

SELF-DRIVE BOATING HOLIDAYS

NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED!

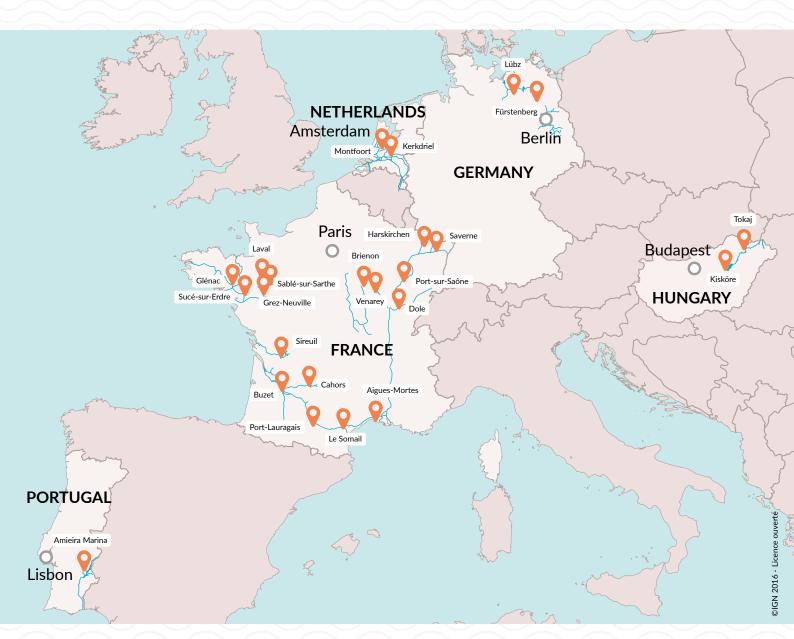


France | Germany | Portugal | Netherlands | Hungary

WITH NICOLS, SET SAIL FOR SOME OF

THE MOST BEAUTIFUL DESTINATIONS!





WHY MORE AND MORE PEOPLE ARE CHOOSING NICOLS®

















- All our boats are made in our shipyard in France.
- Smart and bright house boats
- Family friendly boats where safety is paramount
- Small bases with knowledgeable and friendly staff.
- Excellent savings for our loyal customers.
- Cruising itineraries on the most beautiful waterways in France and in Europe
- A welcome present waiting for you on arrival aboard.
- And lastly.... our heated pool (exclusive to NICOLS®) perfect for children... and for adults!





2021 sees Nicols® celebrating its 35th anniversary.

For 35 years now our Nicols boatyard located in Cholet (in France) has been designing and building canal boats. Starting with the first-generation Marina models, our boats have evolved through the Riviera, Sedan, Confort, Estivale and Fly ranges - with a total of nearly 650 self-drive boats leaving our boatyard! The most recent Fly range will have **two new models for 2021:** the 3-cabin Sixto® Fly C and the 2-cabin Quattro® Fly C. You can find out more on pages 44 to 47.

In these 35 years we have also **created a network of 25 different starting bases** where you can hire our boats from – and remember no previous boating experience is needed. We've chosen **the very best locations** on rivers and canals in five European countries, including **Portugal** and **Hungary** where Nicols are the only boating operator offering this type of holiday.

We have sent thousands of guests out on the waterways over the last 35 years and see many of them over and over again. We value our customers and crews feedback as the development project of our flagship Octo® Fly C shows. This model was designed following suggestions gathered from a large-scale customer survey. We strive, with the help of our customers, to continue to develop and improve our holidays – be that destinations, boats or the additional services on offer.

Here's to the next 35 years, but for now we look forward to welcoming you on board in 2021!



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FUN FOR ALL ON THE WATERWAYS!















HOLIDAYS EVERYONE WILL LOVE...



Whether your crew is a couple or family and/or group of friends, new to boating or experienced sailors, we're sure to have a boat in the Nicols fleet to suit and a destination packed with places to visit and activities to enjoy.



FOR FAMILIES

A Nicols cruise is a great way to create special memories with your family.

These unforgettable trips on the waterways are enjoyed by everyone no matter how old you are.

Escape from the hustle and bustle of everyday life and enjoy a slower pace...

Whether it's a short weekend break with your friends or a longer family holiday we're sure you'll love everything about boating holidays and life on the canals and rivers.



FOR COUPLES

Enjoy a relaxing and romantic getaway by booking a boating holiday.

A boating holiday is a great idea for a romantic break. Nicols have a choice of smaller boats perfect for a couple to enjoy a relaxing and peaceful escape.



FOR OLDER CREWS

With a taste for discovery our older crews love the idea of a more unusual type of holiday and trying something completely new. Travelling by boat shows a region from a completely new perspective – all boats offer the best comfort and safety for peace of mind cruising. Start your adventure today!



WITH FRIENDS

Boating holidays are a great idea for a large group adventure. Simply hire a few boats and create a mini fleet for a fun and flexible break off of the beaten track.

Why not book for a birthday celebration or a get together with friends and family.

Choose from a weekend trip, a short break or a longer holiday.

GIFT CARDS ALSO AVAILABLE!

Looking for a great gift idea? Treat family or friends to a self drive boating break on one of our Nicols® boats. No previous boating experience needed!

Contact us for more information.

























GET READY TO ENJOY THE WATERWAYS





BEFORE YOU LEAVE HOME

We will send you a complete set of documents including:

- Captain's handbook: preparation and advice for a trouble-free cruise from start to finish.
- Navigation chart (if ordered): vital for a well-organised cruise. On it you'll find the location of locks, water fill-up points, places of interest, etc... Remember to order one when booking.
- Base location map: instructions for locating your departure base easily
- Inventory: list of all interior and exterior equipment.
- Navigation instruction: video giving advice for the navigation and security instructions to live aboard your cruiser.

YOUR LUGGAGE

Holdalls are recommended - they are easy to stow away. Suitcases do take up far more space on board, so perhaps unpack them and leave in the boot of your car. Take with you comfortable non slip shoes so that you can move on the deck without danger (tennis or baskets).

Don't forget sun glasses and sun creams, hats, gloves... and your camera!





WATERWAYS GUIDES

A comprehensive guide is vital for planning your cruise. It provides detailed information of the waterways on which you will highlighting navigate useful information such as the location of locks. guays, water fill-up points in addition to tourist information such as places to visit and their opening hours, market days, good restaurants and much more. We recommend you order your waterways guide at the same time as booking so that you receive it with the other cruise documentation you will be sent. This means you will have plenty of time to plan your journey in advance.



ON ARRIVAL AT THE BASE

Free public parking is available at all of our bases. Alternatively, at a supplementary cost, you can park your vehicle in a secure area or garage. Generally these facilities are unattended. A few formalities will need to be attended to whilst other members of the group load your luggage or perhaps go off to do some basic shopping to get you through your first day. One of our technicians will come aboard with you to show you how to operate your boat. Whenever possible he will be with you when you negotiate your first lock. You'll soon see that navigation is child's play. Now it's time to cast off!



AT THE END OF YOUR CRUISE

Remember to return the boat on time!

- 4-5 PM for a weekend cruise,
- 8-9 AM for longer cruises.

The personnel at the base can supply you with necessary materials to give the boat a good clean.





NAVIGATION IS EASY!

Our boats are easy to operate with either just one inside steering position or a second rooftop position to navigate under the sun with a panoramic view.

You will discover **simple controls that are easy to use:** the wheel, a gear lever and a few instruments on the dashboard. Don't worry if you've never been on a boat before - we'll show you everything you need to know before you set off. You'll be taken out on the water and given a hands on demonstration of everything from how to go through locks to tying up at the water's edge.

WARNING: the minimum age to take the helm of a boat is 16 years old but they must remain under the captain's (an adult!) responsibility.

CANAL OR RIVER?

Most of the waterways in our brochure are generally wide and nontidal making them easy to navigate. Depending on your chosen departure base you may cruise on both canals and rivers.

Rivers, where natural, are more susceptible to the possibility of flooding compared to the manmade canals - especially in Spring and Autumn.

Some navigation restrictions may occur as a result of this flooding and for your own safety we may change your departure base or restrict cruising to the canal sections only, rather than cancelling your cruise completely. Please make enquiries about the state of the waterways before leaving on your cruise.



WHERE TO STOP

During your cruise you're free to stop wherever you like...being careful not to disrupt the countryside and wildlife (or encroach on private property!) simply moor up and step ashore.

Day-by-day you'll discover new surroundings and sights as you travel at your own pace through beautiful countryside - a wonderful way to enjoy ever-changing scenery and the great outdoors.

If on the other hand you prefer the hustle and bustle of the towns and villages you pass on route then take advantage of the purpose-built ports and mooring sites. Some are free while others are available at a small charge (this varies depending on the size of the boat and whether there are power charging points). We estimate charges to be between 10€ to 50€. These comfortable and serviced areas will provide easy access to the town.





LOCKS



- Will I have to pay? Passage through locks and bridges is free.
- Are they automatic? Most locks are automatic and operated by a lock keeper who may ask you to help them, whilst others are manual. In the Charente and the Lot the locks are all operated by you and your crew, thus you are not restricted by timetables.
- Are there days of closing? Most locks are automatic and operated by a lock keeper who will be happy to help you.
 In general, lock keepers do not work on Bank Holidays: Example in France: 1st May, 14th July and 1st November. For a list of regions concerned please contact us.

WARNING

the information provided in this document is not contractual. Characteristics may vary depending on the boats and the areas where you'll navigate.

EVEN MORE TO ENJOY...



Make your holiday extra special! NICOLS® offers the following extras... To guarantee these optional extras we recommend booking them as soon as possible.















BICYCLES

Bikes are available to hire from all of our bases and provide extra flexibility for exploring the area where you've moored, little villages, places of interest or simply for going to buy your daily bread.

A helmet is **mandatory for children under 12 years of age:** please remember to bring your equipment.



FISHING

Your boat is a great vantage point for fishing from. You can fish in the canals and rivers providing you hold a fishing licence. These can be purchased from local fishing tackle shops or on the web (www.cartedepeche.fr). As a guide, a 7-day licence for fishing will cost around 32 € in France and 40 € in Germany. In Portugal it's a one off cost of 25 € regardless of the length of your holiday.



BARBECUE

Hire all of the equipment you'll need to a enjoy a barbecue, then simply pick up your food fresh from the many mooring places you'll find on route. Take it on board with you...most of our bases even offer rental of gas bottles. As with all barbecues please be careful and familiarise yourself with all the equipment before departure.



WiFi

Whether it's your tablet, laptop or mobile phone... stay connected during your cruise! Most of our bases offer a Wifi service that will allow you to connect multiple devices simultaneously*. For more information please contact us.

(*subject to the quality of network coverage. This varies by region).



THE SWIMMING POOL: A NICOLS® EXCLUSIVE®

The on-board pool! Discover the pleasures of on-board bathing by adding one of our fantastic heated splash pools – simply tow it along with your boat. Suitable for the Estivale, Confort and Sedan (except Fly range, N800, Primo® and R920) ranges. N.B.: for boats of 13 m length and more a pleasure boat licence is necessary due to the total length of the boat plus pool.



DECK MATTRESS

Enjoy additional onboard comfort with our deck mattress. Foldable and easy to store, the mattress is great for relaxing on the roof terrace or front deck of your Nicols® boat.





ANIMALS

Pets are welcome onboard. A supplement of 40 € will be requested when you depart the base. Don't forget to bring their belongings (feeding bowl, bedding/blankets etc) and when travelling ensure that they remain safe and cannot cause any harm or damage.



TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION:

Dimensions: 2,55 m x 3,10 m. Capacity: 700 litres, suitable for 3 people. Terrace with double safety rails. Converts into a larger terrace with two sliding covers. Available in: Alsace, Aquitaine, Charente, Franche-Comté, Midi.

ALL INCLUSIVE

The Nicols® ALL INCLUSIVE option makes holiday planning easy with everything you need and more for a wonderful boating holiday. Let us do the hard work while you sit back and relax. The all inclusive option includes: boat fuel + cleaning fee + 2 bikes + a waterways guide + 1 set of linen per person + 1 set of kitchen linen.

For more information please contact us.

OUR THEMED CRUISES



NICOLS® new themed cruises will help you choose the best suited itinerary to match your interests.



FOOD & WINF

Vineyards, wineries, tasting venues, restaurants offering prestigious local specialties and local produce tastings...



HISTORY & HERITAGE

Castles, religious buildings, classified sites, free tours to discover places of interest or hosted tours from the experts...



FLORA & **FAUNA**

Areas of natural beauty for fauna, flora and wildlife. Free tours to discover places of interest or hosted tours from the experts...

GOLF

SWIMMING & BATHING

Natural and artificial lakes, easy beach access close to the river/ canal, swimming pools and waterparks...

FISHING

FAMILY

Mix your hobby of golf with a boating holiday. Some golf courses can even be found within walking distance of the waterways!

In the canals, rivers, lakes and ponds!

A holiday on the water is a fisherman's dream holiday... whether an amateur or enthusiast. What will you catch?

Highlights any route with activities suitable for children and the whole family to enjoy. Zoo's, play areas, adventure parks and many more...

Look out for the appropriate symbols flagging the interests throughout the brochure...



