

2025

From the Baltic Sea Islands Rügen and Usedom along the river Oder and Havel to Berlin



With Bike and Boat from Stralsund to Berlin

MS PRINCESS

ORIGINALREISE

- Trip length: 8 Days / 7 Nights
- Departure and arrival day: Saturday
- Length of cycle tours: approx. 166 - 176 km / 103 – 109 mi
- Character: individual, unguided
- Difficulty: ●●○○
- Profile: car-free paths, rural country roads with little traffic and asphalted bike lanes but also on dusty field paths and dirt roads, with a few short sections on federal highways. "Pleasure-biking" - The routes are mostly flat with some hilly parts, although there will be a few steep inclines and downgrades.
- Language on board: German / English
- Travel documents: German / English
- Booking code DE-ODSSB-08I



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Tour Details

From the old Hanseatic city of Stralsund you will sail along the unique Bodden coast to Germany's largest islands, Rügen and Usedom. The Bay of Szczecin will lead you to the Polish city of Szczecin with its magnificent castle. You will then continue on through the peaceful, unique Oder landscape to Schwedt and then to Eberswalde and Oranienburg on the Oder-Havel Canal through an expanse of forests until you have reached your destination, the metropolis of Berlin.

What could be more wonderful than sitting on the sun deck and enjoying the splendid views of the landscape slowly going by and finding out all sorts of interesting things about the country, people, culture and nature on lovely bike tours? Discover the northern German seaside resort architecture, baroque castles, brick gothic and varied flora and fauna of these unique fluvial landscapes.

(All times are subject to change)

Day	Port	Arrival	Dept.
Day 1	Stralsund, Embarkation		
Day 2	Stralsund		09:30
Day 2	Lauterbach (Rügen)	13:30	18:30
Day 2	Peenemünde	21:30	
Day 3	Peenemünde		11:45
Day 3	Wolgast	13:00	
Day 4	Wolgast		06:00
Day 4	Stettin	16:00	
Day 5	Stettin		08:00
Day 5	Mescherin	11:30	12:00
Day 5	Schwedt	16:00	
Day 6	Schwedt		06:30
Day 6	Hohensaaten	11:00	11:30
Day 6	Niederfinow	12:30	13:30
Day 6	Eberswalde	17:00	
Day 7	Eberswalde		05:00
Day 7	Oranienburg	10:30	11:00
Day 7	Berlin	15:00	
Day 8	Berlin, Disembarkation		

Day 1: Saturday, arrival in Stralsund

Individual arrive in Stralsund. Embarkation at 4:00 pm. Maybe you'll have some time and a notion to take a stroll through Stralsund's historic centre, which is situated on a small island. As a city with an important past, you will see numerous exceptional sights.

Day 2: Sunday, cycle tour Stralsund – Lauterbach, approx. 48 km / cruise Lauterbach – Peenemünde

Your bike tour on this day will take you through Stralsund over the Rügen Dam to Gustow with its well-known village church, then past Poseritz, Groß Schoritz, the birthplace of Ernst Moritz Arndt and Garz to Putbus (tip: Don't miss the famous circus. Classical buildings line this circular "square", where all the streets converge). Then it's off to Lauterbach in the southeast of Rügen Island. You will board the boat here. Around 6.30 pm departure to Usedom.

Day 3: Monday, cycle tour Peenemünde – Wolgast, approx. 15 – 25 km

Today you have plenty of time to explore the Usedom Island. You have the choice between 3 cycling tours. Take the opportunity in the morning to visit the Historical-Technical Museum in the former power plant and cycle to Wolgast on the short way, or in good weather, opt for one of the slightly longer bike tours through Trassenheide and Zinnowitz, combined with a refreshing swim in the Baltic Sea. The destination for the day is Wolgast, also known as the "Gateway to the Island of Usedom." Definitely worth seeing is the medieval old town with its town hall and St. Peter's Church.

Day 4: Tuesday, Wolgast – Szczecin, day of rest on board

Today you will spend all day on board. You will cross the expansive waters of the Bay of Szczecin (Oder Lagoon) and reach Szczecin,

the green city on the mouth of the Oder and one of the largest ports on the Baltic Sea. The reconstructed castle of the dukes of Pomerania situated in the city's historic centre is worth seeing.

Day 5: Wednesday, cruise Szczecin – Mescherin / cycle tour Mescherin – Schwedt, approx. 28 km

In the morning you will sail from Szczecin to Mescherin. Today, you pass through a section of the unique cross-border protected area called "Lower Oder Valley International Park" via the Oder-Neisse Cycle Path before reaching Schwedt, your destination for the day. Along the way, you'll encounter the former estate of Criewen, which offers you the opportunity to visit the National Park Center of Germany's only floodplain National Park.

Day 6: Thursday, cruise Schwedt – Hohensaaten, / cycle tour Hohensaaten – Eberswalde, bike tour, about 33 km

In the morning you will sail from Schwedt to Hohensaaten. Then a bike ride in the direction of Niederfinow (boat lift – a tour is always an option) through the splendid landscape, passing by small hills, glades and forests – the last section will be on the Treidel bike route along the Finow Canal – to Eberswalde. In the heart of the city, in the Finow Canal, is the oldest working lock in Germany.

