



23 Day Arabian Cruise Odyssey – Rome to Doha

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International Flights Included	MSC Euribia Ocean Cruise	Comfortable Accommodation
7-Day Change of Mind		

Day by Day Itinerary

Rome, MSC Cruise, Doha

HIGHLIGHTS

- Set sail on a **luxurious Mediterranean cruise** traveling from Rome through the Suez Canal to Doha and soak in stunning ocean views.
- Relish **relaxing sea days** and anticipate exciting adventures and cultural experiences during your port calls.
- Enjoy **world-class dining**, vibrant entertainment, selection of alcoholic beverages, wifi and world class amenities and facilities on board.
- Unwind in **Rome and Doha** with time at leisure in centrally located hotel accommodation before and after your cruise.

ITINERARY

Day 1: Home - Rome, Italy

Welcome to Rome, the City of Seven Hills, the Eternal City!

Your journey begins in a place where history whispers through ancient stones and vibrant streets. Ancient ruins like the Colosseum and Roman Forum coexist with stunning architecture and bustling piazzas. From the art of Vatican City to the charm of Trastevere’s cobblestone streets, every corner tells a story, inviting exploration and wonder. To complete your Roman adventure, indulge in a plate of authentic pasta or pizza for an authentic culinary experience.

Please Note: Although most flights arrive late at night, due to airline flight scheduling and availability, some departures may occur one day prior.

Meals: In-flight

Accommodation: Hotel Nautilus 3* or similar

Day 2: Rome

Enjoy a full day at leisure to enjoy this ancient city as you choose. Stroll through the historic streets, starting at the Spanish Steps and continuing to the Trevi Fountain. Spend time in Villa Borghese, admiring art and gardens. Visit Vatican City, exploring St. Peter’s Basilica and the awe-inspiring Sistine Chapel.

In the evening dine on traditional Roman dishes at a local trattoria while enjoying the lively atmosphere or seek out the city's famous pasta and pizza establishments. Finish your day and indulge in tiramisu or gelato or take a seat at a rooftop bar, enjoying panoramic views of the city as the sun sets over Rome's timeless skyline.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Hotel Nautilus 3* or similar

Day 3: Rome Embarkation -

Enjoy a morning to continue exploring this truly iconic city with its rich history and authentic cuisine. In time, make your way to Rome's Civitavecchia port to embark on board MSC Euribia for your Arabian Cruise Odyssey from Rome to Doha, Qatar. Set sail later this evening.

MSC Euribia is named after the ancient goddess Eurybia who harnessed the winds, weather and constellations to master the seas, furthering the vision of the ship to master the deployment of state-of-the-art technology to minimise its impact on the precious marine ecosystem.

The ship is also empowered with striking new features. Not only do the decks boast numerous original works of art, for the first time the hull itself is a visual masterpiece. Relax with a choice of 10 dining venues and 21 bars each offering a unique experience promises something special for every taste.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euribia, Interior Stateroom

Day 4: At Sea

A day at sea is an unforgettable experience filled with luxury, adventure, and relaxation. As the ship glides through the ocean it's the perfect opportunity to fully immerse yourself in everything the ship has to offer. A list of activities and entertainment can be found in your cabin on the newsletter delivered daily.

If you prefer something quieter, you can always find a cozy spot to read or relax with a drink, watching the vast, endless horizon of the sea. As the day winds down, enjoy a gourmet dinner at one of the ship's specialty restaurants, followed by an evening show.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euribia, Interior Stateroom

Day 5: At Sea

Spend a peaceful day cruising the open sea, surrounded by calm waters and refreshing ocean breezes.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euribia, Interior Stateroom

Day 6: Alexandria, Egypt

Alexandria served as Egypt's capital for nearly a thousand years before gradually fading into obscurity. However, it was later revived in the modern era as a Europeanized metropolis. In Arabic, the city is known as Al-Iskandariya, named after its founder, Alexander the Great.

