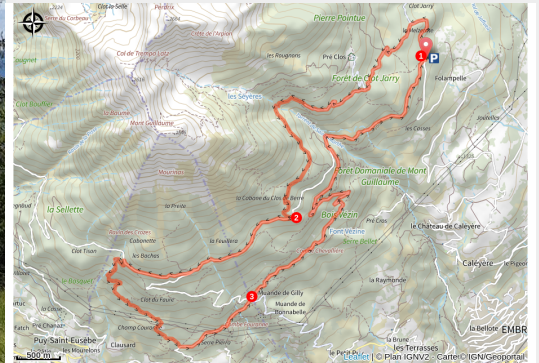


Fontainiers loop

Hautes-Alpes



Vue depuis le belvédère de Para (florimont.tilliere)



This is a fast-paced, sporty route, with one descent and one ascent following another over very different types of terrain.

A wooded route that stretches along the slopes of Mont Guillaume, offering splendid views over Lac de Serre-Ponçon. Wide tracks conducive to high speeds give way to narrow paths that seem to spring up in front of you, to lead you into the lost heart of the forest.

Useful information

Practice : Mountain Bike

Duration : 3 h

Length : 16.6 km

Trek ascent : 1068 m

Difficulty : Bleu (facile)

Type : Loop

Themes : Fauna, Flora

Trek

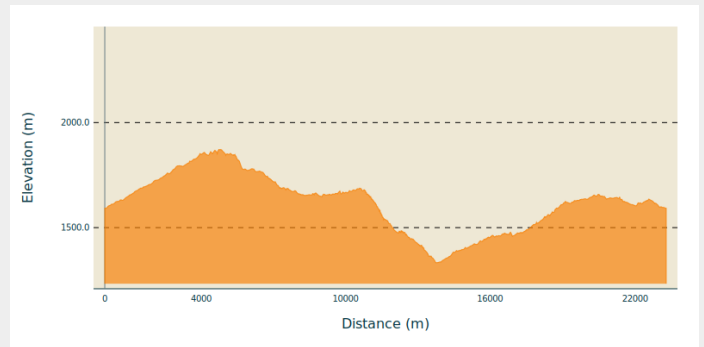
Departure : Porte de la forêt car park, Embrun