Day 7: Friday, cruise Eberswalde – Oranienburg / cycle tour Oranienburg – Berlin, about 42 km

In the morning shipping to Oranienburg. Sightseeing tip: the Baroque castle with its park, museum and orangery. Then the well-marked bike route will take you southwards through the Ruppiner See area to Berlin.

Day 8: Saturday, departure from Berlin

After breakfast, disembarkation until 9:00 am and individual trip home.

Travel Dates | Prices | Services

Travel Dates 2025 / From Saturday to Saturday

17.05. – 24.05. | 31.05. – 07.06. | 14.06. – 21.06. | 28.06. – 05.07. | 12.07. – 19.07. | 26.07. – 02.08. | 09.08. – 16.08. | 23.08. – 30.08. | 06.09. – 13.09.

Price per Person in EURO

Main Deck				Upper Deck
2-bed cabin Eco*	2-bed cabin Eco Comfort**	2-bed cabin	2-bed cabin single use (limited quantity)	2-bed cabin
1.099,-	1.149,-,-	1.249,-	1.749,-	1.599,-

* Cabins at the rear of the ship; perceptible engine and generator noise (when ship is in motion and in locks) ** 2-bed-cabin comfort = approx. 11.5 m², Cabins at the rear of the ship; perceptible engine and generator noise (when ship is in motion and in locks)

Supplements

Rental bike fee 7-gear-Unisex: EUR 89.-

Rental bike fee 8-gear-E-bike: EUR 199.-

Bing your own bike / own E-bike: EUR 39.- (on request only, limited number)

Bikes:

- 7-gear-Unisex-trekking bikes and 8-gear-E-Bikes (brand: Velo de Ville - special SE-Tours edition)
- With hand brake and pedal brake or hand brakes only (subject to availability, please indicate as a non-binding customer request by the booking)
- Pannier bag and rental bike insurance included
- E-Bikes on a limited number only
- Please indicate your body height by the booking

Travel safe and secure with SE-Tours: We recommend to wear a bike helmet. Onboard selling (limited quantities; brand: UVEX I-VO): EUR 40.- apiece, payment: cash only

Services included

- Seven nights in outside cabins with private facilities in the booked cabin category
- Program according to routing
- All charges for harbours, bridges and locks
- Welcome-Drink
- Room cleaning every day, changing of towels and bed cloths as necessary
- Full board consisting of 7x breakfast, 6x lunch package for cycle tours or snack on board (non-cyclists), 6x coffee or tea in the afternoon, 7x 3-course-dinner
- Daily meeting for the cycle tours
- Detailed digital travel documents, navigation app, and GPS data for the bike tours
- Tour guide on board

Not included

Arrival and departure, parking fees and shuttles, bike rentals, local visitor's tax may apply during cycle tours, entrance fees and excursions, city maps, ferry fees, travel insurances, tips, drinks on board and personal expenses.

Passenger car parking options in Stralsund (subject to change, effective May 2023):

Various parking garages near the boat's berth "See-, Hafenstraße, Hafensinsel area", e.g. Parkhaus am Ozeaneum garage for about € 28.00 for 2 days, each additional day ca. € 6.00. No reservation possible.

Return by train from Berlin to Stralsund approx. € 46.00 per person.

Ship's description | Remarks

MS PRINCESS

Built in 1981, **Renovation** 2024 | **Registry** Netherlands | **Length** 80 m | **Width** 9.5 m | **Height** 4 m | **Draft** 1.30 m | **Passengers** max. 98

Thanks to its dimensions, the comfortable MS PRINCESS is the ideal boat for cruises on the Oder River. It has a brightly decorated restaurant and a cosy salon. All decks, including the sun deck, can also be reached by a stair lift in addition to the stairs. The stairs are very steep (chairlift on the passenger and sun deck, max. 100 kg).

Cabins 49 outer cabins arranged in a modern style, about 10.5 m², with shower and toilet, hair dryer, phone, Sat.-TV, safe (for a fee) and individually controlled A/C.

The two separate beds provide storage space underneath for luggage and thus have a raised but comfortable entry. Above the beds, there are storage cabinets for your personal items. A small built-in wardrobe with hanging and storage options is also available.



Main Deck 42x 2-bed-cabins, about 10.5 m², one of which as 2-bed-cabin comfort with room size about 11.5 m², the window cannot be opened.

Upper Deck 7x 2-bed-cabins, about 10.5 m², panoramic window can be opened.



Important remarks

Embarkation at 4:00 p.m. | **Disembarkation** until 9:00 a.m.

Minimum number of participants 70 guests (must have been reached within 21 days prior to departure).

To bring your own bike On request only – due to lack of space on sun deck. We exclude any liability for loss, theft and damage - this also applies to damage caused by transportation from shore to ship or vice versa.

Excursions We offer a small excursion program, that can be booked directly on board at the cruise director only. You will get a brief description together with your travel documents. Depending on the number of participants some excursions could be carried out in 2 languages (German/ English).

Schedule and program changes Basically, we reserve the right to make changes of routing and program. If there is low or high water and a route cannot be shipped, the captain reserves the right to change the route in view of your safety (this cannot be accepted as a reason for free withdrawal). Same applies to previously unknown administrative orders of lock or bridge repairs.

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This trip is not suitable for guests with reduced mobility.

We recommend that you take out a **travel health insurance** with repatriation coverage as well as baggage, accident and travel cancellation insurances.

