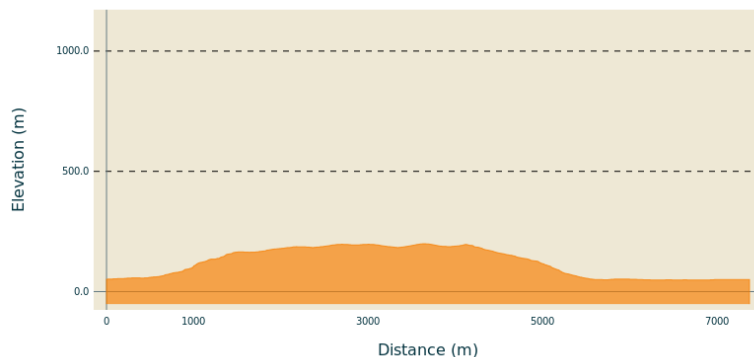


Around Saint-Martin and the dolmen on the cliff

Gorges de l'Ardèche

Altimetric profile



Useful information

Practice : Trail

Duration : 2 h 30

Length : 7.4 km

Trek ascent : 188 m

Difficulty : Medium

Type : Loop

Themes : Sommet et points de vue, Lac -
Rivière - Cascade, Dolmen

Trek

Departure : Saint-Martin-d'Ardèche Tourist Office

Arrival : Saint-Martin-d'Ardèche Tourist Office

Markings : ■ Yellow markup

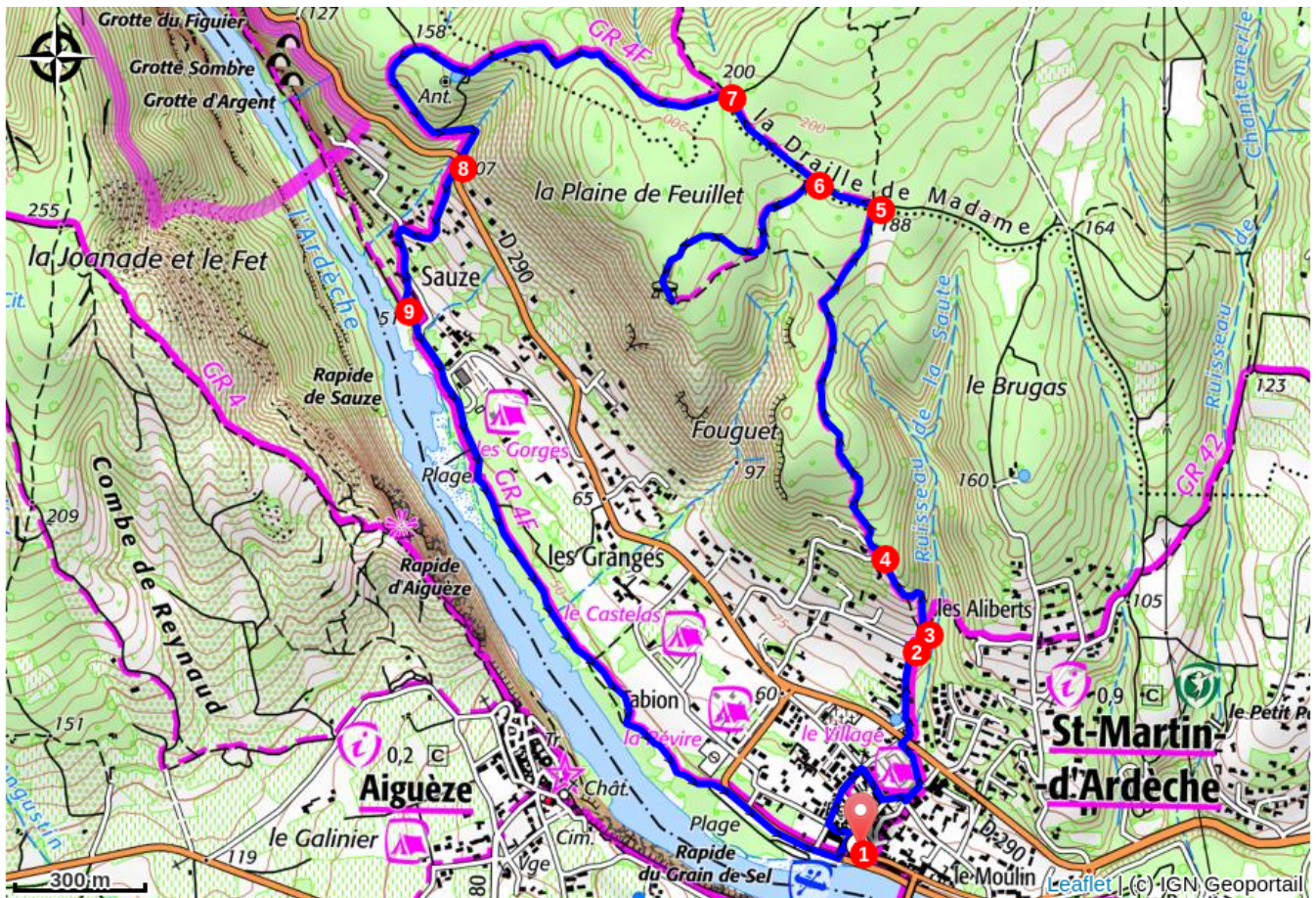
Cities : 1. SAINT-MARTIN-D'ARDECHE 2. SAINT-MARCEL-D'ARDECHE

1. From the hiking information sign, which is to the right of the tourist office (opposite the church), take the arched passageway; then turn left. Cross the small square diagonally and continue 25 meters along the narrow street. Then turn right (Chemin Neuf). After 160 meters, when you reach the "Le Village" campsite, turn right onto Rue du Nord. When you reach the La Mazade estate, turn left and follow the small road that climbs to the left. Go through the small tunnel under the departmental road and continue climbing to the left.
2. When the road makes a right angle to the left and runs alongside a wood, take the path on the right. This curves to the left and opens onto a crow's foot.
3. Take the very rocky path in the middle, which climbs steeply.
4. When the path opens onto a paved road, turn right and right again immediately after. Continue climbing along the carriage road.
5. Until it opens onto another wide track.
6. Take it to the left until you reach the "Ranc des Banastres" signpost. To see the dolmen, follow the signs for "Dolmen du Ranc des Banastres." It's a round trip of about 1 km along a wooded path that also leads you to a beautiful viewpoint over Aiguèze and the end of the Ardèche Gorges.
7. Back at the signpost, take the track back to the "Plaine du Feuillet" signpost, 0.3 km away. It's located at a crossroads of four paths. On the short version of the route, take the path that descends diagonally to the

left (not towards the small building) to reach St-Martin via Sauze. Stay on the main path and follow the PR markings. 100 m after passing a large antenna on your left, continue descending to the left.

8. Carefully cross the road and go down Chemin du Louby to the Sauze signpost just before the beach.

9. Head towards St-Martin and take the path parallel to the river. Once you reach Grain de Sel Beach (a large rock under the cliff on the other bank), head back up the road to reach the village center and your parking lot.



Advices

To see: the viewpoint near the Dolmen du Ranc des Banastres.

How to come ?

Access

From Aubenas, take the D579 towards the Ardèche Gorges to Vallon-Pont-d'Arc.

Then either take the Ardèche Gorges scenic route or the D4 to Saint-Remèze, then the D201 to Saint-Martin-d'Ardeche.

From Pont-Saint-Esprit, take the D86 towards Bourg-Saint-Andéol, then the D290 towards Saint-Martin-d'Ardèche.

Advised parking

Parking: Quai des Pescadours // parking accessible via Quai des Bateliers.



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