

Celebrity XplorationSM



Upscale Catamaran in the Galapagos Islands - 8 cabins

Situated 1,000 kilometers (600 miles) off the coast of Ecuador, the Galapagos Islands are a living laboratory, offering visitors a unique interaction with nature. The islands are synonymous with survival and the diversity of species on earth.

The Celebrity Xploration is an outstanding catamaran that combines adventure with comfort. On board, the atmosphere is relaxed, intimate and friendly. Cabins are well-appointed, meals delicious, and the service reminiscent of a private yacht.

ACCOMMODATION

This stable catamaran accommodates sixteen passengers in eight stylishly decorated staterooms, equipped with private facilities, air conditioning, and ocean-view picture windows. There are four cabins on the Upper Deck, which have interconnecting doors, and four cabins on the Main Deck with private balconies.

The spacious cabins have either a queen or twin bed arrangement, and all twin beds can be converted to a king-size bed upon request. All cabins come with a private refrigerator and free internet access.

SOCIAL AREAS

In addition to an indoor dining room, and a lounge for the nightly briefings and lectures, the Celebrity Xploration features ample outdoor space, including a large sun deck with Jacuzzi, an open-air bar and an al fresco dining area, where you can take in the islands' spectacular scenery over a delicious meal.

WELL-BALANCED ITINERARIES

Exploring with a small group of like-minded fellow travellers, guests can experience our unrivalled itineraries led by a certified naturalist guide. Our 7-night itineraries are from Saturday to Saturday, and there is the option of 5-night itineraries for those who prefer a condensed version of the Galapagos journey (*Note: 5-night cruise options will only be available until our March 25, 2017 departure*).

The Española route takes in the southern region of the islands, including Floreana Island, infamous for its island intrigue, as well as Española Island, home to the waved albatross, whose courtship ritual is one of the most bizarre of the animal world.

The Genovesa itinerary includes excursions to rarely visited sites in the central region of the archipelago, such as Santiago Island, where tidal pools, beaches, forest and wildlife come together in one small land mass. Genovesa Island is a highlight of the cruise, home to an outstanding variety of birdlife.

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ISLAND EXCURSIONS

The Celebrity Xploration anchors off-shore at two visitor sites per day. Guests are ferried to landing points in a motorized dinghy. On the islands, visitors follow marked trails, walking at a leisurely pace, with the guide explaining the unusual sights. Two or three hours are spent at each site, allowing plenty of time to explore and to photograph the abundant wildlife. Afterwards, there is often an opportunity to swim, snorkel or kayak before returning to the Celebrity Xploration.

ACTIVITIES

- On island excursions, you will have a unique opportunity to interact with the natural world to a degree that is virtually impossible anywhere else on the planet, learning firsthand about the volcanic nature of the islands and their extraordinary fauna.
- Throughout the cruise, there are several opportunities to delve into the spectacular underwater world of the Galapagos Islands. There is an abundance of life just a few feet down, and your snorkel and mask provide a window into an underwater world teeming with fish, rays, sharks and turtles.

- Kayaking is always enjoyable, but never more so than in the milky aquamarine waters of the Galapagos Islands, with a close-up view of the spectacular wildlife.
- Due to the fragile nature of the islands' ecosystems, certain sites can only be visited by motorized dinghy, giving you the chance to explore wonderful mangrove estuaries, coves and caves.

BALTRA AIRPORT VIP LOUNGE

Celebrity Xploration passengers leaving the Galapagos Islands are welcome to use Baltra Airport's VIP Lounge before their flight back to the mainland.

RESPONSIBLE TRAVEL

The Celebrity Xploration operates under two equally important guidelines: to ensure the comfort and safety of our passengers at all times, and to protect the integrity of the fragile Galapagos environment.

The Celebrity Xploration is certified within the Rainforest Alliance "Smart Voyager" program.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Length: 98 ft / 30 m
Draft: 37 ft / 11 m
Gross Tonnage: 320
Cruising Speed: 12 knots
Life Jackets: In each cabin
Life Rafts: 2 (25 people per raft)

GENERAL INFORMATION

On-board payments:
The bar and boutique bill is paid at the end of the cruise in US Dollars.

