



Norway & Svalbard's Arctic Frontier

NORWAY

The Offer

Step onto the frozen land of Vikings and polar bears on a journey along Norway's majestic coastline, venturing deep within the Arctic Circle to Svalbard - the final frontier before the North Pole!

Your 14-night expedition cruise begins in Bergen aboard premium signature ships, MS Trollfjord or MS Midnatsol. Onboard, Norwegian heritage-inspired design echoes the surrounding iconic fjords and island-laden archipelagos. Immerse yourself in Norway's seafaring history among the idyllic fishing villages of the Lofoten Islands. Then sail north to Tromsø and the very edge of the European mainland, near Honningsvåg.

Unwind onboard, savouring Norwegian culinary delights as you reach latitude 78° north to dock in Longyearbyen, the legendary jumping-off point for polar explorers. Breathe in the cool, crisp air of the High Arctic tundra and scan the horizon for polar bears, walrus and Arctic foxes. Send a cheeky postcard from the world's northernmost post office in Ny-Alesund and listen to the thunderous crack of Kongsfjord's glacial ice.

Return across the Barents Sea to Senja's turquoise waters and lofty mountains and the warm hospitality of Bessaker. Dock among Alesund's Art Nouveau architecture and cruise through the dramatic scenery of the Hjørundfjord. Disembark in Bergen, with time for a last stroll through the UNESCO-listed Bryggen wharf - the perfect finale to your Arctic adventure.

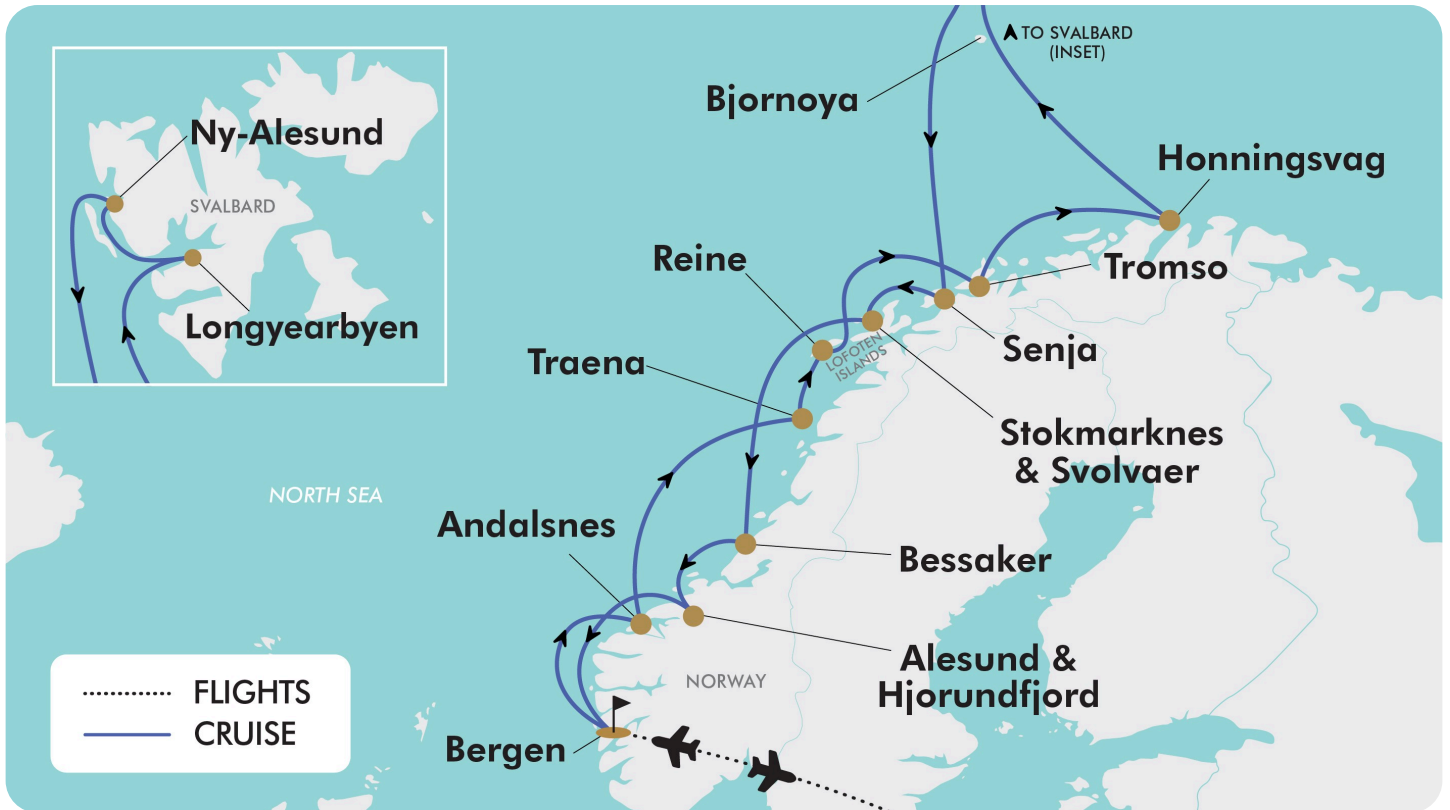
This epic cruising package includes return international flights, a 14-night Signature voyage, 2 nights of 4-star accommodation, 41 meals, an onboard beverage package and more.

