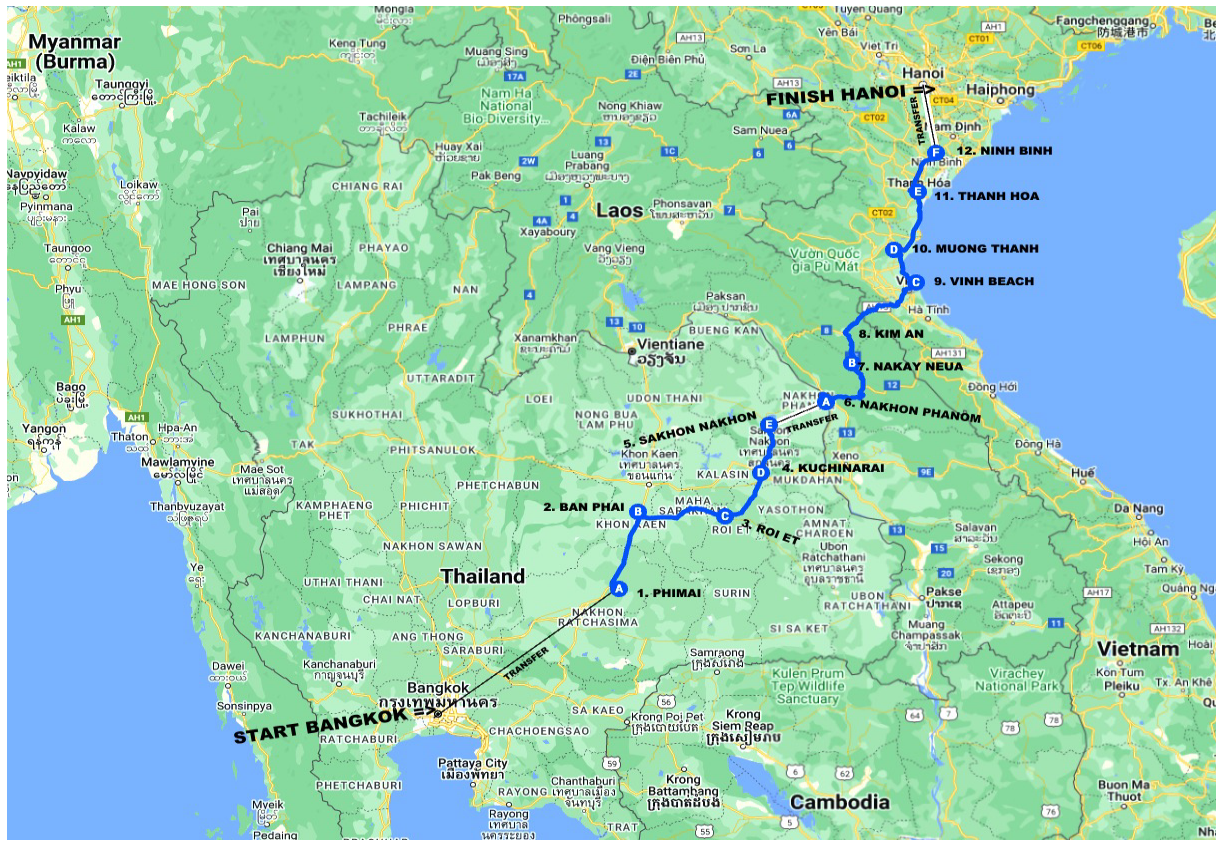


Thailand

CYCLE TOURS

Tour Bangkok – Hanoi with flight back to Bangkok 2024



Highlights:

- Luxurious hotels
- Good and attractive routes
- 3 countries road bike tour **Thailand, Laos and Vietnam**
- Thai, Laos and Vietnamese food and culture
- **Phimai Historical Park**
- **Bike ride at the Mekong**
- One night at **Nakay Neua Lake**
- Terrace rice fields
- One night at Vietnam Beach
- **Ancient capital Ninh Binh** and Karst Scenery
- Rowing boat tour along the Tam Coc “three caves”
- **Hanoi the city of lakes**

The tour lasts 14 days / 13 nights and leads 11 stages over a distance of 1050 kilometers

