

# WORLD-WIDE CRUISES

CANALS • RIVERS • OCEANS



Life is more beautiful on the water...





### **BEST VALUE FOR MONEY**



All meals included: buffet breakfast and 3-course lunch and dinner served in our restaurant.



Soft and alcohol drinks<sup>(1)</sup> included during meals and at the bar whilst on board (premium brands are available at an extra cost) except for Christmas Market cruises and certain other cruises as noted.



Shore excursions included as outlined in the itinerary.



Audiophones are provided during most excursions.



Onboard entertainment.



Free Wi-Fi on the entire CroisiEurope fleet(2).



### **FAMILY CLUB IN JULY AND AUGUST:**

- Free cruise for children up to 16 years old(3).
- · Single cabin supplement offered.



### CRUISE'N WALK

Some of our cruises are adapted with hiking programs.



Bicycles available on board our canal barges.

- (1) Unless otherwise stated in the program of the cruise under the "excluding" category. Only on board the ships from our CroisiEurope fleet (excluding Exotic river cruises)
- (2) Apart from our ships on Lake Kariba in Southern Africa.
- (3) Valid for some destinations in Northern and Southern Europe (excluding flights, airport taxes, excursions, options and transfers from/to the airport for scheduled flights).



# Go with the CroisiEurope flow

There is really no better way to explore Europe's magnificent city centres and spectacular landscapes than by ship.

A CroisiEurope cruise is not just a fantastic experience, it's also great value. There is the sheer variety that guests encounter as the ship gently sails its course on well-known rivers, canals, lakes, coasts and seas, all the while enjoying delicious French cuisine and different wines, remember – all drinks are included

This brochure is filled with ideas and inspiration, and unrivalled choice of cruise itineraries, whether you are a seasoned "CroisiEurope Connoisseur" or sailing with us for the first time. You can discover which of the world's waterways may suit you best, whether you are seeking to immerse in European architecture, history, panoramic landscapes or explore exotic cultures. Trusted local guides bring each destination to life with fascinating stories and insightful anecdotes on our perennial favourites from the Douro to the blue Danube, but also our more exotic destinations to Southern Africa, Mekong, the Nile and the Ganges.

For our increasing number of active cruise guests, CroisiEurope has been busy creating new itineraries on much sought-after Cruise & Walk programs. For authenticity seekers, take a closer look at our boutique style canal barges, sailing at a very gentle pace along French canals.

Join us for unique experiences to be discovered in the "Only with CroisiEurope" sections such as our innovative paddle-wheel ships that sail the Loire and Elbe rivers.

Our 51 strong fleet of river and canal vessels also includes an intimate-sized luxury ocean ship, "La Belle des Océans", offering you unforgettable cruises to the Canary Islands, the island of Corsica and Cyprus and the Holy Land.

The local environments we sail in and through are hugely important to us and CroisiEurope has taken steps forward, reducing our carbon footprint, our use of alternative fuels, reductions in single use plastics and our impact on both communities and nature. We are lucky to sail through areas of outstanding natural beauty as well as countless towns and cities. Our interaction with, and positive effect on, those areas is one of main priorities along with the safety and comfort of every one of our customers.

We hope to welcome you soon on a CroisiEurope cruise.





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# Why CroisiEurope?



### EUROPE'S LARGEST RIVER CRUISE LINE

Since 1976 CroisiEurope has pioneered river cruising on the most beautiful waterways in Europe, and is Europe's largest and most experienced river cruise line. When you sail with us, you can relax and know that you will be well taken care of.

# A VARIETY OF PRODUCTS AND DESTINATIONS

From a 3-day city break to walking cruises or 18 days along the Danube, we offer a unique variety of cruises to the most interesting destinations.

# EXCLUSIVE DESTINATIONS

From Spain's Guadalquivir river to France's Loire Valley, we continue to be the first and often only line to offer such unique destinations.

# Best value for money

Since 1976, CroisiEurope has been offering quality cruises at affordable prices, giving our customers the opportunity to cruise the world's most beautiful waterways.

# CroisiEurope takes you away for so much less yet offers so much more

As an independent, family-owned business, we are able to provide great value for money as we handle the entire operation from beginning to end: from the design and building of our ships and fleet maintenance, to creating cruise itineraries, sales and marketing and highly trained staff and crew.

This gives us the ability to manage our costs carefully and allows us to provide you with exceptional value for money. Additionally, we concentrate on things that matter most: friendly and knowledgeable staff, well-appointed, comfortable cabins, reliable and safe ships, excellent food, incredible itineraries and a delightful experience of European culture.

Each member of our crew is a highly trained professional with a passion for what they do and a commitment to excellence.

Inspired itineraries include iconic favourites, fascinating excursions with knowledgeable guides, as well as an opportunity to explore lesser known places and immerse yourself in local culture. While most our sightseeing tours show you the must-see sights, we also offer options for our active guests.

Providing exceptional dining is our passion. Our head chef Alain Bohn, a long-time member of La Chaîne des Rôtisseurs and Maîtres Cuisiniers de France, and our onboard culinary team strives to tempt your taste buds with classical favourites and local delicacies paired with a generous selection of wines from each region the ships are sailing through.

Our Cruise Managers and on-board hosts take care of every detail.



# The CroisiEurope difference

At CroisiEurope we go out of our way to provide you with everything you need at highest possible comfort standards, at the same time searching out unique experiences to make your voyage with us an unforgettable cruise experience.

### **Entertainment on board**

While your Croisieurope cruise is all about discovering wonderful destinations, however on many days there will be an enjoyable or informative distraction to add an extra dimension to your voyage.

A traditional evening of entertainment with a "Titi Parisien" theme or an evening with songs and guitars that capture the spirit of La Camargue. Dinner in Spain may be accompanied by a guitar player from the region. A classical string quartet could come aboard in Germany, or an entrancing fado singer in Portugal. Or simply do nothing except relax to some light music in the lounge; there's never an obligation to join in.

### Our cruises offer excellent value and include so much in the price:

- Your cruise from embarkation to disembarkation in a double occupancy en-suite cabin with flat screen TV with international channels for news and music.
- Delicious self-service buffet breakfast.
- Lunch and dinner menus created by our head chef, who is a member of the renowned Chaîne des Rôtisseurs de France as well as Maîtres Cuisiniers de France. We can accommodate a range of dietary preferences, including vegetarian or gluten free, if notified in advance of travel.
- Unlimited drinks onboard on all our main season cruises and certain other itineraries where noted.
- Complimentary drinks include mineral water,

- fruit juices, soft drinks, tea, coffee, beer, most spirits and a large selection of house wines. Not included are premium brands listed on our drink menus.
- Excursion packages of your choice: classic or discovery.
- Complimentary Wi-Fi onboard.
- Multi-lingual cruise manager and hostess at your disposal.
- · All port fees.
- Travel assistance and repatriation insurance.

Alcohol can be dangerous to your health. Please drink in moderation. Note: Included features may vary based on ship and destination.

# Travel Insurance Advice

For your peace of mind and well-being, we strongly advise that you purchase travel insurance to cover you for trip cancellation or interruption, medical expenses and lost or damaged luggage. Please ask your cruise specialist or travel agent at time of booking.

# Life on board & Cuisine



### **Cabins**

After dinner, retire to your private cabin in comfort for the night: all our tastefully decorated cabins are equipped with air conditioning, central heating, shower/toilets, satellite TV, safe, hairdryer— each providing a view of the river. Some cabins have French balconies or private terraces.

Our fleet of Premium ships offer additional comfort providing more space in the cabins.

In order to satisfy the requests of our passengers, we now offer the choice between 3 categories of cabins:

Category A: premium location Category B: intermediate location

**Category C:** standard location and cabin can be slightly smaller in size

This concerns all our ships except the canal barges, the ocean ship "La Belle des Océans" and the fleet of exotic river ships.

### **Buffet Breakfast**

Your day will start with an impressive self-served buffet breakfast in the onboard restaurant, which may include pastries, coffee, tea, juice, breads, jams and jellies, a variety of sausages and cold cuts, eggs, fresh fruit and yogurt.

# Want to relax: choose between lounge bar & sun deck

Why not enjoy one of our lounges? A good place to spend time socializing indoors with friends or family, or enjoy some entertainment. On board our 3-deck ships, the piano bar is the ideal place to enjoy a cocktail, choose a book from the library, listen to or play the piano.

The sun deck offers a panoramic view of the landscape's beauty as you cruise and sun loungers are available to enjoy this view. On some ships, a swimming pool or a jacuzzi are also at your disposal to relax.





### Service & languages

We have a dedicated and knowledgeable staff of more than 1,300 people, whose conviviality, attentiveness and professionalism ensure that your voyage will be comfortable and pleasurable. Our staff and crews speak French, English and many of them speak other major European languages as well.

### Gratuity

Tipping customs vary from country to country and culture to culture, and we understand that tipping is a way for passengers to show appreciation for services, quality and attention received during the cruise. To leave a tip, please use the envelope found in your cabin your last evening on board, and place this envelope in the specially designated box in the reception area as you disembark with the understanding that tipping is entirely at your discretion\*.

# Just sit down and let us take care of you

Lunch and dinner will be 3-course sit down meals prepared by our chefs. We serve a fixed menu of local specialties, prepared on a daily basis from fresh ingredients. Both lunch and dinner meals are paired with excellent complimentary wines. We do provide meals for people with food allergies or special dietary needs.

\* Apart from our cruise on the Ganges for which tips are already included. Note: Certain features may vary based on ship and destination.

# Choosing your excursion package

Two different excursion packages provide guests, who are looking for new experiences, adventures and sensations, with a range of dynamic, fun-filled and out-of-the-ordinary activities. Make your choice between these two options:

Our excursions are valid for a minimum of 25 participants. Below this number, our rates can be adjusted on board.

### THE "CLASSIC" PACKAGE

Containing classic excursions based on culture, architecture and history. We've revamped several of our tours to give you a more authentic experience!



### THE "DISCOVERY" PACKAGE

Discovery tours are for the adventurous, the offbeat, or those who are looking for something new.



### **OUT-OF-THE-ORDINARY**

# DISCOVER THE CAMARGUE IN A JEFP

Far from the tourist traps, discover the Petite and Grande Camargue from the back of a jeep with local guides who will share their enthusiasm for this legendary area. You'll cross the Parc Naturel Régional de Camargue, a nationally designated protected area with ponds and marshes that are home to waders, flamingoes, egrets, herons, etc. Join us for another way to get up and close to nature.

# UNFORGETTABLE EXPERIENCE HELICOPTER TOURS!

### **OVER THE LOIRE**

Join us for the experience of a lifetime by seeing the beauty of France from above. You'll soar above Ancenis, its hills and châteaux, the castle in Oudon, the Châteaux de Clermont and Turmelière.

### **OVER THE VICTORIA FALLS**

A set of 8 gorges open up to one of the most amazing spectacles in the world: Victoria Falls. Take in a sweeping panorama of this landscape from the air!

(Subject to favorable weather conditions. Must be reserved before departure. Based on availability at time of booking).



### **REGIONAL CULTURE**

### BORDEAUX, THE CHARTRONS DISTRICT AND THE WINE AND TRADE MUSEUM

The Chartrons neighborhood is the city's historic wine merchants and barrel makers district for the past 400 years. You will be able to see old wineries, some of which are nearly 300m long! In the heart of the Chartrons district is the Bordeaux Wine and Trade Museum, housed in the 18th century wine cellar of a wine merchant's house. There, we delve into the history of Bordeaux wines and the role of the négociant in the preparation and distribution of these wines. After a guided tour through the museum's exhibits, enjoy some delicious Bordeaux wines\* in the museum's tasting room.

### ACTIVE TOURING AMSTERDAM BY BIKE

Discover and learn about all the must-see and out-ofthe-way sites in Amsterdam on this guided bike tour of about 2.5 hours.

Enjoy some free time at the Flower Market or at the Albert Cuypmarkt.

### WALK ACROSS THE CLIFFS OF THE CÔTE D'ALBATRE

We'll leave from Honfleur by coach for the beautiful Côte d'Albâtre, passing by Le Havre. Once in Etretat, we'll set out for a walk across the cliffs to bask in the landscapes that have been dramatically shaped by weather and erosion. These high cliffs of white chalk and stone beaches were popularised by the paintings of Claude Monet.

\* Alcohol can be dangerous to your health. Please drink in moderation.

# Where and when?

CroisiEurope offers cruises every month of the year! You'll find that each season has its own unique pleasures and romantic charm:

### FEBRUARY • MARCH

In February and March, enjoy mini-breaks in Paris, join the Venetian Carnival or enjoy the warm weather in Spain or along the coasts of Croatia, Albania and Montenegro. February is also a very pleasant time for navigating on the mythical Ganges, and visiting Rajasthan.

#### **APRIL**

Tulip Time in Holland is the place to be with the famous Keukenhof floral gardens where you'll enjoy over 7 million brilliant and breathtaking tulips, daffodils and hyacinths, filling the air with colour and fragrance.

### MAY • JUNE • JULY • AUGUST • SEPTEMBER

A perfect time to explore any European river from France, the Rhine in Northern Europe, the Danube in Central Europe all the way to the Black Sea. The Mediterranean destination offers vineyards and countryside gardens which are in full fragrant summer bloom and fruit. Discover Corsica and its hidden treasures. Our canal barges will take you to the heart of the most prestigious cultural, architectural and natural heritage in France.

#### **AUTUMN**

Enjoy quieter months to explore all destinations avoiding the crowds with still warm weather near the Mediterranean and Croatia.

### WINTER

We also offer special Christmas markets, Christmas and New Year cruises. These holidays are historically, richly festive times in Europe, so you'll have a chance to experience this time of year in a whole new way. Or you can choose to take part in a unique cruise through Cyprus and the Holy Land, and through the Canary Islands Archipelago.

#### ALL YEAR LONG

Southern Africa awaits you for an up-close and personal experience with nature at the ends of the earth. Build memories that will last a lifetime as you cruise from the Angkor temples to the Mekong Delta. Admire Egypt throughout the year on a Nile cruise and discover two thousand years of history from Luxor to Aswan.

















Taking care of our environment

CroisiEurope's longstanding environmental position focuses on nature as our most valuable asset. We consider ourselves pioneers in our field, as our commitment to protecting the environment goes above and beyond our legal obligations. We are continually reflecting on how we can expand our green efforts.

After conclusive tests carried out on the Seine River with our partner AS Energy, **our ships now use GTL fuel**. Gas-to-Liquid fuels combust more uniformly and result in lower emissions.



### Here are other environmental initiatives we would like to share with you:



- Installation of water-saving devices on our ships that reduce freshwater consumption by 35% and, as a consequence, the amount of wastewater produced.
- Installation of **wastewater evacuation systems** on our entire fleet that are emptied into wastewater treatment facilities or urban sewer systems during ports of call.
- Installation of a wastewater recipient connected directly to the city sewer system at the CroisiEurope dock.



- All of our ship engines (**Green Ship Label**) respect the strictest European standards against pollution to help reduce greenhouse gas emissions.
- The latest onboard technology helps limit fuel consumption when cruising.
- We have insulated the ventilation in our engine rooms to **reduce noise pollution**.



 For the replacement of bath towels, we are trying to raise our passengers' awareness using written messages and announcements.



- At ports, we systematically connect to power supply terminals (Powerlock connectors)
  whenever possible, and for our own docks, we are investing in these newer
  installations. In addition, most of our ships are equipped with energy-efficient
  electrical devices.
- In winter, our ships are moored at river **ports with electrical terminals** that power the vessels, which helps reduce noise and pollution.
- In Paris, we are providing excursions on **electric buses** that are quieter and pollute less, to everyone's advantage.



- All of our waste is sorted and compacted on board before being recycled.
- All food waste and biowaste are collected and converted into biogas by specialised companies.
- Used engine oil is collected and transformed by onshore specialists.
- We use biodegradable and environmentally friendly cleaning products.
- · Exterior paints contain no pollutants.
- Plastic straws and cups have been replaced by **biodegradable paper**.



 Our company is affiliated with E2F, Entreprises Fluviales de France which brings together players in our sector to orchestrate collective actions regarding the immense challenges that lie ahead.

### **OUR PARTNERS:**















Find the details on www.croisieuroperivercruises.com

# The CroisiEurope fleet



Our fleet is equipped with the latest technologies and developments in terms of comfort, incorporating smart design and functional cabins. Accommodating between 16 and 197 passengers, the Premium category fleet offers additional comfort, allowing more space in both the cabins and the common areas.

The quality of the services and the gastronomy offered on board are identical regardless of the category ship chosen. CroisiEurope and the ship's captain reserve the right to modify the cruising itinerary to ensure the safe navigation of the vessel. CroisiEurope and the ship's captain reserve the right to modify the cruising itinerary to ensure the safe navigation of the vessel.



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### FRENCH CANALS / HOTEL BARGES

	Category	Destination	Capacity (double cabins)	Built in	PRM cabin		Category	Destination	Capacity (double cabins)	Built in	PRM cabin
MS JEANINE	Premium	Burgundy	11	Renovated in 2017	_	MS RAYMONDE	Premium	Loire	11	2014	~
MS ANNE-MARIE	Premium	Provence	11	2014	~	MS DANIÈLE	Premium	Burgundy	11	2016	~
MS MADELEINE		Alsace	11	2014	·	MS DÉBORAH	Premium	Champagne / Yonne / Seine	11	2016	~

SEAS & OCEANS	Category	Features	Length	Capacity (double cabins)	PRM cabin	Built in/ Renovated in
MV LA BELLE DE L'ADRIATIQUE	Premium	4-deck ship	110 m	99	~	2007/2017
MV LA BELLE DES OCÉANS	Premium	7-deck ship Private balconies <sup>(1)</sup>	103 m	65	~	1990/2014

SEINE	Category	Features	Length	Capacity (double cabins)	PRM cabin	Built in/ Renovated in
MS RENOIR	Premium	2-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	110 m	54	~	1999/2018
MS SEINE PRINCESS	Standard	2-deck ship	110 m	67	_	2002/2015
MS BOTTICELLI	Standard	2-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	110 m	75	~	2004/2016

### **GARONNE & DORDOGNE**

	Category	Features	Length	(double cabins)	cabin	Renovated in
MS CYRANO DE BERGERAC	Premium	3-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	110 m	87	~	2013

RHÔNE	Category	Features	Length	Capacity (double cabins)	PRM cabin	Built in/ Renovated in
MS CAMARGUE	Premium	2-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	110 m	54	~	1995/2015
MS VAN GOGH	Premium	2-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	110 m	54	~	1999/2018
MS MISTRAL	Standard	2-deck ship	110 m	78	_	1999/2007
MS RHÔNE PRINCESS	Standard	2-deck ship	110 m	69	_	2001/2011

LOIRE	Category	Features	Length	Capacity (double cabins)	PRM cabin	Built in
MS LOIRE PRINCESSE	Premium	2-deck ship Private balconies <sup>(3)</sup>	80 m	48	~	2015

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MS MICHELANGELO	Standard	2-deck ship	110 m	78	-	2000/2017

### **GUADIANA & GUADALQUIVIR**

	Category	Features	Length	(double cabins)	cabin	Renovated in
MS LA BELLE DE CADIX	Premium	3-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	110 m	88	~	2005/2016

DOURO	Category	Features	Length (	Capacity (double cabins)	PRM cabin	Built in/ Renovated in
MS AMALIA RODRIGUES	Premium	3-deck ship French balconies	80 m	66	~	2018
MS MIGUEL TORGA	Premium	3-deck ship French balconies	80 m	66	~	2017
MS GIL EANES	Premium	3-deck ship French balconies	80 m	66	~	2015
MS INFANTE D. HENRIQUE	Standard	3-deck ship French balconies	75 m	71	_	2003/2014
MS FERNAO DE MAGALHAES	Standard	3-deck ship	75 m	71	_	2003/2015
MS VASCO DA GAMA	Standard	3-deck ship	75 m	71	_	2002/2014
RHINE & DANUBE	Category	Features	Length (	Capacity (double cabins)	PRM cabin	Built in/ Renovated in
MS LAFAYETTE	Premium	2-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	90 m	43	~	1992/2014
MS GÉRARD SCHMITTER	Premium	3-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	110 m	87	~	2012
MS VIVALDI	Premium	3-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	110 m	88		2009
MS SYMPHONIE	Premium	2-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	110 m	 55		1997/2017
MS DOUCE FRANCE	Premium	2-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	110 m	55	~	1997/2017
MS L'EUROPE	Standard	3-deck ship	110 m	90		2006/2016
MS BEETHOVEN	Standard	French balconies <sup>(2)</sup> 3-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	110 m	90		2004/2010
MS FRANCE	Standard	2-deck ship	110 m	78		2001/2016
MS LEONARDO DA VINCI	Standard	2-deck ship	105 m	72		2003/2011
MS MODIGLIANI	Standard	2-deck ship	110 m	78		2001/2011
MS VICTOR HUGO	Standard	2-deck ship	82 m	45		2000 / 2019
MS MONA LISA	Standard	2-deck ship	82 m	47		2000 / 2010
MS MONET	Standard	2-deck ship	110 m	78		1999/2007
MS LA BOHÈME	Standard	2-deck ship	110 m	80		1995/2011
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ELBE	Category	Features	Length (	Capacity (double cabins)	PRM cabin	Built in/ Renovated in
MS ELBE PRINCESSE	Premium	2-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	95 m	40	~	2016
MS ELBE PRINCESSE II	Premium	2-deck ship French balconies <sup>(2)</sup>	102 m	42	~	2018
MEKONG	Category	Features	Length	Capacity (double cab	ins)	Built in
RV INDOCHINE II	Premium	3-deck ship Private balconies	65 m	31	11137	2017
RV INDOCHINE	Standard	3-deck ship	51 m	24		2008
RV LAN DIEP	Standard	3-deck ship	50 m	22		2007
RV TOUM TIOU II	Standard	2-deck ship	38 m	14		2008
RV TOUM TIOU I	Standard	2-deck ship	38 m	10		2002
LAKE KARIBA	Category	Features	Length	Capacity (double cab	ins)	Built in
RV AFRICAN DREAM	Premium	2-deck ship Private balconies <sup>(4)</sup>	33 m	8		2018
RV ZIMBABWEAN DREAM	Premium	2-deck ship Private balconies <sup>(4)</sup>	33 m	8		2020 <b>NEW</b>
INDIA	Category	Features	Length	Capacity (double cab	ins)	Built in/ Renovated in
RV GANGES VOYAGER <sup>(5)</sup> (or similar)	Premium	3-deck ship French balconies	56 m	28		2014
EGYPT	Category	Features	Length	Capacity (double cab	ins)	Built in/ Renovated in
RV STEIGENBERGER ROYALE <sup>(5)</sup>	J ,					1000 / 2010

<sup>(1)</sup> Certain cabins with private balcony available on deck 6. (2) French balconies available on upper deck and/or middle deck. (3) Private balconies available on upper deck.

Premium

RV STEIGENBERGER ROYALE<sup>(5)</sup> (or similar)

4-deck ship

Note: PRM Cabin is a cabin suited for People with Reduced Mobility. Please discuss this option with your travel agent or cruise specialist.

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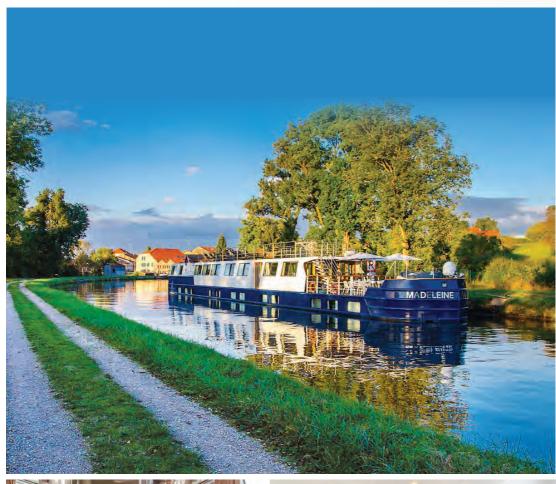
1998/2018

<sup>(4)</sup> Two cabins available with private balconies. (5) This ship isn't a part of the CroisiEurope fleet.

# Canal barges

Cruising the sweeping waterways of the French countryside is one of the best ways to enjoy life in the very slow lane.

Truly an ideal opportunity to unwind! Perfect for couples, families or groups of friends!

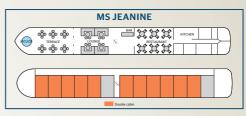








6 Barges are moored in the most amazing rural locations, which have everything you will need to keep you comfortable, cosy and entertained. Explore Alsace-Lorraine, Burgundy, Champagne, Provence or the Loire Valley on a hotel barge for the most wonderful memory.





Non contractual plans

RESTAURANT (MS DANIÈLE)

Built in	1985 - Renovated in 2017 (MS Jeanine) 2014 (MS Anne-Marie, MS Madeleine and MS Raymonde) 2016 (MS Danièle and MS Déborah)
Dimensions	Length: 38,5 m (126 ft) - Width: 5 m (16 ft)
Passengers	22 passengers and 6 crew members (11 cabins)
Equipments	Each cabin has a window and is equipped with private en-suite facilities (shower and toilet), TV, telephone (for internal calls only), safe, central heating or air conditioning, Wi-Fi. Bicycles available onboard
Facilities	Well-equipped sun deck with parasols and deckchairs, and Jacuzzi - Restaurant Spacious lounge area with bar.

# Ocean ships

# MV LA BELLE DES OCÉANS - Category: Premium

It has navigated the world's seas, drawing its long and majestic silhouette on the most distant horizons. A prestigious Premium ship, the MV La Belle des Océans provides the perfect setting from which to discover new itineraries and visit dream destinations.

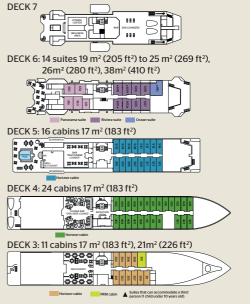








Built in	1990
Renovated in	2014
Dimensions	Length: 103 m (338 ft) - Width: 15 m (49 ft)
Passengers	130 passengers (65 cabins)
Equipments	All cabins are equipped with twin beds or queen-sized bed with storage drawers, marble bathroom with walk-in shower, fitted wardrobe with personal safe, writing desk, flat-screen TV, refrigerator, hair-dryer, phone and Wi-Fi.
Facilities	Swimming pool with pool bar, deck chairs and grill restaurant, ocean lounge and bar area, main restaurant, fitness center and wellness area.



### MV LA BELLE DE L'ADRIATIQUE - Category: Premium

The MV La Belle de l'Adriatique differs from other sea cruisers as her size allows her to cruise close to the coastline and moor in smaller harbours inaccessible to larger cruisers. Her smaller size allows for a more personalized service and this, combined with the modern comforts on board, make these sea cruises unique and refreshing.

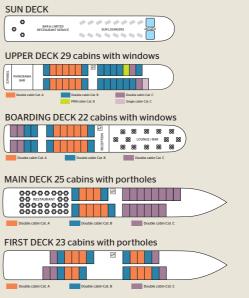








Built in	2007	
Renovated in	2017	
Dimensions	Length: 110 m (361 ft) - Width: 13 m (42 ft)	
Passengers	197 passengers (99 cabins) and 48 crew members	
Equipments	All cabins are equipped with shower and toilet, hairdryer, satellite TV, safe, central heating or air conditioning, phone and Wi-Fi.	
Facilities	Lounge bar with a dance floor, dining room, pianoramabar with large TV screen, terrace, spacious sundeck with bar, fitness space, deckchairs and 2 jacuzzis, lift. Defibrillator on board Anti-roll stabilizer	



# Premium ship category

A range of amenities will offer you the best river cruises



- Spacious en-suite cabins
- Sun deck with deckchairs
- Wi-Fi\*
- Boutique

- Lounge/bar with dance floor
- Refined and elegant atmosphere

\* Apart from our ships on Lake Kariba

MS AMALIA RODRIGUES
MS CAMARGUE
MS CYRANO DE BERGERAC
MS DOUCE FRANCE
MS ELBE PRINCESSE
MS ELBE PRINCESSE II
MS GÉRARD SCHMITTER
MS GIL EANES
MS LA BELLE DE CADIX
MS LAFAYETTE
MS LOIRE PRINCESSE

MS MIGUEL TORGA
MS RENOIR
MS SYMPHONIE
MS VAN GOGH
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RV AFRICAN DREAM
RV ZIMBABWEAN DREAM
RV INDOCHINE II
RV GANGES VOYAGER
RV STEIGENBERGER ROYALE









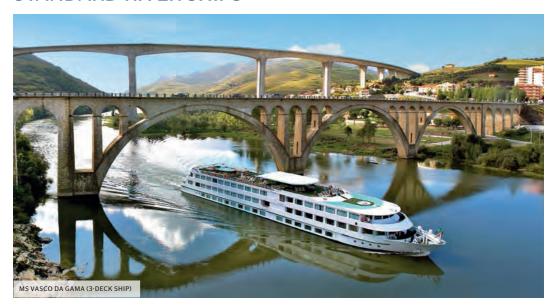
# Europe river ships

### **CATEGORY STANDARD & PREMIUM**

Our fleet of river ships offer an elegant setting, a warm atmosphere and quality bedding: our cabins are comfortable, functional, air-conditioned and all have an exterior panoramic view allowing you to fully enjoy the scenery. Some cabins have French balconies or private terraces.

The quality of the services and the gastronomy offered on board are identical regardless of the category ship chosen. The Premium category fleet offers additional comfort, allowing more space in both the cabins and the common areas.

### STANDARD RIVER SHIPS



### PREMIUM RIVER SHIPS



# Mekong river ships

### RV TOUM TIOU I - Category: Standard

This ship with an intimate atmosphere can access the most remote areas of the river. Due to its size, the RV Toum Tiou I offers its passengers an exceptional view of the landscapes and villages along the Mekong river, affording passengers priceless views of people, flora and fauna, barely touched by modernity.



### RV TOUM TIOU II - Category: Standard

The RV Toum Tiou II offers an unmatched cruising experience of the Mekong with spectacular views of its fauna and flora and opportunities to observe day-to-day life of the people of Cambodia and Vietnam in close proximity.



### RV LAN DIEP - Category: Standard

The RV Lan Diep, a 22 cabin river ship, elegantly crosses the Mekong river. Inspired by the Mekong's ancient tradition of riverboat building, it perfectly blends into the green and authentic scenery along the river. Its hull, covered with exotic wood of ancient style, gives it a refined look.



# Mekong river ships

# **RV INDOCHINE - Category: Standard**

The RV Indochine, a colonial-style ship combining charm and comfort, is entirely decorated with exotic wood.