Gastronomie & œnologie



Vineyard area



Restaurant



Historical heritage



Religious heritage



Archaeological



Cave



Museum





Typical town centre



Craft industry



Swimming



Indoor pool



Nautic activities



Boat lift Water slope Lock staircase



Fishing



Marvelous flora & fauna, Zoo, Animal park



Golf



Cycle paths



Viewing point



Pony trekking



Hiking



Train station



Airport



Family fun

LET'S TAKE CARE OF THE ENVIRONMENT TOGETHER!





We take our responsibility for caring for the environment very seriously and are continuously striving to implement best practice procedures. To help you do your bit, on the day of departure Nicols® will provide you with a welcome kit which includes some biodegradable cleaning products

for use on your holiday. Rubbish bags should be left in the areas provided.

Please abide by the strict speed limits to reduce bankside erosion and protect the wildlife that live there and when mooring, be careful not to damage the plants around you. Our aim is to ensure that our boats and everyone who uses them have a minimal impact on the environment to protect our waterways so many more people can enjoy In Portugal, the them for years to come.



In Portugal, the entire Nicols® fleet is equipped with solar panels.



Nicols® is committed to helping preserve the Canal du Midi, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.



NICOLS® creates the first electric boat (details on page 48).



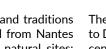
MALESTROIT

BRITTANY



At the crossroads of l'Erdre, la Vilaine and the Nantes to Brest Canal, discover the charms of Inland Brittany: waterways devoted entirely to pleasure cruising, its traditions, its seafood, delicious crepes and traditional cider!

FROM GLÉNAC AND SUCÉ-SUR-ERDRE



Explore a land of magic and mystery, rich in colour and traditions with a boating holiday in Brittany cruising the canal from Nantes to Brest. Enjoy historical treasures and remarkable natural sites: Josselin, with its magnificent castle reflected in the water; Malestroit and its 15th century houses; the craftsman village of Gacilly; Redon founded in 832 or Blain (traditional popular arts museum)...

The river Vilaine takes you to Rennes, the capital of Brittany, and on to Dinan and the surrounded ramparts dating back to the thirteenth

Following the Erdre you'll pass fantastic golf courses. Count 17 castles within just 15km of waterways on this stretch! In two hours of locks free cruising you'll be at the heart of the city of Nantes and all its treasures: Cathedral St Pierre, Chateau des Ducs de Bretagne, Pommeraye passage, Museum of Fine Arts, the Machines of the Isle... to name just a few!







LA GACILLY: exhibition of 30 years of crafts
JOSSELIN: painting, sculpture, ceramics, leather, jewellery
LA ROCHE-BERNARD: art workshops in the old districts



Castles of the Dukes of Brittany (Nantes), castles at Blain and Josselin, castles dotted along the river Erdre Small towns with character: Malestroit, La Roche-Bernard, Josselin, Rochefort-en-Terre



ÎLE AUX PIES: adventure trail GUENROUËT: leisure park including mini-golf and waterslides NANTES: the "Machines de l'Île" art project







LA ROCHE-BERNARD —>
Artist



LA GACILLY Photo festival





Redon (12 km), Rennes (70 km), Nantes (90 km).

A81 (Paris-Rennes - 350 km).

TGV Redon (12 km), TGV Rennes (65 km), TGV Nantes (105 km).

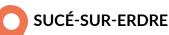
Nantes (105 km), Rennes (71 km).

FLY Octo® Fly C

ESTIVALE Duo® | Quattro® B | Quattro® S | Sixto® | Octo®

CONFORT 900 DP | 1100 | 1350 B SEDAN Primo® | N1000 | N1310

DURATION		CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
0.047	Α	Glénac > Malestroit > Glénac	59	10	10h
2 DAY WEEKEND	В	Glénac > La Roche-Bernard > Glénac	90	2	12h30
WEEKEND	C	Glénac > Guenrouët > Glénac	74	4	11h30
SHORT BREAK	Α	Glénac > Josselin > Glénac	109	30	22h
	В	Glénac > Blain > Glénac	118	14	21h30
SHORT BREAK (One way)	А	Glénac > Sucé/Erdre	93	17	20h30
1 WEEK	Α	Glénac > Josselin > Rohan > Glénac	158	62	39h
I WEEK	В	Glénac > Rennes > Glénac	184	24	33h
1 WEEK (One way)	Α	Glénac > Nantes > Sucé/Erdre	136	17	27h
10/11 DAYS	Α	Glénac > Nantes > La Roche-Bernard > Glénac	234	34	48h
2 WEEKS	Α	Glénac > Nantes > Glénac	238	34	47h
	В	Glénac > Dinan > Glénac	362	120	74h



Nantes (20 km), Rennes (115 km).

A11 (Paris-Nantes - 380 km). 🆊 23 - Nantes-Est.

Nantes (20 km), TGV Paris-Nantes (2h15).

Paris-Orly (375 km), Nantes (30 km).

ESTIVALE Duo® | Quattro® B
CONFORT 900 DP

SEDAN Primo® | N1000 | N1170

RIVIERA 920

DURATION		CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY	Α	Sucé/Erdre > Blain > Sucé/Erdre	70	20	14h
WEEKEND	В	Sucé/Erdre > Nantes > Bout de Bois > Sucé/Erdre	76	12	15h
SHORT BREAK	Α	Sucé/Erdre > Guenrouët > Sucé-sur-Erdre	114	30	23h
SHORT BREAK (One way)	Α	Sucé/Erdre > Glénac	93	17	20h30
	Α	Sucé/Erdre > La Gacilly > Sucé/Erdre	194	32	35h
1 WEEK	В	Sucé/Erdre > La Roche-Bernard > Sucé/Erdre	228	32	36h
	С	Sucé/Erdre > Messac > Sucé/Erdre	240	34	41h
1 WEEK (One way)	А	Sucé/Erdre > Nantes > Glénac	136	17	27h
10/11 DAYS	Α	Sucé/Erdre > Malestroit > Sucé-sur-Erdre	218	40	42h
2 WEEKS	Α	Sucé/Erdre > Redon > Rennes > Sucé/Erdre	334	58	60h
	В	Sucé/Erdre > Redon > Josselin > Sucé/Erdre	268	60	55h



GREZ-NEUVILLE

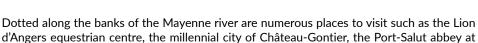
ANJOU



The beautiful and welcoming valleys of Anjou are just 2 hours and 30 minutes from Paris. A cruise on the Sarthe and Mayenne rivers takes you to the heart of the region's rich heritage with numerous castles, mills and character villages to explore.

A boating holiday in this area a great option for those new to the waterways.

FROM GREZ-NEUVILLE



Entrammes and the historical cities of Laval and King René's Angers. Cycling enthusiasts will appreciate the excellent 'EuroVelo' towpath that runs along the river, specifically geared to cyclists and an award winner in 2017. Another hidden gem is the small and calm Oudon river that flows into the Mayenne close to Grez-Neuville and is therefore a must see.



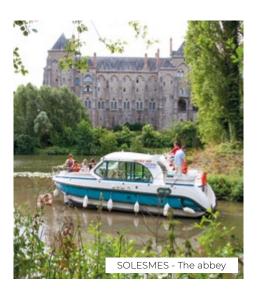
FROM LAVAL



See more with a one-way cruise from Laval to Sablé-sur-Sarthe or Laval to Grez-Neuville. This route is perfect for nature lovers taking in the high valleys of Anjou (a Natura 2000 nature protection area) with visits to great places such as Laval, Château-Gontier, Angers and Sablé-sur-Sarthe.

FROM SABLÉ-SUR-SARTHE

Discover the pretty Sarthe river and the surrounding delights. Meandering through verdant countryside dotted with picturesque villages. There are very few locks along its reaches, so it's ideal for beginners. Don't miss **the most elegant castle of Plessis Bourré**, the imposing Benedictine Abbey of Solesmes, Malicorne, capital of artistic porcelain and the older part of Le Mans town... Also enjoy local specialities such as rillettes du Mans!



ANGERS: the castle of King René LE MANS: the historic quarter of the Plantagenet City **SOLESMES:** the Benedictine Abbey



ÉCOUFLANT: Parc Anjou adventure park JAILLE-SUR-YVON: tree top trek SPAY: wake boarding watersports centre



ANGERS: plant life theme park "Terra Botanica" ASNIÈRE: botanical garden with mosaic garden SPAY ET CHÂTEAU-GONTIER: animal parks









Thateau-Gontier

La Chapelle-s.-Oudon

Segré O

Grez-Neuville

ANGERS Maison d'Adam



Mayenne









Cheffes

Angers















SABLÉ-SUR-SARTHE

Paris (250 km), Rennes (128 km), Angers (65 km), Le Mans (50 km).

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TGV Roissy CDG-Sablé (2h20), Roissy CDG (285 km), Paris-Orly (250 km), Nantes-Atlantique (160 km).

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SEDAN

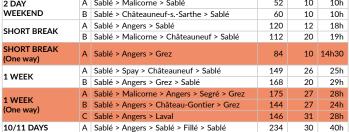
RIVIERA

Castle of

PLESSIS-BOURRÉ

Primo® | N1010 | N1160 | N1170 | N1310

DURATION		CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY WEEKEND	Α	Sablé > Malicorne > Sablé	52	10	10h
	В	Sablé > Châteauneuf-sSarthe > Sablé	60	10	10h
SHORT BREAK	Α	Sablé > Angers > Sablé	120	12	18h
SHUKI BREAK	В	Sablé > Malicorne > Châteauneuf > Sablé	112	20	19h
SHORT BREAK (One way)	Α	Sablé > Angers > Grez	84	10	14h30
1 WEEK	Α	Sablé > Spay > Châteauneuf > Sablé	149	26	25h
1 WEEK	В	Sablé > Angers > Grez > Sablé	168	20	29h
4 14/551/	Α	Sablé > Malicorne > Angers > Segré > Grez	175	27	28h
1 WEEK (One way)	В	Sablé > Angers > Château-Gontier > Grez	144	27	24h
	С	Sablé > Angers > Laval	146	31	28h
10/11 DAVS	Λ	Sablá > Angore > Sablá > Eillá > Sablá	234	30	40h





Paris (280 km), Rennes (75 km).

Rennes: A81, **17** 4, Paris: A11 / A81, **17** 3

TGV 800 m. Rennes (80 km).

Choose your boat from either the Grez-Neuville or Sablé/Sarthe fleet.



GREZ-NEUVILLE

Angers (25 km).

A11 (Paris-Angers 300 km) / 17.

TGV Angers (25 km).

Paris-Orly (305 km), Nantes-Atlantique (110 km).

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DURATION		CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
	Α	Grez > Château-Gontier > Grez	62	18	10h30
2 DAY WEEKEND	В	Grez > Daon > Segré > Grez	62	12	10h30
WEEKEND	С	Grez > Angers > Grez	62	8	10h30
SHORT BREAK	Α	Grez > Entrammes > Grez	122	34	21h
	В	Grez > Château-Gontier > Segré > Grez	96	24	18h
SHORT BREAK	Α	Grez > Segré > Laval	106	27	17h30
(One way)	В	Grez > Montgiroux > Laval	110	35	20h
1 WEEK	Α	Grez > Laval > Segré > Grez	176	46	30h
1 WEEK	В	Grez > Sablé > Malicorne > Grez	190	42	30h
1 WEEK	Α	Grez > Segré > Angers > Malicorne > Sablé	175	27	28h
(One way)	В	Grez > Château-Gontier > Angers > Sablé	144	27	24h
10/11 DAYS	Α	Grez > Mayenne > Grez	210	84	44h

DURATION	CRUISE		LOCKS	HOURS
SHORT BREAK	A Laval > Segré > Grez	106	27	17h30
(One way)	B Laval > Montgiroux > Grez	110	35	20h
1 WEEK (One way)	A Laval > Angers > Sablé	146	31	28h

EVEN MORE COMFORT ON BOARD! The whole fleet benefit from 1 quay plug 220 Volts and electric toilet and one USB port per cabin.



SAINT-SIMEUX

CHARENTE



Enjoy a boating holiday on one of France's most beautiful rivers. Take in green countryside, crystal clear waters and fields of sunflowers whilst you cruise. The best bists: Locks operated by yourself so no restrictions on travel time; Cognac and Pineau vineyards and tasting! Peaceful countryside and ancient Roman sites.



Large and winding, the river Charente quoted by François the 1st as "the most beautiful stream in the Kingdom", runs through the ancient counties of "Langoumois" and "La Saintonge".

For 171 km, from Angoulême to Rochefort, the Charente is regulated by 21 locks. The ancient vineyards cover the surrounding hills. Many cellars and distilleries will invite you to taste **the famous Cognac or delicious pineau des Charentes.** Along your cruise, you will find many villages and towns that are testimonies to a rich past such as Angoulême, Fleurac, Saint-Simeux, Châteauneuf, Saint-Simon, Bassac, Jarnac, Saint-Brice, Cognac, Saintes, Saint-Savinien, and Rochefort.

In the Charente area, the gastronomy based on seafood and local products, is waiting for you along the river with many of its restaurants preparing local specialities ("mouclade", oysters, melon, meats, snails, cheese...). Fishermen will not be forgotten and will find plenty of brown trout, carp, pike, perche, and eels...