Want more? Treat yourself to a cabin upgrade or add extra days to your itinerary pre or post-cruise



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The Map



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The Itinerary

Day 1 Australia (or New Zealand) - Bergen, Norway
Fly from Australia (or New Zealand) to Bergen, Norway.

Meals included: In-Flight

Day 2 Arrive in Bergen, Norway

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

Your trip begins in this beautiful city on the west coast of Norway. What began as a small village was developed by King Olav Kyree in 1070 AD into what is now Norway's second largest city. The majestic peaks that famously surround the city give Bergen its nickname, "The City of Seven Mountains".

Optional Activity: Private Transfer From Airport To Hotel

Add a private vehicle transfer from the airport to your hotel (approximately 18 kilometres). After clearing customs and collecting your luggage, meet your driver in the arrivals terminal and transfer to your hotel. See online Important Information for pricing.

Overnight: Radisson Blu Royal Hotel, Bergen (or similar)

Meals included: None

Day 3 Begin 14-night Norway & Svalbard Cruise - Bergen, Norway

Today, you'll begin a 14-night voyage of the Norwegian coast to Svalbard, a frozen land of calving glaciers, iceberg-flecked fjords, and hardy animals, such as walruses, blue whales and polar bears.

At the appropriate time, make your own way to the Bergen Terminal for check in. Before you board MS Trollfjord, visit Hurtigruten's comfortable guest lounge at the Bergen Terminal. Here, you can talk to staff about securing a spot on any optional excursions still available.

Once you've been welcomed aboard, meet the ship's Expedition Team, who will be your hosts and guides to the Norwegian coastline and Svalbard. Get acquainted with your shipmates and take some time to get comfortable in your new home-away-from-home. Enjoy your first meal aboard the ship, and watch the row of colourful buildings on Bergen's seafront get smaller behind you as you sail out into the Norwegian Sea.

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Meals included: Dinner

Day 4 Andalsnes, Norway

Located along the Isfjord, Andalsnes is a picturesque coastal town, home to about 2,000 people. The literal highlights of Andalsnes are the mountains that tower over the town.

Here you could experience the Norwegian concept of friluftsliv – a love of the outdoors – through a variety of optional activities, such as hiking to Rampestreken viewpoint, or discover Trollveggen, the Troll Wall, a prominent cliff with a vertical drop of more than 1,000 metres. For an easier way to take in the sights, sit back for a relaxing ride on the Romsdal Gondola or travel the winding Trollstigen Pass by bus, and there is also the Golden Train experience along the Rauma Railway, one of Europe's most scenic train journeys (charges may apply). Whichever activities you choose, this day will bring you the best views of the Romsdalsfjord and surrounding peaks.



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Day 5 Traena, Norway

Traena is an archipelago that sits along the Helgeland coast at the edge of the Arctic Circle, 33 nautical miles northwest of the mainland. Made up of around 500 islands, islets, and skerries, only four are inhabited year-round.

Spend the afternoon in one of Norway's oldest fishing communities. If weather permits, you might be able to enjoy such activities as hiking and biking, or even island hopping, with a large population of sea eagles, birdwatching is another activity you won't want to miss. For a truly authentic experience, step into the age-old shoes of a Norwegian fisherman, and cast a line under the summer sun.

