Amsterdam to Budapest 5-Star River Cruise

THE NETHERLANDS ● GERMANY ● SLOVAKIA ● AUSTRIA

The Offer

The history, the romance, the ever-changing vistas as you glide along the iconic Danube, Main and Rhine rivers of Europe… it's magic! This 18-day luxury river cruise package is the perfect way to experience the wonders of Vienna, Budapest, Bratislava and beyond in five-star comfort and style.

Begin in Amsterdam, the cosmopolitan capital of the Netherlands, and embark on a 14-night river cruise aboard the new Amadeus Mira (May 2027) or Amadeus Amara (August 2027). Indulge in gourmet meals, free-flowing beer and wine from Europe's famous wine regions with every lunch and dinner onboard, as well as special onboard entertainment as you make your way through grand cities and stunning landscapes. Cruise to historic Cologne; see Rudesheim, a picturesque winemaking town in the Rhine Gorge; lose yourself in the beautiful old town of Bamberg; admire the preserved medieval architecture of Regensburg; enjoy a day at leisure in cosmopolitan Vienna; soak up the charm of Slovakia's vibrant capital of Bratislava; explore chic Budapest and much more!

Sail aboard the brand new elegant and modern Amadeus Mira (May 2027) and enjoy a new standard of comfort. The ship is large enough to offer multiple dining options, yet small enough for the famed Amadeus onboard ambience. Enjoy the open-air Lido Bar on the sun deck, the Panorama Bar and Lounge and Cafe Vienna, each with their own personality and style. Or step into a new era of river cruising with the Amadeus Amara (August 2027), a new vessel that redefines luxury and sophistication. This ship is an embodiment of timeless elegance, state-of-the-art technology and impeccable attention to detail.

At each port, choose to take part in optional shore excursions or see the city at your own leisure.

With return international flights, an English-speaking onboard Cruise Director, 41 meals, 14 nights cruising in an luxury outside river-view stateroom, overnight in a 4-star centrally-located hotel in beautiful Amsterdam plus more, the only thing that would make this trip better is you.

Want more? Elevate your cruise adventure with curated optional tour bundles, designed for an unforgettable journey. See details in the Important Information section or speak to a TripADeal team member for further details.

The Map

Amsterdam
Utrecht
NETHERLANDS
GERMANY
Cologne
Wertheim
Bamberg
Rüdesheim
Nuremberg
Miltenberg
Bratislava
Emmersdorf
Würzburg
SLOVAKIA
Regensburg
Vienna
Passau
FLIGHTS
CRUISE
AUSTRIA
Budapest
HUNGARY

The Itinerary

Day 1 Australia (or New Zealand) - Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Today, depart for Amsterdam, the Netherlands!

Please note: Due to flight scheduling and availability, some customers may be required to depart on Day 2, to arrive on Day 2. Flight times will be indicated on your final documentation, which you will receive prior to departure.

Meals included: In-Flight

Day 2 Welcome to Amsterdam, The Netherlands!

Welcome to Amsterdam, Netherlands. Upon arrival make your own way to the hotel and enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

This city is known for its artistic heritage, elaborate canal system and narrow houses with gabled facades.

Enjoy your time exploring all that this iconic city has to offer, before setting sail on your 14-night cruise tomorrow.

Overnight: Park Inn by Radisson City West or similar, Amsterdam
Meals included: None

Day 3 Amsterdam, The Netherlands - Begin 14-Night 5-star Amsterdam to Budapest River Cruise

Embark: 16:00

This morning, enjoy time at leisure exploring Amsterdam's canal system, 17th-century architecture and many museums.

In the afternoon, make your own way to the riverport of Amsterdam to board your home for the next 14 nights. Spend the afternoon settling into your floating home docked in the canals of Amsterdam.

This evening, enjoy a welcome cocktail and dinner on board.

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Dinner

Day 4 Amsterdam, The Netherlands – Utrecht, The Netherlands

Amsterdam - Depart: 08:30

Utrecht - Arrive: 11:30 - Depart: 12:30

Today enjoy the Netherlands' capital, known for its artistic heritage, elaborate canal system and narrow houses with gabled facades, legacies of the city's 17th century Golden Age. Begin your exploration with a relaxing cruise through a myriad of landscapes along the Rhine river. For more active pursuits, spend the morning exploring the canal city of Amsterdam and the surrounding countryside, rejoining the vessel in the town of Utrecht in time for lunch.

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

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Day 5 Cologne, Germany
Arrive: 10:00 - Depart: 20:00

Discover this 2000-year-old city spanning the Rhine River in Western Germany at your leisure. It's the region's cultural hub, a landmark of High Gothic architecture set amid the reconstructed old town. The twin-spired Cologne Cathedral is also known for its gilded mediaeval reliquary and sweeping river views.

