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## COL DE BAGARGIAK - LOGIBAR



This walk, with its long passages over large crests, offers a superb view of the Basque mountains and the village of Larrau. After a short ascent near the Pic des Escaliers, the walk is mostly steadily downhill amid pastoral areas and woodpigeon hunting sites.

### Getting to the start: Chalet Pedro

From Pau, get off at exit number 7 on the A64 and take the D933 to Saint-Palais (28km), then follow signs for Saint-Jean-Pied-de-Port. At Saint-Jean-Le-Vieux (27km) take the D18 for 21.5km then turn left on the D19 towards the Chalets d'Iraty 6.5km away (car park next to reception)

From Bayonne, get off at exit number 3 of the A64 and take the D21 to Hasparren (8km), then the D22 to Celay (21km), and afterwards the D422 for 4km. Finally, take the D933 in the direction of Saint-Jean-Le-Vieux for 3.3km via Lacarre.

### Getting to the start: Col de Bagargiak

At Saint-Jean-Le-Vieux (27 km) take the D18 for 21.5km then turn left on the D19 towards the Chalets d'Iraty 6.5km away (car park next to reception).

- D** From the reception, take the D19 in the direction of Larrau then the second road to the left. At the first bend, turn left onto an unpaved road. At the crossing, take the footpath on the right (there is a yellow sign over the GR sign). Continue straight on below the Pic des Escaliers (GR signpost). **1** (1423 m - 660438 4768671). The footpath goes up one side (the slope is very steep) then over the crest, and after 15 min it descends towards the tarmac road. Head right on this road for 15 min, then turn left onto a wide track towards the col Ugatzé. At the first bend, take the footpath on the right. After 15 min, head towards a cabin, then towards a trough, and keep going towards a small chalet. After 15 min, follow a wide track to reach the cayolars of Mendikotziague . **2** (980 m - 663414 4768829) Leave the track and take the footpath on the left just before the cayolars. When you reach a clearing, head towards its high point (trough), and then in the same direction take the footpath shaded by trees (Careful: do not go left) until you reach a tarmac road. **3** (1017 m - 665489 4768205). Cross the road to take a wide track (GR signpost) then turn right after the gate. At the end of the forest turn left, then leave the track towards the lower part and take the footpath opposite. **4** (1020 m - 665158 4767492). Walk along a large crest with alternating climbs and descents. Take the passage in the wall and continue straight ahead **5** (980 m - 666792 4766253) After 15 min, head right downwards along the fence (do not go to the cayolar). You will quickly join a wider footpath (Careful: do not go left). At the crossroads, continue on the same footpath then cross the fence. Walk down the paved road for 20m towards the right, then turn left after the gate. Cross a fence, then another one, towards the left on the tarmac road to Logibar **9** (400 m - 668868 4764950).
- 1h00**
- 1h30**
- 2h15**
- 3h15**
- 3h30**
- 5h00**

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**D** Col de Bagargiak, (Chalets d'Iraty reception)  
(660733 4766943).



6h00



17 km



395 m mini  
1429 m maxi

**Cumulative ascent:** 500 m

**Type of terrain:**

14,9m of paths, 2m of roads.

**Signposting:**

The entire route is consistently signposted in red and white.

**Cartographie :** IGN au 25 000\*

GPS (WGS84 – UTM-30T)

Téléchargez la trace GPS sur [www.rando64.fr](http://www.rando64.fr)

**Not to be missed:**

- Pastoral life.
- Woodpigeon hunting sites.
- The Pic des Escaliers.



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# CHOOSING THE RIGHT HIKE FOR YOU

**The elevation** indicated on the sheets represents the total distance climbed. Stops are not included in hiking times.

**Hikes are classified by difficulty** and distinguished by colours on each route's practical sheet. We adhere to the recommendations of the French Federation of Hiking.

**Very easy** less than 2 hours of walking. Ideal for families, on well marked-off paths.

**Easy** less than 3 hours of walking. Suitable for families. On paths, occasionally with more.

**Medium** less than 4 hours of walking. For hikers who are used to walking. With occasional challenging sections or slopes.

**Difficult** more than 4 hours of walking. For experienced and athletic hikers. The itinerary is long and/or difficult (slopes, difficult sections).

**Duration of the hike:** The duration of each route is indicated for information only. It is calculated based on the length of the hike, slopes and possible difficulties.



Trail sign

## Marking

Follow the markers to stay on the right path

Trail markers	Sentiers de Pays and PR®	GRP®	GR®	Mountain biking	Horseback riding
Right direction					
Turn left					
Turn right					
Wrong direction					

## Your opinion of our trails

The utmost attention has been paid to our various itineraries. We are interested in your impressions and observations concerning the state of our trails so we may keep them in good condition. To send us your comments, please contact CRDP 64: 05.59.14.18.80.

Or download an "Ecoville" observation sheet at: [www.rando64.fr](http://www.rando64.fr)

## Useful recommendations

Weather 08 92 68 02 64

European emergency number 112

When discovering Béarn and Basque Country trails, you are asked to adopt behaviour that respects nature and the men and women who work to bring this territory to life.

There are a few rules that you need to follow.

### Preserve nature

Bring a bag for your trash  
Respect the fauna and flora  
Stay on the marked trails

### Protect yourself

Do not leave without the necessary materials  
Do not hike alone  
Do not drink stream water  
Check the weather forecasts in advance

### Respect activities and humans

Remember to close fences  
Fires are prohibited  
Respect the private properties that line our itineraries

### Please note!

**The Basque and Béarn mountains are pastoral areas. If possible, do not bring your dog along. In all cases, keep it on a leash. Thanks!**

## Hiking labels

### PR® labelled itineraries

With this label, the French Federation of Hiking certifies a certain number of hiking routes based on quality criteria. It makes its selection according to pleasure, technical, tourist and environmental criteria (For more info, visit [www.ffrandonnee.fr](http://www.ffrandonnee.fr))

### Horseback riding

This logo guarantees an itinerary that has been labelled by the Departmental Committee of Equestrian Tourism based on specific specifications.

(For more info, visit [www.cheval64.org](http://www.cheval64.org))

### Mountain biking:



wide and easy trail,  
elevation less than 300 m.



fairly easy trail,  
elevation less than 300 m.



technical trail,  
elevation less than 800 m.



very difficult trail,  
elevation from 300 to 800 m.

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