



Keukenhof Gardens

Sail through florally radiant landscapes where inland waterways reveal local color, timeless traditions, and a taste of daily life. Tulips bloom as you explore Dutch Masters, windmills, and canals steeped in regional charm and cultural gems between Brussels and Amsterdam.

9 DAYS March 23 - 31, 2028
8 cruise nights
Activity Level 2 / Pace Level 3

Uniquely Tauck

- Attend a private evening at the Mauritshuis in The Hague, home to a world-class collection of art including Vermeer's *Girl with the Pearl Earring*
- Visit Keukenhof Gardens in Lisse to walk among the tulips, daffodils, and hyacinths that are on brilliant display for only two months a year
- Enjoy an early-opening visit to the open-air Zuiderzee Museum before the day's crowds arrive, reflecting the rich maritime history of the region

■ DAY 1

Arrive Brussels

Tour begins: 4:00 PM, Brussels. A transfer is included from Brussels Airport to your riverboat, where embarkation begins at 4:00 PM. Join us for a welcome cocktail reception followed by dinner aboard ship tonight. **Meals D**

■ DAY 2

Discover Antwerp

Wake up in Antwerp this morning for an orientation tour of the city and a guided walk through the historic center and the Old Market Square. A choice of excursions this afternoon includes a visit to the Red Star Line Museum or a brewery tour of local pubs for tastings of Belgian beers. Enjoy dinner at leisure onboard ship tonight. **Meals BLD**

■ DAY 3

Explore Ghent or Bruges

Enjoy a choice of excursions today in Ghent or Bruges. Join our local guide for a walking tour of Ghent and a canal boat ride, plus a visit to Ghent Cathedral. Or, embark on a full day excursion to Bruges that includes a guided walking tour, lunch, and free time to explore on your own. Enjoy dinner onboard ship this evening, as your riverboat charts a course for Dordrecht. **Meals BLD**

■ DAY 4

The windmills of the Kinderdijk

Arrive in the historic city of Dordrecht. Disembark for a short drive to Kinderdijk, where 19 original 18th-century windmills are preserved today as a UNESCO World Heritage Site, for a choice of excursions. Take in the sights like the locals do on a bicycle ride, or visit the windmills with a local guide who shares historical insights about these iconic treasures. Return to Dordrecht for a choice of afternoon tours before returning to your ship. Tonight, you'll have an opportunity to enjoy onboard musical entertainment after dinner. **Meals BLD**

■ DAY 5

Rotterdam – the “Gateway to Europe”

Arrive in Rotterdam, renowned for its architecture and vibrant cultural life. Choose to spend the day your way, either enjoying a food-focused walking and coach tour of the city or driving to Delft for a visit and tile painting workshop at The Royal Delft Museum, followed by time at leisure in Rotterdam. Join us for a Tauck Exclusive evening at the Mauritshuis museum in The Hague. Enjoy a private dinner, live music and a tour showcasing its Dutch Golden Age paintings, including the famed *Girl with a Pearl Earring* by Johannes Vermeer. **Meals BLD**

Voyage at a glance

■ 8 cruise nights -

Correct Routing below

Amsterdam to Brussels

Day	Destination
1	Arrive Amsterdam / Embark Huizen
2	Huizen / Amsterdam
3	Enkhuizen
4	Keukenhof
5	Dordrecht / Kinderdijk
6	Rotterdam
7	Bruges or Ghent
8	Antwerp
9	Disembark Brussels

Map Detail





Rotterdam, "Gateway to Europe"

Experience a taste of daily life in modern-day Rotterdam as you embark on a food-focused tour of the city amidst its renowned architectural gems and stunning harbor.



The open-air Zuiderzee Museum

Located in Enkhuizen, the Zuiderzee Museum is a living showcase of the cultural heritage and maritime legacy of the region, yours to explore on an early-opening visit.



Keukenhof Gardens in Lisse

With 7 million flower bulbs planted every year across 79 acres, view Keukenhof Gardens, one of the world's largest gardens, at its most awe-inspiring and colorful.

