



Cruise Details

Name:	Mediterranean Wonders: French & Italian Rivas
Reference:	SCENIC131M310526-1
Operator:	Scenic Ocean Cruises
Cruise Type:	Ocean
Cruise Rating:	Ultra Luxury
Ship:	Scenic Eclipse II
Regions:	Mediterranean
Departs On:	31 May 26
Departs From:	Nice
Arrives On:	07 Jun 26
Arrives At:	Civitavecchia
Cruise Nights:	7
Total Vacation Days:	8

Itinerary

Day 1: Nice (France)

Welcome to France and the bustling city of Nice, one of the most famous ports of the Côte d'Azur. It's been a popular tourist destination since the 1700s and offers an intriguing blend of French and Italian cultures, thanks to its location close to the border. Scenic Eclipse II will be waiting for you alongside the multi-million-dollar superyachts in the marina. Be welcomed on board by your expert crew, meet your butler and take some time to settle into your spacious verandah suite. Join your fellow guests on the Sky Deck to watch the sun set over the picturesque waterfront as you sail away. Please book your flight to arrive into Nice prior to 02:00 PM. Docked: 19:00

Arrives On: 31 May 26

Day 2: Cannes (France)

Welcome to the cinematic capital of the world! While the famed Cannes Film Festival will have just finished, you'll still be able to feel the excitement in the city as you indulge in the picture-perfect streets exuding subtle movie magic.

Explore haute-couture boutiques, relax on striped sun loungers along the beach, or sip cocktails at chic beachside bars. There's plenty of history and culture to be found in this coastal enclave, but it's really a place to relax and soak up the champagne lifestyle that plays out alongside the sparkling Mediterranean every day.

Scenic Freechoice:

Cannes by Foot: Take a guided tour to the church of Le Suquet. Visit Fortville, a colourful produce market, and stroll la Promenade de la Croisette.

Visit to a Perfume Factory & Picnic Lunch: Visit Grasse, the Capital of Perfume. Take an exclusive tour of a perfume factory, then enjoy a picnic at a nearby country house.

Delights of Cannes: Explore the Old Town of Cannes. Taste local favourites like socca and rosé while exploring Cannes' apéritif culture, then enjoy a hands-on moment making tapenade, aioli and a refreshing soft drink.

Wine Tasting at Chateau St Martin: Escape to the Chateau St Martin in Taradeau. Discover its rich history and sample wonderful local wines.

Offshore: 22:00 (day prior) - 18:00

Arrives On: 01 Jun 26

Day 3: Menton (France)

Situated between Monaco and Italy, this charming seaside town is renowned for its breathtaking beauty and elegant charm. It's known as the Pearl of France and its pastel-hued buildings, unique architecture and lush gardens capture the intoxicating essence of the French Riviera. Explore the narrow streets, stroll along the palm-fringed promenade overlooking the azure Mediterranean Sea, or relax in one of the town's picturesque gardens.

Scenic Freechoice:

Eze & Cap Ferrat: Enjoy a drive to Eze to explore its charming village and Exotic Garden, then continue to Cap Ferrat to visit the stunning Villa Ephrussi de Rothschild and gardens.

Grasse & St. Paul de Vence: Discover Grasse, the perfume capital, with a guided tour of its historic factory, then explore Saint Paul de Vence's artistic hilltop charm. Stroll cobbled lanes, browse galleries and absorb Riviera elegance.

Walking Tour of Menton & Tasting: Explore Menton, the 'Pearl of France', on a captivating walk past the Light House and Bastion. Enjoy a local produce tasting of lemon products at 'La Maison du Citron' and visit the City Hall wedding room with Cocteau's impressive art.

Offshore: 22:00 (day prior) - 18:00

Arrives On: 02 Jun 26

Day 4: Portovenere (Italy)

Dubbed the 'sixth' Cinque Terre town, Porto Venere is a World Heritage-listed site that has extraordinary rocky coastlines, narrow streets winding through a medieval town centre, and sweeping Mediterranean views. Porto Venere is a hidden gem that is mostly off the tourist trail,

allowing you the space to relax and experience the town for all that it is. Previously used as a Roman naval station, there is a lot of history for you to explore along this jagged coastline. Popular poets and writers such as Byron, Shelley and Lawrence are known to have fallen in love with the picturesque harbour.

Scenic Freechoice:

Walking Tour of Porto Venere: Wander Porto Venere's medieval streets from the Roman gateway, exploring Carugio Capellini's shops, the Palazzata waterfront, San Pietro Church, Byron's grotto and San Lorenzo Church with its mystical Madonna Bianca art.

Cinque Terre by Private Boat: Explore Cinque Terre's UNESCO beauty from Porto Venere, cruising to Monterosso for a guided walk and pesto bruschetta with wine, then Vernazza's photogenic harbour. Enjoy free time before a scenic return.

Discover Pisa: Discover Pisa's rich heritage with a guided tour of the iconic Piazza dei Miracoli, home to the Cathedral, Baptistery, Leaning Tower and Holy Field. Learn about the city's history and visit the ancient cemetery.

Hike Palmaria Island: Enjoy a scenic hike on beautiful Palmaria Island, taking in stunning coastal views and natural landscapes. Experience the island's peaceful trails and discover its unique flora and panoramic vistas.

