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Mediterranean by Cruise Ship - Anne Vipond
2013-06

The best-selling, compact guide, featuring
excellent local maps, hundreds of color

photographs, concise background information and recommended excursions for ports-of-call throughout Greece, Italy and the Mediterranean. Useful introductory chapters cover cruising, history, art & architecture and nature of the Mediterranean. With a pull-out map and hundreds of color photographs.

Caribbean by Cruise Ship - Anne Vipond 1999

The world's most popular cruise region, the Caribbean, is rich in history, culture, and tropical beauty. Now readers can learn about all aspects of this part of the world with "Caribbean By Cruise Ship". Includes details on ports of call, shore excursions, best beaches and best ways to get around islands and home ports. Over 400 maps and photos; 120 pages of color; 30 pull-out port maps.

Mediterranean by Cruise Ship Eighth Edition: The Complete Guide to Mediterranean Cruising. Includes Portugal,

Spain France, Italy, Croatia, Greece, Tu -

Anne Vipond 2020-01-30

The Mediterranean is the dream destination of every cruiser. Learn about past civilizations and the art, history and culture of societies that continue to influence the world. Includes valuable detail on home ports, cab fares and getting around major cities. Covers eastern and western itineraries. Hundreds of color photos and maps, 384 pages and comes with large color pull-out map. Now in its eighth edition, this updated guide to Mediterranean cruising is indispensable for anyone taking this fascinating trip. Mediterranean By Cruise Ship is a unique guidebook with detailed ports of call showing exactly where ships dock. The book includes a how-to guide for readers wanting to get around on their own with information on public transport as well as shore excursion recommendations. Each chapter provides historical background and concise descriptions of local attractions. Beautiful full color

photographs and maps capture the essence of each locale. *Mediterranean By Cruise Ship* includes dozens of port maps and a large pull-out color map showing the entire cruise area of the Mediterranean Sea.

Alaska by Cruise Ship - Anne Vipond 2002-06

This international bestseller is completely updated with new information on hiking and land travel. With coverage of ports from Seattle to Anchorage and the Bering Sea, this book is the benchmark of cruise guides to Alaska.

Includes new itineraries, port attractions, history, wildlife, and native culture. Full-color photos & maps.

World Cruising Destinations - Jimmy Cornell
2010-07-13

A comprehensive profile of every cruising destination in the world by the guru of long distance sailing.

Rick Steves Mediterranean Cruise Ports - Rick Steves 2016-09-13

Set sail and dive into Europe's magnificent port

cities with *Rick Steves Mediterranean Cruise Ports!* Inside you'll find: Rick's expert advice on making the most of your time on a cruise and fully experiencing each city, with thorough coverage of 23 ports of call Practical travel strategies including how to choose and book your cruise, adjust to life on board on the ship, and save money Self-guided walks and tours of each port city so you can hit the best sights, sample authentic cuisine, and get to know the culture, even with a short amount of time Essential logistics including step-by-step instructions for arriving at each terminal, getting into town, and finding necessary services like ATMs and pharmacies Rick's reliable tips and candid advice on how to beat the crowds, skip lines, and avoid tourist traps Helpful reference photos throughout and full-color maps of each city Useful tools like mini-phrasebooks, detailed instructions for any visa requirements, hotel and airport recommendations for cruise access cities, and what to do if you miss your

ship Full list of coverage: Provence, Marseille, Toulon and the Port of La Seyne-sur-Mer, Cassis, Aix-en-Provence, Nice, Villefrance-sur-Mer, Cap Ferrat, Monaco, Cannes, Antibes, Florence, Pisa, Lucca, the Port of Livorno, Rome, the Port of Civitavecchia, Naples, Sorrento, Capri, Pompeii, Herculaneum, the Amalfi Coast, Venice, Split, Dubrovnik, Athens, the Port of Piraeus, Mykonos, Santorini, Corfu, Olympia and the Port of Katakolo, Crete and the Port of Heraklion, Rhodes, Istanbul, Ephesus, and The Port of Kusadasi Maximize your time and savor every moment in port with Rick's practical tips, thoughtful advice, and reliable expertise. Heading north? Pick up Rick Steves Scandinavian & Northern European Cruise Ports.