In the evening, unwind and enjoy a taste of Norway at one of the onboard restaurants.

Cross the Arctic Circle as you continue heading north, commemorating the moment with a little Norwegian ceremony.

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Day 6 Reine (Lofoten Islands), Norway

Today, explore the famed Lofoten Islands. Watch for the steep mountains rising from the sea as you approach from the south in the morning.

Dock in Reine, an important, picture-perfect fishing village since 1743. This is one of the most-photographed landscapes in all of Norway, where red-painted rorbuer cabins cling to a string of islands beneath sharp mountain ranges reflected in the waters below.

Not far to the south of Reine, at the western tip of the Lofoten archipelago, you'll find A, one of the best-preserved traditional fishing villages in Norway, easily visited on an optional excursion. At the heart of this tiny village is the Norwegian Fishing Village Museum, that covers the importance and development of fishing in Lofoten over the 250 years.

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Day 7 Tromsø, Norway

Tromsø is northern Norway's urban Arctic hotspot, boasting impressive architecture, hip restaurants and the world's northernmost university. Calling into Tromsø on the way to Svalbard follows in the footsteps of history. Most explorers and sailors on Arctic expeditions would embark from or return to the city.

Your ship will aim to dock here in the morning, giving you a whole day to explore this historic Arctic city and its surroundings. Take your pick from a number of optional excursions. Learn more about the culture and polar history of Tromsø on a city walk, or take a scenic bus tour. You could also visit the striking Arctic Cathedral, which has an impressively large multi-coloured stained-glass window. Or ride the Fjellheisen Cable Car up Storsteinen Mountain for exceptionally beautiful views of the city, mountains and fjords.



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Day 8 Honningsvåg, Norway

Around mid-morning, arrive at Honningsvåg, the northernmost city in mainland Norway.

Honningsvåg is the gateway to North Cape, the northernmost point of Europe. The plateau stands 307 metres above sea level, and is just over 1,600 kilometres south of the geographical North Pole. Take a moment to gaze out across the sea from atop the soaring cliffs, watching the waves crash against the rocks below. You can enhance your Honningsvåg experience by choosing from several optional excursions that could include taking a bus, riding a quad bike to the North Cape, or a refreshing hike with your Expedition Team.

Sailing away from Honningsvåg, enjoy dramatic views of the plateau from the sea. The ship heads further into the Barents Sea, leaving mainland Norway's coast far behind.

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Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 9 Cruising towards the Arctic frontier

Today is a day spent far from land as you cross the Barents Sea heading towards the remote wilderness of Svalbard. It really does feel like you're leaving civilisation far behind as you sail towards the top of the world. At some point today you will sail past the lonely and rugged island of Bjornoya 'Bear Island', although no bears live there today.

Relax and enjoy the ship's facilities, and learn about our next destination. Out on deck, the talented chefs will prepare another special tasting for you to enjoy - and listen out for any points of interest from the Expedition Team about Svalbard, where the theme of the day is Arctic desert. There's plenty to do on board, it's the ideal time to take that sauna, work up a sweat in the fitness room, or browse the library. Why not grab a cup of tea or coffee, get yourself comfortable and read up about the nature and history of the Arctic frontier.

In the afternoon there will be a briefing about the special rules that we all must follow to protect the delicate local ecology when we reach Ny-Alesund.

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Day 10 Longyearbyen (Svalbard), Norway

Today, arrive at the Svalbard archipelago and make your way up to Spitsbergen, the largest of the three main islands.

Magnificent brown and green mountains rise and ripple up from the High Arctic tundra while rivers of snow-melt trickle through the valley plains, glistening under the summer sun. Take a moment to just be here, now, in Svalbard. You're at a latitude more than 78°N and under 1400 kilometres from the North Pole itself. The air of this Arctic desert is fresh and pure, and temperatures in summer average between 0°C - 8°C, thanks to a warm northern branch of the Gulf Stream.

In early afternoon, dock in Longyearbyen nestled on the banks of Isfjord. This is the biggest settlement in Svalbard and a hub for adventure travellers, as well as scientists and engineers attached



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to local research projects, like the famous Global Seed Vault. Spend some time strolling around the town, admiring its collection of galleries, pubs, restaurants, brewery and the notable North Pole Expedition Museum.

