

# Poland from South to North, with an Extension to Masuria and the Wolf's Lair

Warsaw, Krakow, Wroclaw, Poznan, Torun and Gdansk, with an optional Masuria extension

TAILOR-MADE JOURNEYS

| LENGTH | CITIES | WHEN | PER PERSON |
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| 10 days, 9 nights | 11 cities | Jan 2, 2027 and Feb 6, 2027 | R$ 14,107 |

## About the trip

Ten days in Poland, from Warsaw to Krakow, Wroclaw, Poznan, Torun and Gdansk, with a tour leader and local guides in the main cities. The extension includes a boat ride on the Masurian lakes and a visit to the Wolf's Lair.

## What you will experience

- Warsaw with the Łazienki Gardens, the Royal Route and a piano recital of works by Chopin
- Guided visit to Auschwitz-Birkenau, on the way to Kraków
- Old Town of Kraków, Wawel Hill and St. Mary's Basilica with the Veit Stoss altar
- Wroclaw and Ostrow Tumski, Poznan and Torun, Copernicus's hometown
- Malbork Teutonic Castle and a boat ride around the port of Gdansk
- Wolf's Lair in Gierloz and a boat ride on the Masurian lakes

## Day by day

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DAY 1

### WARSAW

Arrival in Warsaw. Transfer to the hotel (unassisted). Overnight stay.

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DAY 2

### WARSAW

Breakfast. City visit. We start with the Palace of Culture and Science, the tallest building in the city, built in the socialist realist (Stalinist) architectural style. We visit the Royal Łazienki Gardens, the most important and distinguished park in the Polish capital, with the monument to Frédéric Chopin. We will see the sites of martyrdom during the German Nazi occupation, the area of the former Ghetto, the Heroes Monument and the Umschlagplatz, the deportation site of the Jews. We continue with the Royal Route, the University, the Presidential Palace, the Royal Castle, Sigismund's Column, the market square, the walls of the Barbican, Marie Curie's house and the Warsaw Uprising Monument. Free time. In the afternoon, a piano recital in Warsaw. Dinner and overnight stay.

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DAY 3

### WARSAW / CZESTOCHOWA / AUSCHWITZ-BIRKENAU / KRAKOW (280 KM)

Breakfast. Departure for Czestochowa, with a short stop to see the image of the Black Madonna (no guided visit). Continuation to Oswiecim, to visit Auschwitz-Birkenau, with a guided visit to the museum of the former German Nazi concentration camp, a UNESCO site and a place of martyrdom for humanity. Continuation to Krakow. Dinner at a folk restaurant. Overnight stay.

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DAY 4

## KRAKOW

Breakfast. City visit: the Old Town, a UNESCO site. We climb Wawel Hill, where we will see Wawel Castle (courtyard) and the Cathedral (exterior). Walk through the Old Town and along Kanonicza and Grodzka streets, with a short stop at the Collegium Maius (courtyard), St. Florian's Gate, the Sukiennice (Cloth Hall) and a visit to St. Mary's Basilica, with its majestic Veit Stoss altarpiece. Time to listen to the trumpeter. Lunch. Free afternoon, with optional excursions available, such as the Wieliczka salt mines, a UNESCO site dug in the second half of the 13th century, and a walk through the Jewish quarter of Kazimierz. Or visit the exhibition with Da Vinci's painting "Lady with an Ermine", or Schindler's factory. Overnight stay.

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DAY 5

## KRAKOW / WROCLAW (260 KM)

Breakfast and departure for Wroclaw. Lunch. City visit: University (exterior), Main Square, the Gnomes' house and Hansel and Gretel's house, Town Hall, Flower Square. We continue the walk over the bridges across the canals of the Oder River to Ostrow Tumski island and visit the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist. Rest of the time free. As an option, you can take a boat ride under the bridges and along the canals of the Oder River. Overnight stay.

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DAY 6

## WROCLAW / POZNAN / TORUN (320 KM)

Breakfast and departure for Poznan. Panoramic city tour. We will see the goats of the Town Hall, the Old Town, the old Market Square, the Museum of Decorative Arts, the fountains of Mars and Apollo, Fara Church (interior), Liberty Square and the castle (exterior). Continuation to Torun, a UNESCO site and the birthplace of the astronomer Copernicus. Arrival and guided visit of the city, a pearl of Gothic architecture in Poland. We will see the house where the Polish astronomer Nicolaus Copernicus was born, the Town Hall, the Vistula riverbank, the Artus Court, the University and the City Walls. We recommend the gingerbread cookies (Copernicus Pierniki). Dinner and overnight stay.

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DAY 7

## TORUN / MALBORK / SOPOT / GDANSK (280 KM)

Breakfast and free morning. Journey to the Tri-City. Stop in Malbork. Visit to the Teutonic Castle of Malbork, the invincible capital of the knights of the Teutonic Order. Today it is a museum. The knights were the last order to take part in the crusades. They were invited to Polish lands in 1226 by the Polish duke Konrad of Masovia to Christianize the barbarian peoples of Inflanty, Pomerania and Masuria. They built a group of castle-fortresses in northeastern Poland. The largest is Malbork, which was the capital until the 16th century. A castle that was never conquered. Visit to the High Castle, the Middle Castle and the Amber Museum in Malbork. Lunch. Journey to the Baltic Sea, to Gdansk. On the way, we stop in Sopot, where we walk along the Baltic Sea beach and Monte Cassino Street. Time to rest and to visit on your own the longest wooden pier in Europe. Arrival in Gdansk. Overnight stay.

