

# SECRETS OF THE BROWN-YELLOW SAND



## LENGTH:

56,1 km (27,3 km)

## JOINT ALTITUDE DIFFERENCE:

530 m (110 m)

## DIFFICULTY:

Difficult (easy)

## TIME:

3-3,5 hours (1,5-2 hours)

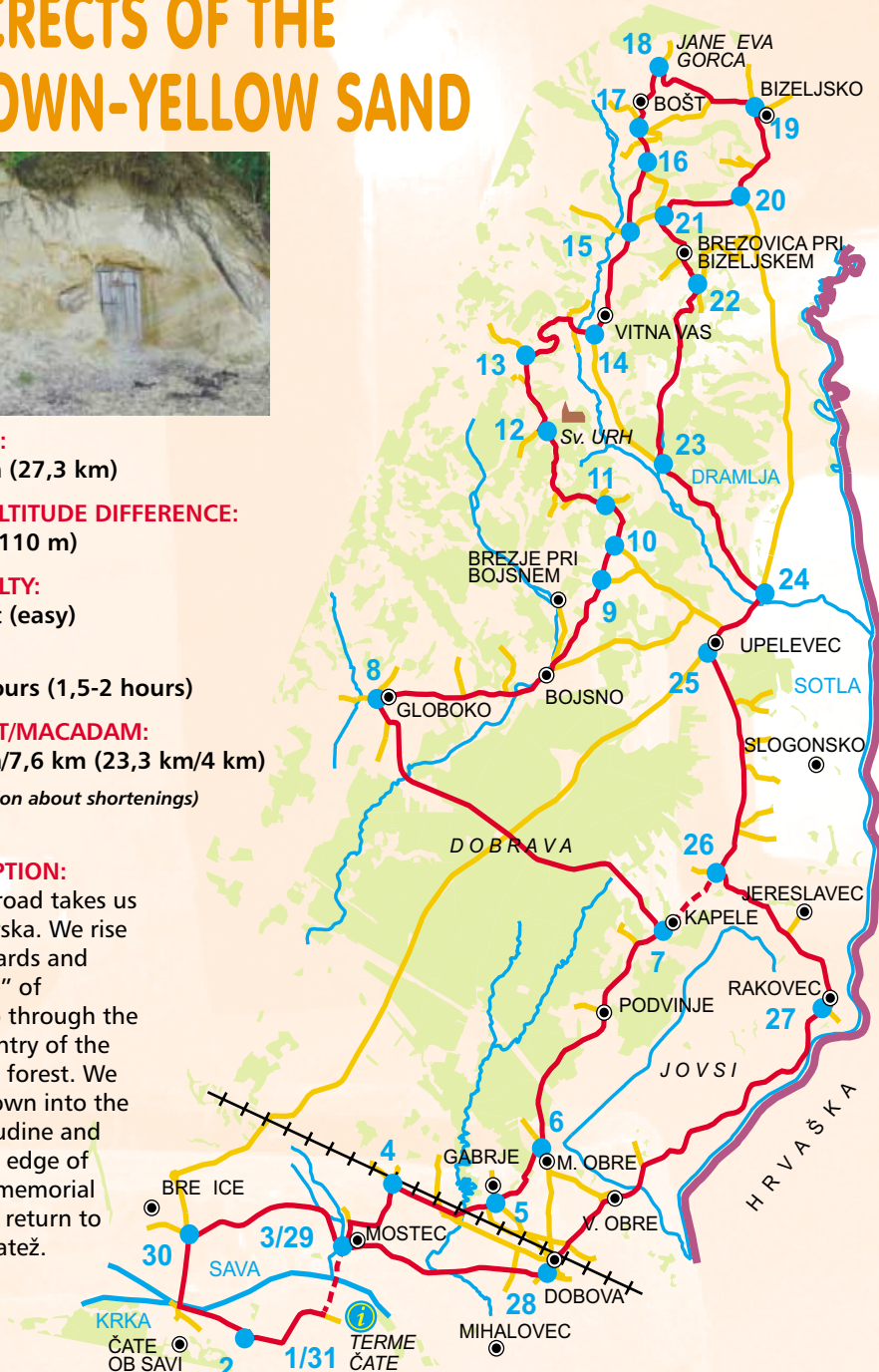
## ASPHALT/MACADAM:

