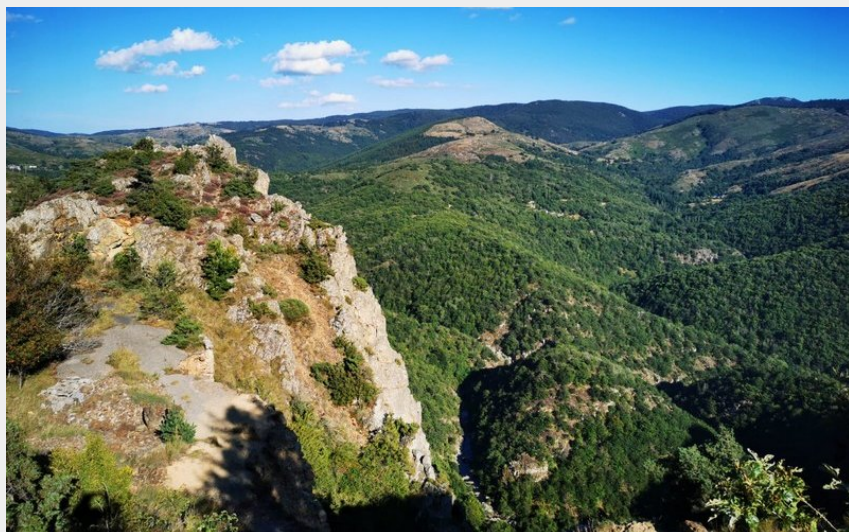
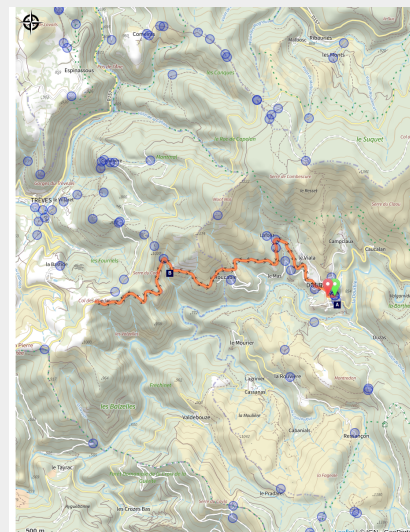


Road bike circuit #3

Cévennes



En montant vers le Col de Rhode (Béatrice Galzin)



This circuit showcases the most spectacular part of the Dourbie gorge to the Col des Rhodes pass.

A there-and-back circuit that is ideal for a bike trip.

From the pass, views open up over the Aveyron department and the valley and cliffs of Le Trevezel.

Useful information

Practice : Cycling

Duration : 1 h

Length : 12.2 km

Trek ascent : 312 m

Difficulty : Very easy

Type : Aller-retour

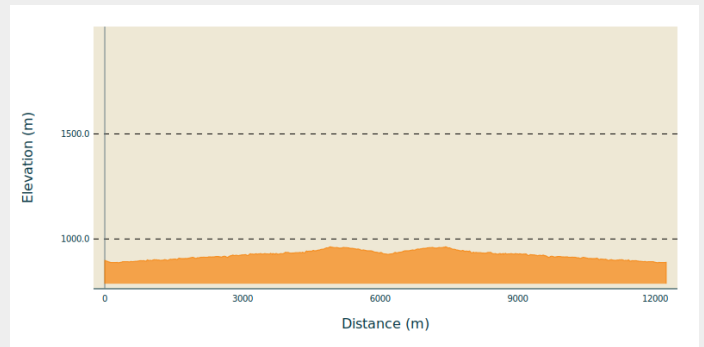
Trek

Departure : Village of Dourbies

Arrival : Village of Dourbies

Cities : 1. Dourbies
2. Trèves

Altimetric profile



Min elevation 887 m Max elevation 960 m

From the village of Dourbies, head for Nant and Trèves on the D151. At the Col des Rhodes pass, turn around and return to Dourbies.

This topographic map of the Dordogne region shows the D157 road and the Dordogne river. The map includes contour lines, place names, and a scale bar. A red location pin is placed near the town of Dordogne.

Fourbies (A)

The Dourbies gorge (B)

All useful information

Advices

Before committing yourself to a circuit, ensure that it is suitable for your activity level and ability. Respect traffic laws and other road users; stay in control of your speed and trajectory. Make sure to be seen and travel in single file when in a group. Remember that the weather changes quickly in the mountains. Take enough water. Safe trip !

How to come ?

Access

From Valleraugue, take the D986 to L'Espérou. Drive through the village and continue to Dourbies on the D151.

Advised parking

In the village of Dourbies, by the church.

Information desks

Tourism & national parc'house

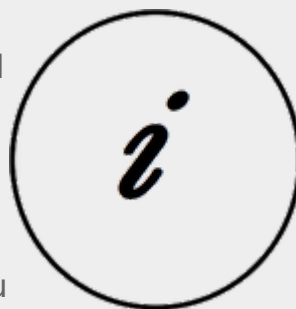
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On your path...



Dourbies (A)

The village of Dourbies was built on a ridge to maximise the flatter soils for cultivation. Farming having declined in the valley, fields that were once cultivated have now been urbanised, and broom heath is invading more and more land.

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The Dourbies gorge (B)

The path comes out on the Dourbie gorge. Opposite you, the western part of the high granite plateau of the Lingas joins up on its right with the limestone plateau called Causse de Larzac. On your right, you can see the granite dome of Saint-Guiral. Closer to you, in the vales that converge on the Dourbie, are the former crop terraces, pastureland, the village built on the riverbank at the valley's widest point and finally the chestnut orchard. You are seeing the upper limit of its range, which corresponds to its maximum altitude in this zone (800 m).

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