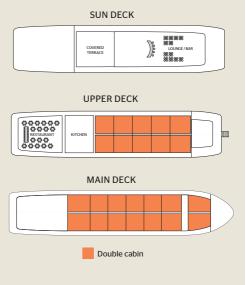








Built in	2008
Dimensions	Length: 51 m (167 ft) - Width: 11 m (36 ft)
Draft	5,2 ft
Cruising speed	12 knots
Capacity	24 cabins - 48 passengers Upper deck: 10 cabins Main deck: 14 cabins
Flag	Cambodia
Ship facilities	A 90 m² (968 ft²) panoramic restaurant, large lounge bar and 250 m² (2691 ft²) sun deck. Laundry service (for an extra fee).
Cultural activities	Films describing the culture and history of Asia and Indochina. Conferences and panel discussions.
Cabins	The RV Indochine cabins are spacious (16 m² / 172 ft²), comfortable, and bright thanks to their large windows overlooking the exterior passageway.
Cabin facilities	All the cabins face outwards; two low beds can be moved together, designed with large storage space; private bathroom with sink, toilet and shower; air conditioning; safe; hair dryer; dresser; Wi-Fi. Bathrobes and towels are available.
Leisure	Books and board games available for loan. Onboard show. Massages (for an extra fee).



### **RV INDOCHINE II - Category: Premium**

The RV Indochine II is the latest ship to join the CroisiEurope fleet on the Mekong. It combines colonial-style touches with a resolutely modern décor. You'll love relaxing in one of our thirty-one cabins, each with a private balcony. After an exciting day seeing the sites, take a dip in the pool on the sun deck to cool off.

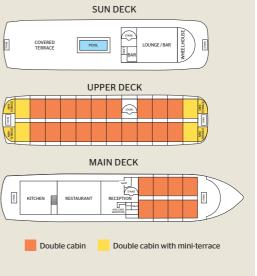








Built in	2017
Dimensions	Length: 65 m (213 ft) - Width: 13 m (43 ft)
Draft	5,2 ft
Cruising speed	12 knots
Capacity	31 cabins - 62 passengers Upper deck: 23 cabins Main deck: 8 cabins
Flag	Cambodia
Ship facilities	A 120 m² (1292 ft²) restaurant, a large lounge bar, a sun deck with swimming pool and bar. Laundry service (for an extra fee).
Cultural activities	Films describing the culture and history of Asia and Indochina. Conferences and panel discussions.
Cabins	The RV Indochine II cabins are spacious (18 m² / 194 ft³), comfortable and bright. Each has a private balcony and four cabins come with lovely patios.
Cabin facilities	All the cabins face outwards; two low beds can be moved together, designed with large storage space; private bathroom with sink, toilet and shower; air conditioning; safe; hair dryer; dresser; Wi-Fi. Bathrobes and towels are available.
Leisure	Books and board games available for loan. Onboard show. Massage room (for an extra fee).



# Lake Kariba ships

# RV AFRICAN DREAM / RV ZIMBABWEAN DREAM Category: Premium

Live an up-close and personal experience with nature at the ends of the world on board our Premium-rated ships as you cruise on Lake Kariba in Zimbabwe. Fantastic moments to keep for a lifetime!

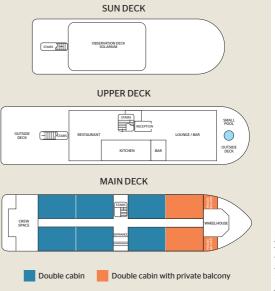








Built in	RV African Dream: 2018 RV Zimbabwean Dream: 2020
Dimensions	Length: 33 m (108 ft) - Width: 8 m (26 ft)
Cabins	8 cabins (183 ft²/17m² each) of which 2 with private balconies.
Equipments	All cabins are equipped with shower and toilet, hairdryer, TV, safe and central heating or air conditioning.
Facilities	A nature and wildlife observation deck puts you in the heart of your surroundings. Cozy terrace and a small pool for those relaxing moments. Panoramic restaurant and lounge allow for perfect views. A perfect space to watch the sunset.
Leisure	Books and board games.



### **CASCADES LODGE**

Located on an island at the very heart of the wilderness, our first-class lodge provides a refined and comfortable safari atmosphere in a quiet environment.



Bungalows	Our eight fully-equipped bungalows include a bedroom, a living area, and a large bathroom. They're equipped with air conditioning, a TV, safe, minibar, Wi-Fi, storage area and tea and coffee amenities. Each bathroom has a shower, a bath and a hairdryer. Each bungalow comes with a private swimming pool and an adjoining terrace with deckchairs and an exterior shower.
Facilities	The common areas include a restaurant, a lounge and bar area, and a spacious, panoramic terrace with a view on one of the Zambezi River tributaries, ideal for observing the surrounding wilderness. Wi-Fi is available in the restaurant and lobby areas.

for a fee. Discover the culture, history and traditions of Southern Africa. Fishing enthusiasts will Activities also enjoy this particular spot (fishing equipment can be rented upon request).







A laundry service is available to our guests

### **KAZA LODGE**

A hidden lodge in the heart of nature, intimate and authentic for a true African experience!



Bungalows	8 wooden ensuite bungalows with thatched roof, all decorated in a refined

They're equipped with air conditioning, a TV, safe, minibar, Wi-Fi, storage area, tea and coffee amenities; shower and hairdryer in the bathroom. A private swimming pool with an outdoor shower and a terrace with deckchairs complete the list of facilities in our bungalows.

#### Facilities The main living area is built around a massive baobab tree with several spacious outside areas and terraces

An infinity pool with breathtaking view over the nature. A fire camp to enjoy the evenings. Wi-Fi is available in the restaurant and lobby areas. A laundry service is available to our guests

for a fee.

Activities

Discover the culture, history and traditions of Southern Africa. Fishing enthusiasts will also enjoy this particular spot (fishing equipment can be rented upon request).







# Nile river ship

## RV STEIGENBERGER ROYALE (or similar) **Category: Premium**

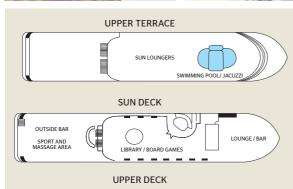
The RV Steigenberger Royale proudly sails on the Nile, a symbolic and sacred river, witness to forty centuries of history and the cradle of one of its most brilliant civilizations. A superb Premium ship, the RV Steigenberger Royale is the ideal setting for a dream trip.

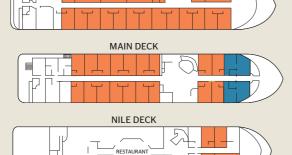












Double cabin, 20m² (215 ft²) Suite, 40m² (430 ft²)

Standard cabins: 20 m<sup>2</sup> (215 ft<sup>2</sup>). All cabins have an outside view Standard cabins. 20 m<sup>2</sup>(2)5 tr<sup>2</sup>), All cabins have an outside view with large picture windows that open (except those on the Nile deck). Spacious and very comfortable, they are equipped with 2 twin beds that can be pushed together, individual air conditioning, safe, bathroom with shower, WC, hair dryer. Suites: 40 m<sup>2</sup> (430 ft<sup>2</sup>). Additional services for the suites and the safe with safe views of the suites. are: a king size bed, a walk-in shower, a sitting area, slippers and bathrobes.

#### **FACILITIES**

A restaurant, 3 bars, 3 lounges, a gift shop, a laundry service, a sun deck with sun loungers, an outdoor swimming pool with jacuzzi, a massage area, a sports area (a training bike, a rowing machine and a treadmill) and a games room. Wi-Fi is available on the ship. There is no elevator on board.

### **ONBOARD ACTIVITIES**

Conferences, discovery of Egyptian culture, lending books and board games, evening entertainment.

Construction / Renovation	1998 / 2018
Dimensions	Length: 72 m (236 ft) Width: 13,80 m (45 ft)
Cabins	47 standard cabins + 2 suites
Electricity	220 V
Draft	1,80 m (6 ft)

Ship description and plan are given as rough guides as your cruise may take place on board similar category ships with a different layout. This ship isn't a part of the CroisiEurope fleet.

# Ganges river ship

# RV GANGES VOYAGER (or similar) - Category: Premium

The RV Ganges Voyager offers more than just a trip. This superb ship offers a unique cruise in old-fashioned luxury and a British colonial atmosphere. The perfect match for discovering the Indian continent, its history, its ancient culture and its welcoming people.









### **COMFORT**

All cabins are large and bright with their panoramic windows and French balconies.

The decoration has been particularly designed to meet the needs of customers looking for a change of scenery. The cabins are decorated with hand-poached murals and colonial-inspired wooden furniture.

All the suites are very comfortable with their small sitting area and desk. They are equipped

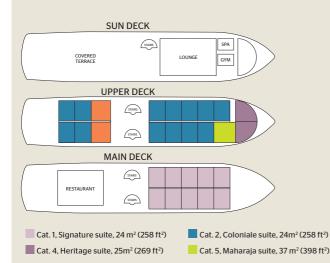
with Wi-Fi, flat-screen TV, 2 single beds that can be joined together in the Signature and Colonial suites and a large double bed in the Heritage, Viceroy and Maharaja suites, a mini-bar, bathrobes, sandals, a safe, hairdryer, air-conditioning and ample storage.

The bathrooms are equipped with a shower, toilet and sink, as well as bathroom amenities. The Heritage, Viceroy and Maharaja suites also come with four-poster beds. Persian ruds.

tea / coffee making facilities and a choice of pillows. The Maharaja suite has the advantage of having a shower and a bathtub.

#### **LEISURE ON BOARD**

Animation, cultural show, conferences, roundtable, films dealing with Indian culture and history, yoga classes every morning.



Construction	2014
Length	56,5 m (185 ft)
Weight	1444 tons
Cruising speed	10 knots
Facilities	Air-conditioned restaurant, laundry service, lounge/bar, sun deck, small gym and spa.
Flag	Indian

Cat. 3, Viceroy suite, 33m² (355 ft²)

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# New for 2023

The new itineraries we are proposing in 2023 will allow you to discover new ports of call and places to visit. Some programs have been specially created for lovers of art, history or hiking.

# **NEW ITINERARIES**

### Unique cruises from the Moroccan Coast to the Mediterranean Sea



### Magnificent Mudéjar Art from Morocco's Imperial Cities to the Andalusian Flatlands

**8-DAY / 7-NIGHT Cruise from Arrecife to Malaga** REF. AFM\_AIPP • From 15 to 22 April 2023

From Malaga to Barcelona, the most beautiful stops on the coast in the footsteps of the great Spanish painters

**8-DAY / 7-NIGHT Cruise from Malaga to Barcelona** REF. MGB AIPP • From 22 to 29 April 2023

# The Balearic Islands, Mediterranean sunshine and dream ports of call

**7-DAY / 6-NIGHT Cruise from Barcelona to Nice** REF. BCN\_AIPP • From 29 April to 5 May 2023

# The Cinque Terre and other Italian coastal treasures

**8-DAY / 7-NIGHT Cruise from Nice to Malta** REF. NLV\_AIPP • From 13 to 20 October 2023

# Malta and secret ports of call in Greece

**8-DAY / 7-NIGHT Cruise from Malta to Heraklion** REF. LVH\_AIPP • From 20 to 27 October 2023

# Richness and authenticity of the Greek islands

**8-DAY / 7-NIGHT Cruise from Heraklion to Larnaca** REF. HKL\_AIPP • From 27 October to 3 November 2023

### Unique cruises from the Red Sea to the Mediterranean Sea



# From the treasures of the Red Sea to the wonders of the Mediterranean Sea

10-DAY / 9-NIGHT Cruise from Sharm EI Sheikh to Larnaca REF. SHH\_AIPP • From 18 to 27 March 2023 10-DAY / 9-NIGHT Cruise from Larnaca to Sharm EI Sheikh REF. LSH\_AIPP • From 26 October to 4 November 2023

# From Cyprus, the island of Aphrodite to Athens, the city of the Gods

9-DAY / 8-NIGHT Cruise from Larnaca to Athens REF. LAP\_AIPP • From 27 March to 4 April 2023

**7-DAY / 6-NIGHT Cruise from Athens to Larnaca** REF. ALC AIPP • From 20 to 26 October 2023

# Beautiful Greece, the Corinth Canal and Meteora

**9-DAY / 8-NIGHT Cruise from Athens to Dubrovnik** REF. PID\_AIPP • From 4 to 12 April 2023

**9-DAY / 8-NIGHT Cruise from Dubrovnik to Athens** REF. DIP\_AIPP • From 4 to 12 October 2023



### Canal cruise in France

# Paris, Medieval France and romance at Fontainebleau

**7-DAY / 6-NIGHT Cruise from Paris to Sens** REF. PSN\_AIPP / SNP\_AIPP (page 34)

A magnificent journey between charming stops, historic cities and local flavours. Visit of the sumptuous castles of Vaux-le-Vicomte, and Fontainebleau as well as its gardens. Discovery of the village of painters, Barbizon, but also the medieval city of Provins before reaching Sens, its Gothic cathedral and its covered market.



# **EXTEND YOUR CRUISE**

### Southern Africa

# From Zimbabwe to South Africa by luxury Rovos Rail

**4-DAY / 3-NIGHT Extended stay** REF. 20A PP / 20Z PP (page 149)

Continue your exploration from Victoria Falls to Pretoria on board the legendary Rovos Rail, travelling through the magnificent scenery of the Zimbabwean and South African highlands. A mythical experience awaits you on board this Southern African Orient Express!



### **NEW THEMED CRUISES**

### Cruise 'n walk

# The best walking routes in the Canary islands

**8-DAY / 7-NIGHT Cruise from Lanzarote to Tenerife** REF. LZT RAIPP (page 173)

Black sand beaches, lush forests or steep cliffs, jagged black coves or waves of dunes, charming colonial towns or large palpitating towns or large, pulsating cities... constant contrasts. Discover the valley of 1000 palm trees in Lanzarote, Gran Canaria and the Bandama caldera, the Garajonay National Park of La Gomera, the north of Fuerteventura island, the heart of the volcanoes in La Palma and the path of senses in Tenerife.

# Walking the most beautiful paths of Corsica

**8-DAY / 7-NIGHT Round-trip cruise from Nice** REF. NAO\_RAIPP (page 173)

You will walk along the numerous walking trails of Corsica, a mountainous island and land of shepherds. Crossing the island of Beauty on foot remains one of the best ways to discover its most beautiful aspects, both natural and human. A special program for hikers with, in particular, the Pointe de la Parata between the sea and the maquis, the calanques of Piana and the Bavella Needles, a grandiose site. An exceptional navigation off the Gulf of Porto, a UNESCO heritage site, as well as the discovery of the island's emblematic towns.



# Christmas market cruise

# Magical Christmas extravaganzas in Alsace and Switzerland

**4-DAY / 3- NIGHT Cruise from Strasbourg to Basel** REF. MNW\_XMASPP / WMN\_XMASPP (page 167)

For the Christmas period, Alsace puts on its most beautiful festive clothes. You will discover the Christmas market in Strasbourg and its big Christmas tree, Riquewihr, the medieval town, and the magic of Colmar and Little Venice. The scents and flavours mingle with the warm lights in a friendly atmosphere that leaves room for reverie and enchantment. You end your magical stay in Switzerland by discovering Basel's Christmas traditions. You will visit the Läckerli house, the famous gingerbread house, as well as Basel's Christmas market, the largest in Switzerland.

# FRENCH CANALS

### CRUISING THE BEAUTIFUL WATERWAYS OF FRANCE

Also available for full ship/private charters.

Have you ever dreamed of a private cruise through the canals of France? Your opportunity awaits aboard a CroisiEurope Canal Cruise. Six unique canal barges cruise through the most charming regions in France. Each barge accommodates a maximum of 22 guests in 11 smart, modern staterooms.

With more than 20 itineraries cruising in the Alsace, the Loire Valley, Provence, Champagne, Burgundy, Paris and Île-de-France, there is an itinerary to suit everyone.

Our welcoming crews will make you feel right at home whether you're enjoying a glass of wine on the sun deck, relaxing in the lounge, or soaking in the hot tub.

Onboard amenities included in all charters:

- 11 double occupancy cabins with private bathroom.

  All appointed with a safe, hair dryer and air conditioning.
- Meals are included from dinner on day 1 through breakfast on day 7
- Drinks included onboard. Enjoy our selection of house wine, beer, spirits, coffees, tea, juice, and soft drinks free of charge
- Excursions tailored to the unique French region in which you will be cruising are included. Or let us customize a program for you.

Please see individual itineraries for more specific details.

Looking for a private cruise? Chartering a barge can provide an unforgettable, intimate atmosphere for friends and family groups, or multigenerational travel. As a family owned and operated company, children of all ages are welcome onboard. The exclusivity of a charter is a perfect fit for likeminded passengers such as food enthusiasts, artists, photographers, cyclists, reunions, wine clubs, faith-based groups, alumni groups and more!

Make your next vacation one you and your friends or family will cherish for years to come. We look forward to having you onboard! For more information: <a href="mailto:groups@croisieurope.com">groups@croisieurope.com</a>

Our programs on the French canals are subject to lock closures, for these uncertain dates from one year to the next, suitable replacement programs are especially set up. Contact us for details.



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### 7-DAY / 6-NIGHT CRUISE IN UPPER LOIRE

REF. BNV\_AIPP / NVB\_AIPP (opposite direction)

# The Heart of France along The Upper Loire From Briare to Nevers

### DAY 1 | Paris • BRIARE

Transfer<sup>(1)</sup> from Paris to Briare Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

### DAY 2 | BRIARE • LERE

Excursion proposed:

 Visit of Briare and the Deux Marines museum

Cruise towards Lere

## DAY 3 | LERE • MENETREOL-SOUS-SANCERRE

Excursion proposed:

 Guided tour of Sancerre and its Fief Tower followed by a visit to a goat farm

Cruise towards Menetreol-sous-Sancerre

#### DAY 4 | MENETREOL-SOUS-SANCERRE • HERRY

Excursion proposed

 Visit of Pouilly-sur-Loire Cruise towards Herry

### DAY 5 | HERRY • COURS-LES-BARRES

Excursion proposed:

 Tour of La Charité-sur-Loire and an authentic farm
 Cruise towards Cours-les-Barres

Cruise towards Cours-les-Barres Gala dinner



### DAY 6 | COURS-LES-BARRES NEVERS

Excursions proposed:

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- · Visit to the Fontmorigny Abbey
- Visit of Apremont-sur-Allier and its floral garden Cruise towards Nevers
- Romantic tour of Nevers with lanterns

### DAY 7 | NEVERS • Paris

Disembark at 9:00 a.m. Transfer<sup>(1)</sup> from Nevers to Paris

### See excursion details on page 43.

NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise titinerary. Ask for detailed litinerary of the opposite direction cruise, Ref. NVB\_AIPP.

(1) Transfers on request at an additional charge.

# Cruise highlights

- Unique itinerary: the Briare Aqueduct, one of the most prestigious waterways in France
- Stroll through history, authentic and well-preserved villages, and traditional regions during this exceptional cruise

#### EXCURSIONS:

- La Tour du Pouilly-Fumé, a sensory travel in a winetourism centre
- · Rustic authenticity in a farm
- Apremont-sur-Allier, listed as one of the most beautiful villages in France
- Nevers, famous pilgrimage site with exceptional history



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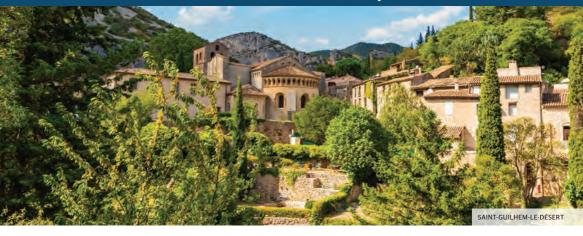


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### 7-DAY / 6-NIGHT CRUISE IN PROVENCE

REF. AVF\_AIPP / SVA\_AIPP (opposite direction)

Charming Provence: a barge cruise in Southern France From Arles to Sète

### DAY 1 | ARLES

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

### DAY 2 | ARLES • GALLICIAN

Excursion proposed:

· Tour of Arles and visit of an olive oil production domain Cruise towards Gallician

### DAY 3 | GALLICIAN • AIGUES-MORTES

Excursion proposed:

· Guided tour of the Camarque Cruise towards Aigues-Mortes

### **DAY 4 | AIGUES-MORTES**

Excursion proposed

· Guided tour of Aigues-Mortes Free afternoon and evening

### DAY 5 | AIGUES-MORTES

PALAVAS-LES-FLOTS • SÈTE(1) Cruise towards Palavas-les-Flots Excursions proposed:

- · Discover a manade and the life of its herders during a wagon tour
- Tasting of local products

Cruise towards Sète



### DAY 6 | SÈTE(1)

Excursions proposed:

- · Visit of the Etang De Thau Museum and commented tasting of shellfish
- Tour of Saint-Guilhem-le-Désert Gala dinner

### DAY 7 | SÈTE • Arles

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

Transfer<sup>(2)</sup> by coach from Sète to Arles

### See excursion details on page 43.

NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary. Ask for detailed itinerary of the opposite direction cruise, Ref. SVA\_AIPP.

- Depending on mooring availability and weather condi-tions, the stopover in Sete could be replaced by a stopover in Frontignan.
- (2) Transfer on request at an additional charge

### Cruise highlights

- · A wonderful journey through charming towns and historic
- · Tastings of local delicacies

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- · Arles local olive oil tasting
- · The beauty of the Camargue
- The fortified city of Aigues-Mortes and the salt marshes
- A traditional Camarque experience in a manade
- The Etang De Thau and its oyster farms
- Saint-Guilhem-le-Désert, listed as one of the most beautiful villages in France



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### 7-DAY / 6-NIGHT CRUISE IN BURGUNDY

REF. DBC\_AIPP / BDJ\_AIPP (opposite direction)

# Burgundy and the Doubs valley From Dijon to Besançon

#### DAY 1 | DIJON

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

### DAY 2 | DIJON • PETIT-OUGES

Excursions proposed:

- The Burgundy Grands Crus Wine Route
   Walk along the "Circuit of the Three
- Walk along the "Circuit of the Three Washhouses"

  (1)

### DAY 3 | PETIT-OUGES SAINT-JEAN-DE-LOSNE

Day spent cruising towards Saint-Jean-De-Losne, arriving late in the afternoon Possibility to ride along the canal banks<sup>(2)</sup>

### DAY 4 | SAINT-JEAN-DE-LOSNE • DOLE

Excursion proposed

 Guided tour of Saint-Jean-de-Losne and the Musée de la Batellerie (navigation museum)
 Cruise towards Dole

### DAY 5 | DOLE • RANCHOT

Excursion proposed:

• Trail of the "Chat Perché" Cruise towards Ranchot

### DAY 6 | RANCHOT • BESANÇON

Cruise towards Besançon Excursion proposed:

 Visit of the Saline Royale (Royal Salt Works)

Gala dinner

#### DAY 7 | BESANÇON

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on page 41.

NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise tilineary. The program may be subject to modification depending on availability at ports of call or passing through the locks. Ask for detailed timerary of the opposite direction cruise, Ref. BDJ\_AIPP.

 The Circuit of the Three Washhouses is not a guided tour.
 Timetables and embarkation/disembarkation points will be decided on board by the ship's captain.

# Cruise highlights

• Discover idyllic landscapes all along your cruise

### **EXCURSIONS:**

- The Burgundy Grands Crus Wine Route
- The charming village of Petit-Ouges
- The monuments of Saint-Jeande-Losne
- Dole, hilltop city and birthplace of Louis Pasteur
- La Saline Royale listed by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site



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### 7-DAY / 6-NIGHT CRUISE IN ALSACE

REF. SXO\_AIPP / XOS\_AIPP (opposite direction)

# History and traditions through Alsace-Lorraine From Strasbourg to Lagarde

### DAY 1 | STRASBOURG

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Excursion proposed:

· Visit of the Old Strasbourg by panoramic boat

### DAY 2 | STRASBOURG • WALTENHEIM

Cruise towards Waltenheim Excursions proposed:

- · Visit of the Maison du Kochersberg museum and the Villa Meteor
- Dinner at a restaurant in Waltenheim to taste a local specialty: "tarte flambée"

### DAY 3 | WALTENHEIM • SAVERNE

Cruise towards Saverne Excursion proposed:

Visit of Haut-Barr Castle

### DAY 4 | SAVERNE • LUTZELBOURG

Excursions proposed:

- · Guided tour of Saverne
- · Walk to Lutzelbourg Castle

### DAY 5 | LUTZELBOURG • Arzviller inclined plane • XOUAXANGE

Excursion proposed:

· Visit of the cristal glassworks Cruise towards Xouaxange Passage through the Arzviller inclined plane

Excursion proposed:

· Guided tour of Sarrebourg that will take us along the Chagall Route

### DAY 6 | XOUAXANGE • LAGARDE

Day spent cruising towards Lagarde Gala dinner

### DAY 7 | LAGARDE • Strasbourg Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

Transfer<sup>(1)</sup> by coach to Strasbourg

See excursion details on page 41.

NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary. Ask for detailed itinerary of the opposite direction cruise, Ref. XOS\_AIPP.

(1) Transfer on request at an additional charge

# Cruise highlights

- · Strasbourg, a UNESCO World Heritage Site
- · The Arzviller inclined plane, an exceptional structure
- The beautiful scenery of the Zorn valley and the Vosges
- · Tastings of local specialties

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- · Maison du Kochersberg museum and Villa Meteor
- The Haut-barr Castle, the "eye of Alsace"
- Saverne, a small and particularly charming town
- Lutzelbourg Castle
- · Marc Chagall's unique stained glass window in Sarrebourg



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### **NEW FOR 2023**

**7-DAY / 6-NIGHT CRUISE IN THE PARIS REGION**REF. PSN AIPP / SNP AIPP (opposite direction)

Paris, Medieval France, and romance at Fontainebleau From Paris to Sens

#### DAY 1 | PARIS

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Cruise through Paris by night (depending on water level)

#### DAY 2 | PARIS • EVRY

Cruise towards Evry Excursion proposed:

• Visit of Château de Vaux-le-Vicomte

### DAY 3 | EVRY • MELUN

Cruise towards Melun Excursion proposed:

Visit to Barbizon village

### DAY 4 | MELUN • MORET-SUR-LOING

Excursion proposed:

 Guided tour of Château de Fontainebleau and its magnificent gardens, followed by a visit of the cosmopolitan town of Fontainebleau Cruise towards Moret-sur-Loing

### DAY 5 | MORET-SUR-LOING MONTEREAU-FAULT-YONNE

Cruise towards Montereau-Fault-Yonne Excursion proposed:

 Guided tour of Provins and its exceptional heritage, followed by a tasting of a renowned specialty

### DAY 6 | MONTEREAU-FAULT-YONNE • SENS

Cruise towards Sens Excursion proposed

Visit of Sens, its cathedral and covered market

Gala dinner



### DAY 7 | SENS • Paris

Disembark at 9:00 a.m. Transfer<sup>(1)</sup> from Sens to Paris

See excursion details on page 42.

**NB:** For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary. Ask for detailed itinerary of the opposite direction cruise, Ref. SNP\_AIPP.

(1) Transfer on request at an additional charge.

# Cruise highlights

 A magnificent journey including quaint ports of call, historical cities and excellent local cuisine

### **EXCURSIONS:**

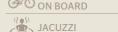
- Vaux-le-Vicomte, a 17<sup>th</sup>-century masterpiece
- The village of Barbizon
- Château de Fontainebleau and its splendid gardens, one of the most beautifully decorated and furnished in France
- Medieval Provins
- Peaceful Sens, its cathedral and covered marketplace

















## 7-DAY / 6-NIGHT CRUISE IN THE CHAMPAGNE REGION

REF. ECP\_AIPP / PCE\_AIPP (opposite direction)

## Paris and the Champagne Region From Epernay to Paris

## DAY 1 | Paris • EPERNAY

Transfer<sup>(1)</sup> by coach from Paris to Epernay Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

## DAY 2 | EPERNAY • DORMANS

Excursion proposed:

· Visit of Reims, guided tour of the historic centre and its cathedral Cruise towards Dormans

#### DAY 3 | DORMANS • CHÂTEAU-THIERRY

Excursions proposed:

- · Hautvillers and the famous Champagne route
- Visit of a major Champagne house followed by a tasting Cruise towards Château-Thierry

### DAY 4 | CHÂTEAU-THIERRY SAINT-JEAN-LES-DEUX-JUMEAUX Cruise towards Saint-Jean-Les-Deux-

Jumeaux

Excursion proposed:

· Visit of Château-Thierry followed by a falconry show(2)

## DAY 5 | SAINT-JEAN-LES-DEUX-JUMEAUX • MEAUX LAGNY-SUR-MARNE

Cruise towards Lagny-sur-Marne Excursion proposed:

· Visit of the charming town of Meaux followed by a tasting of the renowned Brie de Meaux cheese



## DAY 6 | LAGNY-SUR-MARNE • PARIS

Cruise towards Paris Excursion proposed:

· Guided visit of Paris and its major sites Gala dinner

## DAY 7 | PARIS

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on page 42.

NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary. Ask for detailed itinerary of the opposite direction cruise, Ref. PCE AIPP

- (1) Transfer on request at an additional charge
- (2) For end-of-year departures from October, the falconry show is replaced by a visit to the ruins of the medieval castle.

## Cruise highlights

- Reims and the Notre-Dame Cathedral, a majestic jewel of Gothic art
- · Hautvillers, birthplace of Champagne
- Château-Thierry and falconry show(2)
- Meaux and the "King of Cheese"
- Paris, an original visit of the French capital



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7-DAY / 6-NIGHT CRUISE IN ÎLE-DE-FRANCE • REF. PAP AIPP

# From Fontainebleau to Saint-Germain-des-Prés

## DAY 1 | PARIS

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail During dinner, we'll cruise through Paris to take in the romantic City of Light at night<sup>(1)</sup>.

## DAY 2 | PARIS • ÉVRY

Excursion proposed:

 Tour of Paris by bus and on foot Cruise towards Évry

#### DAY 3 | ÉVRY • MELUN SAINT-MAMMÈS

Cruise towards Melun Excursion proposed:

 Tour of the Palace of Fontainebleau and its magnificent gardens

# DAY 4 | SAINT-MAMMÈS • Troyes and the Tourist Champagne Route MELUN

Excursions proposed:

 Troyes and the tourist Champagne route with tasting

## DAY 5 | MELUN • ÉVRY • PARIS

Excursion proposed:

 The Château de Vaux le Vicomte Cruise towards Paris SEINE

EVRY

MELUN

SAINT-MAMMES

L'YONNE

## DAY 6 | PARIS

Excursion proposed:

• Saint-Germain-des-Prés

Free time to discover Paris on your own Gala dinner

## DAY 7 | PARIS

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on page 42

**NB:** For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary.

(1) Depending on the water level.

## Cruise highlights

 An enchanting cruise through picturesque landscapes and man-made wonders

## **EXCURSIONS:**

- Tour of Paris by bus and on foot
- The Palace of Fontainebleau and its wonderful gardens
- Troyes and its picturesque historic centre
- The tourist Champagne route with tasting
- The Château de Vaux le Vicomte
- Saint-Germain-des-Prés













details on page 42.





