



14 NIGHTS EGYPT RIVER CRUISE - FROM CAIRO TO ASWAN

This comprehensive 15-day cruise itinerary offers an extensive exploration of Egypt's rich history and cultural heritage, starting from Cairo and culminating in Aswan. Passengers aboard will experience a blend of historical tours and cultural engagements, including visits to the iconic Pyramids & Sphinx, the ancient cities of Memphis and Sakkara, and the diverse temples along the Nile such as Edfu, Kom Ombo, and the enchanting Philae. The journey is punctuated with unique experiences like Egyptian wine tasting, folkloric shows, a Galabeya party, and insightful cookery lessons, alongside leisurely sailing days that allow for relaxation and contemplation of the scenic vistas. Enriched with a variety of dining experiences, from international buffets to themed dinners, and complemented by educational stops at key archaeological sites, this cruise promises a deep dive into the heart of Egypt's monumental legacy, ensuring passengers leave with a wealth of knowledge and memories.



ITINERARY

Day 1 Cairo

Embarkation on cruise in Cairo.

Dinner on board. (light dinner)

Music in the bar.

Overnight in Cairo.



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Day 2 Cairo

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| 06:00 Breakfast on board. | 12:30 Visit Coptic Cairo including the Hanging Church, Coptic museum and Jewish synagogue. |
| 07:00 Visit Pyramids & Sphinx | 19:00 Managers Cocktail Party |
| 11:30 Lunch on board (International Buffet) | 19:30 Dinner on board (Set Menu) |
| 12:30 Visit to the Egyptian Museum | Music in the bar |
| 15:30 Fire Drill | Overnight in Cairo |
| 16:30 Tea time | |
| 19:30 Dinner on board (international Buffet) | |
| 21:00 Takht (Oriental Music) | |
| Overnight in Cairo. | |

Day 3 Cairo

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| 06:00 Breakfast on Board | 07:00 Breakfast on board |
| 07:00 Visit Memphis & Sakkara | 08:00 Full day sailing to Beni Suef. |
| 11:30 Lunch on board (International Buffet) | 13:00 Lunch on board (International Buffet) |
| | 16:30 Tea Time |
| | 19:30 Egyptian Wine Tasting on Board. |
| | 20:00 Dinner on board (B.B.Q) |



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Music in the bar

12:30 Lunch on board (International light buffet)

Overnight in Beni Suef.

13:30 Visit Beni Hassan tombs to visit Tomb of Baqet III (BH15) Tomb of Khety (BH17), Tomb of Amenemhet (BH2), Tomb of Khnumhotep II (BH3) (one-hour drive from Minya dock & Approx. 2-hour visit).

Day 5 Minya

16:00 Back to the boat.

05:00 Sail to Minya

16:30 Tea time

07:00 Breakfast on board

19:30 Dinner on board (Set Menu)

12:30 Lunch on board (Set Menu - Egyptian Tablya)

21:00 Folkloric Show.

16:30 Tea Time

Overnight Minya.

19:30 Dinner on board (Italian Buffet)

Day 7 Assyut

Music in the bar

Overnight Minya

Day 6 Minya

05:00 Sail to Tel El Amarna, the home of the 'Amarnian experience

07:00 Breakfast on board.

05:00 Breakfast on board

10:00 Visit northern tombs of Tel El Amarna, the Royal Tomb of Akhenaten, The northern Palace, The Small temples of Aten.

06:00 Visit Tuna El Gebel & Ashmunein

13:00 Lunch on board (international Buffet) during Sail to



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Assyut

Day 9 Naga Hammadi

13:30 Stop in front of Prince Tawdrous Monastery to view the monastery from the boat (guide will of course provide some explanation on the importance of the monastery)

03:30 Sail to El Balyana

16:30 Tea Time

07:00 Breakfast on board

19:30 Dinner on board (Oriental Buffet)

09:30 Visit Abydos temple, the holy city of Osiris God of the Dead and the new kingdom temple of Seti I

21:00 Galabeya Party

11:30 Back to the boat and sail to Naga Hammadi via Naga Hammadi Bridges

Overnight Assyut

13:00 Lunch on board (Set Menu - Moroccan)

Day 8 Sohag

16:30 Tea Time

05:00 Sail to Sohag (8 hours).

