

VAUGINES

Country walk between Vaugines and Cucuron

6 KM

- Very easy walk
- Easy walk**
- Moderate walk
- Hard walk

Starting point : Village centre

Where to park : Towards the village school

Waymarking : GR 9 and GR 97

Height difference : 150 m

Type : Loop

Time : 2h30



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Description

Once you have arrived, near the village school, take the road that goes down to the left, with a stone wall all the way along between the vines.

At the crossroads turn left again; at the second crossroads with a pond, go straight ahead (follow the country lane). Ignore the next two roads on the right. There are a lot of cherry trees in the area. (GR 97)

At the junction with a track, turn right and continue to a private entrance. There, turn left, and go around the property to reach a track (wooded area). Go straight on until you reach a small road.

Turn left and carry on to the road, D56. Turn right (Font de Ville) towards the village of Cucuron, and cross a small bridge (Rue Boulevard du Nord). (Longer stop if visiting Cucuron).

Resume the walk from the Chemin de Gabarut and the Route de l'Etang intersection. Go straight up the little Route de Vaugines until you reach the D56. Take the GR 9. Do not take the path to L'Ermitage. Continue on the road.

Before the road sign indicating the bends, take the path on the right behind the hedge and go along the fields until you reach the track.

Go straight up and continue until you reach an intersection. Turn left. Once you have gone down through the rocks, turn right and walk along the cemetery and the church.

You are back in Vaugines.



