

Burgundy & Swiss Alps

Choose this tour for combining gourmet dining and riding or select our French & Swiss Alps in the western ranges or join our Classic Alps & Dolomites for the eastern peaks.



After a great lunch and plenty of sun, you're ready to enjoy the breezes.

The wines of Europe enthralled kings, knights and maidens in the days long past. The vineyards today still provide the best reds and whites. Riders in the 21st century can now additionally enjoy the curves and superb scenery through wine regions. This tour is for those who take their motorcycling as serious as the wine master in his cellar. Both know that life is a bit better and more enjoyable when practicing their trade. You have a chance to experience the best of two worlds.

Start your ride by winding along the Rhine river and through the vineyards and hills of Rhinehessen. Discover the Suedliche Wein-Strasse and enter France by passing through the Maginot line. Join the Route du Vin and stay in a colorful Alsatian wine village. Ride south through vineyards and forests of the Vogesen mountains. Climb towards le Markstein and the Grand-Ballon or ride the nearby Col de la Schlucht. This area has more curves than most Alpine areas.

Ride west towards the agricultural province of Franche-Comte. Enjoy the Plateau de Haute-Saone and follow the Saone river. This river takes its time as it wanders to the Rhone, and you will also be tempted to wander ever so slowly. Start to see vineyards as you enter the

Cote d'Or wine region. If you like, stop at the castle-cloister Clos de Vougeot. Meander along the Route du Vin through the picturesque wine villages of Gevrey-Chambertin and Chambolle-Musigny. The wine at your evening dinner taste even better when you ride the vineyards that very same day.

Enjoy a full 3 day stop in the heart of the Burgundy province. Cultural and riding highlights can include one of the numerous wine museums, abbeys or churches in the Cote de Beaune or Haute Cotes regions. Visit a castle, fortress or the medieval papal palace at Cluny.



All tours offer the Grimsel pass.

Ride the greenest of all provinces. Enter the Vallee de la Loue or Foret de Joux riding towards Pontarlier in the Jura mountains. Discover one of the fascinating ridge roads over the Col de Roches towards La Chaux de Fonds and the Swiss watch region. Ascend and descend the Jura mountain region as you cross ridge lines. Savor your first Alpine air at the Vue des Alpes. Enter the Vaud province of Switzerland. See the Neuchatel lake as you descend from the hills. Stay in the delightful town of Murten where the entire center is a medieval work of art.

Ride southeast towards Fribourg and Bulle. Visit the castle at Gruyeres. Sample some cheeses bearing the town's name. Or ride east towards Schwarzenburg and Thun. Leisurely climb the Jaun pass. Brush up on your German as you enter the Berner Oberland region. Sport riders can challenge the Col des Mosses or Col du Pillon. Enjoy a delightful afternoon ride at your tempo along the north shore of the Brienzersee.

Explore the wood-carvers village of Brienz. No matter where you plan to ride, Alpine vistas, rushing streams, cows grazing on high pastures and villages of flowered chalets welcome you. Greet the highest and best-known Swiss passes. Ride the Susten, Grimsel, Furka or Nufenen and Gotthard passes with their superb sweeping curves and unforgettable vistas.

Visit Lucerne with its Wooden Chapel bridge and historical Altstadt. Ride the Black Forest High Road with its hills, curves, open meadows and pine tree valleys. With luck you may hear a real cuckoo or more likely purchase an authentic smaller version of the Black Forest's most famous product.

See the Student Prince university town of Heidelberg. Visit the Altstadt (Old City) with its historical center. Your tour is almost over as you mount your steed one last time, ride the cobblestone streets and enter the Autobahn for a short and fast ride towards Frankfurt/Main.



Even sport riders need to check their maps once in a while.

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Day	Itinerary (12 days/11 nights)	Miles / Kilometers	
0	Mon. Depart North America or already in Europe.		
1	Tue. Arrive Frankfurt/Main, Germany. Transfer Mainz.	18	30
2	Wed. to Andlau, France	150	240
3	Thurs. to Gray	160	260
4	Fri. to Beaune	75	120
5	Sat. Beaune (rest or riding day)		
6	Sun. Beaune (rest or riding day)		
7	Mon. to Murten, Switzerland	140	230
8	Tue. to Brienz am Brienzensee	160	260
9	Wed. Brienz am Brienzensee (rest or riding day)		
10	Thurs. to Titisee-Neustadt, Germany	120	190
11	Fri. to Frankfurt/Main. Return motorcycle.	210	340
12	Sat. Morning transfer to airport.		
	Total	1,400	2,300

Rates 2017/18

Rider/driver	Passenger	Single room supplement	Model upgrade supplement	Prior and/or post-tour stay-over optional daily model rental rate
US \$6,735	US \$5,265	US \$875	Standard	US \$189
			Comfort	\$219
			Sport	\$239
			Sport-tour	259
			Top	269
			Super	279 Sup.DI. \$299

Features and services

- Transfers from/to Frankfurt/Main airport, hotels and dealers
- Insured BMW F 700 GS, Honda or Yamaha standard class motorcycle model with unlimited mileage, free use, third party liability, collision and comprehensive insurance with safety deposit of € 1,500.
- 11 overnights in comfortable and select hotels 3*** and 4****
- all breakfasts (buffet)
- all dinners except on rest days at 2 or 3-day stops featuring specially prepared regional dishes and specialties
- Welcome get-together reception where refreshments are on us
- Multilingual and experienced tour guide on a motorcycle
- 2nd guide in support van with room for passengers
- Luggage transfer from room to room
- Small groups up to 10-12 bikes
- Eurorider and safety slide show
- Daily ride morning overviews with alternate routes and tips
- Specially prepared 50-page tour booklet with daily itineraries
- Information packet with brochures, Euroriding tips and maps
- Complimentary Bosenberg tour gift - Hanes Beefy T-Shirt
- Guaranteed departures

Options

- Model upgrade with comfort, sport, sport-tour, top, super, super deluxe classes per designated model upgrade supplement are possible.
- Early arrival and/or delayed departure 4**** first class tour hotel reservations in Mainz (double at US \$285 and single at US \$235) and/or Frankfurt/Main (double at US \$285 and single at US \$235) per night with breakfast are possible. Transfers included.
- Rent your designated tour model with unlimited mileage for a few days or longer prior to and/or after a tour at the stay-over optional daily rental rate.
- Riders providing their own motorcycle and rental car users pay the passenger price.
- Helmet (US \$135), tank bag (US \$95), top cases and trunks (US \$125, if not OEM feature), GPS (US \$185) are available for rental.