

CROATIA 2022 – ESCORTED COACH TOURS



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ONE JOURNEY, FOUR (5) COUNTRIES

11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS

(Croatia, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Serbia and Slovenia) - from Zagreb



HIGHLIGHTS:

UNESCO Heritage Sites:

- ✓ Historical Complex of Split with the Palace of Diocletian (1979)
- ✓ Old City of Dubrovnik (1979)
- ✓ Plitvice Lakes National Park (1979)
- ✓ Venetian Works of Defence between the 16th and 17th Centuries: Stato da Terra – Western Stato da Mar; Zadar (2017)

DAY 1 ZAGREB (Wednesday)

Transfer on the day of the tour from Zagreb airport, or another hotel in Zagreb to the tour hotel, rest of the day at leisure. Dinner and overnight in Zagreb/Zagreb area. (D)

Accommodation: Zagreb/Zagreb area for 1 night

DAY 2 ZAGREB – BLEED (Thursday)

Morning sightseeing tour of Zagreb, Croatian capital city, gives you the opportunity to see the fortified Upper Town, the city's historical center, St Mark's church with its multi-colored roof, the Cathedral, Croatian National Theatre and the University. Through the carved facades of buildings and baroque churches, we see many green spaces and terraces of cafes where the locals like to gather. Early afternoon departure to Bled, small town in the Julian Alps which could be a setting for a classic fairy tale: immense natural beauty with mountains and forest surrounding an emerald glacial lake, an island in the middle of the lake with a church steeple and its wishing bell, a cliff top castle with picturesque views, and a well-known sweet treat, Bled cream cake. Bled, together with its surroundings, ranks among the most beautiful alpine resorts and is renowned also for its mild, healing climate and thermal lake water. Dinner and overnight in Bled/Bled area. (B/D)

Accommodation: Bled/Bled area for 1 night

DAY 3 BLEĐ – LJUBLJANA – PLITVICE (Friday)

Morning departure to Ljubljana, Slovenian capital where you will have a guided tour of the most significant sights of its old center: the picturesque Central open-air Market and the Three Bridges, the Baroque Town Hall and Robba's Fountain. After Ljubljana we are continuing our journey to Plitvice lakes, well-known UNESCO World Heritage Site, natural beauty of the 16 crystal - blue lakes cascading into 92 spectacular waterfalls. Walk on the wooden promenades with magnificent views on the waters where every turn leads to a breathtaking scenery and yet another waterfall. Surrounded by dense woods, Plitvice lakes are a natural phenomenon of rare and unique beauty. Dinner and overnight in Plitvice area. (B/D)

Accommodation: Plitvice area for 1 night

DAY 4 PLITVICE – ZADAR – SPLIT (Saturday)

Morning departure towards Zadar, where upon arrival we'll be taking you for a guided walking tour through the Roman Forum from the 1st century BC, passing by the 9th century pre-Romanesque church of St. Donatus as well as St. Anastasia church. Departure to Split. This afternoon our guide will uncover for you the secrets of the UNESCO protected Diocletian's Palace and its cellars. This Roman emperor spared no expense for the construction of a sumptuous residence, importing best quality marble, sphinx, and columns. The original palace was modified by its new inhabitants during the Middle Ages but making it even more beautiful and what it is today: the city's living heart. Its narrow streets hide passageways and courtyards, some deserted and eerie, others lively and animated by the music from bars and cafes, or by the everyday life of its residents. Dinner and overnight in Split/Split area. (B/D)

Accommodation: Split/Split area for 1 night

DAY 5 SPLIT – DUBROVNIK (Sunday)

After breakfast, departure to Dubrovnik. Regardless of whether you are visiting Dubrovnik for the first time or the hundredth, there's that sense of awe when you set eyes on the beauty of this old town. Immerse yourselves into the symphony of the city's marble streets, baroque buildings, and the endless shimmer of the Adriatic. Upon arrival, city tour of this UNESCO protected Pearl of the Adriatic and its Cathedral. Dinner and overnight in Dubrovnik/ Dubrovnik area. (B/D)

Accommodation: Dubrovnik/Dubrovnik area for 2 nights

DAY 6 DUBROVNIK (Monday)

