

the Sauze balconies

Hautes-Alpes



Le barrage de Serre-Ponçon (florimont.tilliere)



A dynamic and sporty course, despite its short distance, offering superb panoramas of the lake.

This itinerary will immerse you into the lakeside setting from the village perched above. The course is wooded, but the water sparkles through the pines and downy oaks. The vegetation, which becomes increasingly dense as we descend, lends a special charm to this route, which winds its way through isolated valleys on narrow paths that seem to spring up from nowhere in front of us. The return journey takes several hairpins and gives the impression of climbing a small pass, the summit of which is still hidden from us.

Useful information

Practice : Mountain Bike

Duration : 1 h

Length : 6.4 km

Trek ascent : 312 m

Difficulty : Vert (très facile)

Type : Loop

Themes : Fauna

Trek

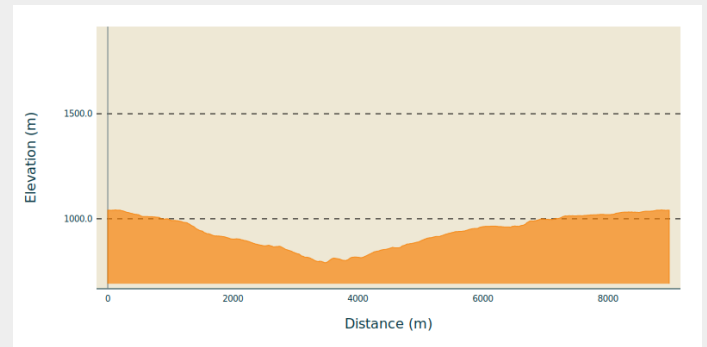
Departure : Le Sauze-du-Lac

Arrival : Le Sauze-du-Lac

Markings : 🚰 VTT FFC boucle locale

Cities : 1. Le Sauze-du-Lac

Altimetric profile



Min elevation 791 m Max elevation 1042 m

1. From the La Fontaine car park, head back down the departmental road towards Savines-le-Lac for a few dozen metres, then take the path to the left of the cross. Turn left at a picnic area and continue straight ahead through the woods. Turn left when the view of the lake opens up, onto a narrow, steep and winding path. Follow this path until you come to a wide track. Turn left then left again into a very shady valley after a stream. Leave the path and take a path on the right back into the pines. Turn left and then right into the woods. Turn right again when you come back to a wide, steeply sloping path, then veer left and finally right onto a road.
2. Follow the winding road to the departmental road. The gradient is moderate but the climb is still relatively long. Finally, turn right onto the departmental road to return to Le Sauze-du-Lac.

On your path...



All useful information

How to come ?

Transports

Transports en commun : [ccserreponcon.com](https://www.ccserreponcon.com)

Access

Follow the D954 from Savines-le-Lac or the Ubaye valley.

Advised parking

La Fontaine car park, Le Sauze-du-Lac

Source



Serre-Ponçon

<https://www.serreponcon.com>