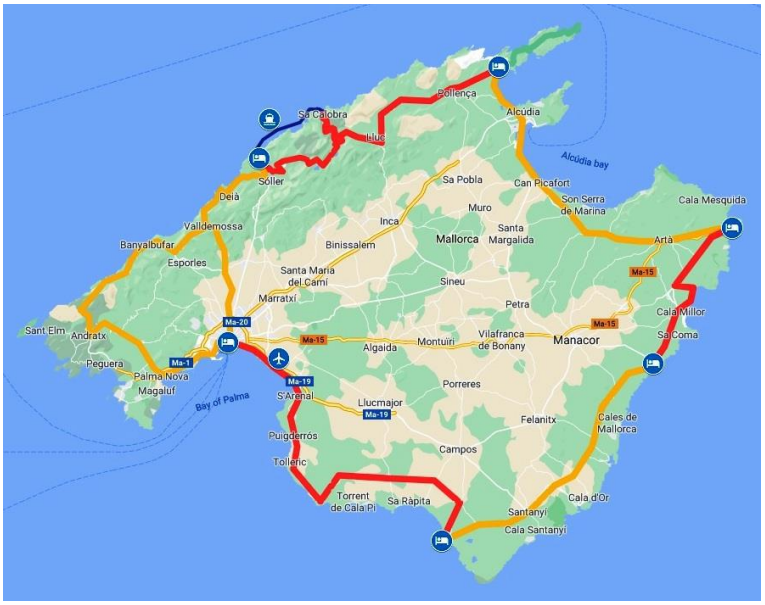
Cycling Safaris

Mallorca – Mediterranean Cycling Paradise

Self Guided Tour 2027

9 days / 8 nights | 7 riding days

Cycle from one seaside town to the next on a circuit of Mallorca. The early stages follow the south and east coasts past salt pans, quiet coves and pine woods. In the north, two nights in Port de Pollença give you time to explore Formentor before the route turns into the Serra de Tramuntana.



TOUR ITINERARY

Day 1 Arrive in Palma de Mallorca / Can Pastilla

Arrive in Palma de Mallorca and transfer to your beachfront hotel in Can Pastilla. Enjoy the long beach or follow the promenade's cycle path towards Palma to explore the city.

Day 2 Can Pastilla – Colonia de Sant Jordi | 52–76 km

Collect your bike at the hotel at 09:00 and follow the Bay of Palma cycle path south-east. The route turns inland before returning to a coast of cliffs and small coves. Pass the salt pans and Es Trenc beach on the way to Colonia de Sant Jordi.

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Day 3 Colonia de Sant Jordi – Porto Cristo | 47–61 km

Ride through Ses Salines, with a short detour to the lighthouse on the rocky coast. Continue to Santanyí, close to the birdlife and sheltered beach of Mondragó. Finish in Porto Cristo, where you can visit the Cuevas del Drac for a concert and boat ride on the underground lake.

Day 4 Porto Cristo – Cala Ratjada | 44 km

Follow the coast past beaches and cafés to Canyamel. Visit the Cuevas de Artà or stop at the beach before continuing past Capdepera castle. From Cala Ratjada, explore Cala Agulla or Cala Mesquida, or ride via Cala Gat to the lighthouse for views towards Menorca.

Day 5 Cala Ratjada – Port de Pollença | 53 or 71 km

Ride through Artà, with its medieval streets and fortress. An extension climbs to the Ermita de Betlem for views towards Alcúdia and Formentor. Continue along the Bay of Alcúdia, past S'Albufera's birdlife and Playa de Muro, then visit Alcúdia's walls and Roman remains before reaching Port de Pollença.

Day 6 Round ride from Port de Pollença | 29–40 km

Ride to the lighthouse at Cape Formentor, with spectacular cliffs above the sea. A shorter option reaches Platja de Formentor. Alternatively, visit the village of Pollença or enjoy a rest day by the waterfront, cafés and restaurants of Port de Pollença.

Day 7 Port de Pollença – Port de Sóller | 62 km

Ride through Pollença and climb to Lluc monastery in the Serra de Tramuntana. The route passes the turn for Sa Calobra before continuing through Fornalutx and Biniaraix to Sóller and its port. If you descend to Sa Calobra, a boat to Port de Sóller may be possible. Book ahead and check sea conditions.

Day 8 Port de Sóller – Palma – Can Pastilla | 70 or 54 km

Continue through the Tramuntana, passing Deià, once home to Robert Graves, and Valldemossa, associated with Chopin and George Sand. Ride past olive groves, citrus and almond trees, then return through Palma and along the coastal cycle path to Can Pastilla.

Day 9 Departure from Can Pastilla

Departure transfer, or extend your stay to enjoy more time in Mallorca. Extra nights are available on request.

2027 TOUR DATES

The tour operates from 27 February to 29 October 2027. Standard arrival is Saturday and departure Sunday, eight nights later. Listed starts are shown below; please ask about dates outside this list. Groups of 4 or more can choose another start day at no extra start-date charge.

2027 TOUR PRICES

Season and arrival dates	Sharing a double	Single room
S1: 27 Feb; 6, 13, 20, 27 Mar; 3, 10, 17, 24 Apr; 1, 8 May; 25 Sep; 2, 9, 16 Oct	€1,225	€1,565
S2: 15, 22, 29 May; 5, 12 Jun	€1,395	€1,725
S3: 19, 26 Jun	€1,445	€1,785
S4: 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 Jul; 7, 14 Aug	€1,545	€1,880
S5: 21, 28 Aug; 4, 11, 18 Sep	€1,430	€1,770

All prices are per person for the tour. Single-room figures are full tour prices, not supplements.