There are optional excursions to immerse you into the awe-inspiring landscapes surrounding Longyearbyen, exploring by e-bike, open boat and more. Go on a fossil hike, have a wilderness experience at Camp Barentz, and if you've ever wanted to try dog sledding without snow, this is your chance.

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Day 11 Ny-Alesund (Svalbard), Norway

At the tip of Brogger peninsula, on one of Kongsfjord's shores, is Ny-Alesund. Like Longyearbyen, it began as a coal mine but became host to scientific stations from the mid 20th century. During the summer, there are over a hundred researchers based in the town, representing 20 glaciology and climate institutes from more than 10 countries.

Wander around what is one of the northernmost settlements in the world, drop in at the local museum and souvenir shop, or send a far-flung postcard back to friends and family from the small post office. If it was too early to enjoy the impressive views of Kongsfjord on the way to Ny-Alesund, make sure you're on deck as the ship leaves. It's one of the largest fjords in the area, with an entrance guarded by two colossal creaking glaciers that regularly deposit ice into the fjord.

This stretch is also a good place to look out for walrus basking on the shores and for many different species of migrating birds, including puffins, king eiders, pink-footed geese, and guillemots. Arctic fox and Svalbard reindeer can sometimes be spotted on land while the white beluga whale has been known to surface in the waters here too. If you're very lucky, we might even see a polar bear prowling the coast for bearded and ringed seals.

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Day 12 Cruising the Barents Sea

Say farewell to Svalbard and to Spitsbergen as you sail south back to mainland Norway.

On board the ship, use the day to relax. If skies are clear, enjoy some summer sun out on deck and keep on the lookout for whales, dolphins, and porpoises. For some fascinating insights into local history and wildlife, catch a lecture delivered by the Coastal Experience Team. Enjoy the sumptuous food and drinks on board, courtesy of our Norway's coastal kitchen concept that features the finest, most flavoursome, local Norwegian produce. You can also curl up with a good book in the lounge or chat with new-found friends in the bar while reminiscing together about your favourite experiences of the voyage so far.

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Day 13 Senja, Norway

After a day at sea, arrive back to mainland Norway. Your first stop of the day is Tromsø, to drop off any cargo from Svalbard and pick up cargo bound for ports to the south, before continuing south to Senja.

The island is one of the country's largest, and northern Norway's fast-rising star destination, as you'd expect for a place ranked among the world's most beautiful islands. Often proudly described by locals as a 'mini Norway', Senja has a concentration of diverse landscapes that mirror different parts of the Norwegian coast, from the sandy beaches, turquoise waters and lofty mountains of its northern coast to the rocky coastline and pine forests of southern Senja and Anderdalen National Park. You'll find rolling hills and birch forests to the east.

Disembark in the charming fishing village of Torsken and explore by bus, e-bike, on foot, or take to the fjords on a wildlife safari on one of the optional excursions.

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Day 14 Stokmarknes & Svolvaer (Lofoten Islands), Norway

Start the day with a few hours in Stokmarknes, a historic town with a special significance to Hurtigruten. It's the birthplace of Hurtigruten Norwegian Coastal Express. It's a fitting place for the Hurtigruten Museum, where you are immersed in the atmosphere of a different era on the retired 1956 ship, MS Finnmarken, proudly encased in glass on the waterfront (charges apply).

After Stokmarknes, sail via Raftsundet and Trollfjord to Lofoten. The rest of the day is all about exploring this breathtaking archipelago. Hailed as one of the most spectacular areas in all of Norway, you'll understand why as you see its jagged green cliffs rise dramatically out of the ocean, climbing high into the sky like giant teeth.

The beating heart of the archipelago is the town of Svolvaer where your ship will be based. There are shops and restaurants to enjoy, and hours can be spent exploring and getting to know the town yourself. To experience the mountains, islands and villages around Svolvaer, choose from a variety of handpicked top Lofoten optional excursions. Try fishing, kayaking, or sit back and enjoy the incredible scenery on foot or on a bus tour.

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Day 15 Bessaker, Norway

From the Lofoten Islands, head south across the open sea and the Arctic Circle. Soak up the ocean views from the deck or simply soak in the hot tub. You'll catch sight of the beautiful Norwegian coast again about an hour before you arrive in Bessaker, a small village in Trondelag county.

