

Across the Alps (M-ID: 2408)

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from €1,999.00

Dates and duration (days)

On request

15 days

This unique alpine tour has it all. We experience, in the truest sense of the word, the highlights of Western Europe.

One of the tour highlights: The highest paved Alpine road, the summit road around the Cime de Bonette. At 2,802 meters above sea level, it offers fantastic views of the majestic surrounding mountain massifs and far into the valleys of rock and stone. Sightings like this are typical of our tour through the Alps.

Starting in Pfunds in the Tyrol, we travel up and down over more than 20 magnificent Alpine passes in 15 days, through curves, hairpin bends, and serpentine roads towards the southern French coast and back again. Starting from Lake Geneva, the route takes you overpasses with sounding names such as Col de l'Iseran (2,770 m), Col du Galibier (2,645 m), or Col d'Izoard (2,360 m) via the famous Route des Grandes Alpes. This unique road overcomes a total altitude difference of 15,700 meters over a length of approx. 700 km. The famous winter sports resort of Val d'Isère, where we will spend one night, is also on our route, which will take us all the way to the Côte d'Azur. Before we then start again from Menton towards the north, we will of course visit Monaco and Nice. The highlights on the way back are no less spectacular: The Grand Canyon du Verdon is one of the largest gorges in Europe, Alpe d'Huez is one of the most famous destinations of the Tour de France, the Stelvio Pass is the highest in the Eastern Alps. One highlight follows the next. On the Tour Through the Alps.

Our exclusive travel program:

Day 1: Arrival in Pfunds in Tyrol.

The first hotel night of the tour "Through the Alps" is in the upper Inn Valley in Tyrol. You will arrive there on your own. During the first dinner, you can go over the details for the coming eventful days. Overnight stay in the Pfunds area (A).

Day 2: Pfunds - Flims, 230 km

From now on your motorcycles will only see country roads until you reach the Côte d'Azur. You cross the border to Italy at the Reschenpass, then it's on to the Swiss border. Over the Ofenpass you come to St. Moritz, one of the most famous winter sports resorts in the world. After the Julier Pass, you will cross the Rhine Gorge until you reach your destination Flims in Graubünden. Overnight stay in the Flims area (CH).

Day 3: Flims - Thonon-les-Bains, 320 km

With the Oberalp Pass and the Susten Pass, you will experience two of the most beautiful passes in Switzerland before you reach Lake Geneva south of Montreux and cross the French border shortly before the spa town of Evian. You will spend the night in Thonon-les-Bains, the town at the beginning of the famous "Route des Grandes Alpes", the Great Alpine Road. (F)

Day 4: Start of the Route des Grandes Alpes, Thonon-les-Bains - Val d'Isère, 220 km

The adventure of the Great Alpine Road begins- almost 700 km to Menton, sweetened with 17 of the most beautiful Alpine passes and an excursion to the highest road in the Alps of all, with over 2,800 m above sea level. Overpasses (pass = french "Col") with sounding names like "Col des Gets", "Col de la Colombière" and "Cormet de Roselend" you enter the Route des Grandes Alpes until you reach your world-famous overnight stop: Val d'Isère.

Day 5: Val d'Isère - Briançon, 150 km

Right at the beginning of the day, you will experience one of the highlights of the week: The Col de l'Iseran is 2,746 m above sea level the highest alpine pass. With the Col du Galibier (2,642 m) and the Col du Lautaret (2,058 m), two more mountain crossings with over 2,000 m above sea

level await you. Overnight stay in the Serre Chevallier / Briançon area.

Day 6: Briançon - Barcelonnette, 160 km

Today is once again dominated by the two-thousand-meter peaks: via the Col d'Izoard (2,360 m) and the Col de Vars (2,111 m) you will reach the turn-off for the highest road in the Alps: you will leave the Route des Grandes Alpes and make a detour to the Col de la Bonette (2,715 m) and continue to the ring road around the summit, which reaches its highest point at 2,802 m above sea level. Overnight stay in the Barcelonnette area.

Day 7: Barcelonnette - Menton, 210 km

Over the Col de Cayolle (2,327 m) you reach the southern end of the Route des Grandes Alpes: Menton is the easternmost and thus the first French town on the Côte d'Azur. Here we will spend the next 3 nights.

