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Germany

Mecklenburg and Brandenburg

A natural paradise

Situated in the north east of Germany, the low-lying Prussian regions of Mecklenburg and Brandenburg are a patchwork of lakes, forests and pastures. The Müritz Lake is the largest in Germany and makes up part of the Müritz National Park. This stunning spot offers you the chance to explore an exciting variety of landscapes ranging from extensive reedbeds to pine and beech forests and juniper heaths and dunes. There are numerous hiking and cycling trails ashore and close to 150 species of bird in the area. For city lovers, cruise to Berlin and discover the magnificent historic monuments and museums. You can also visit the UNESCO world cultural heritage site of Potsdam.



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Cruising suggestions

Cruising hints

If you don't have a navigation permit, you cannot cruise around Liebenwalde or Berlin. However, there are many rivers and lakes that can be navigated without a permit, giving you an excellent choice of cruises for one or more week's cruising. You'll be spoilt for choice!

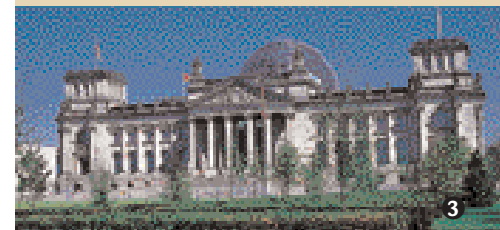
1 WEEK - ONE WAY TRIP

Marina Wolfsbruch/ Potsdam OR VICE-VERSA

This cruise is only possible for holders of the Permit S (sports boat) licence.

Explore the town of **Fürstberg**, situated on three islands. Cruise to **Himmelfort** and stroll on the moorlands or take a picnic ashore to the grounds of **Oranienburg's** historic castle. Cosmopolitan **Berlin** has many attractions waiting for you. Visit the Brandenburg Gate, stroll through Tiergarten, the city's largest park, and examine the Eastside Gallery, the longest surviving section of the Berlin wall. Ramble through the pretty river setting at **Potsdam**.

- ▶ 175 km • 16 locks
- ▶ 24 hr one way cruising time



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1 WEEK - RETURN TRIP

Marina Wolfsbruch/ Mirow/ Lychen

No licence required!

Relax or get active at **Marina Wolfsbruch**. Enjoy swimming at indoor and outdoor pools, a sauna, jacuzzi or a spot of fishing before setting off. Go ashore at **Rheinsberg** and discover the castle and music academy, which offers outdoor opera festivals in the summer. Surrounded by forests, **Lychen** offers exciting green landscapes to explore by bike.

- ▶ 200 km • 12 locks
- ▶ 30 hr round trip cruising time

Marina Wolfsbruch/ Plau

No licence required!

The unspoilt **Müritz Lake** is Germany's largest lake. Enjoy cycling through the stunning and varied countryside that surrounds it or indulge in a glass of wine on deck whilst looking out for some of the beautiful birds that live there. There are frequent guided tours of the medieval town of **Plau**, which is also home to a museum of sculpture.

- ▶ 254 km • 16 locks
- ▶ 38 hr round trip cruising time