

# EXPLORA II AT THE HEART OF FORMULA 1 GRAND PRIX DE MONACO



**From:** \$10,450.00

**Embarkation:** Montecarlo

**Disembarkation:** Montecarlo

**Dates:** Wed, 21 May 2025 - Mon, 26 May 2025

**Duration:** 5 Nights / 6 days

**Ship:** EXPLORA II





📍 DAY MONACO

## 1 Monte Carlo the Magnificent

Port: Montecarlo

Arrival Method: DOCK

Departure: 21:00

Megayachts jostle for space while billionaires roll dice in the world's most famous casino — welcome to Monte-Carlo, playground to the rich and famous. Royals and legends alike grace the Opéra de Monte-Carlo, gathering place for well-heeled locals and visitors since 1879. Supercars growl along well-dressed streets, past palatial hotels and fine dining restaurants showered in Michelin stars. Delve into seafaring history at the Oceanographic Museum, a cliffside cabinet of curiosities, and explore the 13th century Prince's Palace perched high on the monolithic Rock of Monaco, then soak up the Riviera sunshine at the Thermes Marins (thermal baths), dedicated to well-being and beauty.



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## 5 Monte Carlo the Magnificent

Port: Montecarlo

Arrival Method: DOCK

Arrival: 17:00

Departure: 22:00

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## 6 Monte Carlo the Magnificent

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Arrival Method: DOCK

Arrival: 08:00

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### See Monaco Grand Prix Circuit and the Prince's Car Collection

Take a walk along Monaco's harbour towards Monte Carlo, where you'll be met by views of gleaming luxury boats and the chic yacht club, which overlooks the glittering Mediterranean. Then, you'll head to Prince Rainier III's 100 or so luxury cars, some of which have won the Monte Carlo Rally and Monaco Grand Prix. Finally, visit Monaco's famous Grand Prix track with an expert guide to walk you through a section of it, up to Casino Square and the entrance of the iconic tunnel.

**Port:** Monte Carlo

**Price From:** \$70.00

**Activity Level:**  Moderate

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

**Duration:** 3.00 Hrs

**Available In:** English

**Features:** Memorable Moment



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### Experience the Wonders of Grasse and Saint-Paul-de-Vence

Wend your way through the French Riviera towards Grasse, the birthplace of France's perfume industry. Explore a perfume factory and learn how flowers are boiled and distilled into sweet-smelling perfumes. Pass through the factory's shop, the perfect opportunity to take home fragrant memories of your time in Grasse. Your next stop is Saint-Paul-de-Vence, beloved by artists and celebrities alike. Your guide leads you around this blissful walled village, with plenty of time to sit and savour the tastes and alluring scents emanating from local coffee shops.

**Port:** Monte Carlo

**Price From:** \$110.00

**Activity Level:**  Moderate

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

**Duration:** 7.30 Hrs

**Available In:** English

**Features:** Architecture, History & Heritage, Must-See Experience, Memorable Moment




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## Visit the Rock of Monaco and Explore the Old Town

Your first stop during this experience is the Rock of Monaco and its sweeping views of the Mediterranean coastline. Via escalators and winding steps, you'll make your way to one of the highest points in Monaco to marvel at the incredible view. After drinking in the scenery, you'll head into the Old Town of Monaco. Weave through enchanting streets en route to the Musée Océanographique de Monaco (Monaco Oceanographic Museum) and the miraculous Cathedral of Our Lady Immaculate (also known as St Nicholas Cathedral), final resting place of Princess Grace and Prince Rainier III. Take some time to appreciate the unmistakable exterior of the Prince's Palace of Monaco and watch the ceremonial changing of the guard.

**Port:** Monte Carlo

**Price From:** \$70.00

**Activity Level:**  Moderate

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

**Duration:** 3.30 Hrs

**Available In:** English

**Features:** History & Heritage, Architecture, Arts & Culture



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## Experience the Best of Monaco by Coach

See all the chic wonders of Monaco from the comfort of a coach, starting at the scenic Rock of Monaco. Take in the panoramic views of the sovereign city-state and the glittering Mediterranean Sea. Then, you'll visit the Place du Casino (Casino Square), with its world-famous Monte Carlo casino, the glitzy Hôtel de Paris Monte Carlo and the elegant Café de Paris Monaco in all their Belle Époque splendour.

**Port:** Monte Carlo

**Price From:** \$110.00

**Activity Level:**  Moderate

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

**Duration:** 3.30 Hrs

**Available In:** English

**Features:** History & Heritage, Architecture, Must-See Experience



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## Discover the French Riviera's Capital and See the Sights in Monaco

Step into the dazzling French Riviera—renowned for its sophisticated glamour, vibrant culture, azure waters and golden beaches. Wander into Nice's old town, full of sunny squares, pastel buildings and the Cours Saleya market. Next, ascend to 'Eagle's Nest', the medieval village of Èze, sitting majestically on a dramatic clifftop with sweeping views of the Mediterranean. Your next stop is Monaco, the Riviera's glittering crown jewel. Feel the exhilaration of a drive along the Grand Prix circuit before strolling to the legendary Casino Square, where palm trees sway in the breeze and fortunes are won and lost.

