



MTB & BOAT

## Kvarner Bay MTB-Special · Croatia

### Route

from Omišalj / to Omišalj

### Duration

8 days / 7 nights

### Distance

up to 201 km& 4,050 hm

### Level 2 - 3



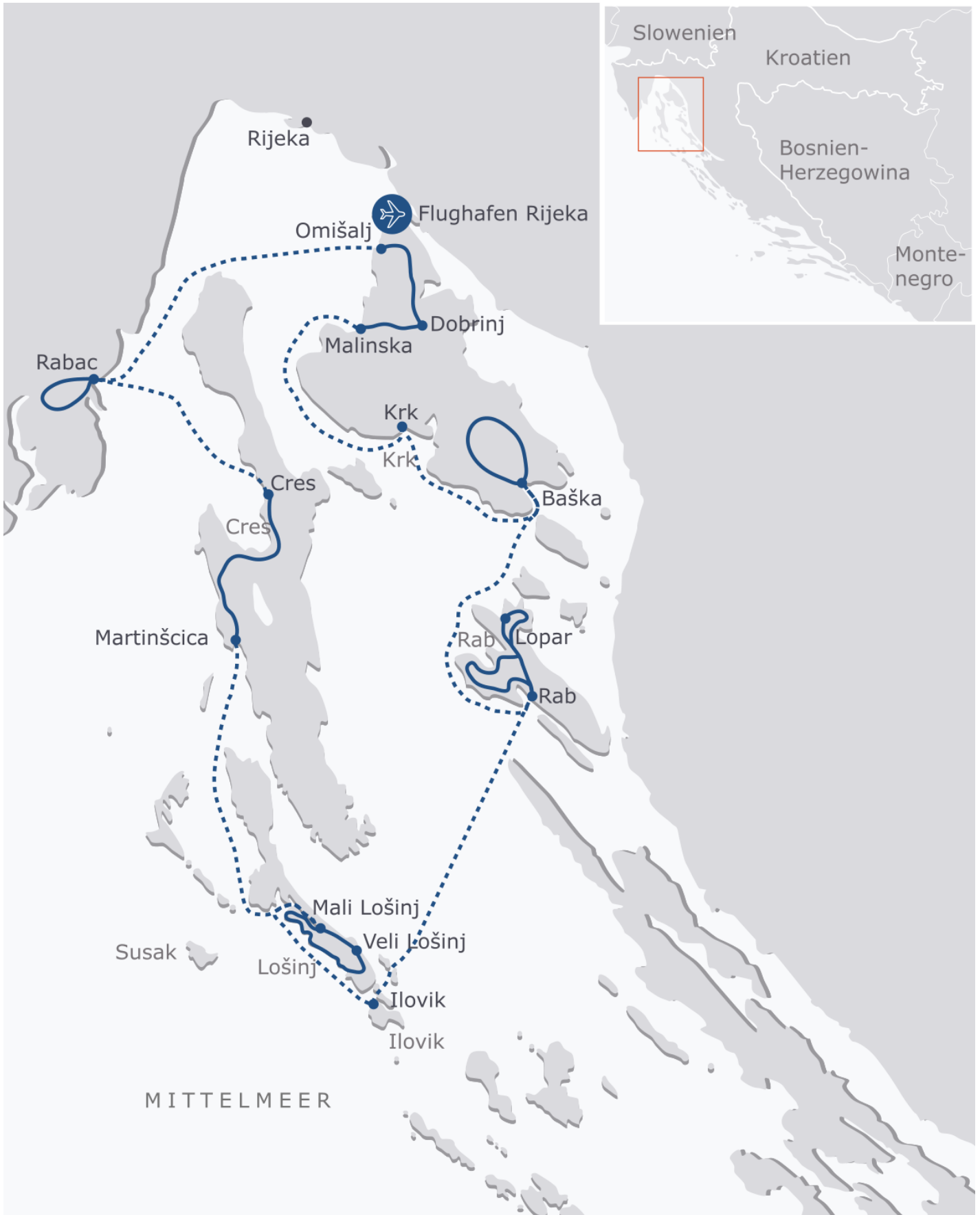
### Epic trails in the Kvarner Bay island paradise

Our MTB [&] Boat Kvarner Bay Special tour is perfectly suited to mountain bikers, an exceptional holiday, in which a seasoned biker can find exactly what they are looking for! Take a week on board one of our charming motor boats and sail to the most beautiful islands of the Kvarner Bay. The islands Cres, Lošinj, Rab und Krk are known for their own special character and diverse landscapes. Therefore the trails are rich in variety. From flow trails to technically challenging trails; the islands offer a rich variety for every biker.

