



HIGHLIGHTS

# ALGHERO & NORTH-WEST COAST

NORTH SARDINIA



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ALGHERO AREA  
NORTH - WEST SARDINIA

## P L A C E S   T O   B E

Inland from the sweeping cliffs and white sand bays of the coast, the north west of Sardinia is characterised by gentle rolling hills and vineyards; and outside of the bustle of Alghero the region has a very peaceful feel. In a typical day you can relax on a secluded beach, take a stroll in the Mediterranean scrub-scented hills and in the evening wander the cobbled streets of Alghero and enjoy a wonderful Sardinian meal.







## A L G H E R O

Historians date the origin of the city of Alghero to the 1st half of the XI century at the hands of the powerful Doria family from Genoa who decided to fortify what was then a little fishing village. They were soon to find themselves battling against a series of constant enemy incursions because this small village in actual fact stood in a strategic and important position, fundamental to commercial activity throughout the whole of the Mediterranean. The city remained under the influence of Genoa until 1353 when it fell to the domain of the Catalan-Aragonese, and to this day the Catalan influence is still very much present and can be admired in the architecture of its churches, buildings and fortifications.



## C A S T E L S A R D O

The little town of Castelsardo is situated on a rocky peak with sheer cliffs that face the Gulf of Asinara and is one of the oldest historical town centres of Sardinia, with its tight and tiny cobbled streets. It was probably founded in 1002 by the Doria family and the whole hamlet was dominated by a castle which was once called Castel-Doria and later renamed Castel-Aragonese when it was conquered by the Aragonese in 1448.



## B O S A

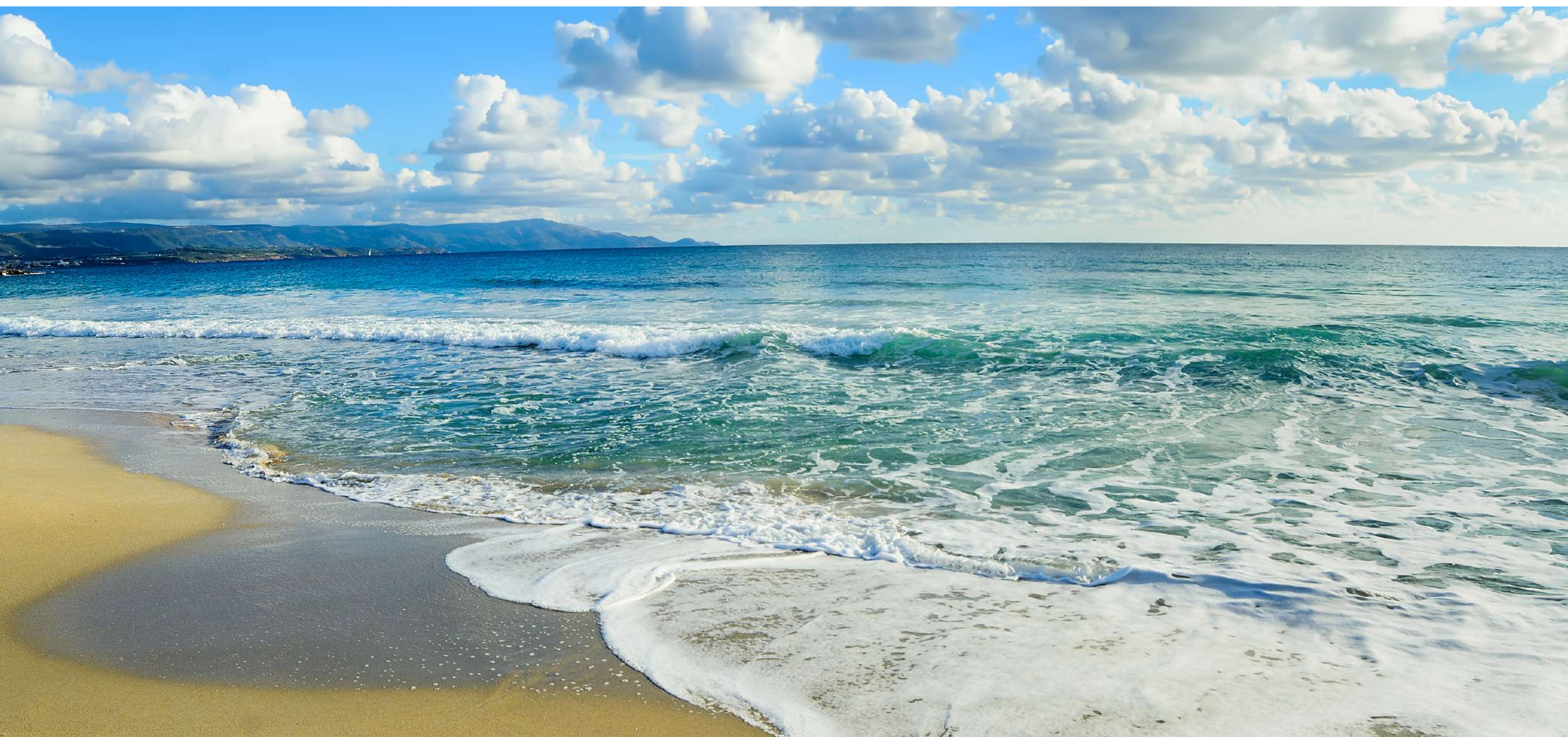
An ancient Phoenician settlement, later taken over by the Romans, Bosa lies in the valley of the Temo river, the only navigable river in Sardinia. The town is famous for its handicraft traditions, including coral, textiles, filet embroidery and woven asphodel baskets. It is nestled among the lush green valleys of Planargia, an area famous for its outstanding food traditions and the quality of its oil and wines. One of its wines, Malvasia, obtained the DOC label and a wine trail dedicated to it, which from Bosa reaches the other villages where it is produced: Modolo, Magomadas, Suni and Flussio. The area has a wealth of attractions for nature lovers: for a walk on the wild side you can go trekking and bird watching in the Nature Reserve of Badde Aggiusu, Marrargiu e Monte Mannu.



