

NAPOLOON CRUISE: AVIGNON TO LA VOULTE-SUR-RHONE

Embark on a unique river cruise through the South of France from Avignon to La Voulte-sur-Rhone. Taste hallowed truffles, cycle through lavender fields and gather on deck for captivating evenings. Retreat to your spacious cabin for a blissful night's rest. This is life aboard Napoleon, the largest, most sociable barge in our fleet.



ITINERARY

Days 1 & 2 Avignon - Vallabrègues

Board Napoleon in Avignon for your cruise along the river rhone. Toast the start of your adventure with chilled champagne as you meet your dedicated crew and guide. After settling into your plush cabin, enjoy your first gastronomic experience on board, a perfect blend of seasonal delicacies, irresistible wines and balmy, bucolic views.

This morning, your chef escorts you to Avignon's covered market. Discover more of southern France's specialities and pick out some local produce. Afterwards, join your guide for a stroll into the walled city of Avignon. Return to the barge for a leisurely lunch and cruise to Vallabregues. This afternoon, you may perhaps indulge in a relaxed swim beneath the magnificent Pont



du Gard, a remarkable piece of Roman architecture. Tonight, dinner is served onboard.

Days 3 & 4 Arles - Roquemaure

After a delicious breakfast, you may wish to embark on a walking tour of Arles. With extraordinary Roman ruins, shady boulevards and colourful houses baking beneath the sun, the old town famously inspired the artist Van Gogh, who painted hundreds of works here from 1888-9. Return to the boat for lunch as you cruise back to Avignon. This evening, prepare for a sumptuous dinner in a beautiful local restaurant.

This morning, we take a scenic cruise to the beautiful rural mooring of Roquemaure. Enjoy lunch on board before alighting with your guide to visit Chateauneuf du Pape, summer residence of the Avignon popes, but equally famous for its stunning wines. Visit a private winery and taste their prestigious reds. This evening, relax over dinner on board.

Days 5 & 6 Viviers - La Voulte-sur-Rhône

Unwind onboard this morning during a leisurely cruise through the Bollene-Écluse. Savour a lunch of seasonal delicacies on board before arriving in Viviers. Take the opportunity to wander through this tiny medieval city that brims with historic charm. Later, ignite your senses on a visit to a typical Provençal lavender farm, where the colours and scents are intoxicating. Return to Napoleon for dinner and a chilled evening under the stars.

Your guide may suggest a morning jaunt to Grignan, famous for its wild roses. Enjoy a precious tasting at a prestigious truffle

farm. Linger over lunch at a charming local restaurant before returning to the barge. We moor in Tournon, just past the Cotes du Rhone vineyards. Just a few steps from the barge lies a distinguished local winery, where a private tour and tasting is arranged for you to enjoy, while Chef prepares your farewell feast onboard.

Day 7 See you soon...

Please check out this morning by 09:00. After breakfast, your crew bids you farewell as you disembark for your onward travel arrangements. We look forward to welcoming you back on board soon.

Please note:

Itineraries are subject to change.





YOUR SHIP: NAPOLEON

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VESSEL TYPE: Barge

LENGTH: 129ft / 39.3m

PASSENGER CAPACITY: 12

BUILT/REFURBISHED: 1963

A VOYAGE MADE FOR THE BON VIVANT Cruising the majestic Rhone from Tain L'Hermitage to Avignon, take in the charms of Provence aboard Napoleon Recline on the this gorgeous barge, as peaceful meadows drift by and weeping willows dip into the water. Around-the-clock indulgence awaits. Sip cocktails under the stars and feast on local delicacies. Tour the postcard-perfect hillsides of Provence, then quench your thirst surrounded by world-class vines. CABINS Our spacious twin or king cabins feature their own indulgent en-suite bathroom, large scenic window and controlled heating. All six cabins can be reconfigured to your needs--the perfect choice for groups or families. DETAILS & AMENITIES Decks: 3, Crew: 6 Double beds (can be configured to twins) Wash basin, shower and a WC Wardrobes Slippers and bathrobes Air conditioning Towels and facecloths Dressing/desk table with chair Sockets for two-pin 220-volt plugs



INSIDE YOUR SHIP

Cabin





PRICING

Cabin

12-Apr-2026 to 18-Apr-2026

 Cabin
 £7334 GBP pp

 24-May-2026 to 30-May-2026
 £8069 GBP pp

 Cabin
 £8069 GBP pp

 19-Jul-2026 to 25-Jul-2026
 £7334 GBP pp

 16-Aug-2026 to 22-Aug-2026
 £7334 GBP pp

 11-Oct-2026 to 17-Oct-2026
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