

CRUISE OF 11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS - REF. ANS\_PP

## Holland and the romantic Rhine valley (port-to-port cruise)

**ANTWERP - ROTTERDAM - AMSTERDAM(4) - NIJMEGEN - COLOGNE - RÜDESHEIM - MANNHEIM - Heidelberg(1) - STRASBOURG**

From Antwerp to Strasbourg, set out on a truly romantic adventure to the land of tulips, windmills, and delicious cheese in the Netherlands. Kick back on board as the world glides by on the Rhine River in Germany.

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Favorite : Delightful scents and springtime colors at the Keukenhof floral gardens(1-2)

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### CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS

- 5 days to discover Holland and its traditions
- THE MUSTS:(1)
  - **Amsterdam** and its unique atmosphere
  - **Volendam**, an authentic Dutch village
  - **Zaanse Schans**, its windmills and traditional houses

## CRUISE PROGRAM (11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS)



### Day 1 : ANTWERP

Possibility of a transfer by coach(3) from Amsterdam to Antwerp for an extra fee. Passengers are welcome to board the ship in Antwerp at 6:00 p.m. After comfortably settling into your cabins, we'll introduce our crew at a welcome cocktail.



### Day 2 : ANTWERP - ROTTERDAM

Tour of the old city in the company of our hostess. Our cruise will cross small inland seas and immense locks to reach Rotterdam in the evening. Tonight is our gala dinner and evening.



### Day 3 : ROTTERDAM - AMSTERDAM or surroundings (4)

Join us on an **optional excursion for both packages**: The Keukenhof gardens(2)(only on pre-booking before departure). The afternoon is free to do as you please. We will start to cruise at the end of the afternoon to Amsterdam.



### Day 4 : AMSTERDAM or surroundings (4)

In the morning, join us on an **optional excursion for both packages**: Guided tour of Amsterdam. In the afternoon, join us on an **optional excursion for both packages**: Volendam and Zaanse Schans.



### Day 5 : AMSTERDAM or surroundings (4)

Enjoy the buffet breakfast on board. **Free day and lunch in Amsterdam**. Take the opportunity to discover the capital of Netherlands at your own pace. Return to the ship for dinner.



### Day 6 : AMSTERDAM or surroundings (4)

During the morning, discover by your own Amsterdam. In the afternoon, join us for the **optional excursion proposed**:

**DISCOVERY**: Bike tour of Amsterdam. You'll be able to explore and learn about all the must-see and out-of-the-way sites.

The afternoon is free to do as you pleased. Return on board for dinner. Our ship will cruise to Nijmegen.



### Day 7 : NIJMEGEN - KREFELD

Join us for the **optional excursion for both packages**: Visit of the Dutch Open Air Museum of Arnhem.

Afterwards, we'll return on board and cruise towards Krefeld, reaching it in the evening.



### Day 8 : KREFELD - COLOGNE

The morning will be spent cruising. This afternoon, join us for the **optional excursion for both packages**: Guided walking tour of Cologne.

Sailing towards Rudesheim.



### Day 9 : RUDESHEIM

The morning will be spent cruising on the romantic Rhine. Join us for the optional excursions proposed:

**CLASSIC:** Touristic train, tasting of wines and visit of the Museum of Mechanical Musical Instruments.

**DISCOVERY:** Hiking through the vineyards in Rudesheim

Free evening in the famous Drosselgasse, the little street famous worldwide for joyful atmosphere and Rhineland bands.

During the night, sailing towards Mannheim.



### Day 10 : RÜDESHEIM - MANNHEIM

Our ship will cruise during the morning. Join us on an **optional excursion for both packages:** Visit of Heidelberg. Tonight is our gala dinner and evening.



### Day 11 : STRASBOURG

Enjoy one last buffet breakfast on board before disembarking at 9:00 a.m. End of our services.

#### This offer includes

Your cruise with all meals from dinner the first day to breakfast on the final day (except lunch on D5) - onboard drinks included (except for drinks from our special lists) - double-occupancy cabin with shower in bathroom - onboard entertainment - assistance from our onboard multi-lingual host/hostess - welcome cocktail - gala dinners - 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 - optional excursions (must be reserved and paid for on board or at travel agency) - cancellation and baggage insurance - lunch on D5 - transfers/travel to and from departure/arrival points - personal expenses.

#### Transport

Port-to-port cruise without transfers

#### Requirements

**Valid national identity card or 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

For navigational safety reasons, the company and the captain are the only authorized persons who can modify the cruise itinerary.

(1) Optional excursions.

(2) Keukenhof garden will be open from March 20th to May 11th, 2025. The opening dates are subject to change by Keukenhof Flower Park.

(3) Transfer guaranteed for a minimum of 15 travelers. If this number is not reached, the transfer may be proposed at another rate, depending on the number of participants.

(4) The Port of Amsterdam may unexpectedly decide to change the mooring places for cruise ships. In case of modification, an alternative will be set up as close as possible to the city of Amsterdam.

**Depending on mooring availabilities, the stopover in Rudesheim may be preceded by a stopover in Bingen ; the schedule of excursions may be modified.**

Alcohol can be harmful to your health. Please drink in moderation.

# EXCURSIONS

## Day 3 2 Excursion (s)



### Excursion to the Keukenhof Gardens *(Optional)*

Duration : 04h30

Classic



Morning



*(Optional)*

Classic



Morning

## Day 4 2 Excursion (s)

*(Optional)*

Duration : 04h00

Classic



Morning



### Excursion to Volendam and Zaanse-Schans *(Optional)*

Duration : 04h00

Classic



Afternoon

## Day 6 1 Excursion (s)



### Amsterdam by bike *(Optional)*

Discovery



Morning

## Day 7 1 Excursion (s)



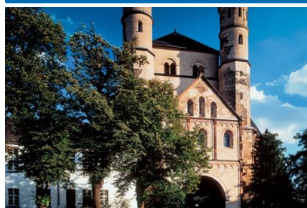
*(Optional)*

Classic



Morning

**Day 8** 1 Excursion (s)



**Guided walking tour of Cologne** *(Optional)*

Duration : 02h00

Classic



Afternoon

**Day 9** 2 Excursion (s)



**Hiking through the vineyards in Rudesheim** *(Optional)*

Discovery



Afternoon



**Rüdesheim : wine tasting\* and visit of the Museum of Mechanical Musical Instruments** *(Optional)*

Duration : 02h30

Classic



Afternoon

**Day 10** 1 Excursion (s)



**Guided tour of Heidelberg and its castle (outdoor)** *(Optional)*

Duration : 04h30

Classic



Afternoon