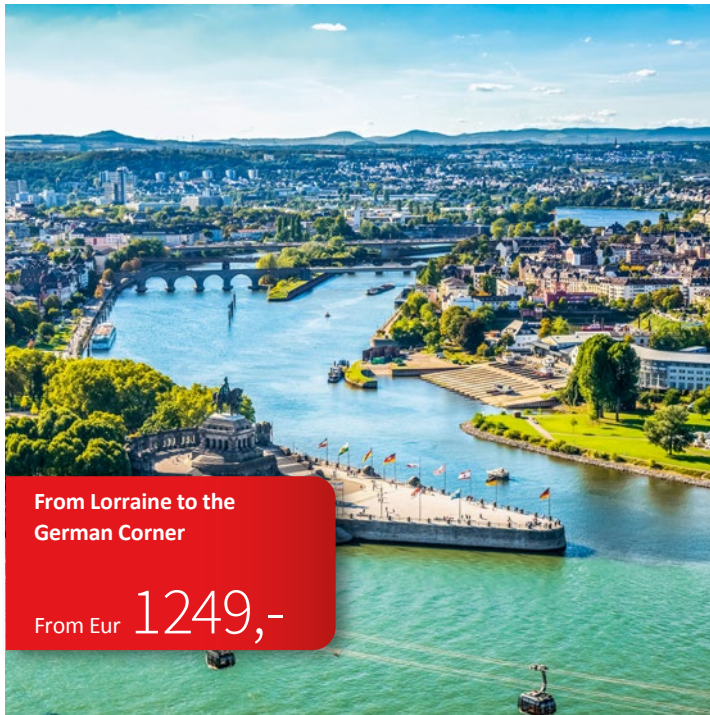


The Moselle from Nancy to Koblenz

11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS, APPROX. 385 KM
BOOKING CODE: SW-MONK10

DAILY ROUTE LENGTH ●●●●●
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Your tour

The Moselle rises in the French Vosges Mountains and meanders further north between the Eifel and the Hunsrück through the multifaceted Moselle Valley. You cycle in a relaxed manner and almost without any ascents on the Moselle Cycle Path, which takes you through a region that is one of the most popular cycling holiday destinations in Germany. Dreamlike landscapes, pretty wine-growing villages, stately castles and millions of vines offer you treats for the eye as well as for the palate.

Itinerary

Day 1	Individual arrival to Nancy
Day 2	Nancy – Pont-à-Mousson, approx. 40 km
Day 3	Pont-à-Mousson – Metz, approx. 35 km
Day 4	Metz – Thionville, approx. 35 km
Day 5	Thionville – Perl, approx. 30 km
Day 6	Perl – Treves, approx. 50 km
Day 7	Treves – Piesport, approx. 50 km
Day 8	Piesport – Traben-Trarbach, approx. 40 km
Day 9	Traben-Trarbach – Cochem, approx. 55 km
Day 10	Cochem – Koblenz, approx. 50 km
Day 11	Individual departure

Travel time

Season A	07.04. – 20.04.	06.10. – 13.10.	
Season B	21.04. – 04.05.	09.06. – 17.08.	29.09. – 05.10.
Season C	05.05. – 08.06.	18.08. – 28.09.	

Arrival Sunday 07.04. – 13.10.2024
The season is dictated by the arrival date.

Services

- 10 nights with breakfast, national 2* / 3*-level (Cat B)
- 10 nights with breakfast, national 3* / 4*-level (Cat A)
- Luggage transport from hotel to hotel to Coblenz, max. 20 kg / piece
- Cycle route description with maps (1 x per room)
- Service-Hotline (7 days, 08.00 a.m. – 08.00 p.m.)

Not included services

- Citys or visitors tax, if payable

Basic price per person

	Category B	Category A
Doubleroom, Season A	1249,-	1499,-
Doubleroom, Season B	1399,-	1639,-
Doubleroom, Season C	1519,-	1739,-
Price Surcharge Singleroom	499,-	669,-

Additional night prices per person

	Category B	Category A
Coblenz DBL / BB	69,-	79,-
Coblenz SGL / BB	109,-	129,-
Nancy DBL / BB	75,-	109,-
Nancy SGL / BB	129,-	195,-

Additional services per person

E-bike / Pedelec*	339,-
Rental bike (7- / 21-gear)*	129,-
Return transfer excl. bike (Sat)	129,-
Return transfer incl. bike (Sat)	169,-