4-DAY / 3-NIGHT CRUISE IN PARIS • REF. PAM AIPP

# Prestigious Paris & the canal Saint-Martin

## DAY 1 | PARIS

Boarding at 6:00 p.m Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Evening of traditional Titi Parisien show on board

## DAY 2 | PARIS and its famous sites The canal Saint-Martin

Excursion proposed:

• Guided tour of Paris

Cruise along the canal Saint-Martin Cruise through Paris at night (depending on water levels)

#### DAY 3 | The canal Saint-Martin PARIS and the Saint-Germain-des-Prés district

Morning spent cruising on the Seine Excursion proposed:

· Guided tour of the Saint-Germain-des-Prés district

Gala dinner

## DAY 4 | PARIS

Disembark at 9.00 a.m.

See excursion details on page 42.

**NB:** For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary.

## Cruise highlights

- Ship is docked at the Bassin de la Villette, the very heart of Paris and only ten minutes away from the Eiffel Tower
- Cruise on the canal Saint-Martin

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- · Panoramic tour of the capital city, and visit of the covered arcades with their authentic charm
- Tour of the legendary Saint-Germain-des-Prés district, where history was made and creativity was cultivated



**ALL EXCURSIONS** 



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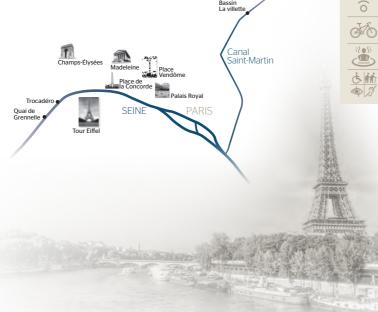
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Paris, the Eiffel Tower



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4-DAY / 3-NIGHT CRUISE IN ALSACE • REF. PMN XMASP1

## Christmas markets in Alsace

## DAY 1 | STRASBOURG

Boarding at 5:00 p.m. Free evening

## DAY 2 | STRASBOURG • Sélestat The Wine Route • Obernai

Cruise through Strasbourg Excursion proposed:

 Sélestat and Eguisheim: Christmas markets and the Alsatian House of Bread

Lunch along the Wine Route Excursion proposed:

• Tour of Obernai

## DAY 3 | STRASBOURG

Excursions proposed:

- The Hospices de Strasbourg<sup>(1)</sup> and wine tasting
- Guided tour of Strasbourg
   Free time to discover the Christmas markets
   Gala dinner

## DAY 4 | STRASBOURG

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on page 41.

# Cruise highlights

#### EXCURSIONS

- Christmas bakeries and cookies at the Alsatian House of Bread
- Authentic Christmas markets in Alsatian villages
- The secret cellars in the Hospices de Strasbourg<sup>(1)</sup>



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ALL MEALS INCLUDED



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(1) The Hospices de Strasbourg are closed on Sundays.In this event, D2 and D3 of the program will be reversed

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## 5-DAY / 4-NIGHT CRUISE IN PROVENCE

REF. NAF\_XMASPP / FAN\_XMASPP (opposite direction)

## Christmas traditions of Provence

## DAY 1 | Avignon • AIGUES-MORTES

Transfer by coach from Avignon to Aigues-Mortes Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail "Christmas traditions"-themed evening

## DAY 2 | AIGUES-MORTES • ARLES

Excursion proposed:

• Tour of Aigues-Mortes Cruise towards Arles Christmas-themed evening

## DAY 3 | ARLES • TARASCON

Excursions proposed:

- The Village des Santons museum at Le Paradou
- Visit of the santon exhibition in Arles Cruise towards Tarascon Excursion proposed:
- Visit of the candle factory<sup>(1)</sup>
   "Christmas Carols"-themed evening

## DAY 4 | TARASCON • AVIGNON

Cruise towards Avignon Excursion proposed:

 Guided tour of Avignon and the Papal Palace
Gala dinner

## DAY 5 | AVIGNON

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on page 43.

## Cruise highlights

## **EXCURSIONS:**

- Aigues-Mortes, medieval city
- Le Paradou and its legendary santons
- · Avignon and the Papal Palace



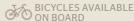
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Avignon, the Papal Palace

# Dates & Prices · French Canals

DATES 2023	CRUISE RATE PER PERSON / CRUISE		
	Double cabin	Single cabin	

## REF. BNV\_AIPP / NVB\_AIPP (opposite direction) (p. 30)

April 4, 11, 18, 25	\$3940	\$5263
May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 June 6, 13, 20, 27 July 4, 11, 18, 25 August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 September 5, 12, 19, 26 October 3, 10, 17, 24	\$3974	\$5297

## REF. AVF\_AIPP / SVA\_AIPP (opposite direction) (p. 31)

March 31 April <b>7</b> , 14, 21, 28	\$3704	\$5027
May 5, 12, 19, 26 June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 July 7, 14, 21, 28 August 4, 11, 18, 25 September 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 October 6, 13, 20, 27 November 3	\$3754	\$5077

## REF. DBC\_AIPP / BDJ\_AIPP (opposite direction) (p. 32)

April 6, 13, 20, 27	\$3554	\$4877
May 4, 11, 18, 25 June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 July 6, 13, 20, 27 August 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 September 7, 14, 21, 28 October 5, 12, 19	\$3589	\$4912

## REF. SXO\_AIPP / XOS\_AIPP (opposite direction) (p. 33)

April 4, 11, 18, 25	\$3516	\$4839
May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 June 6, 13, 20, 27 July 4, 11, 18, 25 August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 September 5, 12, 19, 26 October 3, 10, 17, 24	\$3559	\$4882

DATES 2023	CRUISE RATE PER PERSON / CRUISE		
	Double cabin	Single cabin	

## REF. PSN\_AIPP / SNP\_AIPP (opposite direction) (p. 34)

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April 19, 26	\$3731	\$5054		
May 17, 24 June 14, 21 July 12, 19 August 9, 16 September 6, 13 October 4, 11	\$3768	\$5 091		

## REF. ECP\_AIPP / PCE\_AIPP (opposite direction) (p. 35)

April 5, 12 \$3731 \$5054  May 3, 10, 31 June 7, 28 July 5, 26 August 2, 23, 30 September 20, 27 October 18, 25			
June 7, 28 July 5, 26 August 2, 23, 30 September 20, 27	April 5, 12	\$3731	\$5054
	June 7, 28 July 5, 26 August 2, 23, 30 September 20, 27	\$3768	\$5 091

## REF. PAP\_AIPP (p. 36)

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October 18, 25	\$3768	\$5 091

## REF. PAM\_AIPP (p. 37)

December 3, 7, 11, 15, 19, 26	\$1371	\$1864	
REF. PAM_NOAIPP December 23 (Christmas)	\$1752	\$2245	
REF. PAM_REAIPP December 30 (New Year)	\$2696	\$3189	

## REF. PMN\_XMASP1 (p. 38)

November 25, 29 December 3, 7, 11	\$1057	\$1536	

## REF. NAF\_XMASPP / FAN\_XMASPP (opposite direction) (p. 39)





# Our excursions · French Canals

## **CLASSIC EXCURSIONS**

## Alsace

## **BOAT TOUR OF STRASBOURG**

#### LENGTH: 2.5 hours

We'll set off by coach for the Palais Rohan to board a panoramic boat. Our tour will take us along the canals of the famous Petite France district with its charming half-timbered houses and narrow alleyways. We'll glide past the Tanners Quarter, the Covered Bridges and the Panoramic Terrace on the Vauban Dam. We'll continue towards the European Parliament Building and the Human Rights Building where the European Court of Human Rights is located.

CRUISE REF. SXO\_AIPP / XOS\_AIPP.

## **HAUT-BARR CASTLE**

#### LENGTH: 2.5 hours

Enjoy unrivalled views over the Alsace plain from the Haut-Barr Castle, often called "the Eye of Alsace". Constructed in 1170, it was transformed and restored during the 14th century, It was built at an altitude of 470 metres on 3 wide rocks linked by a footbridge called the "Devil's Bridge" and a series of staircases, which enabled the Bishops of Strasbourg to watch over the Zorn Valley and the Alsace Plain. With your guide, you will have the opportunity to discover this wonderful castle which has been listed as a historic monument since 1874.

CRUISE REF. SXO\_AIPP / XOS\_AIPP.

## **KOCHERSBERG REGION**

### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave by coach from Waltenheim-sur-Zorn for Truchtersheim. We'll travel through the lush green hills and expansive fields in the Kochersberg Region and quaint villages lined with halftimbered houses before reaching Truchtersheim. We'll tour the Maison du Kochersberg museum, which highlights the local heritage and traditions. The museum displays a wide range of objects from antique to modern in its exhibits. Our next stop will be Hochfelden and the Villa Meteor. This is a great experience for beer lovers and connoisseurs. Discover the history of the Meteor family and their brewery from 1640 to the present. Learn about beer making and enjoy a tasting of their famous products".

CRUISE REF. SXO\_AIPP / XOS\_AIPP.

# LEHRER CRYSTAL GLASSWORKS

## LENGTH: 2.25 hours

Within a short walking distance of the Saint-Louis-Arzviller inclined plane, you'll visit the Lehrer Crystal Glassworks where you'll discover the secrets of glassblowing through a guided tour. Afterwards, you'll have some free time to browse through the gift store.

CRUISE REF. SXO\_AIPP / XOS\_AIPP.

## **SARREBOURG**

### LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll set off by coach for Sarrebourg. This guided tour of the town will allow you to admire monuments like the cinema, built in 1912, the library and the Custine Hotel. You'll also get to discover the square and the Chapel of the Cordeliers with its quite unique stained glass window by Marc Chagall.

CRUISE REF. SXO\_AIPP / XOS\_AIPP.

## **SAVERNE**

## LENGTH: 2 hours

Guided tour of Saverne, a town off the beaten track of the usual tourist haunts, despite its many places to see and admire. Founded in Roman times, the town has preserved many relics from its past. You will visit the Main Street, with its unicorn fountain, the Katz House, the Church of Notre Dame with its porch tower from the 12th century and the former convent of the Récollets founded in the 14th century.

CRUISE REF. SXO\_AIPP / XOS\_AIPP.

## SÉLESTAT, THE ALSATIAN WINE ROUTE AND OBERNAI

#### LENGTH: 10 hours

You'll leave by coach with your tour guide for Sélestat. The first stop will be the Maison du Pain d'Alsace, where you'll discover the secrets of Alsatian baking. Of course, you'll be able to have a taste or two! The next stop will be Éguisheim, officially listed as one of France's most beautiful villages. The village will be totally decked out for the holidays, and the Christmas market will provide all you need to get you in the holiday spirit. Take some time to peruse the stands with crafts and items for sale. We'll enjoy lunch on the Wine Route before heading to Obernai. Christmas is a particularly decorative and festive time in this Renaissance village. After our tour, we will return on board the ship.

CRUISE REF. PMN XMASP1

## STRASBOURG CHRISTMAS MARKETS

## LENGTH: 4 hours

Join us for a guided tour on foot to see the city's iconic Petite France area and majestic cathedral. Afterwards, enjoy some free time at the various Christmas markets set up across the city.

CRUISE REF. PMN\_XMASP1.

## WINE CELLARS AT THE STRASBOURG HOSPICE

## LENGTH: 2 hours

We'll leave on foot to discover the ancient secrets found within the Strasbourg Hospice wine cellars. In old times, it was used to store wine offered as payment for hospital care. Today, twenty or so winemakers use the renowned cellar to age their prestigious wines. The oldest wine barrel dates back to 1472! Your tour will be followed by a tasting\*. After our tour, we will return on board the ship.

CRUISE REF. PMN\_XMASP1.

## Burgundy

## BURGUNDY, THE GRANDS CRUS WINE ROUTE

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll set off on the Grands Crus Wine Route, including a visit to the Château du Clos de Vougeot, a symbol of more than 1,000 years of Burgundy history. In the 12<sup>th</sup> century, monks built winegrowing outbuildings in the middle of the vines, completed by a main building in the 16<sup>th</sup> century. We'll continue to a wine estate for a tasting of local wines\*.

CRUISE REF. BDJ\_AIPP / DBC\_AIPP.

## **DOLE**

## LENGTH: 2 hours

Discover Dole, the birthplace of Louis Pasteur, in the company of your guide as you follow the "trail of the Chat Perché". This is a reference to Marcel Aymé, author of the famous "Contes du Chat Perché", who spent his childhood years in Dole. Your tour will take you past the many historic monuments which have granted Dole the City of Arts and History label.

CRUISE REF. BDJ\_AIPP / DBC\_AIPP.

## PETIT-OUGES LENGTH: 2 hours

Arrival at the end of the afternoon. Take time to visit this tiny village at your own pace. Discover the surprising mini-museum dedicated to locks and its collection of photos, post cards and objects related to the Burgundy Canal. You can also enjoy a four-kilometer walk on the "Path of the Three Wash Houses", exposing three historic wash houses in very different styles. This little known area of Dijon that traces its roots back to the 7th century will surprise you.

CRUISE REF. BDJ AIPP / DBC AIPP.

## SAINT-JEAN-DE-LOSNE

## LENGTH: 2.5 hours

Today, this city is the capital of barging in France, lying at the heart of the French waterways and canal system in southern Burgundy. You'll discover the exterior of the Monument Commemorating the Siege of 1636 and the Hôtel-Dieu, as well as the Gare d'Eau (Water Station), the Church of St John the Baptist, and the Batellerie Museum (Sailors' House) which recounts the history of navigation. Your visit ends with a tasting of some local specialties.

CRUISE REF. BDJ\_AIPP / DBC\_AIPP.

## THE ROYAL SALTWORKS LENGTH: 4 hours

Transfer by coach to Arc-et-Senans to discover La Saline-Royale (Royal Saltworks) built at the wishes of King Louis XV. Today listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site, this masterpiece was where the salt workers lived and worked. There is time for a stroll in the gardens spread out behind the different buildings.

CRUISE REF. BDJ\_AIPP / DBC\_AIPP.

## Champagne

## ALONG THE FAMOUS CHAMPAGNE ROUTE

LENGTH: 5 hours

Our tour guide will greet us before we set off on our coach tour of the Champagne Tourist Route, where you'll discover the magnificent vineyard-dotted valleys of the region. You'll partake in a guided tour of the village of Hautvillers, birthplace of Champagne. We'll continue our visit to a prominent champagne house, with a tasting' of course.

CRUISE REF. ECP\_AIPP / PCE\_AIPP.

## CHÂTEAU-THIERRY

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll leave on foot to visit the medieval castle in Château-Thierry. In these fortifications which have dominated the Marne Valley for centuries, you'll take part in a falconry show with live demonstrations. You'll get the chance to discover an art that has been listed as an Intangible Heritage of Humanity by UNESCO. You'll literally rub elbows with impressive birds. It's the perfect occasion to view these amazing animals up close and discover their prowess. You might even be so lucky as to touch one or two!

For end-of-year departures from October, the falconry show is replaced by a visit to the ruins of the medieval castle.

CRUISE REF. ECP AIPP / PCE AIPP.

## MEAUX AND CHEESE TASTING

LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll take a coach to Meaux and leave on a guided tour of the Episcopal Palace and the Brie de Meaux exhibit hall with a certified guide who will explain the techniques used in making the region's famous cheese. After learning about Brie de Meaux, what would be better than tasting the cheese declared as "The Prince of All Cheeses" by Talleyrand in 1815?

CRUISE REF. ECP\_AIPP / PCE\_AIPP

## **REIMS**

## LENGTH: 5 hours

We'll depart by coach for Reims, the "City of Coronations". We'll enjoy a guided tour on foot and discover the Place Royale, Place Du Forum (Roman forum), the Place de l'Hôtel de Ville and more. We'll take part in a guided visit of the cathedral, which receives about one million visitors annually.

CRUISE REF. ECP\_AIPP / PCE\_AIPP.

## Paris and its region

## **BARBIZON**

LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave by coach for Barbizon, tucked along the western corner of the forest of Fontainebleau. This charming village found fame in the 19<sup>th</sup> century through the works of art created by landscape painters who were members of the Barbizon School art movement. A stroll through the lush forest renders a snapshot of the rocky chaos painted by Jean-Baptiste-Camille Corot and the old oak forests where Simon Mathurin Lantara raised his cows. In the centre of the village, we'll stop by the Auberge Ganne, a period museum that recreates the atmosphere of the time the artists were in residence.

CRUISE REF. PSN\_AIPP / SNP\_AIPP.

## **FONTAINEBLEAU**

LENGTH: 4 hours

Guided tour of Fontainebleau with its historic château, gorgeous town squares, lavish theatre, and magnificent church. This tour reveals the secrets and anecdotes of times gone by. We'll then visit the castle and its vast estate which was the residence of every French monarch for almost eight centuries. Some of the monarchs that lived in the castle include Louis XV, Louis XVI, Napoleon I, Napoleon III, William I and Maximilian II of Bavaria. The gardens themselves are a work of art that evokes that glory of royal France.

CRUISE REF. PAP\_AIPP / PSN\_AIPP / SNP\_AIPP.

## PARIS AND ITS COVERED WALKWAYS

LENGTH: 4 hours

Guided visit of Paris. This tour will bring you to some of the most important sites in the capital such as the Madeleine Church and the Louvre. Leaving from the Palais Royal, we'll walk through the unique Parisian covered walkways — pedestrian shortcuts with a life all to their own within the heart of the bustling city.

CRUISE REF. ECP\_AIPP / PAM\_AIPP / PAP\_AIPP / PCF\_AIPP

## PARIS AND SAINT-GERMAIN-DES-PRÉS

LENGTH: 4 hours

Departure by coach from the Trocadefor Saint-Germain-des-Prés following the Voie Triomphale. We'll pass the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées and the Place de la Concorde, locations just bursting with history, before reaching Saint-Germain-des-Prés. There, you'll get to stroll through streets and small squares lined with buildings from the 16th and 17th century and discover the history, architecture, art, and everyday life of these legendary sites that have come to symbolize Paris. Built up around the former Abbey of Saint-Germain-des-Prés, this neighbourhood became the meeting place of intellectuals and philosophers, actors and musicians during the existentialist movement right after World War II. Closer to the Odeon we'll discover many of the famous participants of the French Revolution such as Danton, Marat, and Dr. Guillotin, as well as the oldest café in Paris

CRUISE REF. PAM\_AIPP / PAP\_AIPP.

## **PROVINS**

LENGTH: 5 hours

We'll leave by coach for Provins, once the former seat for the powerful Counts of Champagne. Our guided tour will bring you to the top sites in the town, including the imposing 12<sup>th</sup> century fortified walls, the Cesar Tower on its rocky outcrop, the old Grange aux Dîmes market dating back to the 1200s, half-timbered homes, and the Saint-Quiriace collegiate church. We'll wrap up our excursion with a tasty bite of one of the local specialties, delicious rose honey!

CRUISE REF. PSN\_AIPP / SNP\_AIPP.

#### **SENS**

#### LENGTH: 2 hours

We'll leave on foot for a guided tour of Sens to get a feel for its remarkable history as told through its medleval and Renaissance-style architecture. Archbishop of Canterbury Thomas Becket, the "meddlesome priest" who was a thorn in English King Henry's side in the 12th century, spent his exile here. Each step through the city feels like a walk through the yesteryears. The cathedral itself is outstanding for many reasons, the biggest being its stained glass windows that recount Becket's life. The museum next to the cathedral holds an important collection of relics, ornaments, and religious art. The exquisite market hall is right across the street from the cathedral. We'll enjoy a tasting of local products at the end of our tour.

CRUISE REF. PSN\_AIPP / SNP\_AIPP.

## TROYES AND THE CHAMPAGNE ROUTE

LENGTH: 9.5 hours

We'll leave by coach for Troyes, one of the most beautiful medieval cities in France. During a guided tour, you'll be transported back through time as you admire the colorful, 16<sup>th</sup>-century, half-timbered homes; Renaissance-style manors; streets laid out during the Middle Ages; secret passageways; and intimate courtyards. The cathedral and several churches with hidden treasures sit majestically among this labyrinth of stone and wood. Troyes is a veritable kaleidoscope of history and colors. It is also the capital of the Champagne region and lies alongside some of the most famous vineyards in France. We'll stop for lunch in a local restaurant. In the afternoon, we'll continue along the Champagne Route, and discover the stunning landscapes mixed with forests, quaint villages, and vast vineyards. We'll visit a champagne producer and enjoy a tastina\*

CRUISE REF. PAP\_AIPP.

## VAUX-LE-VICOMTE CHÂTEAU

LENGTH: 3.5 hours

We'll leave by coach for a visit to the splendid Vaux-le-Vicomte Château. Nicolas Fouquet transformed the small castle he purchased in 1641 into the masterpiece it is today. To achieve this dream, he brought together architect Louis Le Vau, painter Charles Le Brun, and landscaper André Le Notre. The result is an unparalleled work of harmony and beauty.

CRUISE REF. PAP\_AIPP / PSN\_AIPP / SNP\_AIPP.

## Provence

## **AIGUES-MORTES**

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

You'll be greeted by your guide for a tour of Aigues-Mortes. This old, fortified city with a rich heritage is located in the middle of the marshes and is one of the most beautiful sites in Provence. The tour will finish up with a tasting of fougasse, a local sweet bread made with orange-bloom syrup. After, you'll have some free time before we return to the ship.

CRUISE REF. FAN\_XMASPP / NAF\_XMASPP.

# AIGUES-MORTES AND THE SALINS DU MIDI SALTWORKS

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll set off for a guided tour of Aigues-Mortes. This old walled town with a prestigious heritage is located in the middle of marshlands in one of the loveliest natural settings in Provence. We'll then board a tourist train which will take us on a 90-minute journey through the salt tables, with a stop at the Salt Museum.

CRUISE REF. AVF AIPP / SVA AIPP.

## ARLES AND THE SANTON MAKERS

#### LENGTH: 3.5 hours

We'll leave by coach for Paradou to visit the museum displaying more than 400 different santons—traditional, handmade figures used in local nativity scenes that represent 55 various characters from traditional Provencal village life. Each remarkable, life-like santon is based on a character from the books of Alphonse Daudet and Marcel Pagnol. They are remarkable for their originality and details. We'll then return to Arles for a visit to the international santonniers trade show displaying almost 300 years of this local tradition—from the very first models to the latest creations. Many are priceless works of art. We'll return to the ship on foot.

For cruises ref. FAN\_XMASPP, the order of the visit is reversed: we'll first head to The Santon exhibition in Arles, then on to the Paradou for a visit of the Santon museum.

CRUISE REF. FAN\_XMASPP / NAF\_XMASPP.

## ARLES AND VISIT OF AN OLIVE OIL PRODUCTION SITE

## LENGTH: 4 hours

Depart by foot for a guided tour of Arles. For 2,000 years, Arles has maintained an outstanding architectural heritage making it a genuine open-air museum. Afterwards, we'll leave by coach for a traditional olive farm which produces the famous Provença olive oil. The owners will explain the cultivation and production of the "yellow gold" of Provence. After this discovery, you will have the opportunity to taste the products of the estate. Return to Arles by coach.

CRUISE REF. AVF\_AIPP / SVA\_AIPP

## AVIGNON AND THE PAPAL PALACE

## LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll leave for a guided tour of Avignon and the Papal Palace. Avignon was one of the most important cities in Europe during the Middle Ages, and the official residence of nine popes in the 14th and 15th centuries. We'll then head to the Halles market to discover the regional holiday treats. After our tour, we'll return to the ship and cruise towards Tarascon.

The Halles market is closed on Mondays and in the afternoons.

CRUISE REF. FAN\_XMASPP / NAF\_XMASPP.

## CANDLEMAKER IN TARASCON

#### LENGTH: 2 hours

Your tour guide will meet up with you at the ship and escort you to visit a candle maker in Tarascon. Learn how candles have been made throughout the past century in this fascinating workshop.

The candle factory is closed on Saturdays and Sundays.

CRUISE REF. FAN\_XMASPP / NAF\_XMASPP.

## **DISCOVER A MANADE**

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

Discover a manade and the life of its herders during a wagon tour and take part in a bull sorting. Before returning to the boat, we'll have a delicious snack with products from the farm.

CRUISE REF. AVF\_AIPP / SVA\_AIPP.

## **ÉTANG DE THAU**

#### LENGTH: 2.25 hours

The Étang de Thau is well known for its shellfish. We'll visit the Étang de Thau Museum, where you'll learn about the shellfish farmers and fishermen, and you'll enjoy tasting some of the shellfish while taking in the beauty of the basin from a terrace.

CRUISE REF. AVF AIPP / SVA AIPP.

## SAINT-GUILHEM-LE-DÉSERT AND THE DEVIL'S BRIDGE

### LENGTH: 4.5 hours

We'll depart from Sète by coach with our guide towards the Pont du Diable (Devil's Bridge), located at the heart of the Hérault Gorges. We'll then discover Saint-Guilhem-le-Désert, listed as one of the most beautiful villages in France. You'll be delighted by this picturesque town and its abbey (exteriors only).

CRUISE REF. AVF\_AIPP / SVA\_AIPP

## THE CAMARGUE

## LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll set off on a panoramic guided tour of the Camargue for an occasion to admire its rivers, marshland and lakes, pink flamingos, bulls and the famous white Camargue horses. A stop is planned in Les Saintes-Maries-de-la-Mer, renowned as a pilgrimage centre for gypsies from all over Europe.

CRUISE REF. AVF\_AIPP / SVA\_AIPP.

## **Upper Loire**

## BRIARE AND THE DEUX MARINES MUSEUM

#### LENGTH: 2.25 hours

We'll leave by tourist train for a tour of Briare, first admiring the Briare Aqueduct, whose 14 masonry supports were built by the Eiffel company. We'll also pass by the Town Hall and the Château de Trousse Barrière. We'll then head to the Deux Marines Museum and discover the history of the Loire and its canals.

CRUISE REF. BNV\_AIPP.

## FONTMORIGNY ABBEY AND APREMONT-SUR-ALLIER

## LENGTH: 4.5 hours

We'll leave for the Fontmorigny Abbey, a privately-owned French historical monument that has now become one of the main cultural sites in the Loire Val d'Aubois. Afterwards, we'll continue on to Apremont-sur-Allier, listed as one of the most beautiful villages in France, and its floral gardens.

CRUISE REF. BNV\_AIPP / NVB\_AIPP.

## LA CHARITÉ-SUR-LOIRE

#### LENGTH: 3.75 hours

We'll leave for La Charité-sur-Loire and begin our visit with the Clunisian Priory of La Charité-sur-Loire, listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site as part of the Way of St. James. We'll then head to an authentic farm where you'll be able to taste local products.

CRUISE REF. BNV\_AIPP / NVB\_AIPP.

#### **NEVERS**

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

Our first stop after leaving the ship will be the Espace Bernadette Soubirous, the final resting place of the simple country girl from Lourdes who claimed to have seen the Virgin 18 times. We'll then discover the façade of the Ducal Palace, considered the first of the Loire's Châteaux. We'll continue on to the Nevers Cathedral and visit the Nevers Blue Gold pottery district before finishing up with a tasting of local products.

CRUISE REF. NVB\_AIPP.

## NIGHTTIME STROLL THROUGH NEVERS WITH LANTERNS

## LENGTH: 2 hours

At nightfall, we'll leave on a romantic tour by foot of Nevers with lanterns. You'll travel back to medieval times as we stroll through the winding streets and along the river's edge.

CRUISE REF. BNV\_AIPP / NVB\_AIPP.

## **POUILLY-SUR-LOIRE**

## LENGTH: 3.5 hours

We'll leave for the picturesque town of Pouilly-sur-Loire, where we'll visit the Tower of Pouilly-Fumé: a wine-tourism centre. We'll visit the vineyard and stop in a cellar for a tasting\*.

CRUISE REF. BNV\_AIPP / NVB\_AIPP.

## SANCERRE AND A GOAT FARM

## LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll depart towards Sancerre for a tour on foot of the city, ambling down the typical small streets of this once medieval town. You'll be able to visit the Tour des Fiefs on your own (192 steps). We'll then head to a goat farm to sample its trademark cheeses and the local Sancerre wine\*.

CRUISE REF. BNV\_AIPP / NVB\_AIPP.

# FRANCE

## **CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS**

## THE LOIRE VALLEY

- CroisiEurope Exclusivity: the MS Loire Princesse, the only paddle riverboat to cruise on the Loire
- The last "wild river" in France
- The Loire Valley, listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site

## THE SEINE VALLEY

- · Linking the French capital to the coast of Normandy
- · A combination of river and coastal cruises from Duclair to Honfleur
- Cruise Paris by night on the ship and stay just a few steps away from the Eiffel Tower!

## THE GARONNE AND DORDOGNE VALLEYS

- · CroisiEurope spearheaded river cruise vacations in France
- Cruise all the way to the Gironde Estuary and Royan
- Exceptional French heritage: second only to Paris for the number of historical sites

## THE RHÔNE AND SAÔNE VALLEYS

- Cruise between Burgundy and the Mediterranean Sea
- Discover the diverse and lush landscapes along the Saône and Rhône: the Burgundy and Beaujolais vineyards, the Vercors Massif, and the Camargue region





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**5-DAY / 4-NIGHT CRUISE •** REF. NDN\_AIPP2 **ONLY WITH CROISIEUROPE** 

## The Loire Valley, a Royal legacy Round-trip cruise from Nantes

## DAY 1 | NANTES • SAINT-NAZAIRE

Boarding

Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Cruise towards Saint-Nazaire

## DAY 2 | SAINT-NAZAIRE • NANTES

Excursion for both packages: • Visit the Saint-Nazaire shipyard and discover the Escal'Atlantic(1) Cruise towards Nantes

## DAY 3 | NANTES • ANCENIS CHALONNES-SUR-LOIRE

Cruise towards Ancenis Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: The Muscadet Wine Route
- DISCOVERY: Helicopter ride<sup>(2)</sup> Cruise towards Chalonnes-sur-Loire.

## DAY 4 | CHALONNES-SUR-LOIRE The Châteaux of the Loire Valley • NANTES

Full-day excursion for both packages: · Visit the Châteaux of the Loire valley Gala dinner

## ANCENIS CHALONNES-SUR-LOIRE LOIRE NANTES Villandry Azay-le-Rideau

## DAY 5 | NANTES

Disembark at 09:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 48 and 49.

NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company NB: For flavigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary. The cruise schedule may vary according to tides and arrival times at ports of call may be subject to change.

- (1) This excursion must be booked in advance through your travel agency. Each passenger will be asked to produce a valid passport or identity card in order to gain access to the chipper.
- (2) Subject to availability and favorable weather conditions.

