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DALMATIAN COASTAL ODYSSEY

A cruise from Dubrovnik to Zadar aboard
the 36-passenger Queen Eleganza combined
with a three night stay in Montenegro

17th to 27th May 2025



NOBLE CALEDONIA



Split



Dubrovnik



Kotor bay

Join us for this unique exploration of the Dalmatian Coast which combines a cruise along Croatia's spectacular coastline with its intense blue sea and amazingly picturesque islands with a pre-cruise hotel stay on Montenegro's stunning Bay of Kotor. This region has much to offer the genuine traveller and our cruise itinerary has been carefully designed to visit some marvellous places which do not cater for the big ships and each night we remain moored in the picturesque harbours affording the opportunity to dine ashore on some evenings, enjoying the floodlit splendour and lively café society which is so atmospheric.

We begin with a three night stay at the beautiful Huma Kotor Bay Hotel, located on the shore of the fjord-like Bay of Kotor. Conveniently located for us to explore the charming UNESCO World Heritage Site of Kotor Old Town, we have also allowed plenty of time to relax and enjoy the hotel's facilities. Setting sail from the wonderful walled city of Dubrovnik we will then visit the pretty islands of Korcula and Hvar and will spend time walking through the beautiful old towns exploring the historic wonders and sampling some of the delicious local wines. After some time in the historic city of Split, with its Diocletian Palace built by the Romans, we will discover some of Croatia's natural beauty including the dramatic waterfalls of Krka and the enchanting Telascica National Park which we will explore on a coastal walk. Our journey will reach a fitting end in the historic city of Zadar, with its well preserved Romanesque churches and Baroque palaces.

This heady mix of islands and ports represents a fascinating itinerary combining as it does some 'must see' sites together with little known and rarely visited places that are perfectly suited for our vessel. If you enjoy an informal style of cruising, exploring ashore with a small group of like-minded travellers and cruising amongst spectacular coastal scenery, then our journey along the Dalmatian coast will surely appeal.



The Itinerary

Day 1 London to Tivat, Montenegro. Fly by scheduled flight to Tivat airport. On arrival transfer to the Huma Kotor Bay Hotel and check in. Enjoy a welcome dinner at the hotel this evening. (D)

Day 2 Kotor. This morning we will take a guided walk through the Medieval town and UNESCO World Heritage Site of Kotor. This really is an extraordinary place full of marvellous architecture and pretty town squares. Our walk will include the 12th century Cathedral of St Tryphon, the ancient town gates, the Maritime Museum and Romanesque churches including St Luke's. After lunch in a local restaurant we return to the hotel where the rest of the afternoon and evening are at leisure. (B, L)

Day 3 Perast. Today will begin with a scenic drive along the spectacular fjord-like Bay of Kotor where we will stop at the historic town of Perast overlooking the bay. This charming town once belonged to the Republic of Venice whose influence can still be seen in the many Baroque palaces and Catholic churches that we will discover on a guided walk. Spend some time in the town's detailed museum before we take a boat ride into the bay to Our Lady of the Rocks, one of the two islets off the coast of Perast. Many legends surround the history of this tiny island and in times gone by, sailors would pledge their devotion to Our Lady of the Rocks before setting out on their often-treacherous journeys. Explore the church and small museum before returning to the mainland. Return to the hotel for an afternoon at leisure. Enjoy dinner at the hotel this evening. (B, D)



Krka Falls



Korcula



Kotor

Day 4 Kotor to Dubrovnik, Croatia. Check out of the hotel this morning and enjoy a scenic drive along the coast towards Dubrovnik, the "Pearl of the Adriatic". Arrive at Pile Gate, where we will begin our guided walk through the unique Medieval Old Town of Dubrovnik, which was added to the UNESCO World Heritage List in 1979. See the major attractions such as the Rector's Palace, the Romanesque-Gothic Dominican and Franciscan Monasteries and the Sponza Palace. Following our walk we will stop for lunch at a local restaurant. Later, transfer to the Queen Eleganza in Gruz and embark. Enjoy dinner on board this evening as we moor overnight. (B, L, D)

