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Gherkins Cycle Path

SPREE FOREST ROMANTIC ON THE GHERKINS CYCLE PATH.

Explore the Upper and Lower Spree Forest. Enjoy a relaxing boat ride on the quiet Spree River from the towns of Lübben or Lübbenau.

Medium



 7 Days / 6 Nights

 Self-guided Tour

To the online version



Itinerary

DAY
1

Arrival Cottbus

Individual arrival. The metropolitan city in the Lausitz region is one of Germany's greenest cities with several parks. The Branitz Park, laid out by Prince Pückler, the castle, the pyramids, and the old town with its fortress and fascinating architecture are definitely worth seeing. There are many restaurants to choose from to round out your evening.

DAY
2

Cottbus – Lübbenau/surrounding | approx. 45-60 km

Burg, the gate to the Spree Forest is reached quickly. A short sidetrip to the museum of white storks is recommended. The route brings you to Lehde, the famous village in Spree Forest with his origin character. Many farm houses are reachable only by pedestrian bridges or by boat. The most important transport vehicle still is the boat. The open air museum is worth a visit.

DAY
3

Lübbenau/surrounding – Krausnick/Schlepzig

| approx. 50-75 km

You leave Lübbenau but not before enjoying the varied shops at one of the little ports. In Lübben you reach the Lower Spree Forest. You have now to decide to cycle via Golßen or taking the route via Köthener See. An excursion to the Tropical Island (to be organized by your own) would be worth it

DAY
4

Krausnick/Schlepzig – Lübben/surrounding

| approx. 60-65 km

The lakes Neuendorfer and Groß Leuthener See offer lots of bathing fun before you cycle to the most beautiful village within the Lower Spree Forest – Schlepzig. Here many attractions are waiting – a regional Museum of farmers, a private brewery, the information center Spree Forest and some nice locations to drink and eat something. Passing the wonderful landscape of lakes you cycle back to Lübben.

DAY
5*Lübben/surrounding – Burg* | approx. 35 km

If you want you can have a paddle tour with a canoe to experience the Spree Forest from the river side (organized by yourselves) for one or two hours. With your bike you cycle then till Burg. You may want to take a small detour through Alt Zauche to Straupitz and visit the church conceptualized by the late architect, Schinkel. The linseed oil mill is also a great point of interest.

