



**Austria-Hungary-Slovakia - Cycling cruise from Vienna through Baroque Hungary (2025)**

**6 Days/ 5 Nights**

**Individual Self Guided**



Before the big anniversary of “500 years of Austria-Hungary” next year, you can find out about the cultural and scenic highlights of the Danube Monarchy here. Magnificent baroque buildings in Vienna, Bratislava and Budapest, as well as the Wachau, the Danube Bend and the Carpathians are on the route.

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## **Day by Day**

### **Sunday, arrival**

to Vienna-Nussdorf. Boarding from 2:30 p.m. Journey past the Donau-Auen National Park and the Hainburg Gate to the Slovakian capital Bratislava. Active version: Luggage drop-off at 12:00 p.m. at the ship; rental bike collection and individual bike tour from Vienna on the E6 bike path through the Donau-Auen National Park, Hainburg and Wolfsthal, car-free, to the ship in Bratislava (+ 67 km; please advise when booking).

### **Monday, Budapest (22/56 km)**

Optional : *In the morning, city tour with a stop in the castle district by bus (3 hours).* Cycle tour to the car-free Margaret Island or through the center. Active version: Cycle tour to the artists' town of Szendentre (picturesque location; 56 km there and back). Drive through the wonderfully illuminated Hungarian metropolis.

### **Tuesday, Mohács - Baja (36 km) or Baja - Kalocsa (55 km)**

Optional : *In the morning, a bus trip from Mohács to Pécs (approx. 50 minutes by bus) with a walking tour and individual sightseeing.* (Boarding the boat at around 1:00 p.m. in Baja). Or in the morning, along the Danube cycle path to the baroque town of Baja (town hall tower, old town). In the afternoon, car-free from Baja to the "capital of the Puszta" in Kalocsa.



### **Wednesday, Štúrovo/Esztergom- Komárno (56 km)**

By bike, mostly car-free, past the Roman fort Kelemantia to the birthplace of Franz Lehár. Optional : *guided walk of Komárno (approx. 1 hour).*

### **Thursday, Tulln - Spitz (59 km)**

Optional : *Visit to the Egon Schiele Museum (16 originals) or the magnificent State Garden Show.* On the Danube cycle path via Krems (UNESCO World Heritage Site) to the wine-growing town of Spitz in the Wachau.

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### **Friday, return home**

Arrival in Passau at approximately 11:30 a.m. Disembarkation by 12:30 p.m. and return journey by bus/train to Vienna or an additional night in Passau.



*In the interests of your safety, the captain may make changes to the trip program at any time (even at short notice) due to high water, low water or other cases of FORCE MAJEURE. Arrival times are subject to lock waiting times and normal water levels.*

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### Route

228-351 km, flat well marked

**Tour dates:** June 22-27<sup>th</sup> & September 14-19<sup>th</sup>

### Prices

**Price per person in Euros -all prices subject to confirmation on booking**

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| 2-bed cabin main deck astern (bunk bed / approx. 9.5 m2)   | <b>€ 649</b>                              |
| 2-bed cabin main deck (2 separated ground beds / approx. 11.5 m2)  | <b>€ 835</b>                              |
| 2-bed cabin upper deck (2 ground beds, <b>BALCONY</b> / approx. 16.5 m2)   | <b>€ 1280</b>                             |
| 2-bed cabin promenade deck (2 ground beds, <b>BALCONY</b> / approx. 16.5 m2)   | <b>€ 1390</b>                             |
| Rental bike  | <b>€ 95</b>                               |
| E- Bike  | <b>€ 210</b>                              |
| Bring own bike   | <b>No charge- no liability for damage</b> |
| Excursion package: guided walk Komárno; guided bus tour Budapest; bus excursion to Pécs with guided walk; land programme Tulln (optional Schiele Museum or National Garden Show) (minimum 20 participants) | <b>€ 159</b>                              |
| Extra nights Passau B& B double occupancy  | <b>€76</b>                                |
| Extra nights Passau B& B single occupancy  | <b>€108</b>                               |

### **SURCHARGE SINGLE CABIN:**

Main deck + 50 %

Upper-/Promenade deck + 75 %

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### Included

- Cycling cruise with 5 x full board including port fees in the booked double cabin shower/WC/TV/telephone/safe/minibar/adjustable air conditioning
- Free use of the wellness area (whirlpool on the open deck and inside, sauna, Kneipp pool)
- 2 x hydrojet waterbed muscle massage (approx. 15 minutes each) or health massage (approx. 20 minutes) based on availability per cabin
- On-board tour guide with daily route briefing
- Route description and maps
- GPS data
- 1 x wine tasting of 4 types of Austrian and Hungarian top wines on board
- return transfer by bus/train Passau - Vienna



**MS Primadonna**



The generous furnishings include the 'Primo Gusto' panorama restaurant and the 'Primavera' panorama bar, the Danube arena 'Prima Vista' and the on-board theater, 'Primo Teatro'. Air conditioning throughout the ship (individually adjustable in the cabins). The third largest Danube cruise ship is 113.5 meters long and 17.4 meters wide and far ahead of other river cruise ships in terms of spaciousness. No narrow corridors, great spatial effect in the common rooms - from restaurant to bar. In the 60 meter long and 8 meter wide atrium you can meet before meals, read the daily newspapers and other things undisturbed.

