

# Deluz / Besançon

## EuroVelo 6 - Cycle Route of the rivers



**Départ**  
Deluz

**Arrivée**  
Besançon

**Durée**  
1 h 13 min

**Distance**  
18,31 Km

**Niveau**  
I begin / Family

**Thématique**  
Canals & intimate  
rivers, Nature & small  
heritage

On this EuroVelo 6 stage between Deluz and Besançon, the splendid natural setting is regularly marked by the remnants of industrial activity and by forts perched on high. The Doubs River meanders along to Besançon, where it forms a perfect loop around the beautiful historic city. This stage comes highly recommended and is accessible to all.

### Route

Greenway from Deluz to Besançon, except for a portion by road at Chalèze. At Besançon, it is possible to ride alongside the underground canal passing far below the citadel; or reach the city centre via the Rivotte Gate. You can even cycle directly to the tourist office or the station via the track following the Doubs.

### Train station - Sncf

#### Deluz, Roche and Besançon-Viotte stations

TER (local services) Belfort > Montbéliard > Besançon  
TER (local services) Dijon > Dole > Besançon (1 train per hour during the day).  
TGV (high speed train) Paris > Dijon > Dole > Besançon with dedicated spaces for bike (with booking)

### Don't miss

**Besançon:** lively, welcoming capital of the Franche-Comté region; a Ville d'Art et d'Histoire (in recognition of its rich cultural heritage); crowned by an unmissable citadel; packed with museums; staging events year-round.

**Montfaucon:** with the ruins of a fort

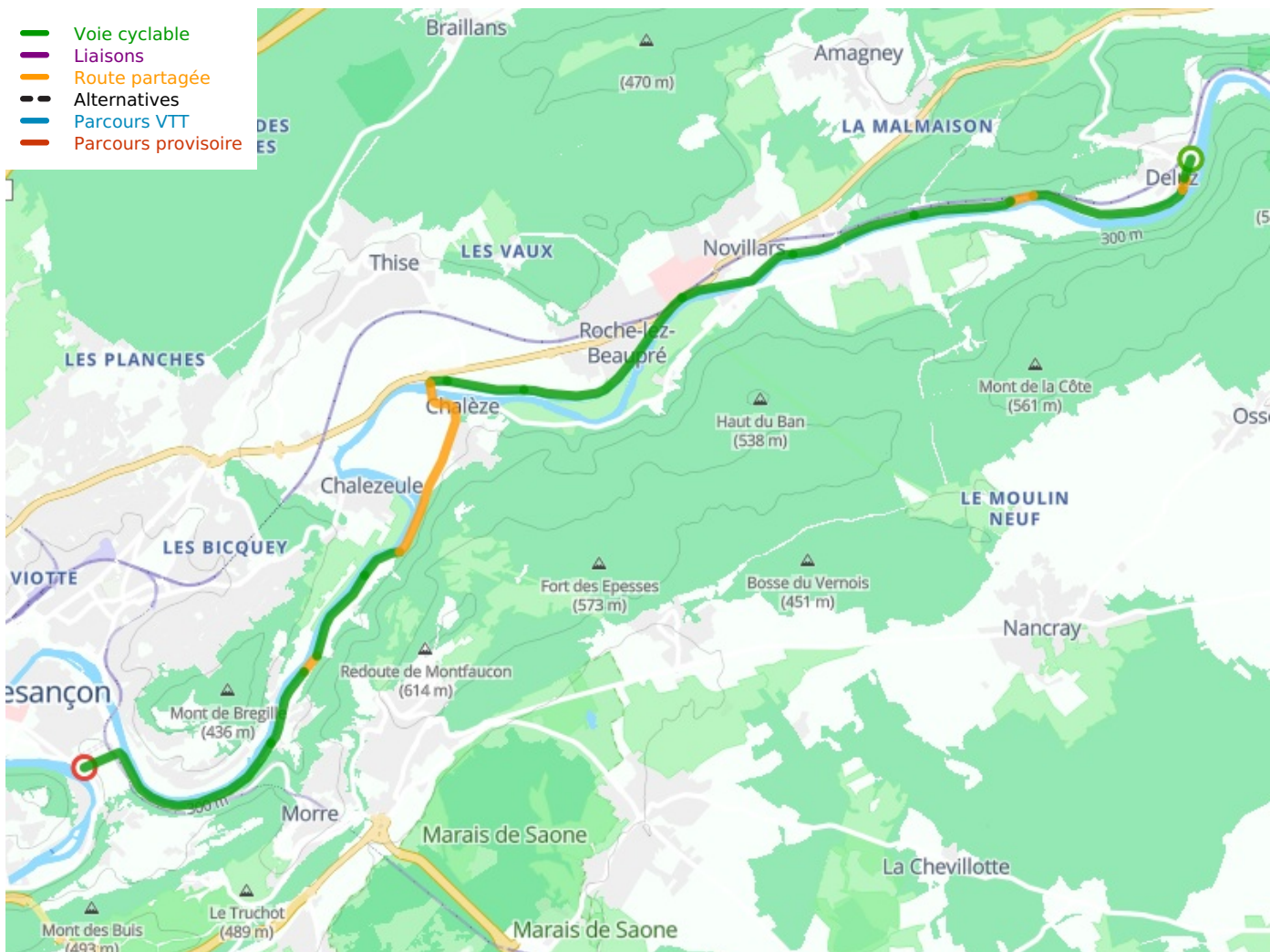
**Vaire-Arcier:** Château de Vaire-le-Grand, with its formal French gardens

### Markets

**Besançon :** every days except Monday

### Tourist Information centre

**Besançon :** +33 (0)3 81 80 92 55



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