Day at leisure. Optional excursions to the island of Korčula. Korčula holds indisputable a privileged position among the Croatian islands. Here we find more legends, tales and monuments than anywhere else. Being famous stonemasons, shipbuilders, and seafarers the people of Korčula left their marks all over the world, but they saved their best works for their own city. Experience the narrow streets, beautiful churches and magnificent palaces in one of the best-preserved Medieval towns in the Mediterranean. After sightseeing free time for lunch or even swimming. On the return a stop will be made in one of the well-known wine cellars of the Pelješac peninsula to sample some of the excellent local wine. Dinner & overnight in Dubrovnik/Dubrovnik area. (B/D)

DAY 7 DUBROVNIK – MOSTAR – SARAJEVO (Tuesday)

Morning departure to Mostar, city of bridges, where the traveler from the south gets the first glimpse of the continent beyond. Orientational walk with your tour leader in Mostar and free time for lunch. Departure to Sarajevo, the capital of Bosnia and Herzegovina. Sarajevo is one of the historically most interesting cities in Europe. It is the place where the Western & the Eastern Roman Empire split and where the people of the Orthodox East, the Ottoman South and the Roman Catholic West met, both an example of the clash of civilizations and of historical turbulences and a beacon of hope for peace and tolerance,



reached through multi-cultural integration. City tour of Sarajevo upon arrival. Dinner and overnight in Sarajevo/Sarajevo area. (B/D)

Accommodation: Sarajevo/Sarajevo area for 1 night

DAY 8 SARAJEVO – BELGRADE (Wednesday)

Morning departure to Belgrade, capital of Serbia. Short break will be made in Zvornik, charming little town in the northeastern Bosnia on Drina River. Belgrade is situated at the place where Sava joins the Danube River. There are sites in Belgrade you must see and feel. Streets, squares, monuments, parks, fountains, archeological sites. Many of them have been given the status of cultural assets. Upon arrival a guided tour of this beautiful city between two rivers famous by its sunsets. Dinner and overnight in Belgrade. (B/D)

Accommodation: Belgrade for 1 night

DAY 9 BELGRADE – NOVI SAD – OSIJEK/VUKOVAR (Thursday)

Morning departure to Novi Sad (Serbia's second largest city), located on Danube River. Novi Sad's position at one of the continent's true crossroads and history as a multinational commercial and transit center has left it endowed with historical and cultural sights that even much larger cities have difficulty matching. Novi Sad has much to boast about, from the imposing fortress on the opposite bank to the churches representing numerous denominations throughout the old town's exceedingly pleasant pedestrian zone to several unheralded but noteworthy museums and art galleries. Our local guide will show us all "must see" locations. After the guided tour of Novi Sad, we will continue towards Ilok. You will have opportunity to taste wines in one of the famous Croatia wine cellars "IločkiPodrumi" followed by traditional lunch. On our way to Osijek, we will stop in Vukovar which is the biggest Croatian river port located at the confluence of Vuka River in Danube, a town also known as a symbol of the Croatian war for independence, as it arose from the ashes of the '90s into the proud city that it is today. In the late afternoon hours, we will end this day. Overnight in Osijek or Vukovar. (B/L)

Accommodation: Osijek or Vukovar for 1 night

DAY 10 OSIJEK/VUKOVAR – ZAGREB (Friday)

You will start your morning with the city tour of Osijek. Osijek Pancake - flat, rich in rivers, Slavonia has unique natural wonders and delicious regional cuisine that will take your breath away: endless plains, the intense yellow of its corn and sunflower fields, the flavors of its cuisine that will make all your senses travel.... Osijek, the largest city in eastern Croatia, beautifully settled on the banks of Drava River. Osijek remains a popular tourist destination for its Baroque style, open spaces, and lots of recreational opportunities. Located in one of the most fertile and most certainly the biggest agricultural area of Croatia, the town is its semi-official gastronomic capital. City tour passes by the Cathedral and the Tvrdja (Old Fort). We are continuing our drive and the first thing you see when approaching Djakovo from either side is the brightness of the bricks of the two towers and cupolas of its Cathedral, beauty of which welcomes the visitors. After the visit, departure towards Zagreb followed by a visit to the Ethno Village of StaraKapela for a lunch (no drinks included) of the products of the Pannonia soil. Overnight in Zagreb/Zagreb area. (B/L)