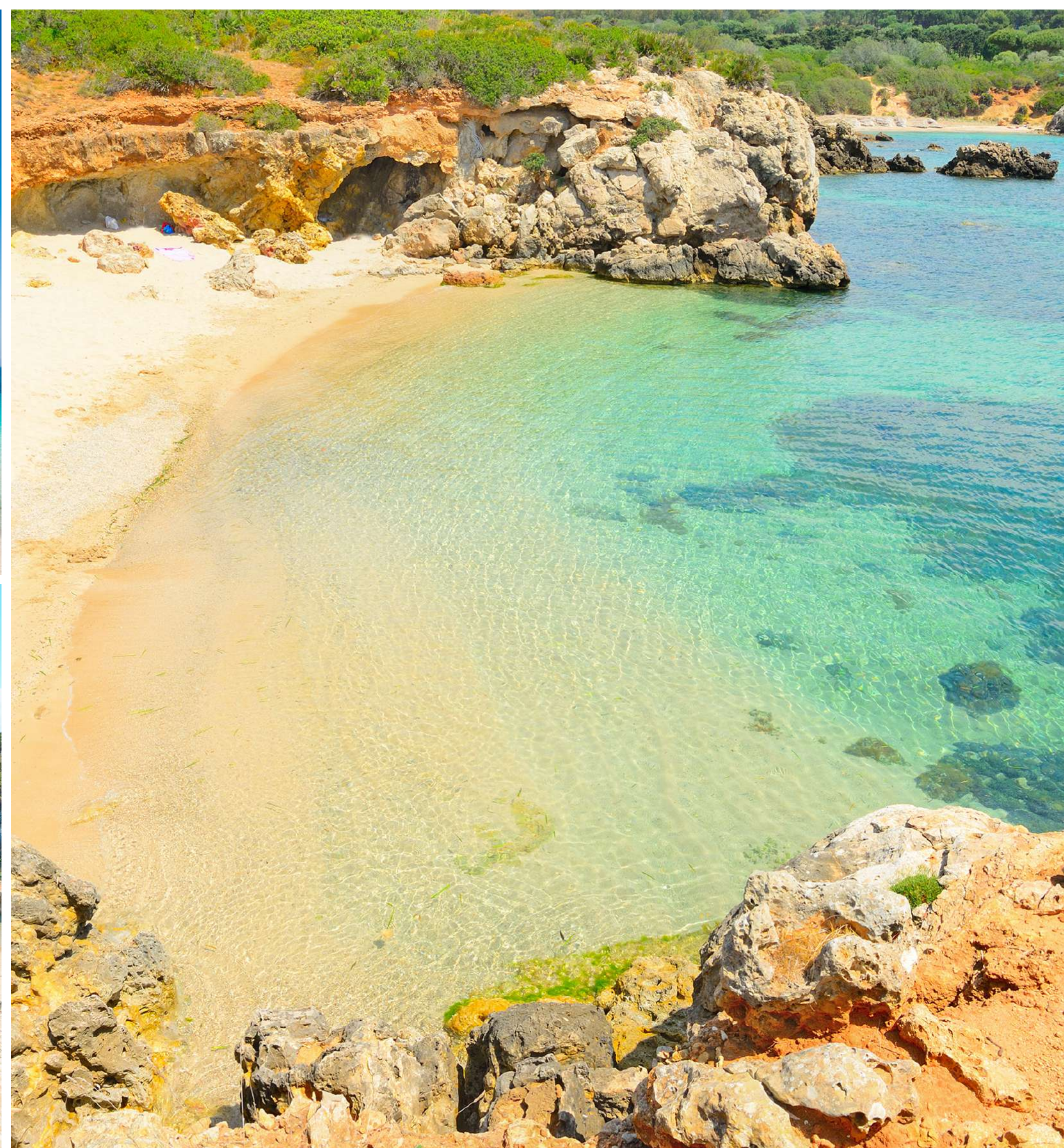


# B E A C H E S

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# ANCHORAGES & MOORING SERVICES

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Anchorages and marinas





## A N C H O R A G E S

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Kilometers of coast of alternating wide beaches of white sand to small coves framed by an intense and unspoilt Mediterranean sea.



## M A R I N A S

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- ⚓ Marina di Sant'Elmo - Alghero
- ⚓ Marina di Castelsardo
- ⚓ Marina di Isola Rossa
- ⚓ Marina di Porto Torres
- ⚓ Marina di Stintino
- ⚓ Marina di Bosa





# DINING & NIGHTLIFE

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Bars, restaurants and clubs





## R E S T A U R A N T S

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Nearby are many wonderful restaurants where you can experience the best cuisine. The restaurants offer stunning views while sipping your palate on the Sardinian and Mediterranean cuisine or taste delicious fish and shellfish.



## N I G H T C L U B S

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Clubs in North Area are a true immersion into the fun and the stunning views of the area. The ideal destinations to enjoy every night out.









# F A C I L I T I E S

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Hotels & beauty





## HOTELS

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From the hotel with panoramic views of the beautiful Mediterranean stone structures there are great places to rest at night. The area around you in the delightful aroma of rosemary, juniper and flowers. The refinement and relaxation definitely relax drops of your stay.