19:30 Dinner on board (B.B.Q)

07:00 Breakfast on board

21:00 Quiz Night

13:00 Lunch on board. (Set Menu - Egyptian Tablya)

Arrive & Overnight in Naga Hammadi

16:30 Tea Time

Day 10 Luxor

19:30 Dinner on board (International Buffet)

Music in Bar

05:00 Sail to Qena

Overnight in Sohag.

07:30 Breakfast on board



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10:00 Visit Dandarah temple which is a 20 minute' drive.

Overnight in Luxor.

13:00 Return to boat and sail to Luxor.

Day 12 Edfu

13:30 Lunch on board (Sea Food Buffet)

16:00 Cookery Lesson on Board

06:30 Breakfast on board

16:30 Tea Time

07:30 Visit East Bank (Karnak & Luxor Temples).

19:30 Dinner on Board (Italian Buffet)

13:00 Lunch on board (international Buffet)

21:00 Belly Dancer Show

Disembarkation after Lunch for Cairo / Luxor clients.

Overnight in Luxor.

Sail to Edfu

Day 11 Luxor

19:30 Dinner on board (international Buffet)

06:00 Breakfast on board

Music in the bar

Overnight Edfu

07:00 Visit West Bank (Valley of kings + Hatshepsut Temple).

Day 13 Aswan

12:30 Lunch on board (international Buffet)

19:30 Dinner on board (international Buffet)

06:00 Breakfast on board

Music in the bar

07:00 Visit Edfu temple.



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09:30 Sail to Kom Ombo

Overnight in Aswan.

13:00 Lunch Buffet (International Buffet)

Day 15 Aswan

15:30 Visit Kom ombo Temple

17:00 Tea time during sail to Aswan

07:00 Breakfast on board

19:30 Dinner on board (Oriental Buffet)

13:00 Lunch on board (international Buffet)

Music in the bar

Disembarkation

Overnight Aswan

Please note:

Day 14 Aswan

Itineraries are subject to change.

07:00 Breakfast on board

08:00 Visit High Dam & Philae temple.

13:00 Lunch on Board (International buffet)

14:00 Visit Nubian Museum.

19:30 Dinner on board (Set Menu)

21:00 Nubian Show.



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YOUR SHIP: DARAKUM

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VESSEL TYPE:	River Cruise
LENGTH:	72 meters
PASSENGER CAPACITY:	104
BUILT/REFURBISHED:	

The Movenpick MS Darakum is one of the largest vessels cruising the river Nile between Luxor and Aswan. Its Moroccan inspired design makes it stand out and it offers an unforgettable journey while cruising through 7,000 years of history. A variety of recreational activities are available including a swimming pool, sun deck with a recreational area, themed parties and a gym. RESTAURANTS & BARS - THE PLACE TO SAVOUR LIFE We believe in indulgence done right, treating our guests to deliciously fresh cuisine, abundant treats and flavours that are unmistakably Movenpick, all served with a generous portion of heartfelt care. Main Restaurant This restaurant serves international and local buffets for breakfast, lunch and dinner. Lounge Bar The Lounge Bar is the ideal venue for afternoon tea, cocktails and evening entertainment. It is designed to render a unique Arabian flair while enjoying cocktail receptions and Galabeya parties. Sun Deck The elegantly appointed Sun Deck offers a variety of beverages and snacks while relaxing and enjoying the stunning views of the river Nile.



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13-Sep-2025 to 27-Sep-2025

Panorama Suite	£26759 GBP pp
Senior Suite	£21410 GBP pp
Deluxe cabin	£16061 GBP pp
Standard cabin	£5350 GBP pp

09-Oct-2025 to 23-Oct-2025

Senior Suite	£22298 GBP pp
Standard cabin	£5578 GBP pp
Panorama Suite	£27875 GBP pp
Deluxe cabin	£16712 GBP pp

04-Nov-2025 to 18-Nov-2025

Panorama Suite	£31786 GBP pp
Senior Suite	£25429 GBP pp
Deluxe cabin	£19072 GBP pp
Standard cabin	£6358 GBP pp



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