## Cruise highlights

## **EXCLUSIVE TO CROISIEUROPE:**

- · Cruise on board a paddle
- · Helicopter ride: the Loire from above<sup>(2)</sup>

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- Full-day excursion to the castles of the Loire Valley: guided tours of the castles of Ússé, Azay-le-Rideau and the gardens of Villandry
- The Saint-Nazaire shipyard, embodiment of French pride
- The wine route of the Muscadet through the vineyards of the Nantes region



**ALL EXCURSIONS** 



ALL MEALS INCLUDED



**UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY BEVERAGES** 



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7-DAY / 6-NIGHT ITINERARY • REF. NSN\_CLRAIP(3) ONLY WITH CROISIEUROPE

# From Chambord & Chenonceau castles to the Loire Valley

## DAY 1 | Paris

Passengers will be greeted at 5:00 p.m. at the hotel in Paris. Transfer by coach to a typical Parisian brasserie for dinner. Night will be spent at a 4-star hotel

## DAY 2 | Paris • Châteaux of the Loire NANTES • SAINT-NAZAIRE

Excursions proposed

- · Guided tour of the Château de Chambord
- · Guided tour of the Château de Chenonceau Transfer to Nantes Boarding around 6:30 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

Cruise towards Saint-Nazaire

## DAY 3 | SAINT-NAZAIRE • NANTES

Excursion for both packages

 Visit the Saint-Nazaire shipyard and discover the Escal'Atlantic(1) Cruise towards Nantes

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Guided tour of Nantes and the Castle of the Dukes of Brittany
- DISCOVERY: Nantes, the Machines de l'Île, secret courtyards and covered passageways
- Excursion for both packages:
- Cruise on the Erdre

## DAY 4 | NANTES • ANCENIS

Cruise towards Ancenis Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: The Muscadet Wine Route
- DISCOVERY: Helicopter ride<sup>(2)</sup>

### DAY 5 | ANCENIS CHALONNES-SUR-LOIRE • Angers Cruise towards Chalonnes-sur-Loire

Excursions proposed: • CLASSIC: Guided tour of Angers

• DISCOVERY: Tour of Château de Brissac and the castle cellars with wine-tasting

#### DAY 6 | CHALONNES-SUR-LOIRE The Châteaux of the Loire valley **ANCENIS**

Full-day excursion for both packages: · Visit the Châteaux of the Loire valley Gala dinner

## DAY 7 | NANTES • Paris

Disembark at 09:00 a.m. Transfer by coach to Paris

See excursion details on pages 48 and 49.

#### POSSIBILITY TO DO THIS ITINERARY FROM NANTES

(6-day/5-night cruise - ref. NSN\_AIPP)

## **NEW FOR 2023**

POSSIBILITY TO EXTEND YOUR STAY REF. NSB\_AIPP **Authentic Brittany** 

Detailed program, dates and prices on request.

## Cruise highlights

## **EXCLUSIVE TO CROISIEUROPE:**

- Cruise on board a paddle
- · Helicopter ride: the Loire from above<sup>(2)</sup>

#### 2-DAY/1-NIGHT EXTENDED STAY INCLUDED:

- · Accommodations at a 4-star
- Dinner in a typical French brasserie
- · Visit the Chambord and

## **EXCURSIONS:**

- The Châteaux of the Loire Valley
- · Wine-tasting in the cellars of the Château de Brissac
- Secret courtyards and covered passageways in Nantes
- The Saint-Nazaire shipyard(1) embodiment of French pride
- The wine route of the Muscadet through the vineyards of the Nantes region



ALL EXCURSIONS **INCLUDED** 



ALL MEALS INCLUDED



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- (1) This excursion must be booked in advance through your travel agency. Each passenger will be asked to produce a valid passport or identity card in order to gain access to the shipyard.
- (2) This excursion must be booked in advance through your travel agency. Subject to availability and favorable weather conditions (3) A minimum of 25 participants is requested to guarantee the departures of the 7-Day itinerary, otherwise the services will be adjusted consequently.

# Dates & Prices . The Loire Valley

		CRU	JISE RATE PER	PERSON / CRL	JISE		OPTION
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## REF. NDN\_AIPP2 (p. 46)

PREMIUM SHIP										
March 14, 18, 22, 26, 30	\$1948	\$1978	\$2019	\$2742	\$2772	\$2813				
April 3, 7	\$2049	\$2092	\$2134	\$2843	\$2886	\$2928	\$336			
October 8	\$2271	\$2314	\$2357	\$3065	\$3108	\$3151				

REF. NSN\_CLRAIP (p. 47) - A minimum of 25 participants is requested to guarantee the departure. Dates on request.

PREMIUM SHIP										
April from 16 October         \$3 625         \$3 691         \$3 754         \$5 048         \$5 114         \$5177										
May to 15 October	\$3882	\$3955	\$4027	\$5305	\$5378	\$5450	\$399			

#### REF, NSN AIPP (p. 47)

PREMIUM SHIP										
April 11, 16, 21 October 17, 22, 27	\$2661	\$2710	\$2761	\$3648	\$3697	\$3748				
May 1, 6, 21, 26 June 10, 15, 20, 30 July 5, 10, 20, 25, 30 August 9, 14, 24, 29 September 18, 23, 28 October 3, 12	\$2926	\$2976	\$3024	\$3913	\$3963	\$4011	\$399			

# Our excursions. The Loire Valley

Our excursions are valid for a minimum of 25 participants. Below this number, our rates can be adjusted on board.

## **CLASSIC EXCURSIONS**

## **ANGERS**

### LENGTH: 4 hours

Angers was the capital of the historical Anjou province and is distinguished not only by its legacy, but also by its modern nature. Angers, particularly rich during the Renaissance, was home to the House of Plantagenet. The immense walls of the famous Château d'Angers contain the extraordinary Apocalypse Tapestry. We'll visit the 13th century castle and discover the Apocalypse Tapestry, part of one of the most important collections of medieval tapestries in the world

The Apocalypse Tapestry site is closed on January 1st, May 1st, November 1st and 11th, and December 25th.

CRUISE REF. NSN CLRAIP / NSN AIPP.

## **CHAMBORD** AND CHENONCEAU

## LENGTH: 12 hours

We'll set off by coach for the Château de Chambord. King Francis I built this extraordinary castle as a hunting lodge. It is one of the most recognizable châteaux in the world because of its very distinctive architecture blending traditional French medieval forms with classical Renaissance structures. Enjoy a tour of this majestic castle and its grounds. We'll then continue on to Chenonceau, stopping for lunch in a local restaurant. Our afternoon will be spent visiting the Château de Chenonceau. Once

of the best-known and most-visited châteaux in the Loire Valley, it spans the Cher River. Its architecture is a fascinating mix of late Gothic and early Renaissance. The list of aristocrats and nobles that have lived in it is astounding: Thomas Bohier, Diane de Poitiers, and Catherine de Medici, to name just a few. After our visit, we'll head to Nantes, arriving in the evening.

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## **CRUISE ON THE ERDRE RIVER**

## LENGTH: 2.75 hours

We'll leave for a cruise on what King Francis I called the "most beautiful river in France": the Erdre. As the scenery rolls by, discover the history of the river and its numerous châteaux

CRUISE REF. NSN\_CLRAIP / NSN\_AIPP.

## **NANTES**

## LENGTH: 4.5 hours

You'll discover the small streets of the medieval Bouffay quarter and the beautiful Flamboyant-style Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul (exteriors only). We'll visit the île Feydeau and its exceptional buildings dating back to the 18th century, and then on to the quays. After, you'll discover the shopping districts created in the 18th century around the Théâtre Graslin and the Passage Pommeraye. We'll continue our tour to the Castle of the Dukes of Brittany. The last castle before the river reaches the ocean, this Breton monument with its outstanding 15th-to-17th centuries buildings will transport you back in time

CRUISE REF. NSN\_CLRAIP / NSN\_AIPP.

## SAINT-NAZAIRE

#### MUST BE BOOKED IN ADVANCE THROUGH YOUR TRAVEL AGENCY LENGTH: 4.5 hours

We'll begin our visit with the Escal'Atlantic, which ingeniously retraces the history of Norman and French ocean liners through a unique experience. Then we'll continue on to the Saint-Nazaire shipyard, one of the largest and well-renowned in Europe. Once the birthplace of the most outstanding French transatlantic liners, today it is the construction site for elegant cruise ships. While following a tour especially designed to better understand the complexity of constructing these truly modern floating palaces, you'll discover the immensity of this site (267 acres), the stunning logistics, and the advanced technology required to build the ships.

Each passenger will be asked to produce a valid passport in order to gain access to the shipyard.

CRUISE REF. NDN\_AIPP2 / NSN\_CLRAIP / NSN\_AIPP.

## THE CHÂTEAUX OF THE LOIRE VALLEY

## LENGTH: 11 hours

We'll leave by coach for the Azay-le-Rideau Château. Built on a small island in the middle of the Indre River, the château as

it is seen today was built under Francis I by Gilles Berthelot, a wealthy financier who wanted to incorporate its medieval past alongside the latest architectural styles of the Italian renaissance. This château is a French national monument and possesses all the refinement found in the French Renaissance. We'll continue to Villandry for lunch. After lunch, enjoy a walk through the lovely gardens surrounding the château. Spread out over an impressive area, the gardens bring together aestheticism, diversity and harmony. Afterwards, we'll continue our tour and visit the Ussé Château. Rebuilt in the 15th and

16th centuries, this stronghold with fortified towers, turrets and steeples looks like something out of a fairytale. The castle is still inhabited today and takes visitors back to a time of legends and fairytales. It is thought to have inspired Charles Perrault when writing "Sleeping Beauty".

CRUISE REF. NDN\_AIPP2 / NSN\_CLRAIP / NSN\_AIPP.

## THE MUSCADET REGION LENGTH: 5 hours

We'll pass through several villages that are testimony to the strong winegrowing

identity in the region. We'll continue towards La Chapelle Heulin and stop at the Cassemichère Château (or similar site). This exceptional site invites you to discover its history-filled vineyards, visit its cellars and taste\* the dry, light, fruity and aromatic wine. Transfer to Clisson, a charming medieval town with 15th century vestiges and a slight Italian feel.

CRUISE REF. NDN\_AIPP2 / NSN\_CLRAIP / NSN\_AIPP.

## DISCOVERY EXCURSIONS

## **CHÂTEAU DE BRISSAC**

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave by coach for a visit to the Château de Brissac, located about nine miles from the city of Angers. Known as the tallest royal residence in France, it contains 204 rooms, monumental staircases and never-ending hallways. Acquired by René de Cossé in the 16th century, the Château de Brissac is still owned by the Cossé-Brissac familly. Its park contains some magnificent shady spots under centuries-old trees, and the castle's spectacular decorations and the breathtaking Belle Époque theatre are definitely not to be missed! At the end of our visit, we'll discover the castle cellars and enjoy a wine tasting\*.

Closed on Tuesdays, replaced with the château de Serrant.

CRUISE REF. NSN\_CLRAIP / NSN\_AIPP.

## HELICOPTER RIDE: THE LOIRE FROM ABOVE LENGTH OF THE RIDE: 10 minutes

Leaving from Ancenis, experience an unforgettable flight over the Loire River. You'll soar above Ancenis, its hills and châ-

You'll soar above Ancenis, its hills and châteaux, the castle in Oudon, the Châteaux de Clermont, etc.

Flight subject to favourable weather conditions - reservations must be made before the cruise begins and are subject to availability.

CRUISE REF. NDN\_AIPP2 / NSN\_CLRAIP / NSN\_AIPP.

## NANTES: THE MACHINES DE L'ILE, SECRET COURTYARDS AND COVERED PASSAGEWAYS

LENGTH: 4 hours

Leaving from the dock in Nantes, you'll set out to discover the magical world of the Machines de l'île. This totally unprecedented artistic project is a cross between the imaginations of Jules Verne and Leonardo da Vinci. After this exceptional tour, we'll continue on to explore Nantes through its hidden courtyards and covered passageways reflecting the glorious past of the city's grand families from the 15th century to today.

The Machines de l'Ile are closed on Mondays (except in July & August).

CRUISE REF. NSN CLRAIP / NSN AIPP.

\* Alcohol can be dangerous to your health. Please drink in moderation.



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6-DAY / 5-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. SIP AIPP

# The most picturesque ports of call in the Seine Valley Round-trip cruise from Paris

## DAY 1 | PARIS

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail "Titi parisien" themed evening

#### DAY 2 | PARIS • LES ANDELYS **HONFLEUR**

Cruise towards Les Andelvs Excursion for both packages:

· Visit of the Martainville Château Cruise towards Honfleur

## DAY 3 | HONFLEUR

Excursion for both packages:

Honfleur

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Discover the Côte d'Albâtre
- DISCOVERY: Walk across the cliffs of **Ftretat**  $\cap$

Full-day guided tour to the Landing Beaches (lunch included)(1)

#### DAY 4 | HONFLEUR • DUCLAIR ROUEN

Excursions for both packages:

- The Norman Abbey Circuit
- Guided tour of Rouen Gala dinner

## DAY 5 | ROUEN • PARIS

Cruise towards Paris Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Panoramic tour of Paris
- · DISCOVERY: Stroll on the banks of the Seine and the bridges of Paris Cruise through Paris by night (depending on water level)

## DAY 6 | PARIS

Disembark at 9.00 a m.

See excursion details on pages 52 and 53.

## Cruise highlights

- · Ship moored in the heart of Paris and Honfleur
- Travel through a spectacular valley whose changing light has inspired countless painters and poets of all ages

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

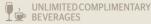
- Paris and its legendary places
- The Norman Abbey Circuit
  The Landing Beaches<sup>(1)</sup> (day-trip)
- "Titi parisien" themed evening
- Etretat and the Côte d'Albâtre



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ALL MEALS INCLUDED



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## 5-DAY / 4-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. SEN ARMADA OR 6-DAY / 5-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. SIP ARMADA



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(1) This excursion must be booked in advance through your travel agency. Available for a minimum of 25 participants

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8-DAY / 7-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. PCN AIPP

## Paris, the Seine Valley, and the Normandy Beaches Round-trip cruise from Paris

## DAY 1 | PARIS

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Cruise through Paris by night (depending on water level)

## DAY 2 | PARIS

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Panoramic tour of Paris
- **DISCOVERY:** Stroll on the banks of the Seine and the bridges of Paris

## DAY 3 | VERNON

Cruise towards Vernon
Excursion for both packages:

 Visit of the Claude Monet Foundation in Giverny

## DAY 4 | DUCLAIR

Cruise towards Duclair Excursion for both packages:

• The Norman Abbey Circuit

## DAY 5 | HONFLEUR

Excursion for both packages:

The Côte Fleurie and tasting of Calvados

Excursion for both packages:

Honfleur

Or

Full-day guided tour to the Landing Beaches (lunch included)<sup>(1)</sup>

## DAY 6 | ROUEN

Cruise towards Rouen
Excursion for both packages:

• Guided tour of Rouen

## DAY 7 | ROUEN • LES ANDELYS

Cruise towards Les Andelys Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Visit of the Martainville Château
- DISCOVERY: Walk to Château Gaillard<sup>(2)</sup> Gala dinner

## DAY 8 | PARIS

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 52 and 53.

## Cruise highlights

- Ship moored in the heart of Paris and Honfleur
- Travel through a spectacular valley whose changing light has inspired countless painters and poets of all ages

## **EXCURSIONS:**

- Paris and its legendary places
- · The Norman Abbey Circuit
- The Landing Beaches<sup>(1)</sup> (day-trip)
- The Claude Monet Foundation



ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED

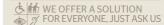


ALL MEALS INCLUDED



UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY BEVERAGES







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(1) This excursion must be booked in advance through your travel agency. Available for a minimum of 25 participants. (2) Replaced by the Martainville Château on Tuesdays when the Château Gaillard is closed.

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# Dates & Prices . The Seine Valley

DATES 2023	CRUISE RATE PER PERSON / CRUISE									
	MAIN DECK									
		Double cabin			UPPER DECK					
	Cat. C	Cat. B	Cat. A	Cat. C	Cat. B	Cat. A	DECK			

#### REF. SIP\_AIPP (p. 50)

STANDARD SHIP										
March 30, 31 April 4, 9, 14, 19, 21 October 21	\$1889	\$1938	\$2023	\$2554	\$2603	\$2688				
July 1, 8, 18, 23 August 29	\$1932	\$1981	\$2061	\$2597	\$2646	\$2726	\$243			
May 12 June 2, 17 September 13, 15, 30 October 2, 11, 21	\$2023	\$2068	\$2161	\$2688	\$2733	\$2826				
			PREMIUM SI	HIP						
April 10 October 17, 22	\$2089	\$2146	\$2232	\$2845	\$2902	\$2988	\$ 213			
July 13, 25 August 25	\$2138	\$2195	\$2289	\$2894	\$2951	\$3045	<b>Ф</b> 2I3			

## REF. PCN\_AIPP (p. 51)

PREMIUM SHIP										
April 15 October 27	\$2831	\$2903	\$3032	\$3888	\$3960	\$4089				
July 18 August 11, 18	\$2889	\$2960	\$3089	\$3946	\$4017	\$4146	\$327			
May 2, 21 June 17, 24 September 15, 22	\$3003	\$3083	\$3218	\$4060	\$4140	\$4275				

# Our excursions. The Seine Valley

Our excursions are valid for a minimum of 25 participants. Below this number, our rates can be adjusted on board.

## **CLASSIC EXCURSIONS**

## CLAUDE MONET FOUNDATION IN GIVERNY

LENGTH: 3.5 hours

We'll leave by coach for the Claude Monet Foundation in Giverny (Monet's house between 1883 and 1926) where you'll discover the famous garden with its riot of flowers as well as Monet's private collection of Japanese prints. Inside, Monet's particular taste for warm tones will strike you. You'll also get to see some painting reproductions in the workshop.

CRUISE REF. PCN\_AIPP.

## HONFLEUR

## LENGTH: 1.5 hours

Honfleur, the cradle of Impressionism, is located at the mouth of the Seine as it flows into the English Channel. Untouched by the passage of time, this small port has kept the landmarks of its rich past, making it today one of the most visited towns in France. During our guided tour, we'll get to see landmarks such as the Vieux Bassin, Saint Catherine's Church and the original 17th century Salt Halls (Greniers à Sel).

CRUISE REF. PCN\_AIPP / SIP\_AIPP.

## **MARTAINVILLE CHATEAU**

LENGTH: 5 hours

We'll leave by coach with our hostess for the Martainville Château. Built at the end of the 15th century by Jacques Le Pelletier and bought by the State in 1906, it was turned into a museum in 1961. There, you'll learn about 500 years of rural Norman history and travel to the heart of Norman traditions

CRUISE REF. PCN\_AIPP / SIP\_AIPP.

## **NORMAN ABBEY CIRCUIT**

LENGTH: 3.5 hours

We'll set off by coach from Duclair with our guide. Our excursion begins with a visit of the Jumièges Abbey. We'll also discover the cloisters and the ruins of the Church of Saint Peter before visiting the Abbey of Saint Wandrille (or Wandregisel - exteriors only) founded in the same century. The wonderful classical architecture of this abbey blends with the magnificence of its mediaeval heritage in perfect harmony.

CRUISE REF. PCN\_AIPP / SIP\_AIPP.

## PARIS: PANORAMIC

LENGTH: 3.5 hours

We'll leave by coach with our guide to discover the mythical sites of the capital. Our coach will take you past Bercy, the F. Mitterrand National Library, the Bastille, the Marais, the Latin Quarter, Saint-Germain-des-Prés, the Louvre, the Pyramid, the Opéra Garnier, Place Vendôme, the Concorde, the Champs Elysées, the Arc de Triomphe, the Invalides, the Trocadéro and of course the famous Elifel Tower.

CRUISE REF. PCN\_AIPP / SIP\_AIPP.

## **ROUEN**

## LENGTH: 2 hours

Stretched along the Seine, Rouen is Normandy's cultural, historical, and gastronomical capital. The exceptionally complex Notre-Dame Cathedral is renowned for the juxtaposition of all the Gothic periods. We'll walk past the Gros-Horloge, one of the most emblematic monuments in the city, located right next to a Gothic belfry which has housed the communal bells and clock of the city since its construc-

tion. Finally, we'll visit the Saint Joan of Arc Church on the Old Market Place.

CRUISE REF. PCN\_AIPP / SIP\_AIPP.

## THE CÔTE D'ALBÂTRE

## LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave Honfleur by coach for our excursion to the Côte d'Albâtre. This trip will be your chance to discover the natural heritage of the Pays de Caux and the Seine estuary. Once a fishing village, Etretat transformed into a seaside resort in the 19<sup>th</sup> century and became a place of inspiration for renowned artists and writers as well as a holiday spot for several famous opera composers and singers of the 19<sup>th</sup> century.

CRUISE REF. SIP\_AIPP.

## THE COTE FLEURIE

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll depart by coach with our guide, first stopping in Deauville, the most glamorous coastal French city. Enjoy a stroll along the beach and discover the facade of the famous casino, one of the nicest in Europe. We'll then set off for the Château du Breuil, one of the most beautiful examples of the architectural heritage of this region. Today, it is also home to a prestigious distillery where you will get the chance to discover the various steps to making Calvados before tasting\* it.

CRUISE REF. PCN\_AIPP.

## THE LANDING BEACHES

## MUST BE BOOKED IN ADVANCE THROUGH YOUR TRAVEL AGENCY

#### LENGTH: 10 hours

We'll leave by coach for a day trip (lunch included) to the landing beaches. Arrival at Pointe du Hoc, the scene of one of the landings on June 6, 1944. We'll then pass through Omaha Beach, Colleville sur Mer and its American cemetery. After lunch, we'll continue to Arromanches and stop at Arromanches 360° where you'll be able to watch a film in its circular room. The Price of Liberty combines archived footage filmed in June 1944 by war correspondents with current shots on the same site. We'll get back to Honfleur via Gold Beach, Juno Beach and Sword Beach.



## **DISCOVERY EXCURSIONS**

## STROLL ON THE BANKS OF THE SEINE, THE BRIDGES OF PARIS

## LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll set out from the Quai de Grenelle for a stroll along the banks of the Seine which were added to the UNESCO list of World Heritage Sites in 1991. Come with us and discover the splendid sites and surprising points of view on each side of the river. You'll also learn about the complex relationship Parisians have had with their waterways since the Middle Ages. All levels of walkers are welcome to join us and hear about the river's fascinating history.

You will have to return to the ship on your own using the combined transport tickets that are included in your cruise. The guide will not escort you on this return trip.

CRUISE REF. PCN\_AIPP / SIP\_AIPP

## WALK ACROSS THE CLIFFS OF THE CÔTE D'ALBATRE

## LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave from Honfleur by coach for the beautiful Côte d'Albâtre, passing by Le Havre. Once in Etretat, we'll set out for a walk across the cliffs to bask in the landscapes that have been dramatically shaped by weather and erosion. These high cliffs of white chalk and stone beaches were popularised by the paintings of Claude Monet.

CRUISE REF. SIP\_AIPP.

## **WALK TO CHÂTEAU GAILLARD**

#### LENGTH: 2.5 hours

From Les Andelys, we'll walk to the Château Gaillard. Come discover this ruined medieval castle and its gorgeous views overlooking the small city of Les Andelys and one of the loveliest bends in the Seine. The complex and advanced-design castle was expensive to build, yet the majority of the work was done in an unusually short time. After our walk and visit, we'll return to the ship by coach. The Château Gaillard is closed on Tuesdays.

CRUISE REF. PCN\_AIPP.



<sup>\*</sup> Alcohol can be dangerous to your health. Please drink in moderation



6-DAY / 5-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. BOS AIPP

# A cruise in Aquitaine: the great wines of Southern France Round-trip cruise from Bordeaux

## DAY 1 | BORDEAUX

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

## DAY 2 | BORDEAUX • CUSSAC-FORT-MÉDOC • The Médoc

Cruise towards Cussac-Fort-Médoc Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: The Grands Crus Wine Route of the Médoc
- DISCOVERY: Helicopter ride of the Médoc<sup>(2)</sup> and wine tasting

## DAY 3 | CUSSAC-FORT-MÉDOC The Gironde Estuary • BLAYE(1)

Cruise towards Blaye Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: The Route de la Corniche Fleurie and the Blaye Citadel
- . DISCOVERY: Blaye and its underground monuments

## **NEW FOR 2023**

#### POSSIBILITY TO EXTEND YOUR STAY **REF. BIS AIPP**

The French Basque Country: gastronomy at the foot of the Pyrenees

Detailed program, dates and prices on request.

## DAY 4 | BLAYE(1) • LIBOURNE(1) Saint-Émilion

Cruise towards Libourne

- Excursions proposed:
   CLASSIC: Saint-Émilion
- DISCOVERY: Libourne by bike Gala dinner

## DAY 5 | LIBOURNE(1) • BORDEAUX

Cruise towards Bordeaux Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Bordeaux, the quartier des Chartrons, Wine and Trade museum and wine tasting
- DISCOVERY: The Bassins des Lumières in Bordeaux

## DAY 6 | BORDFAUX

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 56 and 57.

## Cruise highlights

· Discover the largest area of AOC vineyards in the world

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- · Bordeaux, and its emblematic quartier des Chartrons
- The Grands Crus wines of the region
- Blaye and Vauban's citadel
- Saint-Émilion, the history of a medieval village



**ALL EXCURSIONS** INCLUDED



ALL MEALS INCLUDED

UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY

FREE Wi-Fi

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(1) Depending on mooring availability, the stopover in Blaye and Libourne may be replaced by a stopover in Bourg (2) Subject to availability and favorable weather conditions



7-DAY / 6-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. BYA AIPP

# Cruise through the Aquitaine region from Bordeaux to Royan Along the Gironde Estuary and the Garonne and Dordogne rivers

### DAY 1 | BORDEAUX CUSSAC-FORT-MÉDOC

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Cruise towards Cussac-Fort-Médoc

#### DAY 2 | CUSSAC-FORT-MÉDOC The Médoc • Gironde Estuary **ROYAN**

- Excursions proposed:
   CLASSIC: The Grands Crus Wine Route of the Médoc
- . DISCOVERY: Helicopter ride of the Médoc<sup>(1)</sup> and wine tasting Excursion for both packages:
- · Rovan and its waterfront

## DAY 3 | ROYAN • Rochefort La Rochelle • ROYAN

Full-day excursion proposed:

· Rochefort and La Rochelle Cruise towards Libourne

## DAY 4 | LIBOURNE<sup>(2)</sup> • BORDEAUX Excursions proposed:

• CLASSIC: Saint-Émilion

• DISCOVERY: Libourne by bike

Cruise towards Bordeaux

## DAY 5 | BORDEAUX • CADILLAC

Cruise towards Cadillac Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: The Château de Roquetaillade and Cadillac
- · DISCOVERY: "Pick-me-up" walk in Cadillac

Cruise towards Bordeaux Gala dinner

## DAY 6 | BORDEAUX • Arcachon Bay **BORDEAUX**

Excursion for both packages:

· Day-trip to the heart of the Arcachon Bay

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Bordeaux, the quartier des Chartrons, Wine and Trade museum and wine tasting
- DISCOVERY: The Bassins des Lumières in Bordeaux Free time in Bordeaux

## Cruise highlights

## **EXCURSIONS:**

- The Médoc Wine Route
- The charming, retro city of Royan
- · Rochefort and the Corderie Royale
- The seaside city of La Rochelle
- · Arcachon Bay and the Dune of Pilat



**ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED** 



ALL MEALS INCLUDED



**BEVERAGES** 



FREE Wi-Fi



## DAY 7 | BORDEAUX

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 56 and 57.

**NB:** For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary. The cruise schedule may vary according to tides and arrival times at ports of call may be subject to change.

(1) Subject to availability and favorable weather conditions. (2) Depending on mooring availability, the stopover in Libourne may be replaced by a stopover in Bourg.



# **Dates & Prices** The Garonne & Dordogne Valleys

DATES 2023		CRUIS	OPTIONS					
			MIDDLE					
		Double cabir		Single cabin			MIDDLE DECK	UPPER DECK
	Cat. C	Cat. B	Cat. A	Cat. C	Cat. B	Cat. A		
REF BOS AIPP (n. 54)								

PREMIUM SHIP											
April 12, 23	\$2033	\$2082	\$2168	\$2775	\$2824	\$2910					
July 5, 20 August 4, 19	\$2119	\$2176	\$2262	\$2861	\$2918	\$3004	\$ 213	\$243			
May 2, 13 June 5, 20 September 3, 18 October 9	\$2297	\$2354	\$2448	\$3039	\$3096	\$3190					

## REF. BYA\_AIPP (p. 55)

PREMIUM SHIP											
April 17 October 18	\$2796	\$2853	\$2953	\$3667	\$3724	\$3824					
July 14, 29 August 13, 28	\$2861	\$2919	\$3024	\$3732	\$3790	\$3895	\$256	\$285			
May 7, 18, 24, 30 June 14, 29 September 12, 23 October 3	\$3096	\$3162	\$3276	\$3967	\$4033	\$4147					

# Our excursions The Garonne & Dordogne Valleys

Our excursions are valid for a minimum of 25 participants. Below this number, our rates can be adjusted on board.

## **CLASSIC EXCURSIONS**

## **ARCACHON BAY**

(DAY TRIP - LUNCH INCLUDED)

### LENGTH: 10.5 hours

We'll leave by coach for the Arcachon Bay. We will start off with a visit to the Oyster centre and Museum located in Larros Port in Gujan Mestras. A modern, interactive scenography will help you discover oyster farming and the history of the oyster. We will have lunch in a local restaurant. Then, we'll head to Arcachon for a trip on the Bassin d'Arcachon. You'll be able to see Bird Island, the famous "Cabanes tchanquées" houses on stilts and the oyster beds. We will then go to the Great Dune of Pilat. Culminating at 107 m, it is the highest sand dune in Europe. The view from the top is awe-inspiring

CRUISE REF. BYA\_AIPP.

## **BLAYE: THE ROUTE DE LA CORNICHE FLEURIE** AND THE CITADEL

## LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave by coach with a tour guide for a journey along the Route de la Corniche Fleurie. You'll see the old, traditional fishing huts on stilts and the remarkable limestone cliffs. We'll also stop in Bourg to take in the impressive views and walk to the market center where you'll be able to taste the local figs. After we return to Blaye, we'll have a guided tour of the citadel built by Vauban, including the monastery and several army

barracks. We'll finish up our tour with a tasting of the famous Blaye "praslines".

CRUISE REF. BOS\_AIPP.

## **BORDEAUX**, THE CHARTRONS DISTRICT, WINE AND COMMERCE MUSEUM

LENGTH: 3 hours

Set out with your guide on foot to explore the old neighborhood where wine merchants performed their trade-the Chartrons District. You'll visit the Wine and Commerce Museum to trace the history of Bordeaux's classic nectar. We'll enjoy a tasting of wine.\*

CRUISE REF. BOS\_AIPP / BYA\_AIPP.

## **CHÂTEAU DE ROQUETAILLADE** AND CADILLAC

## LENGTH: 4.5 hours

We'll leave by coach for the Château de Roquetaillade. This magnificent and prestigious medieval castle built between the 12th and 14th centuries is a listed historic monument. You will see its medieval keeps, the first Renaissance chimneys in the region (1600), but above all its unique 19th century interiors, a masterpiece by Viollet-le-Duc today listed as a historic monument. Along the way, we will visit a vineyard and enjoy a tasting\* of a wine from the Sauternes area. We'll return to Cadillac for our guided tour of the town located on the right bank of the Garonne.

The Grailly family, Lords of Cadillac, founded this "bastide" (walled town) where the Duke of Epernon built a sumptuous castle.

CRUISE REF. BYA AIPP.