Spend the afternoon at Bessaker, home to just 200 residents, it's known for its excellent fishing opportunities and the surrounding waters boast plenty of skrei, coalfish and pollock. The annual fishing festival has been held on the third weekend of July since 1979. Explore Bessaker and its impressive natural surroundings at your own pace – you can expect live music, a warm welcome in the museum and tasty coffee and cake in the local pub and cafe to be waiting for you.



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Day 16 Alesund & Hjørundfjord, Norway

The ship will make a brief stop in the town of Alesund, known for its Art Nouveau architecture and picturesque position on a peninsula below Mount Aksla.

Near to Alesund, cutting through the peaks of the Sunnmøre Alps, some 1,700 metres high, is magnificent Hjørundfjord. Its picture-perfect position embedded in the Sunnmøre Alps means it is the area's hidden gem and a secret from most other ships. On the banks of one of Hjørundfjord's branches is the idyllic village of Sæbo. It's a beautiful spot to enjoy at your own pace – but don't miss the free concert in the church. You can see more of the area on an optional guided walk through the beautiful scenery of the Urke Valley.

This evening, celebrate your Svalbard Line experience with a farewell dinner on your night.

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Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner

Day 17 Disembark Cruise - Bergen, Norway

Arrive in Bergen this morning, ready to disembark. Say a fond farewell to your fellow passengers and the ship's crew having travelled as part of this historic, iconic voyage to pieces of paradise along the Norwegian coast you won't soon forget. Once off the ship, make your own way to your centrally located hotel in Bergen. Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

Overnight: Radisson Blu Royal Hotel, Bergen (or similar)
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 18 Bergen, Norway - Australia (or New Zealand)

At the appropriate time, make your own way to the airport for the flight home, taking with you fond memories of the North Cape, Helgeland, Lofoten, Senja, Hjørundfjord, crossing the Arctic Circle, Tromsø, Bjørnøya, Longyearbyen and Ny-Alesund.

Optional Activity: Private Transfer From Hotel To Airport

Add a private vehicle transfer from your hotel to the airport (approximately 18 kilometres). See online Important Information for pricing.

Meals included: In-Flight

Day 19 Arrive Home



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Tour Inclusions

HIGHLIGHTS

Journey to the top of the world, deep into the Arctic Circle on a Norwegian voyage to Svalbard

Experience Svalbard, one of the best places in the world to witness polar bears in the wild

Discover a frozen land of calving glaciers, iceberg-flecked fjords and incredible wildlife with Hurtigruten's expert Coastal Experience Team

Reveal the summertime phenomenon of the midnight sun as you explore remote Arctic regions

Explore Longyearbyen, the closest inhabited town to the North Pole

Cruise to the breathtaking Lofoten Archipelago, known for its dramatic scenery and natural beauty

Enjoy an immersive journey along Norway's coastline with Hurtigruten, who have sailed these waters since 1893

Embrace Norway's summertime, the best time of year to enjoy the fjords and coastal regions

Visit Norway's northernmost mainland city, Honningsvåg, gateway to the North Cape

Witness the extraordinary Torghatten Mountain on the Helgeland Coast

Enjoy time at leisure in Bergen before and after your voyage

FLIGHTS

Return international full-service flights (economy class), surcharges may apply

CRUISE

14-night all-inclusive Signature Line voyage between Svalbard and Norway aboard Hurtigruten's flagship MS Trollfjord or MS Midnatsol

The expert expedition team enhances your voyage with stories and insights about Norway's culture, nature and history

Enjoy a range of onboard activities including morning yoga, film nights, hands-on arts and crafts, photography tips, culinary demonstrations and tastings

Stay connected with complimentary Wi-Fi throughout the ship

Access to the fitness room and sauna

Access a library with a selection of books and magazines

Enjoy a selection of equipment for outdoor activities

ACCOMMODATION

2 nights of 4-star accommodation in Bergen, Norway

DINING

Enjoy 41 meals, including all meals and a beverage package while cruising

Unlimited select drinks at Flora, Arran and the 1893 Bar during restaurant and bar open hours (except breakfast)

Unlimited select tea and coffee while cruising

Afternoon snacks in the 1893 Bar

Culinary demonstrations and food tastings while cruising

ESSENTIALS

English-speaking expedition team

Airline taxes and surcharges

Cruise port 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 and 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 and 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 selected dates until the 4th September 2027.