Due to the interesting architecture in the double hull construction (catamaran) and the 9 m high bow glazing in the Danube arena between the two hulls, you can see the waves of the Nibelungen Current, which literally flows through under your feet. In a sense, you are floating above the water. At the reception, a glass floor with lighting enables a glimpse into the world "under water" and makes a stay on the Primadonna a first-class experience. A small whirlpool, sun loungers, awnings and cozy seating areas are available on the open deck. The wellness area offers a large indoor whirlpool, a Kneipp pool and a sauna. Healing and beauty massages by appointment as well as a hairdresser on board complete the offer.



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## **ACCESSIBILITY**

The MS Primadonna has two barrier-free promenade and two upper deck cabins. Please note that all bus rides / transfers, including city tours, are NOT barrier-free. If you can get on and off the bus independently, the transfers / city tours are possible. Wheelchairs on board can therefore be used without any problems.

## **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Capacity: 198 people

Number of cabins: 82 outside cabins in the customer area; except main deck aft, all with base beds

Crew members: 47-50

Length: 113.5 m

Width: 17.4 m

Draft: 1.7 m

Height above water: 8.2 m

Speed: 14 knots downhill

Size cabins: main deck aft: 9.5 / main deck: 11.5 / promenade / upper deck: 16.5 m<sup>2</sup>

Number of decks: 4

Owner: Donau Touristik GmbH

Flag: Austria

## **LARGE CABINS**

All 82 cabins on the MS Primadonna are outside cabins with individually adjustable air conditioning; Shower and toilet, hairdryer, satellite TV, telephone, minibar and spacious cupboards.

**Main deck cabins - aft:** approx. 9.5 m<sup>2</sup> equipped with a bunk bed.

**Main deck cabins - standard:** approx. 11.5 m<sup>2</sup> equipped with separate beds. All cabins have a large, non-opening porthole (90 cm diameter).

The spacious cabins on the **upper and promenade deck** are approx. 16.5 m<sup>2</sup> in size and have 2 beds together, a desk and a balcony with a bench. There is also a sofa on the upper deck and 2 chairs in the cabin on the promenade deck

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## **Bikes**

### **7 speed touring men's or women's 24 speed touring men's or women's ( actual models may vary)**

The 7-speed touring bike with coaster brake is from the brands Schauff or Kalkhoff. The Schauff company has been manufacturing quality bikes in Remagen / Rhein since 1945, while the Kalkhoff company has been building quality bikes since 1919.

### **Shifting and braking**

This touring bike is suitable for all road surfaces. It has a 7-speed hub gear. A Shimano front brake and a coaster brake ensure safe braking.

### **Frame**

The frame shape of this rental bike primarily offers comfort. In the so-called wave frame, the top tube is completely missing and this enables safe mounting and dismounting. The sitting position is straight and very comfortable.

### **Saddle**

The bike has a comfortable gel saddle or a saddle equipped with Slow Fit Foam. This touring bike also has a quick release. This allows the saddle of your rental bike to be quickly adjusted to the right seating position for you without tools.

### **Tires**

This rental bike is equipped with a Schwalbe Marathon Plus tire. In this so-called "flat-less" tire, the puncture protection is incorporated into the jacket with a 5 mm thick insert made of high-quality and resilient materials. For this reason, these tires are much more resilient and offer increased protection against a flat tire.

The 21-speed touring bike with freewheel function is from the brands Schauff or Kalkhoff. The Schauff company has been manufacturing quality bikes in Remagen / Rhein since 1945, while the Kalkhoff company has been building quality bikes since 1919.

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**Shifting and braking**

This touring bike is suitable for all road surfaces. It has a 21-speed derailleur. A Shimano front and rear brake ensure safe braking.

**Frame**

This touring bike is used in two frame designs.

**Trapezoidal frame**

The frame shape of this rental bike offers comfort, sportiness and stability in one. The so-called trapezoidal frame allows deeper entry thanks to the top tube which is inclined towards the saddle, making it easy to get on and off. With this type of frame, the seating position is slightly inclined forwards.

**Wave frame**

The frame shape of this rental bike primarily offers comfort. In the so-called wave frame, the top tube is completely missing and this enables safe mounting and dismounting. The sitting position is straight and very comfortable.

**Saddle**

The bike has a comfortable gel saddle or a saddle equipped with Slow Fit Foam. This touring bike also has a quick release. This allows the saddle of your rental bike to be quickly adjusted to the right seating position for you without tools.

**Tires**

This rental bike is equipped with a Schwalbe Marathon Plus tire. In this so-called “flat-less” tire, the puncture protection is incorporated into the jacket with a 5 mm thick insert made of high-quality and resilient materials. For this reason, these tires are much more resilient and offer increased protection against a flat tire.



### **Electric Bikes- women's or men's**



The 7- or 8-speed electric bike with freewheel function is from the Kalkhoff brand. The Kalkhoff company has been building quality bicycles since 1919.

#### **Shifting and braking**

This electric bike is suitable for all road surfaces. It has a 7 or 8-speed gear hub. A high braking force and good controllability due to the hydraulic rim brakes ensure safety.

#### **engine**

This electric bike has a powerful 250W motor and a powerful 621Wh battery. The engine is extremely durable and suitable for all weather.

#### **Saddle**

The bike has a saddle equipped with memory foam. This electric bike also has a quick release. This allows the saddle of your rental bike to be quickly adjusted to the right seating position for you without tools.

#### **Tires**

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*Assisting people in realizing their touring dreams worldwide is our passion.*

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