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 6 Rudesheim, Germany
Arrive: 12:00 - Depart: 15:00

The morning starts on a high note with the passage of the Lorelei in the Upper Middle Rhine Valley. At lunchtime, the vessel arrives in Rudesheim, a picturesque wine-making town in the Rhine Gorge. Discover the region's rich history on a walking tour and admire the magical collection of instruments at the Music Cabinet Museum (optional excursion). Or choose to take a tram ride through the vineyards of Rüdesheim on the "Wine Express", enjoy some fine wine and stroll along the quaint "Drosselgasse" (optional excursion).

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 7 Miltenberg, Germany – Wertheim, Germany
Miltenberg - Arrive: 14:00 - Depart: 14:30

Wertheim - Arrive: 18:30 - Depart: 19:00

Today you can choose to remain onboard for a relaxing day or take the opportunity to join an optional excursion to the historic townships of Miltenberg and Wertheim (not included).

See the historic town of Miltenberg on the Main River. Some of Germany's most beautiful timbered houses can be found in Miltenberg, considered a traditional village located in the Lower Franconia district of Bavaria.

Wertheim was founded between the 7th and 8th century, and is best known for its landmark castle and mediaeval town centre.

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 8 Wurzburg, Germany
Arrive: 09:00 - Depart: 13:00

Arrive in Wurzburg - a Bavarian city at the centre of Franconian wine country, renowned for lavish baroque and rococo (late baroque) architecture. It's home to numerous wine bars, cellars and wineries that are waiting to be discovered and sampled. Relax in the afternoon and enjoy a sumptuous dinner tonight.

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

The Itinerary

Day 9 Bamberg, Germany
Arrive: 13:00 - Depart: 19:00

Relax this morning while cruising the beautiful Main River to the UNESCO-protected Imperial city of Bamberg. Its old town preserves structures from the 11th to 19th centuries including the mural-adorned Altes Rathaus, which is on an island in the Regnitz and accessed by arched bridges.

This evening, transit the Main and Danube Canal, and learn about this important waterway with an onboard talk.

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 10 Nuremberg, Germany
Arrive: 07:30 - Depart: 17:00

Following breakfast, enjoy your day in the romantic old town of Nuremberg. Though largely destroyed during WWII, it has been lovingly restored and is distinguished by its mediaeval architecture, including the fortifications and stone towers of its Altstadt (Old Town).

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 11 Regensburg, Germany
Arrive: 13:00 - Depart: 22:00

This afternoon, the ship docks at one of Germany's best well-preserved medieval cities. Regensburg is located on the northernmost point of the Danube River, and is known for its UNESCO-world-heritage architecture from different centuries. The 13th-century Regensburg Cathedral, a twin-spired Gothic landmark, is just one of the many highlights of this city.

This evening, enjoy a special Bavarian-themed evening celebrating the wonderful region you have been cruising.

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 12 Passau, Germany
Arrive: 12:00 - Depart: 16:00

Passau, a German city on the Austrian border, lies at the confluence of the Danube, Inn and Ilz rivers, and is aptly known as the 'Three Rivers City'. The town is overlooked by the Veste Oberhaus, a 13th-century hilltop fortress housing a city museum and observation tower. The old town below is known for its baroque architecture, including St Stephen's Cathedral, which features distinctive onion-domed towers and an organ with 17,974 pipes.

Enjoy dinner as the vessel sets off toward the romantic Wachau Valley.

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Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 13 Emmersdorf/Melk, Austria – Durnstein, Austria - Vienna, Austria

Emmersdorf/Melk, Austria – Arrive: 06:30 - Depart: 11:30

Durnstein – Arrive: 13:00 - Depart: 15:00

Vienna - Arrive: 19:15

Early this morning, dock in Emmersdorf, in the heart of the UNESCO protected cultural heritage landscape of the Wachau Valley. Travel to Melk, known for the 11th century Melk Abbey - a vast monastery built high above the town. Gold statuary adorns its domed Abbey Church, and the huge library houses mediaeval manuscripts. The Marmorsaal is a baroque hall with a ceiling fresco and red marble walls. South of Melk, gardens surround the Renaissance Schallaburg Castle, which hosts cultural exhibitions.

A small town on the Danube River, Durnstein is one of the most-visited tourist destinations in the Wachau region. Take the opportunity to join an optional walking tour and wine tasting in Durnstein (not included).

The Wachau Valley is an Austrian region near the Danube River, west of Vienna. It's known for its rolling hills, vineyards and fortresses. Arrive in Vienna this evening at approximately 19:15. Tonight, don't miss the opportunity to enjoy the "Sound of Vienna" concert (optional excursion).

