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**SPLIT SUMMER FESTIVAL**

This festival has one of the longest traditions in Croatia, after the Dubrovnik Summer Festival. It’s an artistic type of event which obtained a great national and international reputation during time. At first it all started with opera, drama and ballet, but after a period of time it started to increase until it got to where it is today.

**SPLIT MUSIC FESTIVAL**

Split Music Festival presents a few days of local Dalmatian music. There are going to be the most famous singers and musicians of the Croatian scene. One of them gets a reward for the most successful song of the year.

When: 06 July-08 July
Where: Splitska Riva

**SPLIT SUMMER COLORS**

Split Summer Colors is an event that is held during three summer months. Every Friday in the “Basements” of the Palace of Diocletian. And there are going to be concerts that include classic music and folklor dances. They call it Summer’s Classic Music.

When: 10 July – 11 September
Where: The Palace of Diocletian

**ARCHITECTURE IN CONTEMPORARY ART**

Few Croatian and international artists represent their vision of architecture in contemporary art through this exhibition. They are trying to show people how architecture was developed in the past and today. But every one of them has a different point of view.

When: 11 July – 27 August
Where: Gallery of Art

**ULTRA EUROPE**

This Europe’s Premier Design Music Festival (where there are going to be world class DJs, state-of-the-art sound systems, light shows and fireworks) takes you through an amazing journey across the spectrum of electronic music. It has already become a tradition in Split.

When: 14 July – 16 July
Where: Poljud Stadium

**THE NIGHTS OF DIOCLETIAN**

The Nights of Diocletian return you back to the past when Diocletian – Roman Emperor took over Split. In that time he ordered to build a huge Palace where this festival took place nowadays. In memory of that period, Split organizes this event every summer.

When: 28 July – 30 July
Where: The Palace of Diocletian

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**Random Facts**

- The Diocletian palace in Split is built like a city within a city, fortified by its high surrounding walls on the outside and containing a grid-work of monumental courts, temples, apartments and cult buildings on the inside.
- Famous movie producers found Split very attractive for making movies. The HBO series Game of Thrones was filmed on the Dalmatian coast, in the city of Split.
- Split is one of the organizers for the big Ultra Festival. It is held every summer in July and targets young party people.
- Torcida, fans of Split’s football club Hajduk, is the oldest organized fan group in Europe; since 24.10.1950.
- Split is also known as a city of Olympics; almost 100 Olympic medals won by Croatians are from Split (basketball, handball, football, waterpolo, Taekwondo and many others).
- The Cathedral of Saint Dominus, consecrated at the turn of the 7th century AD, is regarded as the oldest Catholic cathedral in the world that remains in use in its original structure, without near-complete renovation at a later date.