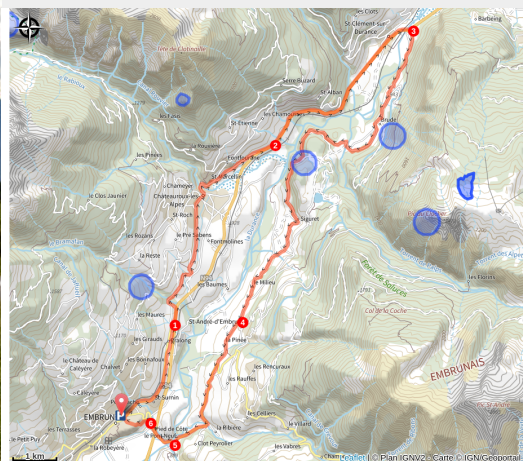


# From one bank of the Durance to the other

Hautes-Alpes



(Clémence DEBENATH)



From one bank of the Durance to the other, this itinerary takes you on a tour of villages and hamlets. For the curious, they are home to a whole host of museums!

You'll never be bored on this route! Views, some lovely roads and local heritage are all on the menu as you pass through the villages and hamlets neighbouring the Durance. On each stage, you'll be charmed by these typical places tucked away in the Durance valley.

## Useful information

Practice : Road bike

Duration : 2 h

Length : 29.9 km

Trek ascent : 912 m

Difficulty : Vert (très facile)

