

The Azure Danube - 13 Days River Cruise Tour

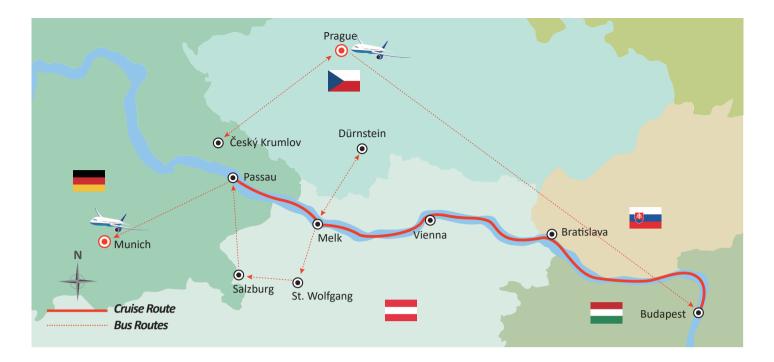
(Prague → Munich)

Germany - Austria - Hungary - Czech Republic - Slovakia

Destinations:

Prague - Český Krumlov - Budapest - Bratislava - Vienna - Dürnstein - Melk - Salzburg - St. Wolfgang - Munich





Day 1: Departure from North America – Arrival in Prague, Czech Republic

Depart from various cities across the United States and take an international flight to Prague, the capital of the Czech Republic.

Day 2: Prague Airport Pickup - Hotel Check-in

Upon arrival in Prague, you will be greeted by our enthusiastic Century Cruises tour guide and transferred to your hotel for check-in and rest.

Accommodation: Clarion Hotel Prague or similar 4-star hotel

Day 3: Prague – Český Krumlov (B)

After breakfast, embark on a day trip to Cesky Krumlov, a picturesque town known for its preserved medieval architecture. The town, listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site, offers a fairy-tale ambiance and is a must-see for visitors to the Czech Republic. Return to Prague in the evening for your overnight stay.

Accommodation: Clarion Hotel Prague or similar 4-star hotel

Day 4: Prague Sightseeing (B)

After breakfast, take a guided tour of Prague Castle (optional activity), visiting St. Vitus Cathedral, the Old Royal Palace, and Golden Lane. In the afternoon, explore Prague's Old Town, crossing the famous Charles Bridge to the Old Town Square, where you'll find the iconic Astronomical Clock, built in 1410.

Accommodation: Clarion Hotel Prague or similar 4-star hotel

Day 5: Prague - Budapest Embarkation (B/D)

After breakfast, we depart by bus for Budapest, Hungary, and begin exploring the beauty and landmarks of Hungary's capital. In the evening, board the luxurious 5-star Amadeus Amara river cruise. Enjoy a welcome cocktail with the captain and crew, followed by a specially arranged welcome dinner (formal attire required).

Accommodation: Century Amara 5-star river cruise (new ship launched in 2025)

Day 6: Danube River Cruise – Budapest, Hungar (B/L/D)

In the morning, explore the historic Buda Castle and Fisherman's Bastion, iconic landmarks of Budapest. Afterward, cross the Danube to Pest to continue sightseeing, including the Parliament Building (exterior) and St. Stephen's Basilica. Afterward, return to the cruise for dinner.

Accommodation: Century Amara 5-star river cruise (new ship launched in 2025)

Day 7: Danube River Cruise – Bratislava, Slovakia (B/L/D)

After breakfast, enjoy the beautiful Danube River scenery while relaxing on the cruise. In the afternoon, arrive in Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia. Visit the iconic Bratislava Castle, offering panoramic views of the city. Explore the historical Old Town, including the Slovak Philharmonic, Michael's Gate, and Roland Fountain. Keep an eye out for the unique notably short statue, a beloved local landmark. Return to the ship for dinner.For those interested, a night walk through the charming old town is also an option.

Accommodation: Century Amara 5-star river cruise (new ship launched in 2025)

Day 8: Danube River Cruise - Vienna, Austria (B/L/D)

After breakfast, enjoy the beautiful views of the Danube River from the ship. A fitness session or movie screening will be organized for relaxation. After lunch, the cruise will arrive in Vienna, Austria, the city of music. Upon disembarkation, visit the Schönbrunn Palace, the royal residence of Queen Elizabeth and the legendary Empress Sisi. A professional guide will lead a detailed exploration of the palace (optional). The vast and exquisite Schönbrunn Palace Gardens surrounding the palace are a sight to behold. If fortunate, you may experience a Mozart concert at the famous Golden Hall, marking the perfect end to your Vienna adventure.

Accommodation: Century Amara 5-star river cruise (new ship launched in 2025)



Day 9: Danube River Cruise – Vienna, Austria (B/L/D)

After breakfast, drive to Vienna's city center. Visit historical landmarks along the Ringstrasse, including the Hofburg Palace (exterior), the Vienna State Opera House (optional), and St. Stephen's Cathedral. In the afternoon, relax on the ship or explore Vienna further with the guide. Visit Stephansplatz and Graben Street, lined with luxury brands. Optionally, visit the "Sisi Museum" or enjoy coffee at one of Vienna's iconic coffeehouses.

Accommodation: Century Amara 5-star river cruise (new ship launched in 2025)

Day 10: Danube River Cruise – Dürnstein – Melk (B/L/D)

After breakfast, embark on a walking tour of Dürnstein, a picturesque town in the Wachau Valley. Known for its historic architecture and scenic views, Dürnstein features a blue Baroque church. After lunch, travel to Melk to visit the famous Melk Abbey, a UNESCO World Heritage site perched on a hill overlooking the Danube River. This Baroque monastery, founded in the 11th century, is considered one of the most beautiful in the world. In the evening, dress up for the Captain's Farewell Dinner, followed by a toast with the crew (formal attire required).

Accommodation: Century Amara 5-star river cruise (new ship launched in 2025)

Day 11: Danube River Cruise – Salzburg – St. Wolfgang – Linz (B/L/D)

After breakfast, take a bus to Salzburg, the birthplace of Mozart. Visit Mirabell Gardens, a filming location for The Sound of Music.In the afternoon, head to St. Wolfgang, a picturesque lakeside town favored by Empress Sisi. The area, with its 12 interconnected lakes surrounded by forests and mountains, was designated a UNESCO World Natural Heritage site in 1997. Return to the ship for dinner. Afterward, attend the disembarkation briefing and prepare for departure.

Accommodation: Century Amara 5-star river cruise (new ship launched in 2025)

Day 12: Passau, Germany – Munich (B)

After breakfast, disembark in Passau and take a bus to Munich. Pass by the Allianz Arena and visit Munich's Old Town Hall, the Munich Residenz (Royal Palace) exterior, and Marienplatz.Return to the hotel in the evening for dinner and rest.

Accommodation: Novotel Hotel Munich or similar 4-star hotel

Day 13: Munich - Departure (B)

After breakfast, your tour concludes with a transfer to the airport in Munich for your flight back home, marking the end of an unforgettable journey along the Danube River.

Note: Century Cruises reserved the right to adjust and update the itinerary according to the navigation, weather or conditions of the actual operation.

Deck Plan of Century Amara

