



Austria - Slovakia - Hungary - Danube Bike Path Three Country Bike Tour 2022
Individual Self-Guided
8 days/7 nights



On this bike path you will explore lowland forests, original villages and magical cities. Of course the 3 metropolises of Vienna, Bratislava and Budapest are the best-known. In Carnuntum and in the Roman castle of Kelemantia you find Roman relics from the past. Discover the diversity of the flora and fauna in the lowland forests. The small villages, which you cycle through, still keep their original charm. You pass through the Rye Island that is a real natural paradise. Don't forget the numerous castles and palaces, which are proudly situated near the Danube. The small towns along the bike trail have a special flair and their charming historic centers invite visitors to discover and enjoy. Overall this bike tour will inspire everybody!

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Itinerary Day to Day

Day 1: Individual arrival to Vienna

It is recommended to arrive early. This metropolis on the Danube has plenty to offer and it is worth it to stay there for a longer time. Enjoy a cup of coffee and the typical Vienna cake “Sachertorte” in one of the numerous coffee houses or treat yourself to a roundtrip with the horse drawn cab “Fiaker”.

Day 2 Vienna-Bratislava 68 km

The first distance of your bike trip guides you through the national park Donau-Auen. There you will get to know the diversity of the flora and fauna as well as the manifold types of landscape. You pass the castle Orth and the village Eckertsau and reach Bad Deutsch Altenburg. There you can make an excursion on the Roman bike trail (Römerweg) to Carnuntum. The archaeological park is regarded as one of the most significant archaeological sites in Austria. After Hainburg you reach the border to Slovakia and it's capital city Bratislava that is your next overnight stay.



Day 3 Bratislava-Mosonmagyaróvár – 44 km

You cycle a short distance in Slovak territory before you pass the Hungarian border in Rajká. Within the first few kilometers of your cycle trip in Hungary you will discover charming villages. The complete section is influenced by agriculture. Your route guides you through the so-called Szigetköz (a small Rye Island). This is characterized by numberless side arms of the Danube. Today's destination is Mosonmagyaróvár which is also called „City of 17 bridges“.

Day 4: Mosonmagyaróvár-Győr 41 km

Also today you cycle through the nature paradise of the small Rye Island. On your way you pass Hédervár, which is perfectly suitable for lunch break. The castle is situated in the middle of a protected park. You should schedule a plenty of time for visiting Győr. The district capital offers many sights and a breathtaking historic center.

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Day 5: Győr - Komárom 55 km

Soon you reach the Hungarian Böny. From there the route guides you to Bábolna, a well cultivated town with a beautiful inner city. The local National Stud is known far beyond its borders. Racehorses are bred in the splendid inner courtyard. The last part of the route takes you back to the Danube. Then you reach the divided town of Komárom/Komárno. At night you can relax in the local spa.

Day 6: Komárom - Visegrád 56 km + trip by boat

Today's route runs near riverbanks in the flat Danube valley. In the course of this you pass different villages and while cycling you can view the vineyards in the background. The sporty bikers can choose a route over Tata but there are some increases. This requires a basic level of fitness. Those interested in history should plan time for the Roman castle Kelemantia which is on the way. However the absolute highlight is your destination today: Esztergom (also known as "Hungarian Rome"). It's basilica is the largest church of the country. Take time for a comprehensive visit, before you will board a riverboat, which takes you to your destination Visegrád. Amazing views into the beautiful landscape of the so called "Donauknie" will impress you.



Day 7: Visegrád – Budapest 56 km

The Royal Palace and the castle of Visegrád will delight you and the open air museum as well as the baroque old town of Szentendre invites you to stay. The first part of today will guide you again through the "Donauknie", probably the most attractive section of the Danube bike trail at all. Soon you will arrive in Budapest, where you can review all impressions of this wonderful bike trip during a walk through the city.



Day 8: Individual departure, transfer to Vienna or extension

In the Hungarian capital city there are many things to discover. If you are interested, we would be pleased to book some extra nights for you.

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Route



Technical Characteristics:

Route Profile: Relatively Easy. You cycle on bike trails, alongside a dam and partly on relatively quiet side roads. Busy roads are of short term duration. You cycle on unpaved paths only for 3 short distances; otherwise you will find asphalted roads. On the whole the route is signed very well with a few exceptions in the Slovakian part. Altogether the tour is relatively easy with slightly increases in some sections.

Distance: 297 km

Travel Season: Departures between April 2 and October 8

Season 1: Saturday departures April 2 – April 21 and September 24 – October 8

Season 2: Friday, Saturday or Sunday departure April 22 – June 30 and September 2 – September 23

Season 3: Daily arrival July 1 – September 1

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Price per Person:	Category A	Category B
Season 1 Double Occupancy B&B	€ 699.00	€ 599.00
Season 2 Double Occupancy B&B	€ 779.00	€ 669.00
Season 3 Double Occupancy B&B	€ 829.00	€ 719.00
Surcharge Single Room	€ 359.00	€ 229.00
Surcharge Half Board	€ 129.00	€ 99.00
Rental Bike (21 or 7 speed)	€ 89.00	
E-Bike	€ 199.00	
Extra Nights in Vienna Double Occupancy	€ 69.00	€ 59.00
Extra Nights in Vienna Single Occupancy	€ 115.00	€ 99.00
Extra Nights in Bratislava Double Occupancy	€ 70.00	€ 50.00
Extra Nights in Bratislava Single Occupancy	€ 120.00	€ 85.00
Extra Nights in Budapest Double Occupancy	€ 70.00	€ 55.00
Extra Nights in Budapest Single Occupancy	€ 129.00	€ 95.00

Accommodation:

Category A: Accommodation in well selected hotels 4*

Category B: Accommodation in chosen guest houses, hotels, and inns 3*

Included:

- Overnight stays in chosen category
- Breakfast (buffet style)
- If half board: 5 x 3course dinner (in Vienna and Budapest only B&B)
- Luggage transport from hotel to hotel
- 7 day service hotline
- Well planned route guidance
- Detailed travel documents
- Personal welcome meeting and bike fitting
- Boat ticket from Esztergom to Visegrád including transfer of bikes (not possible in April, September, and October; boat does not run on Mondays, too - a train ticket is included instead)
- Rental bike insurance
- GPS tracks on request available

Not Included:

- Visitors taxes if applicable

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Bikes



Hybrid Bike

Unisex frame 21-gears with free wheel sizes: 56 / 51 / 46 / 43 cm

Unisex 7-gears-bikes with back pedaling brake sizes: 56 / 51 / 46 cm

Men's speed bikes 21-gears with free wheel and crossbar sizes: 64 / 60 / 56
"slopping" cm (note: a reservation is necessary!)

Also includes Saddle bag (water-repellent), handlebar bag (water-repellent), service-Set with tools and extra bicycle tube, pump and combination lock



Electric Bike

A Pedelec is an electro bike which assists with electric support only when pedaling. Composed on basis of KTM-bikes, adequate for our missions. The bike is easy to handle as you have a good weight distribution and a low balance point. Overall weight amounts to approx. 23 kg. An illuminated LCD display, a computer and a wattage display add to the comfort.

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