Accommodation: Zagreb/Zagreb area for 1 night

DAY 11 DEPARTURE (Saturday)

Departure transfer from the hotel to Zagreb airport or hotels in Zagreb. (B)

INCLUSIONS

- 10 nights accomodation in 3* and 4* hotels.
- Meals: 10 breakfasts, 2 lunches (in Ilok and StaraKapela), 1 wine tasting (in Ilok), 8 dinners
- Air-conditioned vehicle with driver at group's disposal as per itinerary
- Experienced tour leader throughout the trip as per itinerary (*note: this might be a bilingual tour*)
- Sightseeing tours in Zagreb, Zadar, Ljubljana, Plitvice lakes, Split, Dubrovnik, Sarajevo, Belgrade, Novi Sad and Osijek.
- Entrances to Plitvice Lakes, Split, Etno Village StaraKapela

Not Included: Flights – Gratuities – Meals and drinks unless otherwise indicated in the Inclusions – Telephone charges – Personal insurance – All other items not mentioned in Inclusions.

Note: *This might be a bilingual tour*

HOTEL OPTIONS OR SIMILAR	
Zagreb	Astoria 4*
Bled/Ljubljana	Kompas 4*
Plitvice area	Jezero 3*
Split	Cvita 4*
Dubrovnik	Valamar 4*
Sarajevo	Colors In 4*
Beograd	Zira 4*
Osijek	Osijek 4*

PRICE IN \$CAD, PER PERSON – LAND PACKAGE 2022

Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Occupancy
June 1, 8, 15, 22 September 21, 28	2399	3540
June 29 July 6 , 13, 20 August 10, 17, 24 September 7, 14	2499	3740
October 5	2230	3250
Pre/Post Stay in Zagreb, supplement - BB basis	2399	3540
Optional Excursions: Korcula / Montenegro on Monday	54€, payable on site	

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**DISCOVER THE WESTERN BALKANS
7 DAYS/ 6 NIGHTS**

(Croatia, Bosnia & Herzegovina, and Slovenia) - from Zagreb



HIGHLIGHTS:

UNESCO Heritage Sites:

- ✓ Historical Complex of Split with the Palace of Diocletian (1979)
- ✓ Old City of Dubrovnik (1979)
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- ✓ Venetian Works of Defence between the 16th and 17th Centuries: Stato da Terra – Western Stato da Mar; Zadar (2017)

DAY 1 ZAGREB (Wednesday)

Transfer on the day of the tour from Zagreb airport, or another hotel in Zagreb to the tour hotel, rest of the day at leisure. Dinner and overnight in Zagreb/Zagreb area. (D)

Accommodation: Zagreb/Zagreb area for 1 night

DAY 2 ZAGREB – BLEED (Thursday) B, D

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Accommodation: Bled/Bled area for 1 night

DAY 3 BLEĐ – LJUBLJANA – PLITVICE (Friday)

Morning departure to Ljubljana, Slovenian capital where you will have a guided tour of the most significant sights of its old center: the picturesque Central open-air Market and the Three Bridges, the Baroque Town Hall and Robba's Fountain. After Ljubljana we are continuing our journey to Plitvice lakes, well-known UNESCO World Heritage Site, natural beauty of the 16 crystal - blue lakes cascading into 92 spectacular waterfalls. Walk on the wooden promenades with magnificent views on the waters where every turn leads to a breathtaking scenery and yet another waterfall. Surrounded by dense woods, Plitvice lakes are a natural phenomenon of rare and unique beauty. Dinner and overnight in Plitvice area. (B/D)

Accommodation: Plitvice area for 1 night

DAY 4 PLITVICE – ZADAR – SPLIT (Saturday)