Day 5 Korcula. Sail over breakfast and spend the morning at sea as we head to the island of Korcula, the reputed birthplace of the explorer Marco Polo. After lunch on board we drive to the interior of the island, past olive groves and vineyards offering views down to the coast below. On our visit to a winery we will learn more about the mainly white wines which have been cultivated on the island for centuries before enjoying a tasting. A late afternoon guided tour will include a walk along Korcula's crooked Medieval streets revealing elegant squares flanked with palaces of the old nobility. We will moor overnight in Korcula allowing you the opportunity to dine ashore in the Old Town this evening. (B, L)

Day 6 Hvar. This morning we cruise to the island of Hvar. Arrive in the early afternoon in Stari Grad, where we take a short coach ride across the island to the attractive Old Town of Hvar for a guided walk. We will begin in the main square which is the largest piazza in Dalmatia, and see the cathedral, the Franciscan Monastery and the Benedictine Nunnery where we hear about the aloe lace still produced today by the nuns. Return to the ship and enjoy dinner on board. We will moor overnight in Stari Grad allowing time for an after dinner stroll in this tranquil locale. (B, L, D)

Day 7 Split. Sail this morning for Split, arriving early this afternoon. After lunch on board, take a guided walk through Split which includes the Palace of Diocletian which was built by the emperor in 295-305 AD as his retirement villa. Much of this large building is well preserved and the palace contains Split's Old Town within its walls, making it the only Roman palace that has been continuously inhabited since Roman times. We will moor overnight allowing you the opportunity to dine independently in one of the many nearby restaurants this evening. (B, L)

Day 8 Sibenik & Krka National Park. This morning we will sail to our next port of call, Sibenik. From our berth we visit the majestic waterfalls of Krka. Enjoy a morning guided walk along wooden walkways and across bridges through this unique fjord-like landscape with its multiple

waterfalls and interesting flora and fauna. Moor overnight and take the opportunity to dine ashore this evening. (B, L)

Day 9 Telascica National Park, Kornati Islands. We continue our journey, cruising through the Kornati archipelago before we arrive at another of Croatia's natural wonders - Telascica Nature Park. This beautiful area of islands, islets, rugged cliffs and coves is home to many endemic plants. Enjoy a guided walk of the area and around the lake before we return to the ship for dinner. (B, L, D)

Day 10 Zadar. After a morning sailing we arrive at Zadar. Once a dominant city on the Adriatic Coast rivalling Venice, Zadar is today a treasured city that has preserved its historical core. Enjoy an afternoon walking tour strolling around the old town with its Roman columns and portals, Romanesque churches and Renaissance and Baroque palaces. Of particular interest are the 9th century circular Church of St Donat and the 13th century Romanesque cathedral. Enjoy our farewell dinner on board this evening. (B, L, D)

Day 11 Zadar to London. Disembark this morning and transfer to Split Airport for our scheduled flight to London. (B)

PRICES PER PERSON

Based on double occupancy

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Cat	Cabin Description	Brochure Price	Special Offer Price
1	Twin/Double cabin on the Lower Deck	£4295	£4095
2	Twin Cabin on the Main Deck	£4295	£4095
3	Twin Cabin on the Main Deck	£4595	£4395
4	Twin/Double cabin on the Main Deck	£4895	£4695
5	Double cabin on the Main Deck	£5195	£4995
6	Double cabin on the Lower Deck for sole use	£4295	£4095

PRICE INCLUDES: Economy class scheduled air travel • Three nights at the Huma Kotor Bay Hotel in Kotor • Seven nights aboard the Queen Eleganza • Meals as indicated (B - Breakfast, L - Lunch, D - Dinner) • House wine, beer & soft drinks with included lunches and dinners • Shore excursions • Noble Caledonia onboard team • Noble Caledonia Tour Manager in Kotor • Gratuities • Transfers • Port taxes • Airport taxes.
Not Included: Travel insurance.