A stop in Alexandria invites exploration of ancient history and modern charm. Visit the Bibliotheca Alexandrina, stroll along the Corniche, or tour the Catacombs of Kom El Shoqafa and Fort Qaitbey. With Mediterranean views and bustling markets, it's a vibrant blend of culture and heritage.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euribia, Interior Stateroom

Day 7: Suez Canal North, Egypt

Passing through the Suez Canal is an unforgettable experience, offering a unique glimpse into one of the world's most important waterways. The journey through this 120-mile-long canal is a mesmerizing passage between the Mediterranean and the Red Sea.

North to South:

As your ship heads south, you'll begin by entering the Mediterranean at Port Said, gliding past the bustling port and watching as you slowly leave behind the European influences of the Mediterranean. The canal is narrow but deep, with desert landscapes and scattered villages on either side. You'll see the occasional cargo ship, oil tanker, and even small fishing boats as you drift through, while the vast, arid desert stretches beyond the banks. Occasionally,

you'll pass by military checkpoints and sand dunes, with the occasional glimpse of Egypt's rural life.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

Day 8: Suez Canal South, Egypt

Continue to enjoy the slow, serene crossing that gives you a moment to reflect on the strategic importance and history of this critical waterway. Take time to appreciate the marvel of human engineering that is the canal itself.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

Day 9: Aquaba, Jordan

A port call in Aqaba on an MSC cruise offers a gateway to the wonders of Jordan. Nestled on the Red Sea, Aqaba is a charming mix of desert landscapes and coastal beauty. Explore the nearby UNESCO World Heritage site of Petra, with its ancient rock-cut architecture, or enjoy snorkeling and diving in the vibrant coral reefs. Stroll through local markets, savouring fresh seafood, or simply relax by the sea in this tranquil, historic port city.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

Day 10: At Sea

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Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

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Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

Day 12: At Sea

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Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

Day 13: At Sea

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Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

Day 14: At Sea

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Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

Day 15: At Sea

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Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

Day 16: Muscat, Oman

Stepping ashore in Oman's capital Muscat, means stepping into one of the oldest cities of the Middle East. This is where incense was shipped to Greece and Rome as far back as the 2nd century.

The city is framed by rugged mountains and the Arabian Sea. Visit the grand Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque, a masterpiece of Islamic architecture, or explore the bustling Mutrah Souq, filled with spices, perfumes, and local

crafts. For nature lovers, enjoy a scenic dhow cruise or discover the serene beauty of the surrounding deserts and beaches.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

Day 17: At Sea

Spend a peaceful day cruising the open sea, surrounded by calm waters and refreshing ocean breezes.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

Day 18: Doha, Qatar

Doha, the capital of Qatar, is a dazzling blend of modern architecture and rich cultural heritage. A city with an awesome skyline with new super modern skyscrapers you will be introduced to this futuristic capital on The Gulf.

Stroll through the bustling Souq Waqif, a bustling market that captures the essence of old Doha. Wander through the narrow alleyways lined with shops selling spices, textiles, traditional clothing, jewelry, and handicrafts. Alternatively take a leisurely Dhow cruise along the Doha Corniche, offering panoramic views of the skyline.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

Day 19: Dubai, United Arab Emirates

A port call in Dubai on an MSC cruise offers a dazzling mix of modernity and tradition. Marvel at the iconic Burj Khalifa and the luxury of the Dubai Mall, or explore the historic Al Fahidi district. Enjoy a desert safari, or take a traditional abra ride along the Dubai Creek. With vibrant souks, stunning beaches, and unparalleled shopping and dining, Dubai is a cosmopolitan hub that promises excitement and opulence at every turn.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: MSC Euriba, Interior Stateroom

Day 20: - Disembarkation Doha

After a final breakfast on board, its time to say goodbye to your floating retreat and your crew and disembark MSC Euribia. Make your own way to your accommodation and enjoy more time to explore this intriguing city.

Towering skyscrapers, luxury shopping malls, and world-class dining coexist with traditional souks, museums, and waterfront promenades. The city embodies rapid development while preserving deep-rooted Arabian traditions, offering a unique, dynamic urban experience.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: The Royal Riviera Hotel 4* or similar

Day 21: Doha

Enjoy a full day at leisure in Doha. The city has so much to offer whether you're drawn to history, luxury, or food, Doha's blend of tradition and modernity ensures a fulfilling and unforgettable day at leisure.

