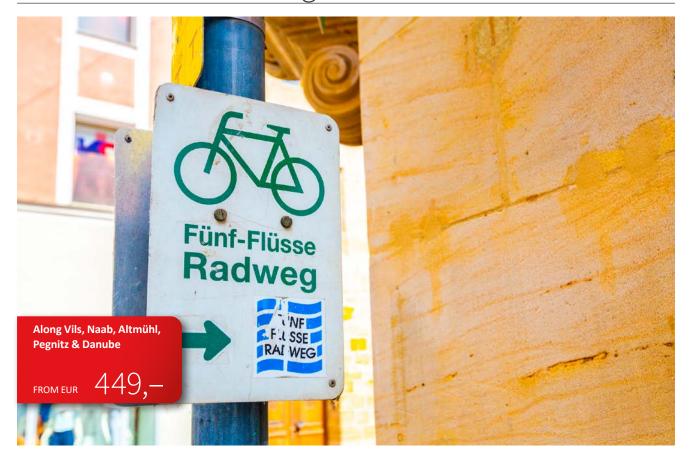


## The five rivers challenge in Bavaria







→ Duration: 6 days / 5 nights

→ Start / Destination: Nuremberg

→ Length: approx. 305 km→ Daily route length: ••••

→ Topography: ••ooo

→ Travel documents available in: DE / EN / NL

→ Accommodation: 3\* level→ Booking codes: BY-FFNN5-sp



## Itinerary / Services

#### Your tour:

Off to Bavaria: to the state of the white-blue flag, of rustic bon vivants and warm hospitality, to the state with an incredible number of breweries, but also an area of great history and Baroque. To a completely "new Bavaria", far away from all those Bavarian cliches! The unspoiled countryside will impress you with its diversity and contrariness.

The five rivers, Vils, Naab, Danube, Altmühl and Pegnitz will accompany you on your tour. Take time to enjoy the lovely old towns, the enchanting little villages and the varied countryside along the way. Experience the raw warmth of the people of the Upper Palatinate, the charm of Middle Franconia and the delicacies of Bavarian cuisine.

#### Day 1: Individual arrival in Nuremberg

Nuremberg - thousand years of history: The old imperial town, with its mighty castle, famous churches and museums attracts tourists from all over the world. Right in the centre of this metropolis with half a million inhabitants, the town houses, proud churches, the castle and 5 km of walls that circle the town have all been resurrected.

#### Day 2: Nuremberg – Berching, approx. 65 km

Starting in Nuremberg, you head in a south-easterly direction, following the Pegnitz and Ludwig-Danube-Main canal. Here, at the edge of the Franconian Uplands, cycling is easy, with no hills to worry about. From afar, the striking church towers of the old town and the ruins of Wolfstein Castle on the hills to the back of the town welcome you! Via Freystadt, you get to the Main-Danube-Canal, which now shows you the way. Over quite some distance, you simply roll right next to the canal, downstream. And soon reach today's destination, Berching.

#### Day 3: Berching – Regensburg, approx. 95 km

Today you'll be cycling along different waterways of the Altmühl river, known especially for their unspoiled nature. Via Dietfurt and Riedenburg, you get to Essing, which is home to one of the favourite holiday snaps of the entire Altmühl Valley. The two-storied tower with its 46-meter-long wooden bridge. Following a level route, you now pedal past the well-known stalactite cave, Schulerloch, to Kelheim. Passing wooded slopes, you soon reach Regensburg.

#### Day 4: Regensburg - Amberg, approx. 70 km

You leave Regensburg and cycle along the Naab, meadows, forests and fields lining your way. Along both sides of the river you'll see Jurassic rocks, some up to 100 metres tall, rising up over the pretty valley. At the castle ruins of Kallmünz, you'll see the rivers change. This is where the Vils merges into the Naab. Those of you who are keen on culture should take a break at Hammerherrenschloss Castle in Theuern, before continuing on to Amberg.

#### Day 5: Amberg - Nuremberg, approx. 75 km

After a level section of the route, today you will encounter more hills. You cross one of the most wooded regions of Germany, "Hersbruck Switzerland". The town of Hersbruck was the centre of hop growing and trade for hundreds of years, as witnessed still today by the pulleys and gables at the tops of the restored half-timber-framed houses. You leave Hersbruck through the famous water gate, and set of into Pegnitz Valley and its almost entirely unspoiled river countryside. Following lush green avenues and cycling through extensive parkland, you finally arrive in Nuremberg.

