AUG

MLJET - KORČULA

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Today we head further north to the Island of Mljet. Join the Cruise Director for a stroll to the famous saltwater lakes in the National Park and enjoy a boat ride to St Mary Isle to visit an ancient Benedictine monastery. Cruise towards Korčula, the birthplace of Marco Polo. Lunch is in a secluded bay enroute. A fish bone street pattern design was used in Korčula Old Town to reduce effects of wind and sun and provide citizens with sheltered and comfortable accommodation. Discover the town and later there are many wonderful restaurants to dine at or an optional excursion to a small village near Korčula where you will enjoy dinner and hear about history and true local life.



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VIS

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Cruise to the Island of Vis, which was once a naval base and closed to tourists. Due to this isolation, it has a unique charm. On arrival to Vis Town, your time is at leisure. Visit the remains of the Roman thermal place, town museum, or simply enjoy the surrounds. This evening make sure to dine at a local fish restaurant to sample fish and seafood prepared in traditional Dalmatian style.

21 AUG

BIŠEVO – HVAR

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Cruise towards Biševo to visit the Blue Cave, a magnificent natural phenomenon (visit is weather dependent). Continue to Hvar, the longest and sunniest island in the Adriatic. We explore Hvar Old Town and see the Renaissance cathedral with its original tower and the oldest community theatre in Europe. We take a walk to a family-owned winery, where we learn about its history of wine making and sample the local Dalmatian wine. One last stop takes us to the must-see Spanish Fortress which offers incredibly scenic views of the town and Pakleni Islands. This evening experience the electric atmosphere of Hvar's famous nightlife. Dine at a local restaurant or visit the bars and cafes which are open long into the night.

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BOL – TROGIR

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Morning departure to Brač Island, where swimming is planned at the most famous beach in Dalmatia, Zlatni Rat near Bol. Bol is a typical fishermen's town, converted into a popular tourist destination. Continue to Trogir, a UNESCO World Heritage protected historic stone town, often described as an open-air museum. We explore the charming town with its narrow alleyways and view the Cathedral of St Lawrence and the magnificent Kamerlengo Tower. Return to the ship for your Captain's Dinner with live entertainment to dance the night away.

23 AUG

SPLIT

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This morning we visit a gorgeous bay for a swim stop, before our lunch is served and we arrive to Split. Enjoy a guided tour of Split, a historic city under UNESCO protection and part of the world heritage with an abundance of Roman architecture including Roman Emperor Diocletian's Palace and its cellars. Enjoy your final evening at leisure to explore this vibrant city.

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CRUISE ENDS SPLIT

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Say farewell to your crew and fellow travellers and check out by 9am. Transfer included to airport or Split hotel.

Date:

Start: Dubrovnik 17 August 2024

End: Split 24 August 2024

Price:

NZ\$5970 per person VIP Upper Deck

NZ\$9435 single VIP Upper Deck

NZ\$5395 per person twin share Main Deck

NZ\$8515 single Main Deck

NZ\$4720 per person twin share Lower Deck

NZ\$7430 single Lower Deck

Includes:

- Airport or hotel transfers Day 1 & 8
- 7 Nights in A/C ensuite cabin
- Welcome Reception & Cocktail
- Meals as specified (B-breakfast, L-lunch, T-tasting, D-Dinner)
- 1 Captain's Dinner with aperitif & live entertainment
- Ston Oyster Farm Visit & Tasting
- Wine Tasting on Island of Hvar
- Olive Oil & Wine Tasting Onboard
- Fresh fruit, tea & coffee after lunch daily
- Water dispenser
- Spectacular cruise along Dubrovnik City Walls
- Travel Host
- Cruise Director
- Daily cabin service & towel change
- Linen change mid week
- Free WiFi (restrictions may apply)
- Tourist taxes & port fees
- Headsets
- Porterage
- Sightseeing in Dubrovnik, Korčula, Hvar, Trogir, Split
- Entrance fees – Dubrovnik Cable Car, Mljet National Park, Hvar Spanish Fortress, Split Diocletian Palace Cellars

Excludes:

- Tipping
- Korčula Village optional dinner €45-60 per person approx.

