

Croatia Crusade

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Croatia Crusade
11 days / 10 nights

About Your Trip

Start Location

Zagreb

Finish Location

Dubrovnik

Accommodation

10 nights Hotel

Rooming Requirements

Twin Share

Included Meals

Breakfast 10
Lunch 2
Dinner 2

Transport

Per Daily Itinerary

Leader/Guide

English Speaking Leader throughout

Included Activities

Per Daily itinerary

Entrance/Admission Fees

Where applicable with included activities

Airport Transfers

Arrival and departure transfers are included on an individual basis

Flight details are required 45 days prior

Support

24-hour support from our local office

Exclusions

- International Flights
- Any visas required
- Services not mentioned in the itinerary
- Late check out at hotels
- Meals and drinks not mentioned in the itinerary
- Drinks with included lunches and dinners
- Tips for leaders, guide and driver
- Expenditure of personal nature
- Personal Insurance
- Optional activities

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Comfort: a little more... comfortable

We've smoothed away some of adventure travel's rougher edges to craft a style of travel that has a few more pleasantries included. Enjoy a more relaxed pace of travel, inviting accommodation, more included activities and many meals along the way.







Accommodation

Comfortable hotels at a 3-to-4-star level, with private amenities and often plenty of local character. Some itineraries also feature homestays or unique accommodation.

Transport

Primarily uses private transport, sustainable where possible. Local transport is occasionally used when it adds to the experience, like hopping on the back of a camel in the Sahara.

Inclusions

We've taken the hassle out of travelling, by including many of the activities, meals and an arrival transfer from the airport (if specified in your inclusions). Your experienced local leader or guide will also have plenty of tips for how best to fill your free time.

Why choose Intrepid?

Our business is global, but our expertise is local, with innovative products operated by our experienced teams in-destination. Each year we create and deliver incredible travel experiences in more than 90 countries.

All our local leaders are trained in first aid and crisis management, and our hotels, vehicles, and activities are audited regularly to ensure they meet international standards. We operate with full public liability insurance and OH&S policies and have rigid risk mitigation and emergency procedures, so your product is delivered safely.



Who we are

For over 30 years we've been taking travellers around the globe, on small group tours with like-minded Intrepid people.



Safe travels

We're with you every step of the way through our value chain - from our suppliers, to our on ground operations and leaders.



Certified B Corp

When we became certified as the world's largest travel B Corp in 2018, it was not only our official pledge to be a responsible business, but also a promise to be the best travel company for the world.

About your Tour Leader

Tour leader

On this trip you will be accompanied by one of our tour leaders. The aim of the tour leader is to take the hassle out of your travels and to help you have the best trip possible.

Your leader will provide information on the places you are travelling through, offer suggestions for things to do and see, recommend great local eating venues and introduce you to our local friends. While not being guides in the traditional sense you can expect them to have a broad general knowledge of the places visited on the trip, including historical, cultural, religious and social aspects. We aim to support local guides who have specialised knowledge of the regions we visit. If you were interested in delving deeper into the local culture at a specific site or location then your leader can recommend a local guide service in most of the main destinations of your trip.

Croatia Crusade Itinerary

Tour #1: October 1-11 , 2027
Tour #2: October 4-14 , 2027

Day 1: October 1st OR October 4th, 2027
Destination: Zagreb
Meals Included: Dinner

Welcome to Croatia and to the beginning of your journey from Zagreb to Dubrovnik. Arrive in Zagreb and settle into the city before meeting your fellow travellers. The evening provides the perfect opportunity to come together over a welcome dinner, introducing the group to the relaxed atmosphere and hospitality that will accompany the journey through Croatia. This first evening is designed as a warm start to the adventure and a chance to get acquainted before the touring begins.

Included Activities
·Zagreb – Welcome Meeting
·Zagreb – Welcome Dinner

Arrival transfer
·Included

Special information
It's very important that you attend the welcome meeting as we will be collecting insurance and emergency contact details at this time. If you are going to be late, please let your travel agent or hotel reception know. Ask reception or look for a note in the lobby for more information on where the meeting will take place.

Accommodation
Hotel

Day 2: October 2nd OR October 5th, 2027
Destination: Zagreb
Meals Included: Breakfast

Begin your exploration of Zagreb with a selection of experiences that bring together the city's historic character, everyday life and lively streets. Enjoy a ride on Zagreb's historic funicular, connecting the lower and upper parts of the city and providing an enjoyable introduction to the capital. Continue to Dolac Market, one of the city's best-known gathering places, where the atmosphere reflects Zagreb's local rhythm and daily life. Visit Lotrščak Tower and take time to appreciate its historic setting before continuing through the city. Later, head to Tkalčićeva Street, a popular pedestrian area lined with cafés and bars, where you can relax over drinks and enjoy the lively atmosphere. The remainder of the day allows you to experience Zagreb at an unhurried pace.