**Port:** Monte Carlo

**Price From:** \$115.00

**Activity Level:**  Moderate

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

**Duration:** 8.30 Hrs

**Available In:** English

**Features:** Architecture, History & Heritage



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## Explore Nice's Old Town and Taste Local Wine

Trace the Moyenne Corniche and its rugged coastline as you head towards the Promenade des Anglais. With views of the balmy Mediterranean lining the way, your guide will take you into the city. Here, marvel at the magnificent Le Negresco hotel and its intricate Rococo façade. You'll also see the impressive Russian Orthodox Cathedral and its unmistakable domed roof. Heading deeper into the old town—Vieux Nice—you'll meander along the Cours Saleya, home to Nice's famous flower market. Then, enjoy a visit to a wine cellar to taste three local wines along with three complementary cheeses.

**Port:** Monte Carlo

**Price From:** \$165.00

**Activity Level:**  Moderate

**Experiences:** Enchanting Explorations

**Duration:** 4.30 Hrs

**Available In:** English

**Features:** Architecture, Arts & Culture, Gastronomic Experience



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## Discover the Alluring Beauty of Menton

Venture along France's Mediterranean coast to discover the hypnotic beauty of Menton, famed for its cultivation of fragrant lemons and kumquats. On this journey, embark on a guided exploration to the heart of this colourful town. Wander through narrow streets and flower-bedecked alleyways, discovering Menton's beauty. Stopping at a local shop, savour a selection of lemon-based products, before heading on to relish locally produced biscuits. There's time to meander along the promenade and lounge on the beach before soaking up the views during the scenic French Riviera drive back to Monaco.

**Port:** Monte Carlo

**Price From:** \$85.00

**Activity Level:**  Moderate

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

**Duration:** 4.00 Hrs

**Available In:** English

**Features:** Must-See Experience, Architecture, Memorable Moment




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## A Guided Exploration of the Medieval Village of Èze

Step onto the cobblestone streets of the charming medieval village of Èze. Perching majestically on the clifftop, its breathtaking elevation above the azure sea below offers spectacular views. Slip inside the ancient gateway, adorned with crenellations, offering a timeless portal into a labyrinth of alleys that wind between carefully restored houses. Immerse yourself in Èze's allure, where history, natural beauty and craftsmanship combine to create an unforgettable visit. Enjoy some free time to venture into the Perfumery, where beautiful fragrances await discovery.

**Port:** Monte Carlo

**Price From:** \$90.00

**Activity Level:**  Moderate

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

**Duration:** 4.30 Hrs

**Available In:** English

**Features:** Architecture, History & Heritage, Wonderful Nature



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## Culture and Art on a Walk through Saint-Paul-de-Vence

Transport yourself to Saint-Paul-de-Vence, a timeless village perched atop a hill overlooking the French Riviera. Steeped in art and history, it has long captivated and inspired artists, writers, painters and poets. Wander through cobble lanes with many charming boutiques and galleries, each a trove of wonders. Immerse yourself in Fondation Maeght (Maeght Foundation), a sanctuary for important contemporary works of art. Indulge in simple pleasures, savour the aroma of fresh coffee wafting from a cosy café, and relish a delicious pastry amidst the village's historical charm.

**Port:** Monte Carlo

**Price From:** \$85.00

**Activity Level:**  Moderate

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

**Duration:** 4.00 Hrs

**Available In:** English

**Features:** Arts & Culture, History & Heritage, Architecture



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## Nice and Èze, gems of the French Riviera

Meander along Nice's Promenade des Anglais, lined with palm trees swaying gently in the breeze and offering a clear view of the shimmering turquoise sea. Admire the majestic Le Negresco hotel's Rococo façade and the vivid colours of the Russian Orthodox Cathedral with its blue turrets and onion domes. See the Old Town's tall houses adorned with vibrant flowers before ascending the Moyenne Corniche, a scenic route with breathtaking panoramic views. Your final stop is the charming medieval village of Èze, atop a craggy clifftop. Time stands still in its cobble streets, a captivating blend of history and breathtaking beauty.

**Port:** Monte Carlo

**Price From:** \$90.00

**Activity Level:**  Moderate

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

**Duration:** 4.30 Hrs

**Available In:** English

**Features:** History & Heritage, Architecture



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## Accessible Monaco Magic

Take in the luxurious atmosphere of Monaco during this accessible experience. Accompanied by a guide, you'll first explore the historic Monaco City quarter. Check out incredible buildings like the Prince's Palace of Monaco, the Oceanographic Museum of Monaco and—of course—the Romanesque Cathedral of Our Lady Immaculate. Visit verdant gardens and picture-perfect squares. Enjoy a coffee from an artisan café, sunlight warming your face. You'll then drive over to the Monte Carlo quarter to experience the famous Casino de Monte-Carlo, a gilded monument of marble and bronze.