To meet the different requirements, each trip is typically accompanied by two MTB guides who, wherever possible, offer two performance levels.

Level A includes trails up to S3 of the German single trail scale.

Level B trails S0 to S2, if not otherwise possible short sections at S3 may occur.



# Einschiffungshafen Omišalj

## **1st Day Omišalj (Embarkation) – Rabac (A & B: aprx. 10 km, 200 m of elevation)**

Individual arrival to Omisalj on the island of Krk. Board the boat between 1 and 1:30 pm. At 2 pm we embark on our first cruise on board the boat to Rabac on the Istrian Peninsula. The coastal town is surrounded by crystal clear blue waters and numerous cafes on the seaside promenade give an inviting impression. It is here that we will do our first small tour to get the bikes set up for the week. This will take place in the local Bike Skills Park. Here you can test your bike and your riding ability on the first ever constructed bike park in Croatia. The night is spent in Rabac.

## **2nd Day Island Cres A: aprx. 32 km, 500 m of elevation B: aprx. 25 km, 500 m of elevation**

Today's bike tour starts with a transfer to Labin, a village at 300 m above sea level. The descent back down to the sea alternates between asphalt roads, forest tracks, and simple trails. A more technically demanding trail takes you along the coast of the peninsula with fleeting views of Rabac. Once back at the boat we cruise to the island of Cres to the main town with the same name. A quaint harbour town characterized by its Italian architecture. The night is spent here.

## **3rd Day Islands Cres and Lošinj A: aprx. 30 km; 700 m of elevation B: aprx. 34 km, 600 m of elevation**

The tour starts with an asphalt climb before turning off onto gravel roads with wonderful views over the bay of Valun steadily making your way inland. In the clifftop town of Podol our efforts are rewarded with a short break. After catching our breath, we continue along natural paths and goat trails with flowy sections past the Vrana Lake in the direction of Lubenice. The final trail to the port of Martinšćica has technically demanding sections. The boat awaits our arrival in Martinšćica and takes us on a cruise to the relaxed harbour town of Mali Lošinj. The various cafes and bars along the seaside promenade offer plenty of choice to enjoy a relaxing sundowner before catching a restful night's sleep.

## **4th Day Islands Lošinj and Ilovik A: aprx. 30 km, 600 m of elevation B: aprx. 25 km, 400 m of elevation**

The island of Lošinj is sculpted for Mountain bikers. Here we have the tough choice either to bike along the coastline through lush pine forests once around the peninsula, past picturesque bays, or to take a more technically challenging ride to the harbour of Veli Lošinj. Veli Lošinj was originally the capital city of the island before its harbour became too small for modern day boats and Mali Lošinj overtook it in size and popularity. In the afternoon, we cross over to the island of Ilovik where we can enjoy the afternoon exploring the island by foot and going for a swim.

## **5th Day Islands Ilovik and Rab A: aprx. 37 km, 700 m of elevation B: aprx. 33 km, 550 m of elevation**

In the morning we cruise to the island of Rab. A small island, but great for mountain biking. The tours take place on seaside trails along historic roman roads with exceptional views over the island and on flowy sections through the Dundo Forrest with constant glimpses of the clear blue sea. Those seeking to ride more technically challenging trails will be pleased to know that the island offers many rocky and blocked riding sections. The island offers great variation for all riders. The old town of Rab, with its four clock towers, is regarded as one of the most picturesque old towns on the Adriatic coast. A wonderful town to spend the evening in looking back on a day of great riding.

