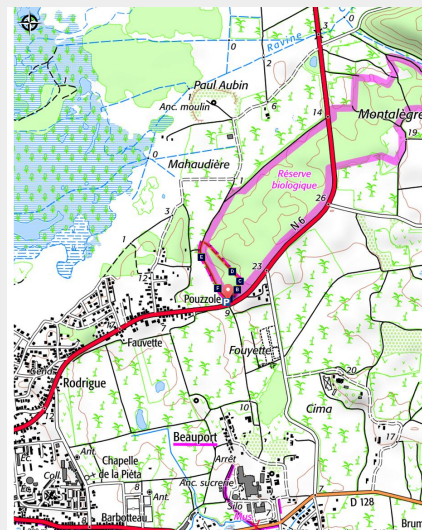


Pouzzole trail

Grande-Terre Nord - Port-Louis



(ONF)



In the shade of tall trees, the trail is a chance to see the woodland and rural plant life in northern Grande-Terre.

A very short walk along an educational trail, ideal for a family outing.

Useful information

Practice : Walking

Duration : 30 min

Length : 0.8 km

Trek ascent : 11 m

Difficulty : Very easy

Type : Loop

Themes : Discovery trail

Trek

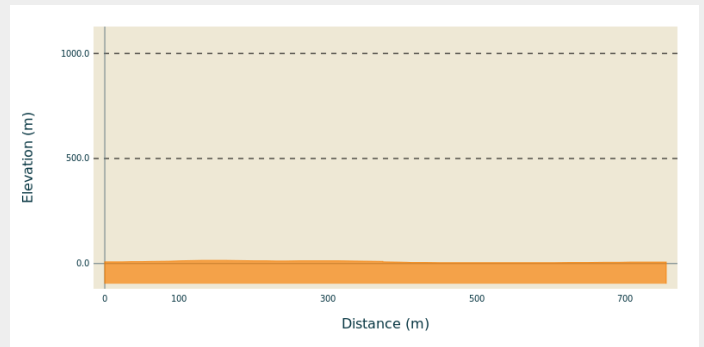
Departure : Pouzzole, Port-Louis.

Arrival : Pouzzole, Port-Louis.

Markings :  PR (short hike network)