We accept Visa, MasterCard or American Express. Passengers do not need to carry cash on board.

Electricity:
All cabins have 110 volt electrical outlets. 220 volt electrical outlets are available in the dining room only.

Wi-Fi:
Passengers can access the complimentary Satellite Wi-Fi network. Due to the remoteness of the islands the internet can be intermittent.

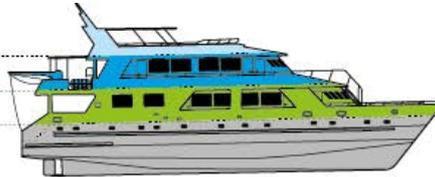
Laundry service:
We do not currently offer a laundry service on board the Celebrity Xploration.

Smoking policy:
Smoking is permitted in the alfresco dining area or on the sun deck.

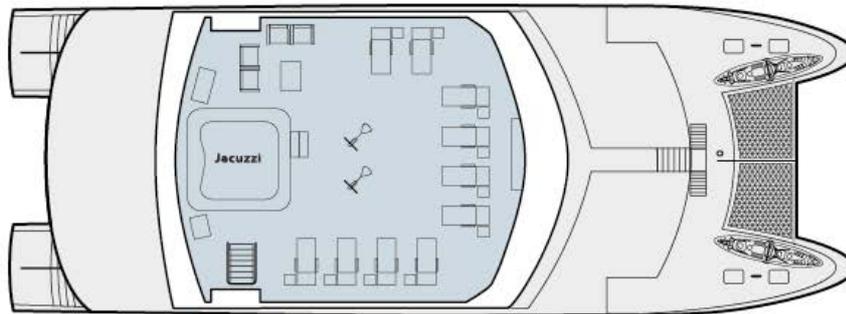
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- Staterooms Upper Deck
- Staterooms Main Deck
- Inter-connected Cabins
- Social Areas
- Restricted Areas

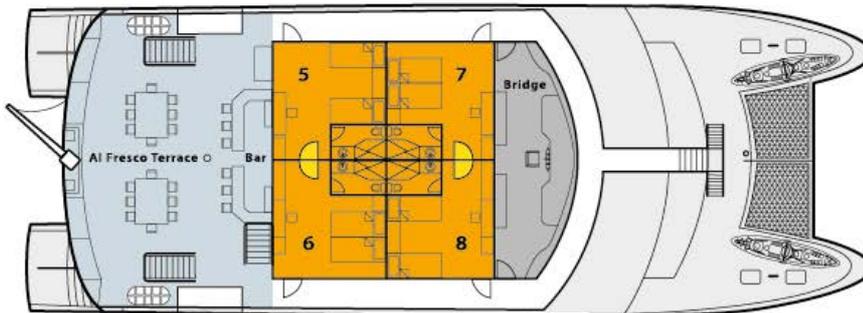
Sun Deck
Upper Deck
Main Deck



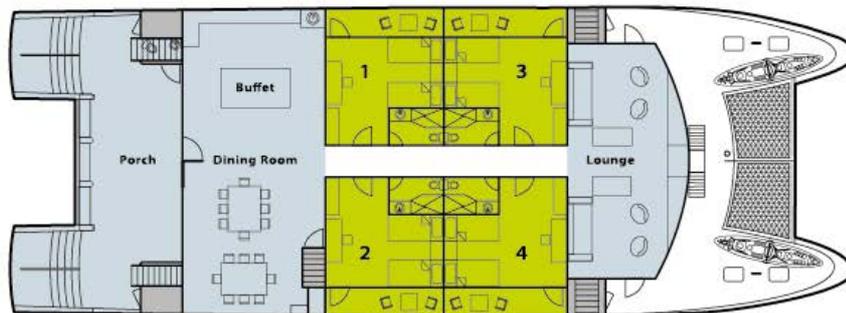
Lateral View



Sun Deck



Upper Deck



Main Deck

CABIN 1
Area: 215 sq. ft.



CABIN 7
Area: 172 sq. ft.



Cabin layout:

- 4 Staterooms on the Upper Deck
- 4 Staterooms with balcony on the Main Deck

* Cabin areas are approximate measurements.