

PALACE TOURS

Classic Danube River Cruise: 7-Night Vienna Round-Trip

7 Nights • Luxury Experience

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ABOUT THIS TOUR

Overview

The Classic Danube River Cruise: 7-Night Vienna Round-Trip is a 7-night round-trip Danube river cruise aboard the MS CruceNova, sailing the imperial capitals of the Danube. Sailing the Danube round-trip from Vienna, the itinerary calls at Vienna, Durnstein, Melk, Linz, Bratislava, Budapest and Esztergom. All-inclusive on board with guided shore excursions and an English-speaking cruise manager; fares are per person and shown in US dollars.

DAY BY DAY

Your Itinerary



DAY 1

VIENNA

Boarding begins at 4:00 p.m. at Handelskai Pier. Settle in your cabin, enjoy a welcome cocktail, and spend the evening in Vienna before your overnight stay onboard.

DAY 2

VIENNA

Discover Austria's elegant capital on an included panoramic city tour featuring the Opera House, Parliament, Town Hall, Hofburg Palace, and other iconic landmarks. Enjoy free time in the afternoon before the ship departs around midnight for the scenic Wachau Valley.





DAY 3

DÜRNSTEIN

Explore the picturesque village of Dürnstein, famous for its medieval charm, castle ruins, and renowned Wachau wines. Later, sail through the breathtaking Wachau Valley before arriving in Melk, home to the magnificent Benedictine Abbey overlooking the Danube.

DAY 4

LINZ

Spend the day discovering Linz, the vibrant capital of Upper Austria. Stroll its historic streets, admire its Baroque architecture, or simply enjoy the city's riverside atmosphere before sailing onward toward Bratislava.





DAY 5

BRATISLAVA

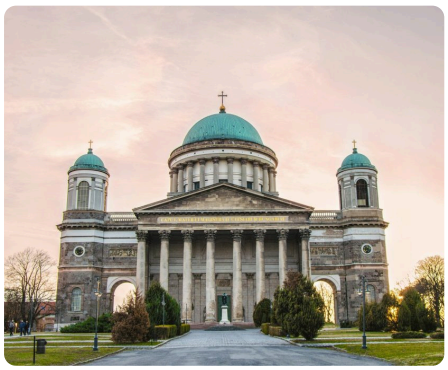
Join an included guided walking tour through Slovakia's charming capital. Highlights include St. Martin's Cathedral, Michael's Gate, the National Theater, the Old Town Hall, and Bratislava Castle.

DAY 6

BUDAPEST

Experience one of Europe's most beautiful capitals on an included city tour. Visit Heroes' Square, the Parliament Building, the Chain Bridge, Fisherman's Bastion, and the famous Market Hall. Enjoy an overnight stay in Budapest and admire the city's illuminated skyline after dark.





DAY 7

ESZTERGOM

Visit Esztergom, Hungary's first royal capital and home to the country's largest church, the impressive Esztergom Basilica. In the evening, enjoy the Captain's Gala Dinner as the ship returns toward Vienna.

DAY 8

VIENNA

After breakfast, disembark in Vienna and conclude your unforgettable Danube River cruise.



DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates & Rates

DEPARTURE DATE	CLASS / CABIN	SINGLE	DOUBLE (PP)
May 22, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	**$4,229**	**$2,819**
	Category C - Middle Deck	**$4,409**	**$2,939**
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	**$5,353**	**$3,059**
	Category A - Upper Deck	**$5,773**	**$3,299**
May 29, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	**$4,229**	**$2,819**
	Category C - Middle Deck	**$4,409**	**$2,939**
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	**$5,353**	**$3,059**
	Category A - Upper Deck	**$5,773**	**$3,299**
Jun 5, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	**$4,229**	**$2,819**
	Category C - Middle Deck	**$4,409**	**$2,939**
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	**$5,353**	**$3,059**
	Category A - Upper Deck	**$5,773**	**$3,299**
Jun 12, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	**$4,229**	**$2,819**
	Category C - Middle Deck	**$4,409**	**$2,939**
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	**$5,353**	**$3,059**
	Category A - Upper Deck	**$5,773**	**$3,299**
Jun 19, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	**$4,229**	**$2,819**
	Category C - Middle Deck	**$4,409**	**$2,939**
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	**$5,353**	**$3,059**
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	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059
	Category A - Upper Deck	$5,773	$3,299
Jul 3, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	$4,229	$2,819
	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059
	Category A - Upper Deck	$5,773	$3,299
Jul 10, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	$4,229	$2,819
	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059
	Category A - Upper Deck	$5,773	$3,299
Jul 17, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	$4,229	$2,819
	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059
	Category A - Upper Deck	$5,773	$3,299
Jul 24, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	$4,229	$2,819
	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059
	Category A - Upper Deck	$5,773	$3,299
Jul 31, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	$4,229	$2,819
	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059
	Category A - Upper Deck	$5,773	$3,299
Aug 7, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	$4,229	$2,819
	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939

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	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059
	Category A - Upper Deck	$5,773	$3,299
Aug 14, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	$4,229	$2,819
	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059
	Category A - Upper Deck	$5,773	$3,299
Aug 21, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	$4,229	$2,819
	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059
	Category A - Upper Deck	$5,773	$3,299
Aug 28, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	$4,229	$2,819
	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059
	Category A - Upper Deck	$5,773	$3,299
Sep 4, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	$4,229	$2,819
	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059
	Category A - Upper Deck	$5,773	$3,299
Sep 11, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	$4,229	$2,819
	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059
	Category A - Upper Deck	$5,773	$3,299
Sep 18, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	$4,229	$2,819
	Category C - Middle Deck	$4,409	$2,939
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	$5,353	$3,059

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	Category A - Upper Deck	**$5,773**	**$3,299**
Sep 25, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	**$4,229**	**$2,819**
	Category C - Middle Deck	**$4,409**	**$2,939**
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	**$5,353**	**$3,059**
	Category A - Upper Deck	**$5,773**	**$3,299**
Oct 9, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	**$4,229**	**$2,819**
	Category C - Middle Deck	**$4,409**	**$2,939**
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	**$5,353**	**$3,059**
	Category A - Upper Deck	**$5,773**	**$3,299**
Oct 16, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	**$4,229**	**$2,819**
	Category C - Middle Deck	**$4,409**	**$2,939**
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	**$5,353**	**$3,059**
	Category A - Upper Deck	**$5,773**	**$3,299**
Oct 23, 2027	Category D - Middle Deck (Aft)	**$4,229**	**$2,819**
	Category C - Middle Deck	**$4,409**	**$2,939**
	Category B - Upper Deck (Aft)	**$5,353**	**$3,059**
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Rates shown are per person. Single rate applies to single occupancy; Double rate applies per person in double occupancy.

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Visit https://www.palacetours.com/tour/Classic-Danube-River-Cruise_Vienna_7-Nights for the latest information.

COMMON QUESTIONS

Frequently Asked Questions

What is the Classic Danube river cruise from Vienna?

> It is a 7-night round-trip Danube cruise from Vienna aboard the MS CruceNova, sailing between the imperial capitals of the Danube. Meals, guided shore excursions and an English-speaking cruise manager are included, and fares are per person in US dollars.

Which ports does the Classic Danube cruise visit?

> From Vienna the ship calls at Durnstein, Melk, Linz, Bratislava, Budapest and Esztergom before returning to Vienna. That covers Austria's Wachau Valley, the capital of Upper Austria, and the capitals of Slovakia and Hungary.

Where do we board in Vienna?

> Boarding starts at 4:00 PM on Day 1 at Handelskai Pier in Vienna. After settling in and a welcome gathering, you can spend the evening in Vienna before your first night on board. The ship stays in Vienna into Day 2.

What is included in Vienna on the Classic Danube cruise?