## **6th Day Island Krk A: aprx. 31 km, 700 m of elevation B: aprx. 28 km, 700 m of elevation**

In the morning we cruise to the port of Baška on the island of Krk. Today's bike tour takes us up an initial climb on an

asphalt road before taking smaller paths and natural trails as we make our way to the 'Moon'. The Landscape on the north side of the island is characterized by its moon landscape. This side of the island is exposed to the full forces of the regions strongest winds, leaving nothing but rocks in its path. We cycle through this incredible landscape before taking an epic ride along a historic roman road back down to the sea. The flowy ride with breathtaking views over the sea will leave you with a long lasting impression. From Baška we cruise to the city capital of Krk, with its lovely old town. Enjoy an evening exploring the alleyways with your guide and relaxing on one of many beautiful spots near the sea. The night is spent in Krk.

### **7th Day Island Krk: Malinska – OmišaljA: aprx. 40 km, 650 m of elevationB: aprx. 35 km, 550 m of elevation**

A short cruise will take us to the seaside town of Malinska – still on the island of Krk. From here our bike tour leads us along natural paths and side roads to Dobrinj. We will be rewarded with stunning views of the northern part of the island of Krk. On a clear day, you can see the Učka Mountain. Passing one of the many caves of the island, we bike on a narrow path along the coast back to the ship in Omišalj, where we have enough time to walk through the town, go for a swim or relax on board before the trip ends with a cozy get-together.

### **8th Day Omišalj (Disembarkation)**

You are asked to check out after breakfast, i. e. around 9 am. On request we can organise a collective group transfer to Zagreb or Rijeka. Individual trip home or extend your holidays in Croatia.



## Andela Lora · Deluxe

### Port of Embarkation

from Omišalj &#40;Kvarner Bay&#41;

### Size

40 m x 8.50 m

### Capacity

17 cabins, 36+ Beds

## Special Features

### Year of construction

Cabin size

### Cabin size

12 - 14 m<sup>2</sup>

### Cabin features

A/C, hairdryer, tiled bathroom with a mirror, shower, washbasin and WC

### Beds

double beds 200 x 140 cm<br>single beds: 200 x 90 cm

### Service

cabin service, mid-week towel change

### Extras

swimming platform, sunning mats and chairs on the sundeck, large tables and chairs in the shade, bicycle garage, free Wi-Fi Stühle im Schatten, Laderaum für E-Bikes, Fahrradgarage, kostenfreies Internet