In and out flight to Bangkok

Starts in Bangkok => fly in Suvarnabhumi Airport (BKK)

Ends in Bangkok => fly out Suvarnabhumi Airport (BKK)

Itinerary:

Join this extraordinary cycling tour Bangkok to Hanoi, traversing the rich tapestry of Thailand, Laos, and Vietnam. The journey unfolds with a historical immersion at Phimai's Ancient Park, setting the tone for an adventure through time and culture. Pedal along the Mekong River, witnessing local life against its tranquil backdrop. Traverse terraced rice fields, framed by serene lakes, and be captivated by the mystique of karst landscapes. A night at Nakay Neua Lake offers celestial tranquility before a seaside respite at Vinh's Vietnam beach.

In Vietnam's Ninh Binh, history comes alive with a Tam Coc "three caves" rowing boat tour. Finally, the vibrant city of lakes, Hanoi, invites you with its bustling streets and timeless charm. This multi-country expedition that intertwines heritage, nature, and the joy of cycling.

2 Group speed 23-26 km/h and 27 – 30 km/h can be decided during the tour, if needed and possible.

20.10 Day 1: Bangkok (Hotel Mode Sathorn 4*)

Upon arriving in the radiant embrace of Bangkok's bright lights and towering skyscrapers, you'll find yourself in one of Asia's largest and most exhilarating cities. The blend of modern state-of-the-art architecture with historic sites is immediate, augmented by the renowned Thai culture and warm hospitality.

Your arrival grants you a free day to explore. For those who arrive a day earlier, an **optional full-day tour** awaits. This includes a **morning city tour** followed by **an afternoon bike excursion** around the famous Skylane track encircling the airport. Every Sunday, the Skylane comes alive with around 8000 cyclists navigating its paths against the backdrop of the city.

Bangkok, renowned as one of the world's safest and friendliest capitals, invites you to become acquainted with its charm. It's a city where modernity harmonizes with tradition and is undoubtedly worthy of exploration.

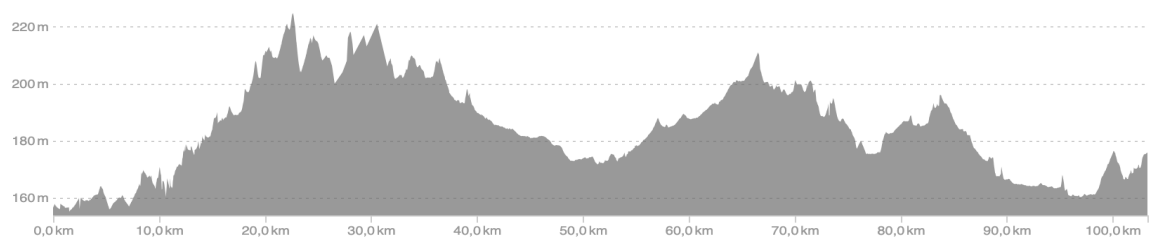
21.10 Day 2: Bangkok - Phimai (40 km 174 climbing meters) (Hotel Paradise 4*) (B, L, D)

Gather to meet at 8 am your experienced guide and support team for your upcoming cycling adventure. The day begins with a 3-hour van transfer to the captivating destination of Phimai. After a satisfying lunch and hotel check-in, we proceed with the bike fitting to ensure your comfort throughout the journey. A visit to the historical Phimai park offers a glimpse into the past. Then, pedal forth on a picturesque 30 km ride through scenic farmlands. As the day winds down, enjoy an evening meal in the charming historical town of Phimai. Your cycling odyssey is off to an incredible start!



