



**France – Vineyards and Villages Bike Tour (2024)**  
**Individual Self-Guided**  
**7 days / 6 nights**



An easy route to appreciate all the charms of Alsace. Discover the traditional and picturesque Alsace, the one from the postcards but also the unusual and little-known one. You will cycle through cities of art and history as well as villages snuggled up in the vine yards. Have a taste of their wood framing and half-timbered architecture throughout stages full of charm. People's friendliness, traditions and a rich gastronomy along with all the different aromas of the wines of Alsace make it a lovely region we wish you to enjoy exploring on your bike!

**Highlights**

- Nature and landscape by the Rhine
- Cities of Strasbourg and Colmar
- Alsace Wine Route and its typical villages
- The lovely Wine Route cycle paths and along the Rhine and its canals



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### Itinerary Day to Day

#### **Day 1: Arrival in Strasbourg**

Arrival in Strasbourg, settling into the hotel and free time to explore the town.

#### **Day 2: Strasbourg – Sélestat Area 26 or 55 Or 65 km**

You will leave Strasbourg following the Rhone to Rhine canal to reach Osthouse, Saint-Hippolyte or Sélestat, a city rich in a remarkable ancient architectural heritage



#### **Day 3: Sélestat Area – Colmar 60, 65 or 50 km**

After visiting the beautiful baroque abbey of Ebersmunster, you will cross the traditional villages of the Ried. This area bordered by the Ill and the Rhine is crisscrossed by multiple waterways where a rich fauna and flora flourish. After following the canal, you will arrive in Colmar, a city of art with an exceptionally well-preserved historical center



#### **Day 4: Colmar – Guebwiller 35 or 45 km**

Take advantage of this short stage to deepen your visit of Colmar in the morning. Do not miss the opportunity to contemplate the Issenheim Altarpiece, a masterpiece of the Rhenish Renaissance preserved in the chapel of the Unterlinden Museum, which houses many other treasures. You will then drive to Westhalten or Guebwiller, a wine-producing village located at the foot of the Grand Ballon Kaysersberg and Riquewihr.

#### **Day 5: Guebwiller area - Riquewihr area ≈ 50 or 40 km**

You will take the Route des Vins, a mythical itinerary with exceptional landscapes and wine cities animated by passionate winegrowers. At the foot of the Vosges Mountains, it will make you discover charming villages that make the fame of the Alsatian great wines: Eguisheim, Turckheim, Kaysersberg and Riquewihr

#### **Day 6: Riquewihr area - Obernai area ≈ 35 or 50 km**

Still along the Wine Route, you will discover the villages of Hunawihr, Ribeauvillé, Bergheim, Andlau and its Roman abbey, before arriving at your hotel. Each of these villages offers numerous possibilities for visits dedicated to biodiversity, culture and local folk arts and traditions. You will be staying either in Andlau or Obernai.

#### **Day 7: Obernai area - Strasbourg ≈ 55 or 40 km In Rosheim,**

you will discover the Saints-Pierre-et-Paul church, one of the jewels of Alsatian Roman architecture. In Molsheim, you will join the bicycle path of the Bruche canal that will lead you to the heart of Strasbourg. The reunion with the European capital, its art of living and its gastronomy, will conclude your stay in beauty. Departure or extension of the stay

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### Route



### Technical Characteristics

**Tour Profile:** Fairly Easy. You will ride mainly on cycle paths, on minor agricultural tarred roads or on little secondary roads without much traffic. Days 5 and 6 are a little bit hilly.

**Distance:** 280 km

**Travel Season: Every day between 30.03. and 05.10.**

Season 1: 30.03. – 12.04.

Season 2: 13.04. – 31.05. | 28.09. – 05.10.

Season 3: 01.06. – 27.09



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**Prices per person in euros**

	Category A	Category B
Season 1 Double Occupancy B&B	€999	€899
Season 2 Double Occupancy B&B	€1079	€979
Season 3 Double Occupancy B&B	€1149	€1039
Supplement Single Room	€459	€379
Bike Rental 7 gears or 21 gears	€99	
Electric Bike	€259	
Extra Nights Strasbourg Double Occupancy B&B	---	On request
Extra Nights Strasbourg Single Occupancy B&B		On request

*All prices subject to*

*confirmation on booking*

**Accommodation:**

**Category A:** Overnight stays in 3\* hotels

**Category B:** Overnight stays in 2\* and 3\* hotels

**Included**

- Accommodation in the selected category
- Breakfast
- Luggage transfer from hotel to hotel
- Well-prepared route guidance
- Detailed travel documents 1x per room (EN, GE, FR)
- Own signposting
- GPS data available
- Service Hotline

**Things to note**

- Tourist tax, if due, is not included in the price

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## Bikes

### **Hybrid Bikes**

#### **Mens or Unisex**

Make: In-house production based on KTM-bikes

Gear change: Shimano Alivia 21-gear-derailleur gears with freewheel or  
7-gear NEXUS hub gears with backpedalling  
brake hub

Gear transmission ratio: 21-gear bike: 22/32/42 (front) or  
11/13/15/18/21/24/28 (back)

Brakes: Shimano V-Brake

Accessories: Shimano

Saddle: Royal Comfort

Frame: Aluminium

Tyres: 28"

Diameter Seat post: 27,2 mm

Frame Sizes: Extra-Small Small Medium Large Extra-Large

**Children's Equipment (on request)**



### **Electro Bikes Unisex (2 models, on request, subject to availability)**

#### **In-house production based on KTM-bikes**

Motor 36 Volt Panasonic

Battery 500 Wh

Gear change Shimano 8-gear Nexus hub gears with back-pedalling brake  
hub

#### **Vélo de ville**

Motor Bosch Active line, 3rd gen

Battery 500 Wh

Gear change Shimano 8-gear Nexus hub gears with back-pedalling brake  
hub



### **General**

· If you bring your own saddle, we recommend you also bring an adaptor, since the diameter (27,2 mm)  
of the seat pole can vary depending on the model of the bike.

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