## **ROCHEFORT AND** LA ROCHELLE

LENGTH: 10 hours

We'll leave by coach for Rochefort. The historical downtown area boasts lovely private mansions and beautiful homes where the legendary sailors and explorers lived. We'll visit the Corderie Royale, a historical rope-making factory. Afterwards, we'll head to La Rochelle. We'll stop for lunch in a local restaurant. During a guided tour of the old town and port, you'll learn about the Grosse-Horologe gate, Renaissance arcades, lovely half-timbered homes, finely sculpted facades of the private mansions, and the cathedral.

CRUISE REF. BYA AIPP.

## **ROYAN AND ITS WATERFRONT**

### I FNGTH: 1 hour

Join us for a panoramic tour of Royan, a seaside city and an official French "Ville d'Art et d'Histoire". Villas from the Belle Epoque and the charming "retro" homes from the 1950s line the waterfront. In the Foncillon District, we'll have a look at the fascinating church and learn about its conception.

CRUISE REF. BYA\_AIPP.

## **SAINT-ÉMILION**

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

A guide will tell you all about the history of the medieval town of Saint-Émilion during our tour. We'll visit the Monolithic church, an original monument hewn entirely in limestone and the largest in Europe. Afterwards, we'll depart for a visit to a family-owned wine-growing estate where the owner will explain the various stages of wine-making in Saint-Émilion We'll finish up our tour with a commented wine-tasting\* session

CRUISE REF. BOS\_AIPP / BYA\_AIPP.

## THE GRANDS CRUS WINE **ROUTE OF THE MÉDOC**

MUST BE BOOKED IN ADVANCE THROUGH YOUR TRAVEL AGENCY

LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll depart by coach for our trip along the Grands Crus Wine Route of the Médoc, a prestigious wine-growing region that produces the most prestigious red wines on the planet, tightly wedged between an ocean and an estuary. We'll travel along the Châteaux Route through most of the Medoc appellations such as Saint-Julien and Haut-Médoc as well as some of the major domains. We'll stop off at one of the estates for a wine-tasting's session.

CRUISE REF. BOS AIPP / BYA AIPP.



## DISCOVERY EXCURSIONS

## **BLAYE AND ITS UNDERGROUND MONUMENTS**

LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave on foot to visit the Blaye Citadel, built in the 17<sup>th</sup> century by Vauban in order to better protect the city of Bordeaux. You will explore the underground passages that soldiers once used and learn how the site was developed using older buildings that Vauban preserved and reused. After our tour, we'll walk a few more feet to a local vineyard and taste\* some regional products with an excellent glass of wine.

CRUISE REF. BOS AIPP.

## HELICOPTER RIDE OF THE **MEDOC AND WINE TASTING**

LENGTH: 10 min

Discover the Médoc Region as never before! Taking off from the Château-d'Arsac, you'll experience breathtaking views of the prestigious vineyards producing the Margaux wines. You'll see the point where the Dordogne and Gironde Rivers meet up to form the extraordinary Gironde Estuary. After your flight, you'll tour the wine cellar and taste three AOC wines. The Château d'Arsac incorporates 1,000 years of history as one of the oldest wine domains in the Medoc producing exceptional wines and possessing singular works of art

Flight subject to favorable weather conditions reservations must be made before the cruise begins and are subject to availability.

CRUISE REF. BOS\_AIPP / BYA\_AIPP

## LIBOURNE BY BIKE AND WINE TASTING

LENGTH: 4 hours

Guided tour of Libourne. Discover this former English bastide. Located at the confluence of the Isle and Dordogne rivers, Libourne expanded around its port. We'll see the Saint John the Baptist Church, Abel Surchamp Square, and the imposing clock tower in the grand harbor. Then, we'll hop on our bikes and head over to the Pomerol wine-growing area. We'll enjoy a tasting of wine

CRUISE REF. BOS AIPP / BYA AIPP.

## "PICK-ME-UP" **WALK IN CADILLAC**

LENGTH: 3 hours

You'll set out for a guided tour on foot of the hillsides in Cadillac. You'll cross the city, passing in front of the imposing Château des Ducs d'Épernon before walking up the vineyard trails to some of the most beautiful points of view of the river found in the area. Your tour guide will explain the nature and landscapes that you will see throughout the walk. The walk will finish up with a gourmet pick-me-up at a family farm, where you'll visit the cellars, taste\* a few wines and indulge in some local delicacies

If the ship isn't moored in Cadillac after this excursion, be prepared to pay an additional fee per person for transport back to Bordeaux (payable on board)

CRUISE REF. BYA AIPP

## THE BASSINS DES LUMIÈRES

LENGTH: 3 hours

With our guide leading you, discover this unique digital art center within a former submarine base built by the Germans during their occupation of France during World War II. Each year, the center hosts a different multimedia exhibit, perfectly adapted to the architecture's grandeur and reflective waters.

CRUISE REF. BOS AIPP / BYA AIPP.

<sup>\*</sup> Alcohol can be dangerous to your health. Please drink in moderation.



6-DAY / 5-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. LMX AIPP

# The beautiful Rhône Valley Round-trip cruise from Lyon

## DAY 1 | LYON

Boarding Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Cruise towards Avignon

## DAY 2 | AVIGNON • ARLES

Cruise towards Avignon Excursions proposed:

• CLASSIC: Guided tour of Avignon and the Papal Palace

• DISCOVERY: Walk along the Pont du Gard Cruise towards Arles Excursion for both packages:

Guided tour of Arles

## DAY 3 | ARLES PORT-SAINT-LOUIS-DU-RHÔNE MARTIGUES<sup>(1)</sup>

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Discover the Camargue
- DISCOVERY: Jeep safari through

the Camargue Cruise towards Martigues Free time in the city Cruise towards Arles

## DAY 4 | ARLES • VIVIERS

Excursions for both packages:

• Discover the Baux-de-Provence Cruise towards Viviers

#### DAY 5 | VIVIERS • LA VOULTE the Vercors Plateau • TAIN L'HERMITAGE

Cruise towards La Voulte Excursion for both packages:

• Discover the Vercors and taste the famous Clairette de Die sparkling wine Gala dinner Cruise towards Lyon

## DAY 6 | LYON

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 60 to 63.

## Cruise highlights

#### FXCURSIONS:

- Les Baux-de-Provence: one of the "most beautiful villages in France"
- Arles and its vestiges
- The Camargue: wild and unique
- The Pont du Gard, architectural masterpiece
- The Vercors Plateau and its "hanging houses"



ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED



ALL MEALS INCLUDED

UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY



FREE Wi-Fi





NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary. The cruise schedule may vary according to tides and arrival times at ports of call may be subject to change.

(1) Depending on mooring availability, the stopover in Martigues could be replaced by a stopover in Port-Saint-Louis-du-Rhône.



8-DAY / 7-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. LSR AIPP

# Burgundy and Provence along the Saône and the Rhône Round-trip cruise from Lyon

#### DAY 1 | LYON

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

## DAY 2 | LYON • MÂCON

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Panoramic tour of Lyon
- DISCOVERY: Food tour of Lyon Cruise towards Mâcon

## DAY 3 | MÂCON • VIENNE

Excursion for both packages: Visit to the Cluny Abbey Cruise towards Vienne

## DAY 4 | VIENNE

Excursion for both packages: · Guided tour of Vienne Cruise towards Avignon

## DAY 5 | AVIGNON • ARLES

Excursion for both packages:

· Guided tour of Avignon and the Papal Palace Cruise towards Arles

#### DAY 6 | ARLES • VIVIERS

Excursion for both packages:

- Tour of Arles and stop at a local olive oil producer's Cruise towards Viviers Excursion for both packages:
- · Guided tour of Viviers

## DAY 7 | VIVIERS • TOURNON • LYON

Cruise towards Tournon Excursion for both packages: Guided tour of Tournon Gala dinner Cruise towards Lyon

## DAY 8 | LYON

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

## See excursion details on pages 60 to 63.

**NB:** For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary.

## Cruise highlights

- · Extensive discovery of the region and its terroir from the Saône to the Rhône
- · Provençal folk evening on board

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- · Tastings of local specialties in Tournon
- The highly spiritual Cluny Abbey
- · Lyon and its peculiar "traboules"
- · Jeep safari through the wild Camargue
- Avignon and the Papal Palace with its private apartments



ALL EXCURSIONS



ALL MEALS INCLUDED



**UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY BEVERAGES** 



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# Dates & Prices · The Rhône & Saône Valleys

	CRUISE RATE PER PERSON / CRUISE									
DATES 2023			MAIN	DECK			LIDDED			
DATES 2025		Double cabin			Single cabin		UPPER DECK			
	Cat. C	Cat. B	Cat. A	Cat. C	Cat. B	Cat. A				
REF. LMX_AIPP (p. 58)										
			STANDARD S	HIP						
April 26 October 20	\$1835	\$1870	\$1955	\$2514	\$2549	\$2634				
July 14 August 10	\$2012	\$2056	\$2149	\$2691	\$2735	\$2828	\$213			
May 11 June 11 September 6 October 15	\$2078	\$2135	\$2221	\$2757	\$2814	\$2900	راعپ			
PREMIUM SHIP										
April 15 October 23	\$2035	\$2084	\$2169	\$2814	\$2863	\$2948				
August 1, 18, 27	\$2221	\$2278	\$2378	\$3000	\$3057	\$3157	\$243			
September 17, 26	\$2321	\$2378	\$2478	\$3100	\$3157	\$3257				
REF. LSR_AIPP (p. 59)										
			STANDARD S	HIP						
July 24 August 15	\$2577	\$2641	\$2756	\$3485	\$3549	\$3664	\$285			
June 25 September 11	\$2741	\$2813	\$2933	\$3649	\$3721	\$3841	\$200			
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July 19, 20 August 23	\$2956	\$3033	\$3162	\$4036	\$4113	\$4242				
May 12 June 12 September 22	\$3147	\$3228	\$3371	\$4227	\$4308	\$4451	\$327			

# Our excursions · The Rhône & Saône Valleys

Our excursions are valid for a minimum of 25 participants. Below this number, our rates can be adjusted on board.

## **CLASSIC EXCURSIONS**

## **ARLES**

October 11

## LENGTH: 2 hours

Our guided tour of Arles will take us past such sites as the Roman Amphitheatre (the "Arènes"), the Ancient Roman Theatre and the Place St Trophime with its cloister and church. These are part of the Arles route, one of the three pilgrimage routes leading to Santiago de Compostela. We will continue our visit with the Place du Forum and finally, the Thermae of Constantine.

CRUISE REF. ASA\_AIPP / LMM\_RAIPP / LMX\_AIPP.

# ARLES AND VISIT TO A LOCAL OLIVE OIL PRODUCER'S

### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave on foot for our guided tour of Arles. For two thousand years, Arles has maintained an outstanding architectural heritage making it a genuine open-air museum. Our tour will take us past the Roman Amphitheatre (the "Arènes"), the Ancient

Roman Theatre and the Place St Trophime with its cloister and church. These are part of the Arles route, one of the three pilgrimage routes leading to Santiago de Compostela. We will continue our visit with the Place du Forum and the Thermae of Constantine before hopping on board our coach leading us to Tarascon. There, we'll visit a local olive oil producer's domain. The owners will explain the various steps to making the 'yellow gold of Provence' before we indulge in a tasting of the product.

# AVIGNON AND THE PAPAL PALACE

## LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll set out on foot with our guide for the center of Avignon, first stopping at the Place de l'Horloge. This square has always been the beating heart of the city as revealed by the remains of the Roman forum, still visible amidst the numerous cafés and restaurants that have since taken up its former social function. We'll continue on to the Place du Palais for our visit to the Papal Palace, the most important monument in the city. The two parts that make up the Palace were built by Pope Benedict XII and his successor Pope Clement VI. Our visit will take you through the staterooms where numerous ceremonies and feasts took place, the chapels, the Pope's private apartments and the terraces which offer a wonderful panorama on Avignon and the Rhône River.

CRUISE REF. LMM\_RAIPP / LMX\_AIPP / LSR\_AIPP.

## **BEAUJEU**

## LENGTH: 10.5 hours

We'll set out for Beaujeu, the former capital of the Beaujolais. The departure of the Beaujolais Nouveaux wine from the Les Sarmentelles International Festival is a joyful, 30-year-old event. You'll be able to join in on the action and discover the 12 appellations of Beaujolais while listening to great music and admiring the fantastic

scenery and quaint architecture of the tiny city. In the evening, we'll enjoy the famous 'soirée prestige" in the center of it all, where cabaret shows and dinner prepared by the best chefs in the region await you under outdoor tents. At midnight, we'll set off on a torch-lit stroll to welcome Beaujolais Nouveau Day and watch a fireworks show.

CRUISE REF. BJL\_AIPP.

#### **BEAUNE**

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

As we travel through the outlying hills of Beaune, we'll cross through several well-known wine appellations: Pommard (once appreciated by Henri IV and Louis XV), Puligny, Montrachet, and many others. When we arrive in Beaune, we'll first visit the famous hospice, founded by Chancellor Nicolas Rolin during the extreme poverty and plague that hit the region in 1443. It re mained a working hospital overseen by the Holy See up through the 20th century, with the daily activities run by nuns known as Les Soeurs Hospitalières. Now a museum, it contains over 5,000 objects, including a dazzling polyptych altarpiece of The Last Judgment by Rogier van der Weyden. The hospice is also well known for their more than 148 acres of vineyards, most of which are located in prestigious appellation areas. As anticipated, our tour will finish up with a tasting of a selection of these wines.

CRUISE REF. BJL\_AIPP.

## **CLUNY ABBEY**

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll leave by coach with our guide towards Cluny Abbey, Founded in 910 by William the Pious, this ancient Benedictine abbey extended a widespread influence on all of medieval Europe. Its church was the largest in all of West Christianity until the construction of Saint Peter's basilica in Rome. In 1798, the abbey was sold as a national asset and thus dismantled, while its church was almost completely destroyed. Today, you can still admire their vestiges which bear witness to the past splendour of Cluny.

CRUISE REF. BJL\_AIPP / LSR\_AIPP.

# FOLLOWING THE FOOTSTEPS OF VAN GOGH IN ARLES

## LENGTH: 2 hours

We'll leave on foot for a guided tour of Arles following the footsteps of Vincent Van Gogh. Arles is an ancient Roman city whose ruins are second only to Rome and include the Antique Theater, Amphitheater, Thermes of Constantine, and the Alyscamps. Arles is also an important stop along the Way of St. James. Vincent Van Gogh came to Arles to escape the gray winter in Paris and the indifference he felt within the artistic milieu there. He arrived in Arles on February 20, 1888, and immediately began to produce his most prolific number of works in his career: more than 300 paintings and drawings within an 18-month period. Van Gogh crisscrossed the city and its surroundings to paint the landscapes, people, and scenes as he interpreted them. Everything around him served as inspiration for his canvases. Our tour will retrace his steps to the different sites where he set up his easel, such as the Place du Forum, the Quai du Rhône, and Place Lamartine. Panels at each stop compare his painting and the actual scene as it appears today. After some free time on your own, we'll return to the ship.

CRUISE REF. OML\_AIPP.

## GASTRONOMIC DINNER AT PAUL BOCUSE'S ABBAYE DE COLLONGES

LENGTH: 2 hours

We'll leave on foot for Paul Bocuse's Abbaye de Collonges for a veritable French

feast. Paul Bocuse was a three-star gourmet chef who was known for his innovative approach to cuisine and his love for fresh, high-quality ingredients. This will be a singular experience in an exceptional setting, where you'll be able to relish in out-of-this-world courses prepared by some of the most renowned chefs.

CRUISE REF. LLY\_AIPP.

#### LYON

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll leave by coach for our guided panoramic tour of Lyon which will take us all the way to the Fourvière Basilica. We'll first take in the breathtaking views from the heights of the Basilica before visiting its interior. Afterwards, we'll set off on a walking tour with our guide and discover the "traboules", types of passageways that were designed to reach the river quickly. Enjoy some free time in the Old Town.

CRUISE REF. LLY\_AIPP / LMM\_RAIPP / LSR\_AIPP.

## LYON AND LES HALLES DE LYON PAUL BOCUSE

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

Join us on a guided tour of Lyon. We'll cross through the city and go up Fourvière Hill to the white basilica, the best place to take in the view. Then we'll head over to Vieux Lyon to have a look at its historical homes and the "bouchon" restaurants that are found throughout the district. Learn about the discrete and strategic doorways leading to shortcuts, known as traboules, that go from street to street. Don't miss the tasting of fine food at Paul Bocuse's Les Halles de Lyon, a huge, three-story, indoor market where close to 50 shops offer the finest gourmet food-a veritable feast for the eyes and palates. We'll enjoy a snack of local sausage and cheese, topped off with a lovely glass of wine\*. Enjoy some free time before returning to the ship.

CRUISE REF. OML\_AIPP.

## **MÂCON**

## LENGTH: 2 hours

Although it is still in the Burgundy region, with its unique roof tiles and brightly colored facades, Mâcon feels like it should border the Mediterranean Sea. The city has a wide range of striking monuments and beautiful, old mansions lining the streets in the older sections

CRUISE REF. LMM\_RAIPP.

## SAINT-RÉMY-DE-PROVENCE LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll set off on a tour that includes areas of the beautiful Alpilles Natural Regional Park and the vines that produce the classic Baux-de-Provence wines. The red and rosé wines are produced mostly from the Grenache, Syrah, and Mourvèdre varieties, giving them aromas that include blackberry, violet, black olives, and herbs. We'll visit Saint-Rémy-de-Provence, located in the Alpilles Natural Regional Park, a quintessential Provençal village bursting with French charm. We'll visit a local vineyard for a tasting\*.

CRUISE REF. OML\_AIPP.

## TAIN L'HERMITAGE, WINE TASTING

### LENGTH: 1.5 hours

We'll leave on foot for the visit of a wine cellar in Tain L'Hermitage. We'll discover the vats, barrels and storehouse and learn all there is to know about wine-making, followed by a wine-tasting session\*.

CRUISE REF. LLY\_AIPP / OML\_AIPP.

## THE BAUX-DE-PROVENCE

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

Discover the Baux-de-Provence, one of the most beautiful villages in France. Located at the heart of the Alpilles on a rocky plateau, the village overlooks breathtaking landscapes over Arles, the Camargue and the Alpilles. This gorgeous and impressive stone fortress is definitely a must-see.

CRUISE REF. ASA\_AIPP / LMX\_AIPP.

## THE BEAUJOLAIS VINEYARDS AND WINE TASTING

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

Departure by coach to discover the Beaujolais vineyards extending on 22,500 ha. We will pass through charming little wine-growing villages before reaching Romanèche-Thorins for a visit to the "Hameau Duboeuf", a unique museum in Europe containing a collection of old and rare objects from over 2,000 years of wine-growing history. We'll learn about the current wine-making and vinegrowing processes when visiting the wine storehouse where the wines are left to age in oak barrels. In the midst of the Beaujolais vineyards, we will discover the skills of the winemakers through exhibiautomated puppet theaters and 3-D films. Afterwards, immerse yourself in fine aromas and delightful scents during a walk through the surprising gardens of "Oenoparc", a true haven for wine-lovers spread out on 30,000  $\mathrm{m}^2$  and 25 exhibition halls. Before leaving the "Hameau Duboeuf", we will, of course, enjoy a tasting\* of some of the region's wines.

CRUISE REF. BJL\_AIPP / LLY\_AIPP / LMM\_RAIPP / OML\_AIPP.

## THE CÔTES DE PROVENCE REGION

## LENGTH: 3 hours

The Côtes de Provence region is best known for its crisp rosé wines and magnificent scenery. Provence was one of the very first regions to cultivate grapevines for wine production almost 2,600 years ago. Today, vineyards extend along the coastline and deep inland. The strong mistral winds are key to its great success. We'll visit a local vineyard for a tasting\*.

CRUISE REF. OML\_AIPP.

## THE GOLDEN HUES OF THE BEAUJOLAIS REGION

## LENGTH: 4 hours

The rocky area to the south of Lyon is known for the lovely golden hues that glow differently as the sun moves across the sky. The area is as much a feast for the eyes as it is for your taste buds. Join us for a tour to discover the beauty of the region. We'll visit a local vineyard for a tasting\*.

CRUISE REF. OML\_AIPP.

## THE VERCORS

## LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave by coach from La Voulte towards Die. Carved out in limestone, the Vercors Regional Nature Park extends over 186,000 ha between the Isère Valley to the north and the Diois to the south. Water has shaped deep gorges in the cliffs, majestic cirques, caves and chasms among the most famous in Europe. Wooded plateaux and valleys shaped by agriculture are home to a remarkable fauna and flora. We'll stop at the cellars of Die Jaillance to discover a true love story between man and the vine and enjoy a wine-tasting\* session. Afterwards, we will continue by coach for a panoramic view of the Rousset Pass located in the heart of the Vercors and reaching an altitude of over 1,400 m. The belvedere culminates at a height of 1,245 m and from this point of view the scenery is

outstanding: arid escarpments and a road with hairpin bends down the hill, which accentuates the overall impression of depth. We'll move on towards Vassieux-en-Vercors, La Chapelle-en-Vercors and Pont-en-Royans where you'll get to see the suspended houses, whose daring architecture dates as far back as the perched village itself, built in the 15th century. Last, we'll drive through Romans-sur-Isère well known for its shoe industry

CRUISE REF. ASA\_AIPP / LMX\_AIPP / LMM\_RAIPP.

## **TOURING THE CAMARGUE** AND VISITING A MANADE

LENGTH: 4 hours

Enjoy a panoramic guided tour of the Camargue. Sit back and admire the rivers, marshes, ponds, flamingoes, black bulls and the famous, indigenous Camargue horses. Discover the salt and rice fields that make the area so well known. We'll visit a manade (bull breeding farm) and learn about the work of a manadier as we watch a demonstration of how they work with the animals they raise. Our visit will include a cocktail\* on the patio.

CRUISE REF. ASA\_AIPP / LMX\_AIPP / LMM\_RAIPP / LSR\_AIPP

## **TOURNON** LENGTH: 3 hours

Located in the heart of the Rhône Valley, at the gates of Provence, Tournon will en chant you with its heady perfumes. We'll begin our visit on foot passing all the main tourist attractions of the town, including the historic monuments and shopping areas. We'll stop at the Château Museum where we'll get the opportunity to discover the permanent collection tracing the history of navigation on the Rhône River. This imposing castle was built on a high granite rock overlooking the town and was the domain of the barony of the Counts of Tournon. At the foot of the castle, enjoy a pleasant walk along the streets and alleys of the historic centre which will take you back to the Middle Ages. Our visit will end with a tasting\* of regional products and wines. We'll return to the ship on foot.

CRUISE REF. LSR AIPP.

## VIENNE

LENGTH: 2 hours

Our guided walking tour of Vienne will allow us to discover a Roman city rich in vestiges. The history of Vienne goes back more than 2,000 years. The city is indivisible from the Rhône River and the surrounding hills. The Allobrogi people are thought to have made it their capital, but it was in the Roman era that the city began to prosper on both banks. You will see the Antique Theatre; built roughly between 40 and 50 AD, it is considered one of the largest in the Roman Empire, with its 130m-diameter and 13,000-spectator capacity. Restored in 1938, it was returned to its original function and is now a venue for artistic events. The tour will continue with the Temple of Augustus and Livia (exteriors only). This temple dedicated to Rome and Augustus stood in a sacred area on the forum and has carried this name since the end of the 18th century. Its construction began about 20-10 BC: it was later transformed at the beginning of the Middle Ages into a church, and was finally restored in the second half of the 19<sup>th</sup> century thanks to the intervention of Prosper Mérimée. Finally, to complete the tour, you will see the Cathedral of St Maurice (exteriors only), which has been listed as a historic monument since 1840

CRUISE REF. LLY\_AIPP / LSR\_AIPP.

### **VIVIERS**

LENGTH: 2 hours

We'll leave on foot for our guided tour of Viviers. The third largest protected sector in the Rhône Alpes region and residence of bishops since the 5<sup>th</sup> century, Viviers, a small town with a population of 3,500 is like an open-air museum where every stone contains a page of history. You will be able to admire France's smallest Cathedral in this sumptuous medieval town. Among other things you will see the House of Knights with its superb Renaissance façade, the Tower of St Michael, the great seminary and the Belvedere with an unobstructed view of Viviers at night.

CRUISE REF. LSR AIPP.



## **DISCOVERY EXCURSIONS**

## **FOOD TOUR OF LYON**

LENGTH: 3 hours

Join us for a guided tour on foot within the heart of Lyon, known as the Presqu'île. What makes this tour unique are the stops at several eateries to have a bite of the local cuisine. The sweet pink praline and savory cold cuts are the stars of this show. We'll discover the multitude of candies and pastries made with pink praline, a local confection you just can't say no to. For those with a savory tooth, our next stop will be a tasting of regional charcuterie. During this tour, your guide will also talk about renowned local chefs for a complete understanding of the "Gastronomic Capital of the World."

CRUISE REF. LSR\_AIPP.

## "SAFARI" IN THE CAMARGUE I FNGTH: 4 hours

Far from the tourist traps, discover the Petite and Grande Camargue from the back of a jeep with local guides who will share their enthusiasm for this legendary area. You'll cross the Parc Naturel Régional de Camargue, a nationally designated protected area with ponds and marshes that are home to waders, flamingoes, egrets, herons, etc. Join us for another way to get up and close to nature.

CRUISE REF. ASA\_AIPP / LMX\_AIPP / LSR\_AIPP.

## WALK ALONG THE PONT DU GARD AND VISIT TO THE MUSEUM

LENGTH: 4 hours

You'll leave by coach for the Pont du Gard, a true masterpiece of ancient architecture. Built as a three-level aqueduct, it carried water across the Gardon River. We'll walk along the aqueduct trail, a 2-mile walk through the site with numerous viewing points. At the end of our walk, we'll visit the museum and then return on board our ship

CRUISE REF. LMX AIPP.

\* Alcohol can be dangerous to your health. Please drink in moderation.



# TRANS-EU ROPEAN HAMBURG HANOVER POTSDAM ARNHEM MAGDEBURG DÜSSELDORF COLOGNE BRUSSELS (=) KOBLENZ FRANKFURT PRAGUE ZECH MAINZ NUREMBERG MOSELLE REGENSBURG PASSAU DÜRNSTEIN BRATISLAVA STRASBOURG BESANÇON BUDAPEST BASEL LYON ( RHÔNE IRON GATES BUCHAREST BELGRADE OLTENITA AVIGNON DANUBE GIURGIU ARLES Sites inscribed on the UNESCO World Heritage List

# CRUISES

DANUBE DELTA

## **CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS**

- Explore Europe on a Trans-European cruise!
- Combine several itineraries, among them some absolutely unique, in only one cruise
- Discover the beauty of several European countries, cultures and amazing heritage in one go



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9-DAY / 8-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. VNS\_AIPP / SVN\_AIPP (opposite direction)

## The Danube and the romantic Rhine From Vienna to Strasbourg

## DAY 1 | VIENNA (Austria)

Boarding at 4:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

## DAY 2 | VIENNA • PASSAU (Germany)

Cruise towards Passau Free time to discover Passau on your own or with your hostess Cruise towards Regensburg

## DAY 3 | PASSAU • REGENSBURG NUREMBERG

Excursion proposed:

 Guided tour of Regensburg Cruise towards Nuremberg

## DAY 4 | NUREMBERG • BAMBERG

Excursion proposed:

 Guided tour of Nuremberg Cruise towards Bamberg

## DAY 5 | BAMBERG • Rothenburg WÜRZBURG

Cruise towards Schweinfurt Excursion proposed:

 Guided tour of Rothenburg Cruise towards Würzburg

## DAY 6 | WÜRZBURG • WERTHEIM

Excursion proposed:

 Guided tour of Würzburg Cruise towards Wertheim

## DAY 7 | WERTHEIM • MILTENBERG ASCHAFFENBURG

Free time to discover Miltenberg on your own or with your hostess Cruise towards Aschaffenburg

## DAY 8 | ASCHAFFENBURG FRANKFURT • MAINZ

Cruise towards Frankfurt Excursion proposed:

 Panoramic tour of Frankfurt and ascent of the Main Tower Cruise towards Mainz Discover Mainz with your hostess Gala dinner

## DAY 9 | MAINZ • STRASBOURG (France)

Cruise towards Strasbourg Disembark at 2:00 p.m.

See excursion details on pages 99 and 111 to 112

## Cruise highlights

#### FXCURSIONS:

- Miltenberg, the pearl of the Main
- Travel back in time in Würzburg
- Rothenburg and its medieval authenticity
- Soak up German history in Nuremberg



ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED



ALL MEALS INCLUDED







NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise litineary. Ask for the detailed litineary of the opposite direction cruise, Ref. SVN AIP.





10-DAY / 9-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. AAX AIPP

# Holland and the romantic Rhine From Antwerp to Strasbourg

## DAY 1 | ANTWERP (Belgium)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

## DAY 2 | ANTWERP • ROTTERDAM (Holland)

Tour of the old town with your hostess Cruise towards Rotterdam Gala dinner

## DAY 3 | ROTTERDAM • AMSTERDAM

Excursion for both packages:

• The Keukenhof floral gardens<sup>(1)</sup> Free afternoon

# Cruise towards Amsterdam DAY 4 | AMSTERDAM

Excursions for both packages:

- Guided tour of Amsterdam and visit to a diamond merchant
- Volendam and Zaanse Schans

## DAY 5 | AMSTERDAM

Free day and lunch in Amsterdam

## DAY 6 | AMSTERDAM

Free time to discover Amsterdam on your own Or

Excursion proposed:

• DISCOVERY: Bike tour of Amsterdam Free afternoon and evening in town Cruise towards Cologne

## DAY 7 | COLOGNE (Germany)

Cruise towards Cologne Free time to discover Cologne on your own Cruise towards Rüdesheim

## DAY 8 | RÜDESHEIM

Cruise on the romantic Rhine. Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Tour of Rüdesheim by tourist train, wine tasting and visit to the Museum of Mechanical Musical Instruments
- DISCOVERY: Hike through the vineyards in Rüdesheim Free evening in the famous Drosselgasse

## DAY 9 | MANNHEIM • STRASBOURG (France)

Excursion for both packages:

Heidelberg

Cruise towards Strasbourg Gala dinner

## DAY 10 | STRASBOURG

Disembark at 9:00 p.m.

See excursion details on pages 93, 95 and 97 to 99.

# Cruise highlights

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- Delightful scents and springtime colors at the Keukenhof gardens<sup>(1)</sup>
- Amsterdam and its unique atmosphere
- Volendam, an authentic Dutch village
- · Zaanse Schans and its windmills



ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED



UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY BEVERAGES

ALL MEALS INCLUDED



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(1) Available only through reservation before departure. Open from March 23<sup>rd</sup> to May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023. The opening dates are subject to change by Keukenhof floral gardens.

Depending on mooring availabilities, the stopover in Amsterdam may be replaced by Wijk bij Duurstede.





