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ALONG THE ADRIATIC COAST

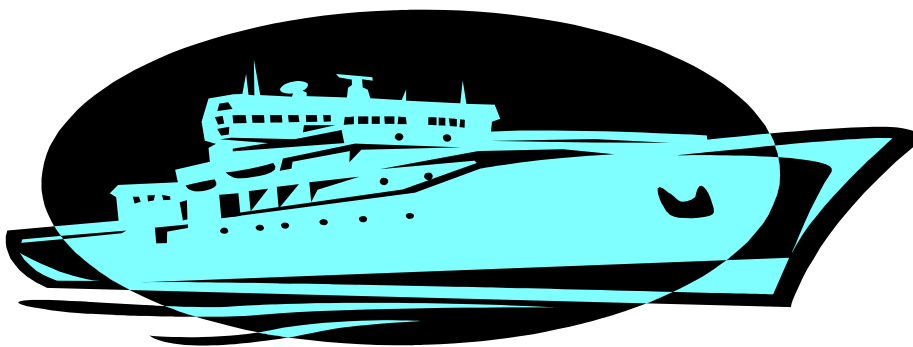
On board of M/S ARION (300 passengers)

8 days/ 7 nights CRUISE –
May, June, July, August,
September and October 2007

From Koper (Slovenia) to Kotor Fjord (Montenegro)
KOPER ► PULA ► ZADAR ► SPLIT ► KORCULA ► DUBROVNIK ► KOTOR FJORD ►
PLOCE (Mostar) ► KOPER

The most beautiful cities of the Adriatic coast

5 countries: Italy, Slovenia, Croatia, Montenegro and Bosnia



THE MS ARION - SHIP INFORMATION

SHIP DESCRIPTION

With the introduction of MS ARION in May 2000, Arcalia Shipping Company (Lisbon, Portugal) added another beautiful ship to its renowned fleet. Arion was constructed in 1965 at Pula, in Croatia, as "Istra". Purchased by Arcalia Shipping, the ship was completely reconstructed in Lisbon in 2000. The Arion has Portuguese and other European Officers and international crew. Her size and characteristics makes her well appointed to operate destination cruises to unusual places away from the main cruising areas.

Ship-owner: Arcalia Shipping Co. Ltd.

Flag: Portugal

Construction: Pula by Brodogadiliste Uljanik, Pula, Croatia

Rebuild: 2000, Lisbon

Classification Company: Bureau Veritas & Rinave Portuguesa

Crew complement: 130

Entertainment staff and management: 15

Ship's data: Displacement: 5.285 tons, Gross tonnage: 5.888, Length: 118 m, Breadth: 16, 50 m, Draught: 5, 26 m.

SHIP'S AMENITIES

Traditional English breakfast is served in the dinning room or, weather permitting, in our Lido lounge, where during lunch you can savour some fresh pasta, light salads, international cuisine or healthy choice that reflects modern tastes; afternoon tea, delicious finger sandwiches and warm scones with Devon-clotted cream and jam and a wide selection of teas. Dinner is a culinary experience with a balanced menu to please even the most difficult diets. Menus are established by our Master Chefs who are members of the most famous culinary associations like "Les Toques Blanches internationales".

Passenger capacity: 320

Passenger deck: 5

Restaurant: 350 seats

Main show lounge: 300 seats

Cocktail bar: 30 seats

Lido lounge bar: 90 seats

Cabin's facilities: Air conditioning Telephone, music, hair dryer and safes in all cabins. Cabins are also equipped with TVs and films are shown every day, with enough options to please every guest.

Onboard shops: Boutique, Beauty salon, Photo shop

Other amenities: Swimming pool, Medical centre, Stabilizers, 1 lift, Sun deck and Promenade deck.

LIFE ON BOARD

Lounges and Bars: there are promenade lounges, including a winter garden for relaxing moments, cocktail bar, and intimate piano bar.

Entertainment: main saloon spacious enough for every passenger. There is evening entertainment with musicians, dancers and singers.

Medical care: A doctor is available on board but cannot prescribe medicines.

Dress code: Casual and simple attire are suggested. For the Captain's and Farewell Dinner we suggest more formal attire.

Currency on board: All services on board are charged in Euro. All expenses (except for the excursions) can be charged to your shipboard account.

Excursions and Daily Programme: Excursions are offered on every port of call and can be booked on board. A daily programme is prepared every evening for the next day and delivered to passenger cabins.

Tipping: the tips amount to 40€ per cruise and per passenger and has to be prepaid when booking the cruise.

Language on board: French and English are both official languages on board. All announcements and Daily Programme as well as Information Sheets will be provided in both languages.

You will taste the French touch as the Arion is chartered by the French company **RIVAGES du MONDE**, managing the cultural and the entertainment program on board.