> Day 2 includes a panoramic city tour taking in the Opera House, Parliament, the Town Hall, the Hofburg Palace and other landmarks. The afternoon is free to explore, and the ship sails around midnight towards the Wachau Valley.

When do we visit Durnstein and Melk?

> Both are on Day 3. First you explore Durnstein, a medieval village with castle ruins above the river. The ship then cruises through the Wachau Valley to Melk, home to the magnificent Benedictine abbey overlooking the Danube.

What is there to do in Linz?

> Day 4 is spent in Linz, the lively capital of Upper Austria. You can stroll its historic streets, admire the Baroque architecture or simply enjoy the riverside atmosphere before the ship sails on towards Bratislava.

What does the Bratislava walking tour include?

> On Day 5 an included guided walking tour of Slovakia's capital takes in St. Martin's Cathedral, Michael's Gate, the National Theater, the Old Town Hall and Bratislava Castle. The old town is compact and easy to explore on foot.

What do we see in Budapest on the Classic Danube cruise?

> Day 6 includes a city tour of Budapest, one of Europe's most beautiful capitals, with stops such as Heroes' Square and the Parliament Building. Esztergom, with its great basilica on the Danube bend, is also on the itinerary before the ship heads back to Vienna.

What cabin categories are available on the Classic Danube cruise?

> There are four categories on the MS CruceNova, all with a French balcony: Category D on the Middle Deck aft, Category C on the Middle Deck, Category B on the Upper Deck aft, and Category A on the Upper Deck. Every stateroom has a private bathroom, individually controlled air conditioning and river views.

How much more are the higher cabin categories on this Danube cruise?

> The lead fare is for Category D. Category C adds about US$60 per person, Category B about US$300 per person, and Category A about US$660 per person. The exact fare for each category and departure is shown on this page.

How much does the Classic Danube river cruise cost?

> Fares start from about US$2,039 per person sharing, in Category D. Port and tourist taxes and a fuel surcharge are added on top. The exact fare for each departure is shown on this page.

What is the single fare on the Classic Danube cruise?

> A single supplement of 50% of the per-person rate applies in Categories D and C, and 75% in Categories B and A. Single fares start from about US$3,058 in Category D, and the exact single price for your date is shown on this page.

What is included in the Classic Danube cruise fare?

> The fare includes your cabin, and full board (breakfast, lunch and dinner) throughout. It also covers welcome and captain's events, guided shore excursions as listed in the itinerary (such as the Vienna, Bratislava and Budapest tours), an English-speaking cruise manager, onboard entertainment, port charges, and Wi-Fi where available.

What is not included in the Vienna round-trip cruise price?

> International flights, travel insurance, gratuities and personal expenses are not included. Drinks outside the included selection and optional excursions are also extra. Port and tourist taxes of US$95 per person and a fuel surcharge of US$65 per person are added to the fare.

When does the Classic Danube cruise depart?

> Departures currently on sale run from 15 May 2027 to 16 October 2027, covering late spring, summer and early autumn on the Danube. Live dates and fares are in the departure list on this page.

How do I get to Vienna for the Classic Danube cruise?

> Flights are not included. Because the cruise starts and ends in Vienna, a round-trip ticket to Vienna is the simplest option. Boarding at Handelskai Pier opens at 4:00 PM on Day 1, so arriving that morning or the day before gives you a relaxed start.

What deposit is required for the Classic Danube cruise, and when is the balance due?

> A 25% deposit secures your cabin, and the balance is due 65 days before departure. Port and tourist taxes and the fuel surcharge are included in your invoice.

Can children join the Classic Danube river cruise?

> Children are booked in two age bands, based on age at departure: under 5, and from 5 up to (but not including) 12. Child fares are confirmed on request, so tell us the ages and your preferred sailing and we will quote.

Is the Classic Danube cruise hosted in English?

> Yes. An English-speaking cruise manager sails with the ship, and the included guided shore excursions are offered in English. Optional excursions can be added at extra cost for more time in particular ports.

How do I ask a question or book Classic Danube River Cruise: 7-Night Vienna Round-Trip?

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