

INFO ABOUT DUBROVNIK

Area

The surface area of the City of Dubrovnik covers 143.35 km².

The City of Dubrovnik is part of the Dubrovnik-Neretva County.

It includes the settlements: Bosanka, Brsečine, Čajkovića, Čakovići, Donje Obuljeno, Dubravica, Dubrovnik, Gornje Obuljeno, Gromača, Kliševo, Knežica, Koločep, Komolac, Lopud, Ljubač, Mokošica, Mravinjac, Mrčevo, Nova Mokošica, Orašac, Osojnik, Petrovo selo, Pobrežje, Prijedor, Ridica, Rožat, Suđurađ, Sustjepan, Luka Šipanska, Šumet, Trsteno, and Zaton with its surrounding sea.

Coordinates

Latitude: 42° 39' 2 N, Longitude: 18° 5' 29 E

Population

According to the 2001 Population Census, the population of this region was 43,770 (23,167 women, 20,603 men).

Official language and alphabet: Croatian language and Latin alphabet.

Climate

The geographical position of this region is typically Mediterranean with mild and wet winters, and hot and humid summers (2,600 hours of sunshine on average). The average annual precipitation is 1,250 mm, air temperature is 17° C, and summer sea temperature is 21° C. There are many sunny days during the winter months. The average summer air temperature is 25° C, made pleasant by the mild 'maestral' wind – a messenger of good weather, while the 'bura' and the 'jugo' generally blow during the colder months.

Flora and fauna

Our coastline is beautiful, dotted with bays, beaches, steep cliffs and many forested islands. There is a great variety of flora, predominantly cypress, pine and olive trees, as well as vineyards, lemon and orange plantations – together with aromatic herbs and flowers, including exotic plants such as palm trees, agave and cactus, which create a special atmosphere. Nature lovers will find a true Mediterranean landscape here, while those fond of sailing will discover a wonderful sea and marinas.

Time zone:

GMT plus one hour in winter and GMT plus two in summer.

Electricity:

Voltage of city power grid – 220V, frequency 50HZ

Water:

Tap water is potable throughout Croatia.

Travel documentation:

Passport or some other internationally recognised identification document. Tourists may remain in Croatia for up to three months.