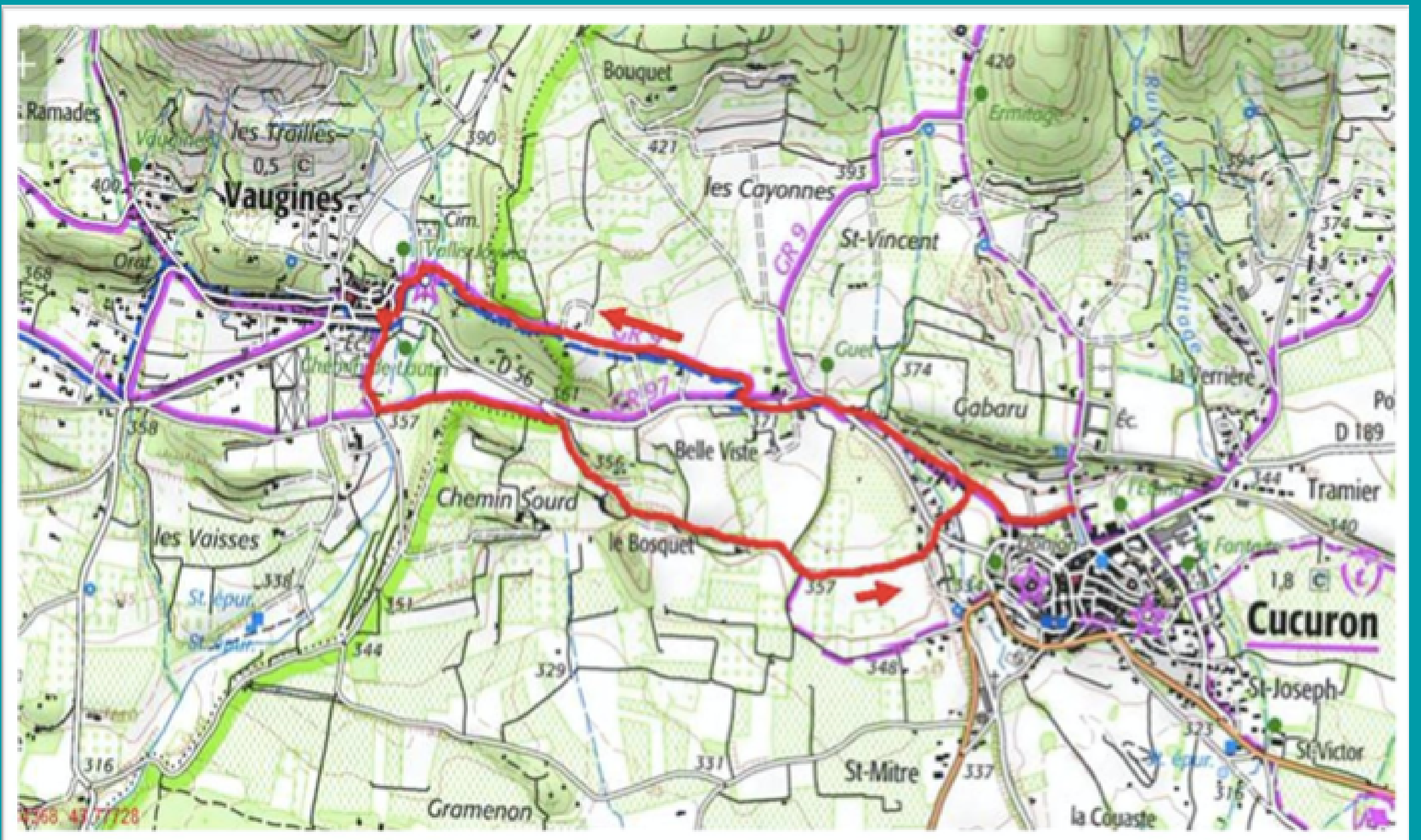
Points of interest

- Vaugines, a pretty village well-known for its natural settings, often used by film makers.
- Cucuron is also enchanting.

Before leaving :

- In summer, check the risk of bush fire and the opening of the trails by calling 00 33 (0)4 28 31 77 11 or the Tourist Office.
- Take plenty of water and a hat.
- Wear comfortable walking shoes.







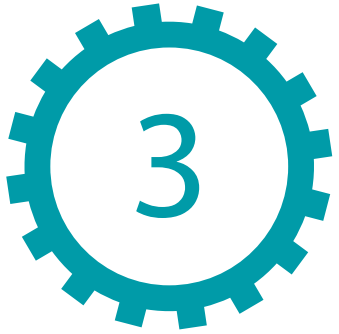
The hiker's charter



1 Treat protected areas with respect. In France, many outstanding natural sites (national parks, nature reserves, etc.) are protected by regulations.



2 Don't throw away rubbish; bring it back with you. Nature will be all the better for it!



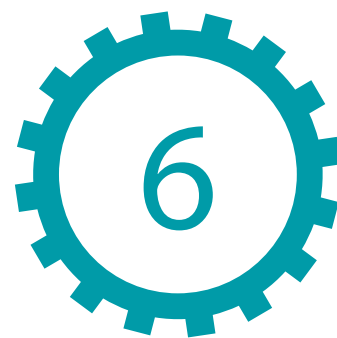
3 Stay on the waymarked paths.



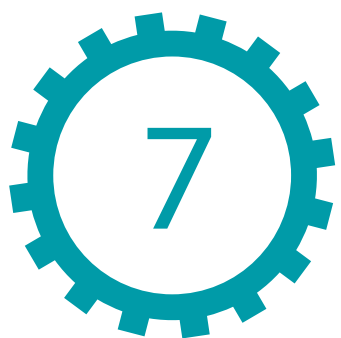
4 Respect the trees, admire the plants and observe the animals, but don't mutilate or cut plants or disturb wildlife, and be careful during nesting periods.



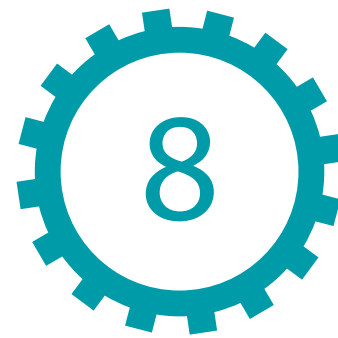
5 Comply with regulations: do not enter the massifs in vehicles off the roads open to public traffic.



6 Respect winegrowers and farmers, and do not pick their products.



7 Do not make fires. Fire is a danger for hikers and nature. Do not go into the forest in drought periods or in strong winds.



Follow instructions, and if you see a fire, call 18 or 112.



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