

Megaride Tour des Alpes

♥ A dream motorcycle journey through the French, Italian, Swiss and Austrian Alps, Lake Iseo, Lake Maggiore, Lake Como, Lake Molveno.

This tour is dedicated to alpine road lovers. The Megaride Tour des Alpes will start at Lake Iseo. From there we will skip across the border to France, then back to Italy using the high road passes. If possible, we will cross the Col de L'Iseran, the highest mountain pass in Europe, to reach Courmayeur and the Mont Blanc. The next days we will get back to Switzerland, in the French Canton de Vaud. From there we will get back to Italy, near Lake Maggiore and Lake Como. We then ride back into the Italian part of Switzerland, follow the high passes and reach the area of the Majestic Stelvio, Rombo pass and Austria. Next, we will return to the south side of the Alps, at Lake Molveno. And finally return to our hotel in Lake Iseo.



The package includes a MégaVoyages representative who will meet you at the airport and transport you directly to the place where you take possession of your motorcycle. Most of our motorcycles are equipped with side cases and a top case. All motorcycles are equipped with GPS programmed with all the daily routes of your trip. Each morning, instructions will be given to you by the guide who will accompany you on your adventure.

This Megaride is available in either spring or fall

Options available

- Airline tickets for international flights
- Car rental before or after the tour
- Travel insurance medical and or cancellation

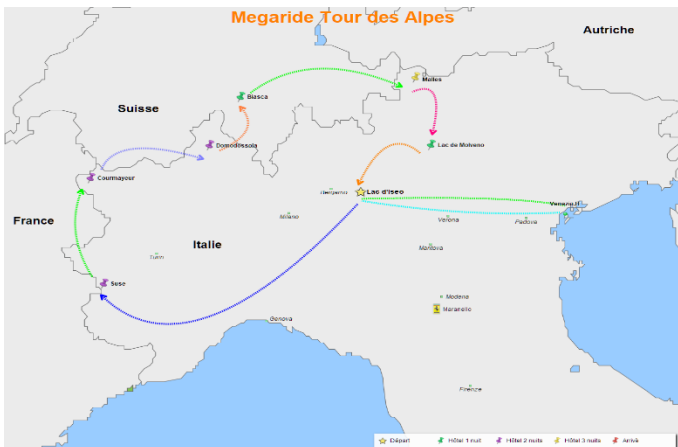
Included in the package: transportation between the hotel and the airport, all taxes and airport fees, motorcycle guide, 14 nights at the hotel, all dinners and breakfasts, motorbike rental with unlimited mileage, motorbike insurance, roadside assistance in Europe, a travel diary and souvenir gift from MégaVoyages.

Excluded from the package: Airline tickets, lunches, fuel, highway and parkway tolls, personal expenses and personal motorcycle protection gear, helmets, etc. and the contribution to the FICAV. Anything not specified in the included in package section.



All of our motorcycles are equipped with a preprogrammed GPS, having all the daily itineraries. Every morning your MégaVoyages guide will give you instructions and accompany you during this adventure.

If you would rather ride at your own rhythm, either solo or in a small group, no problem. Just tell us and we will provide instructions and see you at the hotel.



Niveau difficulté Megaride	Culture, Histoire
Avancé	
Difficulté journées relaxes	Routes sinueuses
Avancé	
Difficulté journées relaxes alternatives	Paysages, Nature
Intermédiaire	
Dénivelé	Temps de conduite
Fort	

See our website www.megavoyages.ca for further details.

Day 1

Montreal - Venice

If you have purchased your tickets from MégaVoyages, departure from Montreal Trudeau airport around 20:00
Arrival at Milan or Venice airport 13:00 local time.
Overnight flight with meals included.



Day 2

Venice - Shuttle to Lake Iseo

You will be met on arrival at the Venice Marco Polo airport, where you will board a shuttle to your hotel and take possession of your motorcycle. A meeting with the MégaVoyages guide is planned to discuss tour instructions.
There is nothing better than a stroll along the shore of lake Iseo, to stretch your legs or a swim in the hotel pool.