11-DAY / 10-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. ASA AIPP

# Cruise from Provence to the Netherlands From Arles to Amsterdam

## DAY 1 | ARLES (France)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Excursion for both packages:

• Guided tour of Arles

## DAY 2 | ARLES • PORT SAINT LOUIS MARTIGUES(1)

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Discover the Camargue
- DISCOVERY: Jeep safari through the Camargue Cruise towards Martigues Free time to explore the city on your own Cruise towards Arles

## DAY 3 | ARLES • VIVIERS

Excursion for both packages:

• The Baux-de-Provence Cruise towards Viviers

## DAY 4 | VIVIERS • TAIN L'HERMITAGE, the Vercors Plateau

Cruise towards Tain l'Hermitage Excursion for both packages:

• Discover the Vercors and taste the famous Clairette de Die sparkling wine Gala dinner

Cruise towards Lyon

## DAY 5 | LYON • BASEL (Switzerland)

Coach transfer to Basel Boarding in Basel Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Cruise towards Breisach

## DAY 6 | BREISACH (Germany)

Excursion for both packages:

• Colmar and the Unterlinden Museum<sup>(2)</sup>

## DAY 7 | BREISACH • STRASBOURG (France)

Cruise towards Strasbourg Excursion for both packages:

Boat tour of Strasbourg
 Cruise towards Mainz

## DAY 8 | MAINZ • KOBLENZ (Germany)

Excursion for both packages:

Mainz and the Gutenberg Museum<sup>(3)</sup>
Cruise towards Koblenz
Tour of Koblenz with your hostess

## DAY 9 | KOBLENZ • COLOGNE DÜSSELDORF

Cruise towards Cologne Excursion for both packages: • Guided tour of Cologne Cruise towards Düsseldorf

# Gala dinner DAY 10 | DÜSSELDORF • XANTEN NIJMEGEN (Holland) • AMSTERDAM

Excursion for both packages:

The Netherlands Open Air Museum in Arnhem

Cruise towards Amsterdam

## DAY 11 | AMSTERDAM

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 60 to 63 and 94 to 97.

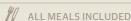
## Cruise highlights

- The combination of history, tradition and culture, a passionate encounter
- Visit the hidden treasures in France, Germany and Holland
- Historic sites, charming towns, the wonderful flavours of the products from the regions - so much pleasure to share during a cruise

## **EXCURSIONS:**

- Arles and its vestiges of the Roman Empire
- Strasbourg, European capital
- Amsterdam and its unique atmosphere
- The open-air museum in Arnhem









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- Depending on mooring availability, the stopover in Martigues could be replaced by a stopover in Port-Saint-Louisdu-Rhône.
- (2) The museum is closed on Tuesdays. It will be replaced by a visit to the Hansi Museum instead.
- (3) The Gutenberg Museum is closed on Mondays.

Depending on mooring availabilities, the stopover in Amsterdam may be replaced by Wijk bij Duurstede.





12-DAY / 11-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. AMB\_AIPP / BMA\_AIPP (opposite direction)

# Journey between Holland and Germany From Amsterdam to Berlin

## DAY 1 | AMSTERDAM (Holland)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Free evening to explore the city on your own

## DAY 2 | AMSTERDAM

Excursions proposed:

- · Guided tour of Amsterdam
- Volendam and Zaanse Schans
   Free evening to explore the city on your own

## DAY 3 | AMSTERDAM • GRONINGEN DELFZIJL

Cruise towards Groningen Free time to discover the city on your own

## DAY 4 | DELFZIJL • PAPENBURG OLDENBURG (Germany)

Cruise towards Papenburg Excursion proposed:

 Guided tour of the Meyer Werft shipyard

## DAY 5 | OLDENBURG • BREMEN

Free time to discover Oldenburg on your own Excursion proposed:

• Guided tour of Bremen

## DAY 6 | BREMEN • NIENBURG STOLZENAU • MINDEN

Cruise towards Nienburg Transfer proposed to downtown Nienburg for an unguided tour of the city

## DAY 7 | MINDEN • HANOVER ANDERTEN • BRAUNSCHWEIG

Cruise towards Hanover Excursion proposed:

 Guided tour of Hanover Gala dinner

## DAY 8 | BRAUNSCHWEIG BULSTRINGEN • MAGDEBURG

Cruise towards Bulstringen Excursion proposed:

Guided tour of Magdeburg

#### DAY 9 | MAGDEBURG BRANDENBURG • POTSDAM

Cruise towards Brandenburg Excursion proposed:

 Potsdam and the gardens of the Sanssouci Palace

## DAY 10 | POTSDAM • BERLIN

Cruise towards Berlin Spandau Excursions proposed:

- Guided tour of Berlin
- Tour of Berlin by night

## DAY 11 | BERLIN

Excursion proposed:

Visit of the Charlottenburg Palace
 Free time to discover Berlin on your own

### DAY 12 | BERLIN

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

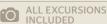
See excursion details on pages 93 to 98.

## Cruise highlights

 Discover an enticing mixture of nature and culture through Holland, Germany and Belgium

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- Volendam, famous fishing village
- Bremen, Hanover and Magdeburg
- Potsdam and the gardens of the Sanssouci Palace
- Berlin and Charlottenburg Palace







FREE Wi-Fi







**NB**: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary. Ask for the detailed itinerary of the opposite direction cruise, Ref. BMA\_AIPP.



13-DAY / 12-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. SBU\_AIPP / BUS\_AIPP (opposite direction)

# Journey through four Northern European countries From Strasbourg to Budapest

## DAY 1 | STRASBOURG (France)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Cruise towards Mainz

## DAY 2 | MAINZ • FRANKFURT (Germany)

Discover Mainz with your hostess Cruise towards Frankfurt Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Guided tour of Frankfurt
- **DISCOVERY:** Panoramic tour of Frankfurt and ascent of the Main Tower

## DAY 3 | MILTENBERG • WERTHEIM

Discover Miltenberg with your hostess Cruise towards Wertheim Free time to discover the city on your

## DAY 4 | WERTHEIM • WÜRZBURG KITZINGEN

Cruise towards Karlstadt Excursion for both packages:

 Guided tour of Würzburg Cruise towards Kitzingen

## DAY 5 | KITZINGEN • Rothenburg BAMBERG

Cruise towards Schweinfurt Excursion for both packages:

 Guided tour of Rothenburg Cruise towards Bamberg

## DAY 6 | BAMBERG • NUREMBERG MÜHLHAUSEN

Cruise towards Nuremberg Excursion for both packages:

• Guided tour of Nuremberg Cruise towards Mühlhausen

## DAY 7 | MÜHLHAUSEN • REGENSBURG

Cruise towards Kelheim Excursion for both packages:

Guided tour of Regensburg

## DAY 8 | REGENSBURG • PASSAU

Cruise towards Passau Discover Passau with your hostess

## DAY 9 | PASSAU • MELK • VIENNA (Austria)

Cruise towards Melk Excursion for both packages:

Visit Melk Abbey
 Cruise towards Dürnstein

Free time in the city
Cruise towards Vienna

Excursion for both packages:
Discover Vienna by night

## DAY 10 | VIENNA • ESZTERGOM (Hungary)

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Guided tour of Schönbrunn
   Palace and Vienna
- DISCOVERY: The high art of Viennese living: music and Viennese cafes Free time or horse-drawn carriage ride through Vienna<sup>(1)</sup> Cruise towards Esztergom Gala dinner

## DAY 11 | ESZTERGOM • BUDAPEST

Free time to discover Esztergom on your own

, Cruise towards Budapest Excursion for both packages:

• Discover Budapest by night

## DAY 12 | BUDAPEST

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Guided tour of Budapest
- DISCOVERY: Off the Beaten Path in Budapest

Free time or guided visit of the Gellert baths and spa<sup>(1)</sup> or Budapest Market Halls<sup>(1)</sup>

Excursion for both packages:
 Traditional folk evening

## DAY 13 | BUDAPEST

Disembark at 9:00 p.m.

See excursion details on pages 95, 99 and 110 to 113.

NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise titherary. Ask for the detailed itinerary of the opposite direction cruise, Ref. BUS\_AIPP.

(1) Not included in the packages

## Cruise highlights

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- Frankfurt and its impressive Main Tower
- Melk Abbey, a true wonder of Baroque architecture
- Vienna and the heritage of the House of Habsburg
- Budapest, 2,000 years of history



ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED



ALL MEALS INCLUDED

UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY BEVERAGES

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14-DAY / 13-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. AGX AIPP

## The great rivers of Europe From Amsterdam to Vienna

#### DAY 1 | AMSTERDAM (Holland)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Free evening

#### DAY 2 | AMSTERDAM

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Guided tour of Amsterdam
- DISCOVERY: Bike tour of Amsterdam Excursion for both packages:
- The Keukenhof floral gardens<sup>(1)</sup>

#### DAY 3 | COLOGNE (Germany)

Cruise towards Cologne Free time in Cologne

#### DAY 4 | RÜDESHEIM

Cruise towards Rüdesheim Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Tour of Rüdesheim by tourist train, wine tasting and visit to the Museum of Mechanical Musical Instruments
- DISCOVERY: Hiking through the vineyards in Rudesheim Free evening in the Drosselgasse

#### DAY 5 | MANNHEIM

Excursion for both packages:

Heidelberg

Cruise towards Strasbourg Gala dinner

#### DAY 6 | STRASBOURG (France)

Free time and lunch in Strasbourg Cruise towards Mainz

#### DAY 7 | MAINZ • FRANKFURT (Germany)

Discover Mainz with your hostess Cruise towards Frankfurt Excursion for both packages:

· Panoramic tour of Frankfurt and ascent of the Main Tower Cruise towards Miltenberg

#### DAY 8 | MILTENBERG • WERTHEIM

Free time to discover Miltenberg on your own Cruise towards Wertheim Free time in the city

#### DAY 9 | WERTHEIM • WURZBURG

Cruise towards Karlstadt Excursion for both packages:

· Guided tour of Würzburg Cruise towards Schweinfurt

#### **DAY 10 | SCHWEINFURT ROTHENBURG • BAMBERG**

Excursion for both packages • Guided tour of Rothenburg Cruise towards Bamberg

#### DAY 11 | BAMBERG • NUREMBERG MÜHLHAUSEN

Cruise towards Nuremberg Excursion for both packages:

 Guided tour of Nurembera Cruise towards Mühlhausen

#### DAY 12 | MÜHLHAUSEN • REGENSBURG

Cruise towards Kelheim Excursion for both packages:

· Guided tour of Regensburg Cruise towards Passau

#### DAY 13 | REGENSBURG • PASSAU

Discover Passau with your hostess Cruise towards Vienna Gala dinner

#### DAY 14 | PASSAU • VIENNA (Austria)

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 93, 95, 97 to 99 and 111 to 112

### Cruise highlights

- · From the Rhine to the Danube, journey through authenticity and a diversity of peoples
- Explore unique flavors and traditions

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- The special atmosphere of Amsterdam
- The Keukenhof floral gardens<sup>(1)</sup>
- · Rüdesheim and its Museum of
- Discover Strasbourg on a river boat
- Miltenberg, the pearl of the Main river
- Travel back in time in Würzburg
- Rothenburg, authentic medieval town
- Soak up German history in Nuremberg



**ALL EXCURSIONS** INCLUDED



ALL MEALS INCLUDED



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NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary

(1) Available only through reservation before departure. Open from March 23rd to May 14th, 2023



18-DAY / 17-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. ASU AIPP

# Cruise across Europe From Amsterdam to Budapest

#### DAY 1 | AMSTERDAM (Holland)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Free evening

#### DAY 2 | AMSTERDAM

Excursions proposed:

- · CLASSIC: Guided tour of Amsterdam
- DISCOVERY: Amsterdam by bike Excursion for both packages:
- Visit the Keukenhof gardens<sup>(1)</sup>

#### DAY 3 | COLOGNE (Germany)

Cruise towards Cologne Free time to visit Cologne

#### DAY 4 | RÜDESHEIM

Cruise towards Rüdesheim Excursions proposed:

- · CLASSIC: Tour of Rüdesheim by tourist train, wine tasting and visit to the Museum of Mechanical Musical Instruments
- · DISCOVERY: Hiking through the vineyards in Rüdesheim Free evening in the famous Drosselgasse

#### DAY 5 | MANNHEIM

Excursion for both packages:

· Heidelberg

Cruise towards Strasbourg Gala dinner

#### DAY 6 | STRASBOURG (France)

Free day and lunch in the city Cruise towards Mainz

#### DAY 7 | MAINZ • FRANKFURT (Germany)

Discover Mainz with your hostess Cruise towards Frankfurt Excursions proposed:
• CLASSIC: Tour of Frankfurt

- DISCOVERY: Discover "Mainhattan" and ascend the Main Tower

#### DAY 8 | MILTENBERG • WERTHEIM

Explore Miltenberg with your hostess Cruise towards Wertheim Free time in the city

#### DAY 9 | WERTHEIM • WÜRZBURG **KITZINGEN**

Cruise towards Karlstadt Excursion for both packages

 Tour of Würzburg Cruise towards Kitzingen

### DAY 10 | KITZINGEN • Rothenburg

Cruise towards Schweinfurt Excursion for both packages

· Guided tour of Rothenburg Cruise towards Bambera

#### DAY 11 | BAMBERG • NUREMBERG **MUHLHAUSEN**

Cruise towards Nuremberg Excursion for both packages:

 Tour of Nuremberg Cruise towards Muhlhausen

#### DAY 12 | MUHLHAUSEN • REGENSBURG

Cruise towards Kelheim Excursion for both packages

• Tour of Regensburg

#### DAY 13 | REGENSBURG • PASSAU

Cruise towards Passau Free time in the city Cruise towards Passau through the region of Engelhartszell

#### DAY 14 | PASSAU • MELK • VIENNA (Austria)

Cruise towards Melk

Excursion for both packages:

 Guided tour of the Melk Abbev Cruise towards Dürnstein Free time to explore Dürnstein Cruise towards Vienna Excursion for both packages:

• Tour of Vienna by night

#### DAY 15 | VIENNA • ESZTERGOM (Hungary) Excursions proposed:

- · CLASSIC: Guided tour of the Schönbrunn Palace
- · DISCOVERY: The high art of Viennese living: music and Viennese cafes. Visit back stage Konzerthaus concert hall<sup>(2)</sup> Free time or horse-drawn carriage ride through Vienna(3)

Cruise towards Esztergom Gala dinner

· The Romantic Rhine Valley and the Lorelei Rock

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- · Delightful scents and springtime colors at the Keukenhof floral gardens(1)
- Discover the architectural treasures of Strasbourg
- Frankfurt and its impressive Main Tower
- Melk Abbey, a true wonder of Baroque architecture
- Vienna and the heritage of the House of Habsburg
- Budapest, 2000 years of history



ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED ALL MEALS INCLUDED



**UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY BEVERAGES** 



FREE Wi-Fi

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#### DAY 16 | ESZTERGOM • BUDAPEST

Free time to visit Eszteraom Cruise towards Budapest Free time to explore the city Excursion for both packages:

• Tour of Budapest by night

#### DAY 17 | BUDAPEST

- Excursions proposed:
   CLASSIC: Guided tour of Budapest
- DISCOVERY: Off the Beaten Path in Budanest

Free time or guided visit of the Gellert baths and spa<sup>(3)</sup> or Budapest Market Halls<sup>(3)</sup> Excursion for both packages:

· Traditional folk evening

#### DAY 18 | BUDAPEST Disembark at 9:00 p.m

See excursion details on pages 93, 95, 97, 99 and 110 to 113.

NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary.

- Of Available only through reservation before departure. Open from March 23th to May 14th, 2023. The opening dates are subject to change by Keukenhof Flower Park. Outside the opening dates of the park, excursion to Volendam and the Zaanse Schans.

  (2) The tour of the Konzerthaus might be replaced by a tour of the Musilianse and the consent if it be before for phour
- of the Musikverein or the opera if it is booked for shows
- or not available.

  (3) Not included in the packages.



18-DAY / 17-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. BUA AIPP

# Cruise across Europe From Budapest to Amsterdam

#### DAY 1 | BUDAPEST (Hungary)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

Excursion for both packages: • Traditional folk evening in Budapest

#### DAY 2 | BUDAPEST

Budapest

Excursions proposed:

• CLASSIC: Guided tour of Budapest • DISCOVERY: Off the Beaten Path in

#### DAY 3 | BUDAPEST • VIENNA (Austria)

Cruise towards Vienna Free time on your own

Excursions for both packages:

• The Hofburg Palace

· Tour of Vienna by night

#### DAY 4 | VIENNA

- Excursions proposed:
   CLASSIC: Guided tour of the Schönbrunn Palace
- DISCOVERY: The high art of Viennese living: music and Viennese cafes. Visit back stage Konzerthaus concert hall<sup>(1)</sup> Free time or horse-drawn carriage ride through Vienna<sup>(2)</sup>

Excursion for both packages:

• Concert of Viennese music(3)

#### DAY 5 | MELK • PASSAU (Germany) Cruise towards Melk

Excursions for both packages:

- Visit Dürnstein
- Guided tour of the Melk Abbey Cruise towards Passau

#### DAY 6 | PASSAU

Discover Passau with your hostess Cruise towards Regensburg

#### DAY 7 | REGENSBURG • HILPOSTEIN

Excursion for both packages:

• Tour of Regensburg Cruise towards Hilpolstein

#### DAY 8 | HILPOSTEIN • NUREMBERG BAMBERG

Excursion for both packages:

 Tour of Nuremberg Cruise towards Bamberg

#### DAY 9 | BAMBERG • ROTHENBURG

Excursion for both packages:

 Visit Rothenbura Cruise towards Würzburg

#### DAY 10 | WÜRZBURG • WERTHEIM

Excursion for both packages:

· Tour of Würzburg Cruise towards Wertheim

#### DAY 11 | WERTHEIM • MILTENBERG **ASCHAFFENBURG**

Explore Miltenberg with your hostess Cruise towards Aschaffenburg

#### DAY 12 | ASCHAFFENBURG FRANKFURT • MAINZ

Cruise towards Frankfurt Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Tour of Frankfurt
- DISCOVERY: Discover "Mainhattan" and ascend the Main Tower Cruise towards Mainz

Discover the city with your hostess Gala dinner

#### DAY 13 | MAINZ • STRASBOURG (France)

Cruise towards Strasbourg Free time in the city

#### DAY 14 | MANNHEIM • RÜDESHEIM (Germany)

Excursion for both packages

· Heidelberg

Cruise towards Rüdesheim Excursions proposed:

- · CLASSIC: Tour of Rüdesheim by tourist train, tasting at wine cellar visit to the Museum of Mechanical Music
- · DISCOVERY: Hiking through the vineyards in Rüdesheim Free time in the Drosselgasse

NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary

(1) The tour of the Konzerthaus might be replaced by a tour of the Musikverein or the opera if it is booked for shows or not available.

(2) Not included in the packages

### **EXCURSIONS:**

Cruise highlights

- Unique and romantic Budapest
- Authentic Vienna
- The charming medieval towns of Rothenburg, Nuremberg and Regensburg
- Frankfurt, combining tradition and modernity
- · Charming Rüdesheim and Cologne
- Volendam and Zaanse Schans
- · Amsterdam and its peculiar architecture



ALL MEALS INCLUDED



UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY **BEVERAGES** 

FREE Wi-Fi

#### DAY 15 | RÜDESHEIM • COLOGNE DÜSSELDORF

Cruise towards Cologne Discover the city with your hostess Cruise towards Düsseldorf Gala dinner

#### DAY 16 | DÜSSELDORF • AMSTERDAM (Holland)

Cruise towards Amsterdam Free time in the city

#### DAY 17 | AMSTERDAM

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Guided tour of Amsterdam and visit to a diamond merchant
- · DISCOVERY: Amsterdam by bike Excursion for both packages:
- · Visit Volendam and Zaanse Schans

#### DAY 18 | AMSTERDAM Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 93, 95, 97, to 99 and 110 to 113.

# Dates & Prices · Trans-European Cruises

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April 13	\$5029	\$5144	\$5350	\$6981	\$7096	\$7302					
April 23	\$5287	\$5408	\$5644	\$7239	\$7360	\$7596	-	\$679			
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May 3	\$6359	\$6517	\$6803	\$8676	\$8834	\$9120	-	\$772			
REF. BUA_AIPP (p. 73)											

STANDARD SHIP



Budapest

# NORTHERN EUROPE

## **CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS**

#### THE RHINE

- Cruise the most beautiful rivers, canals, and lakes in northern Europe: the IJsselmeer, the Rhine and its tributaries
- Many areas and monuments listed as UNESCO World Heritage sites
- Exceptional historical, architectural, and natural wonders

#### THE ELBE

- Exclusive cruises on the Elbe and Vltava Rivers, the Oder and the Havel on board our unique paddle riverboat
- · A mixture of nature and cultural heritage
- Exclusive itineraries between Berlin and Copenhagen, Prague or Hamburg





5-DAY / 4-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. GSB AIPP

# Glacier Express & exceptional cruise through 3 countries Round-trip cruise from Strasbourg

#### DAY 1 | STRASBOURG (France)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Excursion proposed:

· Canal boat tour through Strasbourg by night (subject to availability) Cruise towards Breisach

#### DAY 2 | BREISACH • Mulhouse BASEL (Switzerland)

Excursion proposed:

· Visit to the National Automobile Museum in Mulhouse Cruise towards Basel Gala dinner

#### DAY 3 | BASEL • The Glacier Express train

Day spent on board the Glacier Express train for a panoramic journey through the Alps, from Andermatt to Coire(2)

#### DAY 4 | BASEL • Lake Constance Mainau Island (Germany) Schaffhausen

Full-day excursion to discover Lake Constance and the Rhine Falls(2) Lunch on Mainau Island Cruise towards Strasbourg

#### DAY 5 | STRASBOURG

Cruise towards Strasbourg Lunch on board Disembark at 2:00 p.m.

See excursion details on pages 96 and 97.

### Cruise highlights

- · First class accommodation offered on board the Glacier Express train to first registered
- The National Automobile Museum in Mulhouse, the largest of its kind
- Lake Constance and the Rhine



**ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED** 



ALL MEALS INCLUDED UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY **BEVERAGES** 



FREE Wi-Fi



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NB: For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary (1) First class accommodation offered to the first 40 registered passengers if the minimum number of 130 passengers is reached (2) Coach ride: approx. 3,5 hrs from Basel to Andermatt, 3.5 hrs from Coire to Basel and about 6 hrs in total for Lake Constance and the Rhine Falls



5-DAY / 4-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. SNG\_AIPP / SGN\_AIPP (opposite direction)

# Romantic German sites and the charming Neckar From Strasbourg to Stuttgart

#### DAY 1 | STRASBOURG (France)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Cruise towards Heidelberg

#### DAY 2 | HEIDELBERG • EBERBACH (Germany)

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Tour of Heidelberg and its castle
- DISCOVERY: The Technik Museum

Cruise towards Eberbach Free time on your own to stroll through the medieval city

#### DAY 3 | EBERBACH • HEILBRONN

Cruise towards Heilbronn Excursion for both packages:

• Tour of Maulbronn and its monastery complex

Cruise towards Ludwigsburg

#### DAY 4 | LUDWIGSBURG • STUTTGART

Excursion for both packages

- Ludwigsburg Residential Palace Cruise towards Stuttgart Excursions proposed:
- CLASSIC: Tour of Stuttgart
- DISCOVERY: The Porsche Museum Gala dinner

#### DAY 5 | STUTTGART (Germany) Disembark at 9:00 a.m

See excursion details on pages 95 to 97 and 99

### Cruise highlights

- · Amazing scenery along the Neckar River
- · Authentic villages and cities dot the shores
- · Every hill seems to have a castle of its own

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- · Heidelberg, the most romantic city in Germany
- The medieval Maulbronn Monastery complex
- · Ludwigsburg Residential Palace, one of the largest Baroque buildings in Europe
- · Stuttgart, an art and cultural hub



**ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED** 



ALL MEALS INCLUDED



UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY BEVERAGES



FREE Wi-Fi





Maulbronn Monastery

modify the cruise itinerary. Ask for detailed itineraries of the opposite direction cruise. Ref. SGN AIPF



5-DAY / 4-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. ANV\_AIPP / AAV\_AIPP (opposite direction)

# Blooming season in Holland From Antwerp to Amsterdam

#### DAY 1 | ANTWERP (Belgium)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

### DAY 2 | ANTWERP • ROTTERDAM (Holland)

Explore the old city with your hostess Cruise towards Rotterdam Gala dinner

#### DAY 3 | ROTTERDAM • AMSTERDAM

Excursions for both packages:

The Keukenhof floral gardens<sup>(1)</sup>
 Free time in Rotterdam
 Cruise towards Amsterdam

#### DAY 4 | AMSTERDAM

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Guided tour of Amsterdam and visit to a diamond merchant
- **DISCOVERY:** Bike tour of Amsterdam Excursions for both packages:
- Volendam and Zaanse Schans Free evening



### DAY 5 | AMSTERDAM Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 93, 95

### Cruise highlights

• 5 days to discover Holland and its traditions

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- The Keukenhof floral gardens(1)
- Amsterdam and its unique atmosphere
- Volendam, an authentic Dutch village
- · Zaanse Schans and its windmills







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Depending on mooring availabilities, the stopover in Amsterdam may be replaced by Wijk bij Duurstede.

Zaanse Schans



6-DAY / 5-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. HSA AIPP / ASG AIPP (opposite direction)

# Holland and the romantic Rhine Valley From Strasbourg to Amsterdam

#### DAY 1 | STRASBOURG (France)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Cruise towards Mannheim

#### DAY 2 | MANNHEIM • NIERSTEIN **RÜDESHEIM (Germany)**

Excursion for both packages:

- · Guided tour of Heidelberg Cruise towards Rüdesheim Excursions proposed:
- CLASSIC: Tour of Rüdesheim by tourist train, wine tasting and visit to the Museum of Mechanical Musical Instruments
- · DISCOVERY: Hike through the vineyards in Rüdesheim Free evening in the famous Drosselgasse

#### DAY 3 | RÜDESHEIM • COLOGNE

Cruise towards Cologne Tour of Cologne with your hostess

#### DAY 4 | AMSTERDAM (Holland)

Day spent cruising towards Amsterdam Free evening

#### DAY 5 | AMSTERDAM

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Guided tour of Amsterdam and visit to a diamond merchant
- DISCOVERY: Bike tour of Amsterdam Excursion for both packages
- The Keukenhof floral gardens<sup>(1)</sup>

#### DAY 6 | AMSTERDAM

Disembark around 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 93, 95,

### Cruise highlights

· Discover unique flavours and traditions

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- · Charming Rüdesheim and its famous Drosselgasse
- · Amsterdam, the "Venice of the North:
- The Keukenhof floral gardens<sup>(1)</sup>



ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED



ALL MEALS INCLUDED

**BEVERAGES** 

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6-DAY / 5-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. ABR\_AIPP / BAM\_AIPP (opposite direction)

# Treasure trove of northern delights From Amsterdam to Brussels

#### DAY 1 | Brussels (Belgium) AMSTERDAM (Holland)

Coach transfer to Amsterdam Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Free evening

#### DAY 2 | AMSTERDAM

Excursions proposed:

- Sightseeing tour of Amsterdam
- Volendam and Zaanse Schans
   Free evening to explore the city on your own

#### DAY 3 | AMSTERDAM • ROTTERDAM

Excursion proposed

• The Hague and its hidden courtyards Cruise towards Rotterdam

# DAY 4 $\mid$ ROTTERDAM • ANTWERP (Belgium)

Day spent cruising Explore the old city of Antwerp with your hostess

#### DAY 5 | ANTWERP • BRUSSELS

Cruise towards Brussels Excursion proposed:

 Guided tour of Brussels and chocolate tasting
 Gala dinner

#### DAY 6 | BRUSSELS

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 93, 94, 97 and 98.

# Cruise highlights

 Discover unique flavours and traditions

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- Zaanse Schans and Volendam, picturesque Dutch villages
- The Hague and its hidden courtyards
- Brussels, capital of Belgian chocolate



ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED



UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY BEVERAGES

ALL MEALS INCLUDED



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6-DAY / 5-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. AIJ AIPP

# Cruise on the IJsselmeer, one of Holland's treasures Round-trip cruise from Amsterdam

#### DAY 1 | AMSTERDAM

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Free evening

#### DAY 2 | AMSTERDAM • LEMMER

Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Guided tour of Amsterdam and visit to a diamond merchant
- **DISCOVERY:** Bike tour of Amsterdam Cruise towards Lemmer

#### DAY 3 | LEMMER • ENKHUIZEN

Excursion for both packages:

 Guided tour of Giethoorn and boat ride on the canals

Cruise towards Enkhuizen Free time to discover Enkhuizen on your own

#### DAY 4 | ENKHUIZEN • HOORN

Cruise on the Markermeer towards Hoorn Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Guided tour of Alkmaar and its Cheese Museum
- **DISCOVERY:** Bike tour through the polders

#### DAY 5 | HOORN • AMSTERDAM

Cruise towards Amsterdam Excursion for both packages:

• The Keukenhof floral gardens<sup>(1)</sup> Gala dinner

#### DAY 6 | AMSTERDAM

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 93, 95, 98 and 99.

### Cruise highlights

Cruise along the most beautiful canals and lakes in Holland

#### EXCURSIONS

- Amsterdam by coach or by bike for a tour of its most secret and unique spots
- Fishermen's huts typical of the Dutch countryside
- The ancestral know-how of cheese and clog makers in Zaanse Schans



ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED



ALL MEALS INCLUDED

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BEVERAGES

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Alkmaar HOORN Giethoorn

Volendam Markermeer

Zaanse Schans
AMSTERDAM

HOLLAND

ROTTERDAM

RHINE

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7-DAY / 6-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. SFS AIPP

# The valley of the romantic Rhine, the Moselle and the Main Round-trip cruise from Strasbourg

#### DAY 1 | STRASBOURG (France)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail Excursion for both packages:

 Canal boat tour through Strasbourg by night (subject to availability and only through reservation before departure)

### DAY 2 | STRASBOURG • FRANKFURT (Germany - the Main)

Cruise towards Frankfurt Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Guided tour of Frankfurt
- DISCOVERY: Panoramic tour of Frankfurt and ascent of the Main Tower

### DAY 3 | FRANKFURT • COCHEM (the Moselle)

Cruise towards Cochem Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Guided tour of Cochem
  Castle
- DISCOVERY: Panoramic hiking in Cochem

### DAY 4 | COCHEM • KOBLENZ (the Moselle and the Rhine)

Cruise towards Koblenz Explore the old city of Koblenz with your hostess

### DAY 5 | KOBLENZ • RÜDESHEIM (the Rhine)

Cruise towards Rüdesheim Excursions proposed:

- CLASSIC: Tour of Rüdesheim by tourist train, wine tasting and visit to the Museum of Mechanical Musical Instruments
- DISCOVERY: Hike through the vineyards in Rüdesheim

#### DAY 6 | RÜDESHEIM • MANNHEIM

Cruise towards Mannheim
Excursion for both packages:

Guided tour of Heidelberg
Gala dinner

#### DAY 7 | STRASBOURG (France)

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 94, 95, 97 and 99.

