

Montceau-les-Mines / Palinges

Le Tour de Bourgogne by bike



Départ
Montceau-les-Mines

Arrivée
Palinges

Durée
1 h 47 min

Distance
26,99 Km

Niveau
I cycle often

Thématique
Canals & intimate rivers

This stage in Burgundy meanders between the Canal du Centre and Bourbince River. You pass significant vestiges left from the mining and steel-making industries that long brought activity to the canal in times past. From Palinges, the atmosphere changes as you come to the Renaissance castle at Digoine. This stage is along roads.

Route

The route takes you along the D 974 road, with moderate traffic that is manageable for cyclists. After Gévelard, you're on small roads, signposted to Digoine.

Train station - SNCF

Ciry-le-Noble and Gévelard stations

TER (local services) Dijon > Chagny > Montchanin > Paray-le-Monial > Digoine > Moulin-sur-Allier

Don't miss

Montceau-les-Mines: an historic mining town with lively river port and a museum on schooling, plus the monumental Chavannes washhouse

Ciry-le-Noble: La Briqueterie local riverside industrial museum

Gévelard: impressive canal embankments, the Musée de la Ligne de Démarcation (on the World War II dividing line between occupied and non-occupied France)

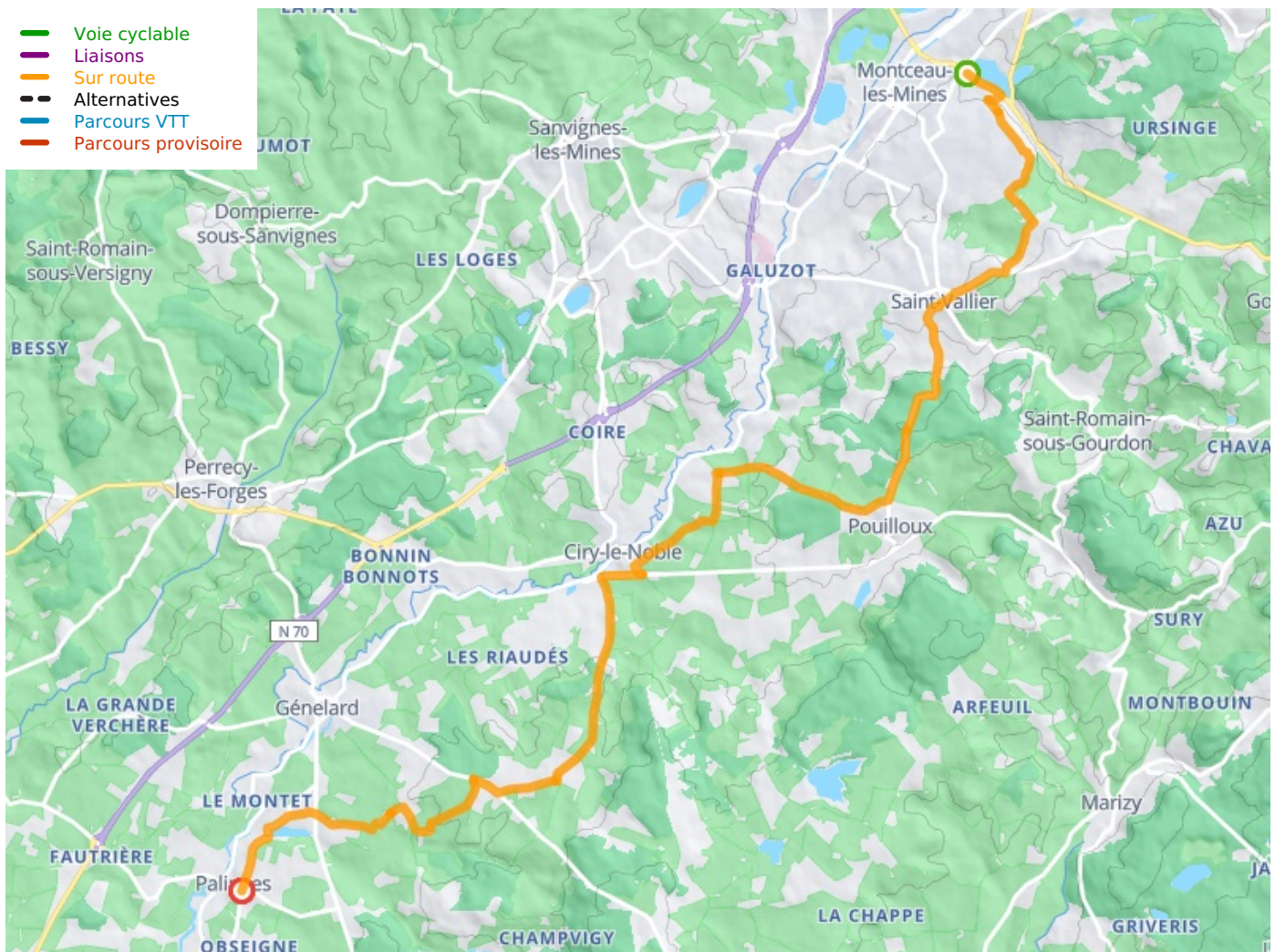
Palinges: Château de Digoine, with guided or unaccompanied tours of the castle.

Markets

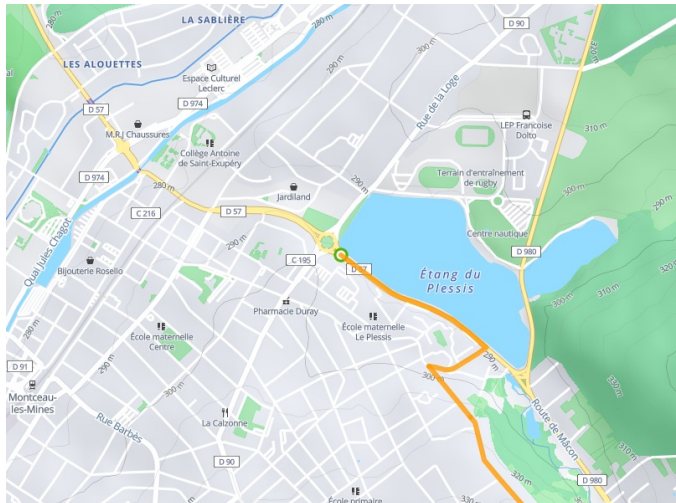
Montceau-les-Mines : Tuesday and Saturday morning

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