■ DAY 6

Magical Keukenhof Gardens

You're off this morning for a flower-filled visit to Keukenhof Gardens in Lisse, "the most beautiful spring garden in the world." A rolling carpet of color, Keukenhof is one of Europe's most iconic – and fragrant – places to experience springtime in all its glory. Your visit here offers a choice: explore the gardens on foot or join a local guide on a bicycle ride exploring the natural landscapes nearby, followed by time to walk through the gardens. Spend the morning here and have lunch. Return to your ship and cruise to Enkhuizen, enjoying the picturesque scenery that lines the river. **Meals BLD**

■ DAY 7

Enchanting Enkhuizen

Disembark your riverboat in the pretty town of Enkhuizen this morning. Discover the region's rich maritime heritage as you ride aboard a ferry to the open-air Zuiderzee Museum, where an early-opening visit enables you to experience its cultural delights before the day's crowds arrive. After lunch, enjoy time at leisure in Enkhuizen or experience an interactive sailing trip aboard a centuries-old sailboat on the IJsselmeer. **Meals BLD**

■ DAY 8

Amazing Amsterdam

After a morning of cruising, dock in Huizen. Today, a choice of sightseeing includes a cruise along Amsterdam's 17th-century canals, followed by a guided tour of the Rijksmuseum to view renowned works by the Dutch Masters, including Rembrandt's *The Night Watch* and Vermeer's *The Milkmaid*. Alternatively, explore the picturesque town of Amersfoort for a guided tour and free time to explore as you please. Join us tonight for a farewell dinner onboard your riverboat. **Meals BLD**

DAY 9

Journey Home

Tour ends: 9:00 AM, Amsterdam. A transfer is included from the riverboat in Huizen to Amsterdam's Schiphol Airport or Amsterdam Centraal Station; disembark by 9:00 AM. Fly home anytime; allow three hours for check-in. **Meals B**

■ Indicates cruise day



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A canal boat ride in Amsterdam offers close-up views of the merchants' houses along the city's 17th-century canals; a pub crawl in Antwerp delights with Belgian beers; and a private opening at the Mauritshuis in The Hague showcases Golden Age paintings.

2028 DATES / CRUISE PRICE PER PERSON
BEGINS AMSTERDAM – MS *INSPIRE*

DATE	CAT 1	CAT 2	CAT 3	CAT 4	CAT 5	CAT 6	CAT 7
MAR 23			ALL PRICING TBD				

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THIS TOUR IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE FOR THE 2028 SEASON

SPECIAL SOLO TRAVELER SAVINGS

On all departures, the single price in Category 1 is the same as the double price – no single supplement, which means savings of up to 50% for solo travelers! Solo Travelers also enjoy savings of \$1,000 per cabin in Category 4 and 5 on March 23.

2028 LAND / CRUISE PRICE INCLUSIONS

23 meals (8 Breakfasts, 7 Lunches & 8 Dinners), airport and train station transfers, cruise fare, port charges, applicable fuel surcharges, and gratuities to Tauck Directors, Tauck Cruise Director, ship staff, local guides & drivers, and on all included meals. Unlimited complimentary beverages aboard ship include regional wine, beer & premium spirits, in addition to specialty coffee, tea and soft drinks. Tauck's private shore excursions and distinctive inclusions valued at \$2,495.

International Airfare is additional; call Tauck for special rates. Please go to tauck.com for full day-by-day details; north and south itineraries are similar. Museums and attractions may be subject to closure due to state, local or religious holidays. This cruise includes a fair amount of walking in each city. For all bike rides, hikes and activities marked with an asterisk (*), participation is at your own risk and requires a signed liability waiver to be provided. Shore Excursion Selection: Tauck will contact guests 90 days prior to departure to assist with shore excursion selections. Certain exceptions may apply; select departures may feature different hotels of similar standard to those noted – visit tauck.com or ask at booking. **Please go to page 18 for Activity / Pace details; for additional information, including our Cruise Protection Product, please see General information.**

Activity Level 2 / Pace Level 3



ms *Inspire*

Tauck's 443-ft. (135-m.) riverboats – ms *Inspire*, ms *Savor*, ms *Joy*, and ms *Grace* – are elegant reflections of the high standards that are consistent across Tauck's Destination Fleet, and carry on our tradition of providing more space per guest on Europe's rivers. With a maximum of 130 Tauck guests, these longer ships transport fewer passengers than most riverboats of comparable size in Europe. Of a 67 cabin total, we offer 22 Tauck Suites (300 sq. ft.). Guest amenities in these lush suites include separate seating areas, double French balconies, roomy walk-in closets and spacious bathrooms. All of our 135-m ships feature eight innovative loft cabins extending from the first to the second decks, affording more natural light and views of the passing scenery. Leisure facilities include a putting green as well as a plunge pool on the Sun Deck and a fitness center.