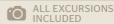
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# Cruise highlights

 The combination of three rivers: the enchantment of the Rhine, the grace of the Moselle and the charm of the Main

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- The Old Strasbourg
- · Frankfurt and the Main Tower
- Koblenz, at the confluence of the Rhine and the Moselle







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8-DAY / 7-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. ABE AIPP / BEA AIPP (opposite direction)

# The treasures of the celebrated Rhine river From Amsterdam to Basel

#### DAY 1 | AMSTERDAM (Holland)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

#### DAY 2 | AMSTERDAM

- Excursions proposed: • CLASSIC: Guided tour of Amsterdam
- and visit to a diamond merchant • DISCOVERY: Bike tour of Amsterdam Excursion for both packages:
- The Keukenhof floral gardens<sup>(1)</sup> Cruise towards Emmerich-am-Rhein

#### DAY 3 | EMMERICH-AM-RHEIN (Germany)

Excursion for both packages:

• The open-air museum in Arnhem Cruise towards Cologne

#### DAY 4 | COLOGNE • KOBLENZ

Excursion for both packages:

· Guided tour of Cologne

Cruise towards Koblenz Free time to stroll towards the famous

#### DAY 5 | KOBLENZ • MAINZ

Cruise towards Mainz

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Excursion for both packages:

· Guided visit of Mainz and the Gutenberg museum<sup>(2)</sup>

Cruise towards Strasbourg

#### DAY 6 | STRASBOURG (France) **BREISACH** (Germany)

Excursion for both packages:

· Boat tour of Strasbourg Cruise towards Breisach Gala dinner

# NORTH SEA AMSTERDAM ( Keukenhof • EMMERICH-AM-RHEIN COLOGNE KORI FN7 MAINZ RHINE STRASBOURG ( BRFISACH

# Cruise highlights

· From Holland to the Three Countries Bridge, discover a unique blend of nature

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- Amsterdam and its unique atmosphere
- · Delightful scents and springtime colors at the Keukenhof floral gardens(1)
- Haarlem, the golden age of the 17<sup>th</sup> century
- Colmar and the Unterlinden



ALL EXCURSIONS **INCLUDED** 



ALL MEALS INCLUDED UNLIMITED COMPLIMENTARY **BEVERAGES** 



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#### DAY 7 | BREISACH • BASEL (Switzerland)

Free time in Breisach

Excursion for both packages:

 Colmar and the Unterlinden Museum<sup>(3)</sup> Cruise towards Basel

#### DAY 8 | BASEL

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 93 to 99.

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<sup>(1)</sup> Available only through reservation before departure. Open from March 23<sup>rd</sup> to May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023. The opening dates are subject to change by Keukenhof floral gardens. Outside the opening dates of the park, guided tour of Haarlem

<sup>(2)</sup> The Gutenberg Museum is closed on Mondays

<sup>(3)</sup> The museum is closed on Tuesdays. It will be replaced by a visit to the Hansi Museum instead.



9-DAY / 8-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. SRF AIPP

# Charming sites along the Rhine, Main, Moselle, Neckar and Saar rivers From Strasbourg to Luxembourg

#### DAY 1 | STRASBOURG (France)

Boarding at 5:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

#### DAY 2 | MANNHEIM • HEIDELBERG (Germany - the Rhine and Neckar rivers)

Cruise towards Heidelberg Excursion proposed:

· Guided tour of Heidelberg

#### DAY 3 | HEIDELBERG • MAINZ FRANKFURT (the Neckar, Rhine, and Main rivers)

Cruise towards Mainz

Excursion proposed:

· Tour of Mainz and the Gutenberg

#### DAY 4 | FRANKFURT • RÜDESHEIM (the Main and Rhine rivers)

Excursion proposed:

- Guided tour of Frankfurt Cruise towards Rüdesheim Excursion proposed:
- · Tour of Rüdesheim by tourist train, wine tasting and visit to the Museum of Mechanical Musical Instruments Free evening in the famous Drosselgasse

#### DAY 5 | RÜDESHEIM • KOBLENZ COCHEM (the romantic Rhine and Moselle rivers)

Cruise towards Koblenz Tour of the city with your hostess Cruise towards Cochem

#### DAY 6 | COCHEM • TRIER (the Moselle Valley)

Excursion proposed

· Guided tour of Cochem Castle Cruise towards Trier

**NB:** For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary.

(1) The Gutenberg Museum is closed on Mondays

#### DAY 7 | TRIER (the Moselle and Saar rivers) • SAARBURG

Excursion proposed:

· Guided tour of Trier Cruise towards Saarburg Free time to discover the city on your own

#### DAY 8 | SAARBURG • REMICH LUXEMBOURG • REMICH (the Saar and Moselle rivers)

Cruise towards Remich. Excursion proposed:

· Guided tour of Luxembourg, visit to a winery and tasting in Remich Gala dinner

#### DAY 9 | REMICH (Luxembourg) Strasbourg (France)

Disembark at 9:00 a.m. Coach transfer to Strasbourg

See excursion details on pages 94 to 98.

# Cruise highlights

- · The cultural diversity of five authentic rivers
- Cruise the picturesque Moselle Valley
- The Romantic Rhine, CroisiEurope's flagship

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- · Trier and its Roman ruins
- · Frankfurt, a dynamic and international city
- Luxembourg, the capital of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg
- The underground wine cellars of Remich



**ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED** 



ALL MEALS INCLUDED



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#### 7-DAY / 6-NIGHT CRUISE

REF. BHL AIPP / HLB AIPP (opposite direction) ONLY WITH CROISIEUROPE

# Discover the medieval charms of Hanseatic cities From Berlin to Hamburg

#### DAY 1 | BERLIN TEGEL

Boarding at 6:00 p.m Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

#### DAY 2 | BERLIN • NEDLITZ

Excursion proposed:

- · Guided tour of Berlin Cruise towards Nedlitz
- Excursion proposed:
- The gardens of the Sanssouci Palace Cruise towards Brandenburg

#### DAY 3 | BRANDENBURG **MAGDEBURG**

Cruise towards Magdeburg Excursion proposed

· Guided tour of Magdeburg

#### DAY 5 | LÜNEBURG • HAMBURG

Excursion proposed:

· Guided tour of Luneburg Cruise towards Hamburg Passage on the Scharnebeck twin ship lift, one of the highest in Europe

#### DAY 6 | HAMBURG • Lübeck

Excursions proposed:

- · Guided tour of Hamburg
- Guided tour of Lübeck Gala dinner

#### DAY 7 | HAMBURG

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

See excursion details on pages 93 and 95 to 98.

## Cruise highlights

· A luxury cruise on an authentic paddle riverboat

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- Berlin, symbolic capital
- · Medieval Hanseatic cities: Magdeburg, Lüneburg, Hamburg, and Lübeck
- · The Wolfsburg Autostadt



ALL EXCURSIONS



ALL MEALS INCLUDED



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Magdeburg



#### 7-DAY / 6-NIGHT CRUISE (8-day itinerary)

REF. BSD AIPP / SBL AIPP (opposite direction) ONLY WITH CROISIEUROPE

# The Havel, the Oder and the Baltic Sea From Berlin to Copenhagen

#### DAY 1 | BERLIN SPANDAU (Germany)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

#### DAY 2 | BERLIN SPANDAU **EBERSWALDE**

Excursion proposed:

· Guided tour of Berlin Cruise towards Eberswalde

#### DAY 3 | EBERSWALDE • ODERBERG STOLPE • SZCZECIN (Poland)

Cruise towards Oderberg passing through the Niederfinow boat lift Excursion proposed:

· The Chorin Abbey Cruise towards Szczecin

#### DAY 4 | SZCZECIN • WOLGAST (Germany)

Excursion proposed:

· Guided tour of Szczecin Cruise towards Wolgast

#### DAY 5 | WOLGAST • PEENEMÜNDE Island of Usedom • GREIFSWALD LAUTERBACH

Excursions proposed:

· Guided tour of the island of Usedom · Guided tour of Greifswald Gala dinner

#### DAY 6 | LAUTERBACH • Island of Rügen • STRALSUND

Excursions proposed:

• Guided tour of the island of Rügen

Guided tour of Stralsund

#### DAY 7 | STRALSUND • Rostock Gedser (Denmark) • Copenhagen

Disembark at 9:00 a.m. Coach transfer to Rostock and ferry crossing to Gedser Enjoy lunch on your own Coach transfer to Copenhagen Night at a 4-star hotel

#### DAY 8 | Copenhagen

Excursion proposed:

• Guided tour of Copenhagen Lunch on your own End of your journey

See excursion details on pages 93 to 95

# Cruise highlights

· A luxury cruise on an authentic paddle riverboat

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- The Chorin Abbey, a jewel of Cistercian architecture
- The breathtaking landscapes of the islands of Usedom and Rügen



**ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED** 



ALL MEALS INCLUDED



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**BALTIC SEA** Gedser STRALSUND Rügen Rostock GREIFSWALD PEENEMÜNDE WOLGAST **ODER** 

HAVFI

SZCZECIN ODERBERG **EBERSWALD** BERLIN

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7-DAY / 6-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. PGP\_AIPP ONLY WITH CROISIEUROPE

# A spectacular cruise on the Elbe and Vltava Rivers Round-trip cruise from Prague

#### DAY 1 | PRAGUE (Czech Republic)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

#### DAY 2 | PRAGUE • SLAPY • STECHOVICE

Cruise towards Slapy on the Vltava, a winding river lined with hillsides on each bank and castles in romantic, restful landscapes so typical of central Bohemia Free time

Excursion proposed:

• Konopiste Castle Free evening

#### DAY 3 | STECHOVICE • PRAGUE

Cruise towards Prague Free afternoon and evening

#### DAY 4 | PRAGUE

Excursions proposed:

- Guided tour of Prague's Old Town
- Discover Prague's Castle District

#### DAY 5 | MELNIK

Cruise towards Melnik Excursion proposed:

• Tour of Nelahozeves Castle and the birth house of Antonin Dvorak

#### DAY 6 | MELNIK • DRESDEN (Germany) • ROUDNICE (Czech Republic)

Full-day excursion:

 Dresden, the "Florence of the Elbe" and guided tour of the Royal Palace Cruise towards Prague Gala dinner

#### DAY 7 | PRAGUE

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

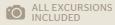
See excursion details on pages 94 to 97.

## Cruise highlights

· A luxury cruise on an authentic paddle riverboat

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- · Prague, the Golden City
- · The castles of Bohemia: Konopiste Castle, a former hunting lodge of the Habsburgs, and the Renaissance-style Nelahozeves Castle with its private artwork collection
- Dresden, the "Florence of the Elbe" and its Royal Palace







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#### 9-DAY / 8-NIGHT CRUISE

REF. BPG AIPP / PGB AIPP (opposite direction) ONLY WITH CROISIEUROPE

# The majestic Elbe and Vltava rivers From Berlin to Prague

#### DAY 1 | BERLIN TEGEL (Germany)

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

#### DAY 2 | BERLIN TEGEL • NEDLITZ WUSTERWITZ

Excursions proposed: · Guided tour of Berlin

• The gardens of the Sanssouci Palace

#### DAY 3 | WUSTERWITZ • MAGDEBURG Cruise towards Magdeburg

Excursion proposed Guided tour of Magdeburg

#### DAY 4 | WITTENBERG

Excursion proposed:

· Guided tour of Wittenberg Cruise towards Meissen

#### DAY 5 | MEISSEN • DRESDEN

Excursions proposed:

- · Guided tour of Meissen
- · Guided tour of Dresden

#### DAY 6 | DRESDEN • USTI (Czech Republic)

Excursion proposed:

• The Elbe Sandstone Mountains Cruise towards Usti

#### DAY 7 | USTI • ROUDNICE • KRALUPY

Excursion proposed:

· Guided tour of Litomerice Cruise towards Kralupy

#### DAY 8 | KRALUPY • ROZTOK **PRAGUE**

Excursions proposed:

- Guided tour of Prague's Old Town
- Discover Prague's Castle District Gala dinner

### DAY 9 | PRAGUE (Czech Republic)

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

The Elbe is an uncontrolled river and experiences significant variations in water-level. Under certain conditions we may use a second ship to complete the cruise and deliver the itinerary

**BERLIN** WUSTERWITZ NEDLITZ ( MAGDEBURG WITTENBERG POLAND FI BE MEISSEN GERMAN PEN USTI PROZTOKY KRALUPY ROUBNICE PRAGUE REPUBLIC SLOVAKIA AUSTRIA

### Cruise highlights

- · Only with CroisiEurope: cruise on board a paddle riverboat
- Setting us apart from the rest: our ship moors in Prague

#### **EXCURSIONS:**

- · Berlin, symbolic capital
- · Potsdam and the gardens of the Sanssouci Palace
- Dresden, the Florence of the Elbe
- The Elbe Sandstone Mountains, natural and architectural wonders
- · Golden Prague



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# Dates & Prices · The Rhine and its tributaries

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DATES 2023				DECK			MIDDLE	UPPER				
	Cat. C	Double cabin Cat. B	Cat. A	Cat. C	Single cabin Cat. B	Cat. A	DECK	DECK				
REF. GSB_AIPP (p. 78)												
			STAND	ARD SHIP			1					
May 21, 25 June 2, 11, 15, 19, 24 July 8, 23 August 5, 20 September 7, 20, 28	\$1816	\$1880	\$1973	\$2638	\$2702	\$2795	\$184	\$222				
REF. SNG_AIPP/SGN_AI	PP (opposite d	irection) (p. 79)										
		I	STAND	ARD SHIP	1		I					
September 23, 27 October 5, 9	\$1798	\$1839	\$1912	\$2377	\$2418	\$2491	-	\$207				
REF. ANV_AIPP (opposite direction) (p. 80)  STANDARD SHIP												
April 4, 7, 8, 8, 11, 12, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 22, 22, 23, 24, 26, 26, 27, 28, 30	\$1181	\$1210	\$1268	\$1610	\$1639	\$1697	\$156	\$179				
			PREMI	UM SHIP								
April 1, 5, 9, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 21	\$1367	\$1404	\$1469	\$1880	\$1917	\$1982	\$179	\$207				
REF. HSA_AIPP / ASG_AIPP (opposite direction) (p. 81)												
			STAND	ARD SHIP								
March 27, 28, 29, 30 April 1, 2, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 13 October 17	\$1563	\$1600	\$1663	\$2205	\$2242	\$2305	¢10.C	<b>⊕</b> 212				
April 16, 17, 23, 30 May 1, 2, 4, 7 June 15 September 18	\$1878	\$1922	\$2015	\$2520	\$2564	\$2657	\$186	\$213				
			PREMI	UM SHIP								
March 27, 29 October 27	\$1792	\$1843	\$1922	\$2557	\$2608	\$2687						
July 23	\$2049	\$2101	\$2201	\$2814	\$2866	\$2966	\$213	\$243				
May 3 June 9 September 9	\$2215	\$2278	\$2387	\$2980	\$3043	\$3152						
REF. ABR_AIPP / BAM_A	IPP (opposite o	direction) (p. 82										
April 27			STANDA	ARD SHIP								
April 27 May 2	\$1756	\$1805	\$1885	\$2412	\$2461	\$2541	-	\$213				
REF. AIJ_AIPP (p. 83)			CTANS	ADD CITE								
April 3, 8, 13, 18, 22	\$1690	\$1722	\$1803	\$2289	\$2331	\$2402	\$186	\$213				
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#### REF. SFS\_AIPP (p. 84)

	STANDARD SHIP											
October 21	\$1926	\$1971	\$2063	\$2713	\$2758	\$2850						
July 12, 26 August 14, 26	\$2092	\$2149	\$2249	\$2879	\$2936	\$3036						
May 6, 17 June 28, 30 September 1, 21 October 2	\$2192	\$2249	\$2355	\$2979	\$3036	\$3142	\$222	\$256				
			PREMIU	JM SHIP								
April 29	\$2221	\$2284	\$2384	\$3158	\$3221	\$3321						
July 3 August 1, 24	\$2400	\$2464	\$2578	\$3337	\$3401	\$3515		\$285				
May 5, 20 June 5, 23 September 14, 29 October 14	\$2527	\$2598	\$2721	\$3464	\$3535	\$3658	\$256					

#### REF. ABE\_AIPP/BEA\_AIPP (opposite direction) (p. 85)

PREMIUM SHIP											
April 3, 17, 24 October 20	\$2743	\$2814	\$2937	\$3823	\$3894	\$4017					
July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 August 5, 12, 19, 26	\$3009	\$3095	\$3229	\$4089	\$4175	\$4309	-	\$365			
May 1, 8, 15, 28 June 4, 11, 24 September 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 October 13	\$3172	\$3252	\$3401	\$4252	\$4332	\$4481					

#### REF. SRF\_AIPP (p. 86)

			STANDA	RD SHIP				
July 19 August 26	\$2859	\$2936	\$3064	\$3824	\$3901	\$4029		
May 3 June 23 September 29	\$2907	\$2987	\$3122	\$3872	\$3952	\$4087	-	\$327



# Dates & Prices . The Elbe

		CRUI	ISE RATE PER	PERSON / CR	UISE		OPTI	IONS		
DATES 2023			MAIN	DECK			MIDDLE	LIDDED		
DATES 2025		Double cabin			Single cabin		MIDDLE DECK	UPPER DECK		
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REF. BHL_AIPP/HLB_AIP	P (opposite dir	rection) (p. 87)								
PREMIUM SHIP										
May 31 June 6, 12, 18, 24, 30 July 6, 12, 18, 24, 30 August 5, 11, 17, 23, 29 September 4, 10, 16, 22	\$2979	\$3050	\$3179	\$4059	\$4130	\$4259	-	\$285		
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			STANDA	RD SHIP				
May 9 July 1, 5, 6, 12 August 10, 26, 31 September 8, 29	\$3209	\$3289	\$3438	\$4374	\$4454	\$4603	-	\$285

#### REF. PGP\_AIPP (p. 89)

PREMIUM SHIP											
May 31 June 6, 12, 18, 24, 30 July 2, 6, 8, 12, 18, 24, 30 August 5, 11, 17, 23, 29 September 4, 10, 16, 22	\$3482	\$3559	\$3704	\$4719	\$4796	\$4941	-	\$327			

#### REF. BPG\_AIPP/PGB\_AIPP (opposite direction) (p. 90)

	PREMIUM SHIP										
March 12, 12, 20, 20, 28, 28 April 5, 5, 13, 13, 21, 21, 29, 29 October 6, 6, 14, 14, 22, 22, 30, 30 November 7, 7	\$4606	\$4715	\$4921	\$6343	\$6452	\$6658	-	\$365			
May 7, 7, 15, 15, 23, 23 September 28, 28	\$4992	\$5121	\$5350	\$6729	\$6858	\$7087					

# Our excursions · Northern Europe

Our excursions are valid for a minimum of 25 participants. Below this number, our rates can be adjusted on board.

### **CLASSIC EXCURSIONS**

#### **ALKMAAR**

#### LENGTH: 3.5 hours

Departure by coach for Alkmaar. Alkmaar is a historical town with over 400 monuments. The Waag (weigh house building), dating from the 14th century, the Town Hall dating from the 16th century, the Grote or Sint-Laurenskerk (St Lawrence and a multitude of enclosed courtyards, noteworthy facades and canals all partake in the particular atmosphere of this city. However, Alkmaar is particularly known for its cheese. Inside the weigh house building, a guided visit to the Cheese Museum will teach you all about the various steps to making dairy products. You'll discover the beautifully ornate cheese presses and various other implements and tools used to make cheese and butter over the centuries. Enjoy some free time before returning to the ship

#### CRUISE REF. AIJ\_AIPP.

#### **AMSTERDAM**

#### I FNGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave by coach for a guided tour of the city. From its romantic canals to its world-renowned museums and historical significance, Amsterdam never ceases to surprise. Our first stop will be the Riecker Windmill, a windmill located on the riverbanks of the Amstel River, south of the city. This mill was built in 1636 in the village of Sloten and was used as a polder mill for the polder of the same name (Riekerpolder). We'll then head to the Diamond District to observe how the talented cutters facet the raw diamonds into the jewels we buy. Our coach will then take us to the Bloemenmarkt, the famous floating flower market, one of the most fragrant places in Amsterdam in any seasons!

CRUISE REF. AAV\_AIPP / AAX\_AIPP / ABE\_AIPP / ABR\_AIPP / AGX\_AIPP / AIJ\_AIPP / AMB\_AIPP / ANV\_AIPP / ASG\_AIPP / ASU\_AIPP / BAM\_AIPP / BEA\_AIPP / BMA\_AIPP / BUA\_AIPP / HSA\_AIPP.

#### **BERLIN**

#### LENGTH: 4 hour

We'll leave by coach to visit the German capital with a local guide, taking us on a tour to learn about the history, monuments and fascinating facets of this historic city. We'll walk to the famous Victory Column with a statue of Bismarck beside it, then to the Brandenburg Gate, alongside the Reichstag Building with its steel and glass cupola. We'll then head to Museum Island, a complex of Berlin's five most famous museums. The modern Alexanderplatz and its famous Fernsehturm (Berlin TV Tower) are located beyond Museum Island. We'll then head to Checkpoint Charlie, symbol of the Cold War and the former crossing point between the American and Soviet zones

CRUISE REF. AMB\_AIPP / BHL\_AIPP / BMA\_AIPP / BPG\_AIPP / BSD\_AIPP / HLB\_AIPP / PGB\_AIPP / SBL\_AIPP.

#### **BERLIN BY NIGHT**

#### LENGTH: 2 hours

After dinner you will leave by coach to explore contemporary Berlin. A guided walk will enable you to discover the contemporary architectural prowess of Renzo Piano, Richard Rogers, etc. A true no mans' land after the fall of the wall, this square now houses the headquarters of the DB, the Sony Center, and a cinema complex. At night, it comes to life and is illuminated. A futurist vision of the German capital.

Panoramic tour by coach with stops to take pictures and a walk on the Potsdamer Platz. CRUISE REF. AMB\_AIPP / BMA\_AIPP.

#### **BREMEN**

#### LENGTH: 2 hours

We'll set out on foot to visit the historic centre of this Hanseatic city. We'll visit the district of Schnoor located on the banks of the Weser River. This is the oldest dis-trict in Bremen and its narrow streets are filled with small half-timbered houses. We'll continue towards Marktplatz where you'll get to see St. Peter's Cathedral, the magnificent City Hall and more. Our visit ends after a walk down the Böttcherstrasse, a street famous for its unusual architectural ensemble belonging to a variant of the expressionist style. We'll pass the entrance gate with its impressive golden fresco de-picting the Lichtbringer, Bringer of Light. After the tour, take advantage of some free time before returning on board on foot.

CRUISE REF. AMB\_AIPP / BMA\_AIPP.

#### **BRUSSELS AND** CHOCOLATE FACTORY

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

Our visit of the Belgian capital will begin with a panoramic tour to see the famous monuments such as the Royal Palace of Laeken and the Atomium, representing an iron crystal molecule enlarged 165 billion times and built for the Universal Exhibi-tion in Brussels in 1958. We'll then head for the city centre to admire the Royal Palace of Brussels - the King's workplace, as well as numerous Art Nouveau style buildings and the European Institutions. The visit continues on foot to the Grand Place and the inspressive Cather Town Hall dating book its impressive Gothic Town Hall dating back to the 14<sup>th</sup> century, as well as the iconic land-mark Manneken Pis. We'll stop off at a chocolate factory to learn what makes Belgian chocolates so delectable. Of course, we'll enjoy a tasting of these indulgent treats.

CRUISE REF. ABR\_AIPP / BAM\_AIPP.

### CHARLOTTENBURG PALACE

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll leave from Berlin by coach for a stroll in the gardens before an audio-guided tour of Charlottenburg Palace, one of the favorite summer residences of the Grand Electors of Brandenburg and, later, of the kings of Prussia. We'll visit the white room (the throne room and the sovereign's dining room), the Golden Gallery (dancing and music room), the Winter Chambers and Queen Louise's bedroom.

CRUISE REF. AMB\_AIPP / BMA\_AIPP

#### **CHORIN ABBEY**

#### LENGTH: 2.5 hours

We'll leave by coach for a guided tour of the Chorin Abbey. This 13<sup>th</sup> century Cistercian abbey is viewed as one of the masterpieces of Brick Gothic, typical of Northern Germany. Settled amidst an unspoiled picturesque landscape on the Southern edge of the Uckermark region, it was once a significant centre for architecture in the Middle-Ages.

CRUISE REF. BSD AIPP / SBL AIPP.

#### COCHEM CASTLE

#### LENGTH: 1.5 hours

We'll leave for a guided tour of the Cochem Imperial castle, the Reichsburg. Originally

built in the year 1000 and consequently destroyed by French troops in the 17th century, the castle was entirely rebuilt according to old plans in Neo-Gothic style. After our tour, enjoy some free time to discover the city's narrow winding streets, its carefully restored half-timbered houses, the Town Hall square as well as ancient walls, gates and churches. We'll return on board on foot. CRUISE REF. RSB\_RAIPP / SFS\_AIPP / SRF\_AIPP.

#### **COLMAR AND THE ALSATIAN WINE ROUTE**

#### I FNGTH: 9 hours

We'll leave by coach for a guided tour of downtown Colmar, including historical sites such as the Unterlinden Museum, the "Little Venice" district, St Martin's Church and the Koifhus (also known as the "Ancienne Douane" building.) We'll enjoy lunch in the city (or its surroundings) before driving up the Alsatian Wine Route towards Obernai.

CRUISE REF. SBS AIPP.

#### **COLMAR AND THE UNTERLINDEN MUSEUM**

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

Colmar will charm you with its authenticity and typically Alsatian architecture composed of brightly painted half-timbered facades dating from the Middle Ages. You'll discover the quintessential neighborhood of "Little Venice" and visit the Unterlinden Museum, featuring a large collection of local and international artworks and manufactured artifacts from prehistorical to contemporary times. Inarguably, the most important work in the collection is the Isenheim Altarpiece.

The museum is closed on Tuesdays. It will be replaced by a visit to the Hansi Museum instead. CRUISE REF. ABE\_AIPP / ASA\_AIPP / BEA\_AIPP.

#### **COLOGNE**

#### LENGTH: 5 hours

We'll leave on foot with our guide for downtown Cologne. Located at the crossroads of Europe since the Middle Ages, Cologne has kept its importance as a vibrant commercial and industrial city as well as a cultural and religious centre. You'll be able to admire the exterior facades of the huge gothic cathedral. Around the cathedral, 12 other Romanesque style churches are set in a circle, representing the 12 holy apostles. We'll then move on to the Old Town and stop to admire the outside of the Neo-Gothic Farina Fragrance Museum, home to the famous "Eau de Cologne". After the tour, take advantage of some free time. Return by coach.

CRUISE REF. ABE\_AIPP / ASA\_AIPP / BEA\_AIPP.

#### **COPENHAGEN**

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll visit most of the exteriors of the main tourist attractions in the Danish capital, starting with Christiansborg Palace, the seat of the Danish Parliament, and Amalienborg, home of the Danish royal family. We'll then discover the impressive Gefion Fountain and get to see the famous statue of the Little Mermaid on the seafront.

CRUISE REF. BSD\_AIPP / SBL\_AIPP.

#### DRESDEN

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll leave for a guided tour of the city known as the "Florence of the Elbe". Dresden offers a wide variety of attractions, including magnificent promenades on the banks of the Elbe, fascinating museums, and monuments. Our visit will begin with a panoramic tour, crossing the bridges over the Elbe. We'll admire the Altmarkt Square, the German Hygiene Museum, the Baroque Quarter, the Transparent Factory (VW) and the soccer stadium. We'll continue on foot to visit the histori-

cal old town, discovering the Zwinger, the Semperoper (opera house), the Cathedral, the Royal Palace, Brühl's Terrace, and the Neumarkt. After the tour, take advantage of some free time.

CRUISE REF. BPG\_AIPP / PGB\_AIPP.

#### DRESDEN, "THE FLORENCE OF THE ELBE" AND THE ROYAL PALACE

LENGTH: 10 hours

A relatively recent city with Slavic orin, Dresden became the capital of the Margravate of Meissen in the 13th century and the seat of the Dukes of Saxony in the 15th century. Dresden offers a wide variety of attractions, including magnificent promenades on the bank of the Elbe, fascinating museums, monuments, and charming details. We'll have lunch in a local restaurant. In the afternoon, join us for a guided tour of the Royal Palace, the former residence of the Saxon Dukes and Electors and the Kings of Saxony. Today, we can revel in the splendor of its archited ture and its collections, including the historic Green Vault, which contains the largest collection of treasures in Europe.

CRUISE REF. PGP AIPP.

#### **EGUISHEIM AND** THE ALSATIAN WINE ROUTE

#### LENGTH: 9 hours

We'll leave by coach from Breisach with our tour quide to visit the charming village of Eguisheim. Enjoy a stroll around the ancient city walls and discover the village's quaint streets full of lovely, colorful halftimbered homes. Keep an eye out for the stork nests propped high on homes and belfries. Afterwards, we'll travel by coach to a far-mhouse inn for a traditional local lunch. Everything during the meal is made with fresh farm produce: pot pies, smoked meats, old-fashioned potatoes, Munster cheese, and huckleberry pie. We'll spend the afternoon traveling along the Alsatian Wine Route. You will see a myriad of wellknown places, including Albert Schweitzer's birthplace, Kaysersberg; Bergheim, known for its witch trials; Ribeauville, the City of Fiddlers; and Riquewihr, in the heart of the vineyards. We'll stop at a wine cellar on the Wine Route to taste\* the famous white wines of Alsace. After our tour, we'll return on board the ship in Breisach.

CRUISE REF. SBS AIPP.

#### **ELBE SANDSTONE** MOUNTAINS

LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave by coach for the Elbe Sandstone Mountains, a national park consisting of a mountain range straddling the border between the state of Saxony in Southeastern Germany and the North Bohemian region of the Czech Republic. The river Elbe runs through the mountain range in a steep and narrow valley, and the hills are dotted with châteaux such as the Königstein Fortress and Hohnstein Castle. We'll visit the Königstein Fortress, built in the 13<sup>th</sup> century. During the 20<sup>th</sup> century, it was used as a prison, and, after the wars, as a re-education camp for delinquent youths who did not fit the image of a socialist society. The location offers magnificent views of the Elbe River and the surrounding mountain ranges.

CRUISE REF. BPG\_AIPP / PGB\_AIPP.

#### **FRANKFURT**

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

Our excursion to Frankfurt will begin with a panoramic tour of the city by coach. Frankfurt am Main is a dynamic and international city with Germany's most imposing skyline. Under the skyscrapers, you'll find cozy pubs, and at the heart of the bustling city centre, you'll find sites full of history. Frankfurt also has an unrivalled museum scene featuring masterpieces spanning nine centuries of European art. We'il leave the coach behind to visit the city on foot. After passing in front of the dominant Frankfurt Cathedral, we'll discover the old town and the Rômerberg, seat of the city's government since the 15th century. After the tour, take advantage of some free time.

CRUISE REF. ASU\_AIPP / BUA\_AIPP / BUS\_AIPP / SBU\_AIPP / SFS\_AIPP / SRF\_AIPP.

