



Cruise Details

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| Name: | Discover the Jewels of French & Italian Rivieras |
| Reference: | EMERALD2M16121024-1 |
| Operator: | Emerald Cruises |
| Cruise Type: | Ocean |
| Cruise Rating: | Ultra Luxury |
| Ship: | Emerald Sakara |
| Regions: | Mediterranean |
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| Departs On: | 12 Oct 24 |
| Departs From: | Nice |
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| Arrives On: | 29 Oct 24 |
| Arrives At: | Civitavecchia |
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| Cruise Nights: | 17 |
| Total Vacation Days: | 18 |

Itinerary

Day 1: Nice (France)

Fly from the UK to Nice. Your luxurious yacht cruise begins in Nice, where you'll be transferred to your Emerald Cruises luxury yacht and embark on your discovery of the Western Mediterranean.

Flight to arrive into Nice prior to 07:00 PM.

Arrives On: 12 Oct 24

Day 2: Menton (France)

The Côte d'Azur is synonymous with outstanding beauty, where you can find many gorgeous Provencal cities such as Menton, known for its beautiful warm colours. Nestled between Monaco and Italy, this seaside town is a wonderful mix of unique architecture and luscious gardens.

EmeraldPLUS Walking tour of Menton and lemon products tasting

DiscoverMORE Tour of Monaco & Eze (extra expense, must be pre-booked)

Arrives On: 13 Oct 24

Day 3: Portofino (Italy)

The unassuming village of Portofino provides another tempting taste of the Italian Riviera. Its colourful buildings and slower pace of life have made it an attractive hideaway for the rich and famous.

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Culinary experience in Rapallo (extra expense, must be pre-booked)

DiscoverMORE
Downhill hiking tour (extra expense, must be pre-booked)

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Day 4: Portoferraio (Italy)

One of the oldest towns on Elba Island, Portoferraio oozes Tuscan charm. A favourite among beach-lovers and history buffs alike, it's known for enticing sandy shores and distinctive Medici forts, dating back to the 1500s.

DiscoverMORE
Napoleon's Path and Tasting at La Chiusa winery (extra expense)

DiscoverMORE
Cantucci baking class and wine tasting (extra expense)

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Day 5: Calvi, Corsica (France)

Follow in the footsteps of Christopher Columbus as you arrive in Calvi. This vibrant area of Corsica is said to have been the home of the intrepid explorer, and you'll be sure to fall in love with its winding streets and quaint beaches.

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Discover Old Corsica with its villages (extra expense)

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Walking tour of Calvi and wine tasting (extra expense)

Arrives On: 16 Oct 24

Day 6: Bonifacio, Corsica (France)

The striking citadel heralds your introduction to Bonifacio. Established in 833, this charming Corsican port provides stunning views from its ancient fortress that, on a clear day, stretch all the way to Sardinia.

Included Excursion
Tour of Bonifacio with local products tasting

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Coastal boat trip (extra expense)

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Sperone Golf Club Experience (extra expense)

Arrives On: 17 Oct 24

Day 7: Porto Ercole (Italy)

Perched on the coast of Tuscany, Porto Ercole is one of Italy's hidden gems. Translated as the 'Port of Hercules', this sleepy bay is a scene of incredible architecture and local seafood that is an absolute delight.

Included Excursion
Tour of Porto Ercole

EmeraldACTIVE
Hiking tour to Forte Filippo

Arrives On: 18 Oct 24

Day 8: Civitavecchia (Italy)

After breakfast, set off to explore Rome and uncover the ancient history of this storied city. In the afternoon, we'll welcome you back on board your Emerald Cruises luxury yacht for the second half of your journey.

Included Excursion
Rome On Your Own incl. Panoramic Drive

Arrives On: 19 Oct 24

Day 9: Gaeta (Italy)

Gaeta is a popular holiday destination set on a headland that juts out towards the Gulf of Gaeta, in the Lazio region of Southern Italy. A key attraction in Gaeta is Montagna Spaccata (Split Mountain), a natural sea grotto. According to legend the miraculous split rock was created when God sent a lightning bolt making three giant cracks in the mountain.

