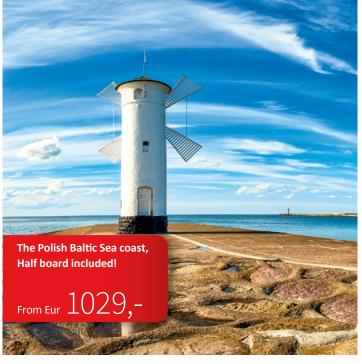
# The Baltic Sea: From Usedom to Gdansk

8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS, APPROX. 230 / 250 KM BOOKING CODE: EN-PLSD7









#### Your tour

From the island of Usedom you cycle to the port metropolis of Gdansk. You will be impressed by the breathtaking landscape of Pomerania. The shifting sand dunes of Leba, perhaps the most beautiful lighthouse in Poland and the "Polish Sahara" are on your route. Always along the coast you will drive along long beaches, wide dunes and also through dense, enchanted forests. Gdansk, the over 1000-year-old port city, is the crowning finale of your journey!

## Itinerary

Day 1	Individual arrival to Szczecin
Day 2	Bus trip to Swinoujscie, Swinoujscie - Cammin, approx. 45 / 65 km
Day 3	Cammin – Kolberg, approx. 50 km
Day 4	Kolberg – Osieki / Słupsk / Stolpmünde, approx. 50 km + transfer
Day 5	Osieki – Leba, approx. 45 km + transfer
Day 6	Bathing / rest day or excursion to the Slowinski National Park
Day 7	Leba-HelaPeninsula-Gdansk, approx.40km+transferandboattrip
Day 8	Individual departure

## Travel time

Season A	11.05. – 25.05.	07.09. – 28.09.
Season B	01.06 31.08.	

Arrival Saturday 11.05. – 28.09.2024 The season is dictated by the arrival date.

## Notes

→ Minimum number of participants: 2 persons

## Services

- → 7 nights with breakfast, national 2\* / 3\*-level
- → Bus trip Szczecin Swinoujscie incl. bike
- → Admission open-air museum in Kluki
- → Luggage transport from hotel to hotel to Gdansk, max. 20 kg / piece
- → Half board (7 x breakfast and dinner)
- → Cycle route description with maps (1 x per room)
- → Boat trip Hela Peninsula Gdynia / Gdansk
- → Service-Hotline (7 days, 08.00 a.m. 08.00 p.m.)
- → City tour of Gdansk
- → City tour Szczecin
- → Transfers Osiek Słupsk Stolpmünde, Kluki Leba, Leba Władysławowo incl. bike

## Not included services

→ Citys or visitors tax, if payable

## Basic price per person

Doubleroom, Season A	1029,-
Doubleroom, Season B	1099,-
Price Surcharge Singleroom	249,-

## Additional night prices per person

Gdansk DBL / BB	75,–
Gdansk SGL / BB	109,-

## Additional services per person

E-bike / Pedelec	189,-
Rental bike (7- / 21-speed)	49,-

## **Exemplary hotel list Standard**

Stettin	Radisson BLU Stettin	https://www.radissonhotels.com/
Cammin	Pod Muzami Cammin	http://www.podmuzami.pl/
Kolberg	New Skanpol Kolberg	https://newskanpol.pl/de/
Osieki / Słupsk / Stolpmünde	Dworek Osiecki	http://www.dworekosiecki.pl/de/
Leba	Hotel Wodnik Leba	https://wodnikleba.pl/de/
Leba	Hotel Wodnik Leba	https://wodnikleba.pl/de/
Danzig	Dom Muzyka Danzig	http://dommuzyka.pl/de/

## Child reduction on basic price

Since family rooms are not available on this trip, the children's discount cannot be offered.

