



Croatia – North Dalmatia Nature Park by Bike and Boat (2025)
Individual Self-Guided Tour
8 days / 7 nights



Violet sage, deep green pine forests and the blue of the Adriatic: These colours dominate the stunning coastal region in northern Dalmatia. On this cruise you take the bike whenever possible to discover the beauty of Croatia: Small hidden bathing bays and idyllic fishing villages in Dalmatia's national parks. Jump into the crystal-clear water from the boat's deck and soak up the rays of the sun. One of the highlights of your boat and bike cruise will be your visit of the picturesque Krka waterfalls in the national park with the same name. The river drops down over 17 cascades. In the Kornati national park, 125 small and large mostly uninhabited islands await you, which are spread out in front of the Dalmatian coast. You will cycle through fragrant forests and enjoy fantastic views of the open sea with small islands and colourful boats on the horizon. The cruise with bike to Dalmatia's national parks is pure relaxation in one of Croatia's most beautiful regions.

You can choose from three different categories when booking a bike & boat holiday in Croatia: In the standard category you sail on the Dalmatino motor sailing boat. You'll find more luxury in the Premium Category on the Carpe diem motor sailing boat. And if you want to treat yourself to the top category, select Deluxe - and the Voyage motor yacht is your ship!



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Itinerary Day to Day

Day 1: Individual arrival to Zadar – Molat island (boat), Bike tour on the island of Molat, approx. 15 km, Molat – Zverinac island (boat)

Embarkation between 11.30 a.m. and 1.00 p.m. in Zadar. The tour guide will welcome you with a welcome drink and a small snack. After arriving in the fishing village of Molat, we cycle from the jetty to the village of Zapuntel and back to Molat. We then set sail again and head for the island of Zverinac. Dinner on board and overnight stay in Zverinac.

Day 2: Zverinac island – Dugi Otok island (boat), Bike tour on the island of Dugi Otok, approx. 55 / 30 km, Brbinj – Sali (boat)

After breakfast, we weigh anchor and set sail for Božava on the island of Dugi Otok. The island got its name „long island“ for a reason – with a length of around 44 km, it is often only a few hundred meters wide. We unload the bikes from the deck and set off for the Veli Rat lighthouse, which marks the north-western end of the island. We then continue



to Brbinj, where we have lunch on board. After lunch, you can decide whether you want to continue by bike or by boat to Sali, the main and administrative town of the island of Dugi Otok.

Day 3: Excursion to the nature park Telašćica, approx. 20 km, Sali – Šibenik (boat)

After breakfast, we cycle from Sali to the Telašćica Nature Park, an approximately 8 km deep bay in the south of the island. Here we take a walk past lush Mediterranean vegetation to the saltwater lake, which is connected to the sea underground. From here, we also reach the cliffs, which are up to 161 m high and offer breathtaking views of the sea. After returning to Sali, we set sail again and enjoy lunch on board. After a break for a swim, we set course for the Kornati Islands National Park and enjoy the tranquillity of the national park, which consists of 125 mostly uninhabited, sometimes barren islands and islets. After a good four hours we reach Šibenik.

Day 4: Šibenik – Skradin (boat), Skradin – National Park Krka – Vodice, approx. 45 km or excursion to the National Park Krka, approx. 10 km, Skradin – Vodice (boat)

After breakfast, we travel up the Krka River and moor in Skradin, just before the Krka waterfalls. We cycle to the „Skradinski Buk“, at 800 m the longest and probably most famous part of the waterfalls. An

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impressive natural spectacle, as here the Krka falls in 17 steps with cascades up to 100 m wide. After a stop in the area of the waterfalls, we cycle back to Skradin to have lunch on board. Then it's up to you again to decide whether you want to take the boat directly to the popular vacation resort of Vodice or cycle up the 100-metre-high Mount Okit and then to Vodice.



Day 5: Vodice – Betina – Bay Podvrške (Murter island), approx. 25 km

Today we first get to know a coastal strip with numerous offshore islets – from Vodice we cycle to Tribunj. This picturesque little town is located on an island that is connected to the mainland by a natural stone bridge. After a break, we continue to Tisno, where we take a coffee break. In Tisno, a lift bridge takes us to the island of Murter, and we cycle along the sea to Betina. Betina is a place with a long tradition of wooden shipbuilding and here we also have the opportunity to visit the museum of wooden shipbuilding. Our tour continues to Murter, where we have the opportunity to have lunch. Then it is only a few kilometers to Podvrške bay with a beautiful pebble beach, where our boat is already waiting for us.

Day 6: Murter island – Biograd (boat), Excursion to the nature reserve Vransko Jezero, approx. 30 km, Biograd – Tkon (boat) After breakfast, the boat takes us to Biograd na moru in just over an hour, where we unload our bikes again. We cycle first to Pakoštane and on to the ornithologically significant nature and bird sanctuary of Lake Vrana (Vransko jezero). In the village of Vrana, we stop for lunch at the former caravanserai Maškovića Han, which was built in the 17th century when Vrana was under the rule of the Ottoman Empire. Maškovića Han is now a heritage hotel and restaurant, where we have the opportunity to have lunch. We then sail along Lake Vrana via Pakoštane back to Biograd. We set sail again and cross over to Tkon on the island of Pašman, just 15 minutes away.

Day 7: Bike tour across the islands of Pašman and Ugljan, approx. 30 km, Preko – Zadar (boat)

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Today we „cycle“ to two islands at once - Pašman and Ugljan. From Tkon, we cycle via Pašman to the bridge that connects the two islands. At lunchtime we arrive in Preko, where we have lunch on board our boat before enjoying a last swimming break. We then cross over to nearby Zadar, where our tour guide awaits you for a guided tour of the old town, which is situated on a peninsula and surrounded by mighty walls.

