

PRINCESS® Panama Canal 2026-2027

Known as the “world’s greatest shortcut,” the Panama Canal is best experienced on a cruise. So when you’re ready to discover history’s modern engineering masterpiece, you’ll want to do it with Princess, the #1 Panama Canal cruise line. You’ll not only feel the thrill of transiting the massive locks, you’ll also enjoy immersive onboard experiences that enhance each moment. You can even choose from unique itineraries, like our Ocean-to-Ocean voyage, which navigates three sets of locks. Prefer a roundtrip? Enjoy a perfect blend of Canal transit, Caribbean beach bliss and Central America exploration. It’s an adventure like no other!



<p>2 ways to see the Panama Canal Roundtrip from Ft. Lauderdale or Ocean-to-Ocean</p>	<p>26 transits through the new locks</p>	<p>13 transits through the historic locks</p>	<p>23 DESTINATIONS</p>	<p>31 departures 9 itineraries</p>	<p>10 countries</p>	<p>5 departure ports Ft. Lauderdale, Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco and Vancouver, B.C.</p> <p>6 UNESCO World Heritage Sites</p>	<p>6 Ships Caribbean Princess®, Coral Princess®, Crown Princess®, Island Princess®, Ruby Princess®, NEW Star Princess®</p>
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¹Cruise Critic, Cruisers' Choice Awards, Top-Rated Panama Canal & Central America Large Ship Cruise Lines, 2019. ²Cruise International (UK), The British Cruise Awards, Best Cruise Line for Enrichment, 2015–2014.



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Best experienced by ship

Powered by gravity using the water from the world's largest man-made lake, the Panama Canal is a must-see. Watch in awe with the best view as your ship glides through the colossal locks, raising and lowering with precision. In 1967, we became the first cruise line to transit the locks. Now we elevate your journey with live expert narration from the ship's bridge. As you cross, you'll hear captivating stories of history and engineering feats for a truly immersive experience. Choose from two ways to sail: roundtrip from Ft. Lauderdale with partial transits or Ocean-to-Ocean voyages for the full experience. Plus, you can cruise on our newest ship, Star Princess®, as she takes you on this transit of one of the Seven Cruise Wonders of the Modern World!

See cities, celebrate colorful cultures

Step into the vibrant tapestry of history as you explore Spanish and Dutch cities steeped in the Age of Exploration. Discover Panama City's delightful shops, framed by stunning city views. Wander through San Juan del Sur, a colonial town of Granada, and witness its ornate Spanish churches and charming colonial homes. Don't miss top UNESCO World Heritage Sites, including Cartagena's walled city, the Archaeological Site and Historic District of Panamá (from Puerto Amador), and Antigua Guatemala (from Puerto Quetzal).

Nature's wonders await

Immerse yourself in the verdant rainforests of Costa Rica, home to incredible ecological wonders and, of course, adorable tree-dwelling sloths at the nearby sanctuary. Soar over this lush landscape in an open aerial tram, or dive into adventure and explore the Antilla shipwreck, one of the largest shipwrecks in the Caribbean, off Aruba's coast. Don't miss the thrilling Masaya Volcano National Park during your San Juan del Sur excursion. And when you just want to relax, you'll love unwinding on the stunning white-sand beaches.

Panama Canal with Princess: The best way to see the world's greatest shortcut



The exclusive MedallionClass® experience

Enjoy an effortless, personalized vacation that everyone will love. Have food, drinks and more find you wherever you are. And easily connect with family and friends anywhere on the ship.