## Additional night prices per person

Szczecin DBL / BB	65,-
Szczecin SGL / BB	89_

## **Languages Travel documents**

→ German, English

### **Additional note**

- → All bookings are on request.
- → Arrival: At 17.30 on the day of arrival you will meet your tour guide for a city tour in Szczecin. Please plan your arrival accordingly.
- → Return journey to Szczecin (train station): Optional by minibus from 4 people, costs € 99 per person. You can bring your own bikes on request. Please do not hesitate to contact us.
- → Alternatively on your own by train, connections several times a day, 1 change, duration approx. 5 7 hours depending on connection.
- → 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**

→ Waterproof pannier

## Journey to Stettin

- → Nearest airports: Szczecin-Goleniów, Gdansk
- → Train station: Szczecin

## **Parking in Stettin**

→ There is a guarded parking lot next to the hotel (for a fee). No reservation possible through Radweg-Reisen.

#### 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**

→ Travel document dispatch to the arrival hotel, hotel list and arrival information in advance by e-mail

## Stages description

## Day 1: Individual arrival to Szczecin

You spend your first night in the harbour town of Szczecin where the Oder flows into Szczecin Lagoon. At 5.30 pm you meet with your guide and start shortly thereafter for a city tour. Then you can wander through Szczecin's little Venice and feel the east wind on your face when you stop at the so-called Hakenterrace one of the most beautiful spots in Europe. Gourmets will love the cellar rooms of the Starka distillery, where they produce a unique type of vodka.

## Day 2: Bus trip to Swinoujscie, Swinoujscie - Cammin, approx. 45 / 65 km

A boat takes you to Swinoujscie on Usedom. On your bike, explore the green forests of Wollin National Park. On the pier of the old spa resort of Misdroy you can take a break and admire the wonderful views of the cliffs. Passing idyllic lakes, which lie like tear-drops amidst the forests you finally reach today's destination. From the upper platform you have a beautiful view over the Kamien Pomorski Bodden.

## Day 3: Cammin – Kolberg, approx. 50 km

In Kamien Pomorski you have ample time to visit the Piastenturm tower and the Gothic town hall, both built in typical red brick. You follow the Baltic Sea cycle path along the coast. In Hoff, if you take a closer look you'll see the ruins of a church on the cliffs. And what must be Poland's most beautiful lighthouse is also on your way. Stop in Niechorze and look out for it!

# Day 4: Kolberg – Osieki / Słupsk / Stolpmünde, approx. 50 km + transfer

Today, the cycle path takes you through expansive lovely sandy dunes and a bird sanctuary. Cycling through small villages, you eventually arrive in Osieki, a picturesque village with only 200 inhabitants. If you stay overnight in Słupsk, you can easily reach the city in the hinterland of the Baltic Sea by the transfer bus.

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## Day 5: Osieki - Leba, approx. 45 km + transfer

A transfer in the morning takes you to Ustka. Leaving the summer capital, which has been a popular bathing resort for many centuries, you set off for Leba. On quiet roads, you cycle through the forested part of Słowinski National Park before reaching the small fishing village of Kluki, the last place in which the West Slavic language of Slovincian was spoken before it died out. A short trip by bus takes you to today's destination.

## Day 6: Bathing / rest day or excursion to the Slowinski National Park

Today you will find yourself in Poland's Sahara – surrounded by expansive sand dunes, some of which are shifting sand dunes. Some 10 m of forest are gradually covered by shifting sand dunes year for year. Leba lies between two lakes and the Baltic Sea – three stretches of water, which will tempt you to jump in for a swim on your day out of the saddle!

## Day 7: Leba – Hela Peninsula – Gdansk, approx. 40 km + transfer and boat trip

Today you cycle along Poland's cow tail. The Hel peninsula is 34 km long but only 0.2 and 3 km wide — which is how it got its nickname. You can scrunch your toes in the sand on two beaches here. A ferry takes you to your destination of Gdansk, whose harbour-side silhouette cannot be mistaken. Neptune, God the Sea, watches over this magnificent Hanse town, which looks back on over 1000 years of history.

## Day 8: Individual departure

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

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