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CYCLING HOLIDAYS NORTH-SOUTH GOTTHARD & TESSIN

Cycling: North-South-Route

Across the alps from Altdorf to Mendrisio

The North-South Route connects two of the most beautiful cities of Switzerland. It starts in Altdorf and goes further through central Switzerland and up towards Gotthard pass. Then you roll past the castles of Bellinzona and continue to Monte Ceneri with a marvellous view over the lake Lago Maggiore. The last kilometres you enjoy on quiet roads to the sparkling waters of Lago di Lugano.

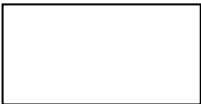


6 Days / 5 Nights



Self-guided tour

To the online version



ITINERARY

DAY
1

Arrival to Altdorf | Altdorf – Göschenen

The tour through the Reuss plain to Amsteg is flat and easy to master. Continue through the Urnerland, where the wild Reuss river roars down the Schöllenen Gorge between steep mountain flanks and under the Devil’s Bridge.

 approx. 30 km  800 m  130 m

DAY
2

Göschenen – Airolo

Optional train ride between Göschenen and Andermatt and then up to the Gotthard Pass. Alpine transit route of European importance. Whether on horseback, by train, car or bicycle: everything wanted and still wants to go south over the Gotthard.

 approx. 30 km  1'050 m  1'015 m

DAY
3

Airolo – Biasca

The Leventina has been a transit corridor since time immemorial. The further south you go, the milder the climate becomes.

 approx. 40 km  145 m  1'015 m

DAY
4

Biasca – Bellinzona

You drive effortlessly along the Ticino river, soon passing chestnut trees and vineyards. Bellinzona is called “Turrita” because of its three castles.

 approx. 25 km  100 m  160 m

DAY
5

Bellinzona – Agno | by train to Lugano

Drive to Cadenazzo and by train to Rivera Bironico. From Monte Ceneri a clear view of the vegetable garden of Ticino and Lake Maggiore. From Agno by train to the centre of Lugano.

 approx. 35 km + train ride  475 m  415 m

DAY
6

Train back to Agno | Agno – Mendrisio | Departure or extension

Train ride back to Agno. The postcard beauty of the blue Lago di Lugano is, for thousands, an intimate holiday dream, Morcote as a photo motif. The Mendrisiotto, the largest wine-growing area in Ticino with numerous oenogastronomic offerings, is located in the southernmost tip of Switzerland.

 approx. 30 km + train ride  245 m  180 m

TOUR CHARACTER

The ride across the Alps is made somewhat easier by the short stages. From Amsteg steadily uphill and after the pass steadily downhill. Traffic must be expected around the urban centres. Cobblestones on the Tremolastrasse on the Gotthard.

The North-South Route at SwitzerlandMobility

- [Details about the route](#)



PRICES & DATES

PLACE OF ARRIVAL: ALTDORF

Season 1	Season 2
14.09.2024 - 29.09.2024 Arrival daily	15.06.2024 - 13.09.2024 Arrival daily

North-South-Route Gotthard & Ticino, 6 days, CH-TSRAM-06X

Base price	939.-	1'035.-
Surcharge single room	325.-	325.-

Category: 3*-Hotels

ADDITIONAL NIGHTS

PLACE OF ARRIVAL: ALTDORF

Season 1	Season 2
Sep 14, 2024 - Sep 29, 2024 Arrival daily	Jun 15, 2024 - Sep 13, 2024 Arrival daily

Altdorf

Double room p. P.	109.-	109.-
Surcharge single room	30.-	30.-

Mendrisio

Double room p. P.	109.-	109.-
Surcharge single room	55.-	55.-

Our rental bikes

Price

Countrybike 27-gear	135.-
Electric bicycle	249.-

Prices per person in CHF

SERVICES & INFORMATION

Services

Included

- Overnight stays according to the program incl. breakfast
- Daily luggage transfers
- Costs for luggage pick-up at the station (for direct arrival and departure)
- Subsidy for arrival by train
- Ticino Ticket with numerous inclusive services and discounts (upon request at the hotel)
- Boat ride Beckenried – Flüelen (bicycle included)
- Carefully elaborated route description
- Travel documents (1 x per room)
- Navigation app and GPS-data
- SwitzerlandMobility-Plus subscription for one year
- Service hotline

Note:

- Tickets for bicycles on the train Cadenazzo – Rivera-Bironico and Bioggio-Molinazzo – Lugano (return) (approx. CHF 5.-)
- Tourist tax, if due, is not included in the price
- Reservation fee of CHF 20.- per adult (incl. legally required customer money protection)

Information

Arrival/Departure:

- Arrival by public transport to Altdorf. Suitcases to be handed in at the luggage counter by 10:00 a.m. at the latest.
- Departure by public transport from Mendrisio. Suitcases will be returned to the partner hotel by 5:00 p.m. at the latest.

Arrival by train:

Leave the car at home! For every bike, biking or hiking tour in Switzerland, you will receive an SBB coupon per participant, which you can use to **deduct CHF 10 from the ticket price** for traveling by train. The reduction can be obtained in the SBB online store or in the SBB app.

On many trips, we use the luggage counters at the stations at the beginning and at the end to hand over the suitcases. You can conveniently combine this right away when you arrive by train. **If you are a GA owner, you can provide this information when booking. We will credit you the amount on the invoice.** If you don't need the coupon for the trip itself, you can use it during the year. Unfortunately, a retroactive refund is not possible for administrative reasons.

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- Luggage tags
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- Any vouchers

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