Cruise Details

Name:	West Indies Island Hopping
Reference:	EMERALDE05J201227-1
Operator:	Emerald Cruises
Cruise Type:	Ocean
Cruise Rating:	Ultra Luxury
Ship:	Emerald Kaia
Regions:	Caribbean
Departs On:	20 Dec 27
Departs From:	San Juan (Puerto Rico)
Arrives On:	27 Dec 27
Arrives At:	San Juan (Puerto Rico)
Cruise Nights:	7
Total Vacation Days:	8

Itinerary

Day 1: San Juan (Puerto Rico) (Puerto Rico)

Your memorable voyage begins in San Juan, Puerto Rico’s historic capital and the oldest European-founded city in the Americas. From here, you’ll be transferred to your Emerald Cruises luxury yacht and embark on your magical discovery of the Caribbean. Please book your flight to arrive into San Juan prior to 04:00 PM.

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Day 2: Saint John's (Antigua and Barbuda)

Welcome to Cruz Bay, the economic and social hub of St. John, the smallest of the three U.S. Virgin Islands, which are situated amid the Caribbean Sea. Here, a busy inter-island ferry dock connects with the other beautiful islands in the region. The bustling bay is lined with restaurants and shops, while striking Caribbean architecture in Mongoose Junction can be admired on a leisurely stroll through town. In the evening, you’ll set sail to St. Thomas.

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Day 2: Saint Thomas (U.S. Virgin Islands)

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Day 3: Saint Thomas (U.S. Virgin Islands)

Part of the breathtaking Lesser Antilles archipelago, this island reveals mountainous terrain, lush vegetation, and a stunning coastline. Notable places you can discover today on St. Thomas include Charlotte Amalie, the capital, founded by the Danish in the 1600s, or beautiful beaches like Magens Bay and Coki Point Beach, where you can enjoy some excellent snorkelling spots.

Arrives On: 22 Dec 27

Day 4: Gustavia (Saint Barthélemy)

Gustavia is the charming capital and main seaport for the chic Caribbean Island of Saint Barthélemy, also known as St. Barths. Gustavia was named after Sweden’s King Gustav III, who boldly declared it his own island getaway in 1785. In this vibrant town, uncover distinctive treasures in the historic downtown shopping region and photograph the brightly painted, wooden houses. Gustavia is also renowned for its gourmet dining, so be sure to feast on delicious cuisine with a unique blend of French and Creole influences.

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Arrives On: 24 Dec 27

Day 6: Great Harbour, Jost Van Dyke (British Virgin Islands)

Today, you’ll arrive in Jost Van Dyke, the smallest of all four main islands comprising the British Virgin Islands. Covering approximately eight-square-kilometres (three-square-miles), lush and beautiful Jost Van Dyke is known as ‘The Last Virgin Island.’ Discover White Bay Beach, notable for its rugged rocky scenery and colourful local culture. This pretty bay offers one of the loveliest beaches by far to relax and soak up the splendid Caribbean views.

Arrives On: 25 Dec 27

Day 7: Norman Island (British Virgin Islands)

Renowned for its beautiful beaches, crystal-clear waters, and vivid marine life, Norman Island offers a natural playground for a diverse range of activities, including hiking trails and caves to explore. The island also comes steeped in pirate lore, with local legend claiming that this was a favourite hiding spot for pirates to bury their treasure; hence why it is nicknamed ‘Treasure Island’ by locals and visitors alike. Without doubt, this is the perfect destination for those seeking a tranquil and alluring tropical getaway.

Arrives On: 26 Dec 27

Day 8: San Juan (Puerto Rico) (Puerto Rico)

Your time on board your Emerald Cruises luxury yacht concludes, as you cruise back to San Juan, Puerto Rico. After bidding farewell to the crew and guests, from your yacht, you’ll be transferred to the airport for your return flight home, or to continue your holiday. Please book your flight to depart out of San Juan after 01:00 PM. This itinerary is a guide only and may be amended for operational reasons. As such, Emerald Cruises cannot guarantee the cruise will be operated unaltered from the itinerary stated above.

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