



LISBON & SECRETS OF THE DOURO

11 day itinerary | Lisbon to Porto | EPDL.1 |



10 Number of nights — Cruise — Cruise start/finish

Map is a guide only

Immerse yourself in authentic Lisbon before taking to the Douro. Leaving the metropolis of Porto behind, you will navigate a path through Portugal's countryside where vineyards and landmarks await. Start your journey in the Portuguese capital of Lisbon, before meeting your Emerald Cruises Star-Ship in Porto. A symbol of Portugal's birth and growth as a nation, the Douro has long been the country's lifeline. Leaving the pastel-colored metropolis of Porto, venture through the enchanting countryside. Terraced vineyards rise from the river banks, historic landmarks pepper distant horizons and charming townships lay hidden in the rural hillsides. Salamanca shines both day and night and a kayak experience in Pinhão provides a new perspective on the Douro.

CAT	Stateroom/Suite	Deck	Group Fare
F	Emerald Stateroom	Riviera	\$X,XXX
E	Emerald Stateroom	Riviera	\$X,XXX
D	Emerald Stateroom	Riviera	\$X,XXX
C	Panorama Balcony Suite	Vista	\$X,XXX
B	Panorama Balcony Suite	Vista	\$X,XXX
R	Panorama Balcony Suite	Vista	\$X,XXX
A	Panorama Balcony Suite	Horizon	\$X,XXX
P	Panorama Balcony Suite	Horizon	\$X,XXX
SA	Owner's One Bedroom Suite	Horizon	\$X,XXX
RA	Emerald Riverview Suite	Horizon	\$X,XXX

Pricing is per person. Included in the above group fares is a per person port charge of

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OPTION 1: 2-for-1 Air
Round-Trip Economy
(\$1,400pp max. value)

OPTION 2: FREE Premium Drinks
Package

OPTION 3: \$500 Per Person
Additional Savings

*Available when you pay-in-full within 72 hours.

The EmeraldEXPERIENCE

- **Airport transfers** to and from your Star-Ship
- Stylish **Accommodations** on board our Star-Ship
- All **Meals** included while on board, including a Welcome and Farewell Reception & Dinner
- Complimentary wine, beer and soft drinks to accompany lunch & dinner on board
- Complimentary tea & coffee on board
- Complimentary bottled water in your suite or stateroom, restocked daily
- A variety of onboard evening entertainment
- Complimentary Wi-Fi on board
- An excursion almost every day
- Complimentary bicycles on board
- First-class service from English-speaking crew and knowledgeable local guides
- Earn EmeraldEXPLORER loyalty points
- All port charges and overseas transfers
- All gratuities are included



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Day 1 Lisbon

Spread across a rolling landscape that overlooks the Rio Tejo, Lisbon has captivated visitors for centuries. The amazing vistas reveal the city in all its lavish beauty, including Roman ruins, white-domed cathedrals and sun-kissed cafés. You will be transferred from the airport to your hotel, included is a three-night stay in Lisbon.

Day 2 Lisbon

Today, you can enjoy an exciting tour of Lisbon's city center and experience the sight of yellow trams traveling swiftly through tree-lined boulevards.

Enjoy a visit to Jerónimos Monastery, a UNESCO World Heritage-listed site and one of the most prominent examples of late Gothic Manueline architecture in Portugal.

 A guided tour of Lisbon

Meal: Breakfast

Day 3 Lisbon

The cobbled alleyways and ancient ruins of Lisbon are yours to explore at leisure today, perhaps stopping to learn about Lisbon's long and storied history and the Pombaline architecture that took hold following the Great Lisbon Earthquake. Your tour director will be available to help you plan your day.

 Excursion to Sintra (extra expense)

Meal: Breakfast

Day 4 Lisbon – Porto

Today, travel north along the Atlantic coast and stop in the enchanting town of Nazaré, home to some of the largest waves in Europe. When you arrive in Porto, board your contemporary Emerald Cruises Star-Ship. This evening, join your fellow travelers for dinner on board.

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Day 5 Porto – Pinhão

Relax on board today and enjoy a full day of sailing through the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Douro Valley. This fascinating area is celebrated because it builds on two millennia of wine producing history, where viticulture has shaped the surrounding landscape and small, sleepy villages are peppered with dozens of sun-drenched vineyards.

Tonight, enjoy a welcome dinner and cocktail reception.

 Portuguese cooking demonstration on board

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 6 Pinhão – Vega de Terrón


Begin your day with a visit to the beautiful Quinta do Têdo vineyard in the heart of Portugal's Douro Valley, nestled on the confluence of the Douro and Têdo rivers. This 18th-century estate is environmentally sound, creating organic produce by using traditional viticulture methods.

Alternatively, enjoy a guided walk through local vineyards, stopping along the way to admire your surroundings. Or, embark on a kayak excursion along the river, taking in the impressive views from the heart of the Douro Valley.

This afternoon, enjoy sailing to Vega de Terrón, perhaps relaxing on the Sun Deck.

 Visit to Quinta do Têdo with tasting

 Kayak experience in Pinhão

 Guided active walk through the vineyards

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner


Day 7 Vega de Terrón – Salamanca

Founded in Roman times, the ancient city of Salamanca and its UNESCO World Heritage-listed old quarter have an illustrious past, having been held by the Carthaginians, Romans and Moors.

Travel to the beautiful golden city for a walking tour, starting with the postcard-worthy galleries and arcades that adorn Plaza Mayor. You'll also have the opportunity to see Casa de las Conchas, a building that has been lovingly decorated with more than 300 shells.

 Guided tour of Salamanca

 Tuna music band

 Castelo Rodrigo tour (extra expense)

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner


Day 8 Pocinho – Régua

This morning, you'll arrive in Pocinho where you'll have the opportunity to visit the Côa Valley Museum. Later, return to your ship for lunch and soak up your idyllic surroundings, enjoying a Port wine cocktail lesson on boards as you sail towards Régua. This evening, a rural dinner at a wine estate is certain to be one of the highlights of your trip.

 Visit to the Côa Valley Museum

 Port wine cocktail lesson on board

 Rural dinner at Quinta da Pacheca

 Archaeological tour by 4x4 at the Côa Valley Museum (extra expense)


Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 9 Régua

On today's included excursion, you'll visit the marvelous Baroque village of Lamego, stopping to see the picturesque Shrine of Our Lady of Remedies, a structure that stands gracefully over the town. If you're feeling active, enjoy an invigorating walk down the 686 steps from the Sanctuary to the main square.

 Guided tour of Lamego

 Mosaic tile painting lesson on board

 Walk down the steps of the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Remedies


 Visit to Mateus Manor House (extra expense)


Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 10 Porto

Located at the mouth of the Douro River, Porto is a fascinating eclectic mix of modern and ancient architecture. Famous for its export of Port wines, it's easy to imagine how British merchant ships would have once clustered together in the medieval harbor, waiting to take their produce across the water.


Your included tour of the coastal city will touch on the fortified structures of Castelo da Foz and Castelo do Queijo, a building whose pentagonal façades overlook the ocean. For those who wish to see the charms of Porto on foot, our active walk through the town will bring you closer to the vibrant daily life of the locals.

 Guided tour of Porto

 A cruise through Porto

 Guided active walk in Porto

 Visit to Quinta da Aveleda (extra expense)

 Guided bike tour to the Atlantic (extra expense)

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 11 Porto

After breakfast, it's time to say farewell to your Star-Ship and fellow guests, taking memories of sun-drenched vineyards with you.

Meals: Breakfast

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