Cat 3 Twin Cabin



Queen Eleganza



Restaurant

QUEEN ELEGANZA

For our Croatian Coastal cruises, we are delighted to have chartered the beautifully crafted Queen Eleganza which was launched in April 2018. Built by Croatian hands, this modern and stylish vessel is one of the finest Croatian flagged vessels of its kind and, with a maximum of just 36 guests, there is the added benefit of a relaxed and informal atmosphere on board. The team of friendly Croatian crew members all speak English and their excellent service and hospitality will do much to add to your enjoyment. Meals served on board have a home cooked feel and feature wholesome, fresh and tasty Mediterranean cuisine and, when dining ashore independently, your knowledgeable Cruise Director will recommend popular local restaurants. This is the perfect ship to escape the formalities of larger vessels and enjoy the casual nature of small ship cruising along the most beautiful of coastlines.

Your Cabin/Suite

The 18 cabins are attractively designed with neutral décor and stylish furnishings. There are six different grades of cabin arranged over two decks; all cabins feature either portholes (all lower deck cabins), small windows (categories 3 & 5) or picture windows (categories 2 & 4) and are spacious with a well-designed layout, comfortable seating and all the mod cons. The cabins range in size from 13m² for the category 2 cabin to 25m² for the category 5 cabin. Facilities include air conditioning/heating, wardrobe, drawers and spacious under bed storage, television, radio, hairdryer and safety deposit box. Each cabin also has an en-suite bathroom with a shower, a large sink with under sink drawer space and toiletries including shower gel, soap, shampoo and conditioner. All bathrooms feature a small window.

Your Space

If you prefer a peaceful life at sea and a casual, laid-back ambience then you need look no further than the Queen Eleganza. The vessel has been designed with spacious outside public areas including a large Sun Deck with an excellent shaded area. Whether you choose to spend your time indoors in the lounge or bar area, or on a comfortable lounger on the Sun Deck, the ship has many perfect spots from which to relax and watch the passing scenery.

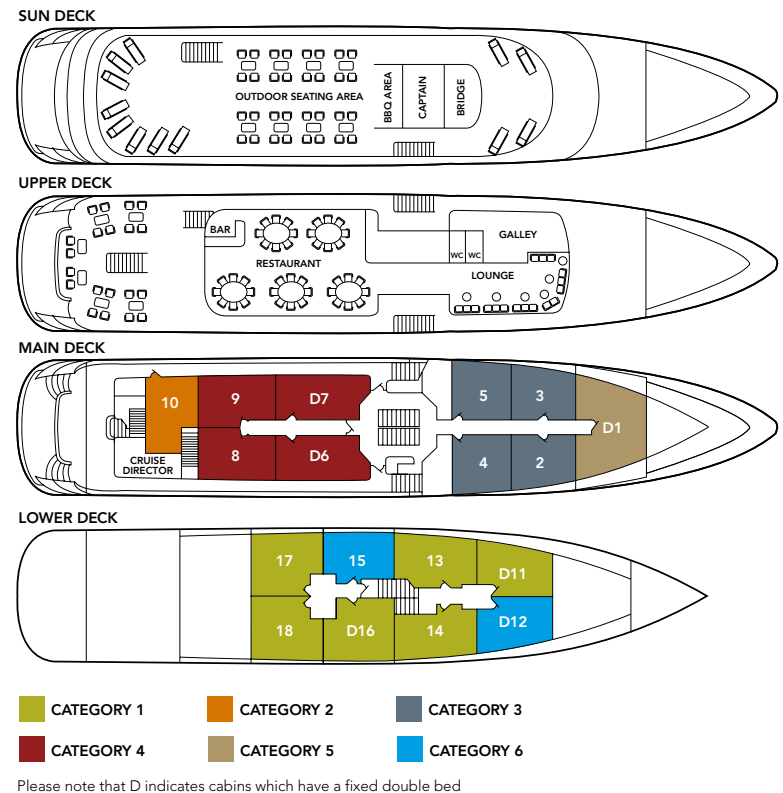
Your Dining

Meals on board are a casual affair featuring locally sourced produce and a selection of regional specialities. Breakfast and lunch are buffet style and feature both hot and cold dishes, whilst dinner is a set menu. House wine, beer and soft drinks are included with lunch and dinner and there is a 24 hour tea/coffee station.



Sun Deck

QUEEN ELEGANZA DECK PLAN



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