Cities : 1. Port-Louis

Altimetric profile

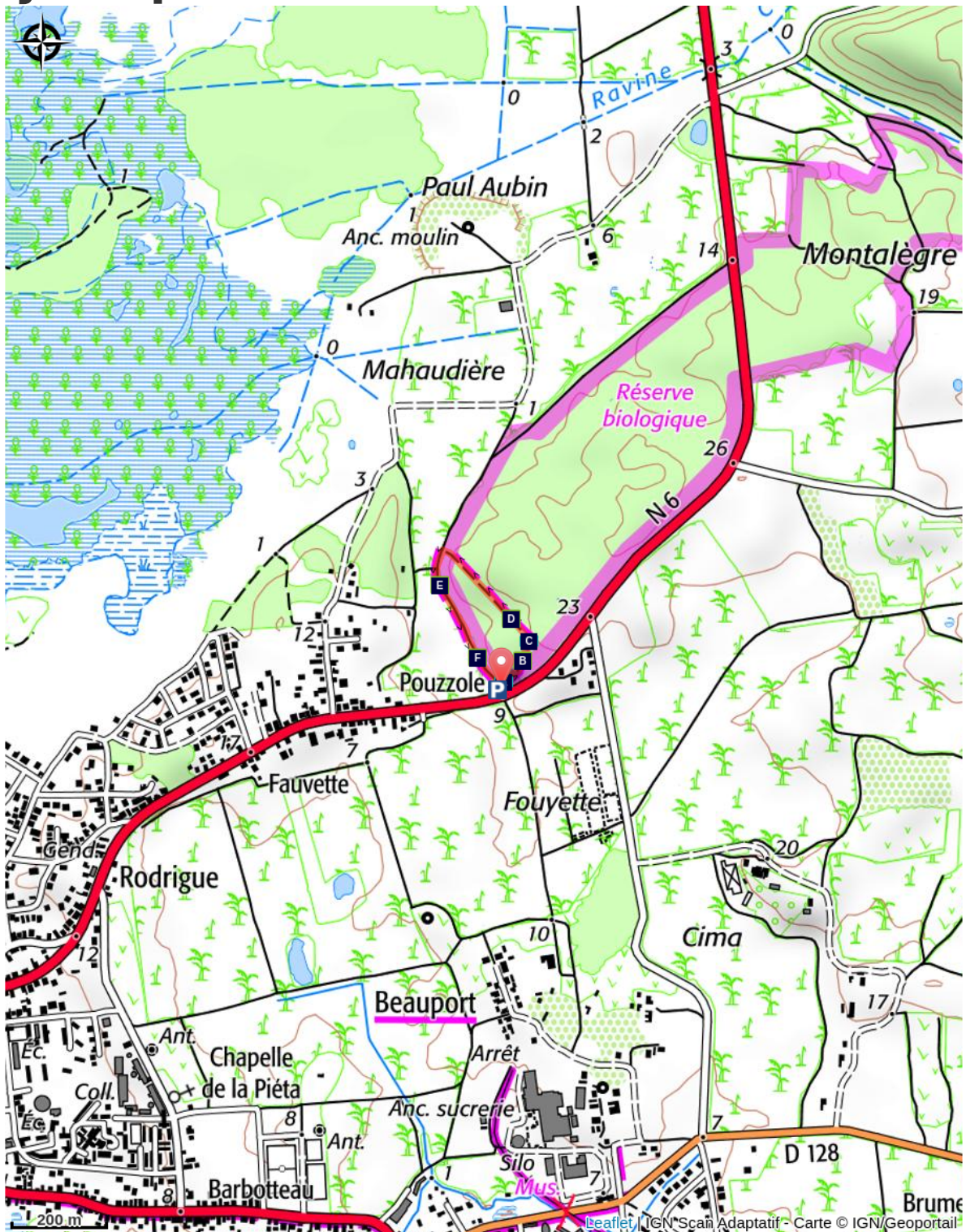





Min elevation 4 m Max elevation 15 m




The trail begins behind the introductory panel.

You just need to follow the yellow markings. The trail is an easy circuit.

On your path...



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-  Wild pineapple (D)
-  White buttercup (F)

All useful information

Advices

Watch out for the mosquitoes!

In this natural setting, you should be particularly careful and alert, since Guadeloupe is subject to natural risks. It is vital to act in a responsible way, so that everyone can enjoy the hike!

Please note: unsupervised car park.

How to come ?

Transports

Le conseil régional assure le réseau de transport interurbain avec des lignes de bus qui desservent tout l'archipel, par secteur géographique.

Voir : https://www.regionguadeloupe.fr/les-actions-regionales/transport-interurbain/#_

-> Pointe-à-Pitre / Abymes / Morne à l'Eau / Petit-Canal / Port-Louis / Anse-Bertrand : ligne 102.

En Guadeloupe, 2 applications pour le covoiturage :

Dépozé : <https://depoze.fr>

KAROS : <https://www.karos.fr>

Access

GPS starting point: Lat: 16,42527° N - Long: 61,51684° W.

After leaving Port-Louis, take the N6 road towards L'Anse-Bertrand. To the left on the road to Pouzzole, there is a "karbay" next to the parking area for 3 or 4 cars.

Advised parking

small car park near the "karbay" at the start, on the RN6 road in Pouzzole.

Information desks

Office de tourisme intercommunal "Le Nord Guadeloupe"

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Source

Rando Guadeloupe

<https://www.randoguadeloupe.gp/>

On your path...



Information at the start (A)

The panels gives details about the Pouzzole trail.

Attribution : AAMG



Mapou tree (B)

The mapou tree, or *Pisonia Subcordaia*, is a tree often found in the dry regions of northern Grande-Terre. Its wood is very light and spongy, and is not of any great value. Its flowers attract bees. It is very resistant to drought. It sheds its leaves to limit transpiration and thus water loss.

Attribution : ONF



Botanical path (C)

Botanical path sign.

Attribution : ONF



Wild pineapple (D)

Tillandsia Utriculata is an epiphyte plant. It is a plant living on other plants, using them for support rather than acting as a parasite. It lives on water and plant matter falling into its cone-shaped leaves.

Attribution : AAMG



Sugar cane field (E)

Sugar cane, *Saccharum Officinarum*, is the "queen of the grasses". It comes from India and was one of the first plants grown for its sugar. It comes in a large number of varieties. The sight of the sugar cane fields in bloom is beautiful.

Attribution : AAMG



✿ White buttercup (F)

The white buttercup, *Turnera Subulata*, is known as the "knight of 11 o'clock" in French because its honey-producing flowers close at about 11 AM. It is a small bush that only blooms in the morning. It is used for ornamental purposes in some gardens.

Attribution : AAMG