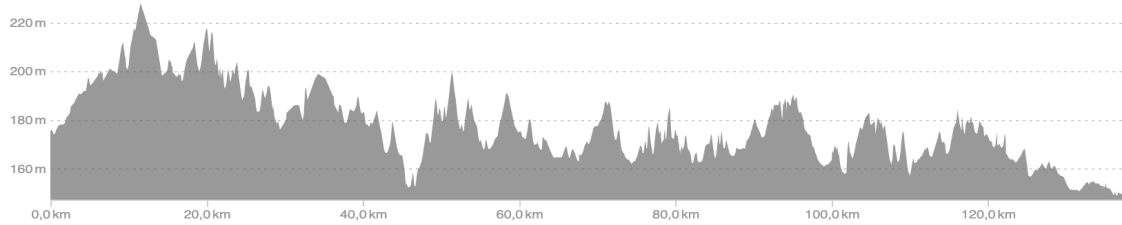
22.10 Day 3: Phimai - Ban Phai (89 km, 330 climbing meters) (Hotel Inpawa 3*) (B, L, D)

Setting off at 8 am, our cycling expedition enters its next phase. A brief transfer takes us to a temple, and by around 9 am, we'll commence our journey along idyllic farmer roads. Pedaling through picturesque landscapes of vibrant rice paddies, we'll navigate our way to the charming town of Ban Phai, where our hotel awaits. Get ready for an immersive day of cycling amid nature's beauty!



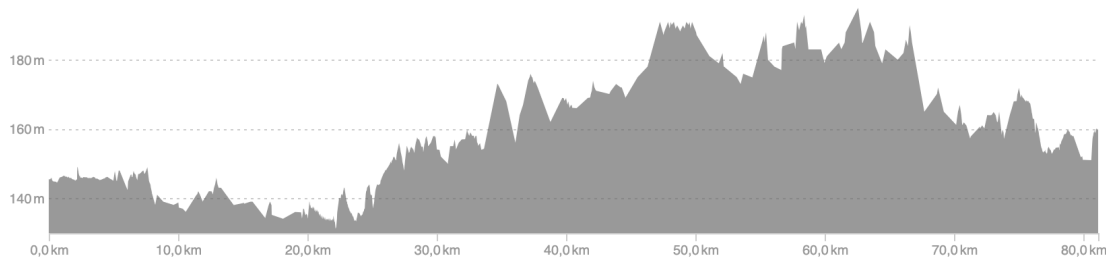
23.10 Day 4: Ban Phai – Roi Et (130km, 570 climbing meters) (Hotel The Hi Place 3*) (B, L, D)

During this part of the journey, we'll pedal through villages, granting you a glimpse into the authentic lives of local farmers. The route unveils sprawling plantations, offering a true essence of rural existence. A notable pause will be at the Kam Dam Bridge, a wooden crossing over a serene lake. Here, we'll have lunch by the waterside. As the day winds on, our lodging awaits in Roi Et, a prominent city in Isaan.



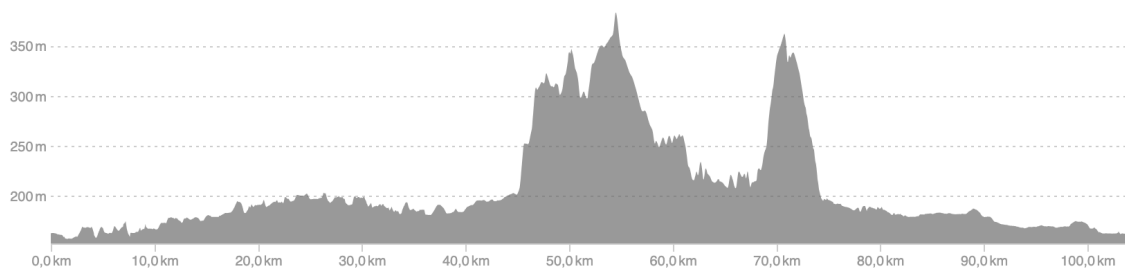
24.10 Day 5: Roi Et – Kuchinarai (85 km, 389 climbing meters) (Hotel P2 Natural Boutique 3*) (B, L, D)

As this part of the journey unfolds, the landscape introduces majestic mountains. Our route navigates through rolling hills adorned with picturesque farmlands. Following the ride, the hotel, complete with a refreshing swimming pool for relaxation. The day concludes with a satisfying dinner at a local restaurant, offering a taste of the region's culinary delights



25.10 Day 6: Kuchinarai – Sakhon Nakhon (102 km, 833 climbing meters) (The Room Boutique Hotel 3*) (B, L, D)

In today's stretch, we ride along a profoundly scenic road, graced by charming old wooden Thai houses. The path meanders along the curves of rice paddies, gradually becoming undulating with rolling hills to conquer. A riverbank sets the stage for a scenic lunch break. Our route leads us to Sakhon Nakhon town, nestled by a lake, promising a picturesque end to the day's ride.

