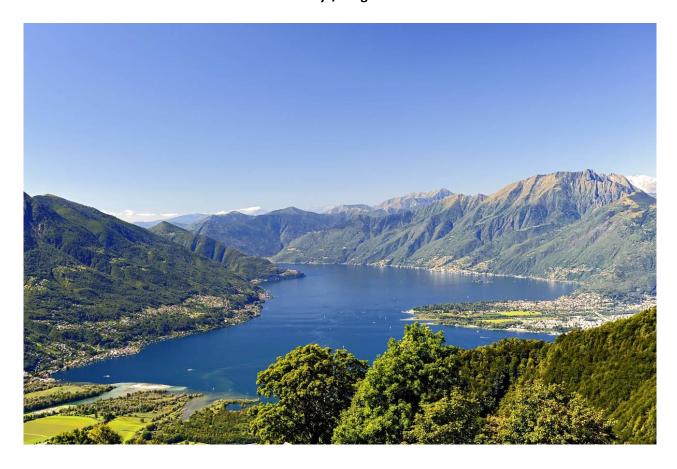


Switzerland- Centre Tour Lago Maggiore Bike Tour (2025) Individual Self-Guided 6 days/5 nights



The waters of Lago Maggiore are sparkling in the sun, couples roam down the Piazza Grande and palm trees grow on the lake promenade: when staying in Ticino, you could easily forget that you are still in Switzerland. When going on this tour you discover one of the longest Swiss valleys and visit Ticinos capital, the medieval city of Bellinzona. You get to know many sides of the southernmost Swiss canton: close to the Lago Maggiore the landscape is charming and tender, in the Maggia Valley Ticino is wild and defiant. But no matter how you discover this region: Ticino and its Lago Maggiore will put a spell on you!



Itinerary Day to Day

Day 1: Arrival to Losone

Day 2: Losone - Bellinzona - Losone 56 km

Starting at the hotel we ride in the direction of Locarno along the lake promenade and you cycle to the flat Magadino area and go past small forests and big farming areas until you reach the city walls of Ticinos capital: Bellinzona. In this town you find many old castles, hidden places and the old city wall. After a short break you go past romantic towns back to Losone.



Day 3: Circle tour Ascona, excursion to the Isles of Brissago 23 km

Today's discovery leads to the centre of Ascona. You can leave your bicycle there and take the ship to the Isles of Brissago. The Botanical Gardens house around 1,700 plant species. Back in Ascona the route leads you from the hectic city centre on small roads to the branches of the valley Centovalli. Here you have to face one short uphill before visiting sleepy villages. The route then brings you on an easy path back to Losone.

Day 4: Into the Maggia Valley 20 km

For more than 50 kilometres the river Maggia runs through the Alps before finally flowing into the Lago Maggiore. You go past the waterfall at Monte Brolla until you reach the lovely town of Maggia. There you have time for a short break and to visit the chapel of Santa Maria with its wonderful frescos.



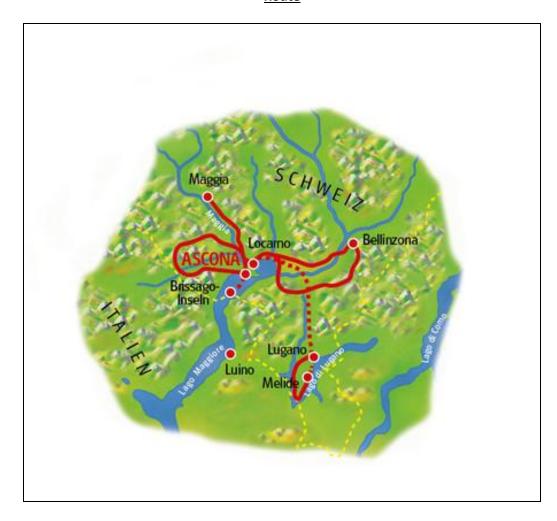
Day 5: Excursion to Lugano 19 km

By bicycle to Locarno. The train brings you to Melide. Lake Lugano can definitely compete with Locarno and Ascona. Italian Dolce Vita, colourful villages with the typical stone church towers and even palms can be discovered today! A wonderful trip completes your cycle holiday in this region.

Day 6: Departure or extra nights



Route



Technical Characteristics:

Route Profile: Easy. The tours lead on tarmac and sometimes on gravel roads. In the city centres of Locarno or Ascona the cycle paths lead through pedestrian areas. Pushing the bicycle might be necessary here. Every day you have to deal with small uphills, but these should not be obstacles even for casual cyclists. An easy tour, even for beginners.

Distance: 130 km

Travel Season: Arrival Sunday: 03/23-12/10



Price per Person in Euros all prcies subject to confirmation on booking

Double Occupancy B&B	€ 1098
Surcharge Single Room	€ 483
Rental Bike - 27 speed bike	€ 170
E-bike	€ 280
Extra Nights Double Occupancy B&B	€ 225
Extra Nights Surcharge Single Room B&B	€ 104

Accommodation:

Albergo Losone 4*

You will stay in a house with a long history. Over decades this house has developed from a simple hostel to one of the most welcoming hotels in Switzerland. Today the old manor is going to charm you with its athentic interior and spacious rooms. You can relax under palm trees at the hotel pool or at the sandy beach, go for a swim in the nearby river Maggia, use the wellness area with hammam or try your luck on the hotels own golf course.

Included:

Accommodation as mentioned incl. breakfast

Subsidy for arrival by train

Train journeys Locarno - Melide, Lugano - Locarno incl. bike

Excursion to the isles of Brissago on the 3rd day

Entrance to the castles of Bellinzona

Daily entrance to the spa incl. Hammam

Ticino Ticket with numerous inclusive services and discounts (on request at the hotel)

Carefully elaborated route description

Travel documents (1 x per room)

Navigation app and GPS data available

SwitzerlandMobility-Plus subscription for one year

Service hotline

Not included:

Tourist taxes, payable locally



Bikes

27 Gear Hybrid Bike



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