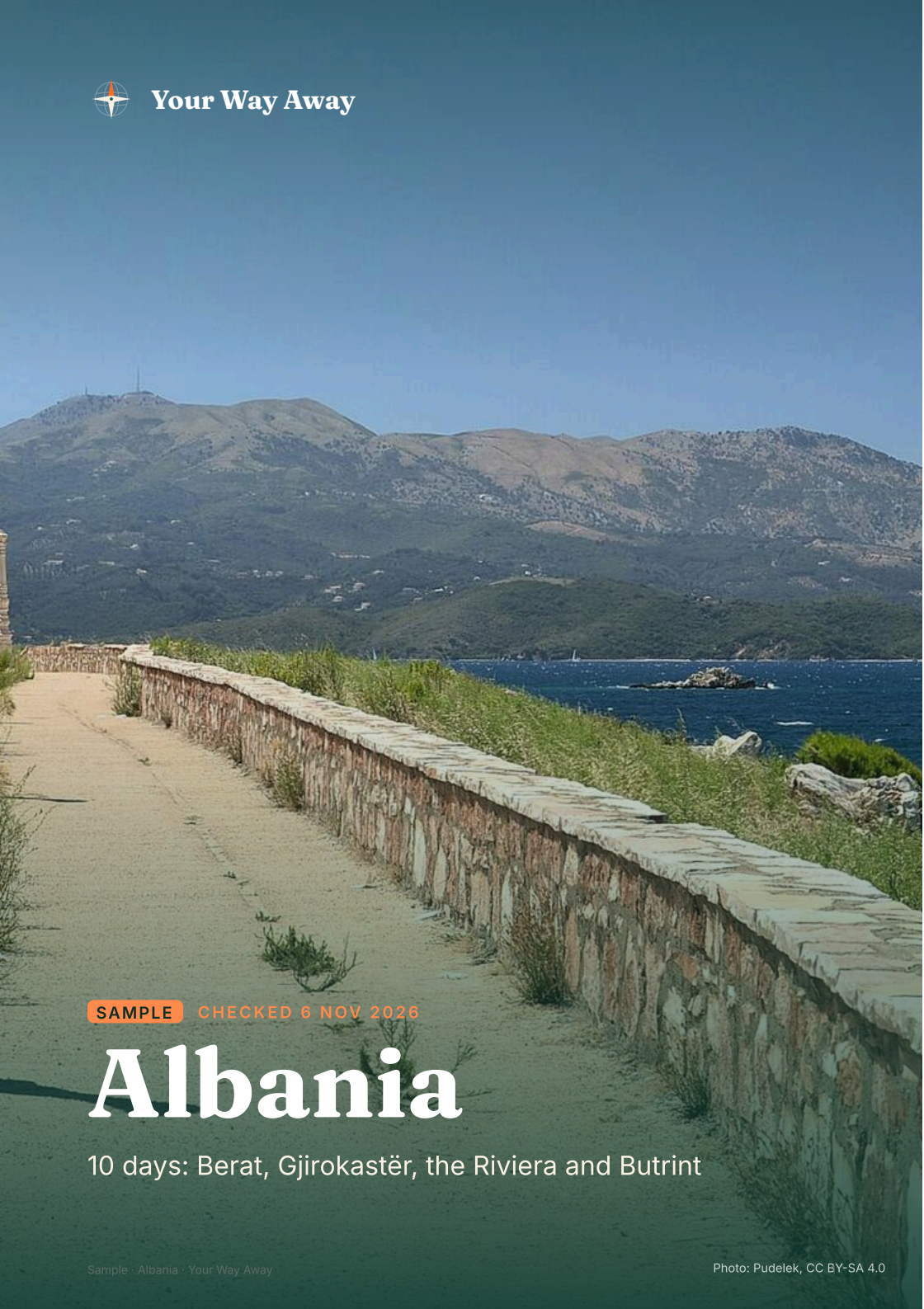
Your Way Away



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Albania

10 days: Berat, Gjirokastër, the Riviera and Butrint

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Southern Albania by car: the Ottoman towns of Berat and Gjirokastër, the Llogara pass above the Riviera, the beaches of Ksamil, ancient Butrint and the Blue Eye spring. Four bases, short drives. Book everything yourself and keep this guide on your phone: it works offline.

At a glance

ID card
is enough for Czech citizens, a passport also works; valid at least 3 months after departure (Czech MFA)

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Licence
a Czech licence usually works; the Czech MFA suggests considering an international permit

Checked

Lek (ALL)
the local currency; euros are often accepted in tourist areas, but paying in lek is cheaper

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same time as Central Europe

May–Jun, Sep–Oct
the best months: warm sea and fewer people than in summer

Insurance
Albania isn't in the EU, so the European Health Insurance Card doesn't apply: buy travel insurance

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Day by day

1 **Arrive**

Car at the airport, a short stop in central Tirana (Skanderbeg Square), Berat by evening.

2 **Berat**

Kalaja castle with its inhabited quarter inside the walls, the Mangalem and Gorica quarters, the evening promenade.

3 **To Gjirokastër**

Osum canyon or a winery on the way, Gjirokastër bazaar in the afternoon.

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What you will see


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Berat

White Ottoman houses with windows stacked up the hillside above the river, a UNESCO site. People still live inside the castle.

Time: 1 day


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Gjirokastër

A stone town with slate roofs and a massive castle, also UNESCO-listed. The cobbles are slippery: wear good shoes.

Time: 1 day

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The full guide: Albania

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