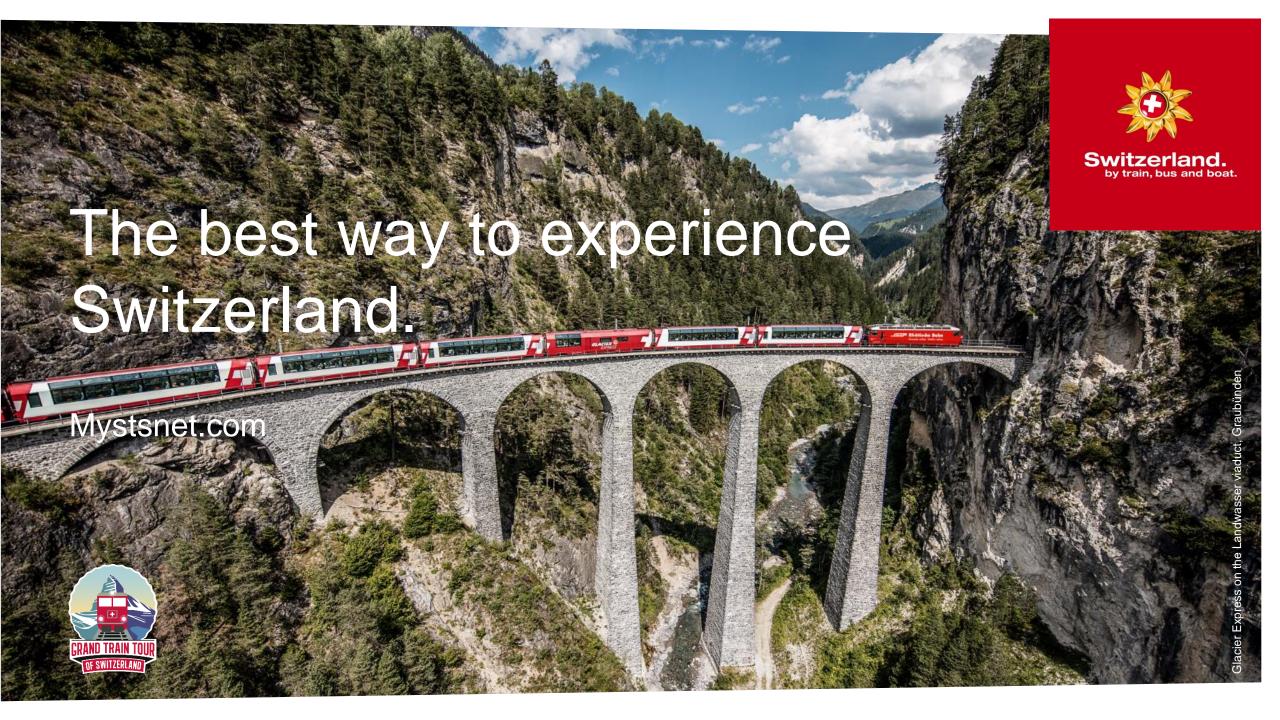


## Switzerland.

by train, bus and boat.