Some suggestions to inspire your adventure (if you missed it during your cruise port call). Start your day with a visit to the Museum of Islamic Art (MIA), an architectural masterpiece designed by I. M. Pei. The museum houses an extensive collection of Islamic art from three continents over 1,400 years. For a touch of luxury, enjoy high-end shopping at The Pearl-Qatar.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: The Royal Riviera Hotel 4* or similar

Day 22: Doha - Home

Relax until you transfer to Hamad International Airport for your flight back home. Often rated as one of the best airports in the world, you can look forward to a smooth and effortless experience while waiting for your flight.

Meals: Breakfast.

Accommodation: In-flight

Day 23: Home

Welcome home. We hope you have enjoyed your amazing Mediterranean to Arabian Cruise Odyssey with AVG Travels.

INCLUSIONS

- **Return international flights**
- 17 nights on board MSC Euribia Grand Voyage in Interior Stateroom
- 2 nights in hand-picked 3-star hotel accommodation in Rome before the cruise
- 2 nights in hand-picked 3-star hotel accommodation in Doha after the cruise
- Daily breakfast, 16 lunch, 17 dinners (all meals during the cruise)
- Onboard dining across a range of complimentary venues
- Onboard extensive buffet offering foods, freshly prepared by highly trained chefs
- Onboard rich programme of daytime activities, spectacular evening shows
- Onboard start of the art gym, and a selection of fitness and yoga classes
- Onboard all port taxes & charges
- Onboard prepaid gratuities and hotel service charge
- 24/7 Support

EXCLUSIONS

- Visas
- Travel insurance
- Tipping and gratuities not on board
- Any service not clearly mentioned in the itinerary
- Airport transfers on the first and last day of the tour
- Transfers to / from the port of embarkation and disembarkation
- Shore excursions and other items on board such as alcoholic beverages, wifi, spa treatments and select dining venues
- Optional activities listed in the itinerary
- Personal expenses

DEPARTURE DATES: PRICE IS QUOTED IN \$ PER PERSON

DEPART AU	RETURN DATE	PRICE	NOTE	RESERVE YOUR SEAT
Tuesday 21 Oct 2025	Wednesday 12 Nov 2025	\$5,599	Upgrade Your Cabin	Book

OPTIONAL TOURS

FINE PRINT

FLIGHT INFORMATION

This package includes international flights from Sydney, Melbourne, Perth, Adelaide, Brisbane or other city if requested when selecting your departure city.

Interstate Surcharge

Surcharges may apply and will be shown during the booking process when choosing your departure city.

In this package, we will use a selection of different airlines which may include a mix of full-service carriers or low-

cost carriers. Luggage allowance is included.

- Some flights will require a minimum of 1 transit (maximum 2).
- All tickets will include 20-23 kilos checked baggage per person, along with 7 kilos of hand luggage.
- Despite the airlines baggage allowance, we recommend travelling with 20 kilos per person due to restrictions with internal flights (where applicable), as well as coach and train transportation. Also, you will be responsible for handling your luggage at all times as the services of porters is not included. If travelling over this amount, you will be liable for any excess baggage fees enforced by the airline, payable direct.
- Once ticketed, flights are non-refundable. **Any changes will be subject to the airline rules, Airline change fees and an AVG Travels change fee of \$250 per person.**
- Full names as per passport (including all middle names) are required. Any error in the names submitted will be subject to an AVG Travels name change fee of \$150 plus any applicable fees charged by the airline, or the ticket may be non-refundable with the purchase of a new ticket required.
- Any airline schedule changes or cancellations are beyond our control. It is important that you, as the customer, stay up-to-date with the latest airline schedule information prior to your departure. If a schedule change results in extended transits or an earlier/later departure from your destination, any additional accommodation or alternative arrangements will be at the traveler's expense.
- Any airline 'extras' such as pre-allocated seating is at your own arrangement (additional charges apply)
- After booking, the price payable may be subject to change as a result of factors beyond the control of AVG Travels. AVG Travels reserves the right to increase the price payable and this will be reflected on the customer's invoice. Increases may be in relation to, but not limited to, currency fluctuations, airline taxes, airfare increases and fuel surcharges.
- Internal flights (where applicable and included in the itinerary) will be using a local carrier and may include low-cost carriers without meals or entertainment. Checked baggage will still be included for each passenger. Any additional baggage required is payable at time of check-in.
- If you are travelling with another party on a separate booking, we cannot guarantee that the same flights will be booked for all parties, as this strictly depends on availability.
- You will be responsible for handling your luggage at all times as the services of porters are not included. If travelling over the recommended amount, you will be liable for any excess baggage fees enforced by the airline, payable directly.
- In the event of that you no-show on your scheduled flight, please be aware the airline will require you to pay a no show fee, Airline reissue fee plus any additional airfare and taxes. AVG Travels will also charge a \$250 admin fee to assist reaccommodating you on the next available flight. Please note that depending on the airline's policy, purchasing a new ticket may be required.