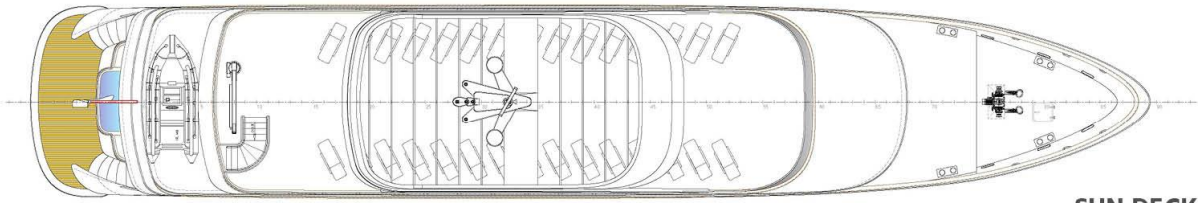
- Biševo Blue Cave optional excursion €18 per person approx.
- Airfares to/from Dubrovnik/Split
- Travel insurance (compulsory)

The Captain reserves the right to change the route in case of bad weather conditions, crowding or other circumstances out of his control. Departures are guaranteed for minimum 10 participants. Cruise Operator reserves the right to cancel or change the ship name if necessary. Guests are obliged to follow ship rules (found in written form onboard). Guests are not permitted to bring beverages onboard the vessel that have been purchased onshore. All drinks must be purchased onboard. In the event of inappropriate behaviour the Cruise Operator and Captain reserves the right to disembark guests. Most arrival times in port are in the late afternoon. Route, Itinerary & Inclusions are subject to change without prior notice. Port taxes, entrance fees, sightseeing and excursions (if not included in the package) must be paid in local currency upon arrival.

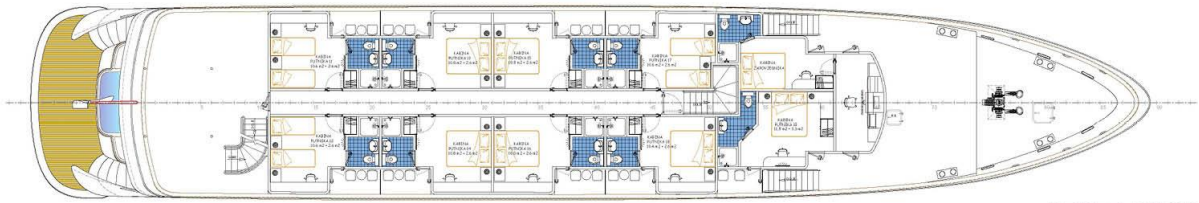
Your ship - MS Aurelia



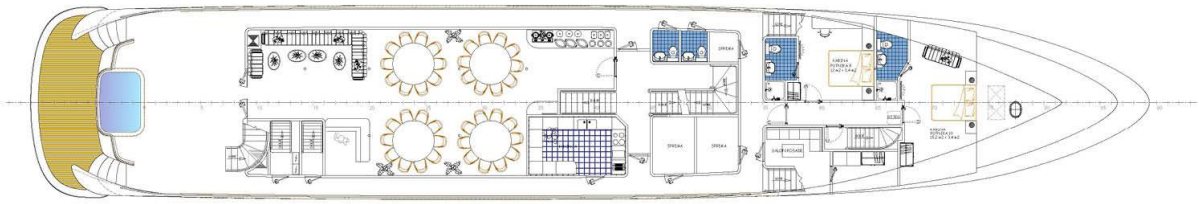
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Length:	49.8m
Width:	8.63m
Max Capacity:	36
Crew Number:	8-10
Salon:	Yes
Restaurant:	Yes
Bar:	Yes
LCD TV:	Yes
Shaded Lounge:	Yes
Lounge Chairs / Sofas:	Yes
Club Tables:	Yes
Sun Deck:	Yes (250m ²)
Sun Beds / Deck Chairs:	Yes
Jacuzzi:	Yes
Pool:	Yes (mini)
Swimming Platform:	Yes



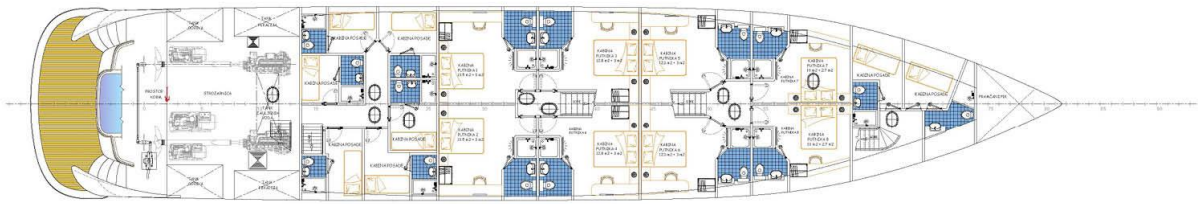
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UPPER DECK



MAIN DECK



LOWER DECK

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