Ship Specifications

Built: 2013 – 2016

Refurbished: 2020 (ms *Savor* & *Inspire*)
2023 (ms *Grace* & *Joy*)

Registry: Swiss

Length: 443 ft. / 135 m.

Width: 37 ft. / 11.4 m.

Draft: 4 ft. / 12 m.

Maximum Number of Guests: 130

Number of Guest Cabins: 67

Crew Members: 50

Number of Decks: 3 plus a Sun Deck

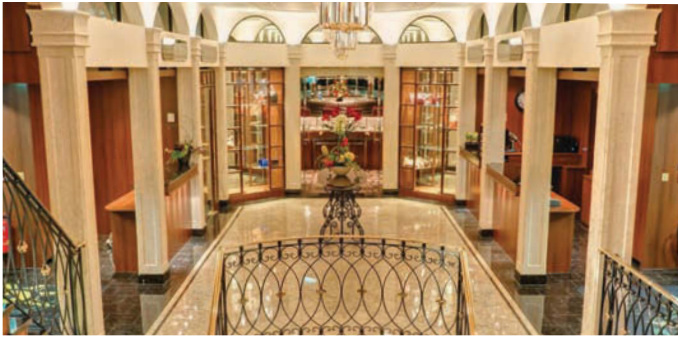
Air Conditioning: Yes (European standard AC)

Elevator: Yes – services all decks except
the Sun Deck

Internet: WiFi available, service levels may vary



Spend time on the ship's top deck, where open views and fresh air invite relaxed conversation and quiet moments between ports.



The lobby is the central hub of the riverboat, highlighted by a grand staircase atrium that anchors the ship's interior spaces.

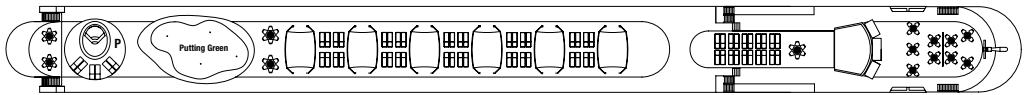


The Panorama Lounge, with its windows to Europe, provides a great spot to meet and relax throughout the day.

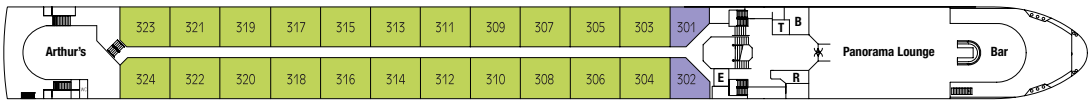


Innovative two-story Category 3 loft cabins are unique on the rivers and feature raised seating with panoramic windows.

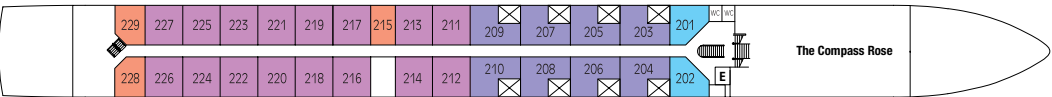
Sun Deck



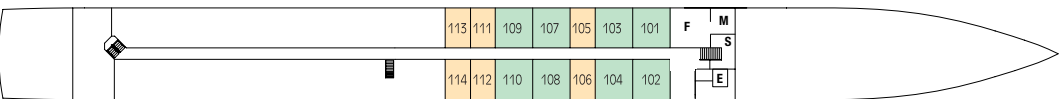
Diamond Deck



Ruby Deck



Emerald Deck



Deck Plans

- **Category 1**
(150 sq. ft.)
- **Category 2**
(150 sq. ft.)
- **Category 3**
(225 sq. ft.)
- **Category 4**
(190 sq. ft.)
- **Category 5**
(190-225 sq. ft.)
- **Category 6**
(225 sq. ft.)
- **Category 7**
(300 sq. ft.)
(three-guest capacity suites with a pull-out sleeping couch)

- B = Boutique
- E = Elevator
- F = Fitness Center
- P = Plunge Pool
- M = Massage
- R = Reception Desk
- S = Spa (on Inspire & Savor only)
- T = Tauck Desk