CRUISE DEPARTURE DATES FOR 2007

APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
29	06	03	01	05	02
	13	10	08	12	09
	20	17	15	19	16
	27	24	22	26	23
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ALONG THE ADRIATIC COAST – CRUISE SCHEDULE From Istria to Kotor Fjord (Montenegro)

KOPER – PULA – ZADAR – SPLIT – KORCULA – DUBROVNIK- KOTOR – PLOCE
(Mostar) - KOPER

Day	Port of call	Arr.	Dép.	OPTIONAL TOURS
1	KOPER		24.00	Transfer to Trieste (Italy)
2	PULA	07.00	24.00	Transfer to Rovinj / Medieval Istria / City tour
3	ZADAR	08.00	21.00	Plitvice National Park / Kornati Island / City tour
4	SPLIT	07.00	13.00	City tour / Trogir /
4	KORCULA	17.00	24.00	City Tour
5	DUBROVNIK	06.00	24.00	City tour / Folklore performance
6	KOTOR	09.00	24.00	Former capital Cetinje / Beauties of the Riviera
7	PLOCE	06.00	14.30	Mostar
8	KOPER	09.00		End of cruise and disembarkation

CRUISE ITINERARY

Sunday: KOPER (Slovenia)

Very near from Trieste in Italy is located the small renaissance city of Koper (Capo d'Istria) which is today the most important port of Slovenia. Embarkation.

Monday: PULA (Croatia)

The most stunning towns of the Istra region which also occupy the very top of Croatian and European cultural heritage are situated on the west shore of the Istrian peninsula. Pula is noted for its ancient sites such as the impressive Roman amphitheatre, the Temple of Augustus, the Golden Gate (Porta aurea), and the Triumphal Arch of the Sergii...

Tuesday: ZADAR (Croatia)

Once a dominant city on the Adriatic coast and rival of Venice, Zadar is nowadays a "city-treasury", preserving in its historical core the remains of the Roman Forum, the Church of St. Donat, the Romanesque Cathedral of St Anastasia, the Church of St. Mary and the Benedictine Convent. The city owns a permanent collection of church art known as "The Gold and Silver of Zadar".

Wednesday: SPLIT (morning) Croatia

Split, the second largest city in Croatia and "the capital of Dalmatia" had gradually developed around the palace of the Roman emperor Diocletian, erected more than 1700 years ago. From Diocletian's cellars, Cathedral of the Temple of Jupiter to the Golden Gate (Porta aurea), across the Peristyle and the Market (Pjaca) to the sunny sea promenade (Riva) and further up the Marmont street, past the fish-market and all the way to the Theatre: morning in Split brings you the atmosphere of a typical Mediterranean city.

Wednesday: KORCULA (afternoon) Croatia

The historical town of Korcula is known as to be the birthplace of Marco Polo. The town will fascinate you with its beautiful historical core, narrow stone streets, museums and churches. Korcula is the town of a long-cherished cultural heritage and one of the most visited destinations on the Adriatic coast. It is famous for the unique and exciting traditional dances "Moreska" and "Kumpanija".

Thursday: DUBROVNIK (Croatia)

The former "Ragusa" is a town which resembles an open-air museum. This Monument-City is said to be the most beautiful Croatian city. Once a famous Dubrovnik Republic, the city was a powerful rival of Venice in the fight over sea rule. Today it still continues to rival Venice with its beauty and charming atmosphere. It would be really hard to single out the most fascinating piece of architecture. The Franciscan and the Dominican Monastery, The Cathedral, the Rector's Palace, Stradun, grand City walls and St. Blaise's Church, each of these impressive buildings deserves attention and admiration.

Friday: KOTOR (Montenegro)

Sail in the morning through the extraordinary Kotor bay to Montenegro, you will discover by the magnificence of its unique Fjord in the Mediterranean, the stunning "Boka Kotorska". Despite all misfortunes, Kotor has preserved the atmosphere of the medieval Mediterranean town. The town is encircled with 20 m high walls that are 2-15 m thick and 4.5 km long. One stem of the wall begins at the harbour, i.e. at the South gate, and the other at the River

Skurla – West Gate. They both end at the fort of Saint Ivan. The Fort rises above the town and reaches the height of over 250m. There are 1426 stairs leading to the Tower.

Saturday: PLOCE (tour to Mostar – Bosnia)

Ploce is a commercial port located in central Dalmatia. From Ploce, we offer an optional tour to the famous old city of Mostar (Bosna Hercegovina) where you will see the reconstructed “old bridge” built by the occupying Turkish forces 500 years ago.

Sunday: KOPER (Slovenia)

Arrival in Koper in the morning. You will discover this charming renaissance city.

