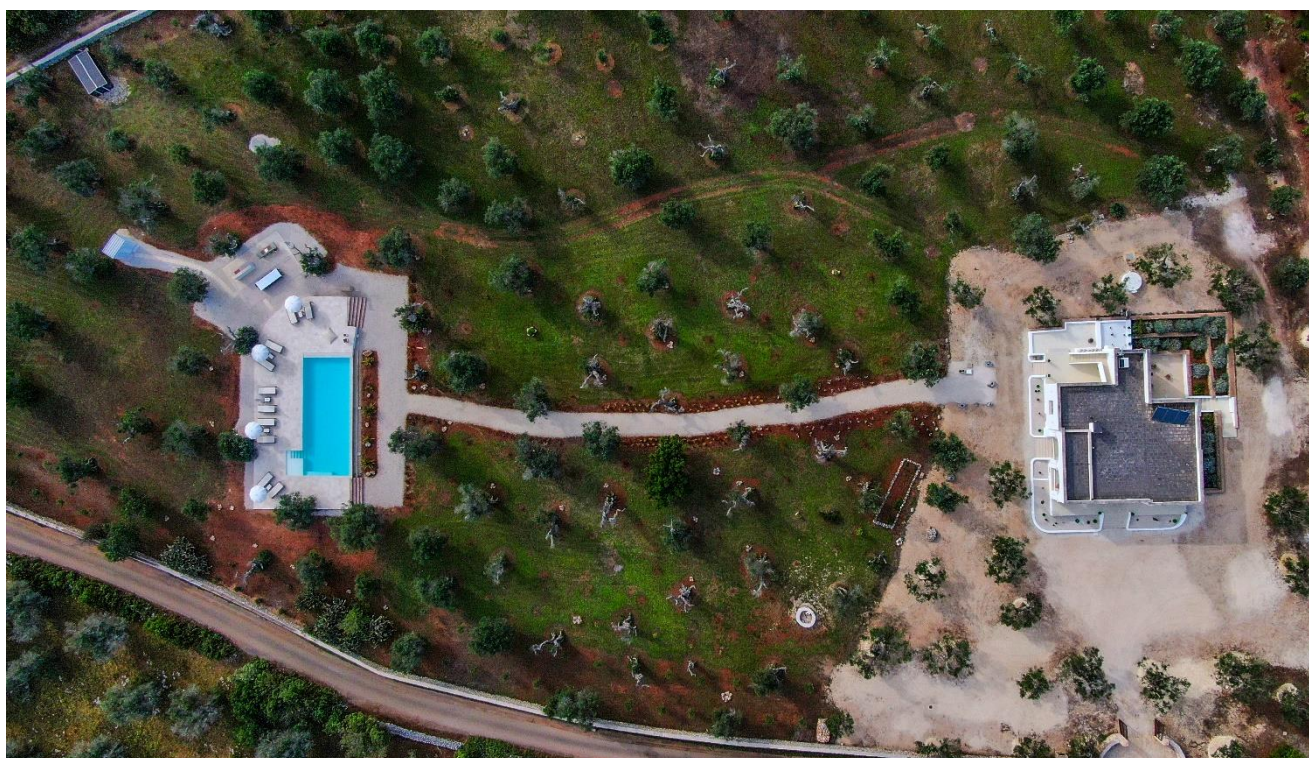




TENUTA DISIÒ

Diso

Accommodates (max)	16
Bedrooms	7
Bathrooms	7
...of which en-suite	7



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A villa with a swimming pool for exclusive use, perfect for 16 people to enjoy a relaxing holiday. The intense green of the **centuries-old olive trees** and the bright red of the Apulian land embrace a 3200 m2 site having its exclusive character. The simple lines of the house and the intense white of the living stone ensure a serene and pleasant atmosphere.

Tenuta Disio offers an authentic experience in **south-eastern Apulia**. An intimate, genuine place created for slow living and strong feeling that offers exclusive privacy six kilometres from the Apulian **Adriatic coast**.

NEARBY

This rich region of rolling hills, whitewashed villages and crystal-clear sea has a history to be discovered. The villa is conveniently located on the Otranto - Leuca coastline, just 6 km from the sea of **Castro, Marittima, Andrano**. During your stay you can easily visit places like **Lecce**, the ancient castle of **Otranto**, the wonderful **Grotta Verde** or enjoy a magical sunset in **Santa Maria di Leuca**.

MAIN DISTANCES

48 km from the Lecce station

99 km from Brindisi airport

219 km from Bari airport

ABOUT THE VILLA

Seven charming rooms distributed on two levels, each with **private bathroom** and furnished with attention to the smallest detail and equipped with every comfort.

