



THREE RIVERS BIKE TOUR

Guided bike tour day trip. The Velebit Mountain Nature park. Zadar hinterland.

At the southern foothills of the Velebit Mountain, where lowland meets its slopes, you'll find many lovely places, sheep and goats pastures, small villages, as well as three hidden beauties: rivers **Zrmanja**, **Krupa** and **Krnjeza**.

Krnjeza, very short but deep, mouths to Krupa river. Over the Krupa river you'll find a very interesting **Kuda's Bridge** (Kudin most) and a legend of Kuda who built this bridge two centuries ago. Krupa flows into Zrmanja. Zrmanja river after some 70 km mouths into **Novigrad sea**.

A bike tour is an excellent way to explore the area of three karst rivers – cleanest and probably the most beautiful our ones. You'll be amazed by the canyons, waterfalls, vegetation and pristine karst nature.



DESCRIPTION

After a car transfer (40 min) to our startpoint, where National Road **D – 27 Gračac-Obrovac** branches toward Kaštel Žegarski, we ride downhill by the asphalt road to the old school house in village of **Golubić** for some 6 km. After next 1 km ride we reach the last houses of

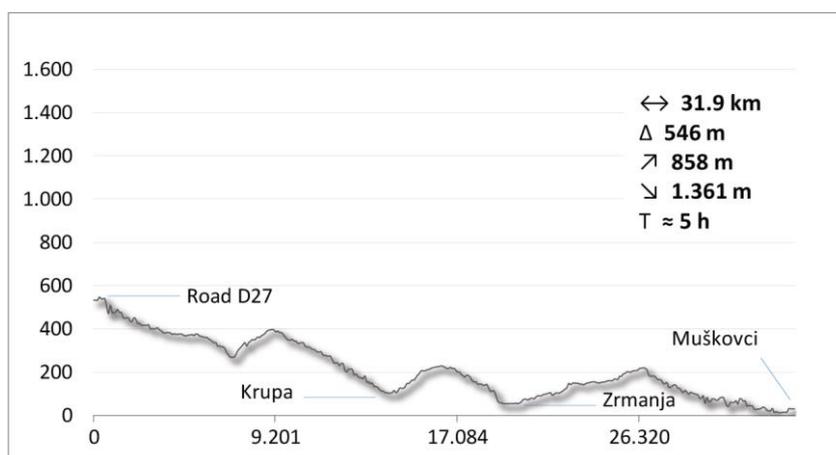
Golubić. A fabulous view opens up to the canyon of the River Krupa. Here we'll get off our bikes and make a downhill walk along the path to the old **Kuda's Bridge**.

After an hour walk we continue our ride toward to the viewpoint above the canyon of the **Krnjeza River**. From here we proceed to the orthodox **Krupa Monastery**. Our trail leads to



Kaštel Žegarski. Here we cross the Zrmanja River. For those searching rafting adventure here is their starting point. Leaving Kaštel Žegarski we turn right in direction Obrovac and ride to the village of **Bogatnik**. Herefrom we continue alog the macadam road . After 3-4 kms we come to the canyon of Zrmanja river on its left side. A few more kilometres and we reach **Muškovci** where our tour ends.

ELEVATION PROFILE



FACT SHEET

Difficulty: easy

Effective driving time: 3:30 hours

Duration: 5 hours

Distance: 31,9 km

Attitude Gain: 858 m

Descent: 1.361 m

Physical Requirements: average fitness level, healthy

Age Recommendations: 10 and older

Start: hotel Rajna

Availability: all year

Departure time: 9 AM or as arranged

Onsite Facilities: No

Group size: The minimum group size is 4 persons, maximum 8. Less people or larger group on request.

Guide: a trained, experienced guide, speaking Croatian, English and/or German

Price: 450,00 kn

What's included: transfer, mountain bike CUBE Ltd, helmet, guide, Nature Park Velebit fee, packed meal.

What to bring: solid footwear, small backpack, raingear, sun cream, money, ID, fleece jacket, high energy snacks, waterbottle, personal first aid kit, mobile phone.

BOOKINGS: Hotel Rajna, Starigrad-Paklenica, HR, www.hotel-rajna.com, rajna-paklenica@inet.hr, tel: ++385 (0)98 272 878

Please note: The tour is subject to favorable weather and seasonal conditions. The operator has the right to cancel the tour due to bad weather condition or to the circumstances beyond our control.