COGNAC: famous producers Hennessy, Martell, Baron Otard and museum of Cognac production JARNAC: famous producer Courvoisier

LES AIREAUX: famous producer Courvoisier

LES AIREAUX: famous producers Maison Brillet and Pineau des Charentes



Regional dishes such as melon charentais, mouclade, oysters and snails

The many wines of Pays Charentais



CHÂTEAUNEUF-SUR-CHARENTE AND L'ÎLE MADAME (JARNAC):

Supervised beaches,

Swimming possible everywhere in the Charente river



Trout, carp, pike, perch, eels and many more!



Supervised beaches on the edge of Charente





Poitiers (130 km), Bordeaux (118 km), Angoulême (20 km).

A10 (Paris) IV 30 (Poitiers-Sud), A10 (Bordeaux IV 39b (Barbezieux).

Angoulême (20 km), TGV Paris (2h20), Châteauneuf-s.-Charente (8 km).

La Rochelle-Laleu (145 km), Bordeaux-Mérignac (118 km), Angoulême-Champniers (30 km).

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RIVIERA 920 PISCINE / POOL

DURATION	CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY WEEKEND	Sireuil > Jarnac > Sireuil	56	18	13h
SHORT BREAK	Sireuil > Chaniers > Sireuil	132	30	24h
1 WEEK	Sireuil > Saint-Savinien > Sireuil	198	30	32h
10/11 DAYS	Sireuil > Angoulême > Sireuil > Saint-Savinien > Sireuil	232	40	40h
2 WEEKS	Sireuil > Rochefort > Sireuil	252	32	40h

→ ABBAYE-AUX-DAMES - musical carousel

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Locks are open all season







Stroll through the Charentais vineyards



→ COGNAC - Tours Saint-Jacques



→ ANGOULÊME - City of comics



Pineau and Charentais melon



Soat and cruising route suggestions: non contractual information, subject to change.



CAHORS - Valentré bridge

LOT



The cliffs of limestone, the picturesque villages, the gastronomy: stuffed foie gras, goose confit, Cahors wine...

FROM CAHORS

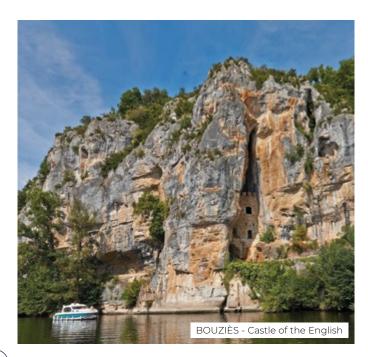


Cast off from Cahors! This medieval town with its renowned vineyard is an ideal starting point to begin your cruise in the heart of the Lot valley.

A succession of cliffs and caves await you around the tree-lined curves of the Lot. A 74 km river for your complete pleasure!

17 manual locks, to operate yourself as in former times. The old villages of Quercy with their narrow alleys and mossy, red roofs, the famous Valentré bridge of Cahors, the cliffs of Bouziès, Saint-Cirq-Lapopie village overlooking the valley, add to the charm of this navigation.









SAINT-CIRQ-LAPOPIE: an interesting medieval village CAHORS: the Valentré bridge (a UNESCO site) BOUZIÈS: the towpath carved into the rocks, the painted cave of Pech Merle, the 20,000 year old Castle of Cenevières



Wines of Cahors: Château Saint-Sernin at Parnac, Le Domaine Lagarrigue at Lamagdeleine and also Le domaine Dols in **Bouziès**



Regional products: truffled foie gras, goose confit, walnut cake



Bathing in Cahors and Saint-Cirq-Lapopie Swimming is also possible in the river Lot!



Montauban (60 km), Brive (100 km), Toulouse (115 km).

A20, Paris-Toulouse, # 57 Cahors-centre (15 km) ou 17 58 Cahors-centre (15 km)

Cahors (1 km), Montauban (65 km).

Toulouse-Blagnac (110 km), Brive Vallée de la Dordogne (85 km).

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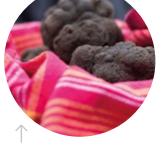
DURATION	CRUISE		KM	LOCKS	HOURS
1 WEEK	Α	Cahors > Luzech > Larnagol > Cahors	148	34	30h
1 WEEK	В	Cahors > Luzech > St-Cirq-Lapopie > Cahors	125	28	22h
MINI-WEEK*	Α	Cahors > St Cirq-Lapopie > Cahors	70	22	15h

*on request

Warning: we recommend that you've had some previous boating experience if cruising on the river Lot.



The CHAMIZO WALL MURAL the largest mural of contemporary art in Europe at 120m long and 6m high!



Truffles, the local specialty



Castle of CÉNEVIÈRES











NÉRAC

AQUITAINE



Possibility to cruise both on canal and river, automatic locks, natural beauty and cultural inheritage, local specialities: Armagnac, duck breast, Agen prunes, Buzet wines...

FROM **BUZET-SUR-BAÏSE**

A choice of memorable itineraries in the land of King Henri IV and d'Artagnan the Musketeer!

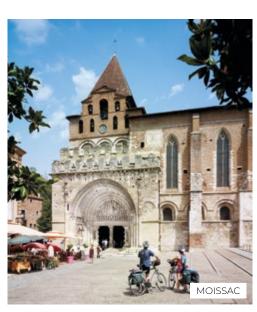
The River Baïse*, mysterious and bewitching, meandering its way past bastide towns, abbeys and castles of Gascogny, visiting Vianne, Nérac and Condom.

The garonne Canal flows quietly under the plane trees towards the Aqueduct of Agen, the Cloister of Moissac, "the Water Slope" of Montech and through the historic town of Toulouse.

Towards Bordeaux, discover the Rembrandt of Le Mas d'Agenais, the promontory of Meilhan and the charming village of Fontet.

*Please note: navigation on the river Baïse may be subject to change. See the 'Canal or River' section on page 7.









NÉRAC: Castle of King Henri IV (16th century) VIANNE: fortified country house (12th century) FLARAN: Cistercienne Abbey (12th century)

CONDOM: Cathedral and Cloister (14th century) on the pilgrimage route to Compostelle - MOISSAC: Abbey and Cloister (12th century) on the pilgrimage route to Compostelle - AGEN: canal bridge (19th century) at 530 metres long



Wines of Buzet: Cave-Coopérative in Buzet, Château Frandat in Nérac Armagnac: Maison Ryst-Dupeyron and the Armagnac museum in Condom Floc de Gascogne: Château de Cassaigne



Numerous gourmet restaurants

Foie gras of duck: at the farm and duck kitchen of Lafitte à Montgaillard Pruneau d'Agen: Roques farm in Montesquieu...

Melon de Nérac (in the markets) - The unconventional strawberry and tomato jam of Marmande (in the markets)

SWIMMING POOLS: Lud'o Parc in Nérac, Aqualand in Agen, Condom and Moncrabeau

BEACHES: Damazan and Fontet lakes, supervised beaches in summer FAMILY ATTRACTIONS: Walibi in Agen, Agrip'Aventure (tree-top assault course) in Montech, Albret Tourism Railway between Nérac and Mézin



PISCINE / POOL

Bordeaux (110 km), Agen (30 km), Toulouse (150 km).

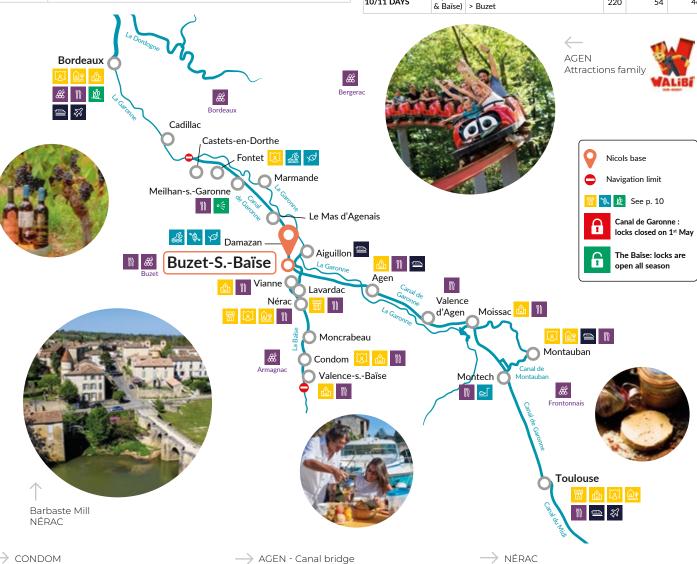
 π A62, Bordeaux-Toulouse, 176 Aiguillon (5 km).

Aiguillon (5 km), Agen (30 km), TGV Paris-Agen (4h).

Bordeaux-Mérignac (115 km), Toulouse-Blagnac (150 km).

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DURATION		CRUISE			HOURS
2 DAY WEEKEND	A (Baïse)	Buzet > Nérac > Buzet	42	14	10h
	B (Canal)	Buzet > Agen > Buzet	56	14	10h
SHORT BREAK	A (Baïse)	Buzet > Moncrabeau > Buzet	70	28	17h
	B (Canal)	Buzet > Fontet > Buzet	98	16	17h
	C (Canal)	Buzet > Valence d'Agen > Buzet	108	20	18h
1 WEEK	A (Baïse)	Buzet > Valence-sBaïse > Buzet	112	40	28h
1 WEEK	B (Canal)	Buzet > Montech > Buzet	184	58	38h
10/11 DAYS		Buzet > Fontet > Valence-sBaïse	220	54	46h













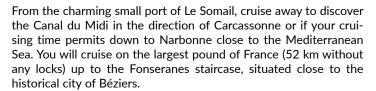
CARCASSONNE

MIDI



Classified by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site, the Canal du Midi links the Atlantic with the Mediterranean and takes you through sun drenched vineyards and to numerous villages and canal side restaurants. The best bits: plenty of sunshine, numerous historical sites to visit, and excellent Languedoc wines from waterside vineyards.

FROM **LE SOMAIL**

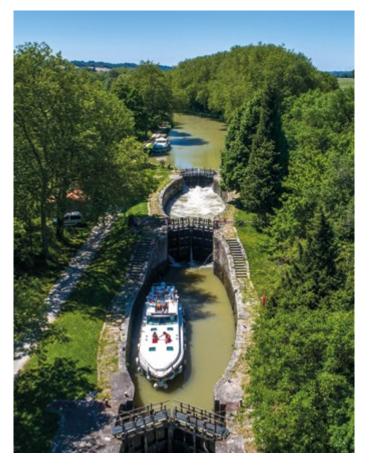


A few kilometres more and you arrive, via Agde, to the huge Etang de Thau - renowned for its oyster beds...

FROM **PORT-LAURAGAIS**

Cast off from our base in Port-Lauragais and sail west towards **Toulouse**, **named the "pink city"** because of its red brick buildings, rich with points of interest for tourists - Heritage Capitol museum, city of Space to name a couple.

To the East a must stop is **Castelnaudary to try its delicious cassoulet**, a local gastronomic specialty, before cruising on to the medieval city of Carcassonne. The streets of Trebes, whose origin date back to 4500BC, await you before reaching Homps and its man-made beaches.



WINE APPELLATIONS: Minervois, Corbières, Limoux, Coteaux du Languedoc, Saint-Chinian VENTENAC-EN-MINERVOIS: wine museum

MARSEILLAN: cellars of Noilly Prat

Numerous cellars at Marseillette, Colombiers, Puichéric, Vias and Capestang



ADVENTURE PARKS: outdoor adventure park in Portiragnes and the indoor Europark in Vias

WILDLIFE PARKS: Australian park in Carcassonne and African reserve of Sigean near Port la Robine



LAKE WITH BEACH & WATERSPORTS: Etang de Jouarres near Homps **SWIMMING POOLS:** Trèbes and Castelnaudary BEACHES: Vias (1 km), Port-la-Nouvelle (2 km) Portiragnes, Port Cassafières and Agde (4 km)







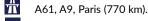
Tarascor

Minervois vineyard





Narbonne (18 km), Béziers (40 km), Carcassonne (50 km).



Locks closed on 1st May and 1st November

TGV Béziers & Narbonne.

Béziers (35 km), Carcassonne (56 km), Montpellier (150 km),

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PISCINE / POOL

DURATION		CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY	Α	Le Somail > Fonséranes > Le Somail	84	-	12h
WEEKEND	В	Le Somail > Homps > Le Somail	44	12	10h
SHORT BREAK	Α	Le Somail > Narbonne / Fonséranes > Le Somail	113	22	23h30
	В	Le Somail > Port-La Nouvelle > Le Somail	78	26	17h
	С	Le Somail > Marseillette > Le Somail	80	34	22h
	Α	Le Somail > Trèbes > Le Somail	98	40	26h
1 WEEK	В	Le Somail > Carcassonne > Le Somail	124	54	33h
	С	Le Somail > Agde > Le Somail	130	24	25h
1 WEEK	Α	Le Somail > Port-Lauragais	116	60	34h
(One way)	В	Le Somail > Aigues-Mortes	141	14	25h
10/11 DAYS	Α	Le Somail > Bram > Le Somail	172	66	45h



PORT-LAURAGAIS

Avignonet-Lauragais (2,5 km).

Toulouse (56 km) A61 - 1 20, Narbonne (116 km) A61 - 21.