#### **GIETHOORN**

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave by coach to reach Giethoorn, a charming lakeside town. Our trip will take us on a one-hour boat ride along the canals for an original discovery of this typical village. You'll be enchanted by the beautiful scenery of this town by the water and the welcoming spirit that suffuses the air. Before heading back to Lemmer, you will have some free time to wander about the humpback bridges or small footbridges spanning the canals.

CRUISE REF. AIJ AIPP.

#### **GREIFSWALD**

#### LENGTH: 4.25 hours

We'll set out by coach for a tour on foot of Greifswald. We will discover this lovely Hanseatic town with its renovated Brick Gothic style buildings typical of Northern Germany. Our walk along the ramparts surrounding the centre will take us past the city's imposing churches as well as the Town Hall. The most romantic spot in the city is without a doubt the inner courtyard of St Spiritus hospice, which today houses a Socio-Cultural Centre. After the tour, take advantage of some free time.

CRUISE REF. BSD\_AIPP / SBL\_AIPP.

#### HAARLEM

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave by coach with our guides for Haarlem. Known as the "City of Flowers", Haarlem has for centuries been the main production and export centre for tulip bulbs. This charming town has been an inspiration for generations of painters throughout the centuries. We'll discover the Amsterdamse Poort (Amsterdam Gate) built in 1400, the Grote Markt (Main Square), the Corrie Ten Boom House and the impressive Gothic Cathedral of St Bavo dating from the 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> centuries.

CRUISE REF. ABE\_AIPP / BEA\_AIPP.

#### **HAMBURG**

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll set off by coach to visit Hamburg, viewed as one of Germany's prettiest towns. This Hanseatic town has preserved a rich heritage through the centuries. We'll start with a panoramic tour of the city by coach. We'll be able to admire the town's main attractions, such as the city centre with the Mönckerberstrasse, the Rathaus (Town Hall) located at the market square, the Stock Exchange, and St. Michael's Church. We'll move on to the historic centre, one of the oldest districts in Hamburg, where we'll see the Alster, a large lake located right amidst the city and the imposing 1897 Neo-Renaissance style Town Hall. We'll then move on to the 10-story Chilehaus which stands as an emblem of expressionist architecture with its Eastern façade resembling a ship's bow, and to Deichstrasse, an old shopping street with trading posts and houses dating from the 17th and 19th centuries. We'll return to the boat by coach.

CRUISE REF. BHL\_AIPP / HLB\_AIPP.

#### **HANOVER**

#### LENGTH: 5 hours

We'll leave by coach with our guides to discover the capital of the Land of Lower

Saxony. We'll pass alongside the famous baroque Gardens of Herrenhauser before heading for the 18th century New City Hall, where our guides will explain Hanover's history. We'll continue with a panoramic tour to see the main sights such as Niki de Saint Phalle's "Nana" statues on the banks of the Leine, the Maschsee artificial lake, the Opera House, the Grand Theatre, the ruins of the Aegidien Church, and many more. We'll stop for a stroll through the Old Town to see the Market Church and its curiosities, the 15th century Old City Hall and Leibniz's House. Enjoy some free time around the central station area and the modern city centre before returning to the boat.

CRUISE REF. AMB AIPP / BMA AIPP.

#### HEIDELBERG AND ITS CASTLE LENGTH: 4.5 hours

We'll leave by coach for Heidelberg. We'll begin with a visit to the outside of Heidelberg Castle, where you'll be able to see the Renaissance ruins and parts of its restoration. Don't miss seeing the Heidelberg Tun. Built in 1751 by Prince Elector Karl Theodor. it housed the wine paid as taxes by the wine growers in the region. Legend has it that the permanently intoxicated court jester who guarded the cask, Perkeo, died after mistakenly drinking a simple glass of water. From either the Great Terrace or the gardens, enjoy an amazing view over Heidelberg, the Neckar River, and the valley. Enjoy a stroll through the castle gardens, once considered a masterpiece of their time. We'll then head for the Neckarmünzplatz, on the banks of the Neckar River. and continue with a guided tour of the old town. We'll pass by the Church of the Holy Spirit, the most famous church in Heidelberg, whose steeple dominates the town. After the tour, take advantage of some

CRUISE REF. AAX\_AIPP / AGX\_AIPP / ASU\_AIPP / BUA\_AIPP / RSB\_RAIPP / SFS\_AIPP / SRF\_AIPP.

#### HEIDELBERG AND ITS CASTLE

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll leave on foot for a guided tour of Heidelberg and its legendary castle. We'll take the recently renovated funicular railway from the Old Town area, getting our first glimpses of the impressive palace up close. Once above, we'll be able to take in the breathtaking views across the hills and valleys that surround the Neckar River. Although the castle is in ruins, we can still perceive its prestigious past. The walls, towers, and bunkers served as its defense, and the interior courts show off extravagant palace decor and exceptional sculptures. While the Hortus Palatinus garden seems like something straight out of a fairytale, the Heidelberg Tun has been referenced in great works by Jules Verne, Washington Irving, and Mark Twain. We'll return to the Old Town the same way we went up. Enjoy some time in the city itself and soak up the atmosphere by meandering through lanes. The university is the oldest, and still the most prestigious, in Germany. By the end of our excursion, you'll understand why this lovely city has inspired many the painter and poet by its

CRUISE REF. ASG\_AIPP / HSA\_AIPP / SGN\_AIPP / SNG\_AIPP.

#### **ISLAND OF RÜGEN**

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll set out by coach with our guides to discover the biggest island in Germany. This tour will give us a good idea of the diversity of its landscapes. Rügen was the most famous holiday resort in Germany up until World War II. In 1936, a bridge was built connecting Rügen and the mainland. This ideal vacation spot in former GDR saw an emphasis on investment for new infrastructures after the reunification of the country.

We'll go through Putbus, first seaside resort opened in 1816, then the island's main city, Bergen. We'll reach the Jasmund National Park with its famous chalk cliffs towering at 100 m above the sea. Finally, we'll have some free time in the seaside resort of Binz to wander along this beautiful beach before returning to the boat.

CRUISE REF. BSD\_AIPP / SBL\_AIPP.

#### **ISLAND OF USEDOM**

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave by coach with our guides for the island of Usedom, known as a trendy location after bathing in the sea came into fashion. In Usedom - also known as the "Sun Island" - you'll be delighted by the beautiful beaches and charming seaside architecture. We'll discover the Albeck and Heringsdorf seaside resorts, nicknamed "Kaiserbad" or the "Emperor's baths".

CRUISE REF. BSD\_AIPP / SBL\_AIPP.

## KEUKENHOF FLORAL GARDENS

#### LENGTH: 4.5 hours

We'll leave by coach with our hostess for the Keukenhof floral gardens extending on 32 hectares (79 acres). You'll be able to stroll freely inside this beautiful park among the enchanting colours and fragrances of the many tulips, narcissus, daffodils and other ornamental bulbs, all the way to the orchid pavilion and the Japanese country garden. Do not miss the breathtaking view of the tulip fields from the top of an 1892 windmill at the back of the gardens! In the 15th century, the garden as we know it today was nothing but hunting grounds where aromatic herbs were grown for the kitchens of the castle belonging to Jacqueline, Countess of Hainaut, hence its current name, "Keukenhof" - "kitchen garden" in English.

Available only through reservation before departure. The Keukenhof floral gardens are open from March 23<sup>rd</sup> to May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023. The opening dates are subject to change by Keukenhof Flower Park.

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#### **KONOPISTE CASTLE**

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

Join us for an excursion to Konopiste Castle. Located in an idyllic setting, this 13th century fortress—entirely renovated in the 18th Century—was the Habsburg's hunting lodge. In addition to its sumptuously decorated apartments, the castle is home to an impressive collection of medieval weapons and armor that once belonged to Archduke Franz Ferdinand of Austria. The castle was his last abode prior to his assassination in Sarajevo in 1914.

CRUISE REF. PGP AIPP.

#### **LITOMERICE**

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave for a guided tour of the royal city of Litomerice located at the confluence of the Elbe and Ohre and one of the most beautiful cities in the Czech Republic. We'll admire the colourful Gothic, Baroque and Renaissance buildings bordered to a great extent by well-preserved Gothic fortifications. You'll be enchanted by the rare architecture of the Saxon Renaissance Town Hall, the Chalice House with a roof terrace and the Black Eagle House, which has preserved its original appearance with wonderful graffiti work. We'll enjoy a beer tasting\* before returning to the boat by coach. CRUISE REF. BPG AIPP / PGB AIPP.

#### CRUISE REF. BPG\_AIPP / PGB\_AIF

#### LÜBECK LENGTH: 5 hours

Guided tour of Lübeck. Known as the "Queen of the Hanseatic League," Lübeck

was founded in 1143 by Adolf II, Count of Schauenburg and Holstein. UNESCO lists the city as a World Heritage Site because of its aristocratic homes and numerous red-brick Gothic monuments. Founded on the banks of the Trave River, the historic center is home to a unique collection of monuments from different eras –namely the Gothic, Renaissance, Baroque, and Classical periods. We'll discover the Holsten Gate leading to the old city center, Lübeck's most well-known landmark and a symbol of the power once possessed by this former Hanseatic city; St. Mary's Church, an absolute Gothic gem; and the castle monastery. We'll wrap up our excursion by visiting a tea room where we'll enjoy some delicious marzipan, a local specialty.

CRUISE REF. BHL\_AIPP / HLB\_AIPP.

#### LUDWIGSBURG RESIDENTIAL PALACE

LENGTH: 3 hours

The Ludwigsburg Residential Palace has been nicknamed the "Versailles of Swabia," and as soon as you see it, you'll understand why. The complex contains 452 rooms spread across 18 buildings and is the largest palatial estate in Germany. Our tour will take you through the castle's extraordinary interiors with architecture and decor spanning four centuries.

CRUISE REF. SGN\_AIPP / SNG\_AIPP.

#### LÜNEBURG

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll set off by coach for a guided tour of Lüneburg, undoubtedly one of the best preserved Hanseatic towns. In the Middle-Ages, it was one of the richest towns in Germany thanks to its salt deposits. From this prosperous time, the old town has preserved all its traditional architecture. We'll have the opportunity to admire the "Old Crane" (Alter Kran, from the 14th century) in the harbour area. Then, we'll discover the Town Hall whose construction was spread out between the 13th and 18th centuries. We'll admire the gothic-style Princes' Hall (Fürstensaal), the Court Hall (Gerichtslaube) with a barrel vault dating from the 14th century, and the great meeting room, a Renaissance masterpiece decorated with frescoes from the 16th century and entirely panelled in wood.

CRUISE REF. BHL\_AIPP / HLB\_AIPP.

#### **LUXEMBOURG**

LENGTH: 4.5 hours

We'll leave from Remich for Luxembourg by coach. Luxembourg is a real mix of styles and cultures. We'll set out on a guided tour on foot to get a closer look at some of the sites, including the Place des Armes, Place de la Constitution, capital buildings, Corniche, old city, Grand Ducal Palace (exterior), and Place Guillaume II. After our tour, we'll enjoy some free time in the city before we return to the ship in Remich.

CRUISE REF. RSB\_RAIPP.

#### LUXEMBOURG AND THE UNDERGROUND WINERIES IN REMICH

LENGTH: 6 hours

We'll leave from Remich for Luxembourg by coach. Our panoramic tour will give you a good taste of what's to be found: the old city, the fortress ruins, the European Convention Centre, and the Banking District. We'll then set out on a guided tour on foot to get a closer look at some of the sites, including the Place des Armes, Place de la Constitution, capital buildings, Corniche, old city, Grand Ducal Palace (exterior), and Place Guillaume II. After our tour, we'll return to Remich. We'll visit a winery and enjoy a tasting\* You'll discover the secrets to wine making while strol-

ling through underground passages that seem to go on for miles. After our excursion, we'll return on board our ship.

In case the original winery isn't available, we'll visit an other one.

CRUISE REF. SRF\_AIPP.

#### **MAGDEBURG**

LENGTH: 5 hours

We'll leave by coach to visit Magdeburg, which was once the cradle of the German nation. Our tour will begin with the Magdeburg Cathedral, the oldest Gothic cathedral in the country and home to the tomb of Emperor Otto I the Great. The town is located on Saxony-Anhalt's "Roman Road" in the heart of Germany and is proud of its other sacred monuments such as the Magdalenekapelle, St. Peter's Church, Wallonerkirche, the Monastery of Our Lady, and St. John's Church. We'll continue with a panoramic tour taking us to the green Citadel of Magdeburg and the marketplace with a magnificent replica of the Magdeburg Horseman as well as the Town Hall and its bronze door.

CRUISE REF. AMB\_AIPP / BHL\_AIPP / BMA\_AIPP / BPG\_AIPP / HLB\_AIPP / PGB\_AIPP.

#### MAINAU ISLAND AND RHINE FALLS

LENGTH: 12 hours (including transfer time of around 6 hours)

Departure from Basel for our excursion to Mainau Island and Lake Constance. There's so much to admire and discover in Mainau, one of the most famous tourist spots in Germany: park and gardens, nature and botany using all your senses. We'll have lunch on the island. Afterwards, we'll visit the Rhine Falls. The Rhine Falls are among the most spectacular sites to visit in Switzerland. You'll also discover the Laufen Castle and its impressive view overlooking the rumbling falls.

CRUISE REF. GSB\_AIPP.

# MAINZ AND THE GUTENBERG MUSEUM

LENGTH: 2.5 hours

We'll set off on foot for a guided tour of Mainz. We'll get to enter the magnificent cathedral whose construction began in 975 and which has left a deep mark on the history of the town. Then, we'll wander up and down the picturesque streets of the old town. Finally, we'll visit the Gutenberg Museum (closed on Mondays), the world's finest museum for printing equipment, materials and books. Born in Mainz around 1400, Johannes Gensfleisch Gutenberg himself prepared the copy of the Bible referred to as "the 42-line Bible" which was published in 1455 - the oldest printed book in the world.

CRUISE REF. ABE\_AIPP / ASA\_AIPP / BEA\_AIPP / SRF\_AIPP.

#### MAULBRONN MONASTERY

LENGTH: 4 hours

The Maulbronn Monastery complex, founded in the 12<sup>th</sup> century by Cistercian monks, is one of the best-preserved in Europe. The Romanesque church and Gothic cloister are surrounded by medieval walls and towers, making it a popular historic landmark for visitors from across the world.

CRUISE REF. SGN AIPP / SNG AIPP.

#### MEISSEN

#### LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave for a guided tour of Meissen, famous for its porcelain based on extensive local deposits of both china and potter's clay. Meissen is sometimes known as the "cradle of Saxony". Its historical district is located mostly around the market square at the foot of the castle hill, and contains many Renaissance-style buildings. In one of the window openings of Frauenkirche's tower, you can see the world's first carillon made of Meissen porcelain, manufactured in 1929 on the occasion of the town's 1000-year jubilee. Afterwards, we'll visit the porcelain factory. In the museum, we'll take an enticing journey through more than 300 years of porcelain history.

CRUISE REF. BPG AIPP / PGB AIPP.

#### **MEYER WERFT SHIPYARD**

LENGTH: 2 hours

We'll leave by coach for the Meyer Werft Shipyard. Founded in 1975, the shipyard has been owned and managed by the Meyer family for six generations. The first ships that were built there were small wooden vessels. Less than a hundred years later, the first iron ship was launched not withstanding the other manufacturers mocking the idea, thinking that iron could not float. Meyer Werft gained international recognition through the construction of roll on/roll off ferries, passenger ferries, gasoline tankers, container ships, livestock ferries and most recently luxury cruise ships. Due to its upstream location on the river Ems, the giant ships to be delivered have to make a 36km voyage to the Dollart. CRUISE REF. AMB\_AIPP/BMA\_AIPP.

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#### NELAHOZEVES CASTLE, BIRTH HOUSE OF ANTONIN DVORAK

LENGTH: 4 hours

Join us for a tour of Nelahozeves Castle, the birth house of Antonin Dvorak. Well visit one of the most beautiful Renaissance castles in Bohemia that was home to 23 different Bohemian queens and princesses. The castle walls are elaborately adorned with Italian-style stucco and wall paintings depicting scenes from the Old Testament and Greek mythology. It is also home to a rich, private collection of furniture and paintings—including works by Rubens, Velazquez, and many others—all belonging to the Lobkowicz family, the oldest and most eminent Bohemian noble family. We'll discover the luxurious lifestyle of the Bohemian nobility during the Baroque period. At the end of our tour, you'll enjoy tasting a selection of wines from the castle's vineyard. Nelahozeves is the birthplace of Antonin Dvorak. During our visit to the house in which he was born, we'll discover the life and works of one of the greatest composers of the 19th century, the man who composed the famous "New World Symphony."

CRUISE REF. PGP AIPP.

#### **NIENBURG**

LENGTH: 4 hours

You'll be transferred by coach to downtown Nienburg for a visit of the city on your own. Nienburg is famous for the cultivation of asparagus and its bear-claw shaped cakes. You'll get to discover some of the town's monuments such as the Town Hall from Weser Renaissance, St Martin Church, the Kleine Nienburgerin (the bronze statue of a young child from a beloved folk song) and the former Post Office which ensured communication between the Kingdoms of Hanover and England.

CRUISE REF. AMB\_AIPP / BMA\_AIPP.

# POTSDAM AND THE SANSSOUCI GARDENS

LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave by coach with our guides to discover the history of Prussia and its illustrious monarchs. In Potsdam, we'll begin with a stroll through the gardens of the Sanssouci Palace, built between 1745 and 1747 for Frederick II. We'll get back on our coach and take a spin around the Sanssouci Park to admire its fabulous structures before heading to Cecilienhof Palace, built between 1914 and 1917 for Crown Prince William and his wife, Cecilie von Mecklen-

burg-Schwerin. The castle is best known for hosting the Potsdam Conference in 1945, attended by the Allies to seal the fate of the defeated nations. After our visit, we'll head back to downtown Potsdam for some free time in the Dutch district before returning to the ship by coach.

CRUISE REF. AMB\_AIPP / BHL\_AIPP / BMA\_AIPP / BPG\_AIPP / HLB\_AIPP / PGB\_AIPP.

### PRAGUE: CASTLE DISTRICT LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll leave on a guided tour of the Hradcany, or Castle District, in Prague. Prague Castle is the most significant tourist attraction, offering to visitors great views over the whole city. Founded around 880 AD, it is the official residence of the President of the Czech Republic, and was a seat of power for kings of Bohemia, Holy Roman emperors, and presidents of Czechoslovakia. The Prague Castle complex covers over 7 ha and has three great courtyards. Destructive wars and fires, along with differing political forces, have resulted in an intriguing mix of palaces, churches, great halls, state apartments, a monastery, viewing towers, fortifications, museums and art galleries. You'll get to discover, among other sights, St. Vitus Cathedral, the Old Royal Palace with its Vladislav Hall, St. George's Basilica and the famous Golden Lane.

CRUISE REF. BPG AIPP / PGB AIPP / PGP AIPP.

#### **PRAGUE: OLD TOWN**

LENGTH: 3 hours

Located in the North-West of the country on the Vlatva River, Prague is the capital and largest city of the Czech Republic as well as the historical capital of Bohemia. We'll leave for a guided walking tour around the old town, starting with the Old Town Square with gothic and baroque architectural styles as seen on the façades of the Kinský Palace, the Gothic Church of Our Lady before Týn and the Baroque St. Nicholas Church. We'll also see the Municipal House, the city's foremost Art Nouveau building and one of the finest in Europe, as well as the Powder Gate, one of the original 13 entrances to Prague's Old Town.

CRUISE REF. BPG\_AIPP / PGB\_AIPP / PGP\_AIPP.

#### **REMICH** LENGTH: 2 hours

You'll be transferred by coach to the Caves St. Martin in Remich. Seven pioneering men of the region recognized the magic of the huge calcareous rock downstream from Remich. They cultivated the first vineyards of the region now infamous for its sparkling wines. In 1919, in the aftermath of World War I, they set up the Caves St. Martin. We'll set out by coach for the caves where you'll discover the secrets to wine making while strolling through the underground passages that seem to go on for miles. We'll take part in a wine tasting\* as well. After our tour, we'll go to the historical centre of Remich, where you can enjoy some free time on your own. Also called the "Pearl of the Moselle", this charming city is surrounded by an outstanding panorama of vineyards and forests. Take a stroll along the several miles of promenade in the shade of the trees along the Moselle or sit back on a cozy terrace for some more wine. After our tour, we'll return to the ship on foot.

In case the original winery isn't available, we'll visit an other one.

CRUISE REF. RSB\_RAIPP.

#### RÜDESHEIM

LENGTH: 2.5 hours

We'll start our visit with a tour and commentary of the Rüdesheim vineyards by tourist train. We'll learn about the history of winemaking in the region as we enjoy the breathtaking view of Rüdesheim and the Rhine. Our train will then stop right before

the historical Bassenheimer Hof cellar, a seigneurial residence from the 16<sup>th</sup> century, where a winemaker from the Störzel family cellar will guide you through a tasting\* of three different wines, from the driest to the sweetest. Our visit will continue on to the Museum of Mechanical Musical Instruments. The "Siegfrieds Mechanisches Musikkabinett" is the first German museum dedicated to self-playing musical instruments. It features an impressive collection of no less than 350 mechanical musical instruments dating from the 18th to the 20th centuries spread out on more than 4,000ft2 Afterwards, enjoy some free time to stroll through the streets of Rüdesheim ambling down the famous Drosselgasse, before making your own way back to the boat.

CRUISE REF. AAX\_AIPP / AGX\_AIPP / ASG\_AIPP / ASU\_AIPP / BUA\_AIPP / HSA\_AIPP / RSB\_RAIPP / SFS\_AIPP / SFF\_AIPP.

#### **STRALSUND**

#### LENGTH: 2 hours

Our walking tour will bring to life the history of this Hanseatic town surrounded by water. Amidst its picturesque historic centre where famous Brick Gothic prevails, you'll discover Nikolaikirche as well as Jakobikirche dating from the 14th century. You'll also see the Katharinenkloster founded in 1251 by the Dominicans, and the Johanniskloster built in 1254. From the Old Market Square, enjoy a view of the red brick Gothic Town Hall from the 13th century. The unique city of Stralsund has been listed as a World Heritage Site by UNESCO since 2002.

CRUISE REF. BSD\_AIPP / SBL\_AIPP.

#### STRASBOURG BOAT TOUR AND A VISIT TO ITS CATHEDRAL

LENGTH: 3 hours

Discover Strasbourg from the water! We'll see all the great sites on the riverbanks, from Petite France—listed as UNESCO World Heritage site since 1988—to the European quarter where institutions such as the Council of Europe and the European Parliament are located. After, we'll continue on foot to the magnificent Gothic cathedral, built over three centuries. We'll return by tour boat to the ship.

CRUISE REF. ABE\_AIPP/ ASA\_AIPP / BEA\_AIPP.

#### STRASBOURG (BOAT TOUR BY NIGHT)

LENGTH: 2.5 hours

A glass-covered boat will come pick us up, mooring directly alongside our boat, for a relaxing trip along the canals. We'll glide through the Petite France District and its charming half-timbered houses and narrow alleyways, past the Tanners Quarter, the Covered Bridges (Ponts Couverts), the Panoramic Terrace on the Vauban Dam, the European Parliament Building and the Human Rights Building where the European Court of Human Rights is located.

Subject to availability.

For cruise ref. SBS\_AIPP (daytime cruise): 1.25 hours, departing from Palais des Rohan.

CRUISE REF. ASG\_AIPP / GSB\_AIPP / HSA\_AIPP / SBS\_AIPP / SFS\_AIPP.

#### **STUTTGART**

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

Although Stuttgart is known for its wine and museums, its fame as the birthplace of the German automobile industry is what draws most tourists to the city. Like many German cities, it was ravaged by Allied bombings toward the end of World War II, so it is now dominated by modern architecture with a few lovely exceptions, most notably the Old Castle located on the Schillerplatz. The origins of the castle date back to the 10th century. In the 14th century, it became the home of the Counts of Württemberg. After being severely damaged in the first part

of the 20th century, a local professor headed up its renovation. This tour will also bring you to iconic sites and buildings such as the Porsche and Mercedes-Benz museums. At the end of our excursion, we'll stop at a local bierstube for a drink and a traditional German pretzel

CRUISE REF. SGN AIPP / SNG AIPP.

#### SZCZECIN

#### LENGTH: 3 hours

We'll leave by coach for our tour of the capital of the Dukes of Pomerania. Once a flourishing port, the city, which suffered serious damage in the Second World War, has nonetheless preserved an architectural heritage which bears witness to its past splendours. We'll stop at the Ducal Castle and admire The Cathedral Basilica of St. James the Apostle.

CRUISE REF. BSD AIPP / SBL AIPP.

#### THE GLACIER EXPRESS TRAIN

### LENGTH: 10 hours (including transfer time of around 7 hours)

Departure from Basel in the company of your hostess for Andermatt and ours excursion aboard the "Glacier Express". We'll board the Glacier Express for a panoramic voyage of the Alps, lasting about 3 hours. You'll discover the breathtaking beauty of Swiss landscapes through this unique and unforgettable moment. We'll enjoy lunch on board the train or in a restaurant (depending on availability). Back to Basel where our ship is moored.

For your information, please note that the coach ride should last approximately 3.5 hrs from Basel to Andermatt, and 3.5 hrs from Coire to Basel.

CRUISE REF. GSB AIPP.

# THE HAGUE AND ITS HIDDEN COURTYARDS

LENGTH: 4.5 hours

We'll leave by coach for The Hague, the seat of the Dutch parliament and one of the most beautiful cities in the country. The Hague is also known as the 'Royal City by the Sea', since the Royal Family enjoys the location for many of their vacations. Your guide will show you some of the most splendid, including the Hof Van Wouw, Hofje van Nieuwkoop and the Hofje Rusthof. We'll also stroll through the Binnenhof, where the House of Representatives meets, the prime minister works and the ministers hold their weekly consultations. It has been the seat of the Dutch government for over 400 years. Our guide will also show us royal monuments, including the Lange Voorhout Palace which houses the Escher Museum. Lastly, we'll pass by the iconic Hotel des Indes, the International Court of Justice, and the Kloosterkerk. CRUISE REF. ABR\_AIRP / BAM\_AIPP.

# THE NATIONAL AUTOMOBILE MUSEUM IN MULHOUSE

LENGTH: 4 hours

Departure from Vieux Breisach towards Mulhouse for our guided tour of the largest carmuseum in the world. The Cité de l'Automobile's collection includes over 500 vehicles, from masterpieces to sports cars dating from 1878 Europe up to the present day. The Schlumpf Collection, located in a former textile factory from 1880 and spread out on 20,000 m², comprises more than 400 specimens listed as historical monuments. The museum contains the largest and most comprehensive collection of Bugatti motor vehicles in the world, including the Bugatti Royale Coupé Napoléon and an impressive number of Rolls-Royces. Return on board.

CRUISE REF. GSB\_AIPP.

#### THE NETHERLANDS OPEN-AIR MUSEUM IN ARNHEM

Departure from Xanten:

LENGTH: 4.5 hours - guided tour

We'll leave by coach with our hostess for the Netherlands Open Air Museum in Arnhem which is located in a beautiful wooded park. Some 80 authentic farms, windmills, workshops, houses, barns, a church and a school provide an insight on the everyday life and architecture of yesteryear. Inside every building, you'll be intrigued by the typical furniture and the displays of various trades and crafts. The lower level of the collections centre gives access to the spectacular panoramic theatre HollandRama. In this mobile capsule, films, sounds, lights, scents and temperatures evoke different scenes, from cityscapes to the confines of houses.

Departure from Xanten: CRUISE REF. ABE\_AIPP / ASA\_AIPP / BEA\_AIPP.

# THE VOLKSWAGEN AUTOSTADT IN WOLFSBURG

I FNGTH: 4 hours

We will reach the Autostadt either on foot a 5 min walk crossing a bridge over the Mittelandkanal - or by coach, depending on mooring and sailing conditions. We'll meet up with our guides in the entrance hall or Piazza, and start off with a visit of the Forum, an area dedicated to road safety and new energies. We'll then move on to the "ZeitHaus", the automobile mu-seum with educational areas. Our tour will end with a visit to the Customer Center located right next to the Car Towers where customers who have ordered Volkswagens are welcome to collect them. We'll still have some free time to visit the Brand Pavilions carrying such names as Audi, Lamborghini, Skoda and more. Why not try your hand on some driving simulators or a Volkswagen SUV on rough terrain? Return on board by coach in Sülfeld/ Fallersleben or on foot in Wolfsburg.

The tour does not include a visit of the production line. Passengers would have to plan their visit during their free time. Commentaries on the tourist train are provided in German.

CRUISE REF. BHL\_AIPP / BMA\_AIPP / HLB\_AIPP.

#### TRIER

LENGTH: 3.25 hours

We'll set off for a panoramic coach tour of Trier followed by a tour on foot. We'll get to explore the Roman cultural heritage of the city with a splendid view over the Moselle and its magnificent countryside. Trier is the oldest of German cities, founded so long ago that it is 13 years older than We'll discover the Amphitheatre (exteriors only), the Imperial Baths, the Basilica of Constantine and the famous Porta Nigra. Afterwards, we'll stroll around the city centre and admire the outside of St Peter's Cathedral. You'll also be able to enjoy the atmosphere on the Hauptmarkt - the Main Market square. Highly Baroque and located at the heart of the town, its mixture of styles will enchant you.

CRUISE REF. RSB RAIPP / SRF AIPP

#### VOLENDAM AND ZAANSE SCHANS

LENGTH: 4 hours

We'll leave by coach for Volendam, a charming village that has preserved its character for over six centuries thanks to the tough vitality of its fishermen. We'll visit a cheese factory in the area to discover how the famous Gouda cheese is made. We'll then head to Zaanse Schans, an open air museum with wooden windmills, barns, and houses. Don't miss the small but impressive clog museum that features one of the largest and most attractive collections of wooden shoes in the Netherlands. Take advantage of some free time before returning to the ship.

CRUISE REF. AAV\_AIPP / AAX\_AIPP /ABR\_AIPP / AGX\_AIPP / AIJ\_AÏPP / AMB\_AIPP / ANV\_AIPP / ASG\_AIPP / BAM\_AIPP / BMA\_AIPP / BUA\_AIPP / HSA\_AIPP.

#### WITTENBERG

LENGTH: 4 hours

Lutherstadt Wittenberg is the home town of Dr. Martin Luther, the Great Reformer, and the city is affectionately known as the "Cradle of the Reformation". You'll discover the city centre and its noble Renaissance-style houses. Everywhere you turn, there's a spot associated with Martin Luther's life, and various sites throughout the city were added to the UNESCO World Heritage List in 1996. We'll visit Luther's house. Part of the Augustinian monastery in which Luther lived is preserved and considered to be the world's premier museum dedicated to Luther, including a permanent exhibition about the time of the Reformation.

In case the Luther House isn't open for visits, we'll take a tour of the Melanchthon House instead.

CRUISE REF. BPG\_AIPP / PGB\_AIPP.

