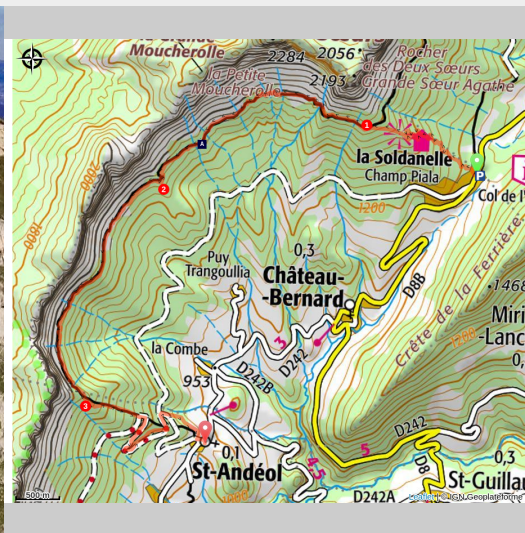


# Arzelier pass / Saint-Andéol (stage 3)

Trièves - Château-Bernard

GTV



La chaîne du balcon Est (o\_zanardi)

*An itinerary around the foot of the mighty chain of the Balcons Est of the Vercors overlooking the village of Château-Bernard.*

The aerial walkway here means you can marvel at the incredible view of the northern Vercors as far as the village of Saint-Andéol.

## Useful information

Practice : Itinerant hike

Duration : 5 h

Length : 12.1 km

Trek ascent : 783 m

Difficulty : Difficile

Type : Traversée

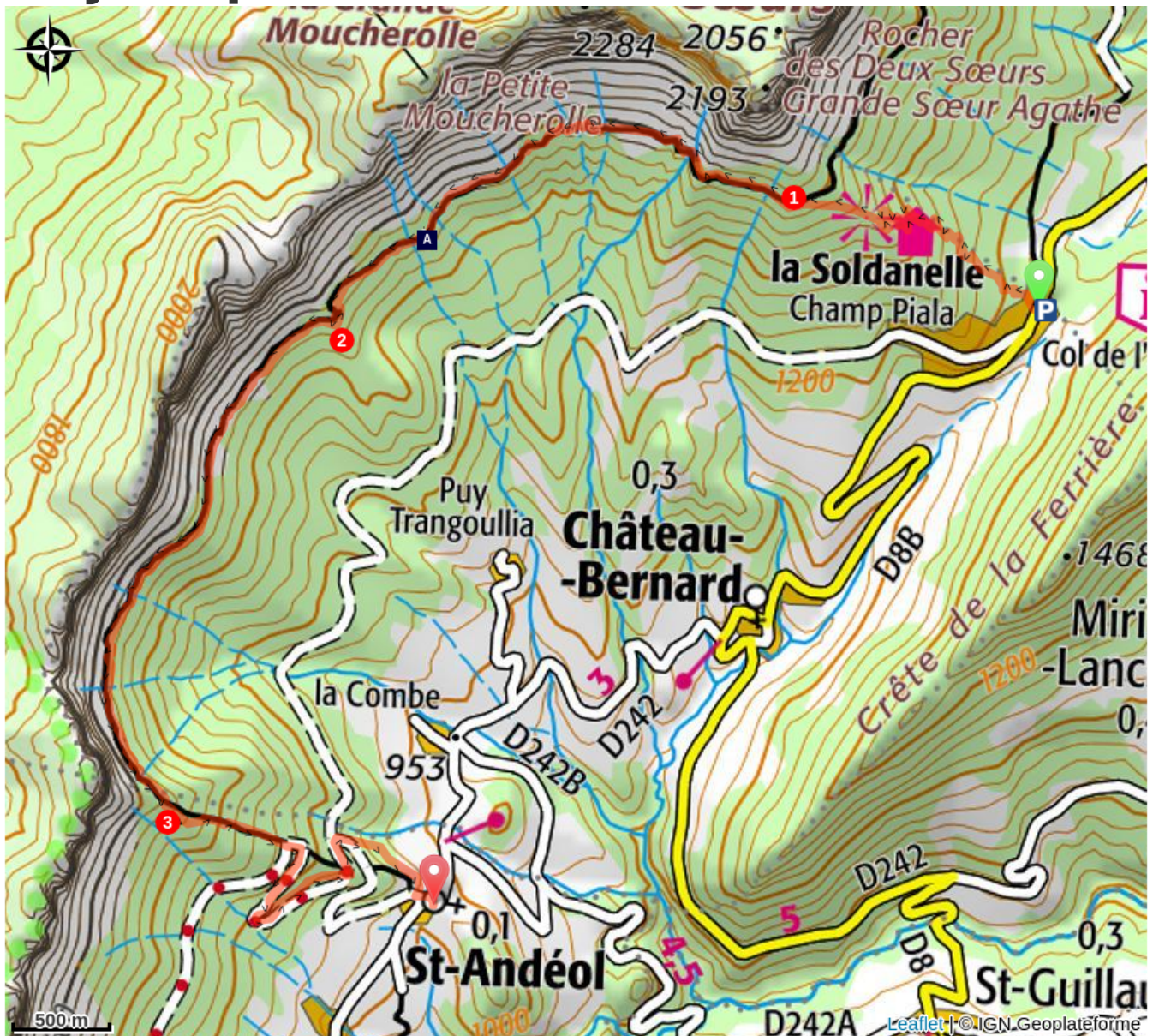
Themes : Faune, Flore,  
Géologie, Point de vue