TGV Toulouse Matabiau (45km), TER Avignonet Lauragais (2,5 km)

Toulouse-Blagnac (56 km), Carcassonne-Salvaza (55 km).

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PISCINE / POOL

DURATION		CRUISE		LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY WEEKEND	Α	Port-Lauragais > Castelnaudary > Port- Lauragais	30	18	9h30
SHORT BREAK	Α	Port-Lauragais > Toulouse > Port-Lauragais	90	28	22h
	В	Port-Lauragais > Bram > Port-Lauragais	60	54	24h
1 WEEK	Α	Port-Lauragais > Carcassonne > Trèbes > Port-Lauragais	134	80	42h
1 WEEK (One way)	Α	Port-Lauragais > Carcassonne > Le Somail	116	60	34h
10/11 DAYS	Α	Port-Lauragais > Marseillette > Port-Lauragais	152	86	47h



AIGUES-MORTES

CAMARGUE

Canal du Rhône à Sète - Étang de Thau - Canal du Midi

The Camargue's close proximity to the Mediterranean means that you will also enjoy everything that you get from a holiday by the coast. Other highlights of cruising in the region are the south of France gastronomy, getting to explore one of Europe's largest nature reserves and lock-free cruising which is perfect for boating beginners!

FROM **AIGUES-MORTES**



Aigues-Mortes, where our Nicols base is located, is a medieval fortified city from the thirteenth century and is known as the starting point of the first crusades of King Louis IX.

From here you'll explore the Camargue region and the area around the Etang de Thau which is a huge **85,000** hectares nature reserve with marshes and countryside that offer some of the richest and most picturesque flora and fauna in Europe.

Excellent southern cuisine including the famous oysters of Bouzigues and the fine wines of Costières de Nîmes, Picpoul and Muscat de Frontignan should be tried! If your crew love the beach then a day trip to the Mediterranean coastal towns of Grau du Roi, Palavas-les-Flots, La Grande Motte or Carnon is recommended. Other regional highlights are horse-riding with the Camargue 'manades' of Franquevaux or a visit to the Salins du Midi (salt marshes) that have surrounded Aigues-Mortes since the middle ages.

History lovers should explore the treasures of the Abbey of Maguelone or the town of Saint-Gilles that sits on the pilgrimage path of Saint-Jacques-de-Compostelle. Last but not least explore the city of Sète, a maritime town set at the opening of the Etang de Thau lagoon which connects you and your crew to the historic Canal du Midi...





WINE APPELLATIONS: Costières de Nîmes, muscat de Frontignan, Sables wines, Picpoul and rice beer!... GALLICIAN: wine cellar

AIGUES-MORTES: wine cellar "Les Remparts"



MEDITERRANEAN CUISINE AND LOCAL PRODUCTS:

rice and salt of the Camargue, olive oils, Fougasse of Aigues-Mortes, asparagus, fish and seafood



GRAU DU ROI: Aquarium, mini golf, Babyland adventure park AIGUES MORTES: 'Les Petits Bouts' adventure park, Train du Colorado (a 1/24 scale model railway), the 'Templar treasure hunt' around the city



Flamingos, horses and bulls of the Camargue Wildlife observation: Scamandre discovery centre, the La Marette pond near our Aigues-Mortes base!





Nature reserve: Scamandre discovery centre





Port-La-Nouvelle

MARSEILLAN Lighthouse at Onglous

PALAVAS-LES-FLOTS
Beach





AIGUES-MORTES

Nîmes (44 km), Montpellier (33 km), Marseille (136 km).

A9 IV 26 (20 km).

TGV Montpellier (32 km), TGV Nîmes (42 km), TGV Avignon (1h).

Nîmes (48 km), Montpellier (25 km), Marseille (138 km).

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DURATION		CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY WEEKEND	Α	Aigues-Mortes > Bellegarde > Aigues-Mortes	72	-	12h
	В	Aigues-Mortes > Grau du Roi > Palavas > Aigues Mortes	53	-	9h
SHORT BREAK	Α	Aigues-Mortes > Grau du Roi > Sète > Aigues-Mortes	101	-	17h
1 WEEK	Α	Aigues-Mortes > Grau du Roi > Etang de Thau > Agde > Vias > Aigues-Mortes	161	6	28h
1 WEEK (One way)	Α	Aigues-Mortes > Le Somail	139	15	27h
10/11 DAYS	Α	Aigues Mortes > Béziers > Aigues Mortes	194	14	36h



BURGUNDY

Canal de Bourgogne - Canal du Nivernais - L'Yonne

Close to Paris (or 2 hours by car), discover the Canal de Bourgogne - one of the best known canals in France - which winds its way through beautiful Burgundy countryside. Do not forget to discover the richness of its cultural heritage, its world famous wines and cuisine to try!

FROM **BRIENON**



Brienon is located at the crossroads of **three exceptional waterways:** the Canal de Bourgogne, the Yonne and the Canal du Nivernais.

Cliffs, groves, and waterside vineyards make up the landscape that surrounds the meandering rivers. Numerous castles, **medieval villages** and historic towns invite you to stop: Joigny, Sens, Auxerre (a city full of art and history) or Mailly-le-Château set on a rocky outcrop ...

The area is excellent for **fishing** with many species of fish populating the rivers including pike, carp, berch, bream and many more. Climbers can test their skills and **practice climbing** on the famous rocks at Saussois while wine lovers can visit cellars and **prestigious vineyards** (Châblis, Irancy, Crémant de Bourgogne...)



FROM **VENAREY-LES-LAUMES**



Cruising the Bourgogne canal is in itself a trip into the history of France whilst at the same time navigating one of the best known canals in the country. An exceptional number of sites and monuments border the canal. The most prestigious is incontestably the Cistercian Abbey of Fontenay (World Heritage of Unesco) but you will also discover a few paces away, or a short bicycle ride, imposing Burgundy castles such as Bussy, Tanlay, Ancy le Franc, Nuits, Maulne...

Prestigious world-renowned wines and excellent traditional Burgundy gastronomy await you at each bend of the canal. Our Venarey base also provides cruising itineraries to discover the Nivernais canal, and stop offs such as Auxerre with its gothic cathedral.



VENAREY: Alésia Museopark

MONTBARD: Fontenay Abbbey (UNESCO site) BUFFON: large forges monument in Buffon

ANCY LE FRANC ET TANLAY: renaissance castles TONNERRE: Hôtel Dieu and Fosse Dionne

AUXERRE: clock tower, Saint-Germain Abbey and Saint-Etienne cathedral

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WINE APPELLATIONS: Chablis, Auxerrois, Tonnerrois, Crémant de Bourgogne

FLAVIGNY-SUR-OZERAIN: domaine Flavigny-Alésia
TONNERRE: wine cellar visit, tastings and excursions organised by winegrowers

CHABLIS: Béru wine estate SAINT-BRIS-LE-VINEUX: Bailly-Lapierre wine cellars



GOLF

At Tanlay Castle (9-hole course) and at Venarey (7-hole course)



Castle of TANLAY





BRIENON

Auxerre (30 km), Paris (170 km). A6, Paris-Lyon IV 18 Joigny (34 km).



Laroche-Migennes (10 km).



Laroche-Migennes (Paris - 1h20).



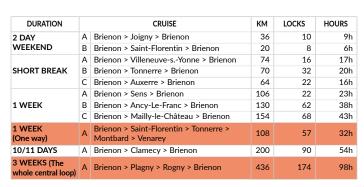
Paris-Orly (150 km).



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VENAREY-LES-LAUMES

Montbard (15 km), Dijon (70 km).



A6 (Paris - 365 km - 2h45), / 23 Bierre-les-Semur (25 km).

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TGV Montbard (14 km), Les Laumes-Alésia (2 km). Paris-Orly (255 km), Lyon (270 km), Dijon (73 km).

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RIVIERA 920

DURATION		CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY WEEKEND	Α	Venarey > Buffon > Venarey	40	26	10h
SHORT BREAK	Α	Venarey > Ancy-le-Franc > Venarey	82	50	21h
1 WEEK	Α	Venarey > Tanlay > Venarey	124	68	31h
1 WEEK (One way)	Α	Venarey > Montbard > Tonnerre > Saint-Florentin > Brienon	108	57	32h
10/11 DAYS	Α	Venarey > Tonnerre > Venarey	144	80	38h
	В	Venarey > Pouilly-en-Auxois > Venarey	80	108	54h
2 WEEKS	Α	Venarey > Châteauneuf > Venarey	98	130	90h



DOLF.

FRANCHE-COMTÉ / SAÔNE

La Saône - Canal du Rhône au Rhin - Canal de Bourgogne - Canal des Vosges

A crossroads of rivers that offer an excellent choice of cruises: the deep valley of the Doubs, the naturally charming Saône, with few locks, a fishing paradise!

For the gourmets, cheese and fine Franche-Comté wines.

FROM **PORT-SUR-SAÔNE**

From here, you will navigate along **peaceful waterways, dotted with typical small villages** revealing the history of the river: Portsur-Saône, Gallo-Roman village in the origin, Gray fascinating with its patrimonial treasures, unless you have chosen to sail on the Vosges canal to discover the densely wooded countryside of the Vosges: here you will be charmed with the calm of unspoiled nature - so don't forget your binoculars!



FROM **DOLE**

Dole, ancient capital of la Comté, doorway to the Jura and birthplace of Pasteur, situated in the heart of a marvellous region gifted with **one of the most beautiful navigation areas** offering a very large choice of cruising: le canal du Rhône to the Rhin (in fact it's the Doubs) with Besançon and citadel of Vauban, Baume les Dames, the charm of Comtois villages and market towns, wild beauty of fauna and flora in the superb deeply embanked valleys. You can cruise upstream one way to Port sur Saône or the Burgundy canals beyond Saint-Jean-de-Losne.

Warning: we recommend that you've had some previous boating experience if cruising on the river Doubs.



BESANÇON: Vauban citadel

AUXONNE: Castle of King Louis XI

DOLE: birthplace of Pastor and church of Notre Dame

GRAY: Notre Dame Basilica (19th century) RAY-SUR-SAÔNE: castle (18th century)

DOLE: waterpark and tree-top course

GRAY: waterpark with swimming pool and slides

OSSELLE-PLAGE: sandy beach, swimming pool with slide

OSSELLE: prehistoric caves

BESANÇON: zoo and Okidok (indoor leisure park)

MONTBÉLIARD: Près la Rose science park

Pikes, carp, catfish, bream

Fishing in the river (Doubs, Saône) and in ponds (Osselle)

GOLF COURSES: 18-hole courses in Parcey (10 minutes from Dole), Besançon and Epinal



Epinal



Vesoul (15 km), Besançon (63 km),

Dole (108 km), Dijon (150 km). A5 > A31 / 7 Langres.

Paris (350 km, 3h45). Vesoul (15 km).

Dijon (150 km), Bâle (150 km).

10/11 DAYS

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A Port-s.-Saône > Epinal > Port-s.-Saône

DURATION CRUISE KM LOCKS HOURS A | Port-s.-Saône > Ray-s.-Saône > Port-s.-Saône 13h 80 2 DAY 14 WEEKEND B Port-s.-Saône > Selles > Port-s.-Saône 15h 82 16 SHORT BREAK A Port-s.-Saône > Gray > Port-s.-Saône 22 24h 124 A Port-s.-Saône > Mantoche > Port-s.-Saône 26h 158 22 1 WEEK B | Port-s.-Saône > Bains-Les-Bains > Port-s.-Saône 28h 118 44 1 WEEK A Port-s.-Saône > Grav > Dole 154 23 24h (One way)

Besançon (55 km), Dijon (50 km).

A36, Paris (370 km, 3h30).

TGV Dole (1 km).

Lyon (200 km).

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PISCINE / POOL

DURATION		CRUISE		LOCKS	HOURS	
2 DAY WEEKEND	Α	Dole > Osselle > Dole	72	20	13h	
	В	Dole > Auxonne > Dole	64	20	12h	
SHORT BREAK	Α	Dole > Besançon > Dole	112	40	23h	
	В	Dole > Mantoche > Dole	150	24	22h	
	С	Dole > Verdun-sur-le-Doubs > Dole	114	18	19h30	
1 WEEK	Α	Dole > Baume-les-Dames > Dole	182	62	37h	
	В	Dole > Ray-sur-Saône > Dole	250	32	40h	
1 WEEK (One way)	Α	Dole > Gray > Port-sur-Saône	154	23	24h	
10/11 DAYS	Α	Dole > Ray-sur-Saône > Dole	223	34	45h	
2 WFFKS	Α	Dole > Montbéliard > Dole	294	114	68h30	
2 WEEKS	В	Dole > Selles > Dole	434	60	76h	

65h

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ARZVILLER - Inclined plane

ALSACE

Canal de la Marne au Rhin - Canal de la Sarre - La Moselle

Enjoy a French boating holiday in the Alsace, a region full of history and fantastic gastronomy. The best bits: magnificent scenery - mountains and forests frame your route; delicious regional food and wines; watersports, cycling and hiking - something for everyone! Wonderful art and architecture in the cities...

FROM SAVERNE AND HARSKIRCHEN

Start your boating holiday from Saverne in Alsace, a land of history and gastronomy. Choose to either cruise towards Strasbourg or towards Arzviller - famous for its boat lift (the only one in France).

