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The Göta Canal Skipper's Guide contains information on guest harbours, locks, bridges, fuelling stations and more.

Day 1: Mem-Berg

15 locks, 2 lakes, 55 km

08.30 The canal office in Mem opens.

Check-in.

o9.00 Departure from Mem. Appr. 17 Arrival in Norsholm.

Cross Lake Roxen, 27 km.

Night harbour: Berg lower in Lake Roxen.

Day 2: Berg–Borenshult, Motala

16 locks, 1 lake, 34 km

09.00 Departure from Carl Johan flight of

locks, Berg.

Appr. 16 Arrival in Borensberg.

Cross Lake Boren, 13 km.

Night harbour: Borenshult marina in Lake Boren.

Day 3: Borenshult, Motala–Forsvik

6 locks, 2 lakes, 44 km

18.00

08.00 Departure from Borenshult flight of

locks. Please note the start time!

10.00 Arrival in Motala Harbour.

Free time/crossing Lake Vättern,

32.5 km in your own pace.

Karlsborg road bridge opens, remotely controlled from Forsvik.

Journey to Forsvik, 7.4 km.

Night harbour: Forsvik marina.

Day 4: Forsvik-Töreboda

2 locks, 1 lake, 39 km

09.00 Departure from Forsvik.

Cross Lake Viken in your own

pace, 22.8 km.

13.00 Departure from Tåtorp lock.

Appr. 15.30 Arrival in Töreboda. Night harbour: Töreboda marina.

Day 5: Töreboda–Sjötorp

19 locks, 19 km

09.00 Departure from Töreboda. Appr. 17 Arrival in Sjötorp, Lake Vänern.

If you are also travelling the Lake Vänern-Göteborg section, you will be passing through the Trollhätte Canal, 80 km, and Lake Vänern, 118 km. The Trollhätte Canal is open daily, for more information, please visit www.sjofartsverket.se.



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Day 1: Sjötorp-Töreboda

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o8.30 The canal office in Sjötorp opens.

Check-in.

o9.00 Departure from Sjötorp. Appr. 17 Arrival in Töreboda. Night harbour: Töreboda marina.

Day 2: Töreboda–Karlsborg/Motala

2 locks, 2 lakes, 46 km

09.00 Departure from Töreboda, the road

bridge opens.

Cross Lake Viken, 22.8 km, in your

own pace.

14.30 The Brosundet bridge opens, remotely controlled from Forsvik.

15.30 Arrival in Forsvik.

Cross Lake Bottensjön, 7.4 km. Arrival in Karlsborg, the road bridge opens, remotely controlled from

Forsvik.

Free time/crossing Lake Vättern, 32.5 km, in your own pace.

Night harbour: Motala marina.

Day 3: Motala–Borensberg

6 locks, 2 lakes, 49 km

16.00 Departure from Motala marina, the

road bridge opens.

Appr. 18 Cross Lake Boren, 13 km, in your

own pace.

Night harbour: Borensberg marina.

Day 4: Borensberg–Norsholm

17 locks, 1 lake, 48 km

09.00 Departure from Borensberg. 17.00 Cross Lake Roxen, 27 km. 19.00 Lockage into Norsholm.

Night harbour: Norsholm marina.

Day 5: Norsholm–Mem

14 locks, 1 lake, 28 km

o9:00 Departure from Norsholm. Appr. 16 Arrival in Mem, the Baltic.