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.

Polar Inside (Twin Bed): \$6,250

Polar Outside (Twin Bed): \$9,000

Polar Outside (Double Bed): \$9,000

U2D Arctic Superior: \$10,000

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 12 years old and over.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 21 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors are allowed.

Flights

Departure Cities

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

Departure City Surcharges

Sydney: \$50 per person

Brisbane: \$200 per person

Adelaide: \$300 per person

Auckland: \$400 per person

International Flight(s)

Full-service airline(s) used

- 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 Australia / New Zealand, the flying journey to your destination may take up to 36 hours, with up to 2 stops. One of those stops may be within Australia. 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.

Important Information

Preferred Airline Surcharge

Not available

Arrive Early and Stay Behind Options

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

Arrive Early

Bergen - From \$300 per person, subject to availability.

Stay Behind

Bergen - From \$300 per person, subject to availability.

Please note:

This option incurs a fee for adjusting the departure or return dates. This fee does not include extra nights' accommodation, meals and/or airport transfers, which will be at your own cost.

In addition, airport transfers listed as an inclusion on the Travel Offer are considered void in the event that you select an Arrive Early/Stay Behind option. As such, you will need to arrange your own transfers at your cost.

We strongly advise against booking any pre or post-tour travel arrangements/accommodation until TripADeal confirms your flight details. If you choose to book before confirmation, we recommend opting for refundable reservations or having backup plans in case the tour does not proceed.

Internal Flights:

If you select to Arrive Early or Stay Behind into a city other than the one where the tour begins or concludes (where applicable), the package will include an internal flight to your destination. This offer applies only to the cities listed in our Arrive Early & Stay Behind Options. If you wish to forfeit this flight, please advise our friendly team at the time of purchase. Please note that the package's cost does not change when you choose to forfeit your connecting flight.

Please note: If you request to fly into cities not listed in our "Arrive Early & Stay Behind Options", we may be able to customise your

itinerary. If possible, the flight's cost will be charged as an extra.

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:

- 15th September 2025 - 12th October 2025
- 1st December 2025 - 19th December 2025
- 20th December 2025 - 4th January 2026
- 5th January 2026 - 31st January 2026
- 3rd April 2026 - 20th April 2026
- 26th June 2026 - 17th July 2026
- 18th September 2026 - 9th October 2026
- 12th December 2026 - 18th December 2026
- 19th December 2026 - 3rd January 2027
- 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

Not available

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.*

Outbound Flights

Please note: Due to flight scheduling and availability, some departures may occur on Day 0. Affected customers must be available to depart the day before. Flight times will be indicated on your final documents, issued 4-6 weeks before departure.

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.

Cruise

Hurtigruten's MS Trollfjord

Freshly refurbished in 2023, MS Trollfjord is a homage both to Norwegian nature and Hurtigruten's 130-year heritage sailing the Norwegian coast. Locally sourced natural materials such as wood and stone feature prominently throughout the ship's furnishings, reflecting the beauty of the fjords you will sail through. The style of décor is classic, timeless, and unique in the fleet. You'll notice details and flourishes that evoke a sense of nostalgia, harking back to a golden era of exclusive small-ship sailing.

Dining Experience

Important Information

The produce and culinary heritage of Norway's coast is at the heart of your experience on board MS Trollfjord. New ports mean new suppliers to work with, new ingredients to play with and new stories to tell. The ship's peerless menus, cocktails and food courses are inspired by them all, as well as archive menus and age-old Norwegian preservation techniques. MS Trollfjord's strikingly reimagined three restaurants and bar offer an exciting flavour of Norway's past, present and future. Each one embraces traditional preservation methods that have been tried and trusted by Norwegians through 1,000 Arctic winters, such as drying, fermenting and salting. On board, you can eat dry-aged beef served by a chef with a story about the meat's provenance, drink beer made from water sourced in Trollfjord, and learn all about the distinctly Nordic spirit aquavit.