Type : Loop

Themes : Lac et glacier, Histoire et architecture

# Trek

**Departure** : Embrun station car park

**Arrival** : Embrun station car park

**Cities** : 1. Embrun

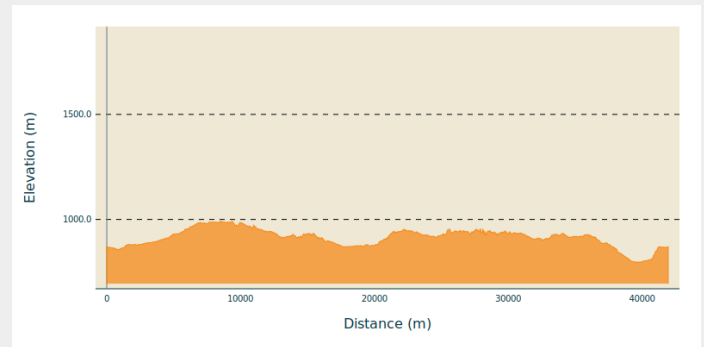
2. Châteauroux-les-Alpes

3. Saint-Clément-sur-Durance

4. Saint-André-d'Embrun

5. Saint-Sauveur

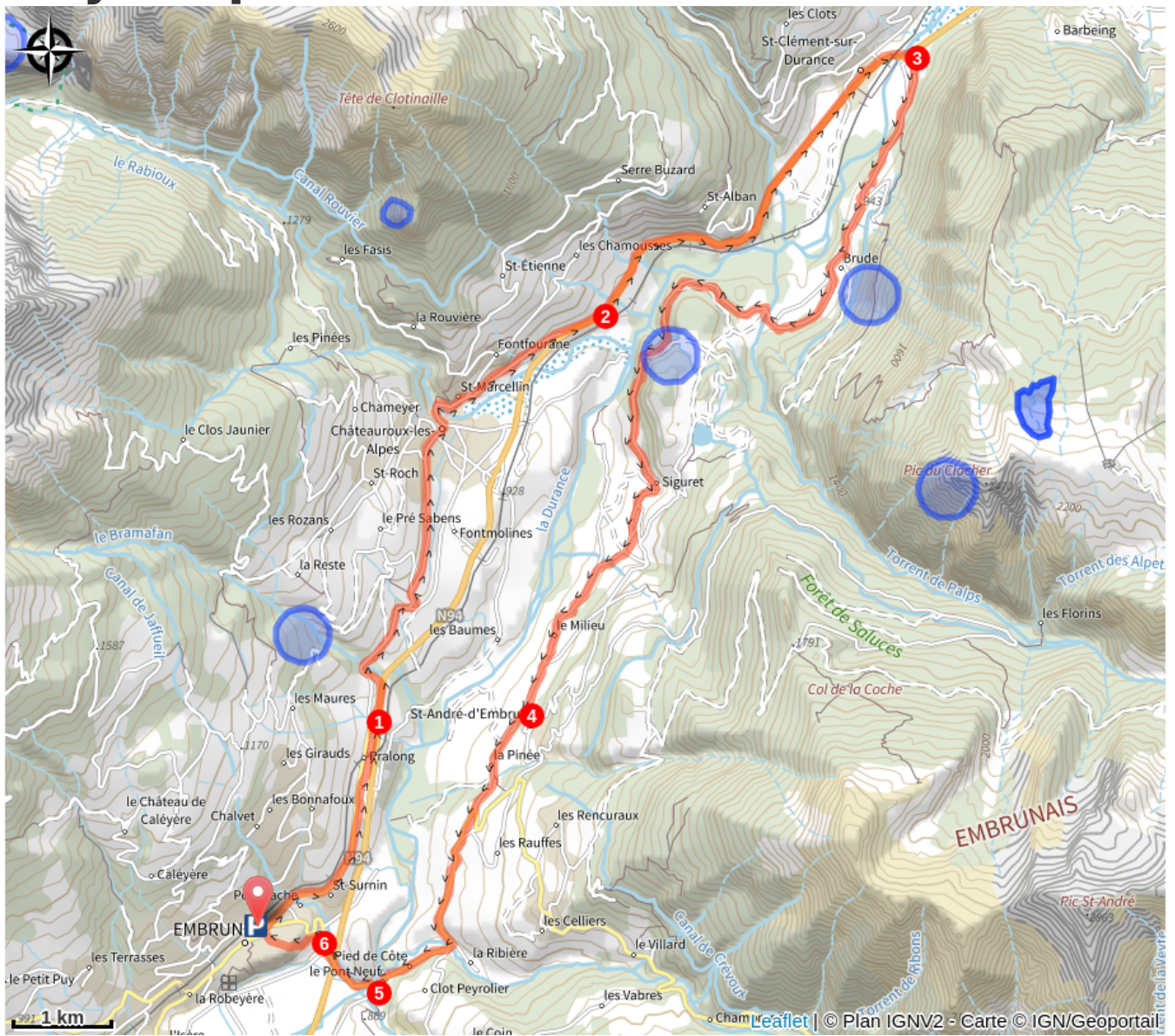
## Altimetric profile



Min elevation 794 m Max elevation 991 m

1. From Embrun station, head down towards the town centre and, at the roundabout, go left towards Briançon. Continue straight on, passing the fire station and reaching a bend just before a large roundabout (shortly after passing under a railway bridge).
2. Now head towards Châteauroux-les-Alpes along the D994h. Then cross this municipality and continue straight on until you reach the N94.
3. Drive onto this lane, which can be fairly busy at times and, with caution, ride correctly on the right. After 4 km, enter Saint-Clément-sur-Durance. Cross the village and, after crossing the bridge over the Durance, turn right towards Saint-André d'Embrun.
4. This is followed by some gentle ascents and descents along the banks of the Durance, taking in the beautiful views. You will also pass through several hamlets before reaching the foot of Saint-André d'Embrun.
5. Continue straight on, staying on the D994d, towards Embrun. Continue for 4 km and, at the STOP sign, turn right and cross the Durance on a metal bridge (wooden floor) towards the citadel of Embrun.
6. Finally, take the last ascent back to the starting point.

# On your path...



# All useful information

## **Advices**

- Respecter le sens de circulation des parcours.
- Respecter les autres usagers de la route.
- Le port du casque est obligatoire
- N'hésitez pas à consulter info route 05 avant de partir

## **How to come ?**

### Transports

#### From **Gap**:

- Zou! network : Line 69 / Frequency : 5 times a day

#### From **Briançon**

- Zou! network : Line 69 / Frequency : Every 4 hours

For more information: <https://zou.maregionsud.fr>

- SNCF bus

For more information: <https://www.sncf-connect.com>

### Access

Follow the N94 from Gap or Briançon towards Embrun, then the town centre and station.

### Advised parking

Station car park, Embrun

# Environmental sensitive areas

Along your trek, you will go through sensitive areas related to the presence of a specific species or environment. In these areas, an appropriate behaviour allows to contribute to their preservation. For detailed information, specific forms are accessible for each area.

## Peregrine falcon

Sensitivity period: February, March, April, May, June

Contact: Parc National des Écrins  
Julien Charron  
julien.charron@ecrins-parcnational.fr

Nidification du Faucon pèlerin.

Les pratiques qui peuvent avoir une interaction avec le Faucon pèlerin en période de nidification sont principalement le vol libre et les pratiques verticales ou en falaise, comme l'escalade ou l'alpinisme. Merci d'éviter cette zone !

En cas de survol merci de rester au-dessus de 1710m d'altitude à une distance de 300m sol.

## Short-toed snake eagle

Sensitivity period: March, April, May, June, July, August, September

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Julien Charron  
julien.charron@ecrins-parcnational.fr

Nidification du Circaète-Jean-le-Blanc

Les pratiques qui peuvent avoir une interaction avec le Circaète-Jean-le-Blanc en période de nidification sont principalement les pratiques aériennes comme le vol libre ou le vol motorisé.

Merci d'essayer d'éviter la zone ou de rester à une distance minimale de 300m sol quand vous la survolez soit 1410m d'altitude !

## Source



Serre-Ponçon

<https://www.serreponcon.com>