

















Lake Constance and Rhine Falls

Cycle touring around the Bodensee

The Lake Constance Cycle Path begins in Constance, serving as the perfect starting point for this magnificent cycling adventure. After a leisurely exploration of the city and a side trip to the enchanting Mainau Island, your journey continues along the shores of the Dreiländersee. Situated at the heart of Europe, this remarkable route allows you to immerse yourself in the splendid landscapes of Austria, Germany, and Switzerland.

This cycling excursion is distinguished by its captivating holiday atmosphere, the rich tapestry of cultures it offers, and the stunning natural beauty that defines the region. As you pedal along, you'll have the opportunity to witness the charm of the water's edge and the picturesque towns that dot the landscape, all from a unique and exhilarating perspective on your bicycle.

Whether you're planning a family vacation or seeking an extraordinary adventure, the Lake Constance Cycle Path is an ideal choice. Get ready to embark on a memorable journey around one of Europe's most stunning destinations.

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Details about the Lake Constance and Rhine Falls cycling holiday

On the Lake Constance Cycle Path, you'll pedal from one charming location to the next along the Dreiländersee. What's particularly appealing is that this cycling tour offers you a choice between two distinct routes. The decision of which route to follow is entirely yours to make.

In the first option, you'll explore the towns of Radolfzell, Überlingen, Lingen, and Arbon. Alternatively, the second variant, labelled Route B, takes you through Kressbronn, Nonnenhorn, Höchst, and Rorschach. The only variation between these routes lies in the daily distances you'll cover.

Should you wish to take a break or simply relax, the journey back to Constance becomes a breeze with an enjoyable boat trip. It's the perfect way to round off your cycling adventure around Lake Constance.

Highlights of the cycle tour around Lake Constance

- **Friedrichshafen:** Your cycling journey takes you through picturesque vineyards as you approach the renowned town of Friedrichshafen. Along the way, make sure to include these cultural highlights in your itinerary: Explore the baroque Wallfahrtskirche Basilika in Birnau, an architectural gem with stunning artistry. Immerse yourself in the world of aviation at the Zeppelin Museum, where you can learn about the history of airships and their impact on the region.
- **Bregenz:** As you depart from Bavarian Lindau and make your way to Austria, you'll encounter another remarkable destination. In Bregenz, the capital of Vorarlberg, the renowned Bregenz Festival graces the world's largest floating stage annually. While in Bregenz, don't miss out on these experiences: Revel in the charm of the city itself, with its scenic lakeside setting and historic landmarks or treat your taste buds to the delights of traditional Austrian cuisine in local eateries.
- **Rhine Falls:** No trip to the Lake Constance region would be complete without a visit to the magnificent Rhine Falls, one of Europe's most impressive waterfalls. Here, you can: Witness the sheer power and beauty of the Rhine Falls, as cascading waters create a breathtaking spectacle. Take a boat ride to get up close and personal with the falls, feeling the spray on your face and enjoying unparalleled views.

Interesting facts about the Lake Constance and the Rhine Falls cycle route

In eight delightful days, you'll cover a total of 235 kilometres as you circle Lake Constance. This journey places a strong emphasis on enjoying the natural beauty and unique experiences offered by the Dreiländersee region. Except for the initial three hilly stages, the majority of the cycling route is relatively flat, which means that the Lake Constance cycle tour is exceptionally family-friendly.

Should the youngsters need a break or a change of pace, rest assured that relaxation is on the horizon during the boat trip on the final section of your adventure. This guarantees a well-rounded and enjoyable experience for all.

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Tour information



Medium



8 Days / 7 Nights



Self-Guided



Luggage transfers included



Total cycling distance: approx.
320 km

To the online version



Itinerary

DAY 1	Arrival in Constance/Konstanz	
Take a leisurely stroll through the meticulously preserved old town of Constance, which features the Council House, the Munster, and a labyrinth of charming narrow alleyways in Niederburg. And, of course, don't miss the Mediterranean-style harbour, graced by the iconic statue "Imperia."		
DAY 2	Constance – Ludwigshafen/ Überlingen (Cat. B)	approx. 35 - 50 km
As you pedal along, you'll pass through the historic imperial spa town of Radolfzell before continuing towards Bodanrück and then reaching Lake Überlinger See, which shares its name with the town you're about to explore.		
DAY 3	Überlingen – Ludwigshafen/ Überlingen - Kressbronn/Nonnenhorn (Cat. B)	approx.45 - 60 km
On your route to Friedrichshafen, you'll come across the stunning baroque pilgrimage church, Birnau, as well as the charming old city of Meersburg. Upon reaching Nonnenhorn, you'll reach the former Bavarian border. Your overnight accommodations will be in the category you've reserved.		
DAY 4	Kressbronn/Lindau – Kressbronn/Nonnenhorn – Höchst/Rorschach (Cat. B)	approx. 30 -55 km
Today's leg of your journey takes you to Lindau and Bregenz, renowned for its annual festivals held on the world's largest outdoor stage, situated right on the lake. Following your time in Bregenz, you'll traverse the Rhine Delta, a significant nature reserve.		

