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## *Provence and Camargue*

### **SUR LE PONT D'AVIGNON...**

The cycling holiday in Provence and Camargue is a holiday for all the senses! Your eyes will hardly be able to get enough of the landscapes that pass you while cycling. The nose sniffs lavender and sea and freshly baked bread and fruit on the markets. Take your shoes off during a break and feel the grass and warm stones under your feet. Of course, eating in France is not neglected! What do you say about bouillabaisse, ratatouille or crispy fried fish?

### *Details about cycling holidays in Provence and Camargue*

Nothing is more suitable than a cycling holiday to immerse yourself in the landscapes of the most beautiful regions in Europe. This definitely includes southern France with Provence and Camargue. For eight days you will go on a discovery tour to the most beautiful places and collect memories to take home. You will see: at the end of the eight days, you will definitely have fallen in love with the southern serenity.

### *Highlights of the South of France cycle tour at a glance:*

- Picture book Provence: Strong violet of the lavender fields, bright red of the tomatoes in the markets, deep blue sky – Provence is a real explosion of colours.
- Impressive Camargue: The protected marshland in the Rhônedelta is known for pink flamingos and white horses. A spectacular contrast to Provence!
- From antiquity to the Middle Ages to the present day: Culture in the South of France reflects the eventful history of the region. Be it a visit to the Papal Palace in Avignon, the Carré d'art by Norman Foster in Nîmes or the famous aqueduct Pont-du-Gard.

### *Useful information about the cycle tour in the South of France*

## Medium



8 Days / 7 Nights



Self-guided Tour

## To the online version



# Itinerary

DAY  
1

## *Arrival in Orange*

Enjoy the city with the wonderful architectural monuments from Roman times. The great theatre and the triumph arch are historical witnesses from this epoch. The old town attracts with Provençal charm as well as small pretty shops and cafés.

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DAY  
2

## *Orange – Châteauneuf-du-Pape – Avignon* | approx. 50 km

The first stage takes you into the world-famous wine town Châteauneuf-du-Pape. A stroll through the town should not be missed/ You travel to the city of Avignon along the Rhône on cycle paths and without the bother of car traffic. We recommend a stroll through the old town (guided options include a guided tour of the city) with a visit to the pope palace.

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DAY  
3

## *Avignon – St. Rémy – Arles* | approx. 55 km

Without any difficulty and once again with hardly any traffic you leave the town and cycle directly to St. Rémy, probably the most beautiful and certainly the most typical town in the Provence. Nothing surpasses the hustle and bustle, the blaze of colour and the richness of herb scents under the shadow-offering plane trees in the ancient alleys of the old town/ The effort of the ascent to the Alpilles is rewarded with great views of the Les Baux/ Because of the harmonic location of the village and because of the fortress ruins, Les Baux is also known as the "city in rock". Chosen small paths and tiny streets take you to Arles. Roman culture and Romanesque heritage characterise the cityscape and the history of Arles. Arles was the second-biggest city of the Roman Empire; it is also the city of Vincent van Gogh. Your hotel accommodates you for the next two nights.

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DAY  
4*Arles – Camargue – Arles* | approx. 45 km

Half sea, half land – the Camargue is a unique natural landscape with brackish water lakes, vast salt steppes, wild horses and the famous pink flamingos. Small paths take you into the unique nature reserve. In Mejanes with the Arena you have the opportunity of travelling with a small train through unspoilt nature and to admire, with some luck, flamingos and wild bulls. The route takes you on almost traffic-free paths back to Arles (guided options include a guided tour of the city).

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DAY  
5*Arles – Nimes* | approx. 50 km

In the morning you will cycle through the cities Tarascon and Beaucaire which are disconnected because of the river Rhone. Sights of these cities are their castles from the 12th century. Many cafés at the canal are inviting you to make a break. In Nimes you can have a look at the buildings which are built by the Romans. On the one hand the arena, the Maison Carrée or the Tour Magne, but on the other hand also a lot of modern buildings, for example the Carré d'art from Norman Foster.

