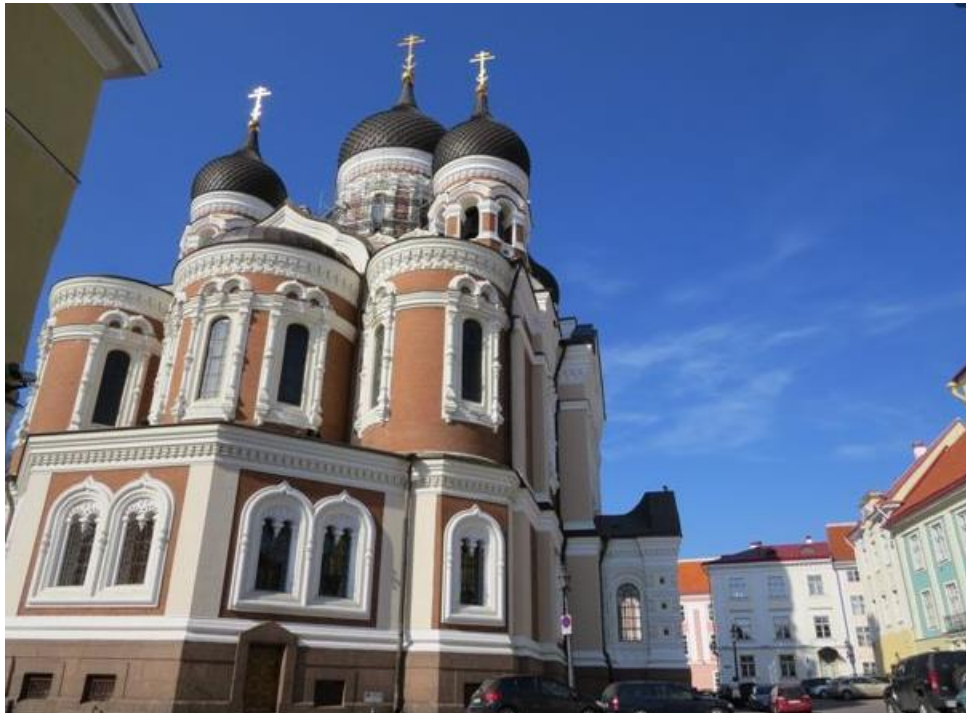




Estonia - Cycling in Estonia: Along the West Coast and Islands (2025)

12 Days / 11 Nights

Self Guided



Estonia is characterised by its unique natural landscapes and traditional hospitality. Vibrant cities, desert beaches, peace and the unspoiled beauty of the countryside - a paradise for cyclists. But it's the Estonian islands which are the jewels of the country. You'll spend your holiday on these islands which are amongst the most beautiful that the Baltic Sea has to offer. Lighthouses and windmills are the landmarks of these islands. To begin your journey, you will get to know the Estonian capital Tallinn. This tour then takes you from Haapsalu to the second largest island Hiiumaa before crossing to the biggest island, Saaremaa. En route back to the mainland, you'll cycle on the island of Muhu & from there into the summer capital of Estonia, Pärnu.

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Day 1: Arrive in Tallinn

Individual arrival in Tallinn and transfer (not included) to your hotel. Overnight at 4* hotel in Tallinn.

Day 2: Tallinn – Padise, ~65 km/41 mi.

Collect your bikes and start cycling out of Tallinn on the EuroVelo route along the northern seacoast. En route you can explore Rocca -al -Mare Open Air Museum, Türisalu Cliffs, Keila-Joa Waterfall, Padise Manor House and monastery ruins. Overnight at Kallaste tourism farm.



Day 3: Padise – Haapsalu, ~55 km/35 mi.

Explore Padise monastery ruins before starting to cycle on small asphalt roads with little traffic, but many forests and meadows. Arrive in Haapsalu, a traditional summer resort, with its picturesque small, wooden houses, castle ruins and beautiful sea promenade. Overnight at a hotel in Haapsalu.



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Day 4: Hiiumaa Island, ~38 km/24 mi.

Cycle to Rohuküla (10 km) to catch a ferry to the beautiful Estonian island of Hiiumaa (22 km/1.5 hrs). Continue cycling to Kärdla, a "capital city". Overnight at a guesthaus in Kärdla..

