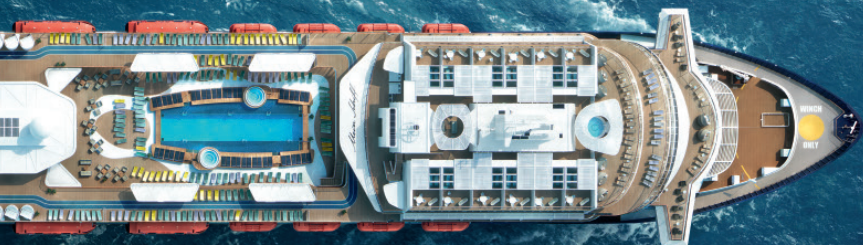


*Mein Schiff.*



# CLOSELY LINKED TO THE SEA.

Environmental protection on board the *Mein Schiff*® fleet.



# *Mein Schiff*® – FULL SPEED AHEAD! CLIMATE PROTECTION, HERE WE COME.

## **OUR VISION IS EMISSION-FREE AND CLIMATE-NEUTRAL CRUISES.**

We love to keep exploring the world. And to ensure that many generations after us can continue to do so, we meet the highest standards in environmental protection.

This is what guides our targets and environmental strategy. Today we already have the youngest and most environmentally friendly fleet and in many aspects we are pioneers of social and ecological sustainability within the cruise industry.





## AVOIDING, REDUCING, AND RECYCLING WASTE.

Banning disposable and individual packaging: we rely on reusable products, bulk containers and refillable dispensers.

- All waste on board undergoes preliminary sorting for disposal on shore and is handed over to selected disposal operators.
- More than 30% of our waste is recycled.

## ON THE WAY TO PLASTIC-FREE CRUISES.

WASTE  
LESS



### Sipping without plastic

Use of **straws made of glass and cane sugar** instead of plastic.



### Butter without disposable packaging

Instead, a range of **automated butter dispensers**.



### Personal hygiene without microplastics

A range of **microplastic-free care products** is provided in all cabins using **dispenser systems**, which thus avoids **single-use packaging**.



### Avoidance of plastic and paper bags

Use of **official *Mein Schiff*® carrier bags** made of recycled PET in our shops.



### More sustainable cooking

Use of **cotton aprons** instead of plastic disposable aprons in our kitchens on board.



### Plastic-free beverages

General avoidance of **cocktail sticks** and exclusive use of drinks **stirrers made of wood**.





## SAVING ENERGY ON BOARD.

We implement energy saving throughout the fleet. This saves on fuel and reduces emissions.

- We have been able to reduce specific CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by almost 30% in the last five years.
- By 2023, we will have equipped all ships with a shore power connection.



## TRAVELLING WITH LOW EMISSIONS.

In six of seven ships, we are additionally reducing emissions by using hybrid scrubbers – voluntarily, throughout the world and around the clock.

- Since 2014, we have voluntarily been recording values below the current threshold limits and for a long time we have already been meeting the more stringent limits that apply from 2020.
- In 2024, we shall be putting the first ship into service powered by liquid natural gas (LNG).



## PROTECTING DIVERSITY TOGETHER.

We engage in species protection and local environmental projects in our destinations in order to protect biological diversity.

- Green & Fair shore excursions adhere to sustainability criteria and for each booking €5 is donated to regional environmental organizations and local projects.
- We have directives on species protection as well as guidelines for sustainable diving and whale-watching excursions.



## CAREFUL MANAGEMENT OF WASTEWATER.

Only purified wastewater leaves our ships.

- A multistage sewage treatment plant cleans wastewater in an sophisticated process. The treated water is additionally disinfected as well.
- Water consumption per person/overnight stay has fallen by more than 22% in the last five years.
- We produce more than 80% of our freshwater on board ourselves.





# GIVING ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION A FACE.

Successful teamwork:

- Our Environmental Department on shore is continually developing our high standards, while the Environmental Officers on board ensure that they are reliably observed and monitored.
- An independent Environmental Advisory Board supports us on our path towards emission-free and climate-neutral cruises.
- In the annual environmental report we explain our targets transparently along with the route we take to meet them.



Further information: [www.tuicruises.com/nachhaltigkeit](https://www.tuicruises.com/nachhaltigkeit)

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