Hurtigruten's MS Midnatsol

From May 2026, MS Midnatsol will sail as part of Hurtigruten's Signature fleet. Signature voyages are defined by a slower pace, longer stays in port and a strong focus on immersive experiences, combining comfort, culture and discovery. On board, guests enjoy spacious public areas, welcoming lounges with panoramic views and an atmosphere designed for relaxation and connection with the landscapes outside. Signature journeys are hosted by an expanded Expedition Team, sharing insights through talks, activities and guided experiences that deepen your understanding of the regions you explore. MS Midnatsol's beautifully designed restaurants and bars offer a vibrant taste of Norway's rich heritage and modern culinary innovation. Each venue honours the traditional preservation methods perfected over 1,000 Arctic winters - incorporating drying, fermenting, and salting into contemporary dishes. While sailing through spectacular scenery, you can enjoy dry-aged beef with a deep connection to local provenance, sip craft beer brewed with pure Arctic water, and discover the complex botanical history of the Nordic spirit, aquavit.

Life Onboard with Hurtigruten

Each day's entertainment programme is guided by a different theme based on the destination ahead. In between ports, you can be as active as you choose. Expect expert-led food tastings and thought-provoking presentations by your Coastal Experience Team that you can watch in person or livestream from the comfort of your cabin. Regular photography workshops reveal tips for shooting the perfect image, from capturing the Northern Lights to zooming in on polar wildlife. When you feel confident, you can hire camera equipment on board and practise what you learnt on your next onshore excursion. But if you'd rather simply watch the astounding scenery roll by, that's fine too. Relax in the panoramic sauna or take a seat with a glass of our exclusive aquavit next to the floor-to-ceiling windows of the bar.

Onboard currency:

Norwegian Kroner (NOK)

Please note: Hurtigruten operates a cashless system on board and accept Visa, MasterCard, and Diners Card. You can also use your cabin card on board to order snacks, drinks, meals, excursions, and guided hikes. The balance is then settled at the end of your voyage.

Cabins/Staterooms:

Polar Inside: (Twin Beds only)

Size: 9 - 11m²

Polar Inside cabins are compact but efficient. They include all the essentials such as twin beds, a chair, a TV, and a private bathroom with a shower. With no windows, these cabins offer less light and more peace and quiet. A calm and cosy space to recharge after busy days exploring the Norwegian coast. All Polar Inside cabins have separate (twin) beds.

Polar Outside:

Size: 10 - 12m²

These outside cabins feature a window with a clear view. Polar outside cabins are mostly on the middle or lower decks and

all have bathrooms with shower. Please note the bedding configuration in each cabin cannot be changed, so it's important to select your bedding preference upon booking.

Arctic Superior: (Double Bed only)

Size: 11 - 12m²

Relaxation and comfort are the hallmarks of these Arctic superior cabins. Situated on the upper, middle, and lower decks, offering a window with a clear view. These cabins all have bathrooms with shower. The cabins also have a TV and kettle with complimentary teas and coffees, as well as a mini bar. These cabins offer a double bed in the cabin. Please note the bedding configuration in each cabin cannot be changed, so it's important to select your bedding preference upon booking.

Please note:

- *All cabins are subject to availability; some cabins may have restricted views.*
- *Cruise cabins are booked on a guaranteed basis and are assigned by the cruise line prior to departure.*

Cruise Arrival and Departure Times:

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)

Bergen, Norway: Radisson Blu Royal Hotel, Bergen

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.

Accommodation Location

To ensure a comfortable and convenient experience for everyone, we've carefully

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selected hotels that best suit the size and specific needs of each group. While this means your accommodation may not be in the city centre, you can rest assured that our hotels are typically located near public transportation and a variety of local restaurants and attractions. Once your tour begins, your friendly driver or tour leader will be happy to help you get your bearings and offer assistance, should you need it.

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

Day 2: Private transfer from airport to hotel - \$110 per person (twin share), \$220 per person (solo)

Day 18: Private transfer from hotel to airport - \$110 per person (twin share), \$220 per person (solo)

Please note:

- *Optional private arrival or departure transfers (Day 2 or Day 17) cannot be booked when an arrive early or stay behind has been arranged.*
- *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 excursions can be booked/reserved directly with the cruise line before travel (subject to availability)*
- *Shore excursions can also be booked whilst onboard (subject to availability).*
- *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

Europe Deals Only

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

Gratuities / Tipping

Please note: Tipping for services provided is always a matter of personal discretion; however, please be aware that many locals consider tipping part of their normal remuneration, and they may approach you for payment; there's no need to be intimidated by the request.