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 14 Vienna, Austria

Depart: 23:59

There is much to see in Vienna, Austria's capital city. It lies in the country's east on the Danube River. Its artistic and intellectual legacy was shaped by residents, including Mozart, Beethoven and Sigmund Freud.

The city is also known for its imperial palaces, including Schonbrunn, the Habsburgs' summer residence. In the Museumsquartier district, historic and contemporary buildings display work by Egon Schiele, Gustav Klimt and other artists.

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 15 Bratislava, Slovakia

Arrive: 07:00 - Depart: 20:00

Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia, is set along the Danube River by the border of Austria and Hungary. It's surrounded by vineyards and the Little Carpathian Mountains and is crisscrossed with forested hiking and cycling trails. The pedestrian only, 18th-century old town is known for its lively bars and cafes. Perched atop a hill, the reconstructed Bratislava Castle overlooks old town and the Danube.

Tonight, you will enjoy the Captain's Gala Dinner.

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

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Day 16 Budapest, Hungary
Arrive: 08:30

The beautiful Hungarian capital of Budapest is a perfect finale to your trip. One of the largest cities in the European Union, it's bisected by the Danube River. Its 19th century Chain Bridge connects the hilly Buda district with flat Pest. A funicular (cable railway) runs up Castle Hill to Buda's Old Town, where the Budapest History Museum traces city life from Roman times onward. Budapest offers many interesting sites, including the largest building in Hungary, the neo gothic Parliament building, Fisherman's Bastion.

This evening enjoy a Hungarian folklore show as the ship cruises the Danube to view the beautiful city by night.

Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises' Amadeus Mira or Amadeus Amara
Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 17 Disembark - Budapest, Hungary - Australia
Disembark: 09:00

This morning after breakfast you will disembark and make your own way to the airport for your return flight back to Australia (or New Zealand).

Meals included: Breakfast; In-Flight

Day 18 Arrive in Australia (or New Zealand)
Please note: Some flights may arrive +1 day later.

Tour Inclusions

HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover the Netherlands, Germany, Slovakia, Austria & Hungary onboard a luxury river cruise
- Cruise in style along the Rhine, Main & Danube rivers
- Discover Amsterdam & Budapest at leisure
- Cruise to Cologne, Nuremberg, Passau, Emmersdorf/Melk, Bratislava & more
- Experience Cologne, renowned for its High Gothic architecture
- Visit the picturesque winemaking town of Ruedesheim in the Rhine Gorge
- Dock in the Bavarian cities of Wurzburg & Bamberg
- See Nuremberg, heart of the German Renaissance
- Explore the well-preserved medieval town of Regensburg
- Dock in Passau, known for its baroque architecture
- See Emmersdorf & Melk in the beautiful Wachau Valley
- Visit the popular wine-growing area of Durnstein
- Witness the stunning scenery of the UNESCO-listed Wachau region, known for its rolling hills, vineyards and fortresses
- Enjoy a day at leisure in the Imperial Austrian capital of Vienna
- Visit Bratislava, the vibrant capital of Slovakia
- Enjoy a day at leisure in Budapest on the Danube River

FLIGHTS

- Return international full-service flights (economy class), surcharges may apply (Excludes Trip Only option)

CRUISE

- 14-night river cruise from Amsterdam to Budapest
- Sail aboard the brand new 5-star Amadeus Mira (May departure date) or Amadeus Amara (August departure date)
- Stay in a luxurious outside riverview stateroom
- 24-hour complimentary coffee, tea, hot chocolate and water
- Enjoy special onboard entertainment including fascinating lectures, cooking demonstrations and local cultural performances
- Music program every day in the bar by a pianist or by an Amadeus music group
- Free-flowing soft drinks, beer and wines from Europe's famous wine regions with every lunch and dinner
- Enjoy a welcome cocktail reception, welcome dinner and Captain's gala farewell dinner
- Experience a Bavarian folklore show night onboard cruise
- Bottled water replenished daily
- Complimentary use of onboard bicycles
- Onboard fitness centre open 24 hours a day
- Complimentary Wi-Fi onboard
- Cruise gratuities

ACCOMMODATION

- Overnight stay in 4-star centrally-located hotel accommodation in Amsterdam

DINING

- Enjoy 41 meals, including all gourmet meals onboard the ship, plus afternoon tea and late-night snacks

Tour Inclusions

ESSENTIALS

English-speaking onboard Cruise Director

Airline, cruise taxes and surcharges

Important Information

**Please note: All information provided in this brochure is subject to both change and availability. Prior to purchase please check the current deal for up-to-date information. If you have already purchased this deal, the terms and conditions on your Purchase Confirmation apply and take precedence over the information in this brochure.*

Booking Information

After purchase, you will receive a receipt and a Purchase Confirmation, directing you to an online Passenger Information Form. You must complete the Passenger Information Form within 72 hours of purchase.
Any special requests, preferences and optional extras MUST be clearly stated in your Passenger Information Form. Any change requested after submitting your Passenger Information Form cannot be guaranteed, is strictly subject to availability and will incur surcharges as outlined in the Schedule of Fees below.

