

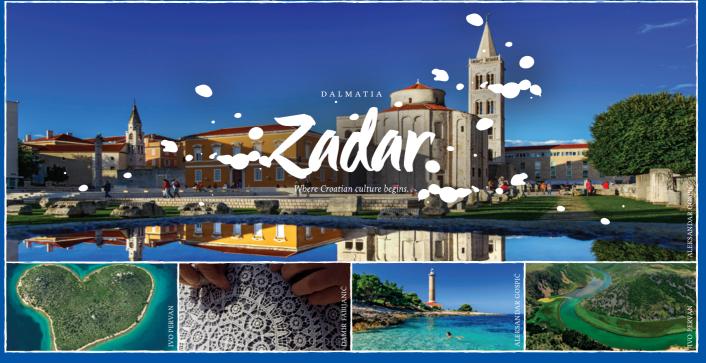


CULTURAL HERITAGE | Shrine of Our Lady of Trsat - the oldest Marian

t mountain along the Croatian coast, with rich flora and fauna / Zlatni cant landscape / Islands of Ravnik, Donja Brela, Pakleni otoci (island gnificant landscapes / Modra špilja and Medvidina špilja - caves on the wo - geomorphological natural phenomenon / Vranjača Cave (Mountain geomorphological natural phenomenon / Crveno jezero (Red Lake) and o (Blue Lake) (Imotski) - geomorphological natural phenomenon

TOURISM PLUS | Skiing - Platak / Hunting, fishing, canoeing, paragliding, riding,

specialties made from cherries, aspara-gus and sweet chestnuts (Lovran), indigenous wines: Vrbnička žlahtina (Krk) and Trojišćina (island of Susak), Island of Rab cake, game, frogs, mushrooms, freshwater fish, mountain liqueurs, plum and pear brandies.



NATIONAL PARK | Paklenica National Park - unique complex of canyons and particularity and size, and together with the primeval and ancient beech forests

NATURE | Saljsko polje (Island of Dugi otok) - significant landscape / River

CULTURAL HERITAGE | St. Donatus Church (Zadar) - symbol of the city of Zadar / Church of the Holy Cross (Nin) - the smallest cathedral in the world / Lacemaking on Pag - UNESCO Representative List of Intangible Cultural Heritage / Nijemo Kolo, silent circle dance of the Dalmatian hinterland - UNESCO Representative List of Intangible Cultural Heritage / Klapa multipart singing of Dalmatia - UNESCO Representative List of Intangible Cultural Heritage. / Zadar's Defense System - The city walls with a series of strong bastions, the external fortress

in the Northern Velebit National Park, they have been inscribed on the UNESCO World Heritage List, which is a confirmation that Croatia is a European country rich in biodiversity and natural wonders. / Art of dry stone walling, knowledge and techniques - The art of dry stone walling, knowledge and techniques were inscribed in 2018 on the Repre-sentative List of the Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity. The art of dry stone walling concerns the knowhow related to making stone constructions by stacking stones upon each other, without using any other

**EXPLORE** | **Pag** - architecture of the town, production of Pag Lace / **Islands of Ugljan and Pašman** - architecture of stone-built houses.

TOURISM PLUS | Cycling trails, hunting, riding, fishing, rafting, bungee jumping, off road Velebit, surfing, kitesurfing, hang gliding. GASTRONOMY | Pag cheese, salt from Pag and Nin, prosciutto ham from Posedarje, 'Ninski šokol', Maraschino liqueur, Rosé of Benkovac.

kindness are a magnet that keeps drawing tourists back. Sometimes the hospitality

Welcome to Croatia!

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Unique in so many ways, Croatia has roots extending from ancient times and a great cultural wealth telling of its turbulent history from the Roman era, the Renaissance, the Baroque and the Ottoman conquests right up to the present day that are exceptionally alluring to all those who visit the country. If we then add to its rich cultural heritage the amazing natural beauty which attracts visitors at heritage sites under UNESCO's protection, Croatia truly is a country of incredible magnetic attraction. Yes, Croatia is all that and so much more. It is the home of the

the world's fastest electric car, the Dalmatian dog, Marco Polo, one of the oldest cities and parliaments in Europe, the second longest stretch of defensive walls in Europe, the smallest cathedral, the oldest arboretum and the oldest film festival in the world, and the birthplace of great athletes. And last but by no means less

CURRENCY | The official currency in Croatia is the kuna (1 kuna = 100 lipa). Foreign currency can be exchanged in banks, exchange offices, post offices and in the majority of tourist information offices, hotels and campsites. Credit cards (Eurocard / Mastercard,

POST OFFICES | The opening hours of post offices are available on the Croatian Post website, as well as on smatphone applications. Some post offices remain open until 0:00 a.m. - the one in Branimirova 4 Street, in the centre of Zagreb, as well as

Visa, American Express and Diners) are accepted in almost all hotels, marinas,

SHOPS AND PUBLIC SERVICES WORKING HOURS | During the tourist season most shops are open from 8 a.m. until 8 p.m. on weekdays, and many are open during the weekend as well. Public services and business offices generally work from

8 a.m. until 4 p.m., Monday to Friday.

