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STAGES

PROGRAM 17-20.08.2023

ESTONIA

AUGUST 17th

Arrival to Tartu, Estonia

- 15:00 – 17:00 Confirmation of starters & numbers distribution in Estonian National Museum (ERM)
Team's presentation in front of the ERM (teams must wear official team clothing)
- 17:05-17:30 Security meeting
- 17:30 – 18:00 Commissaires meeting
- 18:00 Teams Managers meeting
- 18:00-20:00 Dinner at the Hotels

AUGUST 18th

I stage – Distance 199 km

Tartu-Valga (EST)

Start at 11:00

Start - in front of ERM (Estonian National Museum) address: Muuseumi tee 2; Tartu 60532

GPS 58.39539, 26.74393

Expected finish time: 15:13 – 15:48

Finish area in Valga is Jaanikese Motokeskus (Jaanikese Motocenter) address: Jaanikese; Valga 68218

GPS 57.80431, 26.06176

Transfer to Sigulda (LAT) – 120 km ~ 1,5h drive

LATVIA

AUGUST 19th

II stage – Distance 162 km

Sigulda-Sigulda (LAT)

Start at 11:00

Start & Finish area address: Cesu Street, Sigulda GPS 57.16153, 24.84959

Expected finish time: 14:27- 14:55

Transfer to Panevežys (LIT) – 210 km ~ 3h drive

LITHUANIA

AUGUST 20th

III stage – Distance 157 km

Panevežys-Panevežys (LIT)

Start at 11:00

Start & Finish area address: Elektros str.
Laisvės sguar Panevežys; GPS 55.72924, 24.36278

Expected finish time: 14:22 – 14:50

Distances to Airports:

Panevežys – Vilnius airport 145 km

Panevežys – Riga airport 160 km

Panevežys – Tallinn airport 470 km

TOUR MANAGEMENT

ORGANIZERS

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TEAMS

1		Alpecin-Deceuninck Development Team	Belgium	Continental
2		Uno-X DARE Development Team	Norway	Continental
3		ATT Investments Team	Czech	Continental
4		Tartu2024 Cycling Team	Estonia	Continental
5		Voltas-Madaris Cycling Team	Lithuania	Continental
6		Kaunas Cycling Team	Lithuania	Continental
7		Maloja Pushbikers	Germany	Continental
8		Levante Fuji Shizuoka	Japan	Continental
9		Scorpions Racing Team	Netherland	Continental
10		Motala AIF Serneke Allebike	Sweden	Continental
11		Team Ecoflo Chronos	Canada	Continental
12		Team Kjekkas Elite	Norway	Elite
13		NCF REGION ØST	Norway	Elite
14		NCF REGION Sør	Norway	Elite
15		Berthold Radteam	Germany	Elite
16		Team IBT-TRIPEAK	Denmark	Elite
17		Svealand Cycling Team	Sweden	Elite
18		CLN Cycling Team	Switzerland	Elite
19		Team Aalborg - Sparekassen Danmark	Denmark	Elite
20		Peloton	Estonia	Elite
21		CCN Factory racing Georgia	Georgia	Elite
22		Ceramicspeed Herning CK Elite	Denmark	Elite
23		National Team of Germany	Germany	National
24		National Team of Estonia	Estonia	National
25		National Team of Latvia	Latvia	National

HOTELS

17.-18.08.2023 HOTELS IN TARTU, ESTONIA

Contact person: Kaja Malts +372 5058742

Tartu Hotell Soola 3, Tartu

www.tartuhotell.ee/en/parking

coordinates 58.37762 26.73326

For organizers and following teams:

Levante Fuji Shizuoka; Alpecin-Deceuninck Development Team; CLN Cycling Team; Uno-X DARE Development Team

Tartu Kutsehariduskeskus Kopli 1-C, Tartu

www.hotel.khk.ee/eng/location

For the rest of teams

18.-19.08.2022 HOTELS IN SIGULDA, LATVIA

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Hotel Tigra Tigra, Veidenbauma str. 2 Priekulī, Cēsis

Alpecin-Deceuninck Development Team; Uno-X DARE Development Team; Levante Fuji Shizuoka; Premier Tech U23 / Team Ecoflo Chronos

Commissaires panel + Drivers + Neutral Service

Apartment hotel Auseklis Ausekļa str. 25A, Valmiera

Maloja Pushbikers; ATT Investments; Scorpions Racing Team; Motala AIF Serneke Allebike; Berthold Radteam; Team IBT-TRIPEAK; Ceramicspeed Herning CK; Svealand Cycling Team; Aalborg - Sparekassen Danmark Team; Estonian National Team; National Team of Germany; NCF Region Sør

Apartment Zvejnieks Zvejnieku str 13, Valmiera

Tartu2024 Cycling Team; NCF REGION ØST; Kjekkas Elite; CLN Cycling Team

Moto Security

Apartment Bestes Bērzu str 5, Kocēni

Kaunas Cycling Team; Voltas-Madaris Cycling Team
Online production

Kocēni Sports House Alejas str 4, Kocēni

Peloton; National Team of Latvia (LAT)