Included Activities
·Zagreb – Dolac Market Tasting
·Zagreb – 'Uspinjaca' Funicular Ride to Upper Town
·Zagreb – Lotrscak Tower Visit
·Zagreb – Tkalciceva Street Drinks

Accommodation
Hotel

Day 3: October 3rd OR October 6th, 2027
Destination: Plitvice
Meals Included: Breakfast

Leave Zagreb behind and continue towards the Plitvice Lakes area, with a stop en route in the charming village of Rastoke for lunch. Known for its picturesque wooden houses, historic watermills and cascading waterfalls, Rastoke offers a beautiful introduction to the natural landscapes of the region. After lunch, continue to Plitvice Lakes National Park and discover its spectacular scenery on a guided tour. Explore the park's interconnected lakes, cascading waterfalls, lush vegetation and scenic walking routes while learning more about this remarkable natural environment. Following the guided visit, continue to Hotel Lyra and settle into the peaceful surroundings of the Plitvice area.

Included Activities
·Plitvice Lakes NP – Guided NP Visit
·Rastoke - Visit

Special information
Today's travel time is approximately 2 hours.

Accommodation
Hotel

Day 4: October 4th OR October 7th, 2027
Destination: Split
Meals Included: Breakfast

Continue south to Split, one of Croatia's most atmospheric coastal cities. After settling into Hotel Art, discover the historic centre on a guided walking tour. Split's old town is closely connected with the remains of Diocletian's Palace, creating a fascinating combination of ancient architecture and the energy of a living city. During the tour, visit the Cathedral and enter the atmospheric basement area of Diocletian's Palace. The day offers a deeper introduction to Split's history while also leaving you with time to appreciate the city's distinctive coastal atmosphere.

Included Activities
·Split – Guided Walking Tour
·Split – Diocletian Palace Basement Visit
·Split – Cathedral Entrance and Bell Tower Visit

Special information
Today's travel time is approximately 3.5 hours.

Accommodation
Hotel

Day 5: October 5th OR October 8th, 2027
Destination: Split / Trogir
Meals Included: Breakfast

Today, head along the Adriatic coast to the historic town of Trogir, where you'll explore its beautifully preserved old town on a guided walking tour. Discover the town's charming streets, squares and architectural heritage, including a visit to the impressive Cathedral of St. Lawrence, one of Trogir's most significant landmarks. Return to Split later in the day before heading up Marjan Hill for sunset. Rising above the city, the hill offers a beautiful setting to end the day, with panoramic views across Split, the coastline and the Adriatic as the sun begins to set.

Included Activities
·Trogir – Guided Walking Tour
·Trogir – St Lawrence Cathedral Entrance
·Split – Marjan Hill Visit

Accommodation
Hotel

Day 6: October 6th OR October 9th, 2027
Destination: Split
Meals Included: Breakfast

Enjoy a free day in Split and choose how you would like to spend your time in the city. With no scheduled group activities, the day provides an opportunity to slow the pace of the journey and explore independently. You may wish to revisit parts of the historic centre, spend time along the waterfront, discover local cafés or simply relax and enjoy the atmosphere of Split. This flexible day also provides a welcome opportunity to rest before continuing the journey south along the Croatian coast.

Accommodation
Hotel

Day 7: October 7th OR October 10th, 2027
Destination: Korcula
Meals Included: Breakfast

Today, continue the journey by catamaran from Split to the island of Korčula. The sea journey marks another change of scenery as the trip moves from mainland Croatia into the island landscape of the Adriatic. On arrival in Korčula, settle into the island atmosphere before joining a guided walking tour of Korčula. Explore the historic town and its distinctive stone streets while learning more about the character and heritage of the destination. After the guided experience, enjoy time at leisure to take in the atmosphere of Korčula and make the most of your first evening on the island.

Included Activities
·Korcula – Guided Walking Tour

Special information
Today's travel time is approximately 3 hours.

Accommodation
Hotel

Day 8: October 8th OR October 11th, 2027
Destination: Korcula / Lumbarda
Meals Included: Breakfast

Discover another side of Korčula with a scenic boat tour to Lumbarda, sailing through the beautiful Korčula Archipelago and enjoying the surrounding turquoise waters along the way. Once in Lumbarda, take part in a local wine tasting experience, offering the opportunity to discover one of the island's cherished traditions in a relaxed setting. After the tasting, return to Korcula and enjoy the remainder of the day at your own pace.

