

Cruise Details

Name: Pearls of Southern Spain & Portugal

Reference: EMERALDE27M280926-2

Operator: Emerald Cruises

Cruise Type: Ocean

Cruise Rating: Ultra Luxury

Ship: Emerald Sakara

Regions: Mediterranean

Departs On: 28 Sep 26
Departs From: Barcelona

Arrives On: 08 Oct 26
Arrives At: Lisbon

Cruise Nights: 10
Total Vacation Days: 11

Itinerary

Day 1: Barcelona (Spain)

Your marvellous cruise begins in Barcelona, the cosmopolitan capital of Spain's Catalonia region. Here, you'll be transferred to your Emerald Cruises luxury yacht for the start of a memorable journey along the Mediterranean coasts. Please book your flight to arrive into Barcelona prior to 01:00 PM.

Arrives On: 28 Sep 26

Day 2: Mahón, Menorca (Spain)

The historic port city of Mahón is the capital Menorca, one of Spain's stunning, though lesser-known, Balearic Islands. Mahón is known for its uniquely shaped, naturally deep harbour, ranked among the largest in the world and its delightful Old Town. This compelling city is also famed for its markets, eateries and cuisine; the birthplace of mayonnaise (named after the city) and its local speciality, Mahón, a bold-flavoured, semi-firm cow's milk cheese.

Arrives On: 29 Sep 26

Day 3: Palma de Mallorca (Spain)

Set on the beautiful island of Mallorca and the capital of Spain's Balearic Islands, Palma de Mallorca, is a city steeped in history and brimming with remarkable architecture. One of Palma's most notable landmarks is the stunning Cathedral of Santa Maria, which overlooks the Bay of Palma. Dating back to the 13th century, this masterpiece of Gothic architecture boasts one of the largest rose windows — a decorated circular window with stained glass — in the world.

Arrives On: 30 Sep 26

Day 4: Ibiza (Spain)

lbiza's party scene is legendary, attracting thousands of revellers each year from across the world. This gorgeous Balearic Island, lying just off the coast of Spain, has become synonymous with electronic dance music, a jetsetters lifestyle and late-night revelry. Despite its hedonistic reputation however, Ibiza also promotes responsible tourism, with initiatives to ensure the island's natural beauty, including beautiful sandy coves backed by pine-clad hills, is preserved for future generations.

Arrives On: 01 Oct 26

Day 5: Cartagena (Spain)

As a major naval station on the Mediterranean coast, Cartagena has been greatly influenced by various cultures over the centuries. This historical crossroads of civilisations is evident in the city's diverse architectural styles from the Roman era to Art Nouveau. A must-see landmark is the ancient Roman Theatre, unearthed in 1987 and restored for public viewing.

Arrives On: 02 Oct 26

Day 6: Málaga (Spain)

Málaga was founded by the Phoenicians and has been under the rule of various civilisations, including the Romans and Moors, each leaving their mark on the city's culture and architecture. Several historical sites and landmarks that are worth exploring in Málaga, including the Alcazaba, a Moorish fortress overlooking the city, and the nearby Roman Theatre.

Arrives On: 03 Oct 26

Day 7: Tangier (Morocco)

Guarding the slender Strait of Gibraltar, Tangier has been Europe's gateway to Africa for centuries, welcoming with an intoxicating blend of exotic cultures and influences unique to

Morocco. Built on the slopes of a chalky limestone hill, the Old Town, filled with charming narrow streets and houses bearing eclectic styles, is dominated by a Kasbah, the Sultan's Palace, now a museum of Moroccan art, and the Great Mosque – all, must-see attractions.

Arrives On: 04 Oct 26

Day 8: Seville (Spain)

Located in the valley of the Guadalquivir River, Seville is the stunning capital city of Andalusia and birthplace of Flamenco

Arrives On: 05 Oct 26

Day 9: Seville (Spain)

During the Spanish conquest of the American continent, Seville was an important harbour but nowadays, this city is famed worldwide for its distinctive Andalusian culture, monuments, traditions and artistic heritage.

Arrives On: 06 Oct 26

Day 10: Portimão (Portugal)

Situated at the mouth of the Arade River, which flows into the Atlantic Ocean, Portimão harbours a long fishing tradition that developed predominately between the 19th and 20th centuries with the advent of the canning industry and tourism. Most of the buildings that you see in the streets and squares of the historic centre originate from this period. Portimão is known for its excellent sandy beaches lapped by warm, calm waters, making this quite the alluring holiday destination.

Arrives On: 07 Oct 26

Day 11: Lisbon (Portugal)

Your luxurious yacht cruise concludes in Lisbon, Portugal's hilly coastal city and capital, where 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 Lisbon after 01:00PM.The itinerary is a guide only and may be amended for operational reasons.As such Emerald Cruises cannot guarantee the cruise will operated unaltered from the itinerary states above. Please refer to our terms and conditions for further information.

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