

Dear Bicycle Tourers, Cyclocyclists!

On the website <https://www.bigcycling.eu/en/users/index/view/user/2849/>, I am planning to complete the national challenges (NATACHAS) primarily in Slovakia, Romania, and the Czech Republic.

I have already done more than half of them in Romania.

In practice, this is done by going by car with my girlfriend to the bottom of the pass/mountain. We will climb up by bike from there and go down. After that, we drive to the next destination.

On the way, we will see the sights if time allows. So this involves a lot of driving, less cycling. Not a classic bicycle tour with a tent.

We plan to climb 2-4 passes per day, depending on the distance between the mountains and on the challenge of the climbs. Accommodation in apartments, motels.

We are not (wild) camping.

There was an example where we rented a bungalow for one night at a campsite. Because it was more favorable.

I have a Polish (Amos type Giro 4) bike rack that can be attached to a towbar. My girlfriend comes with an electric bike.

That means, a maximum of 2 bicycles, i.e. two people, can come with me in my car.

However, I can no longer take more electric bicycles!

Of course, anyone else can come with their own car.

Details of the passes and mountains follow. The **starting place** (town) and the **difference in level (DOL)** are marked in bold.

You can see the weather forecast for up to two weeks.

So, this is how you can look for suitable weather without rain for the tour. Although it rains more often in the mountains anyway.

We are waiting for cyclocyclists to join us! Anybody is welcome even for 1-2 climbs.

Southwest Czechia Natacha

day 1

Budapest >> 500km, 7 h drive to Písek

CZE-071 - Jarník 615m, **Písek** 404m, 49.30964 / 14.16151, **DOL 211m**, 3.2 km, 6.6 -15%, Energy points 201, 1 h cycling

>> 46 km 1 hour drive

day 2

CZE-073 Javorník (Klostermannova rozhledna) 1079 m , 49.13839 / 13.65416

East side: **Vacov** 692m , 49.13190 / 13.71183, **DOL 387m** , 5.5 km , 7 -12 % , Energy points 328 , 1 h cycling

SIDES N 8.7 km - 369 pt , , S 4.9 km - 265 pt

>> 22 km, 0.6 h drive

CZE-025 - Zhůří 1159m **Rejštejn** 593m 49.131470 / 13.500149 , **DOL 566m**, 8.8 km , 6.4 -12.7 % , Energy points 486 , 2 h cycling

day 3

CZE-024 - Poledník Top 1314m , **Rejštejn** , 578m , 49.13892 / 13.50879 **DOL 736m** , 22.1 km , 3.3 -11.8 % , Energy points 621 , 3.5 h cycling

CZE-074 - Churáňov 1091m , **Stachy** 741m , 49.10246 / 13.66777 , **DOL 350m** , 8.6 km 4.1 -12.5 % , Energy points 320 , 1.2 h cycling

It also has a south-east side

>> 25 km, 0.6 h drive

day 4

CZE-075 Žlíbský vrch 1127 m , 48.93497 / 13.72883 , **Horní Vltavice** 804m 48.94671 / 13.75654 , **DOL 323m** , 4.6 km , 7 -14 % , Energy points 332, 1.2 h cycling

SIDES / other uphill side S 4.6 km - 287 pt

>>> 30 km, 0.6 h drive

CZE-076 Libin, 1096 m, 48.97841 / 14.01169 **Horní Záblatí**, 592m, 48.99948 / 13.93212

DOL 504m; 10.6 km, 4.8 -14.2 %, Energy points 450, 2 h cycling

SIDES / other uphill side N 9.2 km - 462 pt

>> 35 km, 0.7 h drive

CZE-078 Plešné jezero 1099 m , GPS Location 48.7782 / 13.86715 ,

Nová Pec 725m 48.79286 / 13.95059 , **DOL 374m** , 11 km , 3.4 -8.8 % , Energy points

232 , 1.5 h cycling , SIDES / still uphill side N 11. 3 km - 260 pts

>>32 km, 0.7 h drive

day 5

CZE-079 - Vítkův hrádek 1024m , **Frymburk** , 735m ,48.65691 / 14.1555 , **DOL 289m**

7.4 km , 3.9-14 % , Energy points 352 1.2 h cycling

it also has a northwest side

>> 60 km, 1.2 h drive

CZE-080 - Hojná Voda 815m, **Horní Stropnice** 564m, 48.76039 / 14.73142, **DOL 251m**,

5.6 km, 4.5-11.5%, Energy points 205, 1.2 h cycling

>> 16 km, 0.4 h drive

Austria

AUT-155 - Nebelstein 967m , **Sankt Martin bei Weitra** 620m 48.66391 / 14.83701 ,

DOL 347m , 7.2 -4.8-12 % , Energy points 303 , 1.2 h cycling

>> 37 km, 0.7 h drive

AUT-151 - Naturpark Heidenreichsteiner Moor 623m , **Heidenreichstein** 554m

48.86504 / 15.11998 , **DOL 69m** , 2.3 km , 3 -6 % , Energy points 39 , 0,5 h cycling

>> 35 km, 0.7 h drive

Czech Republic

CZE-084 - Vysoký kámen 706m , **Kunžak** 563m 49.11950 / 15.19422 , **DOL 143m** , 4.1

km , 3.5-9 % , Energy points 91 , 0.5 h cycling

>> 73 km, 1 hour drive

day 6

CZE-083 - Javořice 838m , **Kaliště** 669m 49.24347 / 15.29876 , **DOL 169m** , 5.1 km , 3.3

-9.5 % , Energy points 135 , 0.5 h cycling

>> 120 km, 1.7 h drive

CZE-141 - Znojmo - Horní náměstí 292m, **Znojmo** 230m 48.85405 / 16.04365,

DOL 62m , 0.7 km , 8.9 -19 % , Energy points 76 , 1 h cycling, with sightseeing

>>> 35 km, 0.7 h drive

Austria

AUT-158 - Buchberg 370m, **Mailberg** 209m 48.67372 / 16.18223, **DOL 161m**, 2.3 km, 7-

10%, Energy points 136, 0.5 h cycling

>> 30 km, 0.6 h drive

AUT-160 - Buschberg 493m , **Niederleis** 275m 16.39428 / 48.55825 , **DOL 218m** , 3.5 km

, 6.2 -10 % , Energy points 170 , 0.8 h cycling

>> 33 km, 0.6 h drive

AUT-159 - Falkenstein 409m, **Neudorf bei Staats** 206m 48.71888 / 16.49976,

DOL 203m, 4.9 km, 4.1-10%, Energy points 159, 0.8 h cycling

12 Czech Natachas

5 Austrian Natachas

>>> 320 km, 5 h drive to Budapest