Beyond that, you get to the green Lorraine plateau and continue your cruise to Nancy, stopping on route at the superb Place Stanislas, listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

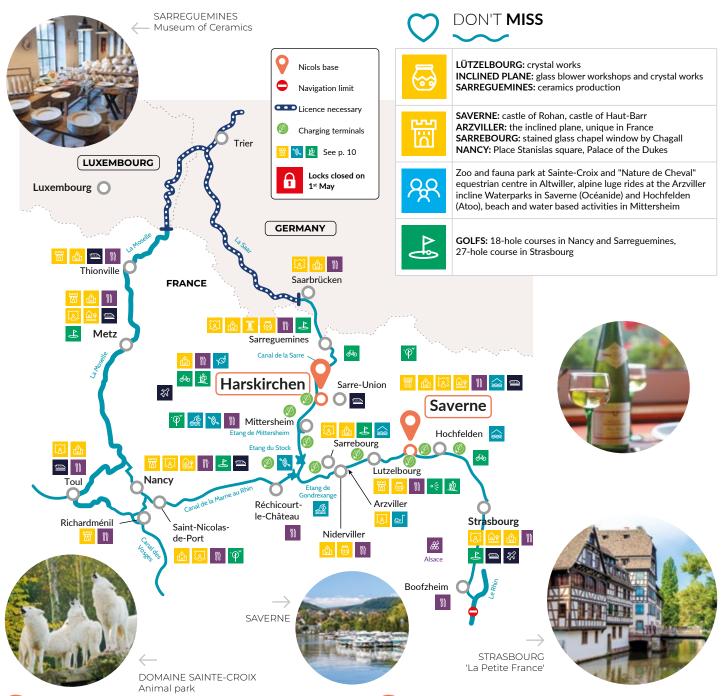
At Gondrexange you take the Canal de la Sarre which is dotted with lakes and water spots offering beaches, swimming, and watersports.

From Harskirchen, location of our second base in Alsace (see our one way cruise option between Saverne and Harskirchen) you can cruise to Sarreguemines which is **famous for its pottery** or Saarbrücken which takes you just over the German border.

European Cruise: Enjoy a cruise through three countries! Take your boat through France, Germany and Luxembourg. Choose a three week itinerary from Saverne or two weeks if starting from Harskirchen.









Strasbourg (41 km).

T A4, **I** 45, Paris (450 km - 4h15).

TGV Paris-Strasbourg, TGV Saverne (600 m).

Strasbourg (40 km).

FLY Quattro® Fly C | Octo® Fly C

ESTIVALE Duo® | Quattro® B | Quattro® S | Sixto® | Sixto® Green

| Sixto® Prestige C | Octo®

CONFORT 900 DP | 1100 | 1350 B | 1350 VIP **SEDAN** Primo® | N1000 | N1160N | N1310

PISCINE / POOL

DURATION		CRUISE		LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY WEEKEND	Α	Saverne > Niderviller > Saverne	44	24	12h
SHORT BREAK	Α	Saverne > Strasbourg > Saverne	92	40	22h
	В	Saverne > Réchicourt > Saverne	92	28	20h
(One way)	С	Saverne > Harskirchen	73	30	18h
1 WEEK	Α	Saverne > Mittersheim > Saverne	122	50	32h
	В	Saverne > Boofzheim > Saverne	142	60	36h
10/11 DAYS	Α	Saverne > Nancy > Saverne	208	66	46h30
2 WEEKS	Α	Saverne > Sarreguemines > Saverne	208	78	54h
	В	Saverne > Nancy > Toul > Saverne	281	103	69h30
3 WEEKS	Α	The «European cruise»	469	97	102h30



HARSKIRCHEN

Sarreguemines (25 km), Saarbrücken (40 km).

TA4, **IF** 43 Sarre-Union.

TGV Sarre-Union, (4 km).

Strasbourg (80 km), Metz-Nancy (80 km).

ESTIVALE Duo® | Sixto® | Octo®

CONFORT 900 DP | 1350 B

SEDAN N1010

DURATION		CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY	Α	Harskirchen > Sarreguemines > Harskirchen	64	20	14h30
WEEKEND	В	Harskirchen > Pont d'Albeschaux > Harskirchen	46	32	15h
SHORT BREAK (One way)	Α	Harskirchen > Saverne	73	30	18h
SHORT BREAK	Α	Harskirchen > Réchicourt > Harskirchen	86	38	23h
	В	Harskirchen > Saarbrücken > Harskirchen	108	32	24h
1 WEEK	Α	Harskirchen > Lützelbourg > Harskirchen	124	44	30h
	В	Harskirchen > Arzviller > Réchicourt > Harskirchen	126	38	29h
10/11 DAYS	Α	Harskirchen > Nancy > Harskirchen	202	82	50h
2 WEEKS	Α	Harskirchen > Nancy > Toul > Harskirchen	264	115	70h
Z WEEKS	В	Harskirchen > Strasbourg > Harskirchen	238	92	58h



SCHWERIN

MECKLENBURG-WEST

Explore green countryside and beautiful waterways!

A quiet region with numerous cruises across lakes surrounded by rich flora and fauna.



Lübz is a small town with its town centre dating back to the middle age. It's also a great starting point for navigating the area from Mecklenburg to Brandenburg through 15,000 hectares of forests and across 33 lakes covering over 54 km².

The district of Lübz enjoys the most beautiful countryside in this region of Germany.

The river Elde is navigable for 180 km and has only 17 locks. In only five hours it is possible to reach Lake Plauer - one of the largest lakes in the region. On the northern banks there is a nature reserve of 300 hectares and a paradise for those who love nature and bird life.



EVEN MORE COMFORT ONBOARD!

The whole fleet of Lübz benefit from special equipment such as: stem propeller, quay plug 220 volts, radio / CD / MP3, bathing ladders.







PLAU: castle with tower

SCHWERIN: castle with gardens, 18th century market square, half-timbered and gabled houses from the end of the 17th century MALCHOW: town mill



MÜRITZ NATIONAL PARK: 322 km² of forests, lakes and marshes and the largest lake in Germany with more than 150 species of birds. WAREN: Müritzeum aquarium

BÄRENWALD MÜRITZ: a bear protection scheme in the forest



Swimming in the clear waters of the lake!















LÜBZ

Schwerin (70 km).

A24 Berlin (175 km), / 16 > Parchim, A24 Hamburg (151 km) 14 > Parchim.



Parchim (15 km).

Hamburg (180 km), Berlin (220 km).



ESTIVALE SEDAN

Quattro® B N1000 | N1150 | N1160

DURATION		CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
1 WEEK	Α	Lübz > Röbel > Lübz	84	8	17h30
	В	Lübz > Schwerin > Lübz	149	8	26h30
	С	Lübz > Dömitz > Lübz	97	13	19h30



RHFINSBERG castle

MECKLENBURG-EAST

Between Mecklenburg and Brandenburg, in the heart of a thousand lakes, discover nature at its finest in an area known as "Blue Paradise".

FROM **FÜRSTENBERG**



The Nicols base in Fürstenberg is located at the crossroads of two regions: north-west is Mecklenburg with its 1000 lakes while in the south-east is Brandenburg towards Berlin. Choose from a number of different cruising itineraries ranging from a couple of days in length up to two week holidays.

A natural paradise: the landscapes and greenery between the lakes, rivers and canals are stunning and you'll discover an abundance of flora and fauna. Bird-watchers should head to Lake Müritz and look out for eagles, cormorants, cranes and osprey.

Take a dip: if you like swimming then the clear waters of the lakes in this fascinating region is ideal. The water quality is up there with the best in Europe – at certain times of the year the water is clear enough for vision down to 12 metres deep – so perfect for underwater photos and spotting fish!

Rich historical heritage: your boating holiday leads you to some fine treasures of the past! Towards Mecklenburg (north-west) you will find Rheinsberg and its castle, the curious lakeside houses with thatched roofs of Mirow, Röbel and its half-timbered houses, Waren and the "Müritzeum" - a visitor centre for the Müritz National Park. Alternatively if you head towards Brandenburg (south-east) you'll reach Himmelpfort which is known as the capital of fishing (try the local specialty of smoked fish) and hometown of Santa Claus, before then reaching the charming little walled town of Templin.

For those customers who have a boat licence, Berlin and Potsdam are also great places to visit. Contact us for more information.









NEUSTRELITZ: baroque style castle

RHEINSBERG: castle "Rococo" where a famous festival of classical music and opera takes place each summer



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BÄRENWALD MÜRITZ: a bear protection scheme in the forest



Swimming in some of the clearest and best quality waters and lakes in Europe.



Extra 3 hours of instruction required at a cost of 50€ to be paid locally.



FÜRSTENBERG

Berlin (70 km).

A10 Berlin (80 km), **I** 31 - Oranienburg - B96 (45 km).

Fürstenberg (Berlin - 1h).

Berlin Tegel (90 km), Berlin Schönefeld (120 km).

CONFORT 900 DP

SEDAN Primo® | N1010 | N1170

DURATION		CRUISE		LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY WEEKEND	Α	Fürstenberg > Priepert > Neustrelitz > Fürstenberg	60	6	12h
SHORT BREAK	Α	Fürstenberg > Templin > Fürstenberg	80	14	17h
	В	Fürstenberg > Neustrelitz > Wesenberg > Rheinsberg > Fürstenberg	100	12	20h
1 WEEK	Α	Fürstenberg > Neustrelitz > Rheinsberg > Mirow > Fürstenberg	193	20	24h
	В	Fürstenberg > Mirow > Waren > Röbel > Rheinsberg > Fürstenberg	225	10	30h
	С	Fürstenberg > Himmelpfort > Lychen > Templin > Zehdenick > Fürstenberg	204	20	22h
10/11 DAYS	А	Fürstenberg > Mirow > Waren > Malchow > Plau > Lübz > Waren > Röbel > Wesenberg > Fürstenberg	300	14	40h
2 WEEKS	Α	Fürstenberg > Neustrelitz > Rheinsberg > Waren > Plau > Schwerin > Fürstenberg	460	32	54h
	В	Fürstenberg > Strasen > Neustrelitz > Buchholz > Rheinsberg > Lychen > Templin > Zehdenick > Fürstenberg	310	32	55h

NB : From Zehdenick, navigation require a boat licence













HOLLAND



Famous for windmills, cheese, tulips and of course canals, the Netherlands is the perfect destination for enjoying a boating holiday! Captain a Nicols boat and discover picturesque towns and villages, art and history museums and the stunning Natura 2000 listed national park. Natural waters are great for swimming and of course bikes on board mean that you can enjoy the national pastime of cycling!

FROM **KERKDRIEL**

Kerkdriel is a great location to have a Nicols base as in addition to the waters being calm and ideal for beginners to boating, they are also perfect for swimming and fishing.

Surrounding the waterways is beautiful flora and fauna including the "De Biesbosch" national park which is one of the largest found in the Netherlands. It is recognised as a wetland of international importance and is listed as a Natura 2000 area by the EU Habitat and Birds Directives.

The town of Gouda is famous for its tasty cheese but even if you don't like cheese we recommend a visit to explore the charming old town with the Sint-Jans church (famous for the impressive stained glass windows), markets and bustling streets.

Amsterdam is the largest city in the Netherlands and is dissected by a network of canals. Visit museums of art (including Van Gogh), history and science and take time to simply wander through the colourful streets for shopping, restaurants, cafes and of course the famous Red Light District.

One of the many cruising routes on offer from Kerkdriel will lead you and your crew to Maastricht – the city known to be the origin of the European Union. Explore the many cultural and historic buildings including the ramparts and tower before enjoying a shopping spree along the streets that are lined with trendy designer shops.









Biesboch National Park, a Natura 2000 listed area Numerous nature reserves: Maasbommel, Mook-Plamsolen, Tiengemeten, Leukermeer



GOUDA: Sint-Jans church, charming city streets AMSTERDAM: art museums (Van Gogh Museum), history and science museums, Red Light District, house of Anne Frank WOUDRICHEM: medieval castle of Loevestein (14th century) HEUSDEN: fortified city.

SPECIALITIES:

Gouda cheese from Gouda!

The 'Bossche bowl': a profiterole type pastry from the Dutch city of 's-Hertogenbosch 'Stroopwafels': caramel filled waffles
The 'broodje haring': raw herring sandwiches served with onions
'Stampnof': traditional dish made with mashed potato, sauerkraut

'Stamppot': traditional dish made with mashed potato, sauerkraut, carrots or onions 'Bitterballen': a soup with peas, rye bread and bacon - Many Dutch beers!

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The popularity of bikes here means there are many cycle routes to be enjoyed.



Amsterdam (90 km), Bruxelles (160 km), Düsseldorf (165 km) Paris (450 km), Hamburg (465 km).