Please note: All countries and territories have different entry requirements in relation to vaccinations, quarantine/isolation periods and travel restrictions. Due to the evolving nature, we would ask all of our customers to monitor, meet and adhere to the specific requirements of their intended destination(s) in the lead-up to and immediately before travel, as well as any requirements post-travel upon their return.

Our Policies

Cancellation & Refund Policy

By placing a booking with us, you acknowledge the following important information:

- **we act as your booking agent;** TripADeal is a booking services provider, and curates the Travel Offers available on our website. We act as your booking agent, and we receive payment for the Booking Services as part of the booking price, however, we do not provide any of the Travel Services (flights, accommodation, tours or other products or services) included in your booking – the Travel Services are provided by a number of third party Travel Suppliers.
- **each booking is unique;** our Travel Offers are made up of a variety of different components and are, during the booking process, uniquely tailored to suit your requirements, for example, departure dates and ports, flight and room upgrades, tour inclusions, etc.
- **changes/modifications to your booking may not be possible;** once your booking has been made, changes or modifications may not be possible, and where possible, may incur a fee. It is important to ensure that the information you provide during the booking process is accurate and up to date, and that you read the Travel Offer carefully before placing your order.
- **Travel Offers are a package;** our Travel Offers have been curated into package offerings and must be used as a package – individual components cannot be used independently of the full package offering.
- **our Travel Offers are generally non-refundable:** in order to provide great value Travel Offers, we work with a variety of Travel Suppliers to find the best deals – this often means the Travel Suppliers' offerings are non-refundable to ensure the best price. We recommend that you obtain travel insurance as soon as you make a booking with us.

To read more about our Cancellation and Refund Policy, please click here.

General Terms & Conditions

By placing your booking with us, you acknowledge and agree to our Terms & Conditions, Privacy Policy and Cancellation Policy.

Offer Essentials

This Travel Offer is valid for travel on select dates until the 17th August 2027.
Minimum group size 2.
This Travel Offer is priced per person based on a twin share.

Departure Dates & Surcharges

See checkout for live dates and availability.

Single Traveller Supplement

For solo travellers, a mandatory single supplement applies:

- Haydn Deck: $1,350
- Premium Haydn Deck: $1,550
- Strauss Deck: $3,200
- Premium Strauss Deck: $5,600

Please note: Accommodation for single customers who are travelling on a tour or cruise package may be in a single room, depending on availability.

Child Policy

- No child discounts are offered. The full price applies to all children travelling with their parents.
- Valid for children 8 years old and over.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors are allowed.

Flights

(Flight information for options excluding Trip Only)

Departure Cities

Sydney, Melbourne, Perth, *Brisbane, *Adelaide or *Auckland

Departure City Surcharges

- Brisbane or Adelaide: $200 per person
- Auckland: $900 per person

International Full-Service Flight(s)

- Cabin Class: Economy Class

Please note: We cannot accommodate one-way flights. Travellers must take all included flights within the package, and any flights intentionally forfeited will result in later flights being subject to cancellation.

Please note: From Sydney, Melbourne or Perth, the flying journey to your destination may take up to 28 hours, with up to 2 stops. This is provided as a guide only - actual flight duration can vary depending on availability and airline schedules. Your booking's final details will be confirmed to you via email once available.

From Brisbane, Adelaide or Auckland, the flying journey to your destination may take

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up to 32 hours, with up to 2 stops. This is provided as a guide only - actual flight duration can vary depending on availability and airline schedules. Your booking's final details will be confirmed to you via email once available.

Preferred Airline Surcharge

- Cabin Class: Economy Class
- Emirates: $525 per person

Please note:

- *Preferred airlines are subject to availability. If we are unable to fulfil your request, the above extra cost will be refunded.*
- *On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed, subject to aircraft configuration.*
- *In the event that a purchased stopover package and a purchased preferred airline upgrade are not compatible, you will have the option to receive a refund for the preferred airline upgrade or be offered an alternative stopover city option, e.g if you choose to fly with Singapore Airlines you cannot stopover in Dubai.*
- *Preferred airline refers to the marketing carrier and could include codeshare partners.*

Arrive Early & Stay Behind Options

Fly out and return home up to 60 days pre and post your tour dates.

Arrive Early

Amsterdam, Netherlands - From $300 per person, subject to availability.

Stay Behind

Budapest, Hungary - From $300 per person, subject to availability.

Please note:

- ***Exclusions:***

  This fee does not include extra nights' accommodation, meals or airport transfers.