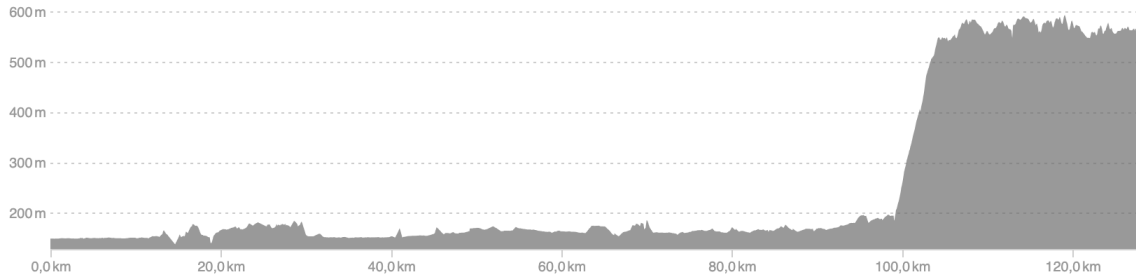


26.10 Day 7: Sakhon Nakhon – Nakhon Phanom (Rachakhong Hotel 3*) (B, L) (Restday)

Today marks a well-deserved rest day. Our morning will be filled with exciting excursions. Later, a transfer of 1 hour and 30 minutes takes us to Nakhon Phanom, where our hotel awaits by the Mekong River and clock tower. Enjoy leisure time in the afternoon, and as the evening descends, explore the nearby night market for a delightful sensory experience.

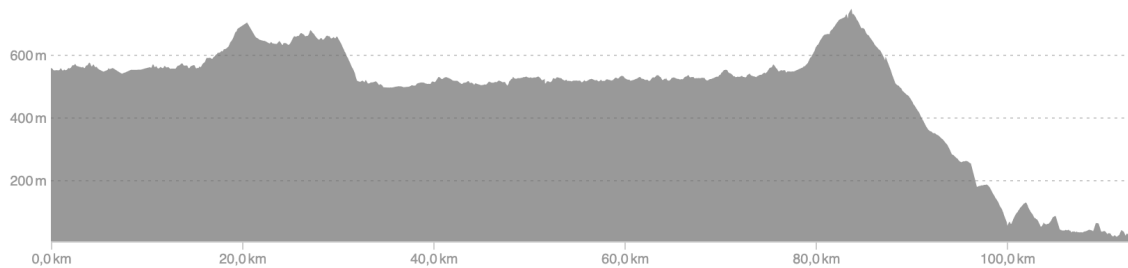
27.10 Day 8: Nakhon Phanom – Nakay Neua (Guest house Phosy Thalang) (B, L, D) (129 km, 918 climbing meters) Attention: a visa is required to passing the Laos border

Today, our journey takes us across the border from Thailand to Laos. Our adventure commences with an exhilarating bike ride along the Mekong River's cycle path, leading us to the border. On the Laos side, pedal through enchanting karst landscapes, encountering a notable climb along the way. The finale of the day treats us to 30 km of breathtaking cycling along a car-free road that skirts a serene lake, enveloped by captivating nature. Our night is nestled in a guest house on the lake, ensuring a tranquil and immersive experience.



