

12 Days 11 Nights Dubrovnik – Venice Adriatic Dreams

A 12-day, 11-night Adriatic and Balkan journey from Dubrovnik to Venice through Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Slovenia and Italy.

Duration: 12 Days 11 Nights **Category: Grand Europe Tours**

TOUR PROGRAMME

DAY 1

Arrival in Dubrovnik and transfer to the hotel

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DAY 2

Old Dubrovnik walking tour

Old Dubrovnik walking tour: the Rector's Palace, Sponza Palace, the City Bell Tower, Orlando's Column, the Dominican Monastery and the Franciscan Monastery with its historic pharmacy. Free afternoon at the Old Port. Overnight: Dubrovnik. Breakfast included.

DAY 3

Dubrovnik → Mostar

Route: Dubrovnik → Mostar. Scenic coach transfer across the border into Bosnia and Herzegovina. Mostar City Tour: the Old Bridge, Old Bazaar, historic mosques and the Turkish House. Overnight: Mostar. Breakfast included.

DAY 4

Mostar → Blagaj → Počitelj → Split

Route: Mostar → Blagaj → Počitelj → Split. The 16th-century Blagaj Tekke (Dervish lodge) at the source of the Buna River. Počitelj, a walled Ottoman town on the Neretva River, with its fortress viewpoint. Transfer to Split. Overnight: Split. Breakfast included.

DAY 5

Split walking tour

Split walking tour: Diocletian's Palace, the Cathedral of St. Domnius, the Temple of Jupiter and the cobbled streets of the Old Town. Overnight: Split. Breakfast included.

DAY 6

Split → Trogir → Plitvice Lakes

Route: Split → Trogir → Plitvice Lakes. Trogir City Tour: the Cathedral of St. Lawrence (Lovro) and Cipiko Palace. Transfer inland to the Plitvice Lakes. Overnight: Plitvice. Breakfast included.

DAY 7

Plitvice Lakes → Zagreb

Route: Plitvice Lakes → Zagreb. Guided walking tour of Plitvice Lakes National Park (UNESCO): 16 turquoise lakes, waterfalls and wooden pathways. Transfer to Zagreb. Overnight: Zagreb. Breakfast included.

DAY 8

Zagreb City Tour

Zagreb City Tour: Kaptol Square, Zagreb Cathedral, Kravi Most, St. Mark's Church, the Church of St. Catherine and the Parliament building. Free time at Ban Jelačić Square and Ilica Street. Overnight: Zagreb. Breakfast included.

DAY 9

Zagreb → Ljubljana → Postojna → Bled

Route: Zagreb → Ljubljana → Postojna → Bled. Ljubljana orientation tour: Old Town, bridges and the Castle. Postojna Cave (UNESCO): cave train ride through karst tunnels, caverns and galleries. Transfer to Bled. Overnight: Bled. Breakfast included.

DAY 10

Bled Castle, an 11th-century clifftop fortress above the lake

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DAY 11

Bled → Venice

Route: Bled → Venice. Morning transfer to Venice. Free time to explore the canals, palaces and squares. Overnight: Venice. Breakfast included.

DAY 12

Free time in Venice

Free time in Venice. Transfer to the airport for departure. Breakfast included.

PRICING

Price	€2,280

HOTEL PROGRAMME

Day	City	Hotel	Stars
1	Dubrovnik	Hotel Adria or similar	★★★★
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3	Mostar	Hotel Eden or similar	★★★★
4	Split	Hotel Mondo or similar	★★★★
5	Split	Hotel Mondo or similar	★★★★
6	Plitvice Lakes	Hotel Jezero or similar	★★★★
7	Zagreb	Hotel Aristos or similar	★★★★
8	Zagreb	Hotel Aristos or similar	★★★★

9	Bled	Garni Hotel Savica or similar	★★★★
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11	Venice	Novotel Venezia Mestre Castellana or similar	★★★★

INCLUDED IN TOUR FARE

✓ Accommodation in the hotels listed in the programme with daily buffet breakfast.

✓ All transfers between cities and hotels (18, 28/30 or 48/54-seat vehicle depending on group size).

✓ Under EU rules coaches may operate max. 12 hours per day; the itinerary may be adjusted for delays beyond our control.

✓ 0.5 L of water per person per day.

✓ Local tour guides in the cities specified in the itinerary.

✓ All city taxes, parking, local taxes and highway charges.

✓ Entrance fees: Plitvice Lakes National Park, Postojna Cave (incl. cave train), Bled Castle, pletna boat ride on Lake Bled, Franciscan Monastery Pharmacy.

NOT INCLUDED IN TOUR FARE

- Lunches and dinners.
- English-speaking tour escort.
- Flights / airfare.
- Travel insurance.
- Visa fees, if required.
- Personal expenses: drinks, hotel extras, laundry, telephone and medical expenses.
- Porterage services.
- Gratuities for guide and driver (minimum €3.00 per day for the guide + €2.00 per day for the driver).
- Optional activities and any services not specifically mentioned in the itinerary.