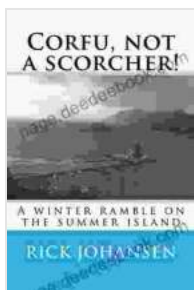


Corfu: The Emerald Isle That's Not As Hot As You Think

Corfu, an Ionian island in Greece, is known for its stunning beaches, lush greenery, and ancient history. But what many people don't know is that Corfu is also a relatively cool island, with average temperatures in the summer months that are much lower than those on mainland Greece.



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This makes Corfu a great destination for those who want to enjoy the beauty of Greece without having to endure the scorching heat. In fact, Corfu is often referred to as the "Emerald Isle" because of its lush green vegetation.

So, if you're looking for a Greek island that has it all—beautiful beaches, lush greenery, ancient history, and a cool climate—then Corfu is the perfect

place for you.

Why is Corfu cooler than mainland Greece?

There are a few reasons why Corfu is cooler than mainland Greece. First, Corfu is located in the Ionian Sea, which is cooler than the Aegean Sea. Second, Corfu is surrounded by mountains, which help to block the hot air from the mainland. Third, Corfu has a lot of vegetation, which helps to cool the air.

What are the average temperatures in Corfu?

The average temperatures in Corfu during the summer months are between 25 and 30 degrees Celsius (77 and 86 degrees Fahrenheit). This is much lower than the average temperatures in mainland Greece, which can reach up to 40 degrees Celsius (104 degrees Fahrenheit).

What are the best things to do in Corfu?

There are many things to do in Corfu, including:

- Visiting the Old Town, which is a UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- Relaxing on one of the many beautiful beaches.
- Hiking in the mountains.
- Visiting the many historical sites, such as the Palace of St. Michael and St. George and the Corfu Fortress.
- Trying the local cuisine, which is influenced by both Greek and Italian flavors.

Where to stay in Corfu

There are many different places to stay in Corfu, from luxury hotels to budget-friendly guesthouses. Here are a few of the most popular options:

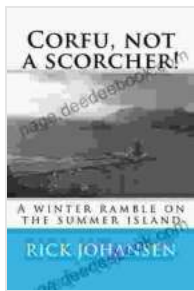
- The Corfu Palace Hotel is a five-star hotel located in the heart of Corfu Town. It offers stunning views of the Old Town and the Ionian Sea.
- The Cavalieri Hotel is a four-star hotel located on the beach in Gouvia. It offers a variety of amenities, including a swimming pool, a tennis court, and a spa.
- The Kontokali Bay Resort & Spa is a three-star hotel located on the beach in Kontokali. It offers a variety of amenities, including a swimming pool, a restaurant, and a bar.

How to get to Corfu

The easiest way to get to Corfu is by plane. Corfu International Airport (CFU) is located about 3 kilometers from Corfu Town. There are direct flights to Corfu from many major cities in Europe, including London, Paris, and Rome.

You can also get to Corfu by ferry from mainland Greece. The ferry ride takes about 7 hours from Athens and about 3 hours from Patras.

Corfu is a beautiful island with a rich history and culture. It's a great destination for those who want to enjoy the beauty of Greece without having to endure the scorching heat. With its stunning beaches, lush greenery, ancient history, and cool climate, Corfu is the perfect place to relax and rejuvenate.



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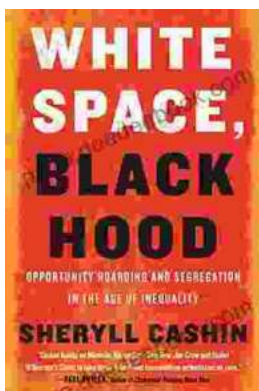
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