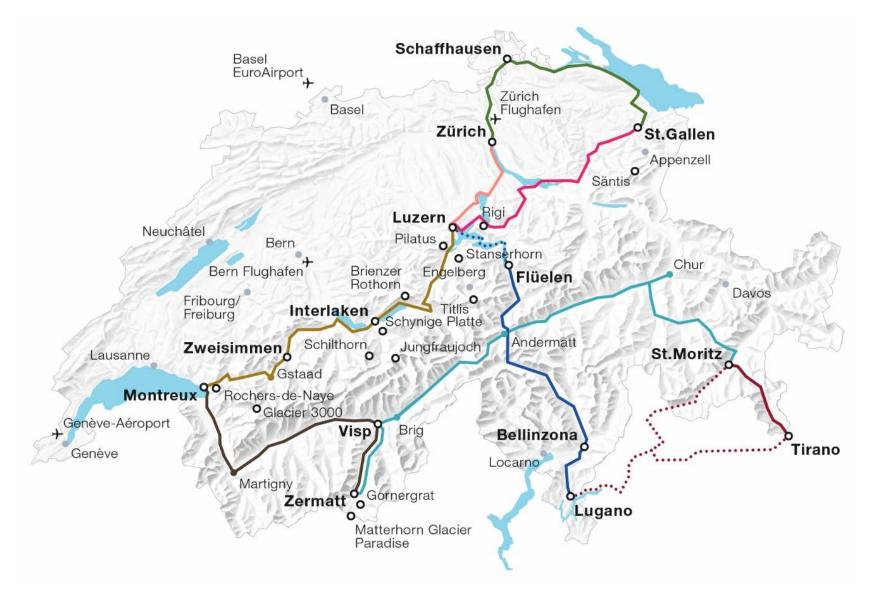


#### The great train escape

- Covers 1280 kilometres, comprising the most beautiful panorama rail routes in one unique travel experience
- Suggested itineraries for 4 or 8 days
- Can be travelled throughout the year in any direction
- All-in-one ticket the Swiss Travel Pass
- More than 10 cities and many mountain excursions
- For all target groups the young, not-so-young, individual travellers, groups

## Grand Train Tour of Switzerland – at a glance.



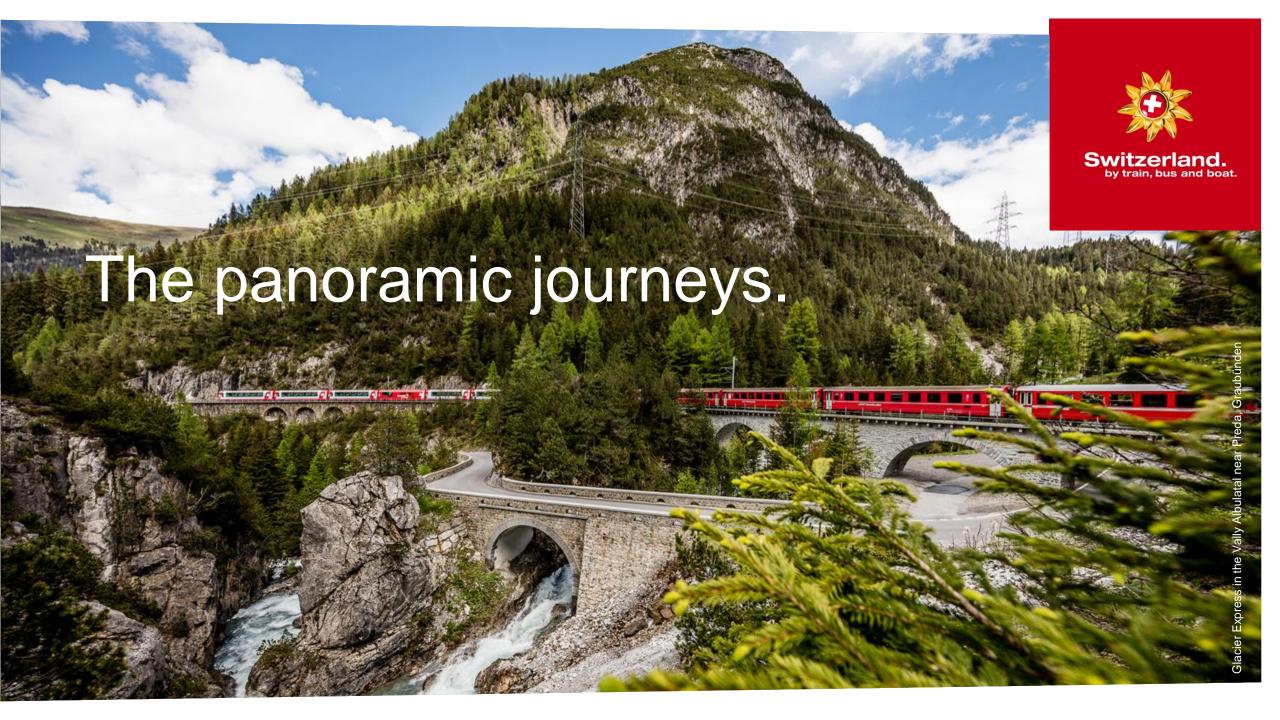






# Question 1:

What kind of ticket do we recommend for a 4 or 8 day itinerary of the GTToS?