Day 8: Menton - rest day

You have earned this: The day is at your free disposal and can be used completely for relaxation. If you like, you can stroll along the beach and enjoy the Promenade de Soleil and the Italian flair of the old town of Menton. Or just let your belly catch some sunshine. Overnight stay in Menton on the Côte d'Azur.

Day 9: Rest day / Nice - Monaco, 0 - 65 km

This day is also planned as a rest day. If that is too boring for you, you can make a detour to Nice and Monaco.

Day 10: Menton - Gorges du Verdon, 240 km

Freshly rested, you set off for one of the most spectacular gorges in Europe: the Gorges du Verdon. At its deepest point, the rock walls rise to 700 m high. Weather permitting, a swim in the Lac de St. Croix reservoir is a unique experience. Overnight stay in the Gorges du Verdon / Castellane area.

Day 11: Gorges du Verdon - Alpe d'Huez, 240 km

One of the most renowned winter sports resorts in France and summer especially known as the most important mountain finish of the Tour de France: The ascent to Alpe d'Huez with its countless hairpin bends is also a very special experience for motorcyclists. Overnight stay in the Alpe d'Huez area.

Day 12: Alpe d'Huez - Courmayeur, 210 km

Over the small St. Bernard, you come to the next world-famous winter sports resort: the route to Courmayeur takes you into Italy and to the foot of Mont Blanc. Overnight stay in Courmayeur. (I)

Day 13: Courmayeur - Lake Como, 340 km

Before you reach Lake Como, you will ride most of the way on the motorway, passing Milan and densely populated areas. Overnight stay in the area of Lago di Como / Bormio. (I)

Day 14: Lago di Como - Pfunds, 180 km

The last stage is a real challenge and includes the Passo di Stelvio, the highest and most famous mountain crossing in the Eastern Alps. Passing the Reschensee with its famous sunken church we reach the starting point of your tour: Pfunds in Tyrol. Overnight stay in Pfunds. (A)

Day 15: Official end of the tour - journey home

Unfortunately, your extraordinary journey comes to an end

today. After breakfast, you will start your journey home with many new memories.

Additional nights in Pfunds are possible on request, please just contact us!

Countries	France
	Italy
	Austria
	Switzerland
Category	Motorcycle Tour
Terrain	Onroad
Vehicle	your own motorcycle
Tourguide / Coach	no (self-guided)
Accommodation	Hotel / B&B or similar
Flight to / from	no, not incl.
Ferry	no, not incl.
Support vehicle (luggage/service)	no
Level of difficulty	medium
	difficult
Customer payment protection	yes
* PRICING	Minimal without optional extras, see pricing

Pricing

Per person in shared twin/double room €1,999.00

Per person single room (surcharge) €999.00

1/2 double room available on request

We will gladly calculate the current price for your desired date.

Prices for rider and passenger are the same

Included

15-day unguided motorcycle Alpine tour of the Route des Grandes Alpes and some of the most beautiful and highest mountain roads in Austria, Italy, Switzerland and France.

14 nights in selected hotels of the good tourist and middle class

incl. breakfast

Dinner on riding days (except on day 5 - Serre Chevallier / Briançon)

Planning of the unguided tour

GPX file of the planning for uploading to your own GPS device

Road map southern France

Route description

1 exclusive tour souvenir T-shirt

Customer money protection in accordance with the Austrian Travel Agency Insurance Ordinance

Not included

All expenses related to the operation of the motorcycle, such as: Gasoline and Oil

Tolls (ev. pass roads, highways)

Luggage transport

Parking fees

Personal expenses

Entrance fees

Tips

Travel insurance with cancellation protection

Everything that is not specified under included services

More details

Tour characteristics:

Medium-difficult to difficult.

With highway stages, city crossings, mountain crossings with sometimes very tight bends and serpentine.

Not suitable for inexperienced riders.

Total distance from or to Pfunds: 2,800 kilometers

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Dates: Freely bookable

Recommended travel time: July to September (Daily tour start possible upon availability)

Minimum number of participants: 8 people

Rather guided? This tour can also be guided for groups ! Individual dates and prices on request!

Not so much time? We also offer this tour in shorter versions.

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