Day 8: Individual departure from Zadar Disembarkation takes place after breakfast until 09:00.

Afterwards you start your individual journey home or transfer to the airport.



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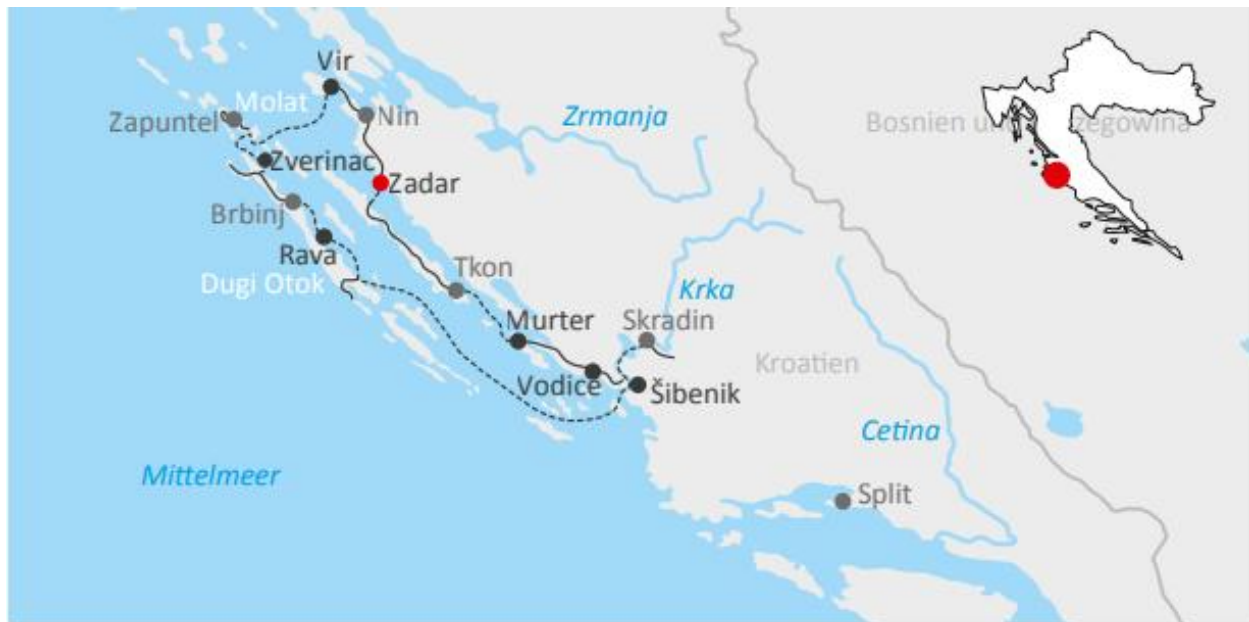
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Route



Technical Characteristics:

Tour Profile: Average. You'll be cycling mostly along paved paths, which when outside of the peak holiday season, are quiet. The route includes some more intense inclines. A certain level of basic fitness is required; if you like you can spend half or whole days on board, swimming, relaxing and sunbathing.

Distance: 170 km

Travel Season: Saturdays 03.05-11.10

Season A 03.05. – 24.05. 11.10.

Season B 31.05. 04.10.

Season C 07.06. – 28.06. 27.09.

Season D 05.07. – 02.08. 20.09.

Season E 09.08. – 13.09.

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Price per Person in Euros *all prices subject to confirmation on booking*

Double Occupancy Main Deck Season A	€ 949
Double Occupancy Main Deck Season B	€ 1049
Double Occupancy Main Deck Season C	€ 1099
Double Occupancy Main Deck Season D	€ 1149
Double Occupancy Main Deck Season E	€ 1199
SURCHARGE double cabin upper deck	€69
E bike rental	€199

Included:

- 7 nights on board in double cabins with shower / WC
- Bed linen and towels are provided (no bath towels)
- Captain's Dinner
- Entrance National Parks Kornati Islands and Krka Waterfalls
- Entrance Telašćica Nature Park
- Guided bike tours according to programme
- Half board (lunch or dinner depending on the daily program)
- Hire helmet (with hire bike booking), state head circumference when booking
- Travel documents (1 x per cabin), Maps on board
- City walk / guided city tour Zadar
- Service-Hotline (7 days, 08.00 a.m. – 08.00 p.m.)
- Trekkingbike 21-gear (Electric bike for an extra charge)

Not Included:

- Drinks on board
- Visitors' tax 49 Euros to be paid to captain and local fees, tips

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MS Dalmatino



The motor yacht Dalmatino was built in 1957 and reconstructed in 1990. You can look forward to the air-conditioned saloon and a large sun deck of about 90 m² with 10 deck chairs. There are also tables and benches on deck, with seating for approximately 20 people. On the main deck (= above deck) there are 8 double cabins with bunk beds. On the upper deck there are 5 double cabins with bunk beds. This boat offers no 3 bed cabins. The cabins have portholes that can be opened.



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This is a partner tour

Bikes

Hybrid/Touring bikes Bike

- 7 speed hub gear with back pedal braking function for 21 speed derailleur with rim brake
- Unisex bicycle with a step through frame
- For those over 1.75 meters tall, men's bicycles also available
- Fitted with the most puncture proof tires on the market "Schwalbe Marathon Plus"
- Pannier with handlebar bag, speedometer, lock, pump, extra inner tire tube and puncture repair kit included



E- Bike

- For those who would like help from a motor at times along the trip we recommend our "Flyer" E-Bikes from the Swiss company Biketec. These bicycles have received very positive reviews from our customers over the past few years.
- The step through frame and upright seating position combine to ensure that riding these bikes is very enjoyable. The Marathon Plus tires made by Schwalbe ensure a safe ride even during downhill trips or at high speeds.

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