

# Logbook for the Marne-Rhine Canal Cruise, October 2002

Cruise Alsace		October 2002
30.9.2002		
Lagarde. (209) (hows. 10831)		weather superb
lock 12		
<u>km 211</u>	<u>meat.</u>	Walk 6 km <sup>213</sup> (lock) & back before dinner
starlit night.		(steak, peas potatoes / cheese)
		<u>2 km</u>
1.10.2002.		
Weather superb		(some cloud later)
<u>Adrift!</u>		Periche does, breakfast pulled out pages.
		All OK but pegs lost
0910		Set off back to Lagarde.
0935		Arr Lagarde - new pegs shopped,
1015		Set off again Eastwards.
1040		Lock 11 (km 213) first lock alone
1100		Lock 10 (km 215)
1125		Lock 9 (km 217)
1245		lock 8 (km 219)
1205		lock 7
		didn't work!
1240 (or) lock (2) 16m!		wait for Periche   km 222
1300		lunch!
1345		depart for both
1405		arr top / depart lock
1700		Pont d'Altmuhl km 247 (hows 838)
		Walk to Niederwille. shopping.
		{ Lasagne. (licence of ham etc) + yogurt }
		36 km
		6 locks; one superb lock



2-10-2002 (K24) Sunshine, high cloud.

Bassin d'Altmühle.

9.25 start

9.30 waiting for tunnel.

9.55 Departure

10.03 Through tunnel (Wickersville)

10.10 Stopped to wait 249 (express train)

10.30 Hitzewille tunnel.

10.45 Through

11.10 Artzville. lift (arr) (255)

11.35 Stop leave lift

11.45 Stop for lunch !! - viewed lift

12.45 Start

12.50 lock 18 (256)

13.05 lock 19 (257)

13.16 lock 20 (257.5)

13.35 lock 21 Lueelberg.

13.50 lock 22

14.05 lock 23

14.28 lock 24 (closing) Perch

14.45 25

15.00 26

15.30 27 (quit)

15.50 28

16.40 29 delay Perch, malfunct.

17.05 30/31 Savern

17.25 Savern hows 1844 K. 265

22km

Block, including two tunnels



Thursday 3 October 2002      Looze      Overcast but bright  
 sunny later  
 increasing cloud

8.55	start	
9.05	lock 30	
9.30	29	(trapped!) released itself
9.50	28	
10.10	27	
10.45	26	
10.50	25	
11.10	24	
11.25	23	
11.40	22	
11.55	Lutzelbourg (stop)	
13.40	Start for water	
14.10	<del>at</del> Start	
14.25	21	
14.35	20	
14.50	19	
15.05	18	
15.15	4	inclined plane
15.30	dep	✓ ✓
16.15	arr	Altzwiller tunnel
16.30	dep.	
16.45	Widersiller tunnel.	
16.55	stop	Widersiller
17.00	Depart	
17.50	<u>stop</u>	Hesse, km 241

hours 850      28km

13 lock  
 1 inclined plane  
 2 tunnels



Friday 4th October

Hesse Km 241

Heavy rain; start 07.15

10.15 start.

10.50 Xorrange. phone calls!

11.25 dep

12.45 Dume Capella - turn round (Poore Pond)

13.05 Port de Houillon or a letter for lunch (8 km ext)

14.38 St 2 de Richcourt (arr)

15.15 / (dep)

15.40 Lock 7

16.00 8

16.20 9

16.42 10

17.05 11

17.35 12

18.00 (13) did not go through Stopped

207.5

Km 207.5

hour 856

41 km

6 locks

1 superlock

Saturday 5th Oct.

Lagade (now lock 13)

misty

08.20 Start

08.30 Lagade post arrive

Km 2.

133 km

38 locks

2 superlocks

2 inclined planes

25 hours



~~Revised~~ - ~~Wagon~~ - ~~2200~~

~~Wagon 980-450 - 2500~~

	£	€
Travel		
Deer → Calais (with hotel)	174	-
Egypt → Hull	-	351,84
Hire of boat basic	-	575,00
extra	-	272,00
Hotels + meals		
Calais (included: hotel)	-	46,40
Montredy + meal.	-	(86,95) cash.
Mukhouse	-	102,60
Savene (meal)	-	71,00
P&O ferry meal.	35,99	-
Cash. 980-450	-	530,00
	£ 210,-	1948,84. €

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