Flight requests, amendments or preferences

We understand customers may wish to request changes to their included airfares. If you wish to fly with a certain airline, land at a certain time or change your flight in other ways we will gladly provide you with a personalized quote tailored to your specific requirements.

We would be more than happy to provide you with a quote for the following requests:

Airline Preferences – You may wish to fly with a particular airline

Cabin Preferences – These include upgrading to premium economy or business class

Extensions (start and end cities must remain the same) – You may request to extend your stay pre or post tour.

Meal Requests – You may request a specific meal for dietary requirements.

Seat Requests – If you would like to request particular seating. However please note, not all airlines allow the selection of pre-purchased seat arrangements.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

MSC Cruises has earned a reputation for offering premium, Mediterranean-inspired cruising experiences with an emphasis on luxury, personalization, and family-friendly activities. Its legacy of innovation, from the creation of unique ship classes to its focus on sustainability, sets MSC apart as a forward-thinking leader in the cruise industry. As it continues to grow and evolve, MSC Cruises remains committed to delivering exceptional cruises while shaping the future of responsible tourism and oceanic exploration.

SAIL DATE

23 October 2025

CABIN UPGRADES

Based on Inside Interior Bella Stateroom – ideal for travelers who want to enjoy the on board amenities and

facilities and not likely to spend a lot of time in their cabin. MSC will assign the cabin within 4 days before the cruise departure. You cannot choose the cabin number. You could be assigned a cabin with obstructed view.

Interior Bella

Surface approx **12-17 sqm**

Relaxing armchair

Bathroom with shower, vanity area and hairdryer

Comfortable double or single beds (on request)

Interactive TV, telephone, Wifi connection available (for a fee), safe and minibar

Upgrade available on request

HOW TO EXTEND YOUR STAY

Pre and Post Tour Accommodation is NOT available with this cruise and flight package.

MSC EURIBIA INFORMATION

MSC Euribia

The MSC Euribia is a state-of-the-art cruise ship offering a wide range of amenities and facilities that cater to both relaxation and adventure, providing a luxurious experience for all types of travelers. Here's a detailed overview of the ship's offerings:

Accommodation Options

MSC Euribia offers a variety of **staterooms and suites** to suit different preferences and budgets, including:

- **Interior, Oceanview, Balcony, and Suites** with stylish décor.
- **Fantastica and Aurea** experience cabins, offering enhanced perks such as more flexibility, room service, and access to exclusive areas.

For those seeking the ultimate in luxury, the **MSC Yacht Club** provides a VIP experience with spacious suites, exclusive access to private lounges, pools, and dining areas.

Dining & Culinary Experiences

The ship boasts a wide array of dining options, including:

- **Main Restaurants:** Two beautifully designed main dining rooms (La Brasserie and Il Cerchio d'Oro) offering free dining for breakfast, lunch, and dinner with a mix of international and Mediterranean cuisine.
- **Specialty Restaurants:** Guests can choose from multiple specialty dining options like:
 - **Butcher's Cut:** An American-style steakhouse serving premium cuts.
 - **Kaito Sushi Bar:** Fresh sushi and Asian-inspired dishes.
 - **Ocean Cay Seafood Restaurant:** A seafood lover's paradise offering a wide selection of fresh catches.
- **Marketplace Buffet:** A casual dining option serving a variety of international dishes throughout the day.
- **Cafés and Bars:** Numerous bars and cafés, including the **Yacht Club Lounge**, **Havana Cigar Lounge**, **Galleria Bar**, and **Chocolate Café**, for a relaxing drink or light bite.

