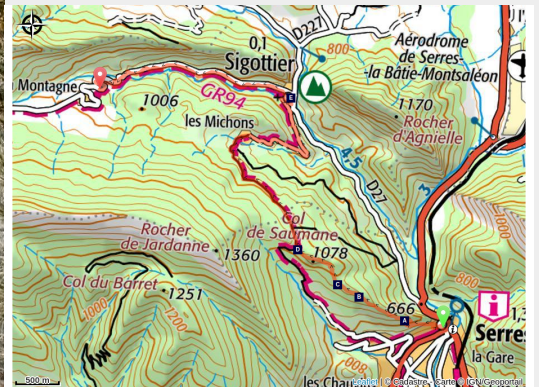


Step 1 : Serres - La Montagne

Serres - Serres



Sur les hauteurs de Serres (CCSB)



This stage presents no particular difficulties. The start of the route offers a chance to explore the small town of Serres, a must-see stop along the way, built in terraces against the Pignolette rock face. It is an ancient settlement with a rich historical past, offering hiking and swimming opportunities (the Riou and Germanette lakes). With an elevation gain of 436 m, the first part of the route, between Serres and Sigottier, crosses the Fontarache ridge (a few rocky sections but no difficulty) and continues to the Col de Saumane. This beautiful, varied section offers views on one side of the Buëch Valley and Lake Germanette, and on the other side, the Dauphiné Mountains, with the valleys of the Petit and Grand Buëch. The second part follows a small paved road, leading to the hamlet of “La Montagne” in about an hour.

Useful information

Practice : Trek

Duration : 4 h

Length : 9.3 km



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Type : Itinérance

Trek

Departure : Serres

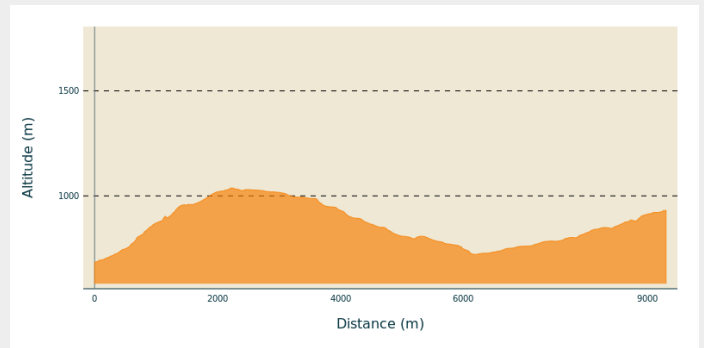
Arrival : La Montagne

Markings :  PR  GRP

Cities : 1. Serres

2. Sigottier


Altimetric profile



Min elevation 682 m Max elevation 1038 m

On your path...



-  Pointed rock (A)
-  Crête de Fontarache (C)
-  Sigottier Cliff (E)
-  Viewpoint (B)
-  Saumane Pass (D)

All useful information

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On your path...

Pointed rock (A)

This Pointed Rock dominates the Sentier des Moines. It stands out due to its shape. It emerges from the ground and overlooks the surroundings and offers a beautiful view of the village of Serres, its valley and the Buëch river. Its characteristic pointed shape is impressive and makes it the geological specificity of Serres.

Viewpoint (B)

The Sentier des Moines dominates the Serrois valley and offers beautiful views of the area, especially from the ridge Crête de Fontarache .

Crête de Fontarache (C)

The Crête de Fontarache is an essential passage between Serres and the Col de Saumane for hikers following the Sentier des Moines.

Saumane Pass (D)

The Saumane Pass (1029 m) allows you to reach Serres via the Chapelle de Saumane or the ridge Crête de Fontarache. It also allows access to the Rocher de Jardanne and to reach the village of Sigottier. This grassy path, shaded by trees offers an ideal venue for a break or a picnic in calm weather.

Sigottier Cliff (E)

Overlooking Sigottier village, this cliff is a significant rock-climbing site. Around thirty routes are settled with an initiation area for beginners.