

# SICILY

## 2022 SELL GUIDE



### ORMINA TOURS



### TAUCK



### BACKROADS



### GLOBUS

ITINERARY				
Duration	10 days	10 days	10 days	10 days
Hotel Class	5 star only <b>ALL 5 STAR HOTELS</b>	5 star only	4 star only	3 and 4 star
# 1 night stays	0 <b>NO 1 NIGHT STAYS</b>	1	3	3
Maximum size	<b>10</b> <b>SMALLEST GROUP</b>	24 (average)	18	~44 (Standard), ~26 ('Small Group')
Minimum size	2 <b>BOOKING CONFIDENCE</b>	10	4	At discretion of Globus, minimum 50%
PRICE				
Twin share pp (from)	\$6,290	\$10,125	\$5,346	\$4,239
Per day pp (from)	<b>\$629</b> <b>BEST VALUE TOUR</b>	\$1,013	\$535	\$424
INCLUSIONS				
Airport Transfers:	✓	✓	x	x
Hotels:				
Palermo	Grand Hotel et des Palmes 5* (3N)	Grand Hotel et des Palmes 5* (2N)	Grand Hotel Piazza Borsa 4* (1N)	Central Palace Hotel Federico II 4* (2N)
Selinunte			Case Di Latomie 4* (1N)	
Mazara del Vallo				Hotel Mahara 4* (1N)
Sciacca/Agrigento	Verdura Resort 5* (2N)	Verdura Resort 5* (1N)	Alba Palace Hotel 4* (1N) (9km outside Agrigento in Favara)	Grand Hotel Mosè 3* (1N) (6km outside Agrigento)
Syracuse/ Ortigia	Ortea Palace Luxury Hotel 5* (2N)	Grand Hotel Ortigia 5* (2N)	Hotel Livingston Siracusa 4* (2N)	Mercure Siracusa Prometeo 4*(1N)
Ragusa		Eremo Della Giubiliana 5* (2N) (14km outside Ragusa centre)	De Stefano Palace Luxury Hotel 4* (2N)	Poggio Del Sole Resort 4* (2N) (10km outside Ragusa centre)
Taormina	N H Taormina 5* (2N)	Grand Hotel Timeo 5* (2N)	Il Picciolo Etna Golf Resort & Spa (2N) (36km outside Taormina)	Hellenia Yachting Hotel 4* (2N) (8km outside Taormina)
Half day guided tours	6	8	8	7
Leisure time (half days)**	7	3	4	6
<b>SUMMARY</b>	Highest quality hotels, No 1N stays, smallest group sizes, smallest minimum departure, comparable sightseeing but more leisure time (better constructed) = Best value.	Price is 61% more than Ormina but with average 24 group size, comparable hotels & similar non-meal inclusions.	More economically priced per day but inferior hotels, faster paced trip with 3 x 1N stays, no overnight stay in Taormina and larger group size.	Lowest price but feature inexpensive hotels outside centres, numerous 1N stays and very big group sizes, even on 'small group' departures (avg 20-26 guests).
Also note:	Erice/Marsala can be done pre tour. Unique Mt Etna 4WD excursion included.	Corleone and Castelbuono not included.	More focus on tasting experiences.	No visit to Mt Etna. Small Group Discovery only available on select departure dates and costs from \$4,239.

\*\*Includes day of arrival, excludes departure day. Comparison prices are twin share (not single). Information based off 2022 published tours.

## ORMINA DIFFERENCE

### Point of difference:

- Best value from \$629pp twin per day
- Luxury hotels – all 5 star
- Smallest group size – 10 max
- Guaranteed departures with just 2
- No one night stays
- More leisure time & well paced

### Aeolian Island Extension:

Optional 4 day extension to the UNESCO-protected Aeolian Islands, (Vulcano, Lipari, Salina, Panarea, Stromboli, Filicudi and Alicudi) each are a little piece of paradise. Our package can be tailored and includes:

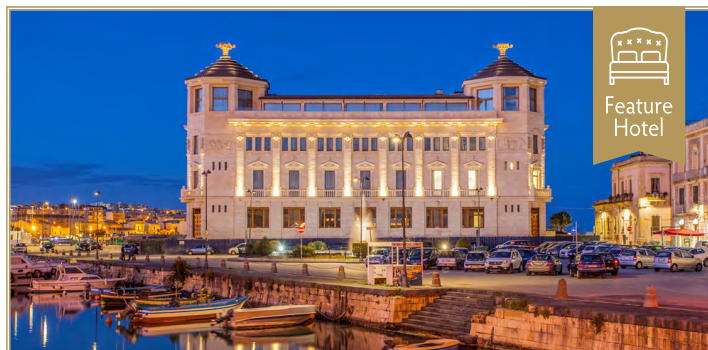
- 3 Nights in 4 or 5\* hotel
- Transfer to and from the Milazzo Port
- Island inclusions to be tailored for guests

### Regaleali Estate Extension:

Experience the true Sicily at Tasca d'Almerita family's enchanting Regaleali Estate, producers of top-rated Sicilian wine. The all inclusive package allows guests to relax in this rural oasis amongst vineyards, almond trees and olive groves. The package can be tailored and includes:

- 3 Nights at the winery Estate
- Full Board
- Dinner in the family's dining room
- Cooking Class
- Arrival and Departure Transfers

## TOUR FOCUS



### ORTEA PALACE LUXURY HOTEL SYRACUSE

STAY **2** NIGHTS

> One of Sicily's most prestigious hotels.



### PLANETA WINERY

> Enjoy a tour, lunch and wine tasting at the exclusive Planeta Estate Winery overlooking the original family vineyards.



## WHY SICILY?

### Diversity

Sicily's boasts the most diversity of any European region. Geography: beautiful beaches, mountains, volcanoes, agriculture, wineries & olive oil estates. Culture: Influenced by many conquerors over time with Greek and Roman Temples, Norman Cathedrals & Arab influences in its architecture and cuisine.

### History

Sicily has played a significant role in European history throughout the Byzantine, Norman and Arab occupations. Its strategic Mediterranean location and agricultural assets has fuelled conquering pursuits. Palermo was the centre of Europe in ~800AD and was 10 times the population of Paris & London.

### Food

Sicily's fresh produce blended with Greek, Spanish, French and Arab influences delivers distinct flavours. World attention in Sicily wine is definitely growing.



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