- ***Cancellations & Changes:***

  Flight booking changes or cancellations after air tickets have been issued are not guaranteed and may incur additional fees and fare difference, subject to the airline cancellation and change policies. Flight changes are subject to availability at the time of booking.

- ***High-Season:***

  A high-season Arrive Early or Stay Behind can be purchased for an additional charge, subject to availability. For pricing, please refer to the cart.

- ***+ 60 days:***

  You can fly out up to 60 days before your package's start date, and/or return home 60 days after your package's end date. Should you wish to fly out or return home for more than 60 days from the tour, please contact us to request availability. Additional costs may apply.

- ***Estimated dates:***

  Your estimated departure, return, and arrival dates are all subject to availability and may vary. The confirmed schedule for all flights will be provided when you receive your flight tickets.

- *High season surcharges apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:*
- *4th January 2027- 26th January 2027*
- *19th March 2027- 28th April 2027*
- *19th June 2027- 18th July 2027*
- *11th September 2027- 10th October 2027*
- *10th December 2027- 19th December 2027*
- *20th December 2027- 3rd January 2028*

Stopover Packages

- Dubai, U.A.E

Includes:

- 2, 3 or 5 nights in 4-star accommodation
- Daily breakfast
- Return airport transfers

For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

Please note:

- *When a pre and post-tour stopover is chosen, the same stopover location must be chosen each way, due to the airline used.*
- *When selecting to Arrive Early for your tour in conjunction with a Stopover Package, your fly out date from home will take place before the stopover.*
- *When selecting to Stay Behind after your tour in conjunction with a Stopover Package, your stopover will take place before your final flight home.*
- *Stopover packages are subject to availability.*
- *In the event that a purchased stopover package and a purchased preferred airline upgrade are not compatible, you will have the option to receive a refund for the preferred airline upgrade or be offered an alternative stopover city option, e.g if you choose to fly with Singapore Airlines you cannot stopover in Dubai.*
- *Blackout dates apply to flights departing between the below date ranges:*
- *18th December 2026 - 3rd January 2027*
- *Abu Dhabi Grand Prix (for Dubai): 21 - 26 October 2027*

Christmas and New Years Eve: 20 December 2027 - 03 January 2028

Please note: the exact dates are yet to be confirmed.

Flight Class Upgrades

Business Class: For pricing, please refer to the payment cart at checkout.

Please note:

- *Flight upgrades are subject to availability and pricing changes (if we cannot fulfil your request, the upgrade cost will be refunded).*
- *On any upgrade purchase, short-haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed, subject to aircraft configuration.*

Missed Flights

If you fail to arrive for your outbound flight, you risk all flight and land arrangements in your destination being automatically cancelled by the airlines and land operator, respectively. Additional fees may apply to reinstate these services. If you miss your flight for whatever reason, please contact us as soon as possible to make arrangements.

Important Information

Trip Only Option

If you choose to remove international flights from your package, your holiday may be shorter, as travel days for flights are not included in the Trip Only package. You will receive an email confirmation when minimum numbers have been met and the departure is guaranteed.
We recommend making further travel arrangements, such as flights, after you have received confirmation of a guaranteed departure.
TripADeal assumes no liability for financial losses incurred due to travel arrangements made prior to confirmation of guaranteed departure.
Note: The Trip Only Package does not include return international airfares or airport transfers. At the conclusion of the tour, you will be responsible for booking your own onward travel.
Click here for full Trip Only terms and conditions (see section 4.1)

Cruise

Amadeus Mira

(May 2027 departure)
The Amadeus Mira is the latest gem of the Luftner fleet and will sail the Rhine, Main and Danube starting in the 2027 season. The ship accommodates 158 passengers, including 12 spacious suites with balconies and 67 bright outside cabins with panoramic windows. Sustainability is a top priority on the Mira: A modern hybrid-electric propulsion system, an efficient control and positioning system, solar panels, a heat recovery system and specially insulated windows ensure maximum comfort with minimal environmental impact. Set sail with us and experience unforgettable river cruises through Europe's most culturally rich and scenic regions.

Amadeus Amara

(August 2027 departure)
Step into a new era of river cruising with the Amadeus Amara, a vessel that redefines luxury and sophistication. Launched in summer 2025, this ship is our embodiment of timeless elegance, state-of-the-art technology and impeccable attention to detail. Prepare to explore the breathtaking cities and landscapes along the Rhine and Danube rivers in unparalleled style. The ship offers 12 lavish suites designed for the ultimate in comfort and relaxation. Enjoy the fresh air from your private balcony or unwind in the plush indoor seating area. Our 70 cabins, bathed in natural light through floor-to-ceiling windows, offer spectacular panoramic views at the touch of a button. The ship's design ensures every corner is a haven of tranquility, with sunlit lounges, serene outdoor spaces, and intimate nooks for both socialising and solitude. Take a dip in the exquisite indoor pool or savour a fine wine on the expansive sundeck, all while soaking in the stunning scenery. Experience the Amadeus Amara, where luxury cruising and innovative design come together to create an extraordinary travel experience. Join us for a journey that transcends the ordinary, setting a new standard in river cruising elegance.