*including rental bike insurance

Exemplary hotel list Category A

Nancy	MERCURE Hotel Nancy Zentrum Place Stanislas	https://all.accor.com/hotel/1068/index.de.shtml
Pont-à-Mousson	Hôtel de l'Abbaye des Prémontrés Pont-à-Mousson	https://www.abbaye-premontres.com/
Metz	NOVOTEL Hotel Metz Centre	http://www.novotel.com/de/hotel-0589-novotel-metz-centre/index.shtml
Thionville	Best Western Plus Hotel Thionville Centre	https://en.bwplus-thionvillecentre.com/
Perl	Hotel Hammes Perl	http://www.hotel-hammes.de/
Trier	Hotel Deutscher Hof Trier	https://www.hotel-deutscher-hof.de/
Piesport	Schanz Hotel Piesport	http://www.schanz-hotel.de/
Traben-Trarbach	Hotel Trabener Hof Traben-Trarbach	http://www.trabener-hof.de/1-1.Hotel.html
Cochem	Hotel Karl Müller Cochem	http://www.hotel-karl-mueller.de/
Koblenz	Hotel Hohenstaufen Koblenz	http://www.hohenstaufen.de/

Exemplary hotel list Category B

Nancy	Cit Hôtel La Résidence Nancy	https://www.hotel-laresidence-nancy.com/de
Pont-à-Mousson	Hotel Bagatelle Pont-à-Mousson	http://www.bagatelle-hotel.com/de-de
Metz	IBIS STYLES Hotel Metz Centre Gare	http://www.ibis.com/de/hotel-6854-ibis-styles-metz-zentrum-bahnhof/index.shtml
Thionville	Hôtel des Oliviers Thionville	http://www.hoteldesoliviers.com/
Perl	Central-Hotel Greiveldinger Perl	http://hotel-greiveldinger.de/
Trier	Best Western Hotel Trier City	http://www.bestwestern-trier-city.de/
Piesport	Hotel Moselblick Piesport	http://www.moselblick-piesport.de/
Traben-Trarbach	Park-Hotel Traben-Trarbach	http://www.parkhotel-traben-trarbach.de/
Cochem	Hotel Karl Noss Cochem	http://www.hotel-noss-cochem.de/
Koblenz	Trip Inn Hotel Hamm Koblenz	https://tripinn-hotels.com/koblenz/

Child reduction on basic price

0 - 5 Years	100%
6 - 11 Years	50%
12 - 14 Years	25%
15 - 17 Years	10%

Reduction for children is valid for accommodation in room with two full-paying guests.

Languages Travel documents

→ German, English

Additional note

- All bookings are on request.
- Return journey to Nancy: Optional by minibus every Saturday (around 09:00). The return transfer must be specified when booking.
- Alternatively on your own by train, connections several times a day, 2 – 4 changes, duration approx. 5 – 6.5 hours.
- Twin / double rooms / separate beds are only occasionally available. We treat requests as non-binding customer requests, if above mentioned room types are a booking condition, it must be mentioned as a condition at the time of booking.

Equipment of our rental bikes

- on request: odometer, map holder (to be specified when booking)
- Bike lock
- Handlebar bag
- Air pump
- Breakdown kit (1 x per booking)
- Waterproof pannier

Journey to Nancy

- Nearest airports: Metz-Nancy-Lorraine
- Train station: Nancy

Parking in Nancy

- Hotel parking spaces or public underground garages.
- No reservation by Radweg-Reisen possible.

Luggage transport

- Luggage pick-up from 09.00 a.m., delivery to the next hotel by 06.00 p.m. at the latest, labeling of luggage is 1 x for the whole tour. No restriction on the number of pieces of luggage, but max. 20 kg per piece of luggage.

Travel documents

- 1 set (per booked room) consists of: hotel list and voucher, travel information with details on daily stages, short travel guides and route descriptions, maps, luggage tags
- Travel document dispatch to the arrival hotel, hotel list and arrival information in advance by e-mail

Stages description

Day 1: Individual arrival to Nancy

Your bike tour in Lorraine begins in Nancy, the former capital of the Dukes of Lorraine. Nestled in the surrounding wooded hills, Nancy has an old town that is well worth seeing, with a mix of buildings from different eras. Especially worth seeing is the classicistic Place Stanislas. With its gilded grilles and magnificent fountains, it is one of the most beautiful squares in Europe. Try some of the city's specialties: bergamot sweets, macarons and baba au rhum. Bon appétit!

