



Cruise Details

Name:	Adriatic, the Corinth Canal & the Greek islands
Reference:	EMERALDE16D101026-1
Operator:	Emerald Cruises
Cruise Type:	Ocean
Cruise Rating:	Ultra Luxury
Ship:	Emerald Kaia
Regions:	Mediterranean
Departs On:	10 Oct 26
Departs From:	Dubrovnik
Arrives On:	21 Oct 26
Arrives At:	Piraeus
Cruise Nights:	11
Total Vacation Days:	12

Itinerary

Day 1: Dubrovnik (Croatia)

Your cruise begins in the historic city of Dubrovnik, where you will be transferred to your Emerald Cruises luxury yacht to embark on a voyage discovering fascinating port towns and cities and extraordinary coastlines. Please book your flight to arrive into Dubrovnik prior to 07:00 PM. Docked: overnight

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Day 2: Dubrovnik (Croatia)

Known as the 'Pearl of the Adriatic,' Dubrovnik presents a compelling city set along Croatia's Dalmatian Coast; its walled Old Town presents one of the finest examples of a medieval citadel in Europe. With its storied history and breathtaking views of iconic terracotta rooftops and the alluring Adriatic Sea, Dubrovnik offers visitors the perfect blend of cultural exploration and a relaxing beach holiday. DiscoverMORE Walking tour of Dubrovnik

(extra expense,must be pre-booked)
Embark on a captivating walking tour of Dubrovnik, starting with a scenic coach journey from the pier to Pile Gate. Explore the Franciscan Monastery, where the mesmerizing cloister and Europe's oldest operating pharmacy, dating back to 1317, await your discovery. Admire the exterior of other notable sites, soaking in the rich history and architectural beauty of Dubrovnik. After the guided tour, take advantage of some free time to further explore the town at your own pace, perhaps wandering through charming alleyways or pausing to indulge in local cuisine.
Activity Level: Moderate, Duration:

3.5 hours</p><p>DiscoverMORE
Dalmatian family experience (extra expense, must be pre-booked)
Travel by motorcoach to Cilipi, a quaint village near Dubrovnik. Our experience will begin with a brief stroll through the village alongside our hosts, allowing us to meet the residents and gain insight into their everyday lives. You'll also savor authentic, home-cooked Croatian dishes as we partake in a meal that reflects the daily culinary traditions of our host family.
Activity Level: Easy, Duration: 3 hours</p><p><p>Docked: 08:00 - 18:00</p></p>

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Day 3: Korčula (Croatia)

<p><p>The sixth-largest island in the Adriatic, Korcula, is among the most beloved in Croatia. Its Old Town, referred to by locals as 'Little Dubrovnik', is a delightful mix of medieval churches, palaces, and photogenic squares, while the villages of Cara and Smokvica are renowned for producing the country's signature dry white wine.</p></p><p>DiscoverMORE
A walking tour of Korcula (extra expense)
Discover the rich historical tapestry of Korcula, traverse cobblestone streets through centuries of art and history, visiting 14th- to 16th-century fortifications, the Rector's palace, and the City Museum housed in a 16th-century mansion. Uncover Korcula's vibrant history in the small cathedral, Museum of Icons, and glimpse Marco Polo's believed birthplace.
Activity Level: Moderate, Duration: 2 hours</p><p>DiscoverMORE
Buggy tour (extra expense)
Start your excursion with scenic journey by minibus to explore the captivating Peljesac and Korcula archipelago, reaching the buggy pick-up point. Set off on your two-seater convertible buggy, winding through gravel roads above Lumbarda village, surrounded by picturesque olive groves and vineyards. Discover hidden bays and coves, with the first stops at Lumbarda's renowned Pržina Beach and LaBannya Beach.
Activity Level: Moderate, Duration: 4 hours
Note: All driving guests must have a valid driver's license and minimum of 18 years old. Please wear comfortable shoes, your swimsuit under comfortable clothing and bring a towel if you plan to swim.</p><p><p>Offshore: 08:00 - 18:00</p></p>

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Day 4: Kotor (Montenegro)

Encircled by medieval walls, the fortified city of Kotor is a destination that seamlessly combines ancient history and modern culture. Nestled between imposing mountains and the Adriatic Sea, this UNESCO World Heritage-listed setting is sure to charm with its elegant Venetian palaces, cobblestone lanes and café-hemmed squares. Today choose between our EmeraldACTIVE or DiscoverMORE option.

