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## Day 1 | Welcome to Zagreb



Your Croatian adventure begins in the Capital, Zagreb. Relax and settle in or perhaps head for the romantic chestnut-lined Stross Promenade for your first views over the city. Join your Travel Director for dinner, with the opportunity to get to know your fellow travelers over a pleasant evening with wine.

**Meals:** Dinner

**Hotel:** Sheraton Zagreb

## Day 2 | Zagreb's Twin Towns



Join your Local Expert to explore the two-tiered capital of Croatia. Take a walk to see the Art Pavilion, the Academy of Sciences and Arts, and pass by Zrinjevac Park. Then board the city's funicular to St. Mark's Church and the Lotrščak Tower, before walking back down through the Stone Gate and returning to the Square. The afternoon is at leisure—relax and enjoy your hotel's amenities, or perhaps take an Optional Experience to Kumrovec, the birthplace of Tito.

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Hotel:** Sheraton Zagreb

## OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

***Croatian Countryside Experience*** - Journey through the beautiful rolling countryside of the Zagorje region with our Local Expert to the charming village of Kumrovec. We'll visit the simple peasant house of the late Marshal Tito for a local perspective into this region's complicated and bloody history. The surrounding properties have been restored to represent the village life of 100 years ago. Later, we'll enjoy a farm-to-table meal with drinks in a picturesque restaurant much favored by the locals. Magnificent views of the rolling, vine-clad hills and Veliki Tabor Castle come as a bonus!

Adult: 85.00 EUR

### Day 3 | Postojna Caves and on to Opatija



Venture into Slovenia to visit the world-famous Postojna Caves. Step aboard the cave train and descend into a subterranean world of stunning stalactites, stalagmites, columns and curtains. Marvel at the five-meter tall Brilliant, the cave's most beautiful stalagmite. Return to Croatia in your hotel in Opatija.

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Hotel:** Grand Adriatic/Amadria Park Grand 4 Opatijska Cvijeta, Opatija

### OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

**Opatija Dinner** - Enjoy a traditional Istrian dinner at a charming rustic restaurant in a small village above Kvarner Bay. You'll be treated to a true homely atmosphere and homemade food inspired by the local produce. Sip on Istrian wine and savor every bite of your meal while taking in blooming surroundings.

Adult: 74.00 EUR

### Day 4 | Discover the Jewels of Istria



Cross the heart-shaped peninsula to explore the Jewels of Istria with your Local Expert. Visit the well-preserved first-century arena at Pula, scene of brutal gladiatorial battles in Roman times. Continue to the charming old town of Rovinj, rising directly from the sea. Wander through the cobbled streets lined with tempting shops, pastel-colored bars and sidewalk cafes.

**Meals:** Breakfast, Dinner

**Hotel:** Grand Adriatic, Opatija

### Day 5 | Pristine PLITVIČE Lakes National Park



Enjoy the scenery of the Adriatic coast in the morning, journey past sparkling deep blue seas, studded with rocky islands, before heading inland to visit one of Europe's great natural wonders. Explore Plitviče with Insight Choice. Choose between two MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experiences: Join a Local Expert to explore Plitviče Lakes National Park and learn how the site actively carries out research to monitor the natural habitat of species. Alternatively meet one of the women behind the Tara Community Center, who produce handicrafts, enabling employment and engagement in the community.

**Meals:** Breakfast, Dinner

**Hotel:** Lyra, Ličko Petrovo Selo

## Day 6 | The Dalmatian Coast to Split



The green forests of Plitviče Lakes National Park give way to pebble-dashed shores lapped by turquoise waters. Walk through the Roman Ruins and market to see the sea organ of Zadar. Witness the dramatic change in landscape, as you travel through Mediterranean olive groves on your way to Trogir, a city founded by the Greeks in 3rd century BC. Admire the cathedral and Renaissance Čipiko Palace before continuing to the historic city of Solin. In the evening, don't miss the opportunity of dinner in a traditional konoba.

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Hotel:** President Solin, Split

### OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

**Konoba Dinner** - For the authentic Dalmatian cuisine experience, dinner in a traditional 'konoba', is a must. Friendly staff serve a variety of seafood or meat, accompanied by good local wine and entertaining Dalmatian musicians. A night to make you fall in love with the tastes and flavors of the Adriatic.  
Adult: 77.00 EUR

## Day 7 | Island Hopping to Hvar



The Roman Emperor Diocletian built his palace here, and today it forms the heart of the Old Town of Split. With your Local Expert, explore the 1,700-year-old palace cellars and learn the story of the infamous emperor. Continue through the labyrinthine streets and arcaded squares to see St. Duje's, originally Diocletian's Mausoleum, and the Golden Gate. Your island-hopping adventure begins here. Cross the azure waters of the Adriatic to spend two nights on Hvar, famed for being the sunniest island in the country and boasting an interior dotted with lofty mountain peaks and aromatic fields of lavender.

**Meals:** Breakfast, Dinner

**Hotel:** Amfora, Hvar Grand Beach Resort

## Day 8 | Exploring the Island of Hvar



Enjoy a full day at leisure as you explore the hidden coves, secluded beaches and villages of Hvar Island. Spend time discovering Hvar Town, known for its elegant harbor, historic architecture and lively atmosphere. Wander the marble streets of the Old Town, climb to the Venetian Fortress for sweeping views over the Pakleni Islands, or relax by the waterfront and enjoy fresh seafood at a local restaurant. You may also wish to explore the boutiques and cafes lining the yacht-filled marina, long a favorite playground of the rich and famous. For those looking to delve deeper, an Optional Experience invites you to uncover some of Croatia's oldest settlements, including the UNESCO-protected Stari Grad and Vrboska, with a visit to a local wine cellar for a tasting complemented by local specialties.