Arrival : Porte de la forêt car park, Embrun

Markings : 🚰 VTT FFC boucle locale

Cities : 1. Embrun
2. Puy-Sanières

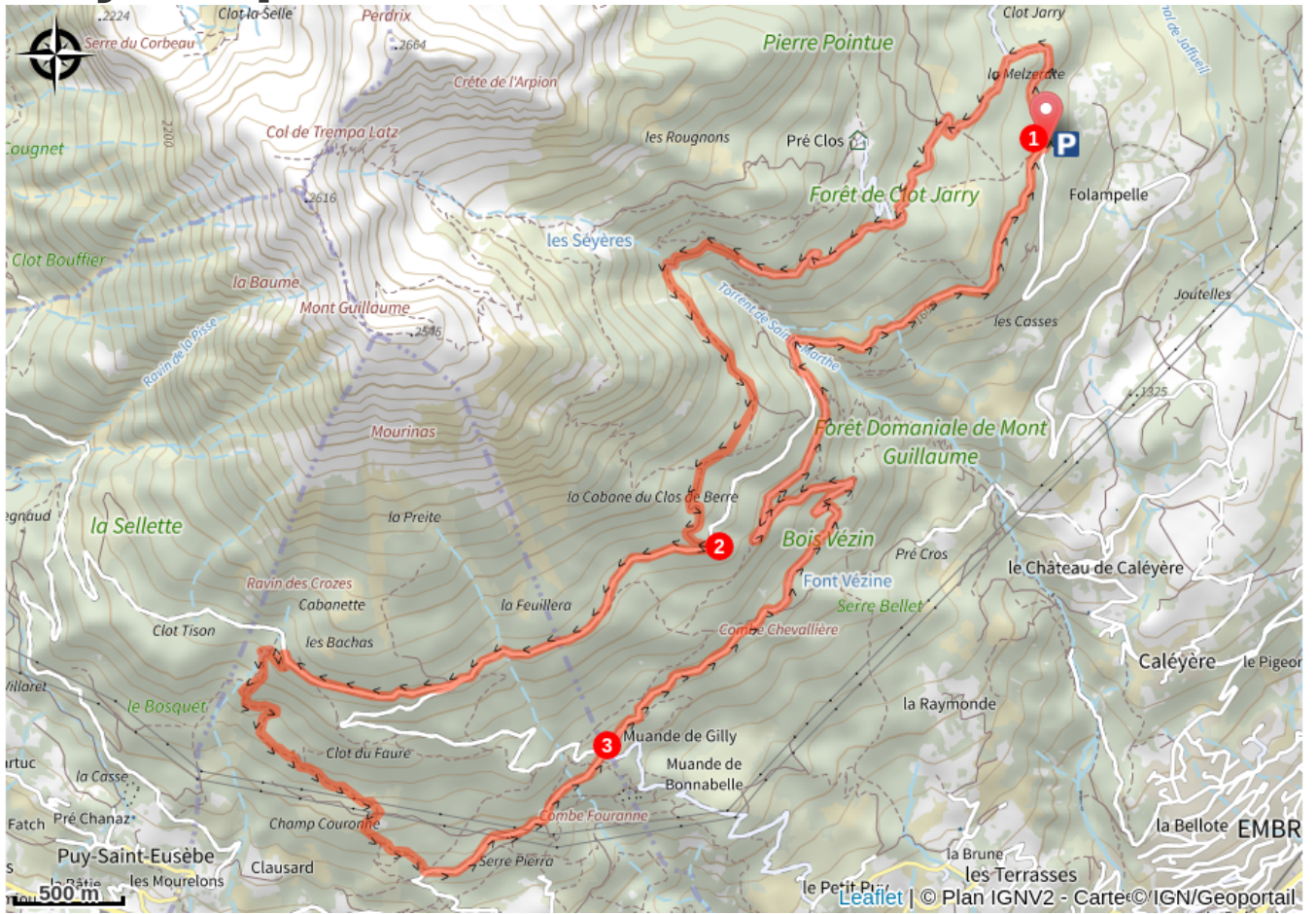
Altimetric profile



Min elevation 1333 m Max elevation 1872 m

1. From the Porte de la forêt car park, go straight ahead onto the Route forestière des Fontainiers. The track splits in two after a few hundred metres. Keep to the left, leaving the Bosquet track on your right. Continue along the track and turn left under the Fontainiers chalet. Turn left again at the next intersection, then continue straight ahead on a flat area where the track turns into more of a footpath. Continue for a few hundred metres along a small grassy path. Ford the stream. The path descends shortly afterwards, winding its way through vegetation. The descent continues through the woods, interspersed with flat areas.
2. Join the track at the La Para lookout and turn right. At the junction, leave the Pinée forest road on your left and turn right. Continue along the balcony track overlooking the lake until you come to a small single-track path on the left. Shortly after, turn left at the junction and then left again. Cross a wide, stony track and pick up the trail opposite. Return on a track that you have to ascend by turning left. Continue straight ahead at the intersection with another track, then stay on this carriageway at the next intersection.
3. At the first hairpin bend, take the forest track towards Bois Vezin; after tackling several switchbacks, turn right onto a wide flat track. Continue straight ahead along the same path until you reach the starting point.

On your path...



All useful information

How to come ?

Transports

Transports en commun : ccserreponcon.com

Access

From Embrun, take the D465 to Caléryère, then follow the Château Caléryère road to the Porte de la forêt car park.

Advised parking

Porte de la forêt car park, Embrun

Source



Serre-Ponçon

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