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## Porto-Vecchio to Porto-Vecchio 7 Day Sample Itinerary

Corsica is a French island plunged in the waters of the West Mediterranean, whose culture is just as fascinating as it is surprising and distinct. With 100 miles separating it from continental France, the island is much closer to Italy. Corsica's imposing granite mountains are a remarkable backdrop for yachtsmen crossing this European basin. The destination has it all for a perfect charter vacation: sun-kissed beaches, great sailing and diving options, stupendous vistas, villages steeped in history, a fabulous local cuisine and friendly residents. The island's southern coast is each sailor's dream with its proximity to Sardinia and many scattered islets and coves.

Sardinia's northern coast is home to the La Maddalena Archipelago that many amateurs consider as Italy's best cruising ground. Boasting premium pink-sand beaches, sparkling bays, secure inlets and mythical gorges, the region is beautiful, alluring and of great naturalistic, historical and cultural value. Porto Cervo on the island's northeastern coast is a favorite among jetsetters who choose this ultimate summer port of call for all the right reasons.



### Day 1

Porto-Vecchio / Lavezzi Islands

Board your luxury yacht in the quaint Corsican town of Porto Vecchio lining the island's most picturesque coastline. Established in the 16th century by the Genoese, the town features a compact yet elegant fortified old town and awe-inspiring views, spreading over the scintillating waters and the surrounding valley and mountains. Climb to the Porte Genoise gate and explore the city's rich history or enjoy a relaxing swim before sailing over to the Lavezzi Islands.

Located to the south just off the coast of Bonifacio, the uninhabited Lavezzi Islands are a UNESCO World Heritage Site dotted with beautiful shell-sand beaches and perfect azure waters. The archipelago is accessible solely by yacht and thus a wonderful option for a charter vacation. Swim, sunbathe and snorkel before onboard dinner is served in a secluded cove.



### Day 2

Lavezzi Islands / Campo Moro

After a delicious breakfast served on the aft deck and a refreshing morning, dip in the warm waters of the Mediterranean, prepare to sail around Corsica's southern tip to stop in Campo Moro on the southwestern side, a panoramic view point sitting close to the port of Propriano. This quaint anchorage is at the foot of an ancient Genoese tower and is just as magnificent for water sports as it is for land adventures. Hiking, biking and touring will therefore be a bliss.

When ashore, savor delightful fresh local fruits, vegetables and authentic cheeses and shop for Corsican wines in nearby vineyards.

### Day 3

#### Campo Moro / Bonifacio

Start off your day by a light Mediterranean breakfast before sailing back south to visit Bonifacio, Corsica's most spectacular natural port quaintly nestled between two whitewashed bluffs of remarkable beauty. The fortress town is dramatic and memorable with houses sitting atop cliffs and literally hanging over the crystal-clear waters below. Breathtaking views will reward the hike up to the walled city where you will spend the afternoon strolling down paved streets and sipping coffee in local cafes. In the evening stop by La Caravelle in the marina, a piano bar converted from a fishermen's chapel.



### Day 4

#### Bonifacio / La Maddalena

Depart in the morning for the Italian archipelago of La Maddalena, Sardinia's most well-kept secret. Sparkling turquoise waters, powdery pink sands, pristine bays and steep bluffs rising from the seabed coupled with all-around vivid colors create a fairytale ambiance of a sun-kissed oasis. The entire archipelago is a well-preserved natural park with awe-inspiring vistas over the islands' towns, fragrant rolling hills and a number of immaculate islets for yachting enthusiasts. Whether you choose to visit pink beaches of Budelli or Razzoli or stroll through the scenic port town of Cala Galetta, you will not be disappointed!



### Day 5

#### La Maddalena / Porto Cervo

After an exciting day in this pristine paradise, gear up for even more excitement today as you sail over to the jet-setters' favorite hangout, Porto Cervo. Built in the 20th century, it is no surprise that Prince Karim Aga Khan chose this stretch of land for his perfect seaside resort. The captivating beauty of Porto Cervo with a lustrous bay, glorious beaches and surrounding verdant hills are a perfect backdrop for a luxurious getaway. The village features premium restaurants, cafes, boutiques and the worldwide famous Billionaire's Club for a night out.



### Day 6

#### Porto Cervo / Santa Teresa Gallura

Begin another blissful day in Sardinia with a refreshing swim and a rich morning feast before crossing over to Santa Teresa Gallura on the island's northern tip. This charming seaside resort is an ideal combination of stretching powdery beaches, white rocky bluffs, lush verdant flora, impeccable shimmering waters and a slow pace of life. The town square is lined with quaint shops as well as authentic restaurants and cafes serving Mediterranean delicacies such as rich cheeses and tempting Sardinian wines. Carpeted with a number of parks and hiking trails, the town promises impressive views and utter relaxation.

### Day 7

#### Santa Terea Gallura / Porto-Vecchio

Say goodbye to your yacht and her wonderful crew in the same port where you commenced your adventure- in Porto-Vecchio. Enjoy last-minute shopping or snack on a traditional treat before heading back home.