

« MONT BLANC » TRAIL



Length: 16,2 km

Type: round-trip

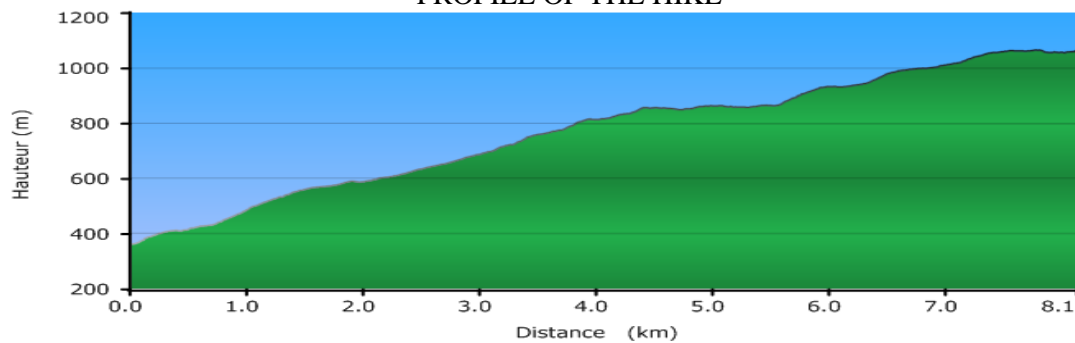
Difficulty level: difficult (because of length)

Elevation: 700 metres

Starting point: the starting point of the trail is at the Route 1 junction with the Mont Blanc access trail (approximately 35 kilometres from the John registration centre)

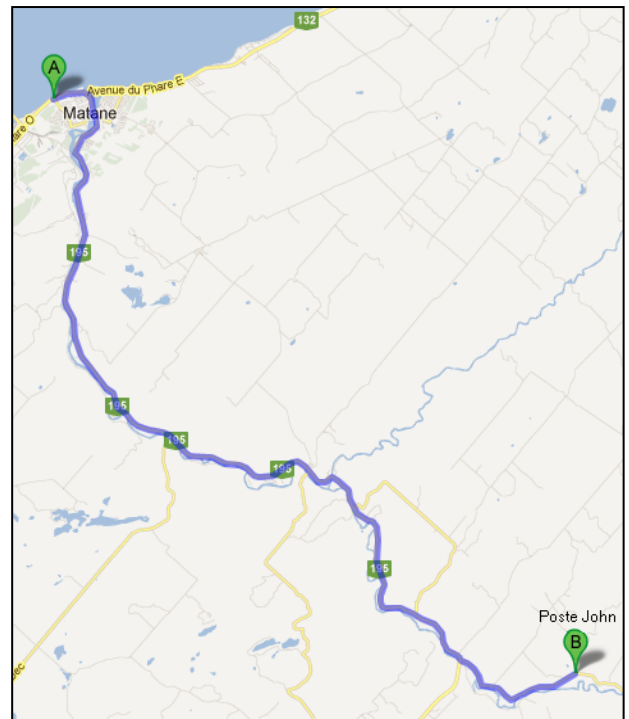
Parking along Route 1.

PROFILE OF THE HIKE



DESCRIPTION OF THE HIKE

From the starting point on Route 1, the trail starts with a light to average climb of 7,9 km which remains constant all the way to the top. The trail goes through different types of vegetation, going from a forest at the bottom, evergreens halfway up, and krummolz at the top. On top of the “Mont Blanc”, culminating at 1063 metres, the trail reaches the IAT. Approximately 50 metres past that junction, the trail offers a spectacular view of the “Mont Blanc” ditch. The journey continues on the plateau and reaches a refuge equipped with a wood stove and four beds with no mattresses. Alternative: from the refuge, hikers can keep going on the IAT towards the North-east to a viewpoint of the St-Lawrence River, 500 metres further. (17,2 km roud-trip with this option.) Retrace steps to get back to the start.



LOCALISATION

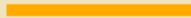
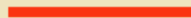


From Matane, get on the 195 for approximately 35 kms. After the St-René village, turn to your left on the secondary route which brings you to the Matane wildlife reserve. There is only 5 kms left before the John registration centre.