Morning departure towards Zadar, where upon arrival we'll be taking you for a guided walking tour through the Roman Forum from the 1st century BC, passing by the 9th century pre-Romanesque church of St. Donatus as well as St. Anastasia church. Departure to Split. This afternoon our guide will uncover for you the secrets of the UNESCO protected Diocletian's Palace and its cellars. This Roman emperor spared no expense for the construction of a sumptuous residence, importing best quality marble, sphinx, and columns. The original palace was modified by its new inhabitants during the Middle Ages but making it even more beautiful and what it is today: the city's living heart. Its narrow streets hide passageways and courtyards, some deserted and eerie, others lively and animated by the music from bars and cafes, or by the everyday life of its residents. Dinner and overnight in Split/Split area. (B/D)

Accommodation: Split/Split area for 1 night

DAY 5 SPLIT – DUBROVNIK (Sunday)

After breakfast, departure to Dubrovnik. Regardless of whether you are visiting Dubrovnik for the first time or the hundredth, there's that sense of awe when you set eyes on the beauty of this old town. Immerse yourselves into the symphony of the city's marble streets, baroque buildings, and the endless shimmer of the Adriatic. Upon arrival, city tour of this UNESCO protected Pearl of the Adriatic and its Cathedral. Dinner and overnight in Dubrovnik/ Dubrovnik area. (B/D)

Accommodation: Dubrovnik/ Dubrovnik area for 2 nights

DAY 6 DUBROVNIK (Monday)

Day at leisure. Optional excursions to the island of Korčula. Korčula holds indisputable a privileged position among the Croatian islands. Here we find more legends, tales, and monuments than anywhere else. Being famous stonemasons, shipbuilders, and seafarers the people of Korčula left their marks all over the world, but they saved their best works for their own city. Experience the narrow streets, beautiful churches, and magnificent palaces in one of the best-preserved Medieval towns in the Mediterranean. After sightseeing free time for lunch or even swimming. On the return a stop will be made in one of the well-known wine cellars of the Pelješac peninsula to sample some of the excellent local wine. Dinner & overnight in Dubrovnik/ Dubrovnik area. (B/D)

DAY 7 DEPARTURE (Tuesday)

Transfer on the day of the tour to Dubrovnik airport or hotels in Dubrovnik. (B)

INCLUSIONS

- 6 nights accomodation in 3* and 4* hotels.
- Meals: 6 breakfasts, 6 dinners
- Air-conditioned vehicle with driver at group's disposal as per itinerary
- Experienced tour leader throughout the trip as per itinerary (*note: this might be a bilingual tour*)
- Sightseeing tours in Zagreb, Zadar, Ljubljana, Plitvice lakes, Split, Dubrovnik
- Entrances to Plitvice Lakes, Split

Not Included: Flights – Gratuities – Meals and drinks unless otherwise indicated in the Inclusions – Telephone charges – Personal insurance – All other items not mentioned in Inclusions.

Note: *This might be a bilingual tour*

HOTEL OPTIONS OR SIMILAR	
Zagreb	Astoria 4*
Bled/Ljubljana	Kompas 4*
Plitvice area	Jezero 3*
Split	Cvita 4*
Dubrovnik	Valamar 4*

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<u>Departure Dates</u>	<u>Double Occupancy</u>	<u>Single Occupancy</u>
May 11 , 18, 25 June 1, 8 , 15, 22 September 21, 28	1630	2510
June 29 July 6 , 13, 20 August 10, 17, 24 September 7, 14	1750	2710
October 5	1540	2360
Pre/post stay in Zagreb - supplement - BB basis	100	160
Optional Excursions Korcula / Montenegro, on Monday	54€, payable on site	

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JOURNEY INTO THE BALKANS - FROM DUBROVNIK 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS



HIGHLIGHTS

UNESCO Heritage Sites:

- ✓ Old City of Dubrovnik (1979)
- ✓ Natural and Culturo-Historical Region of Kotor (1979)

DAY 1 DUBROVNIK (Saturday)

Transfer from Dubrovnik airport, Dubrovnik harbor or another hotel in Dubrovnik to the designated tour hotel. Dinner and overnight in Dubrovnik/Dubrovnik area. (B/D)

Accommodation: Dubrovnik/ Dubrovnik area for 3 nights

DAY 2 DUBROVNIK (Sunday)