Day 2: Nancy – Pont-à-Mousson, approx. 40 km

You follow the course of the Meurthe River, which meets the Moselle at Custines. Along the turns of the Moselle you will reach Pont-à-Mousson. The town owes its name to one of the few bridges over the Moselle at the time and translates as Bridge at Mousson. The castle above the town that controlled the Moselle in the Middle Ages is now in ruins. Take a long walk up there and enjoy the view of the town and the Moselle valley.

Day 3: Pont-à-Mousson – Metz, approx. 35 km

Today's stage of your bike tour in Lorraine takes you along the Moselle Cycle Path to Metz. The silhouette of the city is dominated by the impressive Saint-Étienne Cathedral. Discover other treasures of the more than 3000-year-old city during a walk. Art lovers will find what they are looking for at the Centre Pompidou-Metz and coffee lovers will get their money's worth in the lively street cafés. A speciality of Metz is the mirabelle plum. Whether in confectionery, in tarts or in schnapps - an annual mirabelle plum festival is even dedicated to the golden-yellow fruit.

Day 4: Metz – Thionville, approx. 35 km

You cycle along the French Moselle to Thionville with practically no incline. Before you reach the city, it is worth making a detour to Uckange. The Parc du Haute-Fourneau U4 there, a disused blast furnace park, provides an insight into iron and steel production in Lorraine, which was once widespread in the region. In your destination for the day, Thionville, take an extensive walk through town, passing the Flea Tower Museum, the Belfry and St. Maximin Church.

Day 5: Thionville – Perl, approx. 30 km

Today your bike tour leads you from Lorraine into the border triangle of Germany, France and Luxembourg. Not far from your stage destination Perl you will cross the French-German border. The wine village of Perl is famous for its reconstructed Roman Villa Borg. Let the archaeological open-air museum take you back to the time of the Romans and their everyday life. Enjoy delicate wines in the only wine-growing community in the Saarland and get in the mood for the coming stages along the German Moselle.

Day 6: Perl – Treves, approx. 50 km

You follow the course of the Moselle, which also marks the border with Luxembourg up to the town of Wasserbillig. Along the river, which is lined with vineyards on both sides, you cycle via Konz to Trier. Take plenty of time to get to know Germany's oldest city during an exploratory tour. There is much to see: the Porta Nigra, the amphitheater, the Imperial Baths, the Roman Bridge, the Trier Cathedral, the Karl Marx House and and and...

Day 7: Treves – Piesport, approx. 50 km

In the Moselle Valley you will come into contact with the Roman and the winegrowing culture of the region. Today you will be able to view a very special relic from Ancient times: The Rustica in Mehring was reconstructed according to original plans and showcases the Roman way of life. In Trittenheim, wine lovers and connoisseurs are in for treat as you can stroll around the informative vineyard path.

Day 8: Piesport – Traben-Trarbach, approx. 40 km

In the timber-framed small town of Bernkastel-Kues you will be able to admire the very pretty Market Square before continuing on to Zeltingen, a traditional winegrowing village with monastery gardens in the Moselle Baroque style. Continuing on along the Moselle you will pass through Kröv with its famous Kröver Nacktarsch vineyard before coming to Traben-Trarbach. This small town is a gem filled with buildings in the Classical and Jugendstil styles.

Day 9: Traben-Trarbach – Cochem, approx. 55 km

Passing through Zell, which is well-known for its Zeller Schwarze Katz, you will continue on to Beilstein, the Sleeping Beauty of the Moselle. The village is really similar to that of a storybook landscape! The village has changed little over the past few centuries, retaining its medieval flair. Soon you will reach Cochem, which is surrounded by rolling, wooded hills.

Day 10: Cochem – Koblenz, approx. 50 km

Today you will continue on at a fast pace along well developed cycle paths on your way to Coblenz. In Kobern-Gondorf don't forget to visit the oldest timber-framed building in Germany, the Abteihof dating from 1320! As you will have improved your level of fitness during the course of the holiday a detour to the well-known Eltz Fortress is recommended. Or why not finish off your holiday relaxing in the Old Town of Coblenz?

Day 11: Individual departure

After breakfast you start your individual return journey home or extend your stay.