

NORCIA, CASTELLUCCIO AND THE INFINITE COLOURS OF NATURE AT THE FOOT OF MONTE VETTORE

Starting and finishing point: Norcia

Distance: 79.5 km.

Total ascent: 1,900 metres

Grade: difficult

Road surface: asphalt

Recommended type of bike: road

Places to visit in the area: Norcia, Preci, Castelluccio di Norcia, Piano Grande, the Sibillini Mountains National Park.

KM 0	Starting point: the sports ground in Norcia . Ride towards the town centre, and then turn right and follow the signs for Visso .
KM 1	Turn right onto the SP476 in the direction of Visso . Start of climb up to Forca d'Ancarano .
KM 4.8	Bear right towards Preci .
KM 7	Forca d'Ancarano . End of climb.
KM 14.5	Carry straight on along the SP476.
KM 16	Piedivalle . Turning for the <i>Abbey of Sant'Eutizio</i> .
KM 19	Preci : turn right towards Saccovescio . Start of climb.
KM 24	At the junction with the SS209 bear right towards Visso .
KM 27.5	Visso : carry straight on towards Castelsantangelo sul Nera , and then immediately afterwards turn right towards Castelsantangelo and Frontignano .
KM 28.5	At the junction carry straight on towards Castelluccio .
KM 35	Castelsantangelo sul Nera : bear right towards Castelluccio.
KM 35.7	Turn left towards Castelluccio . Start of climb up to Forca di Gualdo .
KM 45.5	Forca di Gualdo : carry on along the SP136 towards Castelluccio .
KM 50	<i>Castelluccio di Norcia</i> .
KM 51.8	Carry straight on along the SP477 towards Norcia .
KM 61	Forche Canapine junction: turn right towards Norcia .
KM 71.5	At the roundabout follow signs to Norcia .
KM 76	Bear right towards Norcia .
KM 78.5	Norcia : bear left towards the town centre and then left towards Visso .
KM 79	Turn right towards the sports ground.
KM 79.5	Sports ground. End of ride.