Solo traveller fee: €230. For fewer than 4 people, a non-standard start date costs an additional €135 per person. These are separate charges.

WHAT IS INCLUDED IN THE TOUR PRICE

Included

- 8 nights accommodation in country inns and 3- and 4-star hotels, with en-suite bathroom
- Breakfast
- Luggage transport
- Transfers to and from hotels on arrival and departure days
- RideWithGPS Experience app with routes, profiles, tour logistics and daily ride information

Information is available on your device before the tour. Navigate using your mobile phone attached to the handlebars. Cue sheets are in English; supporting information is available in other languages.

Not included

Bike rental; personal insurance; evening meals; GPS device; optional paper documentation. Extra nights and optional equipment are charged separately.

A paper information pack costs €20 and includes daily ride descriptions, maps, profiles, cue sheets and general tour information.

BIKE RENTAL

Rental covers the 7 riding days. Bikes are delivered to your hotel in Can Pastilla at 09:00 on Day 2. Delivery the previous day incurs an extra day's rental.

Bike	7 days	One extra day
Ridley Falcn – SRAM Rival Etap	€385	€30
Ridley Falcn – Ultegra Di2	€410	€30
Ridley Noah Disc – SRAM Etap	€340	€25
Ridley Fenix SLiC Disc – Ultegra Di2	€385	€30
Ridley Fenix – Shimano 105 Di2	€295	€20
Ridley Fenix – Shimano Ultegra	€230	€15
Eddie Merckx Fitness	€160	€10
Ridley Kanzo Gravel	€340	€25
Ridley SLA Disc – aluminium 105	€190	€15
Velo de Ville L400 – trekking	€150	€15
Ridley Grifn – 105 Di2	€340	€25
Ridley E-Grifn E-Racer	€410	€30
Cube Reaction Hybrid One – E-MTB	€340	€25
Velo de Ville AEB800 – trekking e-bike	€245	€15

The extra-day column is for one additional day. Please request a quote for extensions of several days.

Equipment hire

Item	7-day price
Clip pedals	€15
Helmet	€20
One pannier	€20
Two panniers	€35
Frame bag	€20

Please request equipment when booking. Prices for other hire durations are available on request.

Bringing your own bike

You may bring your own bike. Bike cases are left at the first hotel in Can Pastilla, where the tour also finishes.

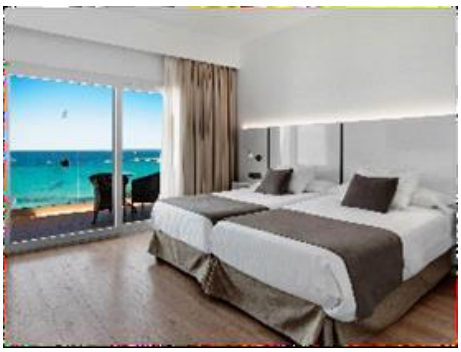
ACCOMMODATION

8 nights in country inns and 3- and 4-star hotels with en-suite bathrooms. The following are sample hotels, subject to availability. The tour's hotel stops are by the sea.

Stop	Nights	Sample hotel
Can Pastilla – first and last nights	2	Hotel THB El Cid
Colonia de Sant Jordi	1	Universal Hotel Marqués
Porto Cristo	1	Hotel THB Felip
Cala Ratjada	1	Hotel THB Cala Lliteras
Port de Pollença	2	Sis Pins Hotel
Port de Sóller	1	Hotel Los Geranios

Extra nights

Extra nights can be added at the beginning, end or anywhere along the route. Prices depend on the hotel, location and length of stay; please ask for a quote.





Hotel THB El Cid • Universal Hotel Marqués





Sis Pins Hotel • Hotel Los Geranios

BACK-UP SERVICE

This is a self-guided tour, allowing you to ride at your own pace while your luggage is transported between hotels. Rental bikes are delivered to your Can Pastilla hotel at 09:00 on the first riding day. Please ask us for details of local assistance arrangements before departure.

WHAT TO BRING

Bring suitable cycling clothing, a warm layer, waterproof jacket, cycling gloves, comfortable shoes, sunglasses, sun protection, swimwear and personal toiletries. Bring your mobile phone and charger for the RideWithGPS routes, water bottles and your preferred pedals if needed. Bring a helmet or book one from the equipment list.

OTHER INFORMATION

Terrain and route choices

The cycling is generally easy to intermediate. The final stages include mountain riding, particularly the climb to Lluc on Day 7. July and August can be hot and humid.

Arrival and departure

The arrival point is Palma de Mallorca, with transfers to and from the tour hotels included on arrival and departure days. You can arrive via Palma de Mallorca Airport or by ferry. Please provide your travel details so that your transfer can be arranged.

Optional visits and the Sa Calobra boat

The boat from Sa Calobra to Port de Sóller depends on sea conditions. If you plan to use it, book ahead. Ask about admissions and boat fares when arranging optional visits.

Travelling with road cyclists

Cycling Paradise and the Mediterranean Road Bike Tour start on the same day and share the same overnight stops for all eight nights. Riders travelling together can choose different routes during the day and meet again at the hotel.

Route information

RideWithGPS Experience provides routes, elevation profiles and practical tour information. A paper pack is available for €20. Discuss any route or accommodation changes with us when booking.