EmeraldACTIVE
Guided hike of Kotor's city walls
Declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1979, the City Walls of Kotor stretch for almost 5 kilometres, encompassing the city and offering those who embrace the challenge of climbing them, wonderful views of the bay of Kotor and the Old Town. Step back in time as your knowledgeable guide brings to life the history of the fortifications and the important part they played in the protection of the city. Climb to the highest point, where you'll find the well-preserved fortress of St John and be rewarded with a magnificent view of the harbour and the red roofs of the Old Town.
Activity Level: Strenuous, Duration: 2.5 hours

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Our Lady of the Rocks and walking tour of Kotor (extra expense)
Discover the magic of Montenegro with a scenic boat ride across the Bay of Kotor to the legendary Our Lady of the Rocks, a man-made island crowned by a centuries-old church and maritime museum. Continue to the elegant town of Perast, where baroque architecture and waterfront views set the scene for a visit to the Maritime Museum. Conclude your journey in Kotor's Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, with a guided walking tour through its labyrinth of stone lanes, historic churches, and vibrant squares that reveal the city's rich and layered past.
Activity Level: Moderate, Duration: 5.5 hours

EmeraldPLUS
An exclusive concert on board featuring a guitar duo
Embark on a mesmerizing musical journey with two of Montenegro's most celebrated guitarists, Srdjan Bulatovic and Darko Nikcevic. Known for their extraordinary talent and captivating performances, this dynamic duo will treat you to an unforgettable experience filled with soul-stirring melodies and vibrant rhythms.
Duration: 1 hour

Docked: 08:00 - 17:00

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Day 5: Sarandë (Albania)

Today, it's time to rise early in the morning and leave Corfu, setting sail for Sarandë, a popular coastal town perched on a crescent-shaped bay in Albania. The once sleepy fishing village presents a bustling seaside promenade, pebbled beaches and ancient ruins adorned with intricate mosaics and historical artefacts.

Included Excursion
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Your adventure begins as you traverse the serene River Bistrica, meandering through the rocky channels of Cuka, and crossing the vast plains of Vurgu. Your ultimate destination awaits at the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Butrint, a testament to centuries of human civilization. Delve deep into the lower part of Butrint, unravelling its mysteries and stories. Gain insights into the significance of each ancient ruin, from temples to theatres, and envision the bustling life that once thrived within these ancient walls.
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Level: Moderate, Duration: 3 hours

Docked: 12:30 - 17:00

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Day 6: Corfu (Greece)

This ruggedly beautiful Greek island is dotted with whitewashed houses and olive trees and is edged with shimmering turquoise waters. The UNESCO World Heritage-listed Old Town of Corfu has a rich history and magnificent architecture displaying Renaissance and Baroque influences. Explore quaint fishing villages, relax on the many idyllic beaches and coves and stroll through the largest square in Greece, the Spianada.

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Guided walking tour of Corfu town (extra expense)

Commence your adventure by passing through the historic Bonati Arch, an entryway to Corfu's Old Town that sets the stage for a captivating exploration. Discover the Jewish Quarter, where a 300-year-old synagogue bears witness to the rich tapestry of Corfu's past. Marvel at the Venetian stylings of the Town Hall, a masterpiece from the late 1600s that stands as a testament to the island's historical significance. Behold the iconic view of the red-domed bell tower of St. Spyridon Church, a religious landmark dating back to the 16th century.

Activity Level: Moderate, Duration: 2 hours

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4x4 adventure of the Corfiot countryside (self-driving tour, extra expense)

Journey through charming seaside resorts such as Alykes, Kontokali, and Gouvia, where the beauty of the coastal landscape will captivate you. Continue your exploration to the village of Troubetta, where a mountain ridge provides a stunning backdrop showcasing the islands of Mathraki and Othoni. Indulge in the flavours of Greece with a typical Greek meze at Castellino restaurant in Lakones. Your journey culminates at the bay of Paleokastritsa.

Activity Level: Moderate, Duration: 4.5 hours

Note: This is a self-driving tour; a valid driver's license is required. For non EU guests an international driving license is required. Vehicles are all manual transmission and self-driven.

Docked: 21:00 (day prior) - 23:00

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Day 7: Parga (Greece)

On mainland Greece, Parga radiates a carefree holiday atmosphere. Enjoy the sunshine on one of the many gorgeous beaches, explore traditional Greek villages, and marvel at the 11th-century Venetian castle, which offers an incredible bird's eye view of the resort town and sparkling coastline.