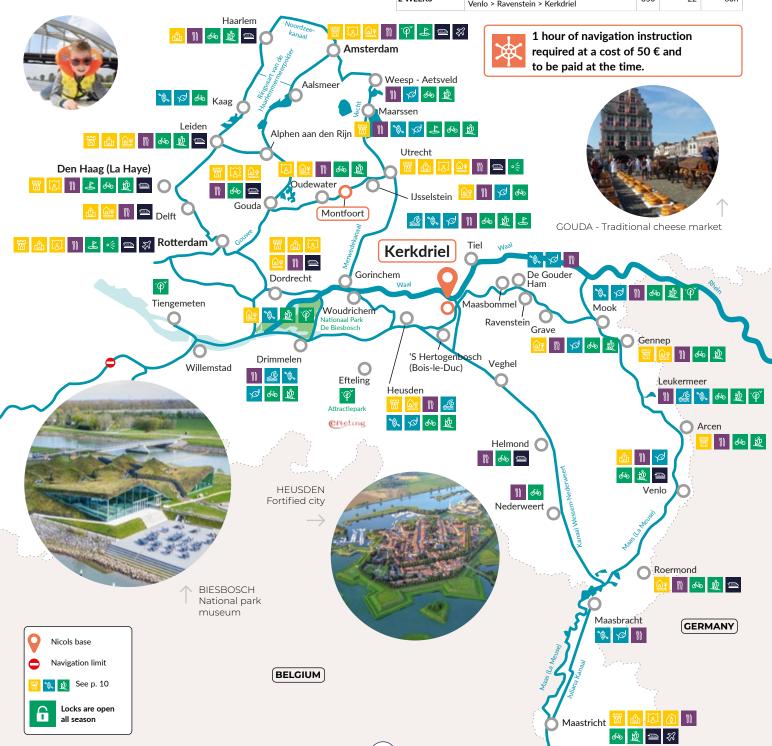
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Bois-le-Duc (14 km), Utrecht (50 km).

Amsterdam Schiphol (90 km).

FLY Quattro® Fly | Octo® Fly ESTIVALE Duo® | Quattro® B | Sixto®

DURATION	CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY WEEKEND	Kerkdriel > Heusden > Gorinchem > Kerkdriel	100	2	12h
SHORT BREAK	Kerkdriel > Biesboch > Kerkdriel	120	0	15h
1 WEEK	Kerkdriel > Rotterdam > Gouda > Gorinchem > Heusden > Kerkdriel	200	9	25h
1 WEEK (One way)	Kerkdriel > Gouda > Amsterdam > Utrecht > IJsselstein > Montfoort	220	8	28h
10/11 DAYS	Kerkdriel > Woudrichem > IJsselstein > Gouda > Uithoorn > Amsterdam > Weesp > Utrecht > Gorinchem > Heusden > Kerkdriel	202	12	36h30
2 WEEKS	Kerkdriel > Bois-le-Duc > Veghel > Maastricht > Venlo > Ravenstein > Kerkdriel	350	22	60h



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TOKAJ AND LAKE TISZA



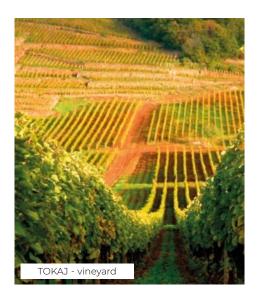
Set sail on the rural rivers of Hungary! Nicols have two departure bases to choose from -Kisköre in the south sailing between lakes and national parks or Tokaj in the north and in the heart of a world-famous wine region.

FROM TOKAJ

Tokaj is located on the banks of the Bodrog River and is known as a city of wines and festivals. There are many excellent restaurants and wineries which have been listed on the UNESCO World Heritage List including the famous Tokaj wine that Louis XIV described as "the wine of kings and the king of wines"!

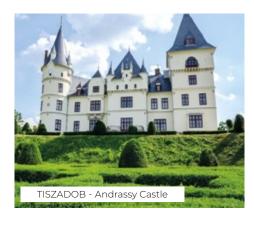
You can cruise in three directions from the Nicols Tokaj base. Heading along the Bodrog River you can reach the town of Sátoraljaújhely on the border of Slovakia. While here visit the large Zemplén Adventure Park. On the return journey, spend a night moored close to the castle of Sárospatak and stop off at the village of Bodrogkeresztúr where you can go canoeing in the protected Bodrogzug-Tokai Park. Throughout your journey you'll be surrounded by mountains and vineyards.

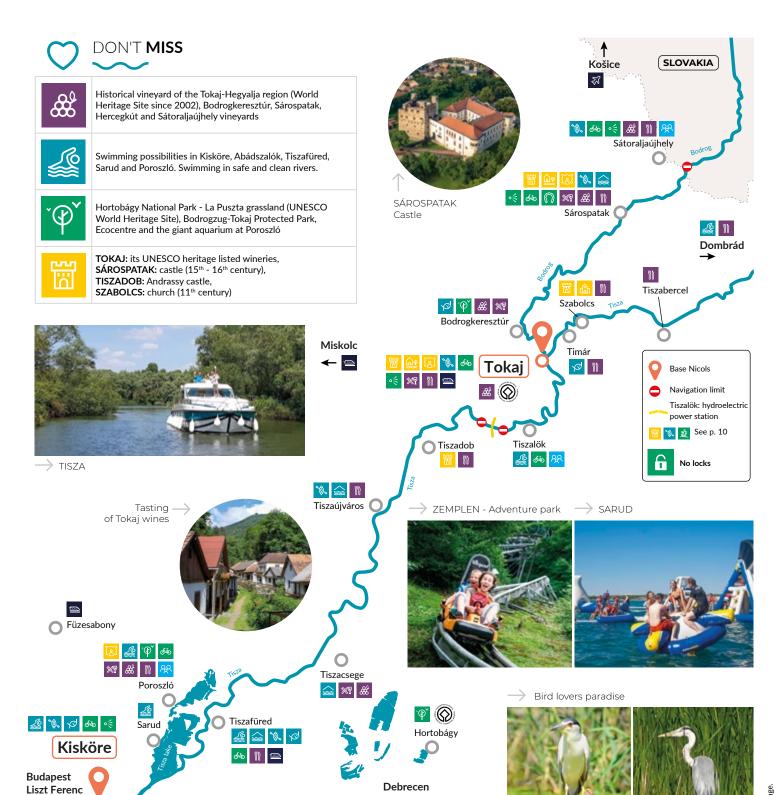
The other available itineraries from Tokaj are a cruise on the Upper Tisza to the north towards Tiszabercel and then to Dombrád, or in the other direction south through pretty countryside and cruising until the hydroelectric power station of Tiszalök before returning to Tokaj.



FROM **KISKÖRE**

A cruise from Kisköre sees you switch between navigating on lakes and rivers - with stop offs at Abádszalók and Tiszafüred for swimming, fishing or dinner in the evening in a local restaurant to discover Hungarian cuisine. Sailing upstream on the Tisza River takes you to Tiszacsege, where the famous fish restaurant "Halászcsárda" awaits you. Continue your cruise to Tiszalök, where you'll find the impressive hydroelectric power station which can be visited. On the return journey, stop at Andrassy Castle in Tiszadob, then on to Lake Tisza and then to Poroszló and the 'Ecocentre' with its giant aquarium - the perfect family visitor attraction. Nature lovers should also explore the Hortobágy National Park where you'll also find the famous Hungarian "Puszta" (the largest grassland plain in Central Europe), a **UNESCO World Heritage Site.**







Airport

Miskolc (55 km), Nyíregyháza (32 km).

M3, 37, Budapest (230 km, 2h30).

Miskolc (55 km).

Budapest (230 km), Debrecen (90 km), Košice (SK) (85 km).

ESTIVALE Quattro® B | Sixto® | Octo®

DURATION	CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY WEEKEND	Tokaj > Sárospatak > Tokaj	74	0	91
SHORT BREAK	Tokaj > Sátoraljaújhely > Dombrád > Tokaj	200	0	25l
1 WEEK	Tokaj > Sátoraljaújhely > Dombrád > Tokaj	250	0	31
10/11 DAYS	Tokaj > Tiszabercel > Dombrád > Tímár > Tokaj Sárospatak > Sátoraljaújhely > Bodrogkisfalud > Tokaj > Tiszalök > Tokaj	247	0	301



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KISKÖRE

Eger (56 km), Debrecen (108 km).

M3, 31, Budapest (145 km, 1h30).

Füzesabony (35km).

Budapest (150 km), Debrecen (150 km).

ESTIVALE Quattro® B | Sixto® | Octo®

DURATION	CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY WEEKEND	Kisköre > Tiszafüred > Kisköre	60	0	8h
SHORT BREAK	Kisköre > Tiszacsege > Kisköre	100	0	12h
1 WEEK	Kisköre > Tisza lake > Tiszalök > Kisköre	230	0	29h
10/11 DAYS	Kisköre > Tiszalök > Abádszalok > Kisköre	232	0	28h30



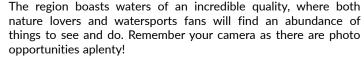
MONSARAZ

LAGO ALQUEVA



Enjoy plenty of sunshine and swimming and watersports in clean warm waters. Anglers can fish for black bass, carp and more. Numerous activities await such as cycling, quad bike riding or for a slower pace of life why not discover the richness of fauna and flora, or historical interests such as fortified villages, archaeological sites and locally produced traditional handicrafts and pottery. Taste regional traditional cooking and a meal with a view at the panoramic restaurant on the port. Don't forget our Amieira team offer an 'onboard menu' and 'onboard shopping' service.

FROM AMIEIRA MARINA



Head with your crew of family or friends to moor on an islet for a night 'Robinson Crusoe' style or venture to other stops that allow easy access to the beautiful surrounding villages and places of interest such as the Alqueva dam, an amazing structure built in 2002. Other places to visit are the new identically built village

of Luz, replacing the old Luz that was swallowed up by the Lago Alqueva (don't miss the museum); Mourão with its castle and fortifications from the 13th century; the fortified city of Monsaraz with its narrow and paved streets and a splendid bullring.

With more than 300 sunny days per year a boating holiday on the Lago Alqueva can be enjoyed at any time of the year!







ESTIVALE Duo® | Quattro®

CONFORT 1100 | 1350

SEDAN N1010 | N1170 | N1310

DURATION	CRUISE	KM	LOCKS	HOURS
2 DAY WEEKEND	Amieira > Mourão > Amieira	88,5	-	10h
SHORT BREAK	Amieira > Monsaraz > Amieira	163	-	18h
1 WEEK	Amieira > Juromenha > Amieira	278	-	30h

₹ →	For car rental advice from Lisbon or Faro airports please contact us for more details.

TEMPERATURES AT LAKE ALQUEVA



All our boats are equipped with 1 quay plug 220 Volts, electric toilet, sounders, GPS, monitor / DVD, solar panels. For rent at the base: bikes, canoes, kayaks...

THE NICOLS® FLEET



The key to a successful boating holiday is in choosing the best boat from our five different ranges: Fly, Estivale, Confort, Sedan or Riviera.

The following information will help you make your selection of boat before reading full details boat by boat over the next pages (pages 42 to 58)



WHAT IT IS THAT MAKES NICOLS BOATS SO GOOD!



Our boats have a vast living room with a 360° panoramic view. The kitchen includes lots of equipment and has everything you'll need: 220l fridge with a freezer compartment*, ring-hob, oven / grill depending on boat model * and wide work top areas. The kitchenware is supplied as well as the bedding (sheets, duvets, pillows). Terraces are equipped with garden furniture and either a sun awning or parasol depending on the boat model.

*Fridge 220I except on: Riviera range, N800 and Primo®. Oven: except N800.

To make moving from one end of the boat to the other safe and easy all our walkways are covered with an antislipping surface, have a hand rail and a double railing* at a height of 60 cm (safety criteria imposed by the legislation for boats made in France). The rear terrace on the Sedan and Estivale



ranges are on the same level as the living room meaning there are nostairs to negotiate going either in or out of the boat. The front terrace of the Confort range can be reached via a gangway 1 metre high moulded into the hull deck for the maximum safety. All these criteria mean that Nicols® boats are one of the safest on the market, particularly when it comes to accommodating crews with children and/or people with reduced mobility.

*except N800 and Primo®

A key to the main equipment found on board a Nicols® boat



Heating



Sun awning sliding / Sun awning



Electric toilets



DVD monitor



Microwave



Air conditioning



Double steering position



Electrical connector 220 V on board



Stem propeller



TV with satellite channels



Dishwasher

MAKE YOUR CHOICE - THERE'S A BOAT FOR YOU!



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Read our detailed boat descriptions.

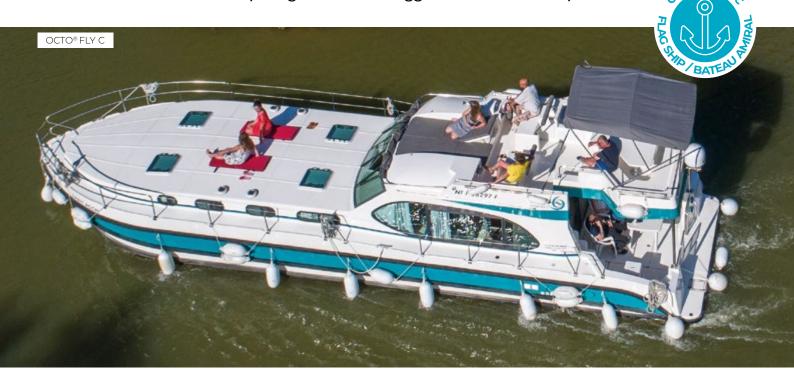
Example: a boat described as being a 4/6 is a boat which offers 4 beds in cabins plus 2 extra bed spaces in the converted saloon area.

