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8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS

# SLOVENIA & THE GULF OF TRIESTE

Discover the beauty of Slovenia's Adriatic coast and beyond on this journey based in Portorož, a charming seaside resort known for its relaxed atmosphere and coastal elegance. From scenic boat trips along the Gulf of Piran to visits across the border into Italy and excursions through Slovenia's most iconic landscapes, including Lake Bled, Ljubljana, Postojna Cave and Predjama Castle, this itinerary blends cultural discovery, natural wonders and time to unwind by the sea.



## DAY 1: PORTOROŽ

The closest airport is Trieste Airport (80 kms). Arrival on your own at the hotel. After check in, the rest of the day is at leisure. This evening, meet your fellow travellers for a welcome dinner at the hotel.

**7 nights in Portoroz: Grand Hotel Portorož - LifeClass Hotels & Spa 4\* or Hotel Histrion or similar**

## DAY 2: PORTOROŽ – IZOLA BOAT TOUR

After breakfast, meet your guide for a half day panoramic boat trip from Portorož to Izola. Depart from Portorož port towards the picturesque coastal town of Piran, nestled between the sea and its impressive town walls. Continue along the Piran peninsula and enjoy spectacular views of the cliffs of Strunjan Nature Park and the charming coastal towns along the way. Admire the backdrop of the Italian coastline as you reach Izola, an ancient fishing town. Take in its whitewashed bell towers, marina, and surrounding vineyards before returning to Portorož. In the rare event of unsuitable weather, this excursion may be rescheduled. The afternoon is at leisure. Your guide will be happy to recommend local highlights to explore.





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### DAY 3: PORTOROŽ – MIRAMARE CASTLE & TRIESTE

Depart for a full day excursion to neighbouring Italy. After crossing the border, continue to Trieste, a city known for its cultural heritage, palaces, and historic cafés. Begin with a visit to Miramare Castle, a 19th century castle located on the Gulf of Trieste and surrounded by a scenic park offering panoramic sea views. For 2026 departures, visit is exterior only. Continue to Trieste for a guided walking tour of the historic centre, discovering elegant piazzas, palaces, museums, and traditional coffee houses, with free time to enjoy the city atmosphere.

### DAY 4: PORTOROŽ – POSTOJNA & PREDJAMA CASTLE

Enjoy a morning guided excursion to Postojna Cave, one of the world's most famous karst cave systems, featuring underground passages, halls, and unique rock formations. Experience a train ride through the caves and visit highlights including the Congress Hall. Continue to Predjama Castle (entrance included), a remarkable castle built into a cliff face, showcasing unique Renaissance architecture in the Inner Carniola region.

### DAY 5: PORTOROŽ – LAKE BLEĐ & LJUBLJANA

This morning, travel to Lake Bled for a guided visit including a traditional boat ride to Bled Island on its glacial waters. The island is home to St. Mary's Church (entrance included), known for its wishing bell, as well as a small museum and the historic South Staircase. Continue to Ljubljana for a guided walking tour of the city, including the scenic Ljubljanica River banks. Afterwards, enjoy free time to explore or relax at a riverside café. Free time for lunch is included. Your guide will be available for suggestions.

### DAY 6 & 7: PORTOROŽ – DAYS AT LEISURE

Enjoy two full days at leisure. Relax at the hotel or explore the beautiful surroundings at your own pace. Optional wellness treatments using mud and brine from the nearby Sečovlje Salt Pans are available for further relaxation.

### DAY 8: PORTOROŽ – DEPART

After breakfast, check out of the hotel and end of services.





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### THE PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- 7 nights accommodation in double occupancy (run of house room) 4\*
- 7 Buffet breakfasts
- 7 dinners at hotel
- Professional English speaking Tour Director
- Half day panorama boat trip from Portoroz to Izola
- Full day excursion to Trieste (Italy) with guided walking tour and visit to Miramare Castle
- Excursion to the Postojna Caves, followed by a visit to Predjama Castle (entrance included)
- Excursion to Lake Bled to include a boat trip to Bled island and a visit to St. Mary's church
- Afternoon guided walking city tour of Ljubljana

### THE PACKAGE DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- Any flights
- Meals not mentioned, beverages during meals
- Optional excursions
- Transfers to/from airport or train station to hotels
- Gratuities to hotel staff, tour guides, drivers
- Hotel city tax to be paid at hotels, approx: 3 Euros per person per day

### LAND PACKAGE 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS, PRICE PER PERSON

DEPARTURE 2026	DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
September 21, 2026	\$ 3,299
October 5, 2026	\$ 2,999
<i>Single room supplement</i>	\$ 1095

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