



## TOUR ITINERARY

Europe / Spain / Mallorca

# Mallorca Challenge Bike Tour

Pro Cycling Playground: Sa Calobra to the Serra de Tramuntana

RIDING  
LEVEL

4

## TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Conquer the island's most iconic climbs, including crossing the Tramuntana mountain range from north to south
- Complete the Cap de Formentor ride to reach the lighthouse on the tip of the island's eastern peninsula
- Cycle a breadth of landscapes and see why Mallorca is a wildly popular training ground for the pros
- Visit the most beautiful and buzzy towns in the Balearic Islands: Palma, Pollençà, Sóller, and more
- Relax at sublime hotels including La Residencia and Son Brull, with one post-ride massage included at each property's spa
- Clip into world-class Colnago V4 road bikes with Dura-Ace Di2 shifting and Vision carbon wheels and kit up in custom Rapha x DuVine jersey and bibs



## ARRIVAL + DEPARTURE

### Arrival Details

- ✈ **Airport City:**  
Palma, Mallorca
- 📍 **Pick-Up Location:**  
Palma pre-night hotel
- 🕒 **Pick-Up Time:**  
8:30 am

### Departure Details

- ✈ **Airport City:**  
Palma, Mallorca
- 📍 **Drop-Off Location:**  
Palma airport
- 🕒 **Drop-Off Time:**  
11:00 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.

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### 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).

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### Travelers Take Note

Upon booking this tour, you will be asked to complete a short form. We use this information to ensure all Level 4 trip participants are adequately prepared for our most difficult riding and have proximate cycling experience to the rest of the group.

Please note that e-bikes cannot be reserved for this tour.



## Tour By Day

DAY  
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### Kicking It Off on the Cap de Formentor

Meet your guides at your pre-tour hotel and transfer to the starting point for our first ride. After a safety briefing and bike fitting on our top-of-the-line Cannondales, it's time to warm up on loop to the Mediterranean beach town of Cala San Vicente. After, tackle one of Mallorca's classics: the Cap de Formentor. More like a series of short ascents than a technical climb, the route is comprised of pristine pavement and changing views along the island's eastern peninsula. At the iconic lighthouse, it seems like we've ridden to the end of the world—and we'll understand completely why this place is paradise for cyclists. Head back via the opposite side of Pollença Bay, passing Alcudia and ending with a seaside lunch in the cycling capital of Port de Pollença. Get settled at Son Brull where a well-deserved massage is a great first-day reward, followed by a delicious welcome dinner.

**Meals:** Lunch / Dinner

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

**Accomplished:** 56 miles / 90 km, elevation gain: 4,238 feet / 1,292 meters

**Accommodation:** [Son Brull](#) or [Can Auli](#)

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DAY  
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### King Stage on Sa Calobra

Fuel up at breakfast because you'll need it for today's epic climb up Sa Calobra. Gain 670 meters of elevation over nine kilometers at an average of 7%—it's a wildly popular ride with the pros and one of the main reasons cyclists insist on visiting Mallorca. We may even encounter members of Team Ineos or Team Jumbo Visma as they train on Sa Calobra's 26 hairpin turns. Having conquered one of the week's hardest climbs, we've earned the electrifying descent and satisfying lunch that follows. Tonight, head into the *pequeño* port of Pollença for dinner beside the bay.

**Meals:** Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner

**Destinations:** Sa Calobra, Pollença

**Accomplished:** 60 miles / 96 km, elevation gain: 7,355 feet / 2,242 meters

**Accommodation:** [Son Brull](#) or [Can Auli](#)

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### Crossing the Tramuntana Mountains

This morning we'll bike out of Pollença towards the island's northwest coast and our destination in the dazzling village of Deià. Crossing the UNESCO-listed Serra de Tramuntana mountains involves a series of climbs, culminating in Puig Major. In total, the range spans nearly 90 kilometers and the views are hard to describe until you see them for yourself. We'll be in good company as we share the road (and a few friendly nods) with the small pelotons of local cycling clubs. Upon reaching our hotel, surrender your bike to our mechanic for some mid-week service while you relax by the pool. Head into Deià for dinner on your own—there are plenty of charming restaurants to choose from.

**Meals:** Breakfast / Lunch

**Destinations:** Pollença, Deià

**Accomplished:** 41 miles / 66 km, elevation gain: 5,285 feet / 1,611 meters

**Accommodation:** [La Residencia](#) or [Gran Hotel Sóller](#)

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### Deià Loop: From the Mountains to the Sea

The sheer variety of scenery makes today's ride a highlight of the week. Head south to meet the rugged cliffs of the Tramuntana range, then enter the sun-drenched valley where Sóller sits surrounded by orange groves. Keep riding all the way to the coast and stop for coffee by the crashing waves in Port de Sóller, then complete the loop back to our hotel in Deià. We'll have lunch at La Residencia, then get some serious relief for our legs thanks to another massage. Tonight, an easy stroll into Deià leads us to a favorite local restaurant for dinner.

**Meals:** Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner

**Destinations:** Fornalutx, Sóller, Port de Sóller

**Accomplished:** 51 miles / 83 km, elevation gain: 5,351 feet / 1,631 meters

**Accommodation:** [La Residencia](#) or [Gran Hotel Sóller](#)

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### Finale in Port d'Andratx

We'll end on a high note with the longest stage of the week. Set off from Deià and follow the coastal road all the way south to the stylish seaside town of Port d'Andratx. On the return ride, we'll hit a favorite climb and hidden gem of the Tramuntanas: the ascent to Galilea. It's twisty on the way up, composed of undulating terrain (and almost no flat sections) under the cover of pine trees. You know you're near the top when the scenery starts to open up, which feels like a triumphant finish to the trip. The celebration comes a few hours later as we revel in a sunset dinner on La Residencia's heavenly terrace.

**Meals:** Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner

**Destinations:** Port d'Andratx, Galilea

**Accomplished:** 68 miles / 110 km, elevation gain: 8,346 feet / 2,544 meters

**Accommodation:** [La Residencia](#) or [Gran Hotel Sóller](#)

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### Adiós to Mallorca!

This morning, your guides will transfer you to the airport or 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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