DAY
5**Höchst/Rorschach – Constance
(Cat. B)**approx. 35/60
km

You'll make your way to Romanshorn, Switzerland's largest harbour, and then continue your ride alongside the lake as you head back to Constance. During this leg of the journey, you also have the opportunity to visit the captivating island of Mainau.

DAY
6**Constance – Schaffhausen**

approx. 50 km

You'll pedal along the picturesque Swiss fishing villages that adorn the southern bank of Lake Untersee, making your way to Stein on the Rhine, and from there, continuing on to Schaffhausen.

DAY
7**Schaffhausen – Rhine
waterfalls – Constance**approx. 45 km +
Boat trip

You'll embark on an excursion to the Rhine waterfalls before making your way to the other side of the Rhine and returning to Stein on the Rhine. Following this, you'll ride alongside the Höri River to Gaienhofen. Here, you'll board a boat to reach the island of Reichenau and eventually make your way back to Constance.

DAY
8**Departure or extension**

Departure from Lake Constance or spend extra nights exploring the many towns around the lake.

Route information

The initial three stages of the journey feature some gentle hills. However, for the most part, the Lake Constance cycle path follows the lakeside, offering predominantly flat terrain with minimal traffic. At times, you'll traverse minor roads, which provide stunning scenic vistas, making this route well-suited for families.



Prices and dates

Price calculation and check availability: **Lake Constance and Rhine Falls**

Place of arrival: Constance

	Season 1	Season 2	Season 3	Season 4
	14.04.2024	26.04.2024	04.05.2024 - 16.05.2024	17.05.2024 -
	-	-	20.05.2024 - 23.05.2024	19.05.2024
	25.04.2024	03.05.2024	02.06.2024 - 28.06.2024	24.05.2024 -
	30.09.2024	15.09.2024	25.08.2024 - 14.09.2024	01.06.2024
	-	-	Daily	29.06.2024 -
	03.10.2024	29.09.2024		24.08.2024
	Daily	Daily		Daily
Lake Constance and Rhine Falls, Cat. B, DE-BORKK-08B				
Base price	789.00	879.00	1,009.00	1,049.00
Single room surcharge	229.00	229.00	229.00	229.00

Category A: Hotels of national 3*** and 4**** level
Category B: Hotels, inns, and guest houses of 2** and 3*** level

Additional nights

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Season 1	Season 2	Season 3	Season 4
Apr 14, 2024 - Apr 25, 2024	Apr 26, 2024 - May 3, 2024	May 4, 2024 - May 16, 2024	May 17, 2024 - May 19, 2024
Sep 30, 2024 - Oct 3, 2024	Sep 15, 2024 - Sep 29, 2024	May 20, 2024 - May 23, 2024	May 24, 2024 - Jun 1, 2024
Daily	Daily	Jun 2, 2024 - Jun 28, 2024	Jun 29, 2024 - Aug 24, 2024
		Aug 25, 2024 - Sep 14, 2024	Daily
		Daily	

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Double room p.p. Cat. B	65.00	65.00	65.00	65.00
Single room surcharge	39.00	39.00	39.00	39.00

Our rental bikes

	Price
27-Speed Unisex Bike	89.00
27-Speed Men's Bike	89.00
8-Speed Unisex Bike	89.00
8-Speed Men's Bike	89.00
Unisex E-Bike	239.00

Prices per person in GBP

Included services and travel information

Services

Included:

- Accommodation in your selected category
- Breakfast
- Luggage transfer
- Detailed travel documents 1x per room (DE, EN, FR, NL, FR, IT, ES)
- 1 Entrance rosarium museum Constance, 1 cup of coffee is included
- 1 Boat ride Rhine waterfalls
- 1 Boat ride Gaienhofen – Reichenau incl. bike
- GPS-data
- Service hotline

Optional extras:

- Bike rental, including rental bike insurance

Arrival information

Arrival / Parking / Departure:

- Constance train station
- Zürich, Friedrichshafen or Stuttgart airport(s)
- In Constance you can park at the office for EUR 49 for the duration of your tour, reservation is necessary, to be paid for in advance
- Public multi-storey car parks (Fischermarkt, Dammgasse, Lago, Altstadt, Benediktinerplatz, for approx. EUR 25 per day, no reservation possible, to be paid for at the time
- Limited parking spaces available at the hotels with fee, no reservation possible

Things to note:

- Tourist tax, if due, is not included in the price!
- Further important information according to the package travel law can be found [here!](#)

Detailed Information:

- It is possible to begin from any stage destination.