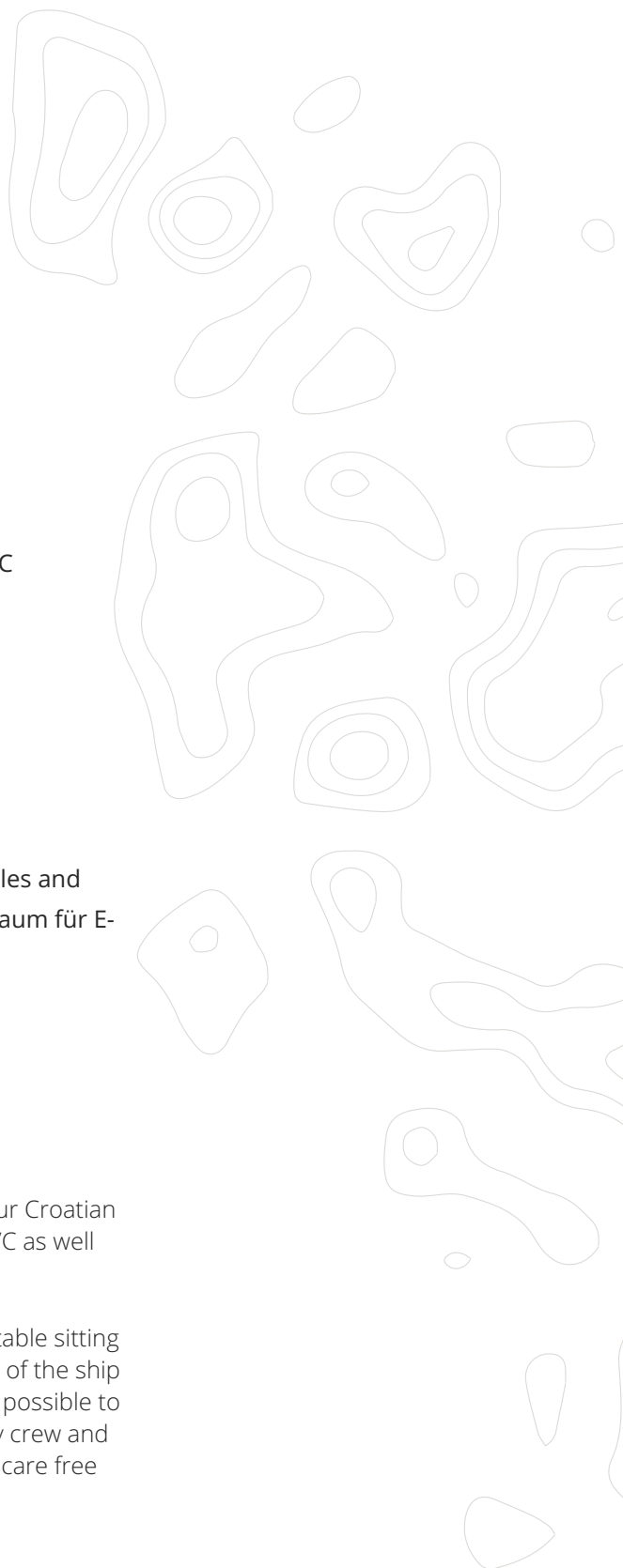
## Andela Lora

The Andela Lora is an elegant steel ship and one of the larger vessels in our Croatian fleet. Her spacious guest cabins have quality furnishings and include an A/C as well as a private bathroom and WC.

The elegantly furnished saloon on the top deck and the countless comfortable sitting and sunbathing areas on deck provide an ideal place to relax. At the stern of the ship a swimming platform provides easy access in and out of the sea making it possible to swim directly from the ship when anchored in a secluded bay. The friendly crew and amenities on board the Andela Lora are the perfect foundation for a truly care free Islandhopping travel experience.

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# Dates, Prices & Services

## Included services

- 8-day trip on a motorized yacht with crew
- 7 nights in a twin cabin below deck with shower/toilet
- 4 x full board and 3 x half board (the lunch can consist of a packed lunch several times)
- Guided bike tours and sightseeing as described in the itinerary
- Overview-maps for the daily bike tours (on board)
- Bed linen and towels
- English speaking tour guide

## Not included in the basic tour price

- Journey to Omišalj/Krk Island
- Flat rate for bottled water, tourist tax and local charges 50 euro (to be paid on board)
- Beverages on board (tally sheet; to be paid on board)
- Meals and beverages ashore
- Tips for crew and tour guides

## Additional Optional Services

Shared twin cabin	Available on request
Surcharge for a cabin above deck	150 euro/person
Surcharge for a double cabin for single use below deck (limited)	500 euro
Surcharge for a double cabin for single use above deck (limited)	700 euro
Rental bike	Full suspension MTB (fully): 180 euro/week Full suspension e-MTB (E-fully): 240 euro/week (limited)
Insurance against theft and damage of the rental bike (not insured: grossly negligent damages)	Fully & E-fully: 20 euro/week
Private e-MTB	50 euro/bike (handling fee)
A safe parking space (to be paid on-site to the tour guide)	Motorcycle: 30 euro/week; Car up to 6 m in length: 50 euro/week; Vehicle longer than 6 m: 100 euro/week
Collecting transfer from Rijeka train station to Omišalj (reservation requested; please note, that it is not possible to take your own bike in trains)	25 euro person/way

Transfer from/to Rijeka airport (on embarkation and disembarkation days only)	15 euro person/way and 15 euro bicycle/way
Collective transfer from/to Zagreb (on day of embarkation/disembarkation only; reservation required two weeks in advance, booking incl. complete transmission of flight details)	60 euro person/way and 60 euro bicycle/way
Exclusive transfers	Prices on request
Additional night incl. breakfast in Omišalj	Prices see 'Additional Nights Omišalj'
2-day extension program Zagreb	Prices see 'Extension Programs'

