

Acinipo & Setenil Circular

Cycling - 46km



This ride takes us in an undulating mountain loop via two of the oldest sites in the area. We ride through rural farmland and past woodland, hillside vineyards and acres of olive groves.

Our first stop is at the Roman ruins of Acinipo, built on a high escarpment more than 2,000 years ago to house retired soldiers. Whilst most of the buildings have collapsed and only piles of

stones remain dotted around the site, the remains of the Roman theatre, originally large enough to seat 2,000 people, are well preserved (partially rebuilt) and impressive. A few yards behind the rear seats of the theatre is the edge of the escarpment, with amazing views across to the Grazalema mountains.

We also visit the white village of Setenil de la Bodegas, another Roman settlement in its past but likely to have been inhabited for many centuries beforehand due to the unusually large overhanging limestone cliffs which create shelter from the prevailing elements. To this day, "cavehouse" dwellings built into the rock form the basis of many houses, shops and cafes—where we will enjoy a short refreshment stop before heading back up the hill to Ronda.

Distance: 46km
Time: 4-5 hours
Ascent: 955 metres
Descent: 875 metres
Max Alt: 916 metres
Start: Ronda
Finish: Ronda

Included in our prices:

- British Cycling qualified guide
- Quality Hybrid bike
- Helmet
- Water Bottle

CONTACT US

€ 50 p.p.*

* price is based on a minimum of 2 people.



START ELEVATION 740 M	MAX ELEVATION 916 M	GAIN 955 M	CLIMBS ON ROUTE 1 1 1
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CLIMB DETAILS

Rating	Start/End Points	Length	Start/End Elevation	Avg Grade
2	7.72 km/19.96 km	12.24 km	495 m/898 m	3.3%
3	29.69 km/34.31 km	4.61 km	557 m/778 m	4.8%
4	39.52 km/46.44 km	6.92 km	611 m/740 m	1.9%



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