

Route planner Kvarner bay, Istria and south

base: Veruda/Pula

route: 6 (2 weeks)



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Location descriptions

Veruda

Our base Veruda is located on the southern tip of Istria in one of the most sheltered bays of the Adriatic, right next to the historic town of Pula. The Marina has all the amenities and a large pool that shortens the time to check-in.

If you start your holiday from our base Veruda, you should definitely make a short detour to Pula at the beginning or end of your journey.



UNJE

The small island of Unje is strikingly green and wildly overgrown with sage, rockrose, laurel, lavender, rosemary and thyme. Especially in spring it smells wonderful. The few inhabitants live in the only town, their houses are aligned circularly towards the sea. Trails lead across the entire island and to the two lighthouses.

ILOVIK

Ilovik is a small, very quiet island south of Losinj, where the chirping of the cicadas and the seagulls make the music. The narrow channel between Ilovik and the cemetery island SV.PETAR is very popular with sailors. The small town around the harbor and the canal with its simple church is full of flowers all the year. Ilovik therefore also has the nickname Flower Island.

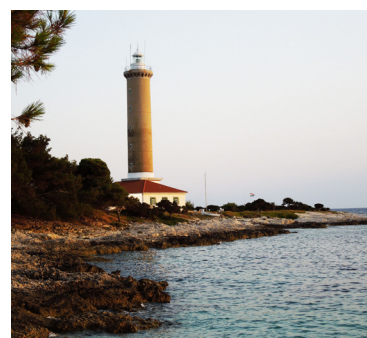


IST

The small village on the island of the same name impresses with its cozy restaurants on the harbor promenade. On the many walking paths that run through the island, after a lazy day at the water you can stretch your legs. A little more strenuous, but rewarded with a magnificent view is the steep path to the chapel on the mountain.

DUGI OTOK Veli Rat, Pantera

From far away you can see the oldest lighthouse of Croatia at the northern tip of Dugi Otok. The mast of a sunken Italian freighter raises out of the water. In calm seas, you can anchor and go snorkelling at the shipwreck. The bay Pantera lies on the inside on the way to the Marina Veli Rat and has buoys. From there, a 10 minute walk will take you to the lighthouse and the bay in front of it. The bay at the lighthouse is very beautiful with gorgeous big white stones and great waves for bodyboard surfing.



DUGI OTOK Sakarun

On the outside of Dugi Otok is the paradisiacal bay Sakarun. The large sandy bay has beautiful turquoise waters and a long, shallow sandy beach. There are two bars on the shore. A tourist train goes from here to Bozova during the day.



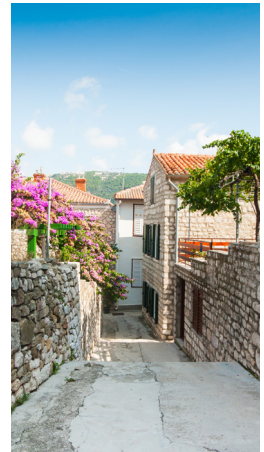
SILBA

On the small island of Silba there are some bays with sandy soil in the water. The island town of Silba itself is particularly well-known for the hexagonal „love tower“, which was built in the 17th century by a captain for his sweetheart.



RAB Rab

The island of Rab is a paradise for sailors with its 30 sandy beaches and many small picturesque bays. Thanks to the crystal clear warm and shallow sea, Rab is an ideal holiday destination for the whole family. The former princely and episcopal city of Rab is a total monument of historical monuments and art monuments. The unique silhouette with its 4 bell towers is a distinctive landmark of Raab. The Marina Rab is located opposite the medieval bustling core of the old town and offers a beautiful view of the city.



LOSINJ Mali Losinj, Veli Losinj, Baldarka

The island of Losinj belongs, as Cres, to Kvarner Bay. More than 300 sunny days per year have created not only a subtropical paradise with palm trees, oleander and flowering gardens, but also a holiday paradise for sailors and motorboat riders.

- **Mali Losinj**, today the largest city and capital of the island, is located in a deep bay. The area surrounding the village is characterized by extensive pine forests that reach to the beaches and coves of crystal clear waters. **Veli Losinj**: Ruhiger und beschaulicher ist der nur 5 km entfernte Fischerort Veli Losinj. Rund um den Hafen laden Tavernen und Straßencafes zum Verweilen.
- **Baldarka**: Baldarka Bay, located between Mali Losinj and Veli Losinj, is also very popular.



CRES

In any case you should include the idyllic island of Cres in your trip. A circumnavigation of the island of Cres is well feasible, including the islands of Rab in the east and Krk in the northeast. Driving on the west coast of Cres, the island of Lošinj with the neighboring islands Ilovik, Susak and Unije in the south to southwest and the coast of the Istrian peninsula in the northwest is a nice trip with lots of nature, towns and villages, history and clear water.

- **Cres:** Der Ort Cres ist schon für sich genommen sehr sehenswert. Der Ort besteht heute aus dem mittelalterlichen kleinen Hafen, vieler Kirchen aus Gotik und Renaissance sowie aus Klöstern, Ruinen der Stadtfestung sowie Palästen adeliger Familien. Die Altstadt von Cres besteht aus einem dichten Kern aus bunten Häusern, aneinandergebaut und untereinander verbunden. Zahlreiche Kirchen und Klöster erwarten Sie in und um Cres. Vom Geheimtipp entwickelte sich das kleine Lubenice, das auf einem Felsen 378 m über dem Meer thront, zu einem der beliebtesten Ausflugsziele in der Umgebung von Cres.
- **Osor:** The city of Osor is located on the island of Cres right on the narrow navigation channel Kavada, which separates the islands of Cres and Losinj with a swing bridge. From antiquity to the 15th century, Osor, due to its location, was the capital city of Cres and Losinj. For culturally interested people, Osor has a lot to offer in terms of historical sights and buildings.
- **Valun und Martinscica** are both very pretty fishing villages. The blue grotto (Plava Grotta) lies on the way between Valun and Martinscica on the bay Zanja
- **Bijar:** Bay Bijar is located just northeast of Osor and is suitable for overnight stays, for a short visit to Osor, or for bridging the waiting period until the Osor Canal is opened.



Please note that this is just a possible trip suggestion. The Croatian coast, with its countless small islands and bays, offers a lot of bathing stops and sailing opportunities. Please adapt your individual route to the given wind and weather conditions.



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