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LOCATION AND CLIMATE

Rogoznica is a town and a port in the Central Dalmatia, situated in a secluded bay.

With special climate characteristics it differs from the Sibenik region, to which it belongs - it has a mixture of the warmer climate from the southeast and more severe climate from the north. The average winter temperature, in January, amounts to 7°C, whereas in summer, July and August, it amounts to 25°C.

HISTORY AND SIGHTS

Rogoznica has been an interesting topic from the prehistory, through the Middle Ages, even to nowadays. It is also considered that this area used to be the Greek colony called Heraclea.

The first inhabitants settled the mainland part of Rogoznica at the end of the 14th century, and the islet, later connected with the mainland by a causeway, was inhabited when they fled from the Turks.

Mixture of cultures and civilizations through centuries resulted with numerous monuments in this area, and the Mediterranean spirit can be felt at every step.



Numerous monuments witness the island tradition and life. The most significant are the following: the church of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary from the 18th century and the church of St. Nicholas from the Middle Ages. We should also mention the Church of St. John from Trogir, built in the 14th century on the Ploce promontory and the parish church from the 17th century, as well as the French fortress above the town from the year 1809 and examples of the medieval Dalmatian architecture.

ROGOZNICA TODAY

Nowadays, Rogoznica is a typical Mediterranean tourist destination and the inhabitants are engaged in fishing, agriculture and tourism. Due to

its image of a quiet Mediterranean town, Rogoznica offers its inhabitants and visitors peace and rest in the first place.

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There is a salt lake called Dragon's eye (nearby the modern marina Frapa), with which the inhabitants associate many legends, and it is also assumed that the lake is of meteor origin, due to its extremely regular shape..



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HOW TO ARRIVE?

By plane

If arriving by plane, you can choose the Split airport, that is 28 km far away from Rogoznica. From there you can reach Rogoznica either by bus or taxi, but it is also possible to organize transfer to the marina.

By car or bus

If arriving by car, you can travel via Trieste, Rijeka, and then use the Adriatic highway toward Zadar and Sibenik, if you prefer to travel along the coast. Or you can use the highway when you reach Rijeka or the junction Zuta Lokva near the town Senj, about 60 km south of Rijeka, and continue driving toward Split.

If you are arriving from the direction of north, you can either use the old route Zagreb - Karlovac - Gracac - Knin - Sibenik - Rogoznica or the highway Zagreb - Split.

By train

There are fast trains from Zagreb to Split on a daily basis (8 hours drive) as well as business trains (5,5 hours drive). From Split, you can reach Rogoznica either by bus or taxi.

By ship

If travelling by ship, you can use some of the regular ferry lines from Rijeka or Dubrovnik toward Split, or international ferry or fast lines from Italy (Ancona, Civitanova, Giulianova, Pescara, Bari). From Split, you can reach Rogoznica either by bus or taxi.

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Distance / km	Zagreb	Rijeka	Split	Dubrovnik	Trieste	Ljubljana
Rogoznica	370	320	54	259	400	440