Included Activities
·Lumbarda – Wine Tasting
·Korcula – Half Day Boat Trip

Accommodation
Hotel

Day 9: October 9th OR October 12th, 2027
Destination: Trsteno / Dubrovnik
Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch

Continue the journey from Korčula to Orebić, followed by a private transfer towards Dubrovnik. En route, stop at the beautiful Trsteno Arboretum, one of Croatia's oldest and most picturesque gardens, where you will enjoy a lunch surrounded by lush Mediterranean landscapes. Continue to Dubrovnik and settle into the city before exploring its celebrated historic centre on a guided tour. Walk through the atmospheric streets of the Old Town, discovering its remarkable historic buildings and distinctive character, followed by a visit to the famous city walls. The Dubrovnik Card is also included, offering an additional opportunity to experience the city's cultural and historic highlights during your stay. After the guided sightseeing, enjoy free time to soak up the atmosphere of Dubrovnik and explore the city at your own pace.

Included Activities
·Dubrovnik – Dubrovnik Card
·Dubrovnik – Guided Walking Tour
·Trsteno – Brunch

Special information
Today's travel time is approximately 3 hours.

Accommodation
Hotel

Day 10: October 10th OR October 13th, 2027
Destination: Dubrovnik
Meals Included: Breakfast, Dinner

Spend your final full day experiencing more of Dubrovnik and its surroundings. Begin with a visit to Lokrum Island, enjoying a change of pace just offshore from the historic city. Later, take the cable car to Mt. Srđ, rising above Dubrovnik, for panoramic views across the Old Town, coastline and surrounding Adriatic landscape. As the journey draws to a close, come together for a farewell dinner. It is a fitting final evening to reflect on the experiences shared from Zagreb through Plitvice, Split and the islands before the journey comes to an end.

Included Activities
·Dubrovnik – Lokrum Island Visit
·Dubrovnik – Mt Srd Cable Car Ride
·Dubrovnik – Farewell Dinner

Accommodation
Hotel

Day 11: October 11th OR October 14th, 2027
Destination: Dubrovnik
Meals Included: Breakfast

There are no activities planned for the day. Your airport transfer will pick you up according to your flight time.

Departure transfer
·Included

Important Information

Please be aware that the Croatian coast is very hilly and mountainous, which means lots & lots of steps are an inherent feature of the landscape. You will have to be able to easily lift your luggage and carry it up and down stairs and inclines. Also, stone streets become very slippery when wet. Some people may find Croatia's topography very demanding.

- Summer temperatures can be extreme in many of the regions visited (over 40°C), which can be uncomfortable. It's important to use sun protection, wear layers to combat the heat and drink plenty of water. Additionally, please be aware that July, August and the first half of September is high season along the Croatian coast, which means that the local infrastructure is under a lot of pressure with a lot of people in the towns we visit. Please carefully consider the time of the year you wish to travel and your suitability to that season.
- Hotels in Europe often don't have double beds, but rather two single beds that can be pushed together.
- Please note that on the islands of Korcula and Hvar we are staying in private apartments that locals rent out during the summer months. These are located in various buildings spread across town, but all are within a 15-minute walk of the main square. The apartments are not hotels, which means there's no reception, room service or daily cleaning service, no televisions or washing machines, but plenty of charm. They differ in layout and facilities, can vary in size and most don't have air-conditioning and wi-fi. This is the most effective way of staying in the centre of town.

CROATIA VISA REQUIREMENTS:

Visas for Croatia are not required for passport holders of the European Union, Australia, New Zealand, USA and Canada. All other nationalities should check with the relevant authorities.

Travel Insurance

UK Residents:
For UK residents we have partnered with InsureFor to provide you with a travel insurance policy that includes Covid-19 cover. Please call our reservation team on 0808 274 5111 for an exclusive discount on your policy.

North America Residents:
For US residents we have partnered with Allianz Global Assistance. Covid coverage is available through Allianz, please speak with one of their agents for information. You can contact the Allianz reservations team on 1866-884-3556.

For Canadian residents we have partnered with Allianz Global Assistance. Covid coverage is available through Allianz, please speak with one of their agents for information. You can contact the Allianz reservations team on 1800-491-0851.

Australia Residents:
For Australian residents we have partnered with nib to provide you with a travel insurance policy that includes Covid-19 cover. Please contact your Tailor-made consultant for a quote.

