

Three Rivers of Europe · 16 Days

Amsterdam → Budapest

Sail from Amsterdam to Budapest along the Rhine, Main and Danube, discovering German old towns, Austria's lake district and the capitals of central Europe.

16 days · 14 cruise nights Century Star US$5,798 from / person · double occupancy

Departures & cabin fares

Departures: 2027-06-21

Dates are international departure dates; embarkation is the following day. International flights are purchased separately.

Cabin	Double / person	Single / person
Deck 1 · Standard Window	US$5,798	US$8,398
Deck 2 · French Balcony	US$6,598	US$9,198
Deck 3 · French Balcony	US$6,798	US$9,398
Deck 3 · Executive Suite	US$7,998	US$10,198

USD per person. Double occupancy means two guests sharing; single occupancy means one guest per cabin. Prices are as listed. Cabin availability is subject to confirmation. Please contact us to check your preferred departure.

Executive suite amenities: one bottle of welcome red wine on embarkation day, complimentary water-wash laundry, daily fruit, bathrobes and toiletries. Cabin photos are illustrative; the confirmed cabin arrangement applies.

Day-by-day itinerary

DAY 01 Fly to Amsterdam

Jun 21 Meals at own expense / inflight

Fly from your home city to Amsterdam, the capital of the Netherlands in preparation for your journey along Europe’s three great rivers. Round-trip international airfare is purchased separately; inflight meals follow your airline’s arrangements.

DAY 02 Amsterdam · Arrival & Embarkation

Jun 22 D

Provisional port times: Amsterdam: overnight in port

Arrive at Amsterdam Schiphol Airport (AMS). Airport pickup is provided between 08:00 and 16:00, followed by a coach transfer to the pier. You may also make your own way to the ship.

Check-in opens after 15:00. Board Century Star, settle into your cabin and begin your journey along the Danube, Main and Rhine.

Meals: dinner included. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 03 Amsterdam · Zaanse Schans Windmills

Jun 23 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Amsterdam: departure 13:00

After breakfast, visit Zaanse Schans windmill village with your guide. Enjoy traditional Dutch windmills and village scenery, with an opportunity to taste local cheese.

After lunch, begin cruising the Rhine, enjoying the passing scenery or afternoon tea aboard.

Meals: breakfast, lunch and dinner aboard. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 04 Cologne · Gothic Grandeur

Jun 24 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Cologne: 13:00-22:00

Spend the morning cruising the Rhine. After lunch, arrive in Cologne and explore the city with your guide.

View the exterior of Cologne Cathedral, admiring its Gothic twin towers and the character of this Rhine-side city.

Meals: breakfast, lunch and dinner aboard. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 05 Koblenz & Boppard · Rhine Sailing

Jun 25 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Koblenz: 07:00-10:00

After breakfast, explore Koblenz and the Deutsches Eck, where the Rhine and Moselle meet. The city has more than two millennia of history; the German Corner's name is associated with the Teutonic Knights who arrived in the 13th century.

After lunch, continue cruising the Rhine, enjoying the riverside views and afternoon tea aboard.

Meals: breakfast, lunch and dinner aboard. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 06 Miltenberg · Timber-Framed Streets

Jun 26 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Miltenberg: 14:00-18:15

Enjoy the passing river scenery after breakfast. After lunch, explore Miltenberg, a Bavarian town on the Main, and its streets full of medieval character.

Explore Market Square, St. Kilian's Church and the timber-framed houses. If time and local arrangements permit, enjoy river and countryside views from the castle tower; access is confirmed locally.

Meals: breakfast, lunch and dinner aboard. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 07 Würzburg · Palace Gardens & Old Bridge

Jun 27 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Würzburg: 13:00-15:00

Enjoy a morning of river cruising. After lunch, explore Würzburg, viewing the exterior of the UNESCO-listed Baroque Residence and strolling through its court gardens with their sculptures and formal layouts.

Continue to the Old Main Bridge for views of the river and historic city. Walk through the old town, passing Market Square, the Marienkapelle and other landmarks that combine traditional architecture and local life.

From the Old Main Bridge, look toward Marienberg Fortress on the hill and enjoy the character of this Franconian wine-growing city.

Meals: breakfast aboard, a local lunch and dinner aboard. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 08 Bamberg · Historic Waterfront

Jun 28 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Bamberg: 14:00-20:00

Enjoy the passing river scenery after breakfast. After lunch, visit Bamberg to see the Upper Bridge and the exterior of the Old Town Hall along its historic waterfront.

View the exterior of Bamberg Cathedral and stroll around Cathedral Square, taking in the surrounding historic architecture.

Continue through Little Venice, the former fishing quarter, to admire historic houses beside the Regnitz.

Meals: breakfast, lunch and dinner aboard. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 09 Rothenburg & Nuremberg

Jun 29 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Nuremberg: 07:00-17:00

After breakfast, explore Rothenburg's medieval streets, Plönlein, the Markus Tower and Market Square, admiring its stone lanes, walls and historic council buildings.