Let our guided city tour of Dubrovnik Old Town weave the story of its history and its present into the splendid fabric of fine architecture and magnificent city walls. Starting from Pile square on the eastern side of Dubrovnik Old Town, embark on a walking tour through the maze of narrow streets, lively piazzas, and stunning palaces like Sponza and churches like St. Blaise. Enjoy the moderate tempo of your walk as you stroll down the main thoroughfare of Stradun, all the way to the Cathedral and the Rector's Palace, where you will discover a fine synergy between governance and faith which kept Dubrovnik afloat as the independent Republic of Ragusa for 450 years. Dinner and overnight in Dubrovnik area. (B/D)

DAY 3 DUBROVNIK - EXCURSION TO MONTENEGRO (Monday)

From Dubrovnik, visit off-the-beaten-path Montenegro, a diminutive southeast European country that boasts big things: the UNESCO-World Heritage-listed Bay of Kotor, the walled seaside town of Budva, and the eye-pleasing city of Kotor, situated within Europe's southernmost fjord. Have some free time to explore Kotor and Budva on your own and then enjoy a ferry ride across the Bay of Kotor on your way back to Dubrovnik. Dinner and overnight in Dubrovnik area. (B/D)

DAY 4 DUBROVNIK – MOSTAR – SARAJEVO (Tuesday)

Morning departure to Mostar, city of bridges, where the traveler from the south gets the first glimpse of the continent beyond. Orientational walk with your tour leader in Mostar and free time for lunch. Departure to Sarajevo, the capital of Bosnia and Herzegovina. Sarajevo is one of the historically most interesting cities in Europe. It is the place where the Western & the Eastern Roman Empire split and where the people of the Orthodox East, the Ottoman South and the Roman Catholic West met, both an example of the clash of civilizations and of historical turbulences and a beacon of hope for peace and tolerance, reached through multi-cultural integration. City tour of Sarajevo upon arrival. Dinner and overnight in Sarajevo/Sarajevo area. (B/D)

Accommodation: Sarajevo/Sarajevo area for 1 night

DAY 5 SARAJEVO – BELGRADE (Wednesday)

Morning departure to Belgrade, capital of Serbia. Short break will be made in Zvornik, charming little town in the northeastern Bosnia on Drina River. Belgrade is situated at the place where Sava joins the Danube River. There are sites in Belgrade you must definitely see and feel. Streets, squares, monuments, parks, fountains, archeological sites. Many of them have been given the status of cultural assets. Upon arrival a guided tour of this beautiful city between two rivers famous by its sunsets. Dinner and overnight in Belgrade. (B/D)

Accommodation: Belgrade for 1 night

DAY 6 BELGRADE – NOVI SAD – OSIJEK/VUKOVAR (Thursday)

Morning departure to Novi Sad (Serbia's second largest city), located on Danube River. Novi Sad's position at one of the continent's true crossroads and history as a multinational commercial and transit center has left it endowed with historical and cultural sights that even much larger cities have difficulty matching. Novi Sad has much to boast about, from the imposing fortress on the opposite bank to the churches representing numerous denominations throughout the old town's exceedingly pleasant pedestrian zone to several unheralded but noteworthy museums and art galleries. Our local guide will show us all "must see" locations. After the guided tour of Novi Sad, we will continue towards Ilok. You will have opportunity to taste wines in one of the famous Croatia wine cellars "IločkiPodrumi" followed by traditional lunch. On our way to Osijek, we will stop in Vukovar which is the biggest Croatian river port located at the confluence of Vuka River in Danube, a town also known as a symbol of the Croatian war for independence, as it arose from the ashes of the '90s into the proud city that it is today. In the late afternoon hours, we will end this day. Overnight in Osijek or Vukovar. (B/L)

Accommodation: Osijek or Vukovar for 1 night

DAY 7 OSIJEK/VUKOVAR – ZAGREB (Friday)