European Ports of Call - Fodor's 2011

Detailed and timely information on accommodations, restaurants and local attractions highlight these updated travel guides, which feature all-new covers, a dramatic

visual design, symbols to indicate budget options, must-see ratings, multi-day itineraries, Smart Travel Tips, helpful bulleted maps, tips on transportation, guidelines for shopping excursions and other valuable features. Original. *Ports of Call* - Jack Vance 2012-09

Alaska by Cruise Ship - Anne Vipond 2005

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As anyone who has sailed knows, not every sailing boat makes a good cruising boat. Designs and equipment that may be sufficient for sailing close to shore could fail with disastrous results when faced with the rigors of blue water voyaging. Bruce Roberts-Goodson, who has over

30 years experience designing cruising boats, will guide you through the maze of decisions to be made when choosing the perfect cruising boat for your own particular needs.

The Adlard Coles Book of Mediterranean Cruising - Rod Heikell 2018-02-22

This is the perfect guide for anyone cruising in the Mediterranean by Rod Heikell, the acknowledged expert on Mediterranean sailing. Thoroughly updated, this new edition conveys the magic of Mediterranean cruising, as well as giving practical first-hand advice on sailing these enticing waters. Although the Mediterranean provides wonderfully diverse cruising opportunities, it can also deliver a few surprises to the unwary. In this invaluable practical guide, Rod Heikell provides sound advice on: anchoring, berthing bow or stern-to, what weather to expect, facilities and the costs of keeping a boat there, plus advice on navigation, popular routes, formalities and what to expect ashore. Each country around the

Mediterranean is covered, and there's even a handy section on shoe-string cruising for those on a tight budget. 'Offers time-served advice to both the novice and the old-hand.' Nautical Magazine

Berlitz Complete Guide to Cruising and Cruise Ships - Douglas Ward 2006-10

Presents a detailed guide to ocean cruising, with descriptions of cruise ships and comparisons based on cabin facilities, service, destinations, and food, with special advice for singles, families, seniors, and the physically handicapped.

Sailing There - Patricia Vellinga 2009

Looking for a new adventure, Patricia Vellinga and her husband buy a boat-a big boat that turns out to be more a yacht kit than a yacht. Their simple plan is to cruise Europe and the Mediterranean for one year. Their journey, however, is far from routine. As Pat and Ray motor through the canals of Holland, Belgium, and France, then sail to Italy, Greece, Turkey,

and Spain, they find beauty and danger, towering locks, salty characters, peaceful anchorages, treacherous winds-and even a forest fire. Forced at gunpoint to cast off into the raging Sane River, they struggle to safety. Even so, they get hooked on a cruising lifestyle that takes them well beyond their one-year plan. Sailing There, Cruising Across Europe and the Mediterranean is a rich and entertaining tale of a couple's lively voyage with the wind through ancient ports and history."

Ocean Cruise Guides Mediterranean by Cruise Ship - Anne Vipond 2010-07-01

New edition! The destination every cruiser dreams about--the ancient lands of the Mediterranean. Readers will learn about past civilizations and the art, politics, and culture of societies that shaped the Western world. All-new fifth edition features more than 400 color photos, maps, and illustrations throughout, plus a giant pull-out map. Solid detail shows exactly where ships dock.

Mediterranean by Cruise Ship: The Complete Guide to Mediterranean Cruising - Anne Vipond
2016-05-15

"The complete guide to Mediterranean cruising Portugal, Spain, France, Italy, Croatia, Greece, Turkey, Malta"--Cover.

World Cruising Routes - Jimmy Cornell
2014-01-01

A guide to nearly 1,000 sailing routes covering all the oceans of the world, geared specifically to the needs of cruising sailors. It advises on the winds, currents, regional and seasonal weather, and optimum times for individual routes, plus over 6,000 waypoints.

Through the French Canals - David Jefferson
2021-06-22

The bible for anyone cruising through the scenery of the French waterways, or on passage from the English Channel to the Mediterranean. Detailed practical information on local facilities, distances, heights and depths, tunnel lengths, cost of living and shopping, plus information on

the local wines of the region

Atlantic Crossings - Les Weatheritt 2006

The main intent of this book is to prepare the North American sailor for his first crossing of the Atlantic to Europe. It is actually so exhaustive in its coverage that it will indeed help the bluewater sailor to learn how to cross any ocean in the world.

Cruise Operations Management - Philip Gibson
2012-02-01

Cruise Operations Management: Hospitality Perspectives provides a comprehensive and contextualized overview of hospitality services for the cruise industry. As well as providing a background to the cruise industry, it also looks deeper into the management issues providing a practical guide for both students and professionals alike. Since the first edition of this book, there have been many important developments in the industry and this new edition features revised chapters on: contemporary cruise operations cruise

geography itinerary planning health, safety and security maritime issues and legislation. In addition, there is a new chapter on 'Cruise Management Resources' intended to be of benefit to research students. *Cruise Operations Management* presents a range of issues illustrated by a number of case studies that encourage the reader to examine the often complex circumstances that surround problems or events associated with cruise operations. The case studies are contemporary and are constructed from first hand research with a number of international cruise companies providing a real world insight into this industry. They include 'Roles and Responsibilities on a Cruise Ship', 'Customer Service Systems and Passenger Profiles' and 'Managing Food and Drink Operations Onboard'. Each case study is followed by questions that are intended to illuminate issues and stimulate discussion. The structure of the book is designed so the reader can either build knowledge cumulatively for an

in-depth knowledge of managerial practices and procedures onboard a cruise ship, or they can 'dip in' and make use of specific material and case studies for use within a more generic hospitality or tourism learning context.