Entertainment & Activities

- **Theatre Shows:** The **Royal Theatre** features stunning Broadway-style shows, musical performances, and live entertainment in a beautifully designed venue.
- **Cinema:** Enjoy the latest blockbuster movies in the **4D Cinema** experience or in the main **Dolby Digital Cinema**.
- **Casino:** Try your luck at the **Casino Royal**, which offers a wide range of classic and modern games, from slot machines to table games.
- **Nightlife:** Multiple vibrant nightlife options including **Le Cabaret Rouge** and the **Attic Club**, where guests can dance the night away.
- **Live Music Venues:** Enjoy live performances in several lounges and bars, from jazz to contemporary hits.

Wellness & Relaxation

- **Aurea Spa:** A luxurious spa offering massages, facials, wellness treatments, and a thermal suite, perfect for ultimate relaxation.
- **Gym & Fitness Center:** A fully equipped fitness center with state-of-the-art equipment, as well as a range of fitness classes including yoga, Pilates, and cycling.
- **Infinity Pool:** For a refreshing swim with stunning ocean views, head to the infinity pool located on the top

deck.

- **Solarium and Pool Areas:** Multiple pools, including an adult-only solarium pool for a quieter, more serene environment.
- **Sauna and Steam Rooms:** Included in the Aurea Spa, as well as a variety of wellness and relaxation zones around the ship.

Family-Friendly Facilities

- **Kids' Clubs:** MSC Euribia is known for its family-friendly atmosphere, with **Kids Clubs** for various age groups, including:
 - **Mini Club** (3–6 years old),
 - **Juniors Club** (7–11 years old),
 - **Teens Club** (12–17 years old).
- **Doremiland:** A dedicated kids' area with interactive games, toys, and themed play zones, offering a wide range of activities supervised by trained staff.
- **Water Park:** The ship has an exciting **Aqua Park** with waterslides, splash zones, and a lazy river, perfect for families to enjoy together.
- **Family Staterooms:** Specially designed rooms for families with interconnected cabins and family-friendly amenities.

Shops & Retail

MSC Euribia has a variety of shopping options, including:

- **Duty-Free Shopping:** A range of high-end and luxury boutiques selling perfumes, jewelry, fashion, and accessories.
- **MSC Logo Shop:** Souvenirs, MSC merchandise, and clothing items.
- **Galleria Shops:** Boutiques and stores selling a variety of goods, from watches to clothing and electronics.

Sports & Recreation

- **Sportsplex:** A multi-sports area offering basketball, soccer, and mini-golf.
- **F1 Simulator:** A high-tech racing simulator for guests who enjoy a bit of thrill.
- **Bowling Alley:** An onboard **Bowling Bar** provides a fun, casual activity with illuminated lanes.
- **Table Tennis & Arcade:** Various game options including ping-pong tables and an arcade room for both kids and adults.

MSC for Me Technology

- **MSC for Me** is the ship's integrated tech system that provides guests with seamless connectivity throughout their journey. It includes:
 - A mobile app for booking activities, checking schedules, and finding your way around the ship.
 - **Interactive screens** around the ship for quick information and wayfinding.
 - Smart **stateroom keys** that enable you to access your room and other personalized services.

Pools & Outdoor Decks

- **Main Pool:** A large, beautiful pool area perfect for lounging and socializing.
- **Infinity Pool:** A relaxing pool offering sweeping ocean views.
- **Adults-Only Pool:** For those seeking peace and tranquility, there is a designated adults-only pool area.
- **Whirlpools and Jacuzzis:** Located around the ship for a relaxing soak while taking in the sea breeze.

Environmental & Sustainability Initiatives

MSC Euribia is one of MSC Cruises' most environmentally advanced ships. It features:

- **Advanced wastewater treatment systems.**
- **Energy-efficient engines** and technology to reduce fuel consumption and emissions.
- **Water conservation systems** and **zero single-use plastics** on board.

The above description of facilities and amenities is not exhaustive and features may have been added or removed by MSC Cruises. Latest technical information can be found here [MSC EURIBIA](#)

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