

DESTINATION INFORMATION – CROATIA

Croatia has quickly become a top summer destination for superyacht owners and charterers as it occupies a beautiful stretch of the Adriatic coastline and enjoys warm temperatures and sunshine in the summer. With over 1,100 islands to discover, Croatia is world-renowned for its crystal-clear waters and picture-perfect land and seascapes.

COORDINATES	45°08N, 16°13E	
LANGUAGE	Croatian	
CAPITAL	Zagreb	
WEATHER	During summer months the weather is warm and dry with temperatures averaging in the low to mid 20's C (68-78F). Winds are usually light over the whole Adriatic, averaging force 2 or 3 and rarely reaching high forces.	
BEST TIME TO CHARTER	June-September	
AIRPORTS	The closest international airports to the Dalmatian Islands are Split (SPU) and Dubrovnik (DBV). Airlines include: British Airways, Croatia Airlines, Lufthansa	
TIME	UTC+1 (winter), UTC+2 (summer)	
CURRENCY	Kuna (HRK); American Express, Diners Club, MasterCard and Visa are widely accepted and ATMs are widespread.	
ELECTRICITY	230 V, 50 Hz	
PUBLIC HOLIDAYS	1 Jan	New Years Day
	6 Jan	Epiphany
	Mar/Apr	Easter Sunday
	1 May	Labor Day
	May/June	Corpus Christi
	22 June	Anti-Fascist Resistance Day
	25 June	Statehood Day
	5 Aug	Victory and Homeland Thanksgiving Day
	8 Oct	Independence Day
	1 Nov	All Saints Day
	25 Dec	Christmas Day
MAIN PORTS AND MARINAS	Dubrovnik, Korcula, Hvar, Vis, Milna, Split, Trogir, Sibenik, Jezera, Zadar. The Dalmatian Islands offer many secluded bays and coves to discover on a yachting vacation.	
CULTURAL	The people of Croatia are very friendly and always appreciate a friendly response. Because it is a touristic region, most locals speak English and some Italian and German, but it is appreciated to speak a few words of Croatian (ex. dobro jutro=good morning, zdravo=hello, hvala=thank you). Smoking is not allowed in public.	

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