Villa Vanilla 14 Lāčplēša iela, Sigulda

Timing + Podium + Air.ee

19.-20.08.2023 HOTELS IN PANEVĒŽYS; LITHUANIA

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coordinates 55.735544 24.241819

www.smiltynessodyba.lt

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Hotel „Cordo vila“ Paliūniškis, Vabalninko g. 1

coordinates 55.78824 24.43697

Voltas-Madaris Cycling Team (LTU); Kaunas Cycling Team (LTU); National Team of Latvia (LAT)

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HOSPITALS

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RACE DOCTOR

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Valga Hospital


 Peetri 2, Valga

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IN LATVIA

Sigulda Hospital, polyclinic

(Siguldas slimnīca, poliklinika)

 Ziedu iela 5, Sigulda, Siguldas pilsēta, LV-2150


RACE DOCTOR

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IN LITHUANIA

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RACE REGULATIONS

ORGANIZATION

The stage race „Baltic Chain Tour 2023” is organized by Pro Jalgratturite klubi MTÜ, Rohu 13, Tallinn 10612 under the regulations of the International Cycling Union (UCI). Race Director in Estonia is Allar Tõnissaar (info@proklubi.ee, +372 501 4427). Race secretary is Kaja Malts (kaja.malts@gmail.com, +372 505 8742). It is to be held from **18th to 20th August 2023**.

TYPE OF EVENT

The event is open to athletes of the Men Elite (ME) and Men Under 23 (MU) categories. The event is entered on the UCI Europe Tour calendar and consists of 3 stages. The event is registered as a UCI 2.2 event. In conformity with the UCI rules, points are awarded according to UCI CR. 2.10.008 as follows for the UCI ranking.

Position stages	Final classification	Prologue and stages	Wearing race leader's jersey per stage
1	40	7	1
2	30	3	
3	25	1	
4	20		
5	15		
6	10		
7	5		
8	3		
9	3		
10	3		

PARTICIPATION

Deadline for entries is July 21, 2023 when correctly filled entry form must reach the race secretary by e-mail: kaja.malts@gmail.com

RACE HEADQUARTERS

List of locations of Headquarters for each stage at the starting points and finishing points will be provided in the official program. Final confirmation of starters, verification of licenses and distribution of race numbers and accreditation cards will take place on **Thursday, August 17, at 15:00 – 17:00** in Estonian National Museum (ERM), Muuseumi tee 2, Tartu <https://www.erm.ee/en/contacts>

Festive presentation of teams will be on **Thursday, August 17, at 15:00 – 17:00**, in Estonian National Museum (ERM), Muuseumi tee 2, Tartu.

This presentation will be used in next day online broadcast.

The Team managers meeting, organized in accordance with the article 1.2.087 of the UCI CR, in the presence of the Members of the Commissaires Panel, is scheduled for **Thursday, August 17 at 18:00** in Estonian National Museum (ERM), Muuseumi tee 2, Tartu

The Race Security briefing is scheduled for **Thursday, August 17**, after Festive Teams presentation according with the Art. 2.2.034 bis UCI.

RADIO-TOUR

The entire Baltic Chain Tour will go on the Zello program and the Zello presentation will be made at the Teams Managers meeting.

NEUTRAL TECHNICAL SUPPORT

Neutral support is provided by 3 (three) vehicles.

TIME BONUSES

Bonuses, under the article 2.6.019 may be awarded as follows:

- at each intermediate sprint: 3", 2" and 1"
- at the finish line of each stage: 10", 6" and 4"

FINISHING TIME LIMITS

The finishing time limits are as follows:

I stage - 10%

II & III stage – 8%

In exceptional cases, unpredictable and of force majeure, the Commissaires Panel may extend the finishing time limits after consultation with the organizer according to the UCI CR art. 2.6.032.

RACE INCIDENTS IN THE LAST 3 KILOMETRES

The provisions set out in article 2.6.027 of the UCI Regulations, which apply in the event of a crash, puncture or mechanical incident past the signpost indicating three kilometres remaining to the finish, and according to which the rider or riders affected shall be credited with the time of the rider or riders in whose company he was/they were riding at the moment of the incident, will be enforced in the following stages: I, II, III. For all that is not regulated under this ruling, the irrevocable decision taken by the Commissaires' Panel in consultation with the Organisation Management shall apply.

CLASSIFICATIONS

The race has 5 classifications:



General Individual Classification by time (Yellow Jersey)

The individual general classification by time is established by adding up the times recorded for the 3 stages, taking into account bonuses and penalties - Article 2.6.015 of UCI. The leading rider in the General Individual Classification by time shall wear the designed Yellow Jersey in the following stage.

The Yellow Jersey is handed over immediately after each stage at the award ceremony. The current leader may wear on the Yellow Jersey advertising of his team's Main Sponsor (UCI CR art. 1.3.053).



Most Competitive Rider by points (Red Jersey)

The Most Competitive Rider Classification is decided by adding together the points awarded at each intermediate sprint and at each stage finish. The rider with the highest number of points, who completes the whole race, is the winner of the Most Competitive Rider and shall wear the Red Jersey.

