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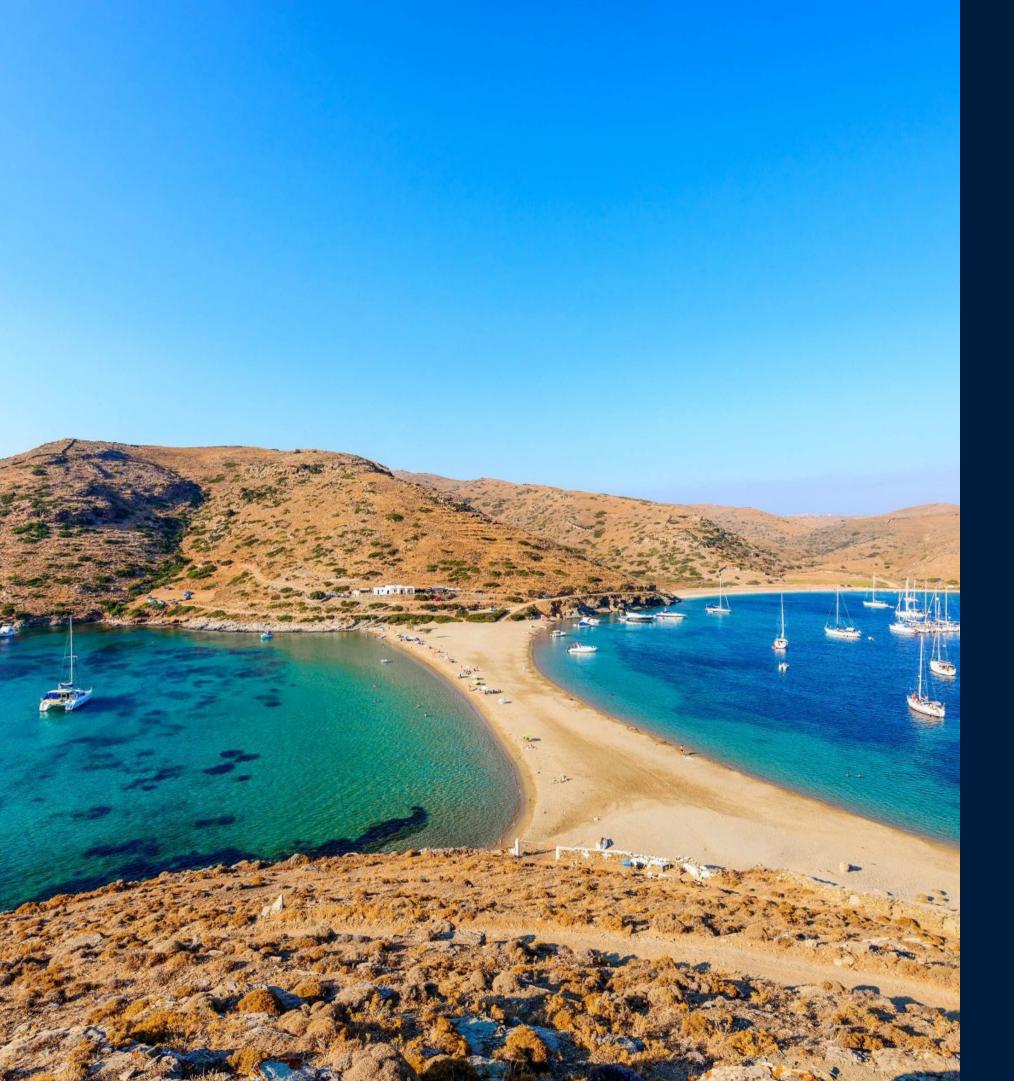
Athens is the perfect starting point for two main sailing areas in Greece. The Argo Saronic Gulf and the famous Cyclades. The good news is that there is no need to decide for one of them. You may discover a bit of both areas during a one-week sailing trip. Discover our suggestion in this guide. We wish you an amazing stay onboard and fair winds!

Your Cavo Yachting Team!

7 DAY ITINERARY

Saturday | Kythnos Island
Sunday | Milos Island
Monday | Milos Island
Tuesday | Kimolos Island
Wednesday | Serifos Island
Thursday | Kea Island
Friday | Cape Sounio and back to base





SATURDAY | 46 NM KYTHNOS ISLAND

The long awaited moment has finally arrived! You are ready to set sail!

