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## *Lago Maggiore - based in one hotel*

### SWISS DOLCE VITA.

The crystal clear water of Lago Maggiore is sparkling in the sun, loved couples roam down the Piazza Grande and palm trees grow on the lake promenade: when staying in Ticino, you could easily forget that you are still in Switzerland. When going on this tour you discover some of the longest swiss valleys, go by ship to the famous market of Luino and visit Ticinos capital, the medieval city Bellinzona. You get to know many sides from the southernmost Swiss canton: close to the Lago Maggiore the landscape is charming and tender, in the Maggia Valley Ticino is wild and defiant. But no matter how you discover this region: Ticino and its Lago Maggiore will put a spell on you!

#### *Medium*



6 Days / 5 Nights



Self-guided Tour

#### To the online version



# Itinerary

DAY

1

## *Arrival in Losone*

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DAY

2

## *Loop tour Bellinzona* | approx. 55 km

Starting at the hotel direction Locarno along the lake promenade you cycle to the flat Magadino area and go past small forests and big farming areas until you reach the city walls of Ticinos capital: Bellinzona. In this town you find many old castles, hidden places and the old city wall. After a short break you go past romantic towns back to Ascona.

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DAY

3

## *Circle tour Ascona, excursion to the iles of Brissago* | approx. 25 km

Today's discovery leads to the center of Ascona. You can leave your bicycle there and take the ship to the iles of Brissago. The Botanical Gardens house around 1'700 plant species. Back in Ascona the route leads you from the hectic city centre on small roads to the branches of the valley Centovalli. Here you have to face one short uphill before visiting sleepy villages. The route then brings you on an easy path back to Ascona.

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4

## *Excursion Maggia Valley* | approx. 30 km

More than 50 kilometres the river Maggia runs through the alps before finally flowing into the Lago Maggiore. You go past the waterfall at Monte Brolla until you reach the lovely town Maggia. There you have time for a short break and to visit the chapel Santa Maria with its wonderful frescos.

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## *Excursion Lugano* | approx. 25 km

By bicycle to Locarno. The train brings you to Melide. Lake Lugano can definitely compete with Locarno and Ascona. Italian Dolce Vita, colourful villages with the typical stone church towers and even palms can be discovered today! A wonderful trip completes your cycle holiday in this region.

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*Departure or extension*

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# *Tour character*

Most of the times you cycle on tarmac and sometimes on gravel roads. When going back from Luino you go on the public road most of the time. Nonetheless this road is very quiet during the day. In the city centres of Locarno or Ascona the cycle paths lead through pedestrian areas. It might be better to push your bicycle to get through. In every tour you have to deal with small uphill, but these should be no obstacles even for unexercised guests.

# Prices and events

Place of arrival: Losone

**Season 1**  
02.04.2023 - 25.06.2023 | 20.08.2023 - 15.10.2023 |  
Arrival Sunday

| Lago Maggiore - based in one hotel, 6 days, Albergo, CH-TSRL-06D |        |
|--|--------|
| Base price   | 969.00 |
| Surcharge single room  | 439.00 |

# Additional nights

Place of arrival: Losone

**Season 1**  
Apr 2, 2023 - Jun 25, 2023 | Aug 20, 2023 - Oct 15, 2023 |  
Arrival Sunday

| Losone                |        |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Double room p. P.     | 189.00 |
| Surcharge single room | 15.00  |

# Our rental bikes

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|----------------|--------|
| 27-gear unisex | 139.00 |
| 24-gear gents  | 139.00 |
| Electric bike  | 255.00 |

Prices per person in EUR

## *Services and infos*

### Services

#### Included:

- Accommodation in 4\*\*\*\*-hotel Albergo Losone
- Breakfast
- Detailed travel documents 1x per room (German, English)
- Daily entrance to the spa incl. Hammam
- 1 Train ticket Locarno – Melide incl. your bike
- 1 train ticket Lugano – Locarno incl. your bike
- 1 boat ride to the isles of Brissago
- 1 Entrance to the castles of Bellinzona
- Service hotline

### Infos

#### Arrival / Parking / Departure:

- Locarno train station
- Zurich airport
- Free parking at the hotel, no reservation possible

#### Things to note:

- Tourist tax, if due, is not included in the price!
- Further important information according to the package travel law can be found [here!](#)

## *Contact & booking*

Do you still have questions about the tour? We are happy to help and look forward to your inquiry.



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**Book now**