Day 5: Kassari & Saaremaa Island, ~55 km/35 mi. or ~80 km/50mi.

Enjoy the ride across Hiiumaa Island's wild beauty which is known as a nature lovers' paradise. Also you can visit an old wool factory or the Hiiumaa museum in Kaasari. Then your route goes to Sõru harbour and you'll continue by ferry to Saaremaa Island (15 km/1-hr). Overnight at a guesthaus in Leisi.



Day 6: Across Saaremaa Island to Kuressaare, ~51 km/33 mi.

Today's cycle route passes the Angla windmills and the Kaali meteorite crater, which is the most impressive natural monument in Estonia. Cycle to the capital of Saaremaa and home to the 13thC bishopric castle. Overnight at hotel in Kuressaare.

Day 7: Kuressaare

Free day in Kuressaare for exploring the bishopric castle, cycle to Järve beach and sand dunes - popular place for swimming and sun bathing, or take a longer ride to Sõrve peninsula which is very interesting for nature lovers, hikers and swimmers. Transfer to Sõrve peninsula one way is for extra charge. Overnight at hotel in Kuressaare.

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Day 8: Koguva & Muhu Island, ~78 km/49 mi.

Cycle on secondary roads and a 3 km long dam connecting the islands of Saaremaa and Muhu. En route to Koguva village you can stop to see the Maasi fortress ruins, small windmills, an ostrich farm and you can also make time to taste/buy homemade bread. Overnight at a guesthouse in Koguva.

Day 9: Along the Western Seacoast, ~51 km/36 mi.

Continue the tour through Muhu Island to Kuivastu harbour, take a ferry (7 km/25 min) to the mainland and cycle along the coast through a nature reserve to Varbla. Overnight at a guesthouse in Varbla.

Day 10: Varbla – Pärnu Resort, ~70 km/44 mi.

Your last cycling day will follow the seaside road passing a golf course and the sandy Valgeranna beach. Arrive in Pärnu - Estonia's summer capital & seaside resort, famous for its cultural life, many green parks, sandy beaches, etc. Overnight at a guesthouse in Pärnu.

Day 11: Pärnu – bus to Tallinn

After breakfast, leave your bikes at the guesthouse & take a public bus or private car transfer (not included) to Tallinn. Free time to explore the capital city of Estonia. Overnight at 4* hotel in Tallinn.

Day 12: Tallinn – end of the tour



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Route



Tour distances: cycling ~480 km/300 mi, ferry 44 km/28 mi.

Cycling grade: We grade this trip as easy to moderate. Daily signposted biking routes, mainly on roads with little traffic and cycle paths in towns, ranging from 38 to 78 km (24-49 miles) each day. The terrain is varied and rolling with some gradual hills on some cycling days between Tallinn and Padise. 3 ferries between the Estonian islands are planned on this tour (pay locally).

TOUR DATES 01.05 – 31.08 Sunday to Wednesday departure

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

Item	
Tour double occupancy	€1225
Tour single occupancy	€1875
Trekking bike rental (Hybrid)	€165
E-Bike rental	€285
Gravel bike rental	€200
Rental of waterproof panniers	€30

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INCLUDED

11 nights stay at the hotels/guesthouses (rooms with WC/shower)

11 x breakfast

24 hours service hotline

Individual information package (one per room): with maps and route description or electronic GPS tracks

NOT INCLUDED:

Arrival and departure transfers

Lunches & dinners

Cycle rent

Luggage transport (not possible on this route)

Train/bus tickets

Tips

ACCOMMODATION

- Middle-range hotels & guesthouses

- Rooms with shower/WC or bath/WC

Bikes

- **Comfortable trekking/hybrid bikes** with 24-speed derailleur or 8-speed internal-hub gears, hand or back-pedal brakes, all of them equipped with flatless tires, *Schwalbe Marathon Plus*, which are the most suitable for all kind of roads in the Baltics
- **E-bikes/Pedelecs** with new generation Bosch middle motor drive system and 11 ah Lithium-Ion battery for easy cycling up to 110 km / 70 mi.;
- **Road bikes, *BIANCHI*, and Cyclecross bikes, *KONA***, for good roads and sporty bikers;

This is a partner Tour for more information please contact us

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