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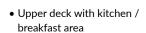
^{*:} If renting the splash pool for a boat of 13m or more a compulsory license is required. Can be added to all boats except the Fly range, N800, Primo® and R920.

FLY RANGE





KEY **FACTS**



- Sun awning and deck mattress
- Covered rear terrace
- Private bathroom for each cabin



ALFRESCO DINING AREA



CABIN



AWNING & MATTRESS

NEW: The Fly range is the latest series from the nicols boatyard. its models, ranging from 12.95m to 15m long, are some of the easiest boats to steer thanks to their double bow thruster (stern and bow).

We're confident that our boats in the Fly range offer the best accommodation available anywhere in the boating holidays market. They come fully-equipped with: large fridge, hob and oven, television with satellite antenna, radio / CD / MP3, 220 V shore power connection, our 'C' boat models even have an on board generator for using 220 V power during navigation and **air-conditioning**, which provides extra comfort in the summer months!

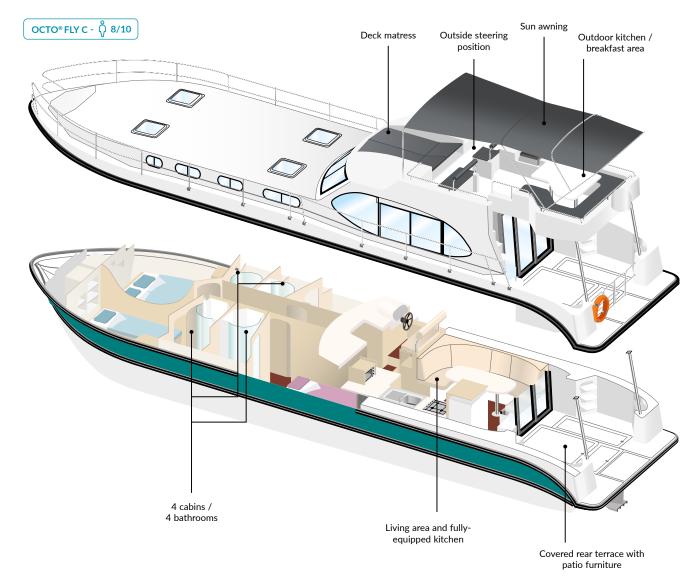
The boats have a covered rear terrace with outdoor dining furniture and access to the upper deck area which has a breakfast area + outdoor kitchen (sink, plancha grill) under the shade of a bimini awning, a second outdoor steering position and a deck area for two mattresses - the perfect space for lazing in the sun.

So what are you waiting for? Be the envy of the others on the waterways and travel in style and comfort – no previous boating experience of licence is needed.























	Quattro® Fly	Quattro® Fly C	Sixto® Fly C	Octo® Fly	Octo® Fly C
Maximum capacity	6 a	dults	8 adults	10	adults
Capacity recommended		4			8
Length / Width	12.95	x 3,85 m	14,95 x 3,85 m	14,95 x 3,85 m	
ROOM LAYOUT			,,		,
Cabins	2+	saloon	3 + saloon	4+	saloon
Double-beds (140 x 190 cm)		saloon	2 + saloon		saloon
Double-beds (160 x 190 cm)		-	1		-
Single-bed (70 x 190 cm)	4 pc	ossible	4 possible	8 pc	ossible
Bathroom / electric toilets		2	3		4
Saloon	11	l m²	11 m ²	1:	L m ²
KITCHEN EQUIPMENT					
200 L fridge (freezer)		•	•		•
4 ring-hob		•	•		•
Oven		•	•		•
Dishwasher	-	•	•	-	•
Microwave		•	•		•
« Senseo » electric coffee maker		•	•	•	
OTHER INTERIOR EQUIPMENT					
Air conditioning	-	•	•	-	•
Heating		•	•		•
Radio, CD, MP3		•	•		•
DVD monitor		•	•		•
TV with satellite channels		•	•		•
Safe		•	•		•
Electrical connector 220 V on board		•	•		•
OTHER EXTERIOR EQUIPMENT					
Garden furniture		•	•		•
Sun awning sliding		•	•		•
Sun awning		•	•		•
Bathing ladder		•	•		•
Shower		•	•		•
Gas griddle/BBQ		•	•		•
Sunbathing		•	•		•
Double steering position		•	•		•
Double bow thruster (stern and bow)		•	•		•
Water tank capacity	60	00 L	1050 L	10	50 L
Fuel tank capacity	37	75 L	375 L	2	70 L



QUATTRO® FLY



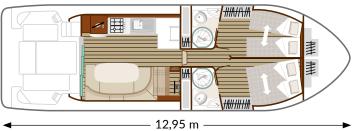
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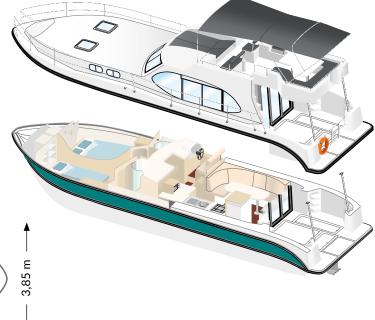


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Recommended for 2 couples or 1 couple with 2 children

- 2 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 electric toilets
- On the fly: Alfresco dining area / outdoor kitchen





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SIXTO® FLY C

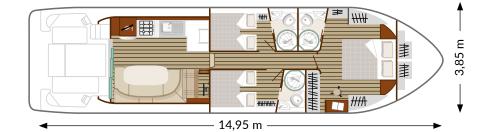


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Recommended for 3 couples or 2 couples with 2 children

- 3 cabins + convertible living room
- 3 showers / 3 electric toilets
- On the fly: Alfresco dining area / outdoor kitchen







OCTO® FLY



OCTO® FLY C

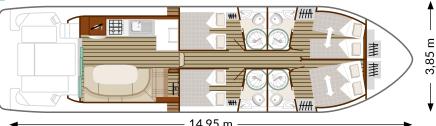


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Recommended for 4 couples or 2 couples with 4 children

- 4 cabins + convertible living room
- 4 showers / 4 electric toilets
- On the fly: Alfresco dining area / outdoor kitchen





ESTIVALE RANGE



Nicols is leading the way with electric boat building and the Sixto® Green



LIVING AREA



BEDROOM



OUTSIDE STEERING POSITION



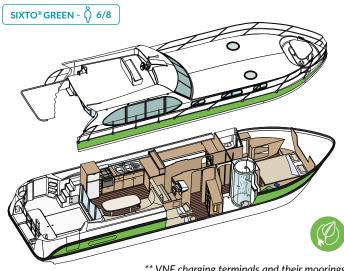
VNF CHARGING TERMINAL**

Nicols® is proud to have been the first boat builder and holiday operator in Europe to launch a 100% electric powered canal boat. With a totally silent engine and zero emissions the Sixto® Green is non-polluting and environmentally friendly*.

Lithium batteries on board are fast to charge with **only two hours charging time needed** to provide a cruising range of **between six to eight hours**, so enough for between a day and a day and a half of navigation. VNF's fast charging terminals are located all along the waterways at approximately **every 11km** which mean you can stop wherever you want whenever you want.

* 100% of the electricity supplied by EDF on the charging terminals is guaranteed to be renewable (source VNF).

NB: Available cruise information is available on page 31 (Alsace region).



** VNF charging terminals and their moorings are reserved exclusively for electric boats.

ESTIVALE RANGE



Discover the range of boats on offer



KEY FACTS



- equipment
- Two steering positions
- Beautiful living space living room and terrace
- 2-10 people



DOUBLE STEERING POSITION



REAR TERRACE



KITCHEN SIXTO® PRESTIGE / C

	Duo®	Quattro [®] Quattro [®] B Quattro [®] S	Sixto® Prestige C	Sixto [®] Sixto [®] Green	Octo®
Maximum capacity	4 adults	6 adults	4 adults	8 adults	10 adults
Capacity recommended	2	4	4	6	8
Length / Width	8,85 x 3,40 m	10,85 x 3,80 m	13,50 x 3,80 m	13,50 x 3,80 m	13,50 x 3,80 m
ROOM LAYOUT					
Cabins	1 + saloon	2 + saloon	2 + saloon	3 + saloon	4 + saloon
Double-beds (140 x 190 cm)	1 + 1 saloon	2 + 1 saloon	1 + 1 saloon	3 + 1 saloon	4 + 1 saloon
Double-beds (160 x 190 cm)	-	-	1	-	-
Single-bed (70 x 190 cm)	-	4 possible (2 on Quattro S®)	2 possible	2 possible	8 possible
Bathroom / electric toilets	1	2 (1 on Quattro S®)			
Saloon	8 m ²	9 m ²	11 m ²	11 m²	11 m ²
KITCHEN EQUIPMENT					
220 L fridge (freezer)	•	•	● (195 L)	•	•
4 ring-hob	• (2 ring-hob)	•	•	•	•
Oven	• (Gril)	•	•	•	•
Dishwasher	-	-	•	-	-
Microwave	-	-	•	-	-
« Senseo » electric coffee maker	-	-	•	-	-
OTHER INTERIOR EQUIPMENT					
Air conditioning	-	-	•	-	-
Heating	•	•	•	•	•
Radio, CD, MP3	•	•	•	•	•
DVD monitor	•	•	•	•	•
TV with satellite channels	-	-	• (1 TV saloon + 1 TV cabin)	-	-
Safe	-	-	•	-	-
Electrical connector 220 V on board	•	•	•	•	•
OTHER EXTERIOR EQUIPMENT					
Garden furniture	•	•	•	•	•
Sun awning sliding	•	•	•	•	•
Sun awning	-	-	•	-	-
Bathing ladder	•	•	•	•	•
Shower	•	•	•	•	•
Double steering position	•	•	•	•	•
Stem propeller	-	Quattro [®] : - Quattro [®] B : ● Quattro [®] S : ●	•	•	•
Water tank capacity	750 L	750 L	1050 L	1150 L	1150 L
Fuel tank capacity	270 L	270 L	270 L	Sixto®: 270 L Sixto® Green: 0 L	270 L



DUO®



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Recommended for 2 adults

- 1 cabin + convertible living room
- 1 shower / 1 electric toilets



8,85 m









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Available on Quattro B and Quattro S

QUATTRO® / QUATTRO® B

Recommended for 2 couples or 1 couple and 2 children

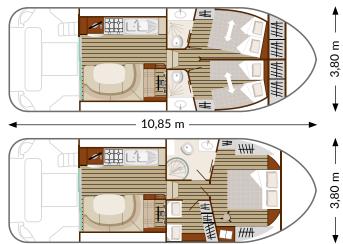
- 2 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 electric toilets

QUATTRO® S

Recommended for 2 couples or 1 couple and 2 children

- 2 cabins + convertible living room
- 1 shower / 1 electric toilets







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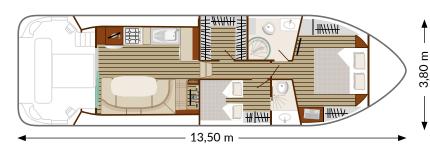


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Recommended for 2 couples or 1 couple and 2 children

- 2 cabins + convertible living room
- 1 dressing
- 2 showers / 2 electric toilets







SIXTO® GREEN





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Recommended for 3 couples or 2 couples with 2 children

- 3 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 electric toilets







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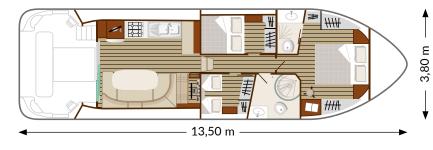


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Recommended for 3 couples or 2 couples with 2 children

- 3 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 electric toilets







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OCTO®

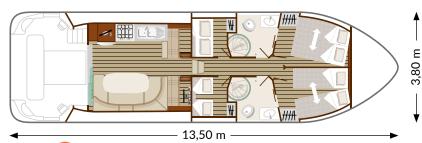


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Recommended for 4 couples or 2 couples with 4 children

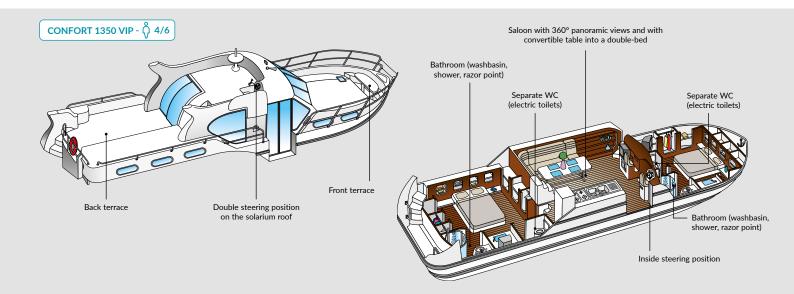
- 4 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 electric toilets





CONFORT RANGE





KEY FACTS



- Private bathroom for each cabin
- Ideal for couples
- Front and rear terraces
- 2-10 people



