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# Lonely Planet Czech & Slovak Republics (Travel Guide)



## Synopsis

Lonely Planet: The world's leading travel guide publisher Lonely Planet Czech & Slovak Republics is your passport to all the most relevant and up-to-date advice on what to see, what to skip, and what hidden discoveries await you. Stroll through the winding, cobbled side streets of Prague, sample a plate of dumplings at Kutna Hora, or explore the stores of Bardejov; all with your trusted travel companion. Get to the heart of the Czech and Slovak Republics and begin your journey now!

Inside Lonely Planet Czech & Slovak Republics Travel Guide: Colour maps and images throughout Highlights and itineraries show you the simplest way to tailor your trip to your own personal needs and interests Insider tips save you time and money and help you get around like a local, avoiding crowds and trouble spots Essential info at your fingertips - including hours of operation, phone numbers, websites, transit tips, and prices Honest reviews for all budgets - including eating, sleeping, sight-seeing, going out, shopping, and hidden gems that most guidebooks miss Cultural insights give you a richer and more rewarding travel experience - including customs, history, religion, art, literature, cinema, music, architecture, politics, flora, wildlife, cuisine, and wine Over 104 local maps Coverage of Prague, Olomouc, Zdiar, South Bohemia, North Bohemia, East Bohemia, West Bohemia, North Moravia, South Moravia, Bratislava, Central Slovakia, West Slovakia, East Slovakia, High Tatras, and more

The Perfect Choice: Lonely Planet Czech & Slovak Republics, our most comprehensive guide to the Czech and Slovak Republics, is perfect for those planning to both explore the top sights and take the road less travelled. Looking for just the highlights of Prague? Check out Lonely Planet's Pocket Prague, a handy-sized guide focused on the can't-miss sights for a quick trip. Looking for more extensive coverage? Check out Lonely Planet's Prague & the Czech Republic guide for a comprehensive look at all the country has to offer.

Authors: Written and researched by Lonely Planet, Lisa Dunford, and Brett Atkinson. About Lonely Planet: Started in 1973, Lonely Planet has become the world's leading travel guide publisher with guidebooks to every destination on the planet, as well as an award-winning website, a suite of mobile and digital travel products, and a dedicated traveller community. Lonely Planet's mission is to enable curious travellers to experience the world and to truly get to the heart of the places they find themselves in. TripAdvisor Travelers' Choice Awards 2012 and 2013 winner in Favorite Travel Guide category 'Lonely Planet guides are, quite simply, like no other.' - New York Times 'Lonely Planet. It's on everyone's bookshelves; it's in every traveller's hands. It's on mobile phones. It's on the Internet. It's everywhere, and it's telling entire generations of people how to travel the world.' - Fairfax Media (Australia)

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Lonely Planet guides are a must-pack --Toronto Star, February 2006 --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

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Looks brand new. It was a library book at the San Diego County Library and looks like it was never checked out. A penny well spent. Had a lot of great information.

Sadly, I ran out of time to explore the Slovak Republic, something I hope to do the next time I go

into Eastern Europe. So I can only attest to the Czech republic portion of this book. I found it extremely useful, especially in planning my trips outside of Prague, though it does contain a good portion about Prague. One of the best suggestions was to include a visit to Litomerice after the somber tour of Terezin. I didn't take the advice on booking ahead on my trip to Cesky Krumlov and spent about an hour finding a place to stay and I went late May. Not speaking any Czech beyond hello and thank you, I had a lot of trouble with the Czech train system, especially outside of Prague. I found the bus system to be better than the Czech train system since you could buy a ticket on the bus as you boarded and the bus drivers were friendlier to me than the ladies at the ticket windows at the Main Train station in Prague and in Cesky Budjovice (where my train to Cesky Krumlov was early and I didn't understand when it showed up, so I took a bus instead) Either way, it is extremely inexpensive to travel around the country, so at the very least take a few day trips outside of Prague, if not longer trips. I was lucky this new edition came out months before my trip. Another great guidebook by Lonely Planet. As for an earlier review, Prague Castle counts as a museum, so its closed on Mondays.

If you're planning on traveling to Eastern Europe, the Lonely Planet books are extremely helpful. We had rail passes through these countries, and definitely used these books in determining where to go- and where to hop on and off the trains. Easy to read and understand.

It is outdated (2010), but Lonely Planet folded Slovakia into a large volume called Eastern Europe.

Slovakia guides are hard to find so we settled for this. The quality of the content is mediocre. Would not buy again.

Places that can be of interest and value! Had one not had the finds in this book, a trip to The Czech Republic would have been more difficult

This will be my first time traveling to the Czech Republic, and I know that my university will be taking me around to other countries. This guide is perfect for finding the historical hot spots in eastern Europe. Wish the guide had more pictures for reference.

I have used LPGs for years, and many travelers like myself are older people. Lately the LPGs font size has gotten very small and really hard to read, probably to save money. Make the fonts readable

for older people, even if the product becomes larger and a little more costly. This applies to all recent LPGs I have bought. Guides are not helpful if you have to struggle to read them. This is particularly true with maps. Last month I gave my daughter in her 40s a guide for Ireland, and her first comment was "I can hardly read it". However, your content, as usual, is exceptional.

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