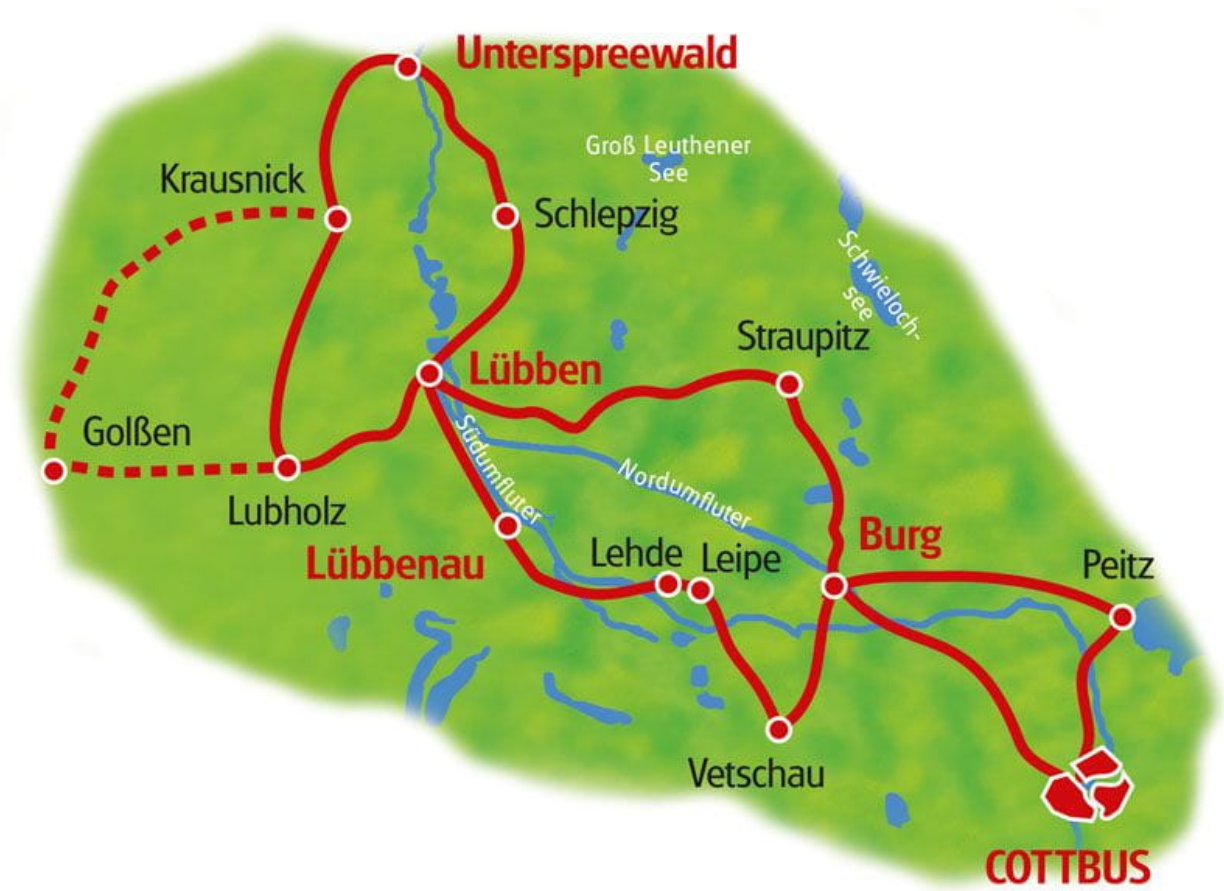
DAY
6*Burg – Cottbus* | approx. 45 km

You cycle on the former Spree Forest train trail. You pass the stork village Dissen with the interesting museum of local history. You experience the successful renaturation of the Spree between Dissen and Maiberg. Then you arrive in Peitz an old fortress town and cycle through the lakes of Peitz. Before reaching Cottbus you should take a look into the brown coal mining Lakoma.

DAY
7*Departure or extension*

Tour character

Easy to cycle. Route without gradients in mostly flat areas.



Prices and events

Place of arrival: Cottbus

	Season 1 24.04.2021 - 15.05.2021 13.09.2021 - 25.09.2021 Arrival daily	Season 2 16.05.2021 - 12.09.2021 Arrival daily
Gherkins Cycle Path, 7 days, cat. A, DE-BERCC-07A		
Base price	599.00	669.00
Surcharge single room	220.00	220.00
Gherkins Cycle Path, 7 days, cat. B, DE-BERCC-07B		
Base price	469.00	519.00
Surcharge single room	220.00	220.00

Category A: 3*** and 4**** hotels

Category B: 2** and 3*** hotels and guest houses

Additional nights

Place of arrival: Cottbus

	Season 1 Apr 24, 2021 - May 15, 2021 Sep 13, 2021 - Sep 25, 2021 Arrival daily	Season 2 May 16, 2021 - Sep 12, 2021 Arrival daily
Cottbus		
Double room p. P. cat. A	80.00	80.00
Surcharge single room	45.00	45.00
Cottbus		
Double room p. P. cat. B	62.50	62.50
Surcharge single room	37.50	37.50

Our rental bikes

Filter

8-gear unisex	70.00
8-gear gents	70.00
24-Gear-Unisex	70.00
24-gear gents	70.00
Electric bike	160.00

Prices per person in EUR

Services and infos

Services

Included:

- Accommodation in your selected category
- Breakfast buffet
- Welcome briefing (German, English)
- Luggage transfer between the hotels
- Detailed travel documents 1x per room (German, English, Dutch with route maps, route description, local attractions, important telephone numbers, Travel guide only in German)
- 1x Spree Forest souvenir
- 1 Entrée Pickle museum Lehde incl. tasting
- GPS-data available
- Service hotline

Infos

Arrival / Parking / Departure

- Cottbus train station
- Berlin or Dresden airport
- Public Multiy-storey car park costs approx. EUR 7 to 12 per day, no reservation possible, to be paid for at the time.

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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