From Val de Méouge to Durance

Laragne / Méouge - Val Buëch-Méouge

Montée d'Upaix (CDTE)

A 4-day, 100-kilometer journey on horseback to discover beautiful hidden valleys

Useful information

Practice : Horse

Duration : 4 days

Length : 85.2 km

Trek ascent : 3372 m

Difficulty : Medium

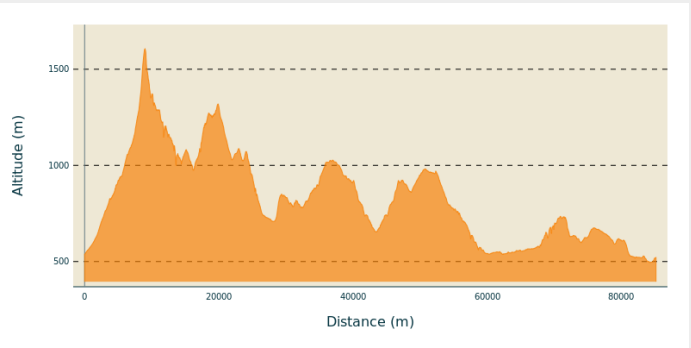
Type : Loop

Themes : Agriculture and know-how, History and architecture, Lake, waterfall and river

Trek

Departure : Ribiers
Arrival : Ribiers
Markings : Piste équestre
Cities : 1. Val Buëch-Méouge
2. Noyers-sur-Jabron
3. Éourres
4. Lachau
5. Ballons
6. Barret-sur-Méouge
7. Laragne-Montéglin
8. Upaix
9. Poët
10. Mison

Altimetric profile



Min elevation 495 m Max elevation 1606 m

Mountain ridges and breathtaking panoramas invite riders to enjoy long gallops before exploring the refreshing Méouge Gorges and the Durance Valley.
Throughout this ride, discover the southern part of this region, with its three rivers and hilltop villages offering magnificent views of the surrounding landscape.
This journey takes you sometimes across the plains through wide-open spaces, sometimes into the mountains, where vast alpine pastures and numerous lookouts await visitors!

Stages :

1. Step 1 : Ribiers - Eourres
   16.6 km / 1414 m D+ / 1 day
2. Step 2 : Eourres - Barret-sur-Méouge
   27.3 km / 0 m D+ / 1 day
3. Step 3 : Barret-sur-Méouge - Upaix
   30.4 km / 0 m D+ / 1 day
4. Step 4 : Upaix - Ribiers
   13.4 km / 156 m D+ / 1 day

On your path...

Chanousse
Chapaïsses
Trescléoux
Garde-
-Colombe
Eyguians
l'Écluse
Lazer
le Grand
Pré
Lagrand
Arzeliers
la Montagne
St-Cyrice
Saléon
Pelloux
Nossage-
-et-Bénévent
Laragne-
-Montéglin
Upaix
Rourebeau
Étoile-
-St-Cyrice
Orpierre
les Bègües
Laborel
Chevalet le Haut
Le Poët
Ste-Colombe
Barret
le Haut
Châteauneuf-
-de-Chabre
le Plan
Montagne de Chabre
Gorges
de la
Méouge
Antonaves
le Buëch
Mison
les Armands
Mison
la Clapisse
Ballons
Barret-
-sur-Méouge
St-Pierre-
-Avez
Rebinnelle
la Silve
la Méouge
Salérans
Lachau
l'Adrech
Val Buëch-
-Méouge
Ribiers
N.-D.
de Calma
les Peyres
la Flogère
Éourres
les Charles
le Plan
du Château
le Durban
les Chabanons
Aubard
N.-D.
de Bethléem
les Bastides
les Anières
Curel
St-Vincent-
-sur-Jabron
la Grangeotte
le Vieux
Noyers
Bevons
Castel Bevons
Montfroc
Lange
le Couvent
la Tuilière
Noyers-
-sur-Jabron
Châteauneuf-
2 km
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All useful information

⚠ Advices

- This trail is currently being upgraded. Some sections are subject to change.
- Help us maintain the quality of our trails. The Suricate website allows you to report any issues you encounter while riding.
- Be sure to close the gates to the paddocks; do not startle the herds.
- Horses are considered “vehicles.” As such, they are subject to traffic laws.
- Wearing safety gear (helmet) is recommended.
- This trail is marked in two colors: yellow where it follows PR trails and white-red where it follows the GR 94 and 91 (equestrian markers will still be present).
- The Méouge, Buëch, and Durance are part of the world’s largest biodiversity conservation network: Natura 2000, the European network of natural areas. These three rivers feature numerous natural habitats and remarkable flora and fauna.

How to come ?

Transports

Let’s limit our trips and use public transportation and carpooling: https://zou.maregionsud.fr

Access

From Laragne-Montéglin (11 km), take the D 942, then the D 948 south to Ribiers.

Advised parking

Parking lots in the village center, Ribiers

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