Onboard Currency:

EURO

Cabins/Staterooms

Haydn Deck (C-4 - Front Position)

Panoramic windows (cannot be opened), (16 m²). Designed with both style and practicality in mind, our Haydn Deck cabins offer a peaceful and well-equipped space for your journey. Each cabin features a spacious bathroom with a walk-in shower, luxurious Rituals bath products, and a hair dryer, along with a fixed panoramic window that fills the space with natural light. Thoughtful touches like a comfortable double or twin bed, generously-sized wardrobe, secure in-room safe, flat-screen TV, individual climate control, and direct dial telephone ensure a restful and well-equipped stay.

Premium Haydn Deck (C-1 - Middle Position)

Panoramic windows (cannot be opened), (16 m²). Designed with both style and practicality in mind, our Haydn Deck cabins offer a peaceful and well-equipped space for your journey. Each cabin features a spacious bathroom with a walk-in shower, luxurious Rituals bath products, and a hair dryer, along with a fixed panoramic window that fills the space with natural light. Thoughtful touches like a comfortable double or twin bed, generously-sized wardrobe, secure in-room safe, flat-screen TV, individual climate control, and direct dial telephone ensure a restful and well-equipped stay.

Strauss Deck (B-4 - Front Position)

Drop-down panoramic window (can be opened) (17.5 m²). Discover the perfect balance of luxury and tranquility in your personal retreat. These staterooms feature the Amadeus Signature Bed (available as a double or twin), a drop-down panoramic window for uninterrupted river views, a spacious bathroom with a walk-in shower and premium Rituals® bathing products, walk-in wardrobe, flat-screen TV, individual climate control, well-stocked minibar, in-room safe, bathrobe and slippers, hair dryer, and direct dial telephone — ensuring a comfortable and refined travel experience.

Premium Strauss Deck (B-1 - Middle Position)

Drop-down panoramic window (can be opened) (17.5 m²). Discover the perfect balance of luxury and tranquility in your personal retreat. These staterooms feature the Amadeus Signature Bed (available as a double or twin), a drop-down panoramic window for uninterrupted river views, a spacious bathroom with a walk-in shower and premium Rituals® bathing products, walk-in wardrobe, flat-screen TV, individual climate control, well-stocked minibar, in-room safe, bathrobe and slippers, hair dryer, and direct dial telephone — ensuring a comfortable and refined travel experience.

Please note: All cabins are subject to availability; some cabins may have restricted views.

Cruise Arrival & Departure Times

Important Information

Please keep in mind that the provided cruise arrival and departure times are an approximate and will be finalised upon receipt of your cruise tickets.

Accommodation

Accommodation Used

4-Star Properties (Self-Rated)

Amsterdam, Netherlands: Park Inn by Radisson City West or similar

5-Star Cruise (Self-Rated)

Amadeus Cruises: Amadeus Mira (May 2027 date) or Amadeus Amara (August 2027 date)

Please note: Accommodation/rooms offered are based on a lead-in room type and are subject to availability based on seasonality. In the instance a property is not available, a similar standard of accommodation will be provided. Properties will be confirmed and included in your travel pack, which you will receive 4-6 weeks before travel.

Extra Nights

Not available.

Please note: If you are interested in booking additional nights of accommodation pre or post-tour, please wait until you receive your travel documentation approximately 4-6 weeks before departure for the confirmed list of hotels. If booking your own additional accommodation directly with the hotel, please be aware that you may be required to change rooms at the start/end of your tour.

Maximum Room Capacity

2 people.

Triple Share

Not available.

Bedding Configuration

Twin or double (subject to availability).

Optional Tours/activities

Package A: $1,120 per person

- Amsterdam & Iconic canal cruise (Amsterdam/to Utrecht)
- Cologne walking tour and Kolsch tasting
- Wurzburg walking tour with Residence and wine tasting
- Nuremberg - capital of Franconia
- Regensburg with brewery and beer tasting
- Passau Culinary walking tour
- Melk Abbey - A Baroque Jewel
- Vienna - Imperial discovery tour
- Bratislava - Beauty on the Danube
- Budapest - Castle Hill & Historic Wonders

Package B: $1,320 per person

All of Package A, plus the following:

- Rudesheim with Music Cabinet Museum
- Bamberg walking tour
- Durnstein with Abbey and tasting
- Vienna City Shuttle - Schwedenplatz, Opera & Schonbrunn

