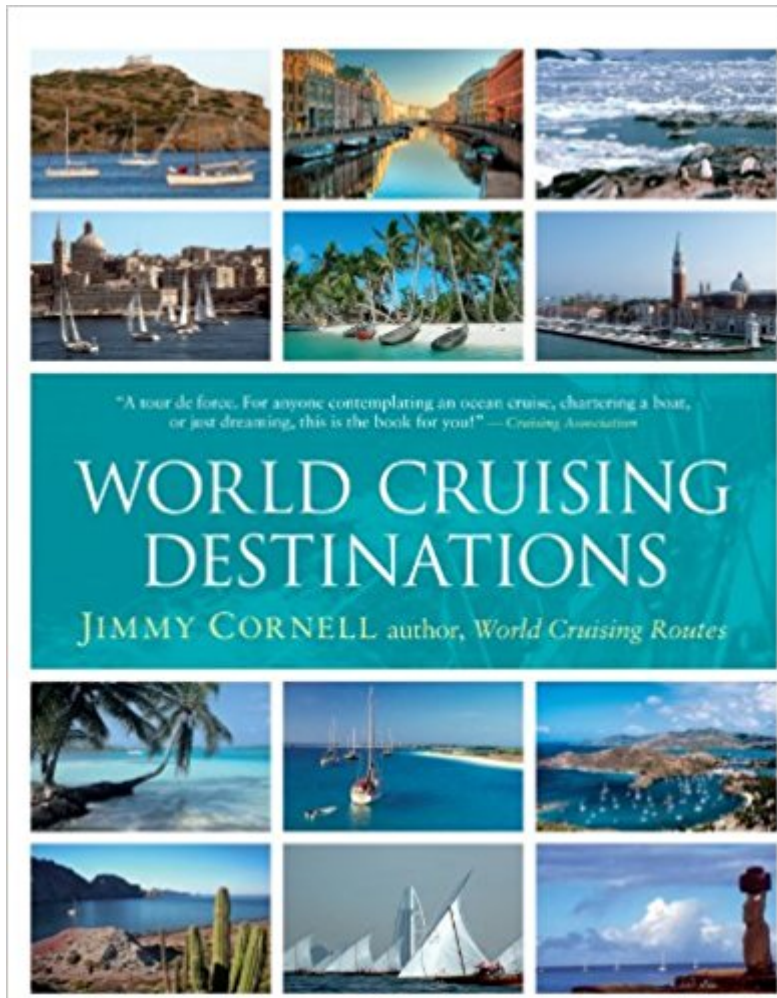




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World Cruising Destinations



Synopsis

184 countries. Endless possibilities for the cruising vacation of your dreams "What Jimmy Cornell doesn't know about cruising isn't worth knowing."--Yachting World World Cruising Destinations is the only nautical tourist guide to the world, the ultimate aid for planning an ocean voyage or a charter vacation. Covering the globe from the tropics to high latitudes, this guide gives essential details of climate, ports, facilities, highlights, and travel formalities (visas, entrance requirements, etc.) of destinations in 184 countries. If you are ready to cast off the docklines tomorrow or just want to do your voyaging from the comfort of your armchair, it's a wonderful guidebook to your next dream vacation. 300 vivid, full-color maps and photos

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Customer Reviews

Jimmy Cornell took up sailing in the early 1970s while working as a reporter for the BBC World Service in London. In 1975-1981, he circumnavigated the planet on a 36-foot sailboat with his wife, Gwenda Cornell, and two children. He has since circumnavigated twice more while logging more than 200,000 sailing miles in the world's oceans. In 1986, Cornell organized and launched the first

Atlantic Rally for Cruisers (ARC), an annual flotilla voyage from the Canary Islands to the Caribbean that is now in its twentieth year and has become the largest transoceanic event in the world. Cornell then founded the World Cruising Club, which specializes in international sailing events, and in August 1998 he initiated the Millenium Round-the-World Rally, in which more than 50 yachts sailed together around the world. Five years after its launch, his website www.noonsite.com attracts more than 1 million hits per month. Cornell is a contributing editor and regular columnist for Cruising World magazine, where his columns support sales of his books. He is the author of World Cruising Routes, which has sold more than 65,000 copies in North America and more than 130,000 copies worldwide since its first publication more than twenty years ago.

World Cruising destinations has all the important information for the world cruiser. However for those expecting a guide book or more information on the countries it covers will be disappointed. While each country does have an introduction and basic overview on whats on offer, the book is focused on the facts and figures needed to cruise the destinations, and for that it is a brilliant resource. It is filled with great pictures though, and is still of interest to people not cruising these destinations. Absolutely perfect and highly recommended for what it is, a valuable cruising reference. But others looking for a coffee table read should probably look elsewhere, aside from the beautiful photos throughout, it is not a travel guide.

This is a concise easy to read synopsis of major cruising destinations. While we are moving into an ever more electronic age for access of all content, I think it is important that hard copy references remain a viable source of information in case of the inevitable electronic failures. I have checked World Cruising Destinations against several places I have visited and found to be concise and accurate. I am a firm believer that you can never have too many references when wandering into a new port of call. This book meets my needs and I would recommend it to cruisers. It is worth the investment.

Even with the availability of accessing the internet while off shore the information in this book is still valid and useful.

As we prepare to sail around the world for several years, we are engrossed in this resource. It contains valuable information for our adventure. I really like the way it is organized by areas of the world and the information will be helpful in scheduling our time in various locations based on wind

and weather information.

Beyond great six stars

Excellent product, good seller, will recommend highly.

Must have for any live aboard sailor.

This is a well thought out, well laid out bible for your adventures at sea. I recommend it to anyone who is cruising. NOTE YOU MUST GETÂ World Cruising Routes: Sixth EditionÂ AS AN ACCOMPANIMENT. This is 1 of 2 books and they both work in tandem.

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