



## TOUR ITINERARY

RIDING  
LEVEL

3

Europe / Spain / Mallorca

# Mallorca Bike Tour

Dreamy Luxury and Sparkling Coasts of the Spanish Mediterranean



## TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Cycle a breadth of landscapes as you ride up cols, into the stunning Tramuntana mountain range, and along the northwest coast
- Explore Pollença, an artists' hideaway buzzing with cafés and galleries, once frequented by Winston Churchill, Agatha Christie, and actor Peter Ustinov
- Relax at sublime hotels including Son Bunyola





## ARRIVAL + DEPARTURE

### Arrival Details

- ✈ **Airport City:**  
Palma, Mallorca
- 📍 **Pick-Up Location:**  
HM Jaime III, Hotel Saratoga, Can Cera Hotel, or Hotel Sant Francesc
- 🕒 **Pick-Up Time:**  
9:15-9:30 am

### Departure Details

- ✈ **Airport City:**  
Palma, Mallorca
- 📍 **Drop-Off Location:**  
Downtown Palma
- 🕒 **Drop-Off Time:**  
Between 9:00-10:00 am

**NOTE:** DuVine provides group transfers to and from the tour from the pick-up and drop-off locations stated on the itinerary. In the event your train, flight, or other travel falls outside the arrival or departure times or locations, you may be responsible for extra costs incurred in arranging a separate transfer.

### Emergency Assistance

For urgent assistance on your way to tour or while on tour, please always contact your guides first. You may also contact the Boston office during business hours at +1 617 776 4441 or [emergency@duvine.com](mailto:emergency@duvine.com).



# TOUR ITINERARY

## Tour By Day

DAY  
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### Welcome to Mallorca

Meet your guides at one of our recommended pre-night hotels for a transfer to the island's center. Here, we'll start our first ride pedaling through Mallorca's heartland, peppered with vineyards, olive groves, and ancient towns. After lunch, head to our hotel for the next two nights. Spend the afternoon by the pool with a glass of chilled wine before we regroup for dinner. Tonight, we're served a sumptuous selection of local ingredients from the island and its pristine coastal waters.

**Meals:** Lunch / Dinner

**Destinations:** Campanet, Pollença

**Accomplished:** 30 miles / 49 km, elevation gain: 1,417 feet / 432 meters

**Accommodations:** [Son Brull](#)

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DAY  
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### The Bay of Formentor

Today, tackle the epic Cap de Formentor lighthouse ride—one of Mallorca's legendary roads. Our ride begins with an inland spin to the fortified town of Alcúdia, the ancient Roman capital of Mallorca. Our main climb of the day takes us from Port de Pollença to the Colomer Mirador, where we'll steal some magnificent glimpses of craggy rocks and the shimmering blue sea. Arrive at the lighthouse, enjoy a refreshing drink, and take a moment to snap some photos from the lighthouse terrace. Ride all the way back to Port de Pollença, or transfer and arrive in time for lunch at Tolo's, a favorite hangout for amateur and professional cyclists alike—Sir Bradley Wiggins has been spotted here. After lunch, return to the hotel by van or via the coastal road to Alcudia. Tonight, chef Steve and his wife Clare will teach us how to make authentic paella and some of Mallorca's best-loved *tapas*.

**Meals:** Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner

**Destinations:** Alcúdia, Port de Pollença, Formentor

**Accomplished:** 42 miles / 67 km, elevation gain: 3,940 feet / 1,201 meters

**Shorter Option:** 36 miles / 58 km, elevation gain: 3,585 feet / 1,093 meters

**Accommodations:** [Son Brull](#)

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### Ride the Tramuntana Classic

Today we will ascend into the dramatic Tramuntana Mountains, where the terrain is captivatingly diverse. From rocky lunar landscapes to magnificent coastal cliffs that plunge into the azure sea, our ride reveals hand-hewn tunnels, mountain lakes, shady forests, and quaint sandstone villages. Climb the Col de Puig Major, the highest point of the week where we'll pause to absorb the views of the valley below before an exhilarating 14-kilometer descent into Sóller. After, hop in the van and transfer to Sun Bunyola, Sir Richard Branson's latest luxury property. The hotel is a tranquil and beautifully restored *finca* (manor house) where you can spend the afternoon at the spa or basking in spectacular coastal views from the outdoor pool. Tonight, we'll enjoy an exquisite dinner of traditional dishes and locally produced ingredients at the hotel's gastronomic restaurant.

