









Via Claudia Augusta

from BOLZANO to QUARTO d'ALTINO-VENICE - sporty





Starting from the spirited city of Bolzano with its warm and lucent gleaming porphyry rocks and the wine gardens of the famous Lagrein region, along the Adige river you make your way into the charming Trentino. As a reward for the ascent to Alta Valsugana, a magnificent view opens up into the thermal region of the Suganer Valley, whose cycle path along the Brenta River accompanies you almost to Feltre.

Behind you, the graceful hills of the world-famous Prosecco growing area of Valdobbiadene, your way leads you through tranquil villages and historically significant cities like Treviso, before Quarto d'Altino is reached, the destination of your journey. With the train you can reach the centre of Venice directly and nothing stands in the way of a long stroll in the Serenissima with its palazzi and art treasures.

Highlights

-  Original milestone of Rabland, city museum of Bolzano
-  Walther square, fruit market, "Ötzi"-museum, Bolzano
-  Tridentum. The Roman underground city - S.A.S.S., Trento
-  Borgo Valsugana, Suganer Valley
-  Forte Leone, Primolano
-  Historic city centre, Feltre
-  Original milestone of Cesiomaggiore, optional visitation when riding via Praderadego pass between Feltre and Pieve di Soligo
-  Lagoon city of Venice with historical treasures and sights

Route characteristics

-  Mostly paved/asphalted bike paths, farm roads, quiet side roads and local thoroughfares
-  Very sporty option between Feltre and Pieve di Soligo via Praderadego pass
-  2 parts of approx. 5 km with more frequented roads between Feltre and Quarto d'Altino
-  Train ride from Quarto d'Altino to Venice and back






Level of difficulty

Touring bicycle 

Pedelec/E-Bike 

Suitable for families with children from the age of approx. 14 years (appropriate cycling enthusiasm required)

Arrival | Travel time | Type of trip

-  Every Friday from May 1st to September 15th 2021
-  8 days | 7 nights (incl. days of arrival and departure)
-  Stretch trip - approx. 280 resp. 290 cycling kilometres
-  Individual cycling trip
-  From 2 persons (single travellers on application)

Itinerary

Day 1: Individual journey to Bolzano

Welcome to the capital of South Tyrol!

Day 2: Bolzano – Castelfeder Holiday Region (approx. 30 - 40 km)

In the area of the South Tyrolean Wine Road you ride along vineyards up to Eppan and Caldaro to get to roll down to the idyllic Lake Caldaro. After a comfortable sun(bath) the tour continues on to Castelfeder Holiday Region with the towns of Ora, Montagna, Egna and Salorno, which is where the German speaking South Tyrol ends.

Day 3: Castelfeder Holiday Region – Levico Terme (approx. 60 - 70 km)

You should have managed to pick up a couple of Italian words before you continue to pedal on along River Adige to Trento where you see the old town with its Dome and Castle of Buonconsiglio. The sporty highlight today are about 600 metres of altitude difference up to Civezzano and Pergine Valsugana. Just a couple of kilometres more and you reach Lake Levico which will make you forget the struggle ;-)

Day 4: Levico Terme – Feltre (approx. 65 km)

A beautiful tour on a new cycle path from Levico Terme along River Brenta to Borgo Valsugana and Primolano awaits you. From here you have to take a regular road up to Arsie and Fonzaso in order to finish in Feltre, one of the most important historical cities.

Day 5: Feltre – Pieve di Soligo (approx. 50 km or 60 km via Praderadego-Pass)

Today you've got two options. Either you take the hilly but not too exhausting road through the Proseccovineyards or you take the sporty road and pass by Lentiai and the impressive Praderadego-Pass (approx. 900 Altitude difference). Pieve di Soligo is definitely perfect to relax after a "harder" day.

Day 6: Pieve di Soligo – Quarto d'Altino/Venice (approx. 65 km)

You have to hit the pedals just one more time in order to get to Venice. On the way you find some real highlights too. Right past Pieve di Soligo, still in the middle of the prosecco hills you see Castello San Salvatore throning. Soon after Ponte Priula you arrive at the art and radicchio-town of Treviso which is finally followed by Quarto d'Altino, a small town very close to the original start of Via Claudia Augusta.

Day 7: Excursion to Venice – Overnight stay again in Quarto d'Altino

Set aside your bike and relax while you take the train in approx. 20 minutes to the train station Santa Lucia of Venice. This is the perfect initial point to explore the uncountable alleys and channels of Venice. Have a look at Piazza San Marco and maybe even treat yourself with a gondola ride...

Day 8: Individual Return Journey or Extension

Included Services | Price per Person | Extras

Included services

- ✓ 7 Overnight stays including large breakfast buffet in hotels of the 3-star category
- ✓ Luggage transport from hotel to hotel
- ✓ Train ticket from Quarto d'Altino to Venice and back
- ✓ Extensive travel papers | GPS-data available on demand
- ✓ Phone service daily from 8:30 am to 6:30 pm

Price per person

- Accommodation in a double room *	Euro	895,00
- Accommodation in a double room * (arrival from May 15 th)	Euro	932,00
- Accommodation in a double room * (arrival from August 5 th)	Euro	985,00
- Single room surcharge	Euro	206,00
- Half-board surcharge	Euro	186,00

Extras

- Rental of 21-gear touring bicycle	Euro	100,00
- Rental of Pedelec/E-Bike	Euro	180,00
- Extra night in Bolzano in DR/B&B *	Euro	78,00
- Extra night in Bolzano in SR/B&B *	Euro	112,00
- Extra night in Quarto d'Altino in DR/B&B *	Euro	64,00
- Extra night in Quarto d'Altino in SR/B&B *	Euro	91,00
- Return transfer Quarto d'Altino-Bolzano (every Fri, Sun)	Euro	110,00
- Vehicle transfer Bolzano-Quarto d'Altino		on request

* Any local taxes that may be due are not included and are payable locally