FRONT TERRACE



SALOON CONFORT 1100



CABIN CONFORT 1350 / B

	Confort 900 DP	Confort 1100	Confort 1350 / Confort 1350 B	Confort 1350 VIP
Maximum capacity	7 people	9 people	10 adults	6 adults
Capacity recommended	4 adults / 1 child	6 adults / 1 child	8	4
Length / Width	8,85 x 3,40 m	11,10 x 3,40 m	13,50 x 3,80 m	13,50 x 3,80 m
ROOM LAYOUT				
Cabins	2 + saloon	3 + saloon	4 + saloon	2 + saloon
Double-beds (140 x 190 cm)	2 + 1 saloon	3 + 1 saloon	1 saloon + 2 fixed 2 convertible into 4 single-beds	2 + 1 saloon
Single-bed (70 x 190 cm)	1	1	4 possibles	-
Bathroom / electric toilets	2	3	4	2
Saloon	9 m²	10 m²	14 m²	14 m²
KITCHEN EQUIPMENT				
220 L fridge (freezer)	•	•	•	•
2 ring-hob	•	•	-	-
4 ring-hob	-	-	•	•
Oven	● (Gril)	•	•	•
Microwave	-	-	-	•
« Senseo » electric coffee maker	-	-	-	•
OTHER INTERIOR EQUIPMENT				
Air conditioning	-	-	-	•
Heating	•	•	•	•
Radio, CD, MP3	•	•	•	•
3 TV (depending on the reception)	-	-	-	•
Electrical connector 220 V on board	•	•	•	•
OTHER EXTERIOR EQUIPMENT				
Garden furniture	• (free, on request)	● (free, on request)	•	•
Sun awning	-	-	-	•
Bathing ladder	•	•	•	•
Shower	-	-	-	•
Double steering position	•	•	•	•
Stem propeller	-	-	C1350 : - C1350 B: ●	•
Water tank capacity	800 L	1200 L	1400 L	1400 L
Fuel tank capacity	300 L	300 L	500 L	500 L



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CONFORT 900 DP



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Recommended for 2 couples

- 2 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 Electric toilets







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CONFORT 1100

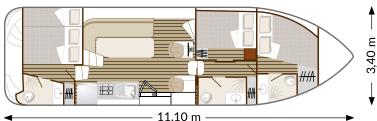


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Recommended for 3 couples

- 3 cabins + convertible living room
- 3 showers / 3 Electric toilets







Comfort and equipment











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Recommended for 4 couples

- 4 cabins + convertible living room
- 4 showers / 4 Electric toilets





CONFORT 1350 VIP

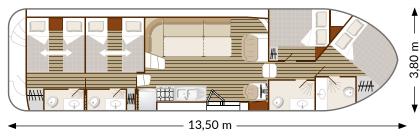


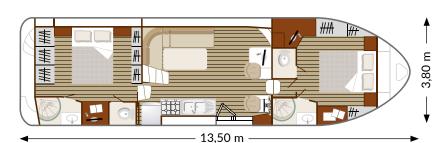
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- 2 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 Electric toiletss

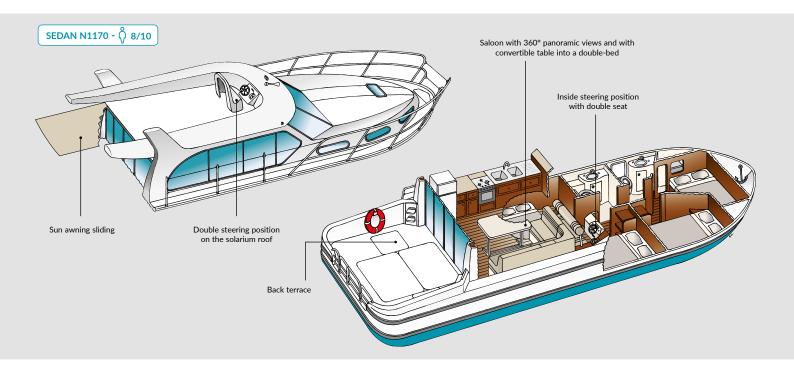




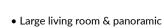


SEDAN RANGE





KEY FACTS



- Spacious rear terrace
- Ideal for families
- 2-12 people

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REAR TERRACE
SEDAN PRIMO®



SALOON SEDAN N1000



CABIN SEDAN PRIMO®

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	Sedan N800	Sedan Primo®	Sedan N1000	Sedan N1010
Maximum capacity	3 adults	4 adults	8 adults	8 adults
Capacity recommended	2 adults	2 adults	4 adults / 2 children	4 adults / 2 children
Length / Width	8 x 2,50 m	7,95 x 3,40 m	10 x 3,70 m	10 x 3,70 m
ROOM LAYOUT				
Cabins	1 + saloon	1 + saloon	3 + saloon	3 + saloon
Double-beds (140 x 190 cm)	1 + saloon	1 + 1 saloon	3 + 1 saloon	3 + saloon
Single-bed (70 x 190 cm)	-	-	-	-
Bathroom / toilets	1	1	2	2
Saloon	5 m ²	7 m ²	10 m ²	10 m ²
KITCHEN EQUIPMENT				
220 L fridge (freezer)	-	-	•	•
130 L. fridge + freezer	-	•	-	-
56 L. Fridge	•	-	-	-
3 ring-hob	-	-	•	•
2 ring-hob	•	•	-	-
Oven	-	•	•	•
OTHER INTERIOR EQUIPMENT				
Heating	•	•	•	•
Radio, CD, MP3	•	•	•	•
Electrical connector 220 V on board	-	•	-	-
OTHER EXTERIOR EQUIPMENT				
Garden furniture	• (free, on request)	(free, on request)	•	•
Sun awning sliding	-	-	•	•
Bathing ladder	•	•	•	•
Double steering position	-	-	•	•
Water tank capacity	200 L	200 L	600 L	600 L
Fuel tank capacity	130 L	135 L	300 L	300 L



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SEDAN N800



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Recommended for 1 couple

- 1 cabin + convertible living room
- 1 shower / 1 toilets



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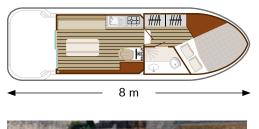
SEDAN PRIMO®



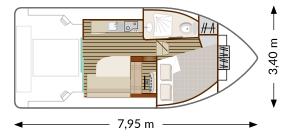
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Recommended for 1 couple or 1 couple + 2 children

- 1 cabin + convertible living room
- 1 shower / 1 toilets









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SEDAN N1000

Recommended for 4 adults and 2 children

- 3 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 toilets

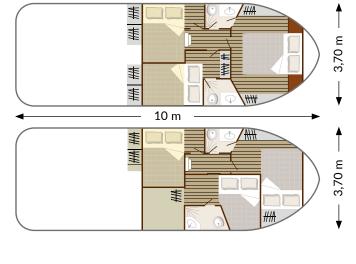
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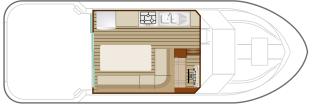
Recommended for 4 adults and 2 children

- 3 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 toilets



Headroom above bunks: 100 cm maximum





Sedan N1000 & N1010 - Deck plan: saloon table and seeting convertible into a double-bed





Comfort and equipment



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SEDAN N1150



Recommended for 4 adults and 4 children

- 4 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 toilets

SEDAN N1160



SEDAN N1160N



Recommended for 4 adults and 4 children

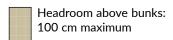
- 4 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 toilets (+ 2 washbasins on 1160)

SEDAN N1170

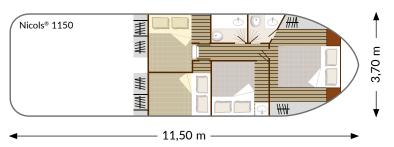


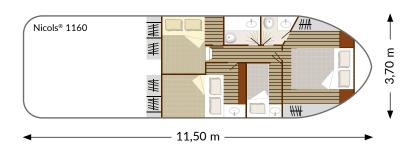
Recommended for 4 adults and 4 children

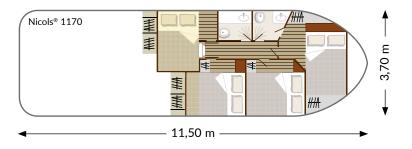
- 4 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 toilets

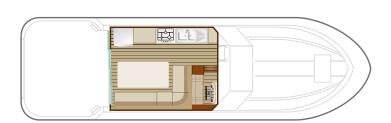


Sedan N1150 - N1160 - N1160N & N1170 Deck plan: saloon table and seeting convertible into a double-bed



















SEDAN N1310



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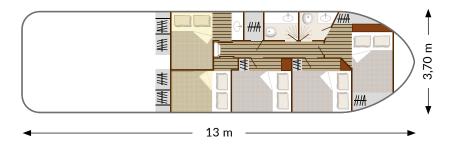
Recommended for 6 adults and 4 children

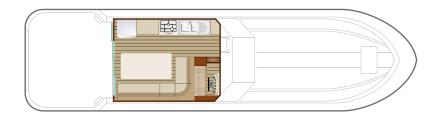
- 5 cabins + convertible living room
- 2 showers / 2 toilets



Headroom above bunks: 100 cm maximum







Sedan N1310 - Deck plan: saloon table and seeting convertible into a double-bed





	Sedan N1150	Sedan N1160 / N1160N	Sedan N1170	Sedan N1310
Maximum capacity	10 adults	10 adults	10 adults	12 adults
Capacity recommended	4 adults / 4 children	4 adults / 4 children	4 adults / 4 children	6 adults / 4 children
Length / Width	11,50 x 3,70 m	11,50 x 3,70 m	11,50 x 3,70 m	13 x 3,70 m
ROOM LAYOUT				
Cabins	4 + saloon	4 + saloon	4 + saloon	5 + saloon
Double-beds (140 x 190 cm)	4 + 1 saloon	3 + 1 saloon	4 + 1 saloon	5 + 1 saloon
Single-bed (70 x 190 cm)	-	2	-	-
Bathroom / toilets	2	2	2	2
Saloon	10 m ²	10 m ²	10 m²	10 m ²
KITCHEN EQUIPMENT				
220 L fridge (freezer)	•	•	•	•
3 ring-hob	•	•	•	•
Oven	•	•	•	•
OTHER INTERIOR EQUIPMENT				
Heating	•	•	•	•
Radio, CD, MP3	•	•	•	•
Electrical connector 220 V on board	-	● (N1160N only))	-	-
OTHER EXTERIOR EQUIPMENT				
Garden furniture	•	•	•	•
Sun awning sliding	•	•	•	•
Bathing ladder	•	•	•	•
Water tank capacity	•	•	•	•
Fuel tank capacity	750 L	750 L	750 L	900 L
Double steering position	300 L	300 L	300 L	300 L

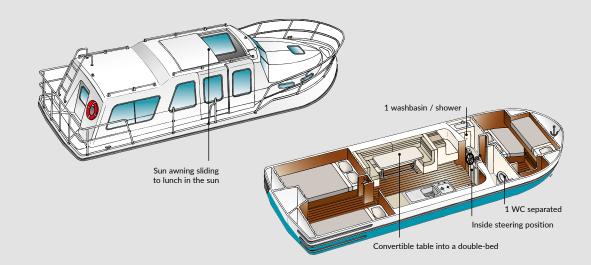
RIVIERA RANGE







- Charming traditional barges
- Easy handling
- Ideal for a first cruise
- 4-8 people









RIVIERA 920

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Comfort and equipment

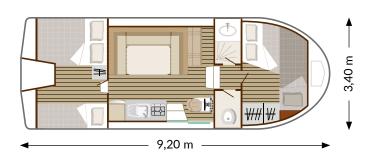


RIVIERA 920



Recomended for 5 adults and 1 child

- 2 cabins + convertible living room
- 1 shower / 1 toilets



	Riviera 920
Maximum capacity	8 adults
Capacity recommended	5 adults / 1 child
Length / Width	9,20 x 3,40 m
ROOM LAYOUT	
Cabins	2 + saloon
Double-beds (140 x 190 cm)	2 + 1 saloon
Single-bed (70 x 190 cm)	2
Bathroom / toilets	1/1
Saloon	8 m²
KITCHEN EQUIPMENT	
100 L fridge - 2 ring-hob - Oven	•
OTHER INTERIOR EQUIPMENT	
Heating	•
Radio, CD, MP3	•
OTHER EXTERIOR EQUIPMENT	
Bathing ladder	•
Water tank capacity	380 L
Fuel tank capacity	180 L

THE NICOLS® STORY



Nicols® began boat construction back in 1986 as part of a wider French industrial group that specialised in the transformation of plastic materials.

In 1990 the first Nicols® base opened in Dole in Franche-Comté. The following year a reservation centre opened to take rental bookings for holidaymakers.

Over 35 years later and Nicols® continue to manage the complete process: boat construction, boat hire and the managing of the bases. Over the years, different generations of boats have been created:

the Marinas, then Riviera, then the easily recognisable 'sea-yacht' shape and renowned terrace of the Sedans, the Confort range that is loved so much by couples and finally the newest Estivale and Fly ranges.

In total there are **five ranges**, **28 boat models and nearly 650 craft** that have been produced from the Nicols® boatyard.

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A spacious living area, a fitted kitchen, cabins and bathrooms, a terrace...your Nicols® boat is as comfortable as a floating home! Such is the case for some of our clients who have enjoyed it so much, that they have chosen to buy a Nicols® river boat as their second home.

Whether new or second hand there is the possibility to have interior fittings altered or made to measure as you wish. The Nicols® boat enthusiasts are not only holidaymakers but also happy boat owners!

For more information on buying a boat - whether new, refurbished, customised or second-hand - please contact Nicols[®].









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