

What water is in Voulzie?

Throughout its rather turbulent course, often in the middle of the woods, the Voulzie ran the mills and powered factories.

There were up to 35 mills on the Voulzie and its tributaries, around twelve remain today. But the unique thing about this river is that its sources, and those of its tributaries, the Durteint and Dragon springs, were diverted to supply Paris.

In order to keep water in the river in Provins, pumping station was built at Saint-Sauveur-les-Bray, in order to pump water from the Seine to the springs. So, in order for Voulzie to flow to Parisian taps, the Seine had to flow to Provins!



The Museum of Life in the Past



The Voulzie



Les Ormes-sur-Voulzie church

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Departure: Les Ormes-sur-Voulzie (church).

GPS: Lat. Long. : 48.46186 - 3.22744

UTM: 31U 0516814 5367661

Access: Les Ormes-sur-Voulzie, 15 km south of Provins via D403.

Practical information: bakery, restaurant, the Museum of the Life in the Past.

The Hiker's Code of Conduct

- Do not leave the marked paths.
- If there are any doubts regarding which path to take, markings take precedence over the description.
- Respect nature and private property.
- Don't litter.
- Avoid routes during hunting season (check with the town halls or the Seine-et-Marne hunting federation).
- Close gates and fences after you.
- Whenever possible, remove any obstacles from the path.



18 km



Duration : 4h30



Green



Difficult



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Hiking

in Provinois, Bassée-Montois and Morin

LES ORMES-SUR-VOULZIE Between Auxence and Voulzie

From the top of the hillock at Paroy church, discover the hills of Montois and the little valley of Auxence. Further on, you will visit the country of Provins and the mills of the Voulzie valley.







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Between Auxence and Voulzie

- 1 From the church, take Route de Bray on the right, cross the railway (wash house 50 m from the road), then take the road on the right. Take the path on the right through the undergrowth, cross the canal, turn left and then right and cross the railway again. Walk through Couture on the main street to the left and turn right.
- 2 Take the path to the left. It leads to the right. Cross D18 and continue on the road opposite, first in the middle of the field, then on the edge of the woods.
- 3 Enter the woods on the left. Take the road to the left. It passes at the foot of Paroy. Cross D77, walk along Auxence on the small road, cross D77b and continue on the path opposite. It leads to the foot of the church. Cross D403 (be careful!) and climb the slope to the church. Walk down again, taking D403 to the right and then, at the bend, the path opposite.
- 4 Go up the path to the right (GR®11) and enter the woods.
- 5 Cross D209, walk down the path opposite, continue on the road and then climb the path to the left. At the top, turn right, cross the road, walk down the path to the right and then the path to the left. Cross D403, take Rue du Vieux-Moulin, then Rue de l'église on the right.
- 6 Take the street that runs along the church to the left, Rue d'En-Bas to the left (a path on the right leads to a wash house), Rue du Vieux Moulin on the right and cross the Voulzie at Jutigny mill. Take the path on the right and walk to Gouaix mill. Take D 403 to the right.
- 7 Follow the street to the left. It becomes a path. Turn left, cross the Voulzie river and take the path to the right. It runs along the Voulzie for 2 km. Take D18 on the right, D209 on the right and, at the traffic light, the path to the left. Walk down Rue d'Everly on the right and then Route de Bray on the left to reach the church.



Trail markings

- Continue straight 
- Turn left 
- Turn right 
- Wrong way 

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