



dampf*spektakel*



*Easter 2010
2–6 April*

The great railway experience in the Eifel-Mosel-Saar region

Experience unforgettable railway nostalgia with theme trains from all historical periods in one of Europe's most beautiful cultural sceneries!

*Rheinland-Pfalz-Takt
Wir bewegen unser Land*



Here is what you may look forward to:

- ▶ One hundred regular and about 200 special trains with historical railway vehicles from the last 175 years such as the legendary Trans-Europ-Express “Rheingold”, among others
- ▶ Public special trains from all over Germany which take you to the **dampfspektakel**
- ▶ Wonderful opportunities to ride the trains, take photographs and film your experience
- ▶ The fascination of steam and railway nostalgia in a magnificent scenery
- ▶ Railway station parties and supporting events, for example at the Deutsche Bahn Museum in Coblenz and the historic railway depot in Gerolstein
- ▶ Contacts with railway fans from all over the world

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You will always find the most up to date information about the programme at www.dampfspektakel.info.





Fascination for the whole family!

It will be the major spectacle for all old and young railway fans: around Easter 2010 the railways through the Eifel region and along the Mosel and Saar rivers are going to be the setting of the largest railway event in the anniversary year “175 years of German railways”.

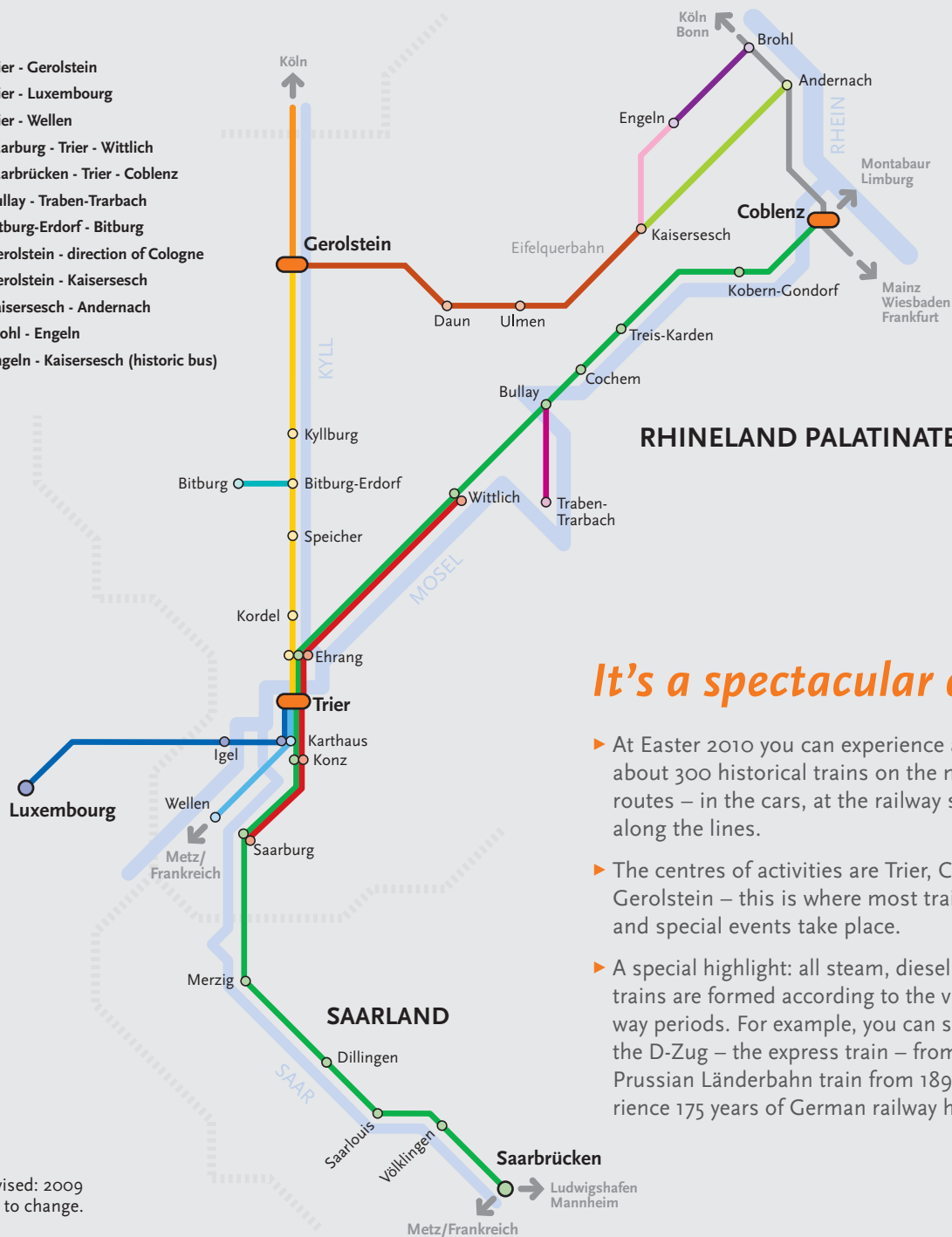
One hundred regular trains and about 200 special trains with historical steam and diesel locomotives, railcars and electric locomotives invite you to ride, to watch and marvel. Experience the fascination of steam close up together with visitors from all over the world: the inimitable sound of hard working steam locomotives running through the breathtaking scenery of Eifel, Mosel and Saar with up to 120 kph. A special treat for the whole family!

175 Years of German railways

Placed under the patronage of the Minister of Transport of the State of Rhineland-Palatinate, Hendrik Hering, the **dampfspektakel** is the launch event for 175 years of German railways and 20 years of Plandampf in Germany, organised by the ministry, the Zweckverband Schienenpersonennahverkehr Rheinland-Pfalz Nord, DB AG, the Verband Deutscher Museums- und Touristikbahnen (VDMT) and the Revierdampf-Team.



- Trier - Gerolstein
- Trier - Luxembourg
- Trier - Wellen
- Saarburg - Trier - Wittlich
- Saarbrücken - Trier - Coblenz
- Bullay - Traben-Trarbach
- Bitburg-Erdorf - Bitburg
- Gerolstein - direction of Cologne
- Gerolstein - Kaisersesch
- Kaisersesch - Andernach
- Brohl - Engeln
- Engeln - Kaisersesch (historic bus)



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It's a spectacular event!

- ▶ At Easter 2010 you can experience and enjoy about 300 historical trains on the marked routes – in the cars, at the railway stations and along the lines.
- ▶ The centres of activities are Trier, Coblenz and Gerolstein – this is where most trains meet and special events take place.
- ▶ A special highlight: all steam, diesel and electric trains are formed according to the various railway periods. For example, you can switch from the D-Zug – the express train – from 1968 to the Prussian Länderbahn train from 1890 and experience 175 years of German railway history live!

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Romans and volcanoes

- ▶ Discover the scenic beauty of a particularly diverse region in the heart of Europe during the **dampfspektakel 2010!**
- ▶ Experience the unique volcanic landscape of the Vulkaneifel with the famous crater lakes of the Maare and other wonders of nature – all of them nearby at the next railway station.
- ▶ Enjoy the wine culture of the expansive vineyard scenery along the River Mosel and explore Trier, one of the most beautiful cities in Germany, with its impressive structures from Roman times, or the medieval flair of Cochem with its imposing Reichsburg Castle.

You will find all useful information about the regions at www.mosellandtouristik.de and www.eifel.info.



The great railway experience in 2010

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From August 2009 you will find the telephone number of the information Hotline at www.dampfspektakel.info.



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