

# Loop 55 - Lac du Siguret

Saint-André-d'Embrun



(Emmanuel DANJOU)



*A remnant of the Ice Age, this lake inspires tranquillity, and its reed beds are home to a host of birdlife. A lovely place to relax.*

Lac du Siguret is a pleasant little Gravel trail. Initially shaded by conifers, the landscape then opens out onto a welcoming plateau, the lake and Chapelle Saint-Roch. The rolling return journey takes in an old road and farm tracks overlooking the Durance.

## Useful information

Practice : Gravel

Duration : 1 h 15

Length : 13.3 km

Trek ascent : 369 m

Difficulty : Easy

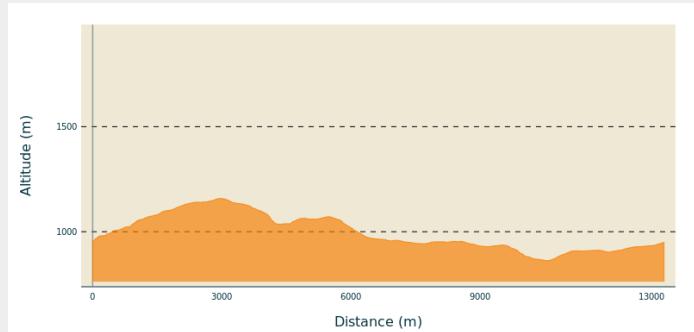
Type : Loop

Themes : Lake and glacier,  
Panorama

# Trek

**Departure :** Saint-André-d'Embrun  
**Arrival :** Saint-André-d'Embrun  
**Markings :** PR  
**Cities :** 1. Saint-André-d'Embrun

## Altimetric profile



Min elevation 863 m Max elevation 1159 m

1. At the school in Saint-André d'Embrun, turn right at the washhouse and go up the Chemin de Clotinard. At the road, turn right and then left onto the forest road (DFCI track H33).
2. On the straight stretch, descend the path on the left and at the crow's feet intersection, take the ascend on the left. Follow a discreet path opposite and continue straight ahead (/!\ wetland and stones).
3. At the water tank, descend to the right. At the bend, turn right up the road and continue straight ahead on the track to reach Lac de Siguret.
4. At the lake, turn left twice and then right to reach a crossroads of 4 paths: continue straight down the stony path /!/. Continue left along the edge of the field and forest.
5. Take the slightly uphill road to the left. (D994D).
6. At the entrance to the village of Siguret, descend once to the right and again at the fountain to join a path.
7. At the end of the path, turn right then left up a small road.
8. At the road (D994D), turn right to cross the hamlet of "La Place". Stay on this road.
9. At the D139, turn left twice in the direction of the county town until you reach the arrival point.

# On your path...



⌚ Vintage swather rake (A)

✿ Arable weeds (B)

# All useful information

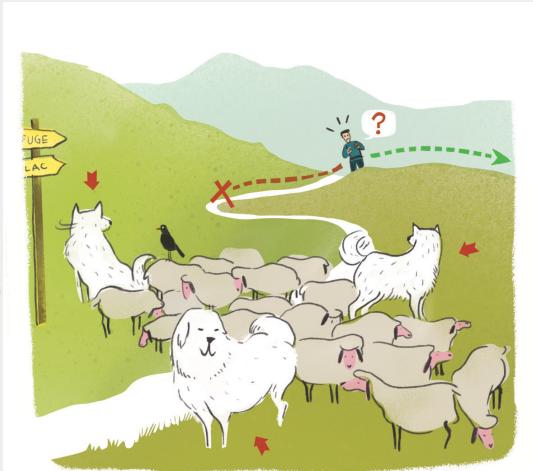
## Herd protection dogs

In mountain pastures, protection dogs are there to protect the herds from predators (wolves, etc.).

When I hike I adapt my behavior by going around the herd and pausing for the dog to identify me.

Find out more about the actions to adopt with the article ["Protection dogs: a context and actions to adopt"](#).

Tell us about your meeting by answering this [survey](#).



## Advices

Avant de partir vérifiez l'état de votre vélo, surveillez la météo et équipez vous selon la saison et la durée de votre randonnée.

Vous évoluez en zone de montagne, privilégiez des pneus de Gravel large, des freins à disque hydraulique et maîtrisez votre vitesse.

Prudence dans la descente du Hameau de Vière et pour rejoindre la vallée de la Durance.

Pour plus de confort faites appel à un moniteur de cyclisme

Secours : 112

## How to come ?

### Transports

SNCF: Chorges station, Embrun <https://www.sncf-connect.com/>

Bus : Valserres, La Bâtie Neuve, Chorges, Puy Saint Eusèbe, Puy Sanières, Embrun Baratier, Les Orres, Remollon, Theus, Espinasse

Marseille-Briançon : (LER29)

Marseille, Nice : Lignes Express Régionales (LER) +33 (0)809 400 415

Grenoble : Transisère +33 (0)4 26 16 38 38

Gap-Barcelonnette (LER535)

Carpooling area : Rond point des Orres - 05200 Baratier

Plane:

Marseille Provence Airport (188km) - +33 (0)820 811 414

Grenoble Alpes Isère Airport (158km) - +33 (0)4 76 65 48 48

Lyon Saint Exupéry Airport - (203km) +33 (0)826 800 826  
Turin Caselle Airport - (178km) + 39 011 567 63 74

## Access

From Grenoble, Lyon, Paris : RN 85 or RN 75. At Gap on the RN 94 towards Briançon.

## Advised parking

Place de la Mairie car park, Saint-André-les-Alpes

# 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.

## Short-toed snake eagle

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

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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 un distance minimale de 300m sol quand vous la survolez soit 1410m d'altitude !

## Information desks

### Tourist office Embrun

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## Source



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# On your path...

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## ⌚ Vintage swather rake (A)

This vintage farm implement was horse-drawn. The farmer sat on the iron seat. Its teeth form a kind of rake and its purpose was to pile up the hay in rows (known as windrows).

Attribution : Amélie Vallier



## ✳ Arable weeds (B)

Arable weeds are unique in that they live in fields without actually having been sown there. They are biologically suited to open environments and especially to regularly worked areas such as fields. They use various strategies, such as adapting their biological cycle and producing large quantities of seeds to make up for disturbances in their growing zone. Many of them are well-known, such as the poppy, cornflower and buttercup...

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