On Saturday afternoon, you can start to sail to one of the Cyclades Islands that lie in quite close proximity to Athens – Kythnos.

Kythnos has a rocky and mostly barren landscape of karstic limestone, which is usually covered in an abundance of colorful flowers, especially in Spring. The highlight of the island is the amazing Fikiadha sandbar, which is a uniquely beautiful anchorage. Fikiadha is very well protected from the Meltemi wind. Depending on the prevailing wind, anchor ether on the N or S side of the cove. Watch out for the weed at the bottom Sometimes you may have the feeling that your anchor got a strong grip, but it comes undone with a strong gust.

SUNDAY & MONDAY | 43 NM MILOS ISLAND

On Sunday and Monday it is time for the famous Milos Island. The island has so much to offer that we suggest to stay two nights. In fact, Milos Island is by many regarded as the most impressive Island in the Aegean Sea, featuring extraordinary colors as volcanic rocks paint the beaches red, pink and orange. Sarakiniko and Kleftiko beach are world-famous for their white rock formations, and emerald green waters.

Milos is also called the "Island of Lovers". This nickname is based on the fact that the famous statue of Venus de Milo has been found here.

At night you may moor in Adamandas port, which is the main port of the island. The port has quite a big town quay so it is likely that you will find a mooring spot, even if you arrive late in the afternoon. Go on land and discover the lovely little village. You will find many traditional taverns and cute shops.















TUESDAY | 13NM KIMOLOS ISLAND

On Tuesday, you may discover Kimolos, which is another little hidden gem. Kimolos is often described as "an Aegean rugged jewel that will captivate you with its geological beauty and architectural wealth."

It is located next to Milos and features mysterious beaches, rare geological monuments and incredible architectural wealth. There is only one village on this island, Chorio, which is also the island's capital, the central point of all activities. The town is characterized by a quaint settlement that can be found spread out all over the port.

In close proximity to the Chorio is the modernized Psathi port, which provides the best shelter and a solid holding in sand/weed floor.

With the prevailing NE winds, you may experience a mostly harmless swell. Be careful with SE winds, which can cause high waves.

WEDNESDAY | 22 NM SERIFOS ISLAND

On Wednesday, you may take it more easy and cross-over to Serifos Island.

Serifos is a hidden gem in the Aegean Sea. Its rocky and wild landscape has its very own distinct Cycladic flair. From afar, the island actually looks like a great rock rising out of the sea. Many sheltered bays with sandy beaches and bluegreen waters can be found around the island. At night you may go to the port of Livadi. If you like adventures, you can rent ATVs in town and explore the island on land. Take a ride up to Chora, the picturesque capital town of the island. The town is certainly one of the most elegant Cycladic towns with a beautiful 15th century Venetian castle.









THURSDAY | 35NM KEA / TSIA ISLAND

On Thursday, you may visit Kea Island (also called Tsia).

Kea Island has sheer unlimited sandy beaches with crystal clear green and blue water. The capital city of the island (Chora) lies on top of the mountain and offers a big variety of gastronomic pleasures. Kea is also perfect for hiking. There are several archeological sites that are considered to be a trademark of the island and worth a visit.

You can choose between 2 mooring spots (less than 1NM apart). Korissia and Vouraki. Both spots are charming and offer everything you may need from food supply, to electricity to fuel. If you prefer to stay at anchor, you may stay in Koundouros or Spathi Bay.

FRIDAY | 11 NM + 20 NM CAPE SOUNIO & ATHENS

Friday is here. Unfortunately, this means that you need to head back to base. However, not before an amazing last stop in Cape Sounio Bay on mainland Greece. Cape Sounio is a great place to anchor if you are interested in visiting the famous temple of Poseidon, which majestically lies right above the cape and can be reached in an easy 10-minute hike. Be cautious while anchoring though. The depth in the bay is only 3-5m. The bottom is weed and the holding is not ideal. Look for a patch of sand at the north side of the cove.

You may also find several fish taverns in the bay, which are great for lunch.

Give a call to our base manager about 1h before you arrive so that he can wait for you and help you moor in the marina. Do not worry about fueling. A fuel truck will meet you at the dock.



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