## Gotthard Panorama Express.

# Switzerland. by train, bus and boat.

#### From Lucerne to Bellinzona / Lugano



- Route: Lucerne–Lake Lucerne–Flüelen–Gotthard–Bellinzona–Lugano\*
- Duration: around 5h
- Distance Luzern–Lugano: 182 km

<sup>\*</sup> Runs from/to Lugano only Mo-Fr from July to October





#### Good to know

- Great experiences, presentations and information about the region, its myths and legends
- Runs from April to October
- Reservation required, surcharge applies
  - Whole route: CHF 24
  - Shorter sections: CHF 12
- Possible in 1st class panorama coaches or 2nd class coaches
- Multilingual onboard route information





# Question 2:

Do you know the route of the Gotthard Panorama Express (GoPEx)?



#### Gotthard Base Tunnel.



The longest train tunnel in the world:

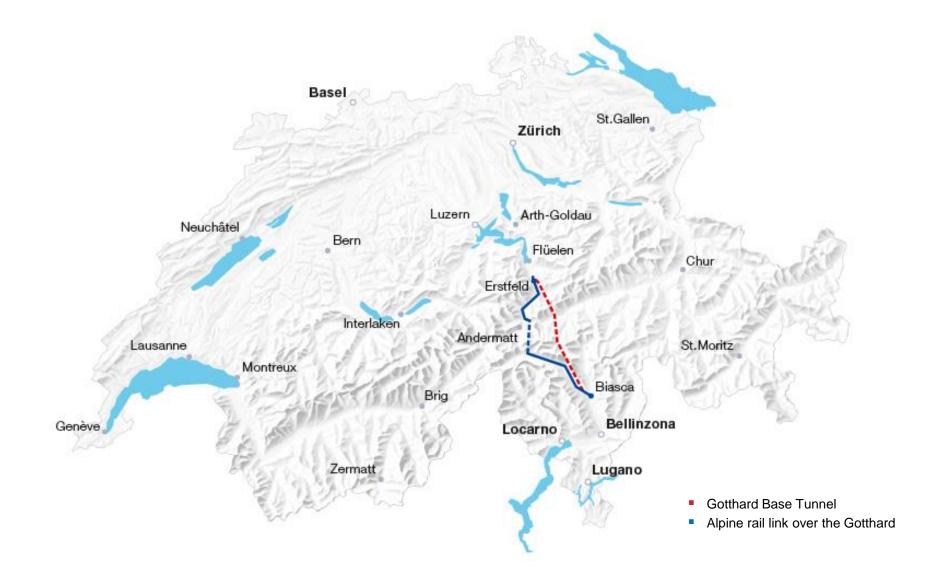
- 57 kilometres long
- Speed through the tunnel up to 250 kilometres per hour

Bringing northern and southern Europe and Switzerland closer together:

- Travel time through the tunnel 20 minutes
- Quick, comfortable and convenient

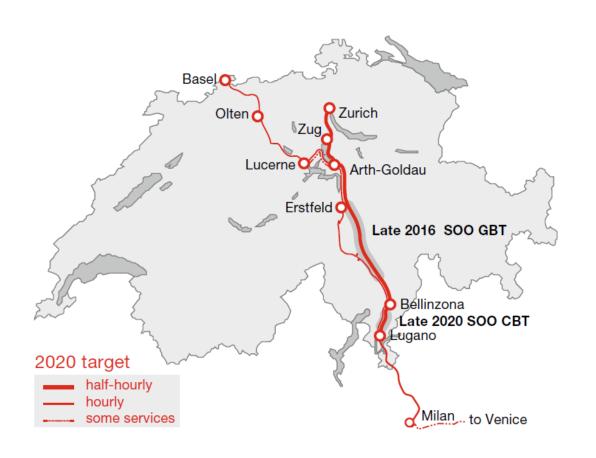
#### The Gotthard Base Tunnel.