Canary Islands Cruising Companion - Marek Jurczyński 2022-11-15

Cruise the fabulous Canary Islands with this authoritative pilot guide covering the main 9 islands, all 40 ports and 26 anchorages. Comprehensive pilotage and nautical information are complimented by port details and local knowledge. Illustrated throughout with charts and stunning photography. It will help you love the area as much as the author.

Mediterranean Cruising Handbook - Rod Heikell 2004-07-01

Imray's established 2-year almanac provides data for all the coasts and islands of the Mediterranean. Complete coverage for all the Mediterranean countries from Gibraltar clockwise to Morocco and the Atlantic islands.

424 pages in full color. Over 500 plans of key harbours. Full lists of radio weather and safety services. Complete list of major lights. Gibraltar tide tables.

Rick Steves Mediterranean Cruise Ports - Rick Steves 2019-10-29

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Stern's Guide to the Cruise Vacation: 20/21 Edition - Steven B. Stern 2019-08-29

"The extent of detail given . . . is good not only for the novice cruiser finding their way around . . . but also for the veteran cruiser who wants to know the latest about the newest ships." "This is the book with which to gain a full and thorough understanding of the wonderful world of cruising. Repeat cruisers and novices alike will gain from the volume of features, menus, daily schedules, photos, as well as details on every cruise ship and port of call throughout the world. This should be the encyclopedia for any cruise aficionado" (World of Cruising). "People who've never cruised before or those who have but find themselves faced with a confusing onslaught of new ships need to know a great deal, and this book goes a long way in providing it" (Chicago Tribune). "Stern's Guide to the Cruise Vacation is one of the most

comprehensive authorities and a must-have for both the novice and the seasoned cruiser” (Porthole Cruise Magazine).

Through the French Canals - David Jefferson
2021-04-15

Through the French Canals has probably tempted more people to explore the beautiful waterways of France than any other book. First published in 1970, it's been the key authoritative title on cruising the French canals ever since. The revised new edition is the essential comprehensive planning guide for anyone wanting to cruise through the French waterways or take their boat from the English Channel through to the Mediterranean via the inland route. It includes: over 50 routes fully described and illustrated, with positions of locks, towns and villages through routes from the English Channel and Atlantic to the Mediterranean, plus distances, and assessment of suitable boats for the canals. It also provides dimensions of locks and operating times, details of bridge heights,

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canal depths, fuelling points, waterway signals, a guide to the cost of living, shopping and stores, sources of weather information, haltes for overnight stops, and ports de plaisance. As well as new photography, the new edition is updated throughout with new information on local facilities, new haltes and ports de plaisance, new VNF License fees, revisions to cruise hire companies, updated references to holding tanks, the availability of diesel and costs of cruising and much more.

DK Eyewitness Travel Guide: Cruise Guide to Europe and the Mediterranean -
2011-05-02

anchors away! Capture the essence of cruising through the beautiful Mediterranean with DK's multi-country guide to Europe's most spectacular cruising destinations. From Oslo to Athens, the guide covers 70 ports of call. Lush photos and illustrations, unique 3D models, and bird's-eye view maps of all the major sites ensure you don't miss a thing. Clue up on the

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basics, from ship etiquette to the best bars and restaurants ashore. Discover where the locals go, enjoy relaxing entertainment, world-class sites, and retail therapy. As with all DK Eyewitness Travel Guides, this book shows you what others only tell you, offering all you need for an unforgettable cruise. Countries discussed include: Croatia, Denmark, Estonia & Latvia, Finland, France, Germany, Great Britain, Greece & Cyprus, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Lebanon, Malta, Netherlands, North Africa, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Russia, Spain, Sweden, Syria, and Turkey.

Sail for the Mediterranean - Claire James
2003-09-30

A planning guide for would-be long-term cruisers, particularly those who prefer to keep a pied-a-terre rather than cut all ties with home. It includes: routes to and from the Mediterranean; boat modifications; necessary documentation; good cruising grounds; managing house/garden/car/mail whilst away; over-

wintering and visits home; and likely costs."

