#### From Ardent to Les Lindarets

Whether you're a keen hiker or simply looking to relax in the heart of nature, this walk is the perfect getaway. Soak up the tranquillity of the forest, cool off by the river and head to the village of Les Lindarets. A surprise awaits you in Les Lindarets: the famous Lindarets goats! Like holidaymakers, they come here to spend the summer grazing. Children will love feeding these freeroaming goats while their parents enjoy the village's sunny terraces.

<ul><li>Duration</li><li>Distance</li></ul>	1h 30 2,99 km	▲ Difficulty     Return to departure  point	Easy Yes
✓ Vertical gain ✓ Vertical drop	236 m 236 m	Activity District	Walking Montriond (74110)
Highest point	1 453 m	⟨m Areas	Alps, Chablais





#### **Description**

Lowest point

Start just after the bridge at the top right of the Ardent car park (signposted).

1217 m

(S/E) Follow the signs for Les Lindarets, turning left onto the forest trail. A few metres further on, follow the trail that climbs up to the right to reach the banks of the Dranse de Montriond. As you climb up the forest trail along the river, the trail branches off to the right. Follow the signs carefully: yellow arrow on a green background.

- (1) Further on, as you leave the forest, cross the ski slope, then climb up alongside the slope on the right to pass under the cable car line. The path enters the forest again on the right. Follow the signs carefully: yellow arrow on a green background. Leave the forest.
- (2) Cross the track again. Go back into the forest and cross the river via a small bridge. Then climb up the meadow and continue to the right to enter the forest and reach the village of Les Lindarets and its car park.
- (3) Return to the starting point by retracing your steps to the car park (S/E).

#### **Waypoints**



N 46.21317° / E 6.76303° - alt. 1217 m - km 0

• 1 Crossing the track

N 46.211438° / E 6.766465° - alt. 1 286 m km 0.43

2 Crossing the track

N 46.212223° / E 6.769048° - alt. 1 354 m km 0.79

3 Les Lindarets car park

N 46.21058° / E 6.77291° - alt. 1 453 m - km 1.49

S/E Ardent car park - Montriond

N 46.21317° / E 6.76303° - alt. 1217 m - km 2.99

#### **Practical information**

#### In the nearby area

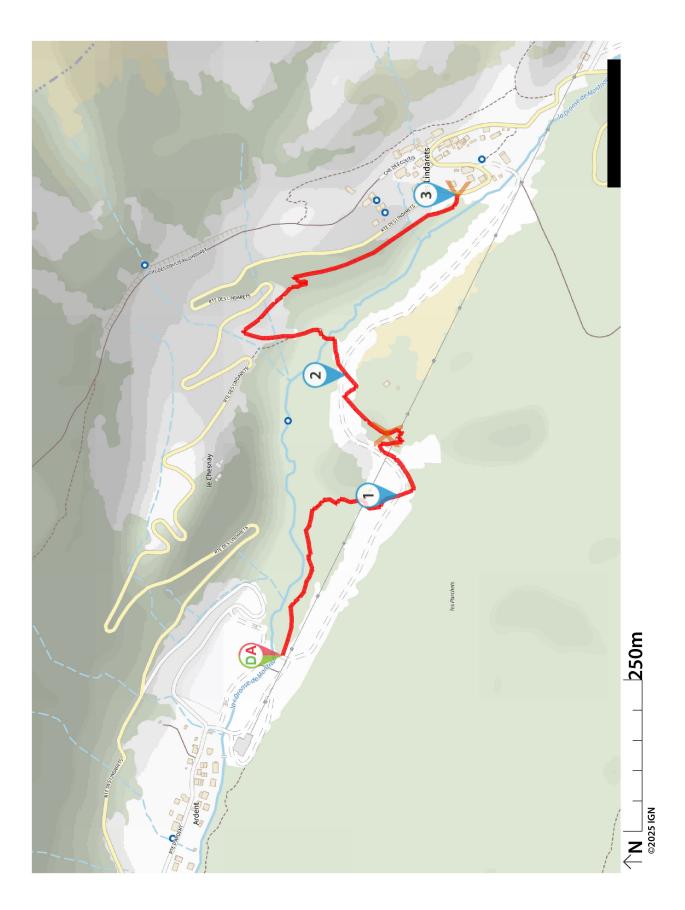
(S/E) Ardent Waterfall

(3) Les Lindarets, goat village

(3) Plateau de la Lécherette

Let us know your opinion on : https://www.visorando.com/en/walk-d-ardent-aux-lindarets/

Find out more: - 1748 Rte des Grandes Alpes



Always stay careful and alert while following a route. Visorando and the author of this walk cannot be held responsible in the event of an accident during this route.



# THE WALKER CODE

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## Before the walk



## CHOOSE YOUR WALK CAREFULLY

by matching its difficulty and duration to your skill and physical ability.



## CHECK THE WEATHER FORECAST

and look for other important information, such as snow, temperature, tide times, wind speed, fire risks, etc.



## BE PROPERLY PREPARED

by taking suitable equipment with you, such as whistle, first-aid kit, appropriate clothing and something to eat and drink.



#### **LET SOMEONE KNOW**

where you will be walking.

## During the walk



#### STAY ON THE PATH

Follow local signs and keep to marked paths unless wider access is available.



## TAKE YOUR RUBBISH HOME

and do not leave any trace of your journey except your footprint.



## RESPECT THE COUNTRYSIDE

by not damaging fences, fields and crops and not picking fruit or vegetables..



#### DON'T MAKE LOTS OF NOISE

and do be respectful and courteous to people along the route.



## RESPECT LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

such as bans on fires, barbecues, camping, fishing, swimming, etc.



#### KEEP YOUR DOG ON LEAD

and have it close to you at every crossroads of other users.
Bag and bin its dog poo.
Walking with a dog is not recommended on routes where there are farm animals.



## LEAVE GATES AS YOU FIND THEM

be cautious of farm animals: try to go around, not through hersd or flocks.



## THE COUNTRYSIDE IS A LIVING ENVIRONMENT

that evolves with time. Waling is an adventure and there ar erisks associated with it. Be responsible, and know when it is better to give up and turn around than get into danger.

Countryside Code for England and Wales: http://www.gov.uk/countryside-code
Countryside Code for Scotland: https://www.outdooraccess-scotland.scot/
Countryside Code for Northern Ireland: https://www.nidirect.gov.uk/articles/countryside-code

Emergency contact: 999 (UK) or 112 (Worldwide)

In case of accident, please do not sue the owners of the places where it happened because hikers could be prohibited there then. However, feel free to report to us any risk encountered.