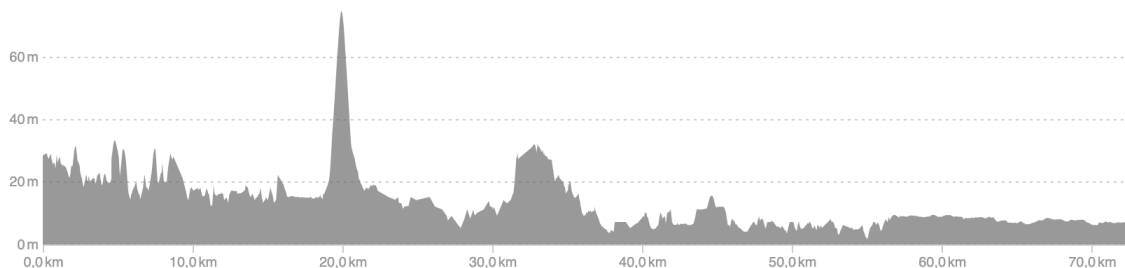
28.10 Day 9: Nakay Neua – Kim An Vietnam (Khach San Ngoc Long Chau Hotel 3*) (B, L, D) (114 km, 845 climbing meters) Attention: a visa is required to passing the Vietnam border.

Today's ride marks our entry into the third country of this cycling tour. We cycle along the lakeside, bidding adieu to Laos with an uphill climb to the Laos-Vietnam border. The mountain's pinnacle on the Vietnam side offers breathtaking panoramas, setting the stage for a thrilling 20 km downhill descent along serpentine roads to our resort. It's a day of transitions and unforgettable moments.



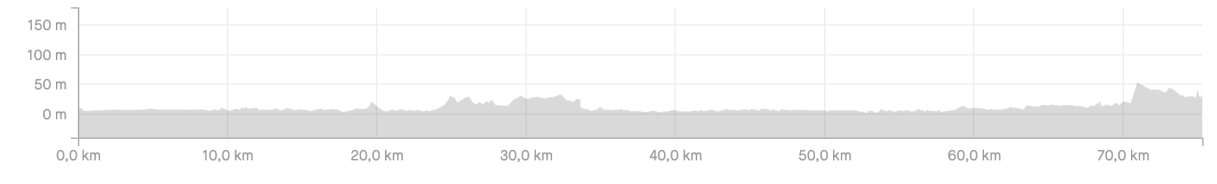
29.10 Day 10: Kim An - Vinh (Melia Vinpearl Cua Hoi Beach Resort 5*) (B, L, D) (73 km, 189 climbing meters)

Anticipate a scenic journey to Vietnam's beach today. Along local roads, we'll traverse rice fields and plantations before reaching our beachfront hotel. Enjoy a leisurely afternoon by the pool, followed by an outdoor dinner, capping off a delightful day of exploration and relaxation



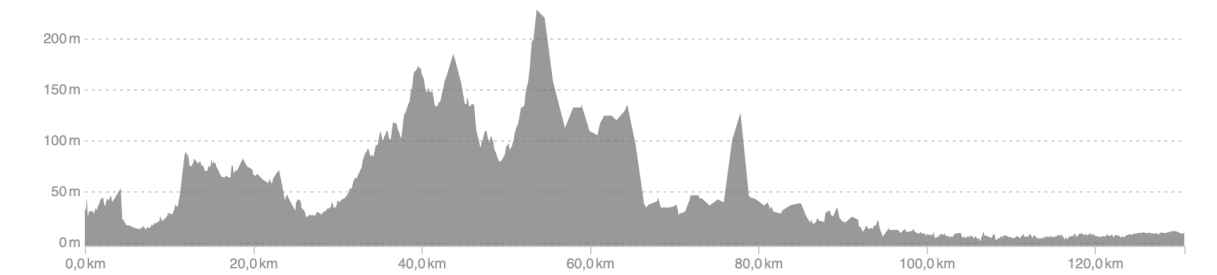
30.10 Day 11: Vinh – Muong Thanh (Hotel Kach San Muong Thanh Dien Lam 4*) (B, L, D) (75 km, 242 climbing meters)

Pedaling along smooth, flat roads, our cycling journey bridged the coastal expanse to a tranquil lake. Enchanting rice paddies painted the landscape, bordering quaint farmer roads punctuated by numerous churches. Our final destination: a lakeside resort, completing a day of riding in Vietnam.



