



CRUISE OF 6 DAYS / 5 NIGHTS - REF. SVS_PP

Amazing Andalusia: Enchanting Villages, Traditional Architecture, and Fabulous Cuisine (port-to-port cruise)

SEVILLE - CADIZ - EL PUERTO DE SANTA MARIA - ISLA MINIMA - SEVILLE

Seville—an exemplary city in Spanish history, where Christian and Muslim cultures have cohabited in veritable peace in the past—contains impressive architectural wonders such as the Palacio de las Dueñas. A captivating tour of the Pueblos Blancos in Andalusia. Vejer de la Frontera, a hilltop town with whitewashed homes, and the contrast of the blue water and white facades in Conil de la Frontera. A glimpse of Andalusian culture enhanced by a tasting of local products.

CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS

- All excursions included
 - Lively Seville, its cathedral, and the Palacio de las Dueñas
 - Cádiz, the heart of flamenco
 - Visit a typical Andalusian hacienda in Isla Minima
 - Pueblos Blancos: The white villages of Vejer de la Frontera and Conil de la Frontera
 - Delicious regional specialties:
 - Wine tasting and tapas in a bodega
 - Snack on authentic churros

CRUISE PROGRAM (6 DAYS / 5 NIGHTS)



Day 1 : SEVILLE

Passengers are welcome to board our ship at 6 p.m. We'll introduce our crew at a welcome cocktail. The rest of the evening is yours to do as you please.



Day 2 : SEVILLE - CADIZ

Seville is an exemplary city in Spanish history, as Christian and Muslim cultures have cohabited in veritable peace throughout its past. The Andalusian capital simply oozes joy and liveliness on each of its streets and squares in the old city, and its architecture is testimony to its diverse heritage.

This morning, join us for a tour of Seville and discovery of the Alcazar. We'll leave by coach for Seville. We'll start off our visit with the azulejos that adorn the Plaza de España before we move on to the Santa Cruz district. Sheltered behind the former perimeter wall, what used to be the Jewish district belongs to the historic heart of the city and is surrounded by the most famous buildings of the Andalusian capital. Afterwards, we'll discover the Alcazar, one of the oldest Royal Palaces in Europe.

In the afternoon, we'll begin to cruise towards Cádiz. We'll pass in front of the Doñana National Park, a UNESCO biosphere natural reserve, which spreads along the right bank of the river to its estuary. Located between the European and African continents, the reserve is one of the most important wet zones in the area and attracts several million migrating birds a year.

We'll arrive in Cádiz this evening.



Day 3 : CADIZ - The Pueblos Blancos of Vejer de la Frontera and Conil de la Frontera

This morning, we'll set out on a guided tour of Cádiz. The lovely city of Cádiz is tucked between lavish lagoons, sprawling beaches, and rich salt marshes. The city was once inhabited by the Phoenicians and Greeks and has been able to preserve its historic charm among its white walls. The sinuous streets in the medieval quarter contrast the straight and orderly streets found in the Baroque-style area.

This afternoon, join us for a visit to admire the Pueblos Blancos in Vejer de la Frontera and Conil de la Frontera. Vejer de la Frontera is one of the most captivating "white villages" in Andalusia. Every corner seems to be filled with colorful sights and fascinating spots to explore. Our next stop will be the fishing village of Conil de la Frontera. This coastal town is the apex of beauty among the Pueblos Blancos. White houses with beautifully decorated patios and walls make the city a must-see for any traveler. At the end of our tour, we'll enjoy a snack of delicious churros dipped in chocolate. After our excursion, we'll return on board the ship. Tonight, we'll enjoy a Spanish-themed dinner and evening of flamenco. Our ship will cruise to El Puerto de Santa Maria.



Day 4 : EL PUERTO DE SANTA MARIA - ISLA MINIMA

This morning, we'll visit the Osborne bodega and taste the local wines.* We'll leave on foot with our host/hostess for the Osborne Bodega, where we'll enjoy a tasting of three different wines along with some regional products. As with most European cultures, wine has a distinct place in Andalusian culture. The exceptional climate conditions help produce the famous Jerez-Xérès-Sherry.

We'll spend the afternoon cruising to Isla Minima. At the end of the afternoon, we will visit a typical Andalusian hacienda in Isla Minima, located on the banks of the Guadalquivir River. The hacienda was originally a bull-raising ranch. At the beginning of the 1940s, the Escobar family settled across the whole area and founded Finca Isla Minima. It was the ideal location to raise wild bulls and Carthusian horses because of the quality of its pastures. Over the years it has become a model ranch. We'll return to the ship after the show and cast off for Seville.



Day 5 : SEVILLE

This morning, we'll tour the Palacio de las Dueñas. Built between the 15th and 16th centuries, Las Dueñas was named after the former monastery of Santa María de las Dueñas. It has several buildings, courtyards, and gardens. We will tour the stables, lemon-tree courtyard, main courtyard, and Gypsy Hall—which was once the center of social life in the palace. Many of the other rooms we will see illustrate the fundamental activities found in Andalusian culture, including bullfighting and flamenco dancing.

After our excursion, we'll return on board for lunch. Enjoy a free afternoon in Seville, and take advantage of this time to discover the city at your own pace. We suggest a stroll through the historic center to take in the full ambiance of the city.

OR

Optional excursion (not included in package): Full-day trip to Grenada (available only through reservation before departure). We will leave by coach for a full-day tour of Grenada (driving time is approximately 3 hours round trip). We'll visit the Alhambra, the Palacio de Generalife, and the historic center of the city. Ringed by the imposing mountainous barrier of the Sierra Nevada, Grenada is built across three hills. Its most beautiful treasure is the Alhambra. The city's cuisine, handicrafts, and architecture have all been marked by its glorious past. We will return to our ship by coach.

Tonight is our festive gala evening.



Day 6 : SEVILLE

Enjoy breakfast on board this morning before disembarking at 9:00 a.m. End of our services.

This offer includes

the cruise with all meals from dinner the first evening to breakfast on the final day
- accommodations in double-occupancy cabin with shower in private bathroom
- excursions mentioned in the program - an evening of flamenco - all onboard beverages (not including the special lists) - assistance from our onboard multi-lingual host/hostess - onboard entertainment - gala dinner - travel assistance and repatriation insurance - all port fees.

This offer does not include

Drinks from our special lists or drinks ordered during excursions or transfers (full-day excursions with lunches in restaurants are the exception) - excursion to Grenada - cancellation and baggage insurance.

Transport

Port-to-port cruise without transfers

Requirements

Valid passport required. Non-EU nationals are advised to consult their embassy or consulate.

THE CROISIEUROPE DIFFERENCE

- **All meals included - DRINKS INCLUDED** with meals and at the bar
- Refined French cuisine - **Gala dinner and evening** - Welcome cocktail
- **Free Wi-Fi** onboard
- Headsets are included for excursions
- Official welcome from the captain and crew
- Onboard activities
- Travel assistance and repatriation insurance
- All port fees included

MENTIONS

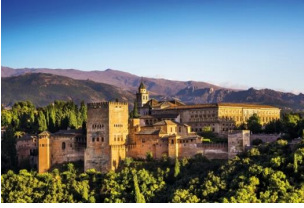
PLEASE NOTE: For safety reasons, the company and/or the captain of the ship are the only authorities who can modify the cruise itinerary.

*Alcohol can be dangerous to your health. Please drink in moderation.

EXCURSIONS

Day 5

1 Excursion (s)



Guided tour of Granada and the Alhambra (full day with lunch included) *(Optional)*

Duration : 14h30

Classic



Day