Package C: $1,900 per person

All of Package A & B, plus the following:

- Amadeus Taste: Kolsch Beer tasting tour
- Miltenberg and Wertheim with glass museum
- Nuremberg Discovery Tour 'Kaiserburg' & Albrecht Durer House
- "Sound of Vienna" classical concert (Cat. B)
- Bratislava: Amadeus Taste: Honey & Beer - Liquid gold tour
- Budapest: Amadeus Taste: Flavours of Budapest

Package S: $1,750 per person

All of Package A & B, plus the following (except for Bamburg Walking tour, Emmersdorf Melk Abbey Tour, Durnstein with Abbey & tasting & Vienna City Shuttle Tour)

- Bamburg: Amadeus Active: E-Bike tour through Bamberg
- Emmersdorf: Amadeus Active: E-Bike along the Danube
- Vienna: Amadeus Active: E-Bike tour to Neuburg Abbey

Cruise your way and choose from a carefully curated selection of immersive and inspiring excursions and adventures! Select one of our packages offered.
Package A (A): See the top sights along your route: Classic city tours and guided walks, complemented by carefully selected visits.
Package B (B): See the main highlights, with additional handpicked excursions to cultural and scenic spots, offering an even more varied travel experience.
Package C(C): Experience nearly all shore excursions, with selected alternative excursions from Package C. Perfect for those who don't want to miss the highlights and want to discover what each destination has to offer.
Active (S): Designed for those who want to explore destinations actively: immersive discovery tours on foot or by bike, offering exciting perspectives and a close connection to landscapes culture, and cities.

Please note:

- *The optional tours listed above must be purchased on checkout or over the phone before submitting your passenger information form (subject to availability).*
- *Some tours or shore excursions require minimum numbers to operate.*
- *Shore excursion programmes and itineraries may vary depending on local conditions and/or any unforeseen events concerning the timing on the day of the tour. Some excursions are very popular, and therefore availability cannot always be guaranteed, it is advisable to book in advance to avoid disappointment.*

Exclusions

- Visa fees and requirements
- Domestic transfers and flights not stated in the deal offer
- Meals/beverages not stated in the deal offer
- Optional gratuities/tipping
- Optional activities/tours
- Personal expenses
- Travel insurance
- Any costs associated with an interruption to your tour as a result of an airline schedule change or cancellation
- Mandatory city tax

Please note: A daily City Tourist Tax (or a Docking Tax for cruise visitors) is charged in some European destinations. They are paid directly to the hotel or cruise company, and

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cannot be prepaid. Further details will be included in your travel.

Please note: Return international flights and transfers to and from the tour are not included in the Trip Only option.

Gratuities/tipping

Cruise

Gratuities (tips) are included for the cruise staff's services throughout this tour's cruise component. You are welcome to tip onboard for exceptional service, however this is not expected. If you have any questions regarding the gratuities on your cruise, please speak to the guest services staff onboard the ship.

Other Important Information

TOUR GUIDE VS. TOUR LEADER

Tour Guide

Often locals with intimate knowledge of an area, its culture, and history. Their role entails providing commentary, routing the tour, and seeing that people have a good time. They are a licensed, qualified expert who supplies specific information on the history, art, architecture and culture of the city/village/attraction where they are guiding the tour. The guide meets the group at the required place and leaves it at the end of the tour; they do not travel with the group.

Tour Leader

An experienced person tasked with ensuring the smooth operation of tours, as well as providing practical support to passengers throughout the whole trip. Their role primarily includes assisting with accommodation, transportation between locations, and communication with tour guides at each stop. A tour leader may provide general guidance around a city or village and offer information on the place visited on the bus. However, they are not required to have specific art, architecture, or historical knowledge. They are not allowed to provide a guided tour or commentary of a city/village/attraction once there and, if caught doing so, can be fined.

Please note: Tour leaders/guides are not a standard inclusion in all travel offers. Tour leaders/guides will only be made available when required to enhance the experience of the destination featured.

CLIMATE & AVERAGE TEMPERATURES

In May, you will find the average daily temperature is around 16°C, which is very pleasant but tends to drop to 11°C at night. At the warmest time of the day, temperatures are known to rise as high as 23°C.

Weather

We always suggest referring to an online source for the most up-to-date weather information for your destination/s.

FLIGHTS

Seat Selection & Frequent Flyer Points

We do not arrange seat selection. It is essential to highlight that some airlines do not allow pre-selected seats. We strongly suggest you contact the airline directly with seating allocation requirements and/or arrive at the airport earlier to arrange your seating. While we do not add frequent flyer member details to bookings, you can do this directly with the airline once you have your flight information.

