The Baltic Sea: From Flensburg to Aarhus

10 DAYS / 9 NIGHTS, APPROX. 350 – 380 KM BOOKING CODE: OS-DKFA9

DAILY ROUTE LENGTH ••••• TOPOGRAPHY ••••





Your tour

From Flensburg, your journey leads you to Aarhus, the second biggest city of Denmark. In the middle of this, you cycle to old port cities, villages, that are full of history, attractive landscapes, that are full of dense forests and meadows. Thereby, the Baltic Sea is never far and provides with its mild climate and fine sand beaches refreshing and sun-spoilt moments. Let's go!

Itinerary

Day 1	Individual arrival in Flensburg
Day 2	Flensburg – Sønderborg, approx. 45 km
Day 3	Sønderborg – Åbenrå, approx. 35 km
Day 4	Åbenrå – Christiansfeld, approx. 40 / 70 km
Day 5	Christiansfeld – Middelfart, approx. 45 / 65 km
Day 6	Middelfart – Vejle, approx. 55 km
Day 7	Vejle – Horsens, approx. 45 km
Day 8	Horsens – Norsminde / Odder, approx. 50 / 60 km
Day 9	Norsminde / Odder – Aarhus, approx. 30 / 20 km
Day 10	Individual departure

Travel time

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Season A	27.04 03.05.	22.0905.10.	
Season B	04.05 05.05.	23.0531.05.	08.09 21.09.
Season C	09.05 12.05.	01.06 28.06.	22.08 07.09.
Season D	16.05 19.05.	29.06 18.08.	

Arrival Thursday until Sunday 27.04. – 05.10.2024 The season is dictated by the arrival date.

Services

- → 9 nights with breakfast, national 3* / 4*-level
- → Luggage transport from hotel to hotel to Aarhus, 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

Doubleroom, Season A	1199,-
Doubleroom, Season B	1399,-
Doubleroom, Season C	1599,-
Doubleroom, Season D	1699,-
Price Surcharge Singleroom	399,-

Additional night prices per person

DBL/BB	95,-
SGL / BB	135,-

Additional services per person

E-bike / Pedelec (freewheel)*	259,-
Teenager's bike*	49,-
Rental bike (27-gear)*	99,-

*including rental bike insurance

Exemplary hotel list

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Flensburg	Alte Post	https://altepost-flensburg.de/
	Am Fjord	https://www.hotelamfjord.de/
	Ramada Hotel Flensburg	https://www.wyndhamhotels.com/de-de/ramada/ flensburg-germany/ramada-flensburg/overview
	Wassersleben	https://hotel-wassersleben.de/
Sønderborg	Steigenberger Alsik	https://alsik.dk/de/
	Sønderborg Strand	https://sonderborgstrand.dk/de/
Aabenraa	Europa	https://www.hoteleuropa.dk/
Christiansfeld	Tyrstrup Kro	https://tyrstrupkro.dk/de/
	Brødremenighedens Hotel	https://www.bmhotel.dk
	Den Gamle Graensekro	https://graensekroen.dk/
Middelfart	Comwell Hotel Kongebrogaarden	https://comwell.com/hoteller/ comwell-hotel-kongebrogaarden
	Hindsgavl Slot	https://hindsgavl.dk/en/
	Comwell Hotel Middelfart	https://comwell.com/en/hoteller/ comwell-hotel-middelfart
Vejle	Torvehallerne Vejle	https://torvehallerne.dk
	Hedegaarden	https://hotel-hedegaarden.dk/
Horsens	Comwell Bygholm Park	https://www.scandichotels.de/hotelsuche/ danemark/horsens/scandic-bygholm-park
	Jorgensens Hotel	https://jorgensens-hotel.dk/de/
	Opus	https://www.scandichotels.com/hotels/denmark/ horsens/scandic-opus-horsens
Norsminde / Odder	Montra Odder Parkhotel	https://montrahotels.dk/en/ odder-parkhotel-frontpage
	Norsminde Kro	https://www.norsmindekro.dk/
Aarhus	Oasia	https://www.hoteloasia.com
	Comwell Hotel Aarhus	https://comwell.com/en/hoteller/ comwell-hotel-aarhus

Child reduction on basic price

12 - 17 Years

Due to the more demanding stages, we recommend this trip only for young people with good stamina.