Included Excursion
Walking tour of Gaeta

DiscoverMORE
Montecassino Abbey and Matilde Winery (extra expense, must be pre-booked)

Arrives On: 20 Oct 24

Day 10: Sorrento (Italy)

Sorrento is a tempting destination on the Italian coastline, with exceptional sea views, mouthwatering cuisine and bold Italian style. A romantic coastal haven, Sorrento has steep coastal cliffs studded with authentic Italian villas, world-class restaurants with sweeping views of the Bay of Naples and fragrant lemon groves nestled beside tranquil wine bars.

DiscoverMORE
Tour of Capri (extra expense)

Arrives On: 21 Oct 24

Day 11: Sorrento (Italy)

Enjoy an early morning sail to Salerno. Salerno is in the Campania region of southwestern Italy. One of Salerno's key drawcards is the Duomo di Salerno, a historic cathedral dating back to the 11th century. The city also boasts an impressive medieval castle, Castello di Arechi, which offers panoramic views over the city and the Tyrrhenian Sea.

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Guided tour of Pompei (extra expense)
DiscoverMORE
Paestum temples (extra expense)

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Day 11: Salerno (Italy)

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Day 12: Palermo (Italy)

Bold and vibrant, Palermo was under Arabian rule in the 9th and 10th centuries, which left a significant influence on its architecture, culture and cuisine. Palermo is famed for its street food – Must-try dishes include pane e panelle (chickpea fritters) and cannoli, sweet pastry filled with ricotta.

DiscoverMORE
Walking tour of Palermo and tour of Monreale (extra expense)

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Day 13: Porto Empedocle (Italy)

Porto Empedocle, positioned on the Strait of Sicily, is named after the philosopher, poet and politician, Empedocles, who resided there in the 5th century BC. It's a popular holiday haven for beach-loving tourists and is near the Valley of the Temples, the largest archaeological site in the world and an outstanding example of Greater Greece art and architecture.

EmeraldACTIVE
The Valley of the Temples in Agrigento

Arrives On: 24 Oct 24

Day 14: Valletta (Malta)

Valletta, the capital city of Malta, is a living testament to the Baroque period, with well-preserved buildings, ornate churches, and magnificent fortifications. The city is located on a hilly peninsula, offering breathtaking views of the Mediterranean Sea, and Valletta hosts lively markets and festivals.

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Panormic Tour of Malta with wine tasting (extra expense)
DiscoverMORE
Guided tour of Mdina and Valletta (extra expense)

Arrives On: 25 Oct 24

Day 15: Catania (Italy)

Catania is a bustling city located on the east coast of Sicily, Italy. The city's architecture is a blend of ancient and baroque styles, reflected in the glittering white stuccoes that have earned it a place on the UNESCO World Heritage list.

DiscoverMORE
Highlights of Taormina (extra expense)

Arrives On: 26 Oct 24

Day 16: Naples (Italy)

Naples, the regional capital of Campania and the third-largest city in Italy, is a bustling metropolis known for its art, architecture, music, and gastronomy. On the outskirts of Naples lies the infamous Mount Vesuvius, whose eruption in 79 AD led to the preservation of the ancient Roman cities of Pompeii and Herculaneum.

EmeraldPLUS
Walking tour of Naples with entrance of the Royal Palace and stop for a slice of pizza

Arrives On: 27 Oct 24

Day 17: Naples (Italy)

Naples historic city centre is a UNESCO World Heritage Site, boasting an array of medieval, baroque, and renaissance-era churches, castles, and palaces. Whether you're an art lover, history buff, or a foodie, Naples offers a slice of authentic Italian culture and history that's hard to match.

DiscoverMORE
Hike to Mt. Vesuvio (extra expense)

Arrives On: 28 Oct 24

Day 18: Civitavecchia (Italy)

Your luxurious yacht cruise concludes in Civitavecchia, Rome's main seaport, where you'll be transferred to the airport for your flight to the UK or to continue your holiday.

Flight to depart out of Rome after 12:00 PM.

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