Docked: 08:00 - 18:00

Arrives On: 03 Jun 26

Day 5: Livorno (Italy)

The vibrant city of Livorno has been welcoming sailors and traders from around the globe for over 400 years. As one of Italy's most cosmopolitan cities, Livorno serves as the gateway to the magnificent Tuscany region, renowned for its picturesque landscapes, delectable cuisine, and rich artistic heritage. Located conveniently close to Florence and Pisa, Livorno offers easy access to these iconic destinations.

Explore the enchanting 17th century district of Venezia Nuova, delight your senses at the bustling Central Market or wander along the grand Terrazza Magascani overlooking the waterfront.

Scenic Freechoice:

The Best of Florence & Pisa: Immerse in the magic of Tuscany with a visit to Florence, the birthplace of the Renaissance, and Pisa, famous for its iconic Leaning Tower. Explore Florence's charming streets and marvel at its breathtaking art and architecture.

Full Day Tour to Cinque Terre: Discover the stunning UNESCO-protected Cinque Terre National Park, known for its terraced vineyards and charming seaside villages. Start with a train ride from Levanto to Vernazza, a quaint fishing village, then enjoy a scenic boat cruise along the rugged coast to Monterosso al Mare.

San Gimignano & Wine Tasting: Meet your guide for a tour of the medieval hillside town of San Gimignano. Renowned for its beautiful towers, San Gimignano's charm is evident throughout its sunny streets. Once your tour has concluded, explore on your own before proceeding to a nearby wine property, where you'll enjoy lunch and a sampling of local wines.

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Concert at the Emblematic Theatre Goldoni with the Incanto Quartet: Experience an evening of operatic splendour at the renowned Teatro Goldoni, where Italy's rich cultural legacy comes alive through stirring performances by the Incanto Quartet, a group of four opera singers. Set within this 18th-century

marvel of architecture, you'll be captivated by powerful, timeless melodies that resonate with the elegance and artistry of Italian opera.

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Day 6: Bastia (France)

France's second busiest cruise port (after Calais) and one of the busiest in the Mediterranean, Bastia is the gateway to the island of Corsica. The name comes from the word 'bastion', which is tied to the Genoese fortress that was built here in the 14th century and now houses the interesting Musee de Bastia. The old town is split into two parts; Terra Vecchia around the harbour and Terra Nova in the high-walled citadel above. The narrow laneways are lined with impressive churches, grand public buildings, charmingly jumbled apartment buildings and leafy squares.

Scenic Freechoice:

Nebio, Patrimonio & Wine Tasting: Enjoy a scenic drive along Corsica's coast to the charming town of St. Florent, passing vineyards, hilltop villages and stunning sea views. Stroll through the town at your leisure before savouring local wines in the famed Patrimonio region.

Cap Corse: Explore Cap Corse's wild beauty, visiting Genoese towers, authentic marinas, Nonza's cliffside views and Patrimonio's renowned vineyards. Enjoy a scenic drive over Teghime Pass, immersing in Corsica's heritage and landscapes.

Highlights of Bastia: Enjoy a guided walk through Bastia's historic quarters, from lively squares to baroque churches and the hilltop citadel. After exploring key landmarks, take time to soak in the city's authentic Corsican charm at your own pace.

Hike in Bastia: Visit Bastia's Oratoire de Monserato, home to the rare Scala Santa, one of only seven holy staircases worldwide, modelled after Rome's famous steps.

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Day 7: Porto Cervo (Italy)

Nestled in the heart of Sardinia's Costa Smeralda, this paradisiacal town blends romantic, traditional architecture with vibrant Mediterranean beauty. Built as a millionaire's playground by Prince Aga Khan in the 1960s, Porto Cervo oozes luxury with high-end boutiques, stylish restaurants, glamorous nightclubs, world-class golf courses, sumptuous hotels and golden beaches. Very few passenger ships visit Porto Cervo, so you could have this chic town all to yourself, but look out for celebrities on the waiting superyachts or strolling the streets.

Scenic Freechoice:

Villages of Sardinia & Coddu Vecchiu Giant's Tomb: Embark a scenic walk through San Pantaleo and the ancient Giants' Tomb at Coddu Vecchiu, ending with a relaxing stop in Baja Sardinia.

Sardinian Wine Tasting: Set off from Porto Cervo for a scenic drive to the charming village of San Pantaleo, nestled among Sardinia's granite peaks. Then visit a local estate for a guided tasting of regional wines

before a relaxing return through the countryside.

Walking Tour of Porto Cervo: Enjoy a brief trolley-train ride to Stella Maris Church for stunning views over Costa Smeralda, then stroll through Porto Cervo's elegant marina and charming streets before some free time to explore at your own pace.</p><p>Offshore: 08:00 - 18:00</p>

Arrives On: 06 Jun 26

Day 8: Civitavecchia (Italy)

<p>Your journey concludes this morning in Civitavecchia, an ancient port dating back to the 2nd century and the gateway to Rome. Explore the timeless beauty of the Eternal City, where crumbling monuments and elaborate churches sit alongside busy cafes and designer boutiques, and every corner tells a story of empires past. </p><p>After savouring a final delightful breakfast on board, it will be time to disembark and commence your onward journey or return home, carrying cherished memories with you. </p><p>Please book your flight to depart out of Rome after 12:00 PM.</p><p>Docked: 06:00</p><p>+All drinks on board, including those stocked in your mini bar, are included, except for a very small number of rare, fine and vintage wines, Champagnes and spirits. #Spa treatments at additional cost. </p><p>Helicopter not operational in France. Submersible not operational in Europe.</p><p>Please note the itinerary is a guide and may be subject to changes for operational reasons. Please refer to our terms and conditions for further information. </p>

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