

DESTINATION INFORMATION – FRENCH RIVIERA

The French Riviera has always been synonymous with glamour, celebrity, sophistication and of course, superyachts, and a magnet to those with means seeking sunshine and pleasure. The South of France is a lovely stretch of coastline with charming seaside villages of Mediterranean beauty and sparkling bays and coves to discover on a charter vacation. Visitors will find French cuisine at its best with fresh seafood, creamy cheeses and rich wines.

COORDINATES	43°21N, 06°51E	
LANGUAGE	French	
REGION'S CAPITAL	Nice	
WEATHER	Nice and the Alpes-Maritimes are sheltered by the Alps. Winds are usually gentle, from sea to land, and summer temperatures are very pleasant at 27C (81F) in Jul-Aug. Saint-Tropez is slightly warmer and drier but it is less sheltered from the wind.	
BEST TIME TO CHARTER	June-September	
AIRPORTS	Nice Côte d'Azur Airport (NCE)	
TIME	UTC+1 (winter), UTC+2 (summer)	
CURRENCY	EUR; although major credit cards (American Express, Diners Club, MasterCard and Visa) are widely accepted, some restaurants and shops may refuse them. ATMs widely available.	
ELECTRICITY	230 V, 50 Hz	
PUBLIC HOLIDAYS	1 Jan	New Years Day
	Mar/Apr	Easter Monday
	1 May	Labor Day
	8 May	Victory Day
	May/Jun	Ascension Day
		Whit Monday
	14 Jul	Bastille Day
	15 Aug	Assumption
	1 Nov	All Saints Day
	11 Nov	Armistice Day
	25 Dec	Christmas Day
MAIN PORTS AND MARINAS	Menton, Monaco, Villefranche-sur-Mer, Saint-Jean-Cap-Ferrat, Nice, Antibes, Juan les Pins, Golfe-Juan, Cannes, Fréjus, Saint-Tropez	
RECOMMENDED BEACHES	The French Riviera is studded with beautiful beaches, most of which are sandy. Beaches worth a short stop are in and around Menton, Cap Ferrat, Antibes, Golfe-Juan, Cannes, Saint-Tropez and Hyères, to name only a few.	
CULTURAL	The French Riviera is one of Europe's most chic and glamorous destinations where the world's rich and beautiful spend their yachting vacations each summer. Although English is spoken in tourist areas, it is appreciated to know a few words of French.	

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