A comfortable and spacious **living area** hosts a **modern and refined kitchen**, designed to make you feel at home. The large internal table allows you to fully enjoy conviviality moments and light-heartedness. A place of peace, a refuge that overlooks nature and the warm colours of a unique land.

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On the **outside portico** there is another large table, perfect for enjoying breakfast in the open air while taking advantage of the wonderful **swimming pool** surrounded by olive trees.

The large outdoor spaces lead to a **second kitchen**, perfect to enjoy a relaxed atmosphere and privacy for a special dinner.

AMENITIES

Air conditioning

Heating

Wi-fi

TV in the living room

Salento handcraft bath and bed linen

Pool towels

Swimming pool with hydromassage

2 kitchens (one outdoor)

Mid-week change of bed linen and towels

Mid-week cleaning

Welcome pack (water, oil, salt, sugar, coffee, fresh fruit, local products)

Pool and garden maintenance

Barbecue

Parking



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RECOMMENDED EXPERIENCES

1. Otranto, balcony of the East
2. Cipolliane Trek In Leuca
3. Cycling to the end of the world: Leuca





1.1. OTRANTO, BALCONY OF THE EAST (BICYCLE EXCURSION)

- DEPARTURE: Porta Terra, Otranto – DURATION: full day
- TRAVEL DISTANCE: approximately 35 km – DIFFICULTY: average/easy

ITINERARY:

The inland of Otranto is probably the best preserved area of Salento. Going up the Idro Valley, we visit an ancient **Byzantine crypt**, and then stop at the Constantine Foundation where they practise the art of **traditional weaving**. We then cross the ‘**megalithic garden**’ of Giurdignano, dotted with dolmen and menhir.

Tasting lunch at one of the best bakeries of the province, in Specchia Gallone. After lunch we reach Porto Badisco, with its calm, sheltered beach. After a swimming (if weather allows) we return to Otranto, along one of the most beautiful stretches of the coast, visiting **the lighthouse of Punta Palascia** (eastern most point in Italy) and the stunning **Bauxite Lake**.

1.2. OTRANTO BALCONY OF THE EAST (HIKING)

- DEPARTURE POINT: Otranto’s castle – DURATION: full day
- TRAVEL DISTANCE: 20 km – DIFFICULTY: average

ITINERARY:

Departing from the Castle of Otranto we head towards the harbour along the coastal area, reaching the **Snake’s tower**. This is the starting point of a coastal path leading to **Punta Palascia lighthouse**, the easternmost point of Italy and geographical boundary between the Ionian Sea and the Adriatic.

After a **cheese tasting** in a local farmhouse, we visit the ruins of the **Church of San Nicola di Casole** and magnificent **Bauxite Lake**, whose bold colors have created a unique landscape.



2. CIPOLLIANE TREK IN LEUCA (HIKING)

- DEPARTURE POINT: Ciolo Bridge, Gagliano del Capo – DURATION: half day (3h)
- TRAVEL DISTANCE: 9 km – DIFFICULTY: Easy

ITINERARY:

The hike starts from the **Ciolo bridge** going through a caynon along a beautiful path that unfolds between '**pajare**', **dry stone walls** and a varied flora including the so-called 'trans-Balkanic' plants.

Then we follow a second path which extends parallel to the coast, surrounded by **stone walls, terraces and 'mantagnate'** (cyclopean works erected by man to protect small fields).

We reach then the **Cipolliane caves**, where you can see stalactites and columns, tunnels and fossils, 'waterfalls' of caper plants and colonies of birds that have made their home there.

Heading back to our departure point, we have the chance for a break at the beach.

3. CYCLING TO THE END OF THE WORLD: LEUCA

- DEPARTURE POINT: Torre di Salignano – DURATION: half day
- TRAVEL DISTANCE: approximately 15 km – DIFFICULTY: easy

ITINERARY:

The Cape of Leuca, once considered '**De Finibus Terrae**' (the end of the world), is an area made up of tiny and evocative villages and farms. Cycling through the weaving countryside roads that link these villages full of history and charm, we discover some of the hidden treasures, like the **Defense Tower of Salignano**, the enigmatic **Centopietre** in Patù, the **Medieval Castle** in Giuliano and the **Sanctuary of Leuca Piccola** in Barbarano. We complete the excursion with a great tasting of local products in the ancient inn '**Retro**'.



OTHER EXPERIENCES

BIKING:

Bike & Cooking in Gallipoli

Lecce & its seaside

Lecce & its countryside

Lecce between art & taste

Gallipoli between land and sea

The Grecìa Salentina

HIKING & WALKING:

Porto Selvaggio, Nature & Pre-history

Street food tour in Lecce

AND MORE:

Rikshaw tour

Sailing trips

Cooking class

Kayak

Diving

Craft workshop