After lunch, explore Nuremberg and view the exterior of the Frauenkirche on the eastern side of the market square. Begun in 1352, this Gothic Catholic church is associated with the era of Charles IV.

Continue to view Nuremberg's Imperial Castle exterior and learn about the city's links with the Holy Roman Empire.

Meals: breakfast, lunch and dinner aboard. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 10 Regensburg · A Danube Old Town

Jun 30 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Regensburg: 12:30-19:00

Enjoy the passing river scenery after breakfast. After lunch, explore Regensburg's old town, including its cathedral and old Stone Bridge.

St. Peter's Cathedral is a major example of Gothic architecture in southern Germany. Together with the Stone Bridge and medieval streets, it reflects the city's long history on the Danube.

Meals: breakfast, lunch and dinner aboard. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 11 Salzburg & Hallstatt

Jul 01 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Passau: 07:30-12:30; Aschach: 16:30-20:00

After breakfast, travel to Salzburg. Walk through its Baroque old town, passing Getreidegasse, Mozart's birthplace and the cathedral, then visit Mirabell Gardens, a filming location for The Sound of Music.

After a local Chinese lunch, drive to Hallstatt through the Salzkammergut lake district, framed by lakes, forests and Alpine peaks. Enjoy a lakeside walk and the scenery of the village and surrounding mountains.

Meals: breakfast and dinner aboard; lunch at a local restaurant. Transport: tour coach / river cruise. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 12 Melk & Dürnstein

Jul 02 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Melk: 07:00-11:30; Dürnstein: 11:30-23:30

After breakfast, visit the interior of Melk Abbey to appreciate the Baroque architecture and art of this Benedictine monastery.

After lunch, reach Dürnstein in the Wachau Valley, set among vineyards beside the Danube. Join your guide for a walk through the old town, walls and squares, taking in traditional buildings and views of the castle ruins above.

Meals: breakfast, lunch and dinner aboard. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 13 Vienna · Inside Schönbrunn Palace

Jul 03 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Vienna: 06:00-23:50

After breakfast, enter Schönbrunn Palace for a tour with its official guide. This Baroque former Habsburg residence and its gardens form a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

After lunch, view the exterior of the Hofburg, which developed from a 13th-century castle into an extensive imperial palace complex as Habsburg power expanded. Continue to the exterior of St. Stephen’s Cathedral.

If a local performance coincides with the itinerary, a Mozart concert may be arranged separately; confirm availability and cost with the guide.

Meals: breakfast, lunch and dinner aboard. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 14 Bratislava · Castle & Old Town

Jul 04 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Bratislava: 07:00-19:30

After breakfast, visit the Bratislava Castle viewing platform for views over the old town and Danube. Walk through the historic center, passing Michael’s Gate, the old square and Roland Fountain, and look for its well-known street sculptures.

After lunch, travel to Parndorf Designer Outlet for free time to shop, or remain aboard for afternoon tea. Personal purchases are at your own expense.

Meals: breakfast, lunch and dinner aboard. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 15 Budapest · The Danube’s Grand Finale

Jul 05 B · L · D

Provisional port times: Budapest: arrival 09:00, overnight in port

After breakfast, visit Fisherman’s Bastion for views over the Danube, then explore Heroes’ Square.

After lunch, explore Pest, viewing the exteriors of Hungary’s Parliament Building and St. Stephen’s Basilica before returning to the ship.

This evening, attend the captain’s farewell reception and dinner; dressy attire is recommended.

Meals: breakfast, lunch and dinner aboard. Overnight: Century Star.

DAY 16 Budapest · Disembarkation & Departure

Jul 06 B

Disembark after breakfast. Your guide arranges a transfer to Budapest Airport (BUD), or you may leave the group independently.

Flights departing after 09:30 local time are recommended. Confirm the airport transfer before booking. Meals: breakfast aboard; lunch and dinner at your own expense.

What’s included

• Scheduled airport/pier transfers, tour coaches and Chinese-speaking tour service

• 14 nights aboard Century Star and listed meals, with local lunches as specified each day

• Listed shore and land excursions, with admission to Schönbrunn Palace and Melk Abbey

• Complimentary onboard Wi-Fi and the designated drinks package at the Star Bar and during meals

• All tour taxes

Not included

• Round-trip international airfare

• Guide/driver service fee: €150 per person, paid in cash on tour

• Personal travel medical insurance, visa fees and personal expenses

• Meals not listed as included and separately chosen activities

Transfers & travel notes

• Dates shown are international departure dates. On embarkation day, airport pickup is 08:00-16:00 local time and ship check-in begins after 15:00; guests may also make their own way to the pier.

• Return flights departing after 09:30 local time are recommended. Confirm transfer arrangements before booking flights.

• Port times are provisional local times. Water levels, weather and cruise operations may change ports, timings and the sightseeing sequence.

• Excursions, meals and drinks follow the listed itinerary and designated package. Dressy attire is recommended for the captain’s farewell dinner.

The order of visits, port times, meals and excursions may change due to water levels, weather, traffic or cruise operations. The final confirmed itinerary applies. Confirm sailing dates, availability, payment and cancellation terms before booking.

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