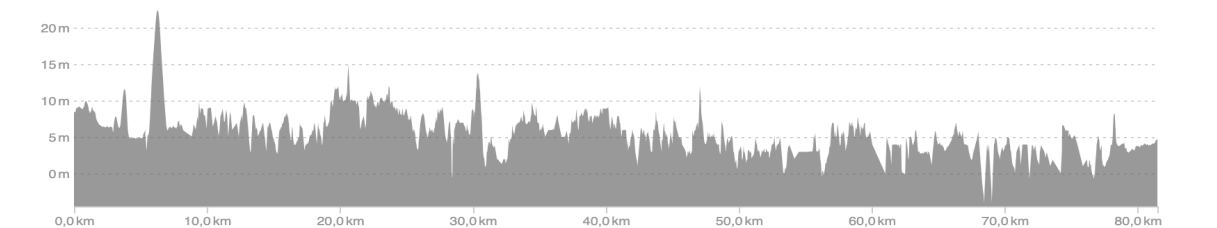
31.10 Day 12: Muong Thanh – Thanh Hoa (Hotel Melia Vinpearl Thanh Hoa 5*) (B, L) (130 km, 899 climbing meters)

Today's journey leads us to Thanh Hoa, a path winding through mountains offering breathtaking views. En route, the sight of kids cycling adds a touch of local life. A village lunch fuels us before a luxurious hotel stay.



01.11 Day 13: Thanh Hoa – Hanoi (<https://silkpathhotel.com/hanoi/#> 4*) (B, L, D) (85 km, 116 climbing meters)

The final cycling day leads to Vietnam's ancient capital, Ninh Binh. Pedaling on flat roads through local villages, we arrive for lunch. Afterward, a tranquil rowing boat excursion unfolds along the Ngo Dong river, unveiling the captivating Tam Coc and its "three caves." As our team packs the bikes during the boat tour, preparations are made for the 2-hour transfer to Hanoi. A final group dinner awaits in the vibrant city Hanoi. The Thailand Cycle Tours Team hopes this cycling adventure has been truly enjoyable, leaving you with plenty memories and exploration.



02.11 Day 14: Hanoi (B)

On the final day of our tour, we'll embark on a captivating city tour in Hanoi. Immerse yourself in the rich cultural tapestry as we visit the city's finest cultural spots. From historical landmarks to vibrant markets, this exploration promises an unforgettable glimpse into the heart of Hanoi's unique heritage. In the late afternoon, we will take a flight back to Bangkok. The journey ends with the arrival at Don Muang Airport in Bangkok. Due to the late arrival, we recommend an additional overnight stay in Bangkok. A complimentary transfer to the Mode Sathorn Hotel is included.

End of the tour.

(B, L, D) = Breakfast, Lunches, Dinners

Included:

- 13 nights, including breakfast (2x5*, 4x4*, 6x3* and 1 Guesthouse)
- 10 dinner and 13 lunch
- Fruits, snacks, isotonic drinks
- Thailand Cycle Tours jersey and drinking bottle
- Thailand Cycle Tours Team
- Thai guide full tour + Laos guide 2 days + Vietnam Guide 5 days
- English, German and French speaking Team leader
- Minibus and radio assistance / spare parts
- Excursions according to the program
- **Full day tour in Hanoi**
- **Flight Air Asia Hanoi – Bangkok on the 02.11.2024**
- Transfer Hanoi Hotel – Airport Hanoi

Optional Extras:

- Road bike Alu Bike rental (Bike carton box for flight back to Bangkok)
- Road bike carbon rental (Bike carton box for flight back to Bangkok)
- Transfer Airport Bangkok - Hotel Bangkok
- Tips for guides
- **Visa for Laos and Vietnam**

Optional Excursions:

- Full day Bangkok Skylane bike and city tour
- Half day city tour Bangkok / Half day Skylane bike tour
- Extra night Bangkok

Prices:

- **2699 euros in a double room**
- **500 euros single room supplement**
- **295 euros for a carbon bike (including bike carton box for the return flight to Bangkok)**
- **255 euros for an aluminum bike (including bike carton box for the return flight to Bangkok)**





Information:

Address: Hotel Mode Sathorn in Bangkok: 144 North Sathorn Road, Silom Bangkok, 10500 Thailand
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Don't forget to bring you helmet, shoes, pedals and 1 or 2 innertubes. Innertubes can also be bought for 200 thb/piece.

Copie from you travel insurance.

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