#### Day 6. Individual departure

Your tour along the five Bavarian rivers unfortunately comes to an end today, with your individual departure. If, however, you prefer to stay longer, we can easily book you an extra night.

#### Services

- → 5 nights with breakfast in the local 3\* category (BY-FFNN5-sp)
- → Luggage transport from hotel to hotel, no limit on the number of pieces, max. 20 kg / piece
- → Cycle route description with maps (1 x per room)
- → 7 day Service Hotline

#### **Not included**

→ City or visitor's tax (if payable)

#### Note

→ We do not offer half board (dinner) on this tour.



## Dates / Prices

#### **Dates 2021** Daily arrival 27.03. - 24.10.2021. 27.03. - 31.03. 05.04. - 17.04. 01.10. - 24.10. Season A 01.04. - 04.04. 18.04. - 05.05. 07.06. - 10.06. 14.06. - 17.06. Season B 21.06. - 24.06.12.09. - 30.09. Season C 06.05. - 10.05. 16.05. 24.05. - 27.05. 06.06. 18.06. – 20.06. 11.06. – 13.06. 25.06. - 30.06. 22.08. - 11.09. Season D 11.05. - 15.05. 17.05. - 23.05. 28.05. - 05.06. 01.07. - 21.08.

#### Prices 2021 in EUR

| Basic price double room / breakfast | Suggested retail price |  |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|--|
| Season A                            | 449,-                  |  |
| Season B                            | 499,-                  |  |
| Season C                            | 549,-                  |  |
| Season D                            | 599,-                  |  |
| Additional fee single room          | 159,-                  |  |

### **Extra nights**

| Per person in EUR                  | Suggested retail price |  |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|--|
| Double room / breakfast Nuremberg  | 55,-                   |  |
| Single room / breakfast Nuremberg  | 85,-                   |  |
| Double room / breakfast Berching   | 45,-                   |  |
| Single room / breakfast Berching   | 65,-                   |  |
| Double room / breakfast Regensburg | 59,-                   |  |
| Single room / breakfast Regensburg | 89,-                   |  |
| Double room / breakfast Amberg     | 49,-                   |  |
| Single room / breakfast Amberg     | 75,-                   |  |

<sup>→</sup> An additional night does not shift the day of arrival.

#### Rental bikes prices in EUR

|  | Suggested retail price |  |
|--|------------------------|--|
| 27-gear rental bike                            | 79,-                   |  |
| (freewheel, calliper brakes, derailleur gears) |                        |  |
| E-Bike (freewheel, internal gear hub)          | 199,-                  |  |

### Children discount

→ Because of the challenging sections, we do not recommend this tour for children.

<sup>→</sup> For pricing purposes, the season is dictated by the arrival date.



## Further information

#### **Brief information**

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#### **Arrival in Nuremberg**

→ Closest airports: Nuremberg, Munich

→ Train station: Nuremberg Hbf

#### **Parking in Nuremberg**

→ Public car parks in the city, approx. 35 EUR / week, it is not possible to reserve.

#### Twin rooms / separate beds

- → Available only sporadically.
- → We handle requests for twin rooms as **non-binding requests.**
- → In case twin rooms are booking condition it must be clearly communicated as such when booking!

#### **Availability**

- → All bookings are on request!
- → For this tour we provide an availability link

  (The link is updated regularly, best to save it as a bookmark in your browser)



#### **Booking codes**

- → BY-FFNN5-sp, 3\* level
- → Booking code must be stated in every booking!



# Exemplary hotels

| Nuremberg                    |  |
|------------------------------|--|
| Hotel Prinzregent            | www.prinzregent.net  |
| Hotel Victoria               | www.hotelvictoria.de   |
| Berching                     |  |
| Hotel zum Dallmayr           | www.hotel-dallmayr.de  |
| Regensburg                   |  |
| Hotel Münchner Hof           | www.muenchner-hof.de   |
| SORAT Insel-Hotel Regensburg | www.sorat-hotels.com/de/hotel/regensburg.html                |
| Amberg                       |  |
| Vienna House                 | www.viennahouse.com/de/easy-amberg/das-hotel/uebersicht.html |