You will start your morning with the city tour of Osijek. Osijek Pancake - flat, rich in rivers, Slavonia has unique natural wonders and delicious regional cuisine that will take your breath away: endless plains, the intense yellow of its corn and sunflower fields, the flavors of its cuisine that will make all your senses travel.... Osijek, the largest city in eastern Croatia, beautifully settled on the banks of Drava River. Osijek remains a popular tourist destination for its Baroque style, open spaces and lots of recreational opportunities. Located in one of the most fertile and most certainly the biggest agricultural area of Croatia, the town is its semi-official gastronomic capital. City tour passes by the Cathedral and the Tvrdja (Old Fort). We are continuing our drive and the first thing you see when approaching Djakovo from either side is the brightness of the bricks of the two towers and cupolas of its Cathedral, beauty of which welcomes the visitors. After the visit, departure towards Zagreb followed by a visit to the Ethno Village of StaraKapela for a lunch (no drinks included) of the products of the Pannonia soil. Overnight in Zagreb/Zagreb area. (B/L)

Accommodation: Zagreb for 1 night

DAY 8 DEPARTURE (Saturday)

Departure transfer from the tour hotel to Zagreb airport or hotels in Zagreb. (B)

INCLUSIONS

- 7 nights accommodation in 4* hotels.
- Meals: 7 breakfasts, 2 lunches (in Ilok and StaraKapela), 1 wine tasting (in Ilok), 5 dinners
- Air-conditioned vehicle with driver at group's disposal as per itinerary
- Experienced tour leader throughout the trip as per itinerary (*note: this might be a bilingual tour*)
- Sightseeing tours in Dubrovnik, Sarajevo, Belgrade, Novi Sad, Osijek, Zagreb, day excursion Ancient Montenegro
- Entrances to Etno Village StaraKapela

Not Included: Flights – Gratuities – Meals and drinks unless otherwise indicated in the Inclusions – Telephone charges – Personal insurance – All other items not mentioned in Inclusions.

Note: *Coach Tours are not suitable for persons with restricted mobility*

HOTEL OPTIONS OR SIMILAR	
Dubrovnik	Valamar 4*
Sarajevo	Colors In 4*
Beograd	Zira 4*
Osijek	Cvita 4*
Zagreb	Astoria 4*

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<u>Departure Dates</u>	<u>Double Occupancy</u>	<u>Single Occupancy</u>
May 14, 21, 28 September 24	1799	2710
June 04, 11 , 18, 25 July 02	1870	2850
July 09 , 16, 23 August 13, 20, 27 September 10, 17	1999	3099
October 01, 08	1630	2370

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SOUTH ADRIATIC COASTLINE - FROM DUBROVNIK 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS



HIGHLIGHTS

UNESCO Heritage Sites:

- ✓ Historical Complex of Split with the Palace of Diocletian (1979)
- ✓ Historic City of Trogir (1997)
- ✓ Old City of Dubrovnik (1979)
- ✓ Natural and Culturo-Historical Region of Kotor (1979)
- ✓ Old Bridge Area of the Old City of Mostar (2005)

DAY 1 DUBROVNIK AREA (Sunday)

Transfer from Dubrovnik airport, Dubrovnik harbor or another hotel in Dubrovnik to the designated tour hotel. Dinner and overnight in Dubrovnik/Dubrovnik area. (D)

Accommodation: Dubrovnik/Dubrovnik area for 3 nights

DAY 2 DUBROVNIK AREA - EXPLORE DUBROVNIK BY CABLE CAR (Monday)

Start your south Adriatic coach tour by getting a bird's-eye perspective onto things. In the company of a local guide, enjoy a swift cable car ride to the hill Srđ, towering directly above Dubrovnik. From the top, get an understanding of the intricate position of this remarkable town, but also unforgettable glimpses of its terracotta roofs and neatly arranged Old Town streets. Then, explore them on foot, learning of the local cultural treasures and historic pathways. As you delve into the harmony, simplicity, and beauty of this remarkable town, you'll definitely get a sense of your journey beginning with a grand opening! Return to your hotel early in the afternoon and enjoy a dinner and overnight in Dubrovnik area. (B/D)

DAY 3 DUBROVNIK AREA; Ancient Montenegro (Tuesday)

