

# Cultural and natural heritage of Croatia



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# Hrvatska

Located at the crossroads between East and West, Central Europe and the Mediterranean, Croatia has rich cultural and natural heritage with numerous museums, churches, cathedrals, national and nature parks.





## Katedrala sv. Jakova

- Cathedral of St. Jacob in Šibenik is the most significant architectural achievement of the 15th and 16th centuries in Croatia
- decorated with 71 sculptures of men, women and children





## Dubrovnik

- founded in the 7th century, when the Latins took refuge from the onslaught of the Avars and Slavs
- HBO hit Game of Thrones was also filmed in Dubrovnik



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## Dioklecijanova palača

- an ancient palace built for the Roman emperor Diocletian
- built in the Middle Ages
- consists of a golden and silver gate, the temple of Jupiter and Peristil

# Trogir

- the best preserved Romanesque-Gothic city in Central Europe
- Trogir is also popular because of its Copacabana beach





# Eufrazijeva bazilika Poreč

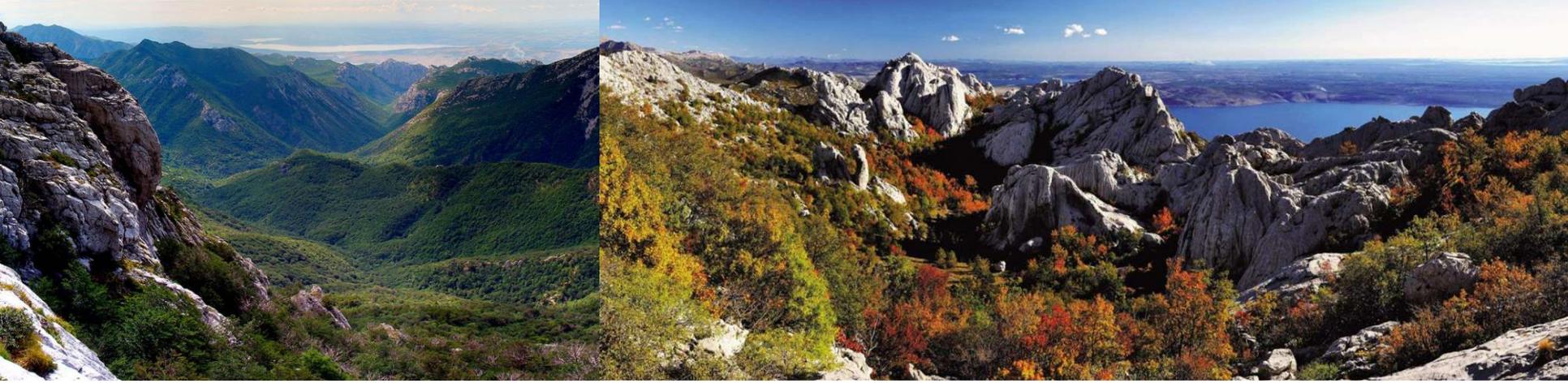
- inspired by the art of Byzantium
- richly decorated with figurative mosaics-the most significant examples of mosaic art in Europe





# Park prirode Papuk

- a nature park and a UNESCO-protected geopark
- a famous hiking resort with educational trails, mountain streams and lakes, caves, waterfalls and about 1,200 species of flora and fauna



## Nacionalni park Paklenica

- located on the slopes of southern Velebit
- over 150 km of hiking trails
- wide variety of animals like wolves, foxes, wildcats, brown bears, marten, weasels, griffon vulture and many more



## Nacionalni park Brijuni

- one of the 1244 islands and national park in the Adriatic Sea
- it has safari park with Indian elephant, South American camels, zebras, Indian sacred cows and peacocks

- one of the biggest curiosity of Brijuni is an island Gaz which is in shape of fish







## Nacionalni park Plitvička jezera

- exceptional natural beauties of lakes and waterfalls, richness of flora and fauna, mountain air, forest paths and wooden bridges and much more are part of a unique whole, among the first in the world