French for Cruisers - Kathy Parsons 2004

This practical, easy-to-use guide provides the vocabulary and language skills necessary to cruise in French-speaking waters. Whether your boating plans include the Caribbean, French Polynesia, Mediterranean or the canals of France, French for Cruises gives you the tools you need to communicate.

The Adlard Coles Book of Mediterranean Cruising - Rod Heikell 2023-04-18

Extensively updated with practical first-hand advice, this fifth edition is the perfect guide for anyone cruising the Mediterranean. The Mediterranean is the dream destination for many chartering a yacht as well as long-distance cruisers. Its myriad delights - the beautiful coastlines, the remote islands, the sleepy villages and exciting cities - draw boaters from all over the world. Rod Heikell is the undisputed expert on Mediterranean sailing and the Adlard Coles Book of Mediterranean Cruising is the

perfect guide for anyone cruising in the area. Thoroughly updated for this fifth edition, the book conveys the magic of Mediterranean cruising, as well as giving practical, first-hand advice on sailing these enticing waters. Although the Mediterranean provides wonderfully diverse cruising opportunities, it can also deliver a few surprises to the unwary. This invaluable handbook provides sound advice on everything you need to know: anchoring and berthing; what weather to expect; facilities and the costs of keeping a boat there; as well as advice on navigation, popular routes, formalities and what to expect ashore. Each country around the Mediterranean is covered, and there is even a handy section on how to cruise the area on a tight budget.

Turkey Cruising Companion - Emma Watson
2010-05-24

CRUISING COMPANIONS Local knowledge ashore and afloat With hundreds of miles of unspoilt coastline, Turkey is one of the

Mediterranean's most idyllic cruising grounds. As well as deserted bays and beaches there are an increasing number of purpose-built marinas offering a full range of services to the modern yachtsman. Skippers can choose between a starlit meal at a simple shore-side restaurant or the bright lights and bustle of one of Turkey's many historic ports. Covering the Mediterranean and Aegean coastline between Izmir and Antalya, the "Turkey Cruising Companion" is the essential pilot guide for anyone cruising the area. Emma Watson lives, works and sails in Turkey and draws on all her local knowledge and expertise to provide clear pilotage advice for a wealth of harbours and anchorages. There is also plenty of information on the facilities and shops. As well as history and culture, to ensure you make the most of your cruise or charter holiday. "Turkey Cruising Companion" incorporates superb photography and full colour harbour plans. It is easy to use for planning as well as being an essential onboard reference.

PILOTAGE Clear pilotage directions and invaluable local knowledge
COLOUR CHARTS Beautifully drawn to simplify harbour approaches
PORT GUIDES Comprehensive information about local facilities, chandlers, boatyards and engineers, as well as where to shop
WEATHER FORECASTS Full details of local forecasts
RESTAURANT GUIDES The best meals and hidden gems
WAYPOINTS Carefully selected approach and entrance waypoints

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go, enjoy relaxing entertainment, world-class sites, and retail therapy. As with all DK Eyewitness Travel Guides, this book shows you what others only tell you, offering all you need for an unforgettable cruise. Countries discussed include: Croatia, Denmark, Estonia & Latvia, Finland, France, Germany, Great Britain, Greece & Cyprus, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Lebanon, Malta, Netherlands, North Africa, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Russia, Spain, Sweden, Syria, and Turkey.

Cruising the Mediterranean - Larry H. Ludmer 2002

Annotation. An easy-to-read format, with over 100 port profiles and shore excursions accompanied by detailed walking and touring routes. Berth layout, dining options, passenger/crew ratio. Major ports covered include; Lisbon, Naples, Gibraltar, Barcelona, Palma de Mallorca, Monte Carlo, Livorno/Pisa, Rome, Istanbul, Venice, Athens and Malta, Maps, Index.

Lonely Planet Cruise Ports Mediterranean Europe - Lonely Planet 2019-10-01

Lonely Planet's Cruise Ports Mediterranean Europe is your passport to the most relevant, up-to-date advice on what to see and skip, and what hidden discoveries await you. Catch the cable car up Mt Srd for breathtaking views of Dubrovnik, work up an appetite for the world's best pizza in Rome, and taste some of Greece's best food - all with your trusted travel companion.

Caribbean by Cruise Ship - Anne Vipond 2004
This new edition gives readers more color, more ports, more maps, and more solid travel detail on the world's most popular cruise destination. Includes specifics on ports of call, shore excursions, the best beaches, and the best way to get around islands and home ports. Full-color photos, dozens of maps throughout, and a giant pull-out color map.

