



### TRIP CODE

**ACTSFSG** 

# **DEPARTURE**

23/10/2025, 23/10/2026

### DURATION

19 Days

# LOCATIONS

Falklands, South Georgia



# <u>INTRODUCTION</u>

Set out on an incredible voyage from Buenos Aires to the isolated and alluring regions of South Georgia and the Falkland Islands. Immerse yourself in the pristine beauty of the Falklands, where rugged coastlines meet vast open spaces, offering unparalleled opportunities for wildlife encounters with penguins, seals, and albatrosses. Proceed with your journey to South Georgia Island's wild and untamed wilderness, where glaciers cascade into the ocean and towering mountains pierce the sky. Amidst some of the world's greatest populations of seals and penguins, as well as millions of seabirds, discover the history of whaling stations and trace the footsteps of explorers such as Ernest Shackleton.

# **ITINERARY**

DAY 1: Arrive in Ushuaia

Welcome to Ushuaia, the world's southernmost city and starting point of our Antarctic expedition! Upon your arrival at the airport, you will be greeted by our staff and transferred to a quality hotel, which has been arranged by us and is included in the price of the itinerary. For the rest of the day, you are free to explore this vibrant port city and adventure hub. For an introduction to local history and wildlife, the interesting Museo del Fin del Mundo is worth a visit. If you have time to spare, a variety of nature activities can be arranged to suit all interests and fitness levels, from hiking in nearby Tierra del Fuego National Park to wildlife viewing in the Beagle Channel. For dinner, Ushuaia offers a wide range of restaurants featuring Patagonian lamb and delectable Fuegian seafood.





# DAY 2: Embarkation in Ushuaia

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel and get ready for an exciting day. Today, we set sail on our beautiful Sea Spirit towards the Subantarctic islands.



# DAY 3: At Sea

As we sail towards the subantarctic islands, make the most of your time! Attend our captivating presentations from experts, familiarize yourself with our Sea Spirit, and get ready for our arrival at a wildlife paradise.



# DAY 4: Falkland Islands - Day 4 & 5

The remote and sparsely-populated Falkland Islands are a birders' paradise. The Falklands are also a great place to observe marine mammals. The waters around the archipelago are home to cetaceans such as Peale's dolphins and Commerson's dolphins. Our exact route and exploration opportunities are dependent on weather among these isolated and windswept islands. We also intend to visit the port of Stanley, the charmingly British capital of the Falkland Islands. Attractions within pleasant walking distance along the waterfront promenade include the Falkland Islands Museum, the governor's house, a cathedral with impressive whalebone arch outside, a war memorial, quality gift shops, pubs, and views of shipwrecks in the harbor.



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DAY 6: Southern Ocean - Day 6 & 7

From the Falkland Islands we head east toward South Georgia, passing the remote, seabirdcovered pinnacles known as Shag Rocks on the way. We also cross the Antarctic Convergence, the biological boundary of the Southern Ocean. Briefings, bio-security procedures, and lectures from our staff prepare you for our arrival in South Georgia.



# DAY 8: South Georgia - Day 8 to 14

This is expedition cruising at its most authentic. Our route and exploration opportunities in South Georgia are heavily dependent on the weather conditions we encounter. Our experienced captain and expedition leader decide the itinerary and continually adjust plans as conditions and opportunities warrant. You can be sure that the best possible advantage will be taken of the circumstances presented to us by nature in this wild and remote corner of the world. We take every safe opportunity to go ashore in this amazing place. South Georgia is a scenic wilderness and an unrivaled paradise for subantarctic wildlife viewing. The islands are said to host upwards of 100 million seabirds, including numerous species of albatross, penguins, prions, petrels and terns. On beaches such as those at Salisbury Plain and St. Andrews Bay, over 100,000 elephant seals and three million fur seals jostle for space among innumerable penguins including stately king penguins and sprightly macaroni penguins. The recently completed rat eradication program is sure to make this wilderness even more pristine and rich with birdlife. The bountiful waters surrounding South Georgia are also inhabited by an increasing number of whales. The historical whaling station of Grytviken is now home to the excellent South Georgia Museum managed by the South Georgia Heritage Trust. Grytviken is also the final resting place of Ernest Shackleton, the legendary polar explorer. Our days in South Georgia are filled with memorable excursions, sumptuous meals, presentations by our experts, and enough incredible scenery and wildlife to fill your camera and overwhelm your emotions.