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SENTIER DU MONT BLANC

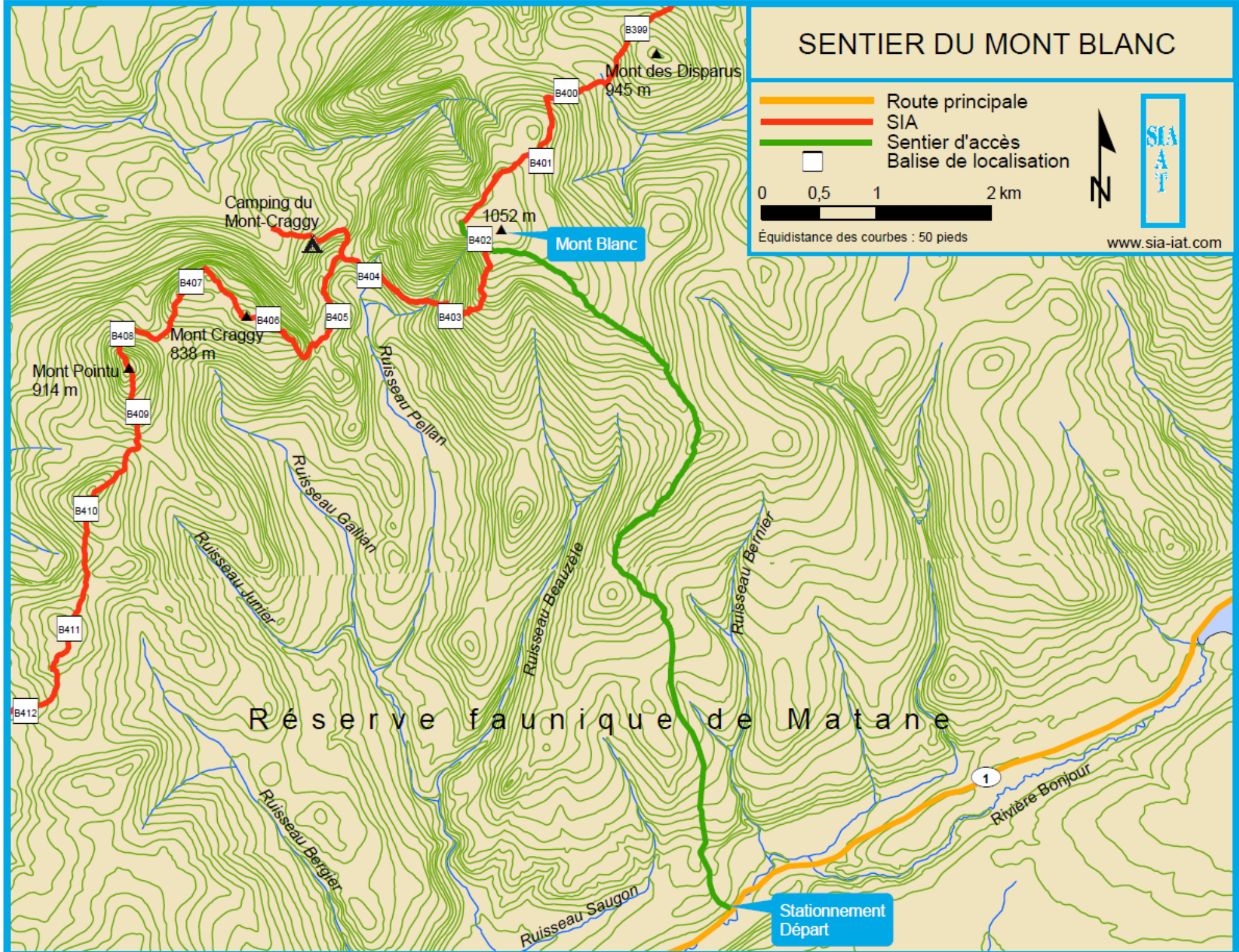
-  Route principale
-  SIA
-  Sentier d'accès
-  Balise de localisation

0 0,5 1 2 km

Équidistance des courbes : 50 pieds



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Mont Blanc

Stationnement
Départ

Réserve faunique de Matane

Mont des Disparus
945 m

1052 m

Camping du
Mont-Craggy

Mont Craggy
838 m

Mont Pointu
914 m

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