In the morning, venture east. Past the serene valley of Konavle, cross the border with Montenegro. The scenery turns more dramatic, with snowcapped mountains looming over the turquoise Adriatic Sea. Driving around Boka bay, its beauty entices, with settlements inhabited as early as the Illyrian and Roman times charmingly dotting the shorelines. Discover the picturesque Perast with its quaint seafront and Our Lady of the Rocks church poised on a manmade island facing the town. Next, visit the UNESCO-listed gem of Kotor. Compare it to Dubrovnik and find distinct Venetian heritage as the main difference. After your

guide introduces you to a maze of curvy alleys and sun-kissed piazzas, wander around on your own before heading back. Upon return, dinner and overnight in Dubrovnik/Dubrovnik area. (B/D)

DAY 4 DUBROVNIK – MAKARSKA RIVIERA (Wednesday)

En route to the leisurely Makarska, divert across another border into Bosnia and Herzegovina. Discover Mostar, the crossroads of the east and the west, where urban style, religion, culture, and food all embrace the clash. As you explore its sights like the Old Bazaar, the Turkish House and one of the many old Mosques, your guide will bring the town's contrasts and lessons in focus and then allow you to explore on your own, visit the old craft shops, and savor some traditional fare like čevapčići or baklava (sweets). Arrive to Makarska later in the afternoon and enjoy a dinner and overnight stay at Makarska Riviera. (B/D)

Accommodation: Makarska Riviera for 3 nights

DAY 5 MAKARSKA RIVIERA - SPLIT AND TROGIR (Thursday)

Today, contrast two Croatian UNESCO-listed sites in vicinity of the resort town of Makarska. Split, the largest coastal town, bustles, and buzzes, as it grows more and more popular among travelers for its easy-going spirit, creative food and shopping scene and of course, remarkable heritage. Take note of the historic core of Split, the Diocletian's Palace, and compare it to a maze of atmospheric streets and alleyways in your next stop, the petite Trogir. Rooted in the greatness of Greek and Roman times, Trogir showcases some of the finest architectural works in Croatia, including the incredibly intricate portal of its Cathedral, the Town Loggia and the Cipiko palace. After a day of culture and heritage, head back to Makarska/Makarska area for a dinner and overnight stay. (B/D)

DAY 6 MAKARSKA RIVIERA (Friday)

A day of leisure brings your vacation close to its grand finale. Relax on the long pebbly beaches in Makarska or join an optional excursion to the Krka National Park. Krka waterfalls are often referred to as 'the little Plitvice Lakes', as they somewhat resemble Croatia's favorite national park. Return to Makarska Riviera for dinner and overnight. (B/D)

DAY 7 MAKARSKA RIVIERA – DUBROVNIK (Saturday)

Depart Makarska Riviera in the morning and head to Ploče for a lovely ferry boat ride to Trpanj on Pelješac peninsula. A short bus and a boat transfer later, and you'll be in Korčula island and its beautiful Old Town, charming and entertaining at the same time. The fishbone pattern of its streets, superb stonework all over its facades, Korčula stuns around each corner. After a brisk walking tour, wander the former Venetian stronghold on your own, before returning to Orebić. A break from the scenic ride through Pelješac peninsula takes place in Ston, the town of salt and oysters. Return to your hotel late in the afternoon. Dinner in the hotel and overnight in Dubrovnik area. (B/D)

Accommodation: Dubrovnik area for 1 night

DAY 8 DUBROVNIK DEPARTURE (Sunday)

Transfer on the last day of the tour to Dubrovnik airport, Dubrovnik port & hotels in Dubrovnik. (B)

INCLUSIONS

- 7 nights accomodation in 3* hotels
- Meals: 7 breakfasts, 7 dinners
- Arrival and departure transfers and coach transfers as per itinerary
- Experienced tour leader throughout the trip as per itinerary (*note: this might be a bilingual tour*)
- Sightseeing tours in Explore Dubrovnik by Cable Car with transfer, Ancient Montenegro, Split and Trogir, Walking tours of Mostar and Korčula
- Ticket to the Cable Car
- Entrance and return boat transfer to Our Lady of the Rocks, entrance to the Cathedral of St. Domnius in Split and the Cathedral of St. Lawrence in Trogir, entrance to the Turkish house and Mosque in Mostar
- Kotor city tax

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HOTEL OPTIONS OR SIMILAR	
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