



Cruise Details

Name:	Festive Holidays With The Scent Of Tropical Nature
Reference:	HAPAGEUR2900
Operator:	Hapag-Lloyd Cruises
Cruise Type:	Ocean
Cruise Rating:	Luxury
Ship:	MS EUROPA
Regions:	Panama Canal
Departs On:	17 Dec 28
Departs From:	Colón
Arrives On:	03 Jan 29
Arrives At:	Panama City
Cruise Nights:	17
Total Vacation Days:	18

Itinerary

Day 1: Colón (Panama)

Arrives On: 17 Dec 28

Day 4: Cartagena (Colombia)

A city full of history and zest for life lies on the Caribbean coast of Colombia: Cartagena de Indias, often referred to as one of the most beautiful cities in South America. Founded in 1533, the “queen of Colombia’s coast” quickly developed into an important trading centre and is now a modern port with historical charm. Salsa beats, a gentle sea breeze and vibrant colours contribute to the atmosphere. The old town has cobbled streets, colonial buildings and exotic plazas to offer. At Plaza de Bolivar, behind the clock tower called Monumento Torre del Reloj, you can stop to sample local Colombian delicacies. The ship will stay overnight – perfect for enjoying your time to the fullest.

Arrives On: 20 Dec 28

Day 5: Cartagena (Colombia)

Arrives On: 21 Dec 28

Day 7: Port information not found

The daytime passage through the Panama Canal is a unique experience that takes visitors right through one of the world's most important engineering masterpieces. With its impressive locks, the canal connects the Atlantic and Pacific oceans and offers spectacular views of the lush tropical landscape. The famous locks of Miraflores and Gatun play a crucial role in the crossing and allow you to directly experience how nature and technology interact in a fascinating way. Sailing through the Panama Canal is more than just a passage – it is an insight into the heart of a global transport network that connects the world more closely together.

Arrives On: 23 Dec 28

Day 10: Puerto Jimenez, Costa Rica (Costa Rica)

In southern Costa Rica, Puerto Jimenez is the gateway to Corcovado National Park, famous for its dense rainforests and beautiful beaches. But the former gold mining town itself also boasts impressive exotic charm, hospitality and tropical surroundings. Perhaps you would like to spend a few relaxing hours on the beach or uncover the secrets of the jungle?

Arrives On: 26 Dec 28

Day 13: Puntarenas (Costa Rica)

Arrives On: 29 Dec 28

Day 14: Puntarenas (Costa Rica)

In western Costa Rica, on the Gulf of Nicoya, Puntarenas invites you to relax, explore and enjoy its lively atmosphere, historic architecture and authentic gastronomic scene. A stroll along the Malecon waterfront promenade offers wonderful views. Gaze out over the Pacific Ocean and treat yourself to a break in one of the excellent fish restaurants serving ceviche, a regional speciality. The surrounding area offers beautiful beaches and unique nature experiences. Whether you opt for extensive sunbathing or outdoor activities, Puntarenas offers a wide range of opportunities for unforgettable experiences.

Arrives On: 30 Dec 28

Day 17: Panama City (Panama)

A fascinating mix of modern elegance and tropical charm awaits visitors to Panama City. The imposing skyline rises above the blue sea, an impressive contrast to the Casco Viejo, the historic old town: colourfully restored buildings and flower-filled courtyards with charming cafes, galleries and squares invite you to while away some time. A walk along the Cinta Costera promenade offers marvellous views of the sea and the city. Vibrant city life combined with exotic flair – Panama City offers an unforgettable urban experience.

Arrives On: 02 Jan 29

Day 18: Panama City (Panama)

Arrives On: 03 Jan 29

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