# Trek

Departure : Arzelier pass  
Arrival : Saint-Andéol (village)  
Markings :  GTV à pied

1. From Col de l'Arzelier, climb back to **Pré Achard** and rejoin the path you took the previous day. Continue west beneath the **Grande Moucherolle** on the path that runs along the foot of the cliffs.
2. Go via **Bois Ras** and continue on your way.
3. At the crossroads overlooked by the **Rocher du Playnet**, head down towards **Saint-Andéol**.

# On your path...



Tétrás Lyre (Black Grouse) (A)

# All useful information

## ⚠️ Advices

Be careful in winter: the route is impassable; in spring it is very tricky due to snow slides and rock falls.

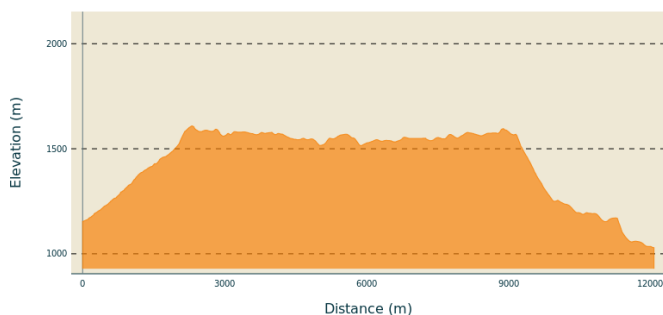
Be sure to check snow conditions before setting off.

You are temporarily in summer pastures, and may meet herd protection and guard dogs (patous). Always ensure that you go a long way round the animals, calmly so that the dog can identify you, do not pat or threaten them.

Use the installed passages to cross fences, close gates and barriers. Stay on the marked trails and respect private property.

Collect your waste, think nature.

## Altimetric profile



Min elevation 1029 m  
Max elevation 1609 m

## Transports

**By train :** Grenoble train station

The OÙRA multimodal route planner provides information about all the connections between regional trains, urban transport and departmental bus lines : <https://www.oura.com/>

**By bus :** Bus [Line 25](#) Grenoble - Le Gua then bus [line 44](#) from Le Gua to Col de l'Arzelier (Arzelier pass)

**By carpooling :** Offer your services or book your carpooling on the regional [Mov'Ici](#) platform.

## Access

Depuis Grenoble, prendre l'A51 vers le sud jusqu'à Monestier-de-Clermont, puis prendre la direction de Château-Bernard par la D8 et la D242.

## Advised parking

Arzelier pass

 **Information desks**

Office de tourisme du Trièves, Gresse-  
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Gresse-en-Vercors

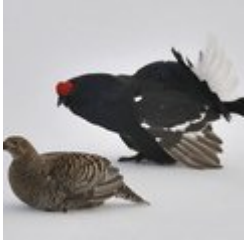
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## Tétras Lyre (Black Grouse) (A)

This crossroads takes its name from the black grouse. This sedentary bird is one of the symbols of the Vercors Regional Nature Park. It appears on the park's logo, in the company of the wild tulip. During the breeding season (April-May) the cock sings at daybreak. But do not try to see it and above all stay on the roads, because this remarkable species is very sensitive to disturbance.

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