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DAY 15: Falkland Islands - Day 15 & 16

It is time to head back toward the Falkland Islands. However, our adventures are not over vet. We will share our impressions, review all the great photos we've taken and enjoy a friendly atmosphere of like-minded fellow travellers.



# DAY 17: Falkland Islands

In this remote and stunningly beautiful wilderness, seabirds and marine mammals are counted in the millions. The waters around the archipelago are home to cetaceans such as Peale's dolphins and Commerson's dolphins. In this rugged yet accessible environment, superb wildlife viewing is best complemented by active adventure. Our knowledgeable guides will offer hiking and hill climbing for an even greater perspective of this raw polar wilderness. This is expedition cruising at its most authentic. Our precise route and exploration opportunities will be shaped by weather. Our experienced captain and expedition leader will continually adjust plans to take maximum advantage of the conditions in this challenging polar environment.



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# DAY 19: Disembarkation in Ushuaia, Argentina

After breakfast we say farewell in the city of Ushuaia. We provide a group transfer to the airport or to the town center if you wish to spend more time here. As you look back on your wonderful experience, you may already be looking forward to your next incredible polar adventure! \*Important - Please be sure not to book flights out of Ushuaia before 12PM (Noon) on the day of disembarkation from your cruise ship.



# **INCLUSIONS & DETAILS**

Accommodation

Hotel & Cabin On board a Ship



# **INCLUSIONS**

 $1 \ \mathrm{pre\text{-}voyage}$  hotel night on Day  $1 \ \mathrm{in}$  Ushuaia including breakfast

Group transfer from the airport to the hotel on the day prior to embarkation

Group transfer to the ship for embarkation on Day 2 Cabin on board the Sea Spirit

IAATO fees and governmental taxes.

All meals on board throughout the voyage

Tea and coffee station 24 hours daily (\*From 2026/27 Antarctic season onward an all-inclusive beverage package that features soft drinks, house wine and beer, and house spirits available in the bar and restaurant). All scheduled landings/excursions (subject to weather and ice conditions)

Leadership throughout the voyage by our experienced Expedition Leader & Expedition Team

Branded Poseidon Expeditions parka (to keep)

Rubber boots for shore landings for the time of the cruise

Welcome and Farewell cocktails

All port fees

Group transfer to airport or central location right after disembarkation

Pre-departure materials

Digital Voyage Log

Wi-Fi on board

# **EXCLUSIONS**

International or internal flights unless specified Transfers from the airport to the hotel if arriving prior to Day 1 of the program  $\,$ 

Airport transfers, taxes and excess baggage charges unless specified

Visa, passport and reciprocity fees (if applicable)
Travel Insurance - Mandatory Emergency Evacuation
Insurance to a minimum benefit of US\$ 200,000 per
person

Personal expenses such as laundry

Gratuities for the crew (recommend US\$15 per person per day)

Optional Activities such as kayaking and camping Fuel surcharge may be applied for all bookings Pre or post cruise travel expenses

Any meals not mentioned

Soft drinks and alcoholic beverages other than those for special events and celebrations (\*From 2026/27 Antarctic season onward an all-inclusive beverage package that features soft drinks, house wine and beer, and house spirits available in the bar and restaurant).

**Difficulty Rating** 

2 (light adventure)

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Single Surcharge	Available upon request, contact us for more details. Sharing is available in Triple, Main Deck, Classic, and Superior Suites. If you prefer a cabin for yourself, the following categories are available with the single supplement at: x1.7 for Main Deck, Classic, and Superior Suites x2 for Deluxe, Premium, and Owner's Suite
Notes	Prices are based on per person, and may be based off triple/or twin share cabins* (please contact us for more details).  Prices are correct at time of publishing but are subject to change at any time.  Itinerary is subject to change depending on weather and ice conditions.
Price Dependent upon	Departure date, fuel surcharges, cabin category, currency fluctuations, seasonality and availability.

# SUSTAINABILITY

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