Day 3

Lake Iseo - Relax Day

On this first riding day we start with an acclimatization ride. You will join your guide for a ride in the area, through the Piedmont and Monferrato. The region is well known for its wines. Some of the local vineyards are part of the UNESCO world heritage.
Diner at our hotel in Lake Iseo.



Day 4

Lake Iseo - Monferrato, Piedmont, Susa

We leave lake Iseo direction the Piedmont towards the hills of Monferrato, a wine region renowned for its red and bubbly wines. Some of the wineries are part of the UNESCO World Heritage. Then we cross the border into France, to visit the French Alps and then return to spend the night in Susa Italy.



Day 5

Susa – Relax Day

Today will be a zig-zag across the French and Italian border. Weather permitting, we will cross the Col de l'Isoard, the la Madeleine and maybe Mt-Cenis and l'Iserand or just stay in Susa and enjoy the old city.



Day 6

Susa - Col de l'Iseran - Courmayeur

Today will be a zig-zag across the French and Italian border. Weather permitting, we will cross the Col de l'Iserand, the highest alpine pass in the Alps, at 2,764 meters followed by the Petit St-Bernard to get to our hotel in Courmayeur near the Mont-Blanc.



Day 7

Courmayeur and the Mont-Blanc – Relax Day

A beautiful ride around Mont-Blanc or a ride up the cablecar to the summit? Today is a relax Day, enjoy!



Day 8

Courmayeur - Domodossola, Italy

Today is a special day of high passes and low valleys between Italy and Switzerland. Our destination is Domodossola in Italy. Along the way, we will follow the Centovalli road, a narrow historical road, filled with tight curves.



Day 9

Domodossola, lakes, passes, valleys - Relax Day

On this relax day, a promenade along the shores of Lakes Maggiore and Como is planned. If you would rather take it easy, you can visit the nearby towns, do a little ride in the valleys or just stay at the hotel and relax.



Day 10

Domodossola – Biasca, Switzerland

Today we return to Switzerland. The plan is to cross many passes and high valleys. Open your eyes, the views are magnificent. Or destination for the day will be Biasca.



Day 11

Biasca, Switzerland, Malles Venosta, Italy

Another day crossing high passes and beautiful valleys, in Switzerland and then back to Italy. Our hotel is in Malles, not far from his Majesty, the Stelvio. Since the ride is not very long, if the weather permits and you agree, we can detour to the top of the Stelvio to get to our hotel.



Day 12

The Alps – Relax Day

Another relax day, this time in motorcycle paradise, the great Alps. The menu will be curves, curves and more curves. And in between, magnificent views and charming Tyrolean style villages. If you would prefer, we can provide many other itineraries to visit local towns.



Day 13

The Alps – Relax Day

Another relax day where we will ride the great Alps towards Austria or Switzerland, depending on the weather and how we feel.



Day 14

Malles Venosta - Lake Molveno

Our direction for today is the Trentino Alto-Adiges. Again, the roads will feature curves, hills, high passes, mountains and magnificent views. Our destination for the day is our hotel in Lake Molveno at the foot of the Dolomites.



Day 15

Molveno - Val di Ledro - Lake Iseo

Oh! It's nearly over. Leaving Lake Molveno by a suite of lakes, valleys and mountain roads. We will follow the edge of Lake Molveno to get to the beautiful Val di Ledro. On the way back to our hotel, we will stop by a motorcycle equipment shop. And then back to our hotel in Lake Iseo. Yes, it's over, we park our bikes in the hotel's garage. Departure time for tomorrow will be announced at dinner time.



Day 16

Milan or Venice - Montreal

Transportation will be provided by MégaVoyages to Milan or Venice airport. Departure time will be announced at dinner the previous night. For those that have purchased their airline tickets from MégaVoyages, our flight from Milan or Venice to Montreal leaves approximately at 12:00.