Passport Validity

Customers must provide valid passport details either at the time of purchase or no later than 45 days before the departure date. Failure to do so may result in the cancellation of the booking. Customers will be responsible for any costs and fees incurred in this instance.

OTHER

Mobility

If you require wheelchair access please contact our friendly sales and service team to inquire on your behalf.
Wheelchairs or mobility scooters are not recommended onboard Amadeus ships due to the multiple limitations on board and possible liability issues.

Fitness Level Required

Adventure (and spontaneity) create some of the best travel memories. Bear in mind, your home schedules and timings might not be adhered to on tour - it's all part of the fun!
A relaxed level of fitness will be required. Expect a comfortable pace of touring with a focus on leisure time and gentle activity. This may include city tours, the ability to walk up and down small flights of stairs and gentle slopes. You will be responsible for your own luggage and have the ability to board all modes of transport without assistance.

Please note:

- *Some areas may be inaccessible to wheelchairs or mobility scooters, with personal walking sticks and other aids required should they be needed. Although some assistance may be available, every traveller should be self-reliant during all aspects of their travel.*
- *It is expected that every traveller must be self-reliant and able to undertake all aspects of their own travel. Please speak to your booking agent about your personal circumstances and any assistance requirements to ensure this tour is right for you.*
- *If you have any concerns, please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/travel.*

Sightseeing

Please note: If entry to a site is affected by changes in operating hours or public holiday closures, your itinerary, where possible, may be adjusted, or a similar activity will be offered in its place (subject to availability).

Shopping

Shopping overseas can be a daunting and confusing experience, especially when there is a language barrier. Please be very cautious when foreign currencies and prices are involved. If paying by credit card, please pay close attention to the amount you are being charged and keep all your receipts. Do not make any purchases you are not comfortable with or feel pressured

into. If you are uncertain or need assistance with the language barrier, please seek assistance from your Tour Guide/Leader. Please refer to our Terms and Conditions regarding shopping for further information.

Visas

A tourist visa is not required for Europe for stays up to 90 days if travelling on an Australian or New Zealand passport.

EU Entry/Exit System (EES)

From October 12, 2025, a new European Entry System (EES) replaces the current manual passport-stamping process for non-EU travellers. Upon arrival in the Schengen area, Australian and New Zealand passport holders will have their fingerprints recorded and a photograph taken. Their entry and exit dates will be electronically registered. No previous action is required, but please be aware of longer wait times at border entry. From 10 April 2026, the EES will be fully operational at all external border crossing points of all the European countries (Schengen area) using the system.

European Travel Information & Authorisation System (ETIAS)

As an extension of the EES implementation introduced from 2025, ETIAS travel authorisation is a mandatory entry requirement for visa-exempt nationals travelling to any of these 30 European countries, including Australian and New Zealand citizens, that will be introduced in 2026. We advise you to monitor smartraveller.com.au closer to your departure to ensure you are up to date on the requirements at the time of entry.

Important:

- *Visa rules are subject to change. Please check with the nearest embassy, consulate or immigration department of the destination/s you are visiting once you receive your travel documentation to ensure you have the most up to date information.*
- *It is your responsibility to be travel-ready and ensure that you are aware and comply with any destination or travel requirements, including the validity of all required travel documents.*
- *Passengers who are not Australian citizens must also check with the respective consulate or visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required.*
- *It is also important to note that some areas of employment, such as journalism, government authorities and charity organisations, may have additional restrictions in applying for visas. This may, in turn, affect the type of application required.*

Travel Insurance

Embarking on your next trip is exciting, and while you hope the unexpected does not happen, it is best to be prepared. We strongly recommend you take out travel insurance when making your booking. Whether it's a potential medical emergency, a flight cancellation, a delayed suitcase, or an unforeseen event, it's important to ensure you're adequately protected. For more information or advice visit https://www.tripadeal.com.au/travel-insurance

Schedule Of Fees

Voluntary Changes

This includes booking changes requested by you, including but not limited to those changes requiring an airline ticket or a Purchase Confirmation reissue.

- Changes - $100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Name Changes Due To Passenger Error

If the incorrect name has been provided, charges of $100 per booking and any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel providers.

Supplier Fees

In the event the tour package you have purchased is unable to proceed, and/or a Travel Supplier is unable to fulfil the tour due to external circumstances (Limitation of Liability e.g. a Force Majeure event), there may be a fee or amount of money that is withheld by our Suppliers and is unrecoverable. This may be due to non-refundable airline tickets, cancellation penalties with cruise cabins or unrecoverable payments with our land/accommodation partners. If refunds are not available from Suppliers, we will endeavour to obtain a travel credit on the best terms available and communicate these outcomes to you. In the event we are unable to obtain a refund or travel service credit, or part thereof, this cost is passed on to the customer as a Supplier Fee.