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Hotel:** Amfora, Hvar Grand Beach Resort

### OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

**Stari Grad and Vrboska Wine Tasting** - Travel the scenic old road with your Local Expert to UNESCO-listed Stari Grad, where you'll explore its historic streets and see the 16th-century home of poet Petar Hektorović. In nearby Vrboska, meet a local winemaker for a guided tasting paired with local specialties, finishing with a digestif and homemade cake.  
Adult: 73.00 EUR

Day 9 | On the Trail of Marco Polo to Korčula



Cruise back to the mainland and continue your journey to the island of Korčula, known for its grace, history and rich culture. The perfect place for relaxing, the island is filled with quiet coves and small beaches that dot the south coastline. This evening, dinner will be at the hotel.

**Meals:** Breakfast, Dinner

**Hotel:** Liburna, Korcula

Day 10 | Captivating Korčula



In the morning, join a knowledgeable Local Expert for a walking tour of the Old Town. Marvel at spectacular views of the mainland as you stroll towards the main square of Korčula where the Cathedral of St. Mark dominates the ancient skyline. Hear about local legends and history from your Local Expert, stopping by the Town Museum, the Bishop's Palace with its treasury collection and the Town Hall. Visit the ruins of the house where according to local legend Marco Polo was born.

The rest of the day is at your leisure to enjoy the narrow streets, beautiful churches and magnificent palaces of this charming medieval town.

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Hotel:** Liburna, Korcula

#### OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

You will be offered one of the following two Optional Experiences depending on availability:

**Scenic Drive and Koboba Belin** - Enjoy a scenic drive with our Local Expert as we pass the rustic villages and towns of Korcula. We'll enjoy picturesque views past vineyards and the island's coastline as we make our way to the heart of the oldest settlement on the island. Finally, we're welcomed in traditional style before dining on home-made fare in our atmospheric family-run venue, built by a father and his sons in their own home! Dobar Tek!

Adult: 72.00 EUR

**Best of Korcula** - Enjoy a scenic coastal cruise with our Local Expert as we pass the old port town of Korcula for superb photo opportunities. We'll continue past the island of Badija, known for its Franciscan monastery & stone quarries. Landing in Lumbarda, we'll enjoy picturesque views over the vineyards as we make our way to the heart of the oldest settlement on the island. Finally, we're welcomed in traditional style before dining on home-made fare in our atmospheric family-run venue, built by a father and his sons in their own home! Dobar Tek!

Adult: 92.00 EUR

## Day 11 | Dubrovnik, Pearl of the Adriatic



Journey to the beautiful southern slopes of the Pelješac Peninsula. Weather permitting, cruise the tranquil waters of the bay of Mali Ston and admire the surrounding untouched natural beauty, as you enjoy a glass of traditional Croatian brandy. Stop at a shellfish farm and meet a local oyster farmer, to learn about the cultivation and harvest of oysters. Enjoy a delicious Sea-to-Table tasting of the fresh shellfish, accompanied by a glass of wine. Continue to the walled town of Dubrovnik, 'paradise on Earth' according to George Bernard Shaw. Join a walking exploration of the city, guided by a Local Expert. Get a glimpse into local life, as you explore the stone-paved streets inside the 16th-century bastions of the Old Town. Walk past Onofrio's Fountain, see Saint Blaise's Church, and marvel at the grandeur of the cathedral and the Franciscan Monastery. With the rest of the day at your leisure, perhaps enjoy the luxuries of the five-star Hotel Dubrovnik Palace, your home for the next three nights.

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Hotel:** Dubrovnik Palace

### OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

***Olive Mill & UNESCO Protected Peka Dinner*** - Visit a household just outside Dubrovnik. Begin with a short walk through the old part of the village while learning about rural living and the Village itself. You are welcomed into the home to enjoy a homemade meal with wine while learning about olive oil production the old-fashioned way and about our hosts: A perfect way to get to know the locals and their lifestyle!

Adult: 78.00 EUR

## Day 12 | Optional Montenegro Experience



Spend the day at your leisure or enjoy an optional visit to Montenegro, traveling along the coast to the pretty port town of Kotor, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. A photographer's dream, capture one of the most beautiful parts of the bay and learn about some of the compelling history of this area. Return to Dubrovnik and enjoy an evening at your leisure. Perhaps start at a trendy wine bar, followed by dinner at a romantic sidewalk cafe?

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Hotel:** Dubrovnik Palace

### OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

***Excursion to Kotor, Montenegro*** - You'll drive South along the coast with our Local Expert into Montenegro and the pretty town of Kotor, situated on the Adriatic's only fjord, listed with UNESCO World Heritage Sites. Visit one of the most beautiful parts of the bay and learn some of the compelling history of the area.

Adult: 66.00 EUR

## Day 13 | Dubrovnik at Leisure



Make the most of a day at leisure in the Pearl of the Adriatic. Relax by the pool, shop in the markets or perhaps take the opportunity to visit Cavtat, one of the most enchanting seaside resorts in Croatia. This evening, should weather permit, you're invited to embark on a dazzling cruise around the fabled bay of Dubrovnik. Savor authentic flavors of local specialties over dinner with your fellow travelers.

**Meals:** Breakfast, Dinner

**Hotel:** Dubrovnik Palace

## OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES:

***Cavtat and Local Winery Experience*** - Head to a nearby winery where you will get to enjoy four wines and some light food while overlooking the surrounding mountains and vineyards. This experience will have you meeting a local family and enjoying all they have to offer.

Adult: 64.00 EUR

## Day 14 | Depart Dubrovnik



Your journey comes to an end after breakfast.

**Meals:** Breakfast

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