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DAY  
6*Nimes – Pont-du-Gard – Uzès* | approx. 50 km

The fortress of Tarascon, located high above the Rhône, accompanies you for a while through the vineyards of Costières-de-Nimes. About noon you will already see Pont-du-Gard, the famous aqueduct from Roman times, world heritage as well. Aromatic plants such as lavender, thyme and rosemary accompany you into the pretty Provençal town of Uzès, which attracts with its magical, medieval charm. Among other places of interest, the unique market square, surrounded by arcades, is worthwhile.

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DAY  
7*Uzès – Orange* | approx. 55 km

Today the landscape changes once again/ The last stage takes you through the hilly landscape of the Garrigue, with its oaks and Mediterranean herbs. Later on, the vineyards and the lovely orchards of the Provence take over once again/ On the other side of the river you cycle through other famous wine regions of the Côte du Rhône (Lirac, Laudan) and reach the city of Orange again in the afternoon.

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## *Departure or extension*

After breakfast individual departure or additional nights in Orange.

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# Tour character

Easy – middle hard: Apart from a few small ascents in the hilly landscapes of the Garrigue and the Alpilles, the route is easy and varied, suitable even for inexperienced cyclists. You mostly bike on small streets with less traffic and on asphalted paths.



# Prices and events

*Place of arrival: Orange*

	<b>Season 1</b> 19.03.2022 - 03.06.2022   04.10.2022 - 17.10.2022   arrival monday and saturday	<b>Season 2</b> 04.06.2022 - 27.06.2022   07.08.2022 - 03.10.2022   arrival monday and saturday	<b>Season 3</b> 28.06.2022 - 06.08.2022   arrival monday and saturday
<b>Provence and Camargue, 8 days, cat. A, FR-PRRHP-08A</b>			
Base price	919.00	949.00	979.00
Surcharge half board 7x (evening meal: mostly multi-course, sometimes outside the property, payable with voucher)	210.00	210.00	210.00
Surcharge single room	200.00	200.00	200.00
<b>Provence and Camargue, 8 days, cat. B, FR-PRRHP-08B</b>			
Base price	819.00	849.00	879.00
Surcharge half board 7x (evening meal: mostly multi-course, sometimes outside the property, payable with voucher)	195.00	195.00	195.00
Surcharge single room	180.00	180.00	180.00

Category A: 3\*\*\* and 1x 4\*\*\*\* hotel in Orange (French classification)

Category B: 2\*\* - and 3\*\*\*-hotels (French classification)

# Additional nights

*Place of arrival: Orange*

	<b>Season 1</b> Mar 19, 2022 - Jun 3, 2022   Oct 4, 2022 - Oct 17, 2022   arrival monday and saturday	<b>Season 2</b> Jun 4, 2022 - Jun 27, 2022   Aug 7, 2022 - Oct 3, 2022   arrival monday and saturday	<b>Season 3</b> Jun 28, 2022 - Aug 6, 2022   arrival monday and saturday
<b>Orange</b>			
Double room p. P. cat. A	6500	6500	6500
Surcharge single room	40.00	40.00	40.00
<b>Orange</b>			
Double room p. P. cat. B	5500	5500	5500
Surcharge single room	30.00	30.00	30.00

## Our rental bikes

	<i>Filter</i>
<b>21-gear unisex</b>	89.00
<b>21-gear gents</b>	89.00
<b>7-gear unisex</b>	89.00
<b>7-gear gents</b>	89.00
<b>Rental bike PLUS</b>	139.00
<b>Electric bike</b>	199.00

Prices per person in EUR

# Services and infos

## Services

### Included:

- Accommodation in your selected category
- Breakfast
- Welcome briefing (German, English)
- Luggage transfer
- Well elaborated route
- Detailed travel documents 1x per room (German, English, French)
- GPS-Data is available
- Service-hotline

### Optional extras:

- Half-board evening meal (mostly multi-course, sometimes outside the property, payable with voucher)
- Bike rental, including rental bike insurance

## Infos

### Arrival / Parking / Departure:

- Orange central train station
- Marseille or Lyon airport
- Parking possibilities
  - Category A: Free parking at the hotel, no reservation possible
  - Category B: Multi-storey car park costs EUR 10 per day, 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!](#)

# Contact & booking

Do you still have questions about the tour? We are happy to help and look forward to your inquiry.



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