## Discounts

- Children up to age 16 receive a discount of 25 % on the basic tour price (not combinable with any other discount).
- With three persons sharing a cabin, we allow a 50 % discount on the basic tour price for the third person, regardless of age (not combinable with other discounts). When booking an above deck cabin, the above deck surcharge will not be charged for the third occupant.
- If you place your booking for a tour in 2022 by the 31.01.2022, you will receive a 5% Early-Bird discount on the tour base price (can be used in combination with the SEA-YOU-AGAIN discount).
- If this is your third or more Islandhopping tour booked directly with us, you will receive our 5% SEA-YOU-AGAIN discount for a tour in 2022 if you book it before the 31.01.2022 (can be used in combination with the Early-Bird discount).

# Dates

Date	Accommodation	Start City	End City	Base Price
26.09.2021 – 03.10.2021	Andela Lora	Omisalj	Omisalj	1.490,00 €
17.10.2021 – 24.10.2021	Linda	Omisalj	Omisalj	990,00 €
13.05.2022 – 20.05.2022	Andela Lora	Omisalj	Omisalj	1.490,00 €
22.04.2022 – 29.04.2022	Andela Lora	Omisalj	Omisalj	1.390,00 €
27.05.2022 – 03.06.2022	Andela Lora	Omisalj	Omisalj	1.490,00 €
23.09.2022 – 30.09.2022	Andela Lora	Omisalj	Omisalj	1.590,00 €



# Arrival

## Port of Embarkation Omišalj

The embarkation harbour for our tours in the Kvarner Bay is Omišalj, situated on the island of Krk, which is connected to the Croatian mainland by a bridge.

Embarkation, will take place between 1:00 and 1:30 pm. The boat will leave from Omišalj at 2 pm. Please do not book a flight that arrives after 1 pm without first consulting one of our office team members.

[Contact us](#)

## Arrival by car

Address for Navigation System:

Riva Pape Ivana Pavla II, 51513 Omišalj, Kroatien

We are happy to organise a secure parking place for your vehicle on private property in Omišalj. This must be arranged in advanced. Prices can be found under "additional bookable services".

If you have booked a parking place, please inform one of the Islandhopping tour guides on arrival. They will show you the parking place after unloading your car.

## Arrival by plane

Arrival to our journeys in the Kvarner Bay is possible via the [Rijeka Airport \(RJK\)](#), which like your port of embarkation Omišalj, is on the island of Krk. Please keep in mind, that your ship leaves the port at about 2 pm for the first cruise.

Another arrival alternative is to fly to [Zagreb \(ZAG\)](#) (transfer time to Omišalj: 2 hours). On embarkation and disembarkation day we offer a collective transfer from/to Zagreb airport or Zagreb city. Prices can be found under "additional bookable services".

## Arrival by train

Please note that there is no train connection to Omišalj. The nearest bigger railway station is in Rijeka.

On embarkation and disembarkation day we also offer a collective transfer from/to Rijeka railway station. See "Transfer Options".

## Transfer Options

Collective transfers must be reserved with our office team in advance (incl. transmission of your complete flight details). Prices can be found under "additional bookable services".

Airport of Zagreb (ZAG) - Port of Embarkation

Departure times from Zagreb to Omišalj on embarkation day: 12:15 Uhr

Departure times from Omišalj on disembarkation day: 08:00 Uhr - Please make sure, that your return flight does not depart from Zagreb before 12:00 pm.

Airport of Rijeka (RJK) – Port of Embarkation

We can organize (taxi) transfers between Rijeka airport and the boat in Omišalj: 15 euro person/bike/way. (on the day of embarkation/disembarkation only, reservation required two weeks in advance, incl. transmission of complete flight details).

Railway Station Rijeka - Port of Embarkation

We offer a collective transfer from Rijeka Station to Omišalj at 9.30 am on the day of embarkation. We also offer a collective transfer from Omišalj back to Rijeka in the early morning on the day of disembarkation (approx. 45 minutes travel time).