Children's discount applies for accommodation in a room with two full-paying guests, no discount from the age of 18. A multi-bed room is usually a double room with an extra bed or folding sofa. No four-bed rooms possible.

Languages Travel documents

→ German, English, Dutch, French

Additional note

- → All bookings are on request.
- → Returning to Flensburg: By train from Aarhus (self-organized), several departures every day, max. 1 change of train, travel time appr.
 2.5 3 hrs.
- → 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

- → Comfortable saddle
- → Bike lock
- → Luggage rack
- → Odometer
- → Air pump
- → Hub dynamo
- → Breakdown kit (1 x per booking)
- → Unflat Schwalbe Marathon Plus tyres or comparable
- → Waterproof pannier
- → Waterproof handlebar bag with map holder
- → Further information and photos of the rental bikes are available: www.cycling-holiday.com/rental-bikes

Journey to Flensburg

- → Nearest airports: Billund, Hamburg
- → Train station: Flensburg

25%

Parking in Flensburg

- → Parking garages in the center, e.g. Parkhaus City, Süderhofenden 4 - 6, costs approx. 14 Euro / day
- → Hotel parking (available in individual hotels, chargeable, details in the travel documents)

Bike handover

→ Arrival: Guests' rental bikes will be available at the arrival hotel. Departure: The guests leave the bikes at the last hotel. If an e-bike has been rented, the battery, charger and key must be returned to the reception.

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
- → Dispatched up to four weeks before arrival. For short-term bookings, delivery to the start hotel, hotel list and arrival information will be sent by email

Stages description

Day 1: Individual arrival in Flensburg

Flensburg is located to the north of Germany and is therefore an ideal starting point for a cycling tour on the Baltic Sea Cycle Route. After your arrival, stroll through the beautiful alleys and corners of the old town with its typical Flensburg merchants' courtyards.

Day 2: Flensburg – Sønderborg, approx. 45 km

Today you first cycle along the Flensburg Fjord. On the way it is worth stopping for a visit at the summer residence of the Danish royal family in Gråsten. Sønderborg, your first destination, is on the island of Als. Visit the Sønderborg Slot. The castle of the 12th century now houses a museum.

Day 3: Sønderborg – Åbenrå, approx. 35 km

Today's route is relaxed and takes you through forests and wide fields over the Sundewitt peninsula. A visit to Sandbjerg Castle, one of the most elegant palaces in Southern Jutland, is worthwhile. Åbenrå captivates with its charming town houses and craftsmen's houses.

Day 4: Åbenrå – Christiansfeld, approx. 40 / 70 km

Today you cycle first to Haderslev. The medieval old town on Hadersleven Dam has many cafés and a walk along the medieval reservoir. Back on the saddle, you cycle comfortably through the quiet area to Christ- iansfeld.

Day 5: Christiansfeld – Middelfart, approx. 45 / 65 km

After leaving Christiansfeld, you cycle through the wooded region to Kolding. From afar you can already see the massive tower of the old royal castle Koldinghus. Passing Kolding Fjord and via Skærbæk, you cross the Little Belt just before you reach your destination for the day, Middelfart.

Day 6: Middelfart – Vejle, approx. 55 km

The city of Fredericia lies on the other side of Middelfart and can be reached by crossing the Little Belt. Worth seeing is the center of the city, which was created in a checkerboard pattern. Once in Veijle a visit to the windmill, the symbol of the city, is worthwhile. Inside it contains a museum about the history of the mill.

Day 7: Vejle – Horsens, approx. 45 km

Today's cycle route inland is partly hilly and surrounded by forests. A former state prison can be visited in Horsens. Vitus Bering is the celebrity of this town. In the 18th century he saild through the Bering Strait, named after him, between America and Asia. Even the city park in Horsens commemorates him.

Day 8: Horsens – Norsminde / Odder, approx. 50 / 60 km

Today you continue north. After countless glances at the glittering Baltic Sea and with one or the other fresh sea breeze you reach your overnight accommodation in Norsminde or Odder. How about an evening stroll through the city?

Day 9: Norsminde / Odder – Aarhus, approx. 30 / 20 km

Today's bike route is short on purpose. Like this you can enjoy Aarhus, the second largest City of Denmark, a bit longer. On the way there you find numerous opportunities for a longer break on the beach.

Day 10: Individual departure

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