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Sightseeing tour of Meteora monasteries including a Greek lunch (extra expense)

Enjoy the scenic drive to Meteora, where the landscape transforms into a breathtaking display of gigantic rocks etched by centuries of wind and weather. Explore two of these remarkable monasteries, each perched atop towering rocks, offering panoramic views of the surrounding landscape. After exploring the Meteora Monasteries, journey to the charming Kalambaka Village and treat your taste buds to a traditional Greek

10.5 hours

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Kayaking Adventure (extra expense)

Our journey commences at the serene Ai Giannakis beach, where we embark on a scenic kayaking route that unveils breathtaking landscapes and enchanting bays. As we navigate the turquoise waters, the captivating natural beauty of the surroundings comes to life, especially as we pass by the striking vertical cliffs. Highlights of the excursion include a visit to Aphrodite's Sea Cave and a leisurely entry into the picturesque harbour of Parga, where we can admire the verdant isle of Panagia. We will take a brief intermission to enjoy a snack and recharge before continuing our adventure. We will paddle through the area's captivating islets before making our way back to our original departure point at Ai Giannakis beach.

Activity Level: Moderate, Duration: 3.5 hours

Docked: 08:00 - 22:00

Day 8: Lefkáda Island (Greece)

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<p><p>Today, sail to the small port of Itea, then start your journey to the archaeological site of Delphi, regarded by the Ancient Greeks as the centre of the world and nowadays, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Next, it's time to sail through the 19th century Corinth Canal, a slender waterway and

feat of engineering that crosses the Isthmus of Corinth in Greece to the Saronic Gulf. </p></p><p>DiscoverMORE
Guided tour of Delphi (extra expense)
Enjoy an extraordinary journey from the picturesque town of Itea to the legendary sanctuary of Apollo, where the renowned oracle once spoke. Step into the rich history of Delphi as you explore the ancient Sanctuary of Apollo and the Delphi Museum, a treasure trove of antiquities that transport you back in time.
Activity Level: Strenuous, Duration: 4 hours </p><p><p>Docked: 08:00 - 14:00</p></p>

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Day 10: Delos (Greece)

<p><p>A small rocky island in the heart of the Cyclades archipelago, Delos is regarded as one of the most important mythological and archaeological sites in Greece. In the afternoon, you'll venture to Mykonos. This world-famous island's allure lies in its blend of traditional Greek culture and cosmopolitan flair. Take a stroll through the winding narrow streets of atmospheric Mykonos Town, where you can admire the trademark whitewashed dwellings adorned with vibrant blue doors and visit the island's historic windmills.</p></p><p>Included Excursion
Guided tour of Delos
Set foot on a journey to the sacred island of Delos, a cradle of ancient Greek mythology and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Delos holds a unique place in history, believed to be the birthplace of Apollo and Artemis. Explore the extensive site, where each step reveals the layers of history, from ancient sanctuaries to the remnants of prosperous civilizations.
Activity Level: Moderate, Duration: 2.3 hours </p><p>DiscoverMORE
Island tour of Mykonos, Ano Mera Monastery and wine tasting experience (extra expense)
Begin your adventure in the traditional village of Ano Mera and explore the 16th-century Monastery of Panagia Tourliani, dedicated to Mykonos' patron saint. Admire intricate icons depicting scenes from the New Testament and unravel the monastery's rich history. Indulge your senses in the flavours of Greece with a wine tasting experience at a Mykonian Farm. Conclude your tour in the iconic Mykonos town, a labyrinth of whitewashed buildings and narrow streets.
Activity Level: Moderate, Duration: 4 hours </p><p><p>Docked/Offshore: 12:30 - 06:00 (next day)</p></p>

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Day 10: Mykonos (Greece)

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Day 11: Páros (Greece)

Paros is one of the prettiest Greek islands in the heart of the Aegean Sea. Its verdant green landscape captivates with abundant vineyards and orchards laden with citrus fruits and pomegranates. Wander the winding streets of the capital Parikia, where you will see the quintessential Cycladic architecture and quaint whitewashed houses adorned with bright blue doors and window boxes brimming with blooming bougainvillea.

DiscoverMORE Lefkes and Naoussa with wine tasting (extra expense)

Our adventure begins in the picturesque village of Lefkes, a hidden gem nestled amidst the breathtaking beauty of Paros and once the island's vibrant capital. From there, make your way to the quaint fishing village of Naoussa, where you can meander through its inviting alleyways and lively harbour. The highlight of your journey awaits at a century-old winery, where you'll embark on a guided tour that offers a behind-the-scenes glimpse into the art of winemaking on Paros. As the tour concludes, settle into the atmospheric surroundings of the underground cellars or on the terrace for a private tasting experience unlike any other.

Activity Level: Easy to Moderate, Duration: 4.10 hours

Offshore: 10:30 - 18:00

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Day 12: Piraeus (Greece)

Your luxurious yacht cruise concludes in the history-laden capital, Athens, the birthplace of democracy and Western civilisation. Here, you will be transferred to the airport for your return flight home or to continue your holiday.

Please book your flight to depart out of Athens after 01:00 PM.

Docked: 06:00

*Please verify with the Shore Excursion Manager onboard whether a DiscoverMORE tour is available on disembarkation day.

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