#### Future timetable.





Since December 2016	<ul> <li>Faster through the Gotthard region</li> <li>Zurich – Milano in 3h 30min</li> <li>Lucerne – Lugano in 2h</li> <li>Zurich – Bellinzona 1h 45min</li> </ul>
End of 2020	<ul> <li>Faster and more frequently</li> <li>Zürich-Milano in 3h, hourly service</li> </ul>

#### Shorter travel times on the North-South Axis.



With the integration of the Gotthard Base Tunnel in 2016 as well as the Ceneri Base Tunnel at the end of 2019, travel times will be reduced as follows:

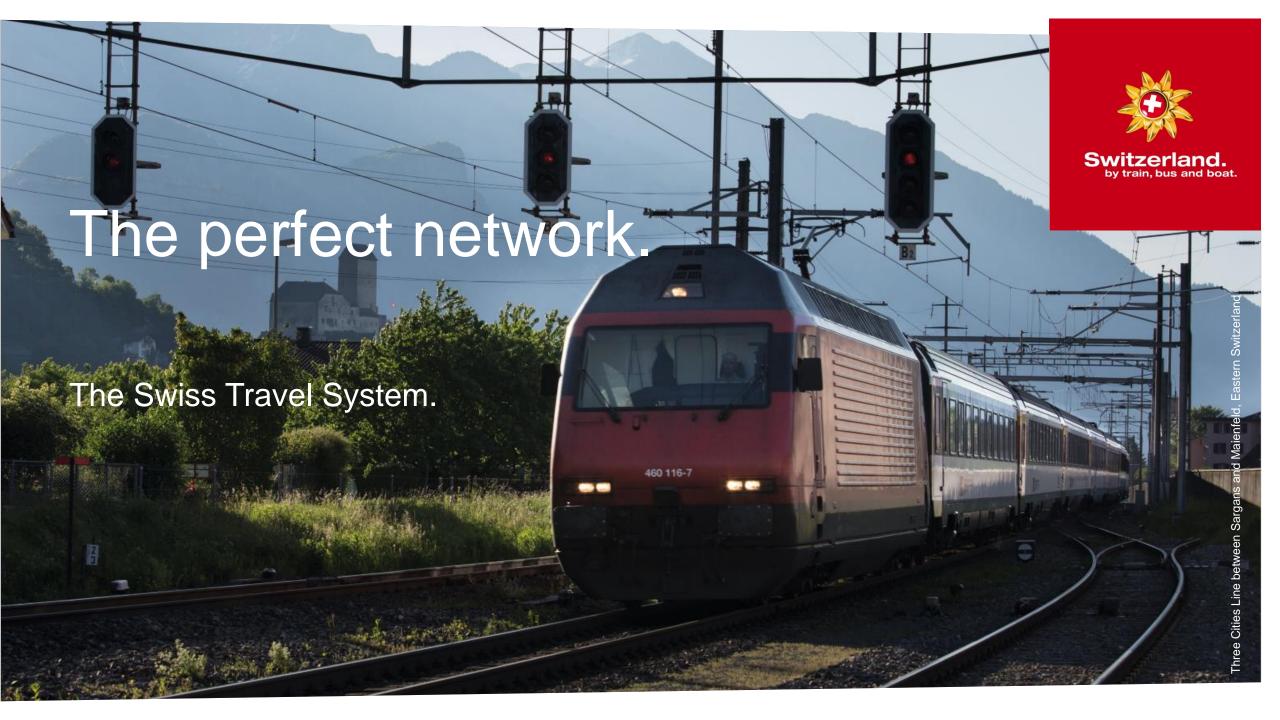
	2017-2018	2019	Starting 2020
Zurich – Ticino	About 25 minutes	About 40 minutes	About 60 minutes
Basel - Ticino	About 30 minutes	About 40 minutes	About 60 minutes
Lucerne – Ticino	About 40 minutes	About 40 minutes	About 60 minutes
German-Swiss part – Milan (Italy)	About 30 minutes	About 30 minutes	About 60 minutes





# Question 3:

How long is the longest train Tunnel in the world?