Note:

The itineraries and routes chosen for our Megarides have been prepared according to currently known conditions. Although the chosen period is ideal for our Megaride, your guide may change or adjust the routes for reasons out of MégaVoyages' control due to amongst other, bad weather or impassable roads.

Option(s) available

- Airline tickets for international flights
- Car rental before or after the tour
- Travel insurance medical and or cancellation

Included in the package:

- A guide accompanying the group for the whole stay.
- 14 nights in 4- and 3-stars hotels typical to the region visited.
- 14 dinners typical of the region visited composed of many services and including 0,20 l of wine, 1/2 l of water, dessert and coffee or cappuccino.
- All breakfasts
- One sport touring type motorcycle per rider (pilot), according to the client's choice and availability at the time of the reservation.
- Most motorcycles have side cases, a top case, are comfortable and recent.
- Each motorcycle is equipped with a GPS, depending of the tour, a safety vest and a first-aid kit.
- Comprehensive insurance for the motorcycle and its passengers.
- Motorcycle comprehensive insurance
- (A 2900 € deductible in case of accident at fault or without identified third party and theft.).
- The deductible may be reduced.
- Roadside assistance all over Europe
- Unlimited kilometers
- Transportation by chartered bus from the Airport to the Hotel, and return to the airport at the end of the tour
- A MégaVoyages gift.
- A roadbook including good to know information, the itinerary, hotel addresses and group ride rules.

Not included in the package:

- Lunches
- Gasoline, tolls, local ferries, your International Drivers Permit and personal expenses.
- Airline Tickets for international flights
- Tips and other gratuities.
- Contribution to the Fonds d'indemnisation des clients des agents de voyages (FICAV).
- Motorcycling equipment, jacket, helmet, gloves.
- Any element not specified in the section « Included in the package ».

All-risk insurance does not cover:

- All bodily injury and material damage while using the vehicle on unpaved roads (off-road prohibited)
- The cost of repairing or replacing the tire(s) in the event of a puncture
- Compensation for luggage transported in and on the motorcycle during a theft or accident
- Transport costs to the planned drop-off point of the motorcycle if the renter cannot bring it back himself.
- Administration fees of \$25 in addition to the deductible.

Traffic violations:

- Violations of the traffic code (tickets) are at the renter's expense.
In the event of a violation served by a competent authority, an administration fee of \$50 +tx per violation will be added.

Deposit and balance due

Early booking deposit: an amount of \$ 300, applicable to the 1st deposit if made before October 1st preceding the tour. It gives you priority in the room bookings and sets the price of the chosen tour. This amount is not refundable.

1st deposit: a deposit of \$2000 per rider or \$1000 per passenger is required and must be paid at registration time or before October 1st preceding the tour. This amount is not refundable.

Balance due: 60 days before the tour. This amount is not refundable.

Checks are payable to MégaVoyages Inc. and will be deposited into a trust account as requested by Quebec Consumer protection law. Québec license number 703316

Cancellation

In case of cancellation by a participant:

- from the reservation to 91 days before departure: \$2,000.00 for the rider, \$1,000.00 passenger
- from 90 days to 61 days before departure: \$2,500.00 for the rider, \$1,500.00 passenger
- from 30 days to a day before departure: 100 % of the tour price, including all taxes

Departure day is not included in the cancellation delay.

The travel cancellation insurance is not refundable.

We reserve the right, if circumstances require it, to change the itineraries and the sequence order of our programs.

Prices take into account the following parameters:

- transportation cost taking into account fuel and exchange rates.
- all fees and taxes such as local airport taxes, airport usage and improvement fees, in ports and airports.
- the relevant currencies exchange rate.

According to the Quebec Consumer Protection Office (OPC) regulation, the price may be increased up to thirty (30) days before departure date if due to some major circumstances, the condition above would change.

If the cost of the tour increases at least 7% (excluding taxes), the customer may cancel and be reimbursed. He may accept another tour as a replacement.