HEALTH SERVICES | Hospitals and clinics are found in all larger towns and

cities, while smaller places have outpatient units and pharmacies. Foreign visitors who have compulsory health insurance in other EU countries and EEA (Norway,

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79 89. Ministry of Health toll free number 0800 79 99. Web: www.hzzo.hr, and the

National contact point for cross-boreder healthcare, E-mail: ncp-croatia@hzzo.hr, tel.: + 385 1 644 90 90. POWER SUPPLY | 220 V, frequency 50 Hz.

**TAP WATER** is safe to drink in all parts of Croatia. **PUBLIC HOLIDAYS** | 1 January - New Year's Day, 6 January - Epiphany, Easter Sunday & Easter Monday, 1 May - Labour Day, Corpus Christi, 22 June - Anti-Fascist Resistance Day 25 June - Statehood Day, 5 August - Victory Day and National

International country code for Croatia: +385 Ambulance: 194

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Information on local and intercity numbers: 11880 and 11888 Information on international numbers: 11802 Duty forecaster of the Meteorological and Hydrological Service (9 a.m. - 5

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In Croatia, it is a punishable offence for caravans and camper vans to camp in open

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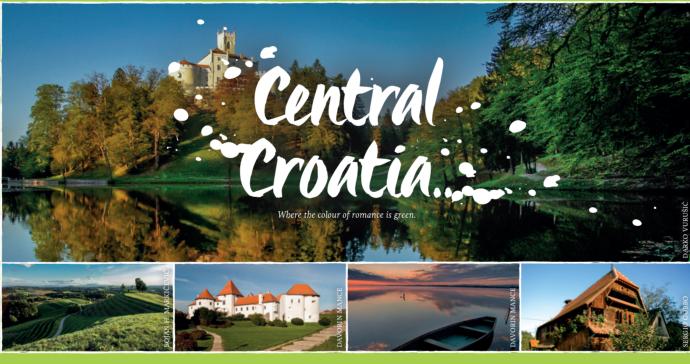


park (Gospić) / Cerovac caves (Gračac) - a geomorphological nature monument / Barać caves in Rakovica / Vrlovka cave in Kamanj / Rastoke in Slunj - a miller settlement situated where the blue-green waters of the river Slunjčica flow into the Grabovača near Perušić / The river Lika canyon / Lun - the oldest olive groves of

CULTURAL HERITAGE | The sanctuary of Mary of Krasno - the biggest Marian sanctuary in Lika / The sanctuary of Mary of Miracles in Oštarije / The town of Stari Drežnik near Rakovice / The Pauline Monastery Kamensko - Ethno gallery in Rečica, near Karlovac / The birthplace of Nikola Tesla (Smiljan) - a contemporary museum built in honour of one of the world's most famous inventors / The Turkish tower in Perušić - the last remaining Turkish tower in Lika from the 15<sup>th</sup> century / Towns and castles like Dubovac, Ozalj, Bosiljevo, and Franciscan / Pauline and Dominican monasteries sprung in the greenery of the region's landscape / The

national park that is on the UNESCO World Heritage List / Northern Velebit proclaimed a world biosphere reserve by UNESCO. NATURE | The forests of
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**EXPLORE** | **Electric-powered funicular railway** - links Down Town with Upper Art, Zagreb - an exciting story of contemporary art without a beginning or an end, staged in a dynamic exhibition space where the exhibits accentuate movement,

century cathedral / **St. Mark's Church** - 14th - 15th century / **Stone Gate and Lotršćak Tower** - part of the 13th century city walls / **Croatian National Theatre** - neo-Baroque building dating from 1895, designed by the architects Fellner and Helmer.

Nature Park - hiking trails and the skiing centre Sljeme, attractive gorges, caves, waterfalls, and karst phenomena. GASTRONOMY | Roast turkey with 'mlinci', 'štrukli', 'špek fileki' (bacon-tripe



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