## Swiss Travel System passes overview.





Swiss Transfer Ticket.



**Swiss Half Fare Card** 



Swiss Family Card



Further public transport tickets

Unlimited travel by train, bus and boat as well as free admission to more than 500 museums. In addition, 50% discount on most mountain excursions. Also available as Flex and Youth option.

Free transfer from Swiss border / airport to the vacation destination and back.

For one month, 50% discount off regular public transport fares for CHF 120. Also combinable with Swiss Travel Pass Flex and Swiss Transfer Ticket.

Children under 16 years of age travel free of charge with the Swiss Travel Card.

Eurail, Interrail,
Local and regional
transport (NRT),
International
passenger
transport (IP),
Global-ticketing
etc.



# General information Swiss Travel Pass / Swiss Travel Pass Flex.

- Unlimited travel by train, bus and boat
- Unlimited travel on premium panoramic trains (seat reservation fees and/or surcharges apply)
- Full coverage for mountain excursions: Pilatus, Rigi and Schynige Platte
- Up to 50 % discount on many other mountain excursions
- Unlimited use of public transport networks of more than 90 urban areas
- Free admission to more than 500 museums
- Available in 1st and 2nd class for 3, 4, 8 or 15 days
- Children under 16 years of age accompanied by at least one parent (holding a Swiss Travel System ticket) travel free of charge with the free Swiss Family Card











# Question 4:

How many museums are included in the Swiss Travel Pass?





# Question 5:

Which 3 mountains are included in the Swiss Travel Pass / Flex?





### Market Test Express Door-to-Door Group Luggage.

Market Test from 1.1.2017 to 31.12.2018			
Delivery method	Door-to-Door		
Pick-up / Delivery	Express Pick-up and delivery on the same day		
Pick-up	09.00 hrs latest		
Delivery	18.00 hrs latest		
Service points	400 service points throughout Switzerland. Subject to change		
Group size	Minimum 10 persons, maximum 50 persons.  Larger groups on request		
Transport price	CHF 200 per transport – net without commission		
Precondition	Valid ticket for each person for the entire transport distance		
Booking change / cancellation	Up to 09.00 hrs (CET/CEST) on the day before start of transport, free of charge / later 50% of cost		
Booking deadline	5 days before transportation at the latest		