**Meals:** Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner

**Destinations:** Tramuntana Mountains, Sóller

**Accomplished:** 25 miles / 58 km, elevation gain: 4,409 feet / 1,344 meters

**Longer Option:** 59 miles / 94 km, elevation gain: 7,283 feet / 2,220 meters

**Accommodations:** [Son Bunyola](#)

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### The Southern Slopes

Today we dial down the intensity to conserve energy for tomorrow's grand finale. Begin riding right from the hotel along a scenic coastal road that descends into the village of Esporles. It's a rollercoaster ride as we climb 6 kilometers to Coll des Grau, then descend another 16 kilometers into Puigpunyent for coffee. Our ride continues to Ses Rotes Winery, a vineyard and horse ranch owned by Swedish-British couple Emelie and Dan. Gather in the lush gardens for a paella lunch, paired with the family's own wines. From here, ride back to our hotel or return in the van for a well-deserved massage. This evening, we recommend dinner on your own at the hotel's Sa Tafona tapas bar.

**Meals:** Breakfast / Lunch

**Destinations:** Esporles, Puigpunyent

**Accomplished:** 27 miles / 44 km, elevation gain: 2,100 feet / 642 meters

**Shorter Option:** 21 miles / 34 km, elevation gain: 1,328 feet / 405 meters

**Accommodations:** [Son Bunyola](#)

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### Return to Tramuntana

Today our stunning ride takes us between rugged mountains and sparkling coast on one of the island's most spectacular cycling routes, the Tramuntana Classic. Pedal south through the seaside town of Andratx before continuing to the fishing village of Sant Elm where we'll stop for coffee and gelato. Admire the views of the uninhabited Dragonera islet before a final 3-kilometre climb. Our final descent takes us to Port d'Andratx where we'll enjoy one last tapas-style lunch overlooking the marina. If you wish to squeeze in a bit more riding, stay in the saddle until the day's route ends at our final hotel. This evening, toast our week of adventure with a celebratory aperitif before one final gourmet dinner on the hotel terrace.

**Meals:** Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner

**Destinations:** Valldemossa, Banyalbufar, Estellencs, Port d'Andratx

**Accomplished:** 28 miles / 46 km, elevation gain: 3,015 feet / 919 meters

**Longer Option:** 38 miles / 62 km, elevation gain: 4,081 feet / 1,244 meters

**Accommodations:** [Castell Son Claret](#)

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### Adiós to Mallorca

In the morning your guides will transfer you to the airport or to your hotel in Palma if you have decided to extend your stay. Although your Mallorca adventure has come to an end, there is more to explore on this stunning island paradise.

**Meals:** Breakfast

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## YOUR TOUR DETAILS

### Preparing for Your Tour

#### Travel Services

DuVine can assist with the following reservations for up to three days before and after your tour.

- Pre and post-trip hotels in all major cities, in addition to the first and last on-tour hotels
- Private transfers

DuVine's travel advisor partners are happy to assist with flight reservations. If you are not already working with an agent, please request a referral from your Tour Coordinator.

#### Travel Protection

DuVine offers a **Travel Protection Plan** to help protect your travel investment, your belongings, and most importantly, you. The offered Travel Protection Plan is non-refundable, but it is strongly recommended in the unfortunate event that you have to cancel or leave your trip.

NOTE: Plan benefits, limits, and provisions may vary by state or jurisdiction. In order to receive full benefits, Travel Protection must be purchased within 21 days of initial tour deposit. This plan is available to citizens of the U.S. and Canada only.

#### Gratuities

Gratuities are much appreciated to thank DuVine guides for exceptional service, support, and expertise. The industry standard is for each guest to tip 10-15% (U.S. tours and Cycle + Sail tours) or 7.5-10% (all other tours) of their trip price. The recommended per-traveler amount is an appropriate gratuity for your guide team as a whole. (It is not necessary to tip this amount *per* guide.) Tips are customary at the end of your tour, and local currency is always preferred. We recommend bringing extra cash or visiting the ATM at the beginning of your trip. For alternate methods of tipping (including Venmo, PayPal, and TransferWise), **please see our FAQs**.



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## YOUR TOUR DETAILS

### Bikes

DuVine's top-of-the-line bikes are tuned to perfection and fit specifically to you. Our performance bikes from premier manufacturers feature light frames, smooth-rolling tires, comfortable seats, and wide gear ranges for the best ride possible. Please see our website for the exact bike models offered on tour. Additionally, e-bikes are available on most DuVine tours. Electric assist provides an extra boost to your own pedal power, so you can ride longer distances, tackle tougher climbs, and maintain a faster pace. Electric assist is available on a first-come, first-served basis. Contact your Tour Coordinator if you are interested.

### Electrical Overseas

If you're traveling abroad, you will most likely need an [adapter](#), which allows your device's plug to fit into foreign outlets. North American devices run on 110/125V electricity while the majority of the world runs on 220/240V. Converters and transformers change the voltage of electricity to match your device.

