



Croatia Express

Starting at \$1949.00*

Croatia Express 9 Day/ 8 Night Coach Tour ~ K810

Experience the colorful charms and historic wonders of Croatia as you journey from Zagreb to Dubrovnik with stops along the way at Plitvice Lakes National Park, Split, Hvar and Kotor on this comprehensive and immersive tour.

Trip details

Tour start **Zagreb** Tour end **Dubrovnik**

9 Days **8** Nights **12** Meals

Trip Highlights:

- Zagreb
- Plitvice Lakes National Park
- Diocletian's Palace
- Town of Hvar
- Rectors Palace
- Kotor

Hotels:

- Westin Hotel
- President Hotel
- Amfora Hvar Grand Beach Resort
- Lacroma Hotel



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Trip Itinerary

Day 1 arrive Zagreb, Wednesday

Welcome to Zagreb! You will be met at the airport and transferred to your hotel. The rest of the day is at leisure until a Welcome Dinner tonight. (D)

Day 3 Zagreb to Plitvice Lakes and Split, Friday

Head to magnificent Plitvice Lakes National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Take a walking tour around several of the lower lakes, enjoying the breathtaking scenery of terraced lakes, thickly wooded mountains, and lush vegetation. After your visit, continue to the port city of Split. Your evening is free to begin exploring on your own. (B, D)

Day 5 Island Hvar, Sunday

The town of Hvar has a unique cultural and historical heritage, plus a centuries-old tradition in tourism. A morning walking tour features views of the Fortress, Franciscan Monastery and more. The afternoon is free. Kick back, relax, and enjoy this charming island, listed as one of the 10 most beautiful islands in the world by Conde Nast Travel Magazine. (B)

Day 7 Dubrovnik, Tuesday

This morning, a walking tour shows you Old Dubrovnik. See the Rector's Palace, Bell Tower Clock, Orlando's Column, Sponza Palace, Dominican Monastery, and Franciscan Monastery with its Pharmacy, one of the oldest in the world. The rest of the day is at leisure to enjoy the city your way, browse through the shops, stroll along the coast, or simply relax. (B)

Day 9 depart Dubrovnik, Thursday

You will be transferred to Dubrovnik's airport for your departure flight. (B) B: Breakfast; L: Lunch; D: Dinner >

Day 2 in Zagreb, Thursday

On a morning sightseeing tour, see the historic Upper Town, St. Mark's Church, St. Catherine's Church, the Cathedral, Parliament, and Government Palace. The rest of the day is at leisure to explore the winding city streets, browse through the shops, or take an optional excursion to see the countryside. (B)

Day 4 Split to Island Hvar, Saturday

Today begins with a walking tour of the historic inner city, built around Roman Emperor Diocletian's Palace, a UNESCO World Cultural Heritage site. Then on to see the remnants of Split's Roman heritage, its Renaissance and Gothic structures, Jupiter's Temple, the Peristyle and Cathedral of St. Dujce. There's some time free before you board the ferry and set sail to Hvar Island. (B, D)

Day 6 Hvar to Dubrovnik, Monday

Leave the island life behind as you return to mainland and continue to the "Pearl of Adriatic," Dubrovnik. A drive along the picturesque Croatian coast reveals the world-famous natural beauty of the area. After dinner your time is free to discover the city by night. (B, D)

Day 8 in Dubrovnik, excursion to Montenegro, Wednesday

Travel to the Republic of Montenegro. Head to the mouth of the beautiful Bay of Kotor, the longest and deepest fjord in Southern Europe. Enjoy a boat ride to Our Lady of the Rocks, one of two islets off the coast of Perast. The Roman Catholic Church is the largest building on the islet, with a museum attached to it. Upon return to the coast, we will stop in Perast, an old charming coastal town. Visit city of Kotor before returning to Dubrovnik. Your evening is free to enjoy your way. (B)



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