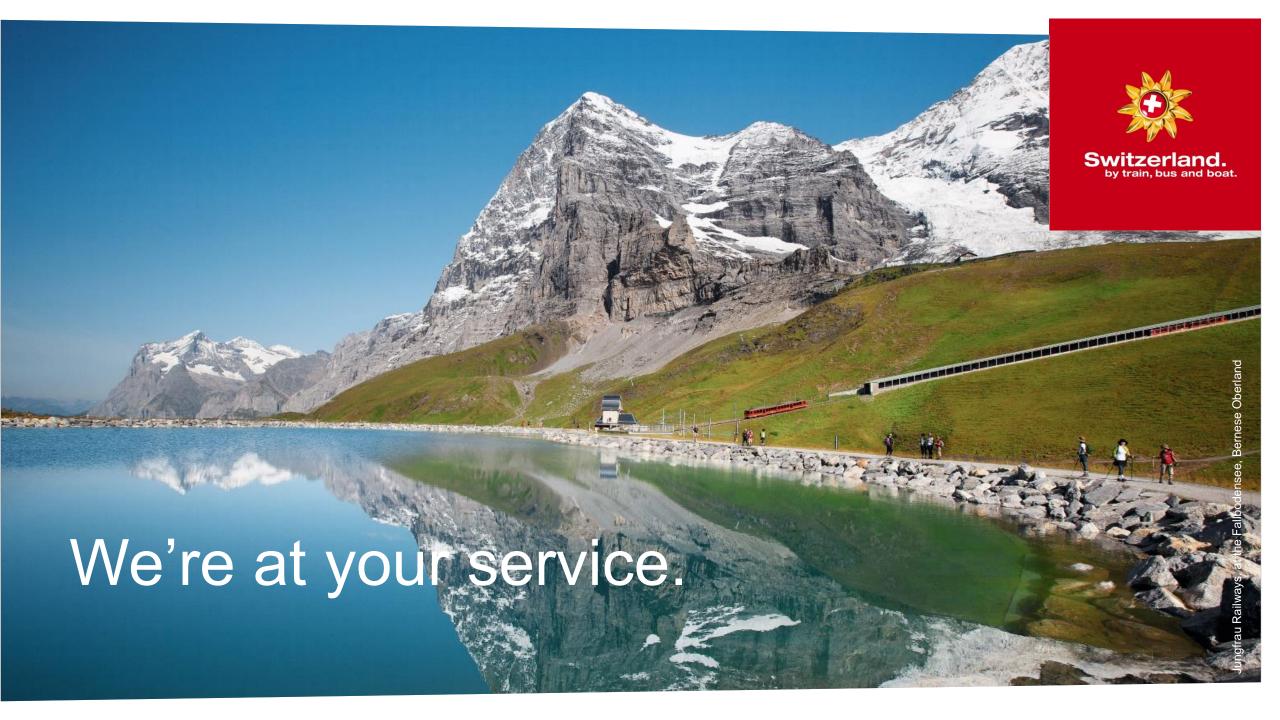




### Question 6:

How much is the transport price per Group?

(minimum 10 / maximum 50 persons)



## I'm at your service.





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#### Celebrating and travelling together.

- If you wish to travel to and from an event together, we offer the right solution for you to travel sustaainably, and you can even use the travel time or make the journey into an experience.
- You create added value through the special atmosphere that our carriages and trains offer.

#### Our Fleet.



Several trains and carriages are waiting for you and your customers, you only need to board:

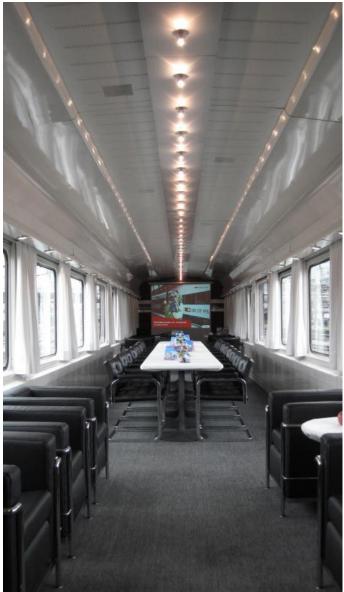
- Regular coaches and trains (air-conditioned first and second class coaches)
- Saloon coaches such as the Saloon de Luxe
- Historical and nostalgic trains like the Red Arrow

## Saloon carriages «Le Salon de Luxe».

#### Carriages with the greatest surprise potential:

- Different set ups such as:
  - Conference seating
  - ▶ Lounge
  - ▶ Dinner seating
- Up to 34 seats for conference seating
- On board kitchen
- Projector and microphone
- Can be used as carriage on a timetabled train or as a special train combined with other carriages with own timetable and route.







## Saloon carriages «Le Salon de Luxe».

# Question 7:

Can the Saloon carriages been set up individually for your requirements?



#### Red Arrow Churchill.



#### The rolling legend on rails:

- Built in 1939
- Used in 1946 as VIP train for Sir Winston Churchill
- Up to 110 seats
- On board kitchen
- Today in use only as charter train on the Swiss Federal Railway system



#### Red Arrow Churchill.



# Question 8:

Why is the Red Arrow also called "Churchill"?

# Thank you.