Cruise

It is not common practice to tip on Hurtigruten ships, but if you feel that crew

members should be rewarded for providing exceptional service, tip boxes are placed in the restaurant together with envelopes.

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

Norway

From May to September, Norway and its coast experience mild, pleasant weather, especially in southern regions and along the fjords. In May, southern coastal areas

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see daytime temperatures of 10°C to 15°C, while northern and inland regions are cooler, around 5°C to 10°C, with nights occasionally near 0°C. By June, temperatures rise to 15°C to 20°C in the south and 10°C to 15°C in the north, accompanied by extended daylight, particularly above the Arctic Circle, where the midnight sun appears. July, the warmest month, sees southern coastal highs of 20°C to 25°C, with northern areas around 15°C to 20°C, minimal rain, and plenty of sunshine, perfect for exploring Norway's scenic fjords. In August, temperatures start to cool slightly, with highs of 15°C to 22°C in the south and 10°C to 18°C in the north, as daylight shortens and rain increases towards the end of the month. By September, autumn sets in with averages of 10°C to 15°C in the south and 5°C to 10°C in the north, as cloudy, misty days become more frequent. This period offers the warmest and longest days in the south and unique midnight sun experiences in the north during June and July.

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.

Dietary Requests

Meal options and availability differ between airlines and routes therefore not all dietary requests can be accommodated. If your flight includes meals we will select the most suitable option available based on the dietary requirements you have

specified. All meal requests are subject to airline approval and are not guaranteed, therefore we recommend preparing for your flight by bringing appropriate food for yourself, as required.

Passport Validity:

Customers must provide valid passport details either at the time of purchase or no later than 90 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.

CRUISE

Embarkation / Disembarkation:

- Begins approximately 2 hours after docking.
- Due to security reasons, all guests must be on board 2 hours before sailing.
- Itineraries are subject to change at any time without notice.
- Check your specific sailing for exact departure and arrival times. All times are local to the port.

Cruise Loyalty Discounts:

Please note: Travellers must contact the cruise line directly upon receiving their travel documents in order to request any membership benefits they may be entitled to.

Meals:

For meals not included, the tour leader (when available) will offer assistance with reservations, suggestions and directions to local restaurants. It is your responsibility to notify us of any dietary requests/requirements.

Please note: We will do our best to meet your requests/requirements; however, we cannot guarantee that we will always be able to.

Luggage:

You will be responsible for all your personal belongings whilst on tour. You must carry your own luggage from the vehicle to the hotel room and back to the vehicle. The driver will assist with the uploading and unloading of bags from the

vehicle.

OTHER

Mobility:

If you require wheelchair access please contact our friendly sales and service team to inquire on your behalf.

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 Moderate level of fitness will be required.

Expect a moderate pace of touring with a focus on guided tours that may include full days with extended activity, guided city tours or nature walks. You will require a general level of fitness for unassisted navigation of stairs and inclines, longer distances with possible periods of standing when visiting sites, walking on sloping, uneven ground or elevations. You will be responsible for your own luggage and have the ability to board all modes of transport without assistance. Please note: Many areas may be inaccessible to wheelchairs or mobility scooters, where the unassisted use of personal walking sticks and other aids may be required. Although some assistance may be available, every traveller should be self-reliant during all aspects of their travel.

Please note: 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.

Please note: If you have any concerns, please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/travel.

Yellow Fever:

A valid international certificate of vaccination against Yellow Fever is required in many countries. You may need to present this on arrival at the airport or

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border crossing. Some countries will refuse entry if you are unable to present your certificate. It's also common for your home country to request a Yellow Fever certificate upon arrival.

You must check with your doctor well before leaving home about the Yellow Fever requirements for the countries you'll be visiting.

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).

Wildlife sighting:

TripADeal cannot guarantee animal sightings on tour. Wildlife are unpredictable and factors such as weather conditions, predatory fear and animal movements can impact sightings.

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

Norway

Australian passport holders do not require a visa to travel to Norway for a stay of up to 90 days within a 180-day period.

European Entry/Exit System (EES)

From October 12, 2025, a new European Entry System (EES) replaces the current manual passport-stamping process for non-EU travelers. 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:

- *Please start arranging your visa three weeks before departure to account for any delays due to consulate operating hours.*
- *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/

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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.