European River Cruising





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Tour Summary

Are you anticipating vibrantly colorful tulips, fragrant rounds of cheese, miles of quaint canals, and heritage windmills? This tour will bring it all to you, along with an astounding engineering feat and spectacular scenery. River cruising in the Netherlands and Belgium is worth the anticipation - and the memories created. As you gently glide past big cities, small towns, industry and farmlands, you marvel at the diverse landscape. You will dock close to city centers, learn their history, and be instantly in the heart of the action. Your floating hotel has cabins with ever-changing views and cozy, comfy European bedding. The ship's lounge is your gathering place for socializing, drinks, and evening entertainment. And not to forget... three delicious, regionally-inspired meals a day are served on this not-to-miss cruise! **Back to Table of Contents**

River Cruising Highlights





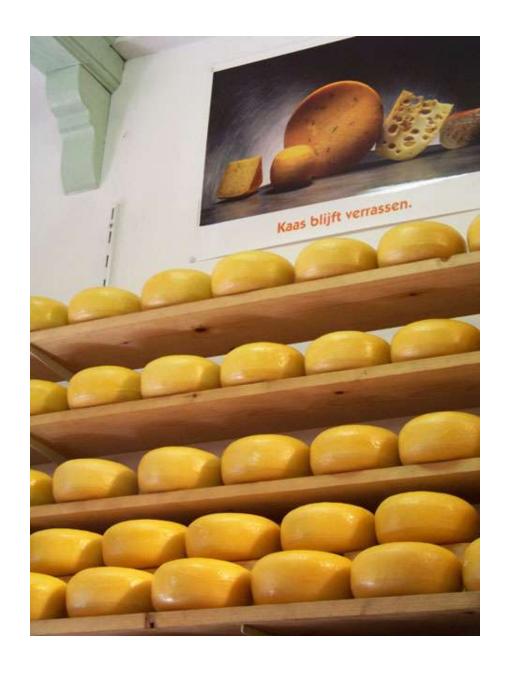
River cruising in the Netherlands starts in Amsterdam, the home of gabled 'skinny' houses.



In the springtime, wandering the pedestrian-friendly streets, you see outdoor flower shops...



...miles and miles of canals, and thousands of bicycles.



In Edam, walk the cobblestone streets and browse the cheese shops.



The window-clad dining room offers the most amazing sunsets during dinner.



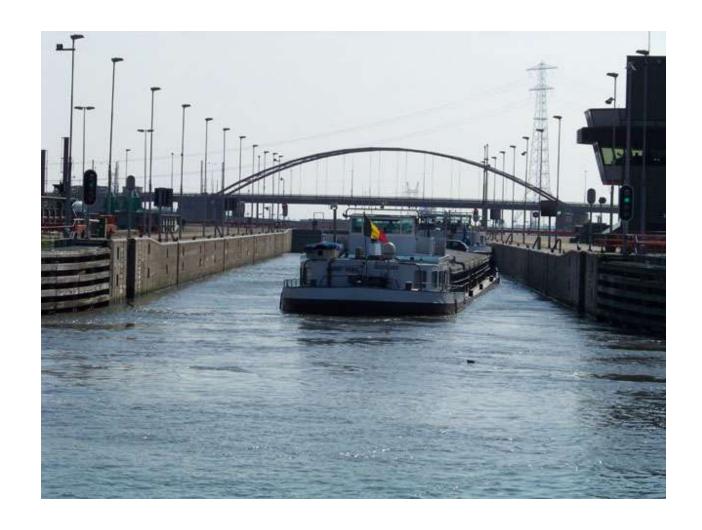
The charming port of Volendam is approached by sailing the outskirts of the Markermeer.



Walk the paths at Kinderdijk to see the preserved windmills turning in the breeze.



Your cabin is your haven: sleep, relax, read, or watch out the window...



...as your ship maneuvers through the locks.



Visit the Delta Works, an engineering feat built to hold back the sea.



In the canal town of Bruges, see the highest church spire in Belgium.



Back in the Netherlands, walk the paths of the beautifully landscaped Keukenhof... a gardener's dream.



Now, board your small ship to enjoy tulip time, and much, much more.

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