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DAY 8

### GDANSK

Breakfast and panoramic city tour: Mariacka Street, Barbican, Golden Gate, Green Gate, Town Hall, Neptune's Fountain, entry into the Gothic St. Mary's Church, the largest brick church in Europe, a walk along Mariacka Street, called Amber Street. We will see the old Medieval Crane from the outside and walk along the promenade on the bank of the Motlawa River. Boat ride around the port of Gdansk, with a panoramic view of the famous Gdansk shipyard and the Westerplatte peninsula to the bay on the Baltic Sea (45 min). Free time. Lunch. As an option, you can attend an organ concert at Oliwa Cathedral, visit the communist districts, the shipyards, Lech Walesa's house and the Museum of the Second World War. Optionally, you can return to Warsaw by Pendolino train (high speed) in 2nd class, approximately 3 hours, unassisted. Overnight stay.

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DAY 9

### GDANSK / GIZYCKO / MASURIA / WARSAW (330 KM)

After breakfast, journey to the region of a thousand lakes, called Masuria (until 1945, East Prussia). On the way to Masuria, we stop in Gierloz to visit Hitler's headquarters, a complex of 80 bunkers built in 1941 by the Nazis on swamps. They were part of a complex of military bases that served as headquarters of the German army during the Second World War. The Wolfsschanze was protected and camouflaged in several ways, with more than 54,000 mines of different types. Here, in 1944, the assassination attempt on Hitler (Operation Valkyrie) took place, organized by Claus Schenk von Stauffenberg with the support of part of the Nazi general staff, as shown in the film Valkyrie. Continuation to Gizycko, called the capital of sailors. Boat ride (1 hour) on lakes Negocin and Tajty, also crossing the canals. Lunch at a regional restaurant. Return to Warsaw. Arrival and overnight stay.

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DAY 10

### WARSAW

Breakfast. Transfer to the airport (unassisted). End of services.

## Prices

PER PERSON

**R$ 14,107**

US$ 2,395 · market reference

per person, sharing a double room

#### Single room

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| Single room | R$ 4,918 | US$ 835 |

#### Optional extras

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| Full board | R$ 3,534 | US$ 600 |

**Payment options**

Paid in full by Pix or bank transfer: R$ 13,401 (5% off the trip price)

Down payment of 30% R$ 4,232

9 interest-free installments of R$ 1,097

Prices in reais at today's exchange rate, travel exchange rate based on the Travelex average for October 2026 (Central Bank of Brazil), over the PTAX selling rate of 11/27/2026.

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- *** MINIMUM 2 PEOPLE: FOR A SOLO TRAVELER, PRICES ON REQUEST ***
- If the group has fewer than 16 passengers, the tour may run with a driver/guide in a minibus (up to 16) or a minivan (up to 8). The order of the visits may change depending on ticket availability and opening hours. If the boat rides do not operate because of weather, a museum visit will be offered as an alternative. It is possible to start on a Sunday and, in that case, the visit to Warsaw will take place on the second-to-last day, on the return to Warsaw.

## The program includes

- ✓ Arrival and departure transfers in Warsaw, unassisted
- ✓ Air-conditioned coach, with a tour leader
- ✓ Pendolino train Gdansk-Warsaw, if chosen (2nd class, approximately 3 hours, unassisted)
- ✓ Departure and arrival transfers at the train station, unassisted
- ✓ Visits with a local guide in Warsaw, Krakow, Auschwitz-Birkenau, Wroclaw, Gdansk, Torun and Poznan
- ✓ Accommodation and buffet breakfast
- ✓ 4 lunches and 3 dinners (+1 lunch on the Masuria extension)
- ✓ Local taxes
- ✓ Travel insurance
- ✓ Admission fees, as per the program: headsets at Auschwitz-Birkenau, St. Mary's Basilica in Krakow, Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Wroclaw, Fara Church in Poznan, Malbork Castle and the Amber Museum in Malbork, St. Mary's Church in Gdansk, boat ride in Gdansk
- ✓ Piano recital with compositions by Frédéric Chopin
- ✓ Audio system with headsets
- ✓ Masuria extension: boat ride on the lakes and canals and visit to the Wolf's Lair

## Not included

- – International airfare
- – Tips for guides and drivers
- – Meals and drinks not mentioned in the itinerary
- – Visas and entry fees
- – Personal expenses

# Planned hotels

| CITY | HOTEL |
|---|---|
| Warsaw | Hotel Polonia Palace<br>Al. Jerozolimskie 45, Sródmiescie, 00-69 |
| Poznan | Novotel Centrum<br>Plac Andersa 1 |
| Warsaw | Hotel Radisson Blu Sobieski<br>plac Zawiszy |
| Krakow | NOVOTEL KRAKOW CITY WEST w KRAKOWIE<br>Armii Krajowej 11, 30-150 Kraków |
| Wroclaw | Hotel Jana Pawla II<br>Swietego Idziego 2 |
| Wroclaw | Hotel Wyndham Wroclaw<br>Swittego Mikotaja 67 |
| Torun | Hotel Filmar<br>Grudziadzka 45 |
| Gdansk | Hotel Qubus<br>Chmielna 47 |
| Gdansk | Hotel Admiral<br>Tobiasza 9 |
| Gdansk | Hotel Sadova<br>??kowa 60 |

Planned hotels or similar, in the same category.

# Documents and notes

**Travel documents required:**

**Poland:** Brazilians do not need a visa for stays of up to 90 days in any 180-day period. Passport issued within the last 10 years and valid for at least 3 months after the departure date from the Schengen area. The European Union will start requiring ETIAS, a prior electronic travel authorization; confirm with your TWTS consultant whether it applies on your travel date.

Please confirm the visa and vaccination requirements with your TWTS consultant at the time of booking.

Passengers of other nationalities must check with the destination's consulate.

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