48,5 km/7,6 km (23,3 km/4 km)

(information about shortenings)

## DESCRIPTION:

Cycling road takes us to Štajerska. We rise to vineyards and "repnice" of Bizeljsko through the low country of the Dobrava forest. We come down into the valley Hudine and near the edge of natural memorial Jovsi we return to Terme Čatež.



	km	heights	Description of the sector
1	0,0	145	At the group of pools we leave Terme Čatež on the main road.
2	1,1	150	We turn right on the crossroad, right once more on the street lights to the Sava bridge and continue on the pavement to the crossroad where we turn right.
3	5,0	150	We turn left before the late-baroque church in Mostec and in the middle of the village, after 300 m, we turn right to the major road, we cross Gabernica and then the rail road.
4	6,2	150	We turn right to the main road and continue to village Ganerje.
5	7,6	156	There are three turnings right at the beginning of the village Gaberje. At the third turning we turn right to Mali Obrež. Winding road through the village and the grove.
6	8,5	158	We turn right to the main road to Kapele.
7	11,6	225	In the middle of Kapele we turn left to Brežice. Downhill to the forests of Dobrava. In the middle of the section we cross the major road and continue straight to Globoko.
8	16,4	170	We turn right to Bojsno and ride on the main road.
9	19,8	224	At the house number 39, which is on the right side of the road, we turn left, down to the narrow asphalt road.
10	20,4	246	We turn left and continue straight ahead to the saddle in the middle of the forest.
11	20,9	240	We turn left, up in the direction of Brezje. Before the church of St. Urh there is a 9% slope.
12	22,6	290	300 m after the church we turn sharp down to the right.
13	23,6	277	100 m after the sign Sadjarstvo Plevnik, which is on the left side of the road, we turn right down to the steep road. Carefully! On the flat land near the farm and then right to the main road.
14	25,0	190	We turn left to the main road through the Dramlja valley to Vitna vas.
15	26,2	209	We continue straight ahead in the crossroad to the macadam road.
16	27,1	255	We turn left to the asphalt road. Straight ahead through the crossroad near Blaževa gorca.
17	27,9	272	On the Y junction we turn gently to the right. Partly macadam section.
18	28,4	242	We turn right down through Janeževa gorca straight down to Bizeljsko.
19	29,8	175	We turn right to the main road and continue straight ahead through Bizeljsko.
20	31,0	180	At the end of the village we turn right, up to Pišec.
21	32,1	242	At the end of the slope we turn left. A gentle slope follows straight to "repnice".
22	33,2	250	We turn gently to the right to the macadam in the direction of Kelhar's "repnice". Downhill to the valley of Hudina.
23	35,6	171	We turn left back to the asphalt road.
24	37,6	165	We turn right to a very traffic road and continue straight ahead. Carefully!!
25	38,6	189	In Župelec we turn left to Kapele.
26	41,4/12,6	200	In Kapele we turn left to Rakovec and ride through Jereslavac to Rakovec.
27	43,6/14,8	158	In the middle of Rakovec we turn right behind the basketball basket. 4 km of macadam road follows at the edge of Jovsi. When we come to asphalt, we continue straight to the main road near the fire station in Veliki Obrež, near the small chapel in Dobova, across the rail road to the main road.
28	48,7/19,9	146	We turn right to the main road and continue straight ahead to Mostec.
29	51,1/22,3	150	In the middle of Mostec it is possible to turn to ferry across Sava river or straight ahead to the junction in Trnje.
30	53,4/24,6	150	On the junction we turn left, at the street lights near Sava left once more and left again at the crossroad near the highway.
31	56,1/27,3	145	We finish the tour at TIC.

- 2 confluence of Krka and Sava
- 4 hunter's museum Polovič
- 11 St. Urh's church
- 21 ethnographic collection
- 27 Jovsi
- 22 "repnice"
- 29 ferry across Sava river

**SHORTENINGS:** When You leave Terme Čatež, you can cross Sava with the ferry, when the ferry works. As to the description you start cycling in the point 3, where you cross the main road near the church. In the point 7 you continue 1 km straight through Kapele to the turning to Rakovec, where you turn right, down in the point 26.

**ADVICE:** Do not forget your ID, because you'll be riding along the state border.