### Training

First and foremost, get out on your bike and start logging some miles. Nothing compares to the real thing, but if you can't cycle outside, consider spin classes. Experience with the elements of wind, actual hills, terrain, etc will help with your comfort level (balance, unexpected conditions, etc.) on tour. Always remember, training is a gradual process—don't try to overdo it or push yourself when you aren't ready. However, the most important part of training is to enjoy your ride! [Download a training guide](#) based on your Tour Level.

### Travel Sustainably

DuVine is committed to sustainable travel and has been a 100% carbon neutral company since 2022. While cycling is an inherently eco-conscious mode of travel, we continuously seek ways to lessen our footprint, whether it be biodegradable water bottles or compostable gear mailers.

[Read more](#) about sustainability at DuVine.





# YOUR PACKING LIST

## On The Bike

Cycling jerseys or athletic shirts  
Cycling shorts  
Cycling shoes (if you bring your own pedals)  
Sneakers (if you don't bring your own pedals)  
Athletic socks  
Arm/leg warmers  
Lightweight, waterproof, wind-resistant jacket or vest  
Bike gloves  
Bike saddle/cover (if you prefer your own)

## Off The Bike

Walking shoes  
Hiking shoes (if required)  
Long + short-sleeved shirts  
Sweater/jacket for evenings  
Dinner attire (dressy casual) + dress shoes  
Swimsuit

## Travel Items\*

Travel confirmations + tickets for air, rail, etc.  
Passport, including photocopy  
Local currency  
DuVine Tour Itinerary (with meeting + departing info)  
Health insurance information  
Medications  
Cycling gear (+ pedals) if riding on Day 1

\*We recommend keeping these items in your carry-on

## Additional Items

Cell phone + charger  
Photography gear + charger  
Power/plug adapter  
Toiletries  
Sunscreen, sunglasses, + other sun protection gear  
Insect repellent

## What We Provide

- Bike saddle
- GPS (where available)
- Flat or caged pedals
- DuVine t-shirt and jersey
- Helmet
- Water bottle
- Snacks/nutrition
- Drawstring bag

## Order DuVine Gear

Want DuVine bike shorts to match your complimentary jersey? To order, contact [tourcoordinators@duvine.com](mailto:tourcoordinators@duvine.com). Gear is shipped free of charge to DuVine guests in the U.S. and Canada. For expedited shipping and guests outside of the U.S. and Canada, additional shipping fees will apply.

## Do I need to bring special gear?

- Cycling shorts are designed to provide extra padding when spending the whole day in the saddle. Don't forget the chamois cream!
- If you bring your own cycling shoes, you must bring your own pedals. If you've never used clip-in pedals before, we don't recommend using them on tour.
- Arm and leg warmers are essential for cooler weather. Wear them with your short-sleeve jersey and shorts for lightweight, easy-to-pack, and effective warmth.
- Bike gloves are a preference, but are recommended for Level 3 and 4 tours. The padding in gloves can ease arm, shoulder, and joint fatigue.

## Dressing for the Weather

- The location and time of year of your tour can bring all kinds of weather, from extreme heat to relentless rain. Check extended forecasts before your trip and pack accordingly.

## Before You Go

- Ensure your passport is valid for 3-6 months after return date.
- Call your bank/credit cards to notify them of upcoming travel.
- Please limit your luggage to one medium-sized suitcase and one carry-on.

## BIKE SAFETY

We strongly suggest that you read these simple safety instructions. They will help you bike safely before and during your tour!

- Wear a helmet—this is mandatory on tour!
- Familiarize yourself with traffic laws and obey them. Bikes do not have the right of way, but most drivers are respectful to cyclists on the road. Always ride in the direction of traffic.
- Be aware of your surroundings at all times. Knowing what is in front of and behind you may help prevent an accident.
- Alert other riders around you by announcing the presence of traffic ("car up") or pot holes ("pot hole").
- When riding as a group, maintain distance between yourself and other cyclists
- Learn the hand signals to indicate when you are stopping or turning.
- Operate your bike consistently and predictably—avoiding erratic movements.
- Keep at least one hand on the handlebars at all times.
- Primarily use your rear brake.
- Always be aware of weather and road conditions and how they may affect your ability to brake.
- Never wear headphones or use speakers during rides.
- Always listen to additional instructions from your guides on tour.

If you have chosen an e-bike, be aware that it is slightly heavier, faster, and more powerful than a non-electric bike. Therefore, you should anticipate a different reaction when riding downhill, breaking, or dismounting from an e-bike. Your guides can offer further instruction during your bike fitting and safety review.