Canadian Books in Print. Author and Title Index - 1975

Gentle Sailing Routes to the Mediterranean - Michael Briant 2018-06-21

The passage from the UK down to the Mediterranean does not need to be like an 'outward' bound course. The book is designed to help the lightly crewed boat, with perhaps only a couple of people on board, who are without much or indeed any 'offshore' experience, have a relaxed and enjoyable time. If you follow the route, suggested by the author, who has sailed to and from the Mediterranean, many times, in all sorts of boats, you will find it a very gently cruise, making landfall each afternoon in a relaxed fashion. It details the ports, marinas and route you should use between the UK and Gibraltar. There are of course 'hundreds' of options but some are very much better than others and you need to know which should be your port or marina of choice. It is important to know if a port has 'must see' places to visit or has it got a launderette, good WiFi connections, places to eat at a reasonable price, if the broken

'widget' can be repaired there or easy flights back to the UK - it is also important to know the places you should avoid! It is the cruise of a lifetime, occupying a summer or maybe two, so it does need planning. The book contain 'chartlets', pictures, port and marina guides. At home it will make it will enable you to plan and prepare for your voyage in a knowledgeable and sensible way.

Cruising World - 1980-07

Mediterranean Cruising Handbook - Rod Heikell 2011-09-01

This fully updated 6th edition has had a complete facelift and is now published in full color in a new format. Throughout, the work has been updated, and in places expanded. It now includes a list of useful waypoints and routes ofr the entire Mediterranean which are shown on overprinted charts folded into the back of the book. The Mediterranean Cruising Handbook is a constant companion to the Imray

Mediterranean Almanac and provides information on climate, equipment, radio, naviagation, routes to the Mediterranean, history, marine life, food and basic information on each Mediterranean country.

Mediterranean Spain - Steve Pickard

The second edition of this well-received title from the Royal Cruising Club Pilotage Foundation covers the entire Mediterranean mainland coast of Spain from Gibraltar to the French border. This is the only detailed pilot for the Spanish Mediterranean coast running up from Gibraltar to the border with France. It covers a varied cruising area that includes the mountain-backed Costas del and Sol and Blanca, the expansive lagoon of the Mar Menor, the low-lying Ebro delta and the rugged Costa Brava. In between are several great cities including Malaga, Valencia, Tarragona and Barcelona, the Catalan capital. The volume opens with Gibraltar and La Línea. With Imray charts for the same coast, Mediterranean Spain provides all the data

necessary for anyone based in Spain, transitting to and from areas further East or the Balearics, or just exploring this rich and varied coast and its hinterland. The coverage has been revised with the text updated, new plans added and other plan updates based on the latest information. This edition has been enhanced by the addition of over 100 aerial photographs showing coastline and harbour approaches. Stern's Guide to the Cruise Vacation - Steven B. Stern 2012-10

This is the book with which to gain a full and thorough understanding of the wonderful world of cruising. Repeat cruisers and novices alike will gain from the volume of features--menus, daily schedules, photos, as well as details on every cruise ship and port of call throughout the world. This should be the encyclopedia for any cruise aficionado. -World of Cruising People who've never cruised before-or those who have, but find themselves faced with a confusing onslaught of new ships-need to know a great

deal, and this book goes a long way in providing it. -Chicago Tribune Stern's Guide to The Cruise Vacation is one of the most comprehensive authorities and a must have for both the novice and the seasoned cruiser. -Porthole Magazine Steven B. Stern is the ultimate authority on luxury travel, especially cruise vacations. Whether readers are sailing the Caribbean, the Mediterranean, the South Seas, Alaska, Southeast Asia, or the waterways of Europe, this is the most comprehensive guide available, with details on all aspects of cruise-ship travel. Updated annually, this edition lists descriptive information for all major cruise ships, including each vessel's history, vital statistics, appearance, itineraries, price range, and sport, dining, and medical facilities. Stern evaluates every detail by bestowing overall Star Awards as well as ratings in eleven specific categories. More than two hundred photographs of ships, decks, and interiors are included, along with actual shipboard menus and daily activity programs for

each featured cruise line.

Cruising - Marc Mancini 2000

This comprehensive new guide, written in conjunction with the Cruise Lines International Association (CLIA), explains cruising in detail, the fastest growing segment of the travel industry. Chapters cover everything from who cruises and why to how to successfully market and sell cruises to the public. Detailed

information is provided on cruise history, ship types, the cruise experience, where to cruise, how the industry operates, and promotional materials. The variety of activities -- including Internet activities -- found throughout reinforces concepts through practical application of learned material. Information on how to obtain Cruise Lines International Association certification is included.