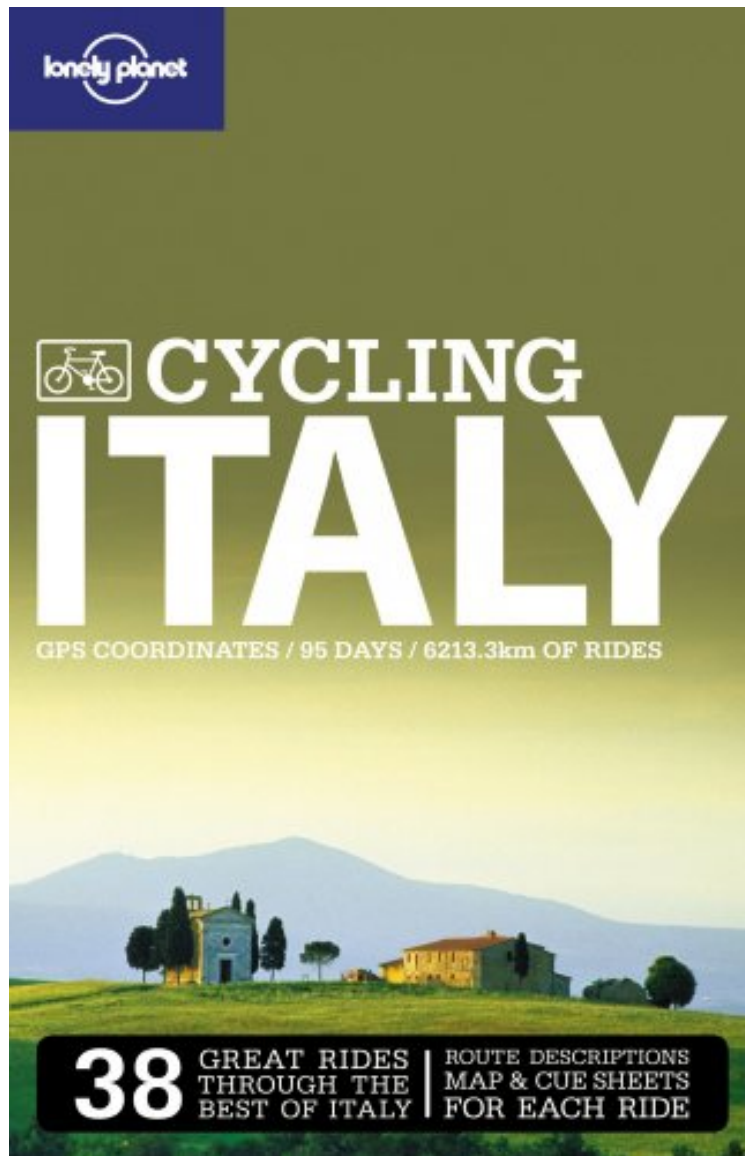


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Ellee Thalheimer : **Lonely Planet Cycling Italy** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Lonely Planet Cycling Italy:

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Indispensable, but has a few limitationsBy Corinne MckayWriting a good cycling guidebook is *really* hard, and Ellee Thalheimer (I now kind of feel like we're friends even though we've never met!) really hit this one out of the park. We've done two trips (Lake Geneva to Salzburg in 2012, Milan-Dolomites-Lake Garda in 2014) with this book and it has really never steered us wrong, which is a nearly impossible

achievement for a guidebook that covers an entire country. Ellee's assessments of the various trips are very detailed and accurate, and her hotel recommendations were fabulous. Even if there are only two or three options listed in a particular city, they are great options and led us to some of our favorite hotels. My only negatives are: a) as other reviewers have commented, if you want to tour for weeks or months rather than a few days, it can be hard to tell how to string the rides together without taking the train or a car; b) oddly, some of the rides (at least in our edition) are lacking cue sheets, which is a pain and c) every once in a while, there's a recommended stage that seems out of place. For example the recommendation to cycle from Cortina over Passo Giau and then Passo Fedaia in the same day isn't just "very strenuous," it's something you'd see on the Giro d'Italia (Don't do it! Just ride over Giau and stay in Caprile, then ride to Canazei over Fedaia the next day). But all in all, this is by far the best book we've found for cycling in Italy. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Great For Rides in Area. No grand connector for the Touring folk By Derdington I liked this book and I used it on my bike tour of Italy in the summer of 2013. We started in Milan then rode to Parma, Florence, Sienna, Montalcino, Orbetello, Rome, Naples, The Amalfi Coast, Sardina, Cinque Terre and back to Milan. The maps were good and the routes were fairly accurate and they contained tips a little off the beaten path. I like the routes for getting in and out of urban areas. The only gripe is I wish there had been an all encompassing route that linked the rides together and had tips about getting from region to region without taking trains or buses. All in all, this book will show you some great parts of Italy as well as some history and cultural tips. Highly recommended. 20 of 20 people found the following review helpful. Great for any Gringo By Midwest Chicky My decidedly American husband was able feed his bicycle addiction into the Alps of Italy with this book. He bonded with the local bicylists, didn't wreck and managed to find his way back to the appartamenti by dark. This book has the basic phrases and a maps that will allow you to enjoy a little adventure off the beaten track. You might even ride with a fleet of people that share a love of life, filled with riding into the anoxic elevations and descending with gusto to a glass of wine. He saw a magical bit of Italy that most tourists never see.

Lonely Planet Knows Italy With its variety of landscapes, gregarious locals, delicious food and great cycling tradition, Italy is a biking paradise. From spectacular limestone bluffs and elegant resort towns on the Amalfi coast, to top-of-the-world panoramas in the Dolomites and touring historical marvels around Rome, we've chosen the best rides for every interest and ability level. Whether you want to test yourself on an arduous climb into Sardinia's high country or tour languidly through Tuscan vineyards, this guide gives you the best of Italy on two wheels. In This Guide: Everything you need to know to get prepared Bike maintenance tips to keep you on the road Comprehensive listings for sleeping, eating and facilities along the way