TRANSFERS TO AND FROM KOPER

The nearest airports from Koper are **Trieste or Venice** (Italy), **Ljubljana** (Slovenia). The railway station in Trieste is also available

Price of transfer: one way trip – prices are net and in Euro

	1- 3 private car	8 pax minibus	Up 20 pax / price per pax
Ljubljana	170	215	30
Pula	125	170	22
Venice	150	250	35
Trieste	125	150	20

We can also offer transfers to Rijeka and Pula airports for Ryanair and easyJet flights to the UK and Eire.

SHORE EXCURSIONS AVAILABLE - OPTIONAL TOURS

Optional tours are only sold on board (payable by cash or credit card Visa and MasterCard).

City tour of Pula:

Escorted tour of Pula with entrance fee to the Roman Arena. Price **30 €**

Middle Age Istria:

Departure by bus to the North of Istria peninsula. Visit of the old stone village of Motovun located in central Istria. By return way, have a taste of a fine local wine. Price: **50 €**

Shuttle service to Rovinj:

From Pula we provide a shuttle service to Rovinj one of the most beautiful places in Istria accompanied by our stewardess from the ship. Free walking: **15 €**

City tour of Zadar:

Escorted tour of Zadar including the visit of the Church St Donat. Price **25 €**

National park Plitvice:

Transfer by bus to the park. Entrance fee to the national park including licensed guide. Picnic with lunch packet. Price: **80 €**

National park Kornati Islands:

Departure from Zadar Harbour by boat and sailing through the multiple islands of the Kornati archipelago. Fish pick nick. Price: **95 €** (lunch included)

Trogir:

Nearby North of the city of Split, Trogir is a small Venetian style city. Transfer by bus and city tour provided by licensed guide (3 hours). Price: **30 €**

City tour of Split:

Escorted tour guide of Split including the Diocletian Palace. Price: **30 €**

Folklore performance:

Enjoy the traditional song and dance from Dalmatia in a nice setting. Price: **35 €**

City tour of Korcula:

Escorted tour to the old city. Price **20 €**

City tour of Dubrovnik:

Transfer by bus from the harbour to the old city and escorted guided tour including the Franciscan monastery, the Rector's Palace and the Treasury of the Cathedral. Price **30 €**

Former Montenegro capital Cetinje:

Transfer by bus to Cetinje the former capital of Montenegro at the end of XIX century. Visit of the Royal Palace –Taste the national food of “ham and cheese” in a nice local inn. Price **55 €**

Montenegro's beauties of the Riviera:

Transfer to the famous old Fishermen's village of Sveti Stefan which is now a nice charming hotel. On returning back, visit to the “Budva Riviera” including a walking tour in the old city. Price **55 €**

Excursion to Mostar:

Transfer by bus to Mostar, severely destroyed during the last Balkan war but step by step re-building. You will admire the newly reconstructed famous Turkish Bridge. Price: **65 €**

Trieste:

Shuttle service to Trieste accompanied by a stewardess of the ship. Price: **20 €**



2007 GROSS RATES IN EURO
(On basis double occupancy and per passenger)

Cat. 1 : inside cabin	Ocean Main and Upper Deck	839
Cat. 2: outside cabin port-hole	Ocean Deck	970
Cat. 3: outside cabin port-hole	Main Deck	1.105
Cat 4 : outside cabin window	Upper Deck	1.270
Cat 5 : outside cabin window	Promenade Deck and Navigator Deck	1.355
Cat. 6: outside cabin Junior Suite	Navigator Deck	1.470

Single Supplement: € 450

Occupancy Discounts:

- ⇒ Children between 2 and 4 in cabin with parents – gratis
- ⇒ Children under 18 in cabin with 2 adults - € 350
- ⇒ Children under 18 in cabin with 1 parent – 50% discount.
- ⇒ $\frac{3}{4}$ Adult (less 10% discount cat. Rate)

Services included in prices:

- Accommodation in double cabin in chosen category
- Full English breakfast
- Lunch of three courses (appetizer, plus choice of two dishes, plus cheeses and dessert or fruits)
- Dinner of four courses (soup/appetizer, plus fish, plus choice of two main dishes plus choice of dessert or fruits)
- Midnight snacks
- Cocktail Party and Captain's Dinner
- Early riser's coffee/tea per cruise
- Mid morning coffee
- Afternoon tea with cakes
- One deck barbecue per cruise, weather permitting
- Smorgasbord-style lunches on two occasion per cruise
- Well experimented Cruise Staff
- Entertainment program on board of M/S Arion
- Port taxes in Slovenia, Croatia and Montenegro
- Tips: we have a pre-paid system of tips of €40 per person.

Not included in prices:

- International transportation
- Transfer from Airport to the ship
- Optional tours
- Insurances

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