

## ITINERARY 1B

## ZOPPÈ DI CADORE – TALAMINI MOUNTAIN HUT



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### description

UNESCO Dolomites system	Pelmo-Croda da Lago
mountain group(s)	Pelmo
UNESCO values	<p><b>Landscape:</b> the route winds its way over gentle woodland slopes and leads to the Gian Pietro Talamini mountain hut in Col Botéi. The hut stands on a grassy saddle between the Boite and Zoldo valleys and affords stunning views over the Pelmo, Civetta and Antelao mountain ranges. From this strategic position, which was once part of the ancient sea, it is easy to make out the island structure of the Dolomite archipelago.</p> <p><b>Geology:</b> the mountain group is globally considered a geomorphological gem, due to the extreme diversity of its morphology, with easily recognisable morphostructural and morphoclimatic elements. The numerous ledges that cut sharply across the steep slopes of Mount Pelmo are magnificent examples of the morphoselective action of erosion on rock formations of varying hardnesses.</p> <p>The contours of the main walls, the deep flexure that separates Mount Pelmo from Mount Pelmetto, trace the tectonic features that cut through the rocky mass.</p> <p>[source: <a href="https://www.dolomitiunesco.info/?lang=en">https://www.dolomitiunesco.info/?lang=en</a>]</p>
description of the route	<p>A magnificent excursion through larch woodland and hay pastures in Val di Zoldo. From Zoppè di Cadore, take the provincial road SP 7 to the helipad which marks the beginning of the road through the woods "Strada del Lizon". The road is partially tarmacked and easy to follow. It climbs slightly but presents no obstacles as it leads to the Gian Pietro Talamini mountain hut.</p>

### advice


recommended period	From spring to autumn, when the mountain hut is open info: <a href="http://www.rifugiogptalamini.com/index.htm">http://www.rifugiogptalamini.com/index.htm</a>
recommended gear	Wear layers and comfortable boots. It is important to have sunscreen with you at all times, a change of clothes should it rain and a small first aid kit.
recommended equipment	Wheelchair engineered to travel on uneven terrain (off-road wheels and tyres with deep treads) with a front wheel and reverse gear if possible; an electric assist off-road vehicle is recommended (e.g. off-road wheelchair).
recommendations	Always travel with others, so they can help you deal with any difficulties you may encounter. When following the itinerary in a wheelchair, on a mountain bike or with a pushchair, fit tyres with deep treads and always carry a complete tyre repair kit with a pump and spare inner tube.
N.B.	When using an electric wheelchair, it is a good idea to take some spare batteries.

### info

altitude	1500 m a.s.l.
starting point	Zoppè di Cadore (BL); car park opposite the Antica Locanda "Al Pelmo" GPS coordinates: 46.386273,12.1737619 Altitude: 1460 m a.s.l. YOU CAN ALSO START from the helipad where there is also some parking available. GPS coordinates 46.385952, 12.182373 Altitude: 1563 m a.s.l.
arrival point	Gian Pietro Talamini mountain hut; Forcella del Col Botei GPS coordinates: 46.3930931,12.2096615 Altitude: 1582 m a.s.l.
distance	5280 m
overall difference in height	230 m uphill; 102 m downhill
incline	Average 3%, max 12% for a short stretch
minimum width	2.5 m (track)
terrain	Relatively even (tarmacked with stretches of fine gravel)
obstacles	Sections of dirt track; some narrow channels cross the path (but do not create any particular problems for electric wheelchairs or wheelchairs with a front wheel); no barriers
exposed stretches	None

### facilities

access	The starting point can be reached using both public and private transport. <u>Public transport</u> : bus no. 040 <u>Private transport</u> : car park in the centre of Zoppè di Cadore or at the helipad
restrictions	None
car park	Free car park with no reserved spaces
accessible toilets	The toilets at the Talamini mountain hut are partially accessible
refreshments	departure: in the village of Zoppè; arrival: Talamini mountain hut
recharging stations for electric bikes	None
network coverage	Coverage in the area is patchy. Coverage is stronger near the mountain hut
GPS mapping	<a href="#">1B_track.gpx</a>

street view	<a href="https://www.google.it/maps/@46.3934344,12.2091821,3a,75y,91.4h,90t/data=!3m8!1e1!3m6!1sgcSceV3alfynU8poh6NINg!2eol6s%2F%2Fgeoo.ggpht.com%2Fcbk%3Fpanoid%3DgcSceV3alfynU8poh6NINg%26output%3Dthumbnail%26cb_client%3Dmaps_sv.tactile.gps%26thumb%3D2%26w%3D203%26h%3D100%26yaw%3D47.504753%26pitch%3D0%26thumbfov%3D100!9m2!1b1!2i21">https://www.google.it/maps/@46.3934344,12.2091821,3a,75y,91.4h,90t/data=!3m8!1e1!3m6!1sgcSceV3alfynU8poh6NINg!2eol6s%2F%2Fgeoo.ggpht.com%2Fcbk%3Fpanoid%3DgcSceV3alfynU8poh6NINg%26output%3Dthumbnail%26cb_client%3Dmaps_sv.tactile.gps%26thumb%3D2%26w%3D203%26h%3D100%26yaw%3D47.504753%26pitch%3D0%26thumbfov%3D100!9m2!1b1!2i21</a>
signs along the route	CAI signs
UNESCO info points	None
guides	Local guides available who have attended the special training course run by the UNESCO Dolomites Foundation-Accademia della Montagna del Trentino [info: <a href="http://www.assionlus.it">www.assionlus.it</a> ]
rental services	None
emergency numbers	112 European emergency telephone number 118 Italian emergency telephone number
<b>contacts</b>	
contact for info	<a href="mailto:assi.onlus@gmail.com">assi.onlus@gmail.com</a>
information provided by and itinerary checked by	 <p><b>ASSI ONLUS</b> ASSOCIAZIONE SOCIALE SPORTIVA INVALIDI</p> <p><a href="https://www.assionlus.it/">https://www.assionlus.it/</a></p>
route mapped on	May 2017
revised	July 2019
<b>responsibility</b>	<p>The contents of this information sheet do not exempt hikers from responsible behaviour.</p> <p>The weather in the mountains can change very quickly and the degree of difficulty of the itineraries depends on a number of factors which often cannot be foreseen, including the conditions of the route, how fit you are and your equipment. Before starting out, always check the weather forecast and contact the local tourist board for an update on the conditions of the route.</p> <p><b>Weather:</b> <a href="https://www.arpa.veneto.it/previsioni/en/html/meteo_dolomiti.php">https://www.arpa.veneto.it/previsioni/en/html/meteo_dolomiti.php</a>  <b>Conditions of the route:</b> <a href="http://www.rifugiogptalimini.com/index.htm">http://www.rifugiogptalimini.com/index.htm</a></p>