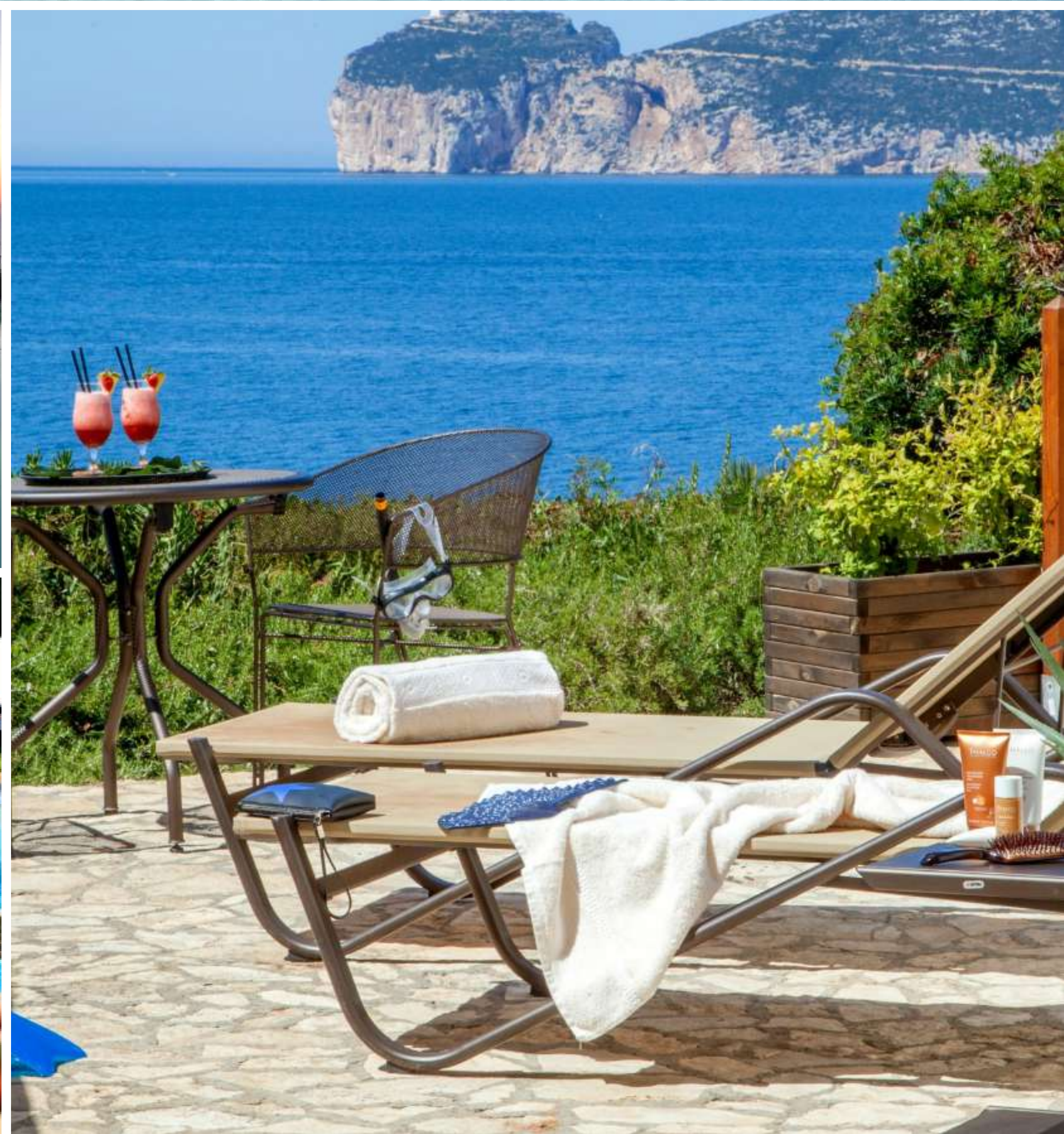


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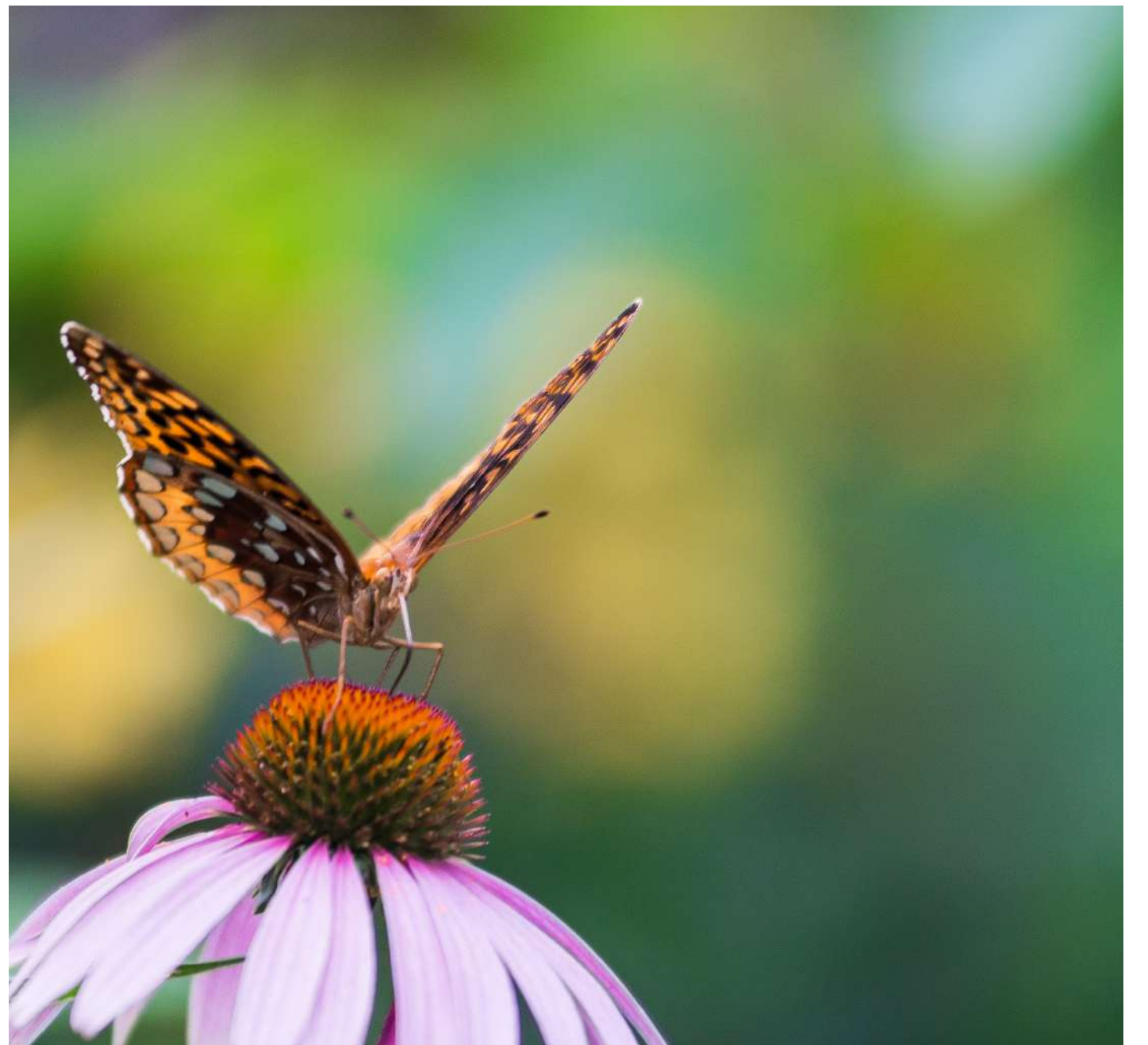
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Enjoy the inebriating fragrances of the world's most seductive island. Discover the benefits of seawater during your holiday in Sardinia where you can spend endless moments of pleasure and relaxation.









# LAND & WATER ACTIVITIES

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*"This land resembles no other place. Sardinia is something else. Enchanting spaces and distances to travel-nothing finished, nothing definitive. It is like freedom itself."*

DAVID HERBERT LAWRENCE, SEA AND SARDINIA, 1921





## T O U R S

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More sweeping than the north east coastline and less indented, the north west has long stretches of high macchia covered cliff and hillside, an abundance of sandy beaches, small resorts and historic towns, Castelsardo, Sassari and Alghero itself.



## HISTORICAL CONTENT

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Civilization in the territory of Alghero began in the Neolithic period (about 3000 BC). The most important remains of this period is the Anghelu Ruju Necropolis, situated in the I Pianu area, and is the largest necropolis in Sardinia. Also the Nuraghe Palmavera complex is an important testimony to the nuragic civilization, began and developed only in Sardinia in a span of time ranging from 1700 BC to the second century BC.





## DIVING

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Dive in the breathtaking sceneries offered by the backdrops of the North-West Sardinia accompanied by experienced guides, or to feel the emotion of the first underwater experience always followed by professionals instructors.



## TRAILS

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Explore the most popular trails near Alghero with with expert local guides. n Porto Conte area you will discover places with singular beauties as Mediterranean scrub, granite rocks and wild boars.







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