2 Sjajevo

Starting points: Mojkovic, Bistrica, Kolasin

Peak hikes

Hiking tours to the lake Zabljak • 4:30 h • 1,010 m in height
- Access to the lake Zabljak (1,010 m) • 1.50 h • 300 m in height and
- Access to the lake Zabljak (1,250 m) • 2.00 h • 500 m in height

Hike the highest alpine pasture of the Balkans

The Sjajevo is one of Montenegro’s largest mountain regions. It is situated between the Tara canyon, the Drinjek lakes and the lake Tivlja on one side and the settlements of Gornja Mrca and Pijana on the other side. This remarkable massif is actually a plateau, a high alpine pasture — Montenegro’s highest mountain meadows, vast as far as the horizon. Due to the height and the altitude of the plants and grasses, situated at an average altitude of 1,600 metres. However, it has its summits, looming above the ocean of grasses with their 2,000 m and more. Especially interesting for hikers, is the north-eastern part of the Sjajevo.

3 Durmitor

Circular tour of the national park • 5-6 h • 600 m in height
- Access to the National Park • 3:00 h • 300 m in height
- Access to the lake Zabljak (1,250 m) • 2.00 h • 500 m in height

Defeat the king of mountains

The Ricelka massif is the highest mountain range of the Dinars. Only the smaller part of this wildy romantic, on the other hand seemingly hostile mountain world, which extends from Montenegro east along the Albanian border as far as Serbia and the Kosovo, is located on Montenegro’s soil. Its peaks are characterised by precipitous, steep and practically impenetrable rock pinnacles. Ancient paths and adventurously mountain routes lead through the Prokletije national park, one of the least-known areas in Europe. The highest mountains in this region that can be climbed from Montenegro are the Maja Rozik and the Maja Kolasin.

National park Durmitor – an oasis of nature

The national park Durmitor with its mountain massif is part of UNESCO World Heritage. 48 out of the 50 mountains of more than 2,000 m are situated in this national park, as well as the highest mountain of the country (2,522 m), and 17 glaciers, of which the Crno jezero, the black lake, is the most famous. Challenge mountain trail, if hot alpine characteristics lead over steep, precipitous walls of rock to the summits with an overwhelming view. A special natural phenomenon is the ice cave ”Ledena Pećina”, in the upper part of the Crno jezero. The majestic characteristic lead over steep, precipitous walls of rock to the summits with an overwhelming view. A special natural phenomenon is the ice cave "Ledena Pećina", in the upper part of the Crno jezero. The majestic characteristics lead over steep, precipitous walls of rock to the summits with an overwhelming view. A special natural phenomenon is the ice cave "Ledena Pećina", in the upper part of the Crno jezero. 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Wildness Hiking Montenegro

Experience the untouched mountain world at the Mediterranean

Hiking on ancient paths and marked trails through the majestic mountain massifs with their fragrant meadows. Hidden mountain lakes, vast lonely alpine pastures and fascinating forests, snow-covered peaks, breathtaking waterfalls and cascades, uncanny ravines and wild mountain rivers of unforgettable beauty – Montenegro offers pure hikers’ delight for explorers. Local mountaineering clubs welcome you!

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And one ought to get to know the Montenegrins: in the mountains. During the varied history of the country, the inhabitants learnt to defend themselves against the various invaders – and to receive guests with genuine hospitality. Look them up in their huts scattered on the pastures and experience a visit to friends.

For individualists, Montenegro is a country of natural adventure which has become very rare in Europe: safe and free, often sparsely populated and unspoiled. You will meet few people on most trails, water is scarce in some regions and along some routes accommodations are still rare. But the choice of places to stay is steadily increasing all over the country – mountain huts, apartments, bungalows and private rooms as well as hotels of all categories.

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