Package Price

Individual deposit of $400 is required in order to secure your spot on a departure. After that, final payment is due by 70 days prior to departure.

Pricing per person (twin share basis)	Price
Price Per Person - twin share basis	$4,240.00

Additional Services	Price Per product
Single Supplement Single Supplement is compulsory for all single rooms	$935.00
Additional Pre-Night Accommodations - Single	$145.00
Additional Pre-Night Accommodations - Double	$165.00
Additional Post-Night Accommodations - Single	$300.00
Additional Post-Night Accommodations - Double	$310.00

How to Book

If you are happy with the quotation and itinerary please advise your names as per passport and your dates of birth for all travellers. Once we have this information we can send you an invoice. The next step is to pay a per person deposit. This allows us to go off and confirm the arrangements. Please note we require at least 1 week to confirm all tour services. Once the tour has been confirmed final payment will be due no later than 70 days prior to travel. We can only hold arrangements for a group once we have received deposit.

We would love you to travel with us so let us know if there is anything we need to change about this quote or if you have any questions. We will do our best to help!

Thank you,
Yulia Girina
Intrepid Travel Tailor-Made

Special Conditions

Final Balance

- Final balance payment is required 70 days prior to travel.
- Individual deposits are required 90 days prior to travel.

Cancellation by the traveller

- Cancellation prior to 70 days; we will hold the deposit amount as a credit.
- Cancellation 69 days or inside prior to travel will incur 100% cancellation fees
- No shows will be treated as a cancellation and will incur 100% cancellation fees.

Cancellation by Intrepid

- Cancellation is in line with those detailed in the standard Intrepid booking conditions in clause 8.

Payment Options

Credit Card:
Please contact the office to make a credit card payment.

Important: Please enter your surname and quote number 6933013 as your reference.

Booking Conditions

By booking this Intrepid Travel Tailor-Made Adventure, you agree that the Intrepid Standard Booking Conditions https://www.intrepidtravel.com/au/bookingintrepid/booking-conditions and Special Conditions https://www.intrepidtravel.com/au/special-conditions apply to your booking. The additional terms below also apply to your Tailor-Made booking and prevail to the extent of any inconsistency with the Standard Booking Conditions or Special Conditions.

If you are making a booking on behalf of a group, you must ensure each traveller has read and agrees to our Booking Conditions before making the booking.

- You must provide a travellers' name list and details including name as per passport, passport number and expiration date, nationality, DOB, gender, rooming requirements, dietary requirements, medical concerns at least 60 days prior to departure of the trip.
- All rates are per person, based on indicated numbers travelling together as one movement. Any changes to the group size at any time before or after confirmation of services will require the trip to be repriced.
- The details set out in your proposal are a quotation only. The pricing and itinerary are subject to availability of accommodation, transport, leaders, and other suppliers at time of booking. We reserve the right to amend and requote itinerary if such suppliers are not available.
- By making your payment, you are agreeing to the most recent itinerary and price quote. All revisions will be subject to requote and additional approval.
- A contract will exist when we accept your deposit.
- If we, or a third-party operator, is required to make amendments to your original proposal, subsequent pricing may become applicable to your booking.
- Any changes to the itinerary made by you AFTER services have been confirmed will require a revised quote and may be subject to an additional charge (as levied by hotels, ground operators or airlines). No additional changes are permitted within 30 days prior to departure.
- Hotels listed in the quote are indicative only and are subject to change. If the hotel listed in the quote is unavailable, we will confirm an alternative hotel of similar standard.
- If complimentary transfers are included, (on a group basis) they are only applicable if going to accommodation booked through us. Please advise flight arrival details (flight number and arrival time) at least 30 days prior to departure if you wish to have this transfer provided. There is no guarantee we can arrange this transfer if we receive these details within 30 days of departure.
- Some Tailor-Made tours, such as our Tailor-Made Australia trips, may have cancellation terms that deviate from those set out in the Intrepid Standard Booking Conditions. Your Tailor-Made consultant will advise you of the cancellation conditions that apply to your booking prior to you paying your deposit.
- You acknowledge that you are choosing to travel at a time where you may be exposed to the COVID-19 virus. We will take all reasonable steps to ensure your safety and may require you to follow additional safety protocols before and during your trip. Depending on the most recent health information available to us, we may require you to comply with mandatory health policies, including the need for proof of vaccination or medical tests. More information can be found on our Covid-19 Customer Information page here. Please note that these policy requirements are subject to change following advice from relevant authorities.