Points are awarded as follows:

Stage finish: 15 – 11 – 9 – 7 – 6 – 5 – 4 – 3 – 2 – 1

Intermediate sprint: 3 – 2 – 1

In the event of a tie in the Most Competitive Rider Classification the riders are separated according to UCI CR art. 2.6.017. The leader in the Most Competitive Rider Classification may wear on the Red Jersey advertising of his team's Main sponsor (UCI CR art. 1.3.053).



Most Active Rider by intermediate sprint points (Green Jersey)

Most Active Rider is decided by points awarded on each intermediate sprint. Points are allocated at each intermediate sprint as follows: 3 – 2 – 1 points for the 3 first riders.

The rider with the highest number of points, who completes the whole race, is the Most Active Rider and shall wear the Green Jersey. In the event of a tie in the Classification of Most Active Rider the riders are separated according to UCI CR art. 2.6.017.

The leader in the Classification of Most Active Rider may wear on the Green Jersey advertising of his team's Main sponsor (UCI CR art. 1.3.053).



Best Young Rider Classification on overall time (White Jersey)

This classification is for riders born after 1st of January 2001. The Best Young Rider is decided by adding together the time taken by eligible riders on each stage. In the event of equality of time, the leading rider will be decided in the same manner as the overall general classification on time.

The leader in the Best Young Rider Classification may wear on the White Jersey advertising of his team's Main sponsor (UCI CR art. 1.3.053).

Team General Classification on overall time

The General Team Classification shall be calculated on the basis of the sum of the three best individual times of each team. In the event of tie the teams are separated in accordance with UCI CR art. 2.6.016.

Priority of Leaders Jerseys: Yellow – Red – Green – White.

PRIZES

The following prizes (in Euros) are awarded:

Place	Per stage	General classification	Sprint	Most Active Rider	Most Competitive	Best Young Rider	Best Team
1	845	1268	50	200	150	140	185
2	420	630	40	150	100		
3	210	315	30	100	50		
4	105	158					
5	85	128					
6	65	98					
7	65	98					
8	45	68					
9	45	68					
10-20	25	38					

A grand total of 9715 EUR will be the prize money at the event.

NB! ALL PRIZES NAMED WILL BE PAID OUT LESS TAX:

1. 20% personal income tax according to the Estonian Tax Law
2. 2% of the total prize fund by UCI Regulations to the CFAD

According to the UCI CR art. 1.2.072 the prizes shall be paid to the beneficiary's bank account only and not later than 90 days after the finish of the race. The bank transfer order will be based on the final classification and a special form with the beneficiary's data, distributed by the organiser, which has to be filled in by the beneficiary before leaving the finish area.

ANTI-DOPING

The UCI Anti-doping regulations are entirely applicable to the event.

AWARDS CEREMONY

In accordance with the article 2.6.018 bis of the UCI CR, the following riders must attend the official award ceremony after each stage not later than 10 minutes after the finish:

- Winner of the stage.
- Leader of the race.
- Leaders of the Red, Green and White Jersey classification.

Moreover, after the finish of the last stage the following riders must present themselves at the final award ceremony:

- The winner of the stage
- The winners of the other classifications (including classification by teams);
- The first 3 riders in the Individual General Classification by time
- All riders wearing a leader's jersey.

PENALTIES

The UCI penalty scale is the only one applicable.

RACE PROGRAMME

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17 2023, TARTU (EST)

15:00 – 17:00	Confirmation of starters & Team presentations /Teams must participate in team clothing (possible penalties)
17:05 – 17:30	Security meeting
17:30 – 18:00	Commissaires meeting
18:00	Team managers meeting
19:00 – 21:00	Dinner in Hotels of Tartu

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18 2023, TARTU – VALGA (EST)

07:00 – 09:00	Breakfast in Hotels
09:50 – 10:50	Signing of Starting list
10:50	Convoy cars' line-up
11:00	Ceremonial Start of Stage I in Tartu (EST) (199 km)
11:05	Technical Start of Stage I (2,6 km)
15:13 – 15:48	Expected finish of Stage I in Valga (EST)
	Doping control nearby finish area
15:30 – 15:40	Awarding Ceremony (as quick as possible after Leader's finish)
	Shower possibilities /J.Kuperjanovi str 36; Valga
15:30 – 16:30	Food packages for all nearby finish area
	Transfer from Valga (EST) to Sigulda (LAT) approx. 120 km, 1,5 hours
18:00 – 21:00	Dinner in the Hotels of Sigulda

SATURDAY AUGUST 19 2023, SIGULDA- SIGULDA (LAT)

07:00 – 09:00	Teams Breakfast in Hotels of Sigulda
09:50 – 10:50	Signing of Starting list
10:50	Convoy cars' line-up
11:00	Ceremonial Start of Stage II in Sigulda (LAT) (162 km)
11:05	Technical Start of Stage II (3,7km)
14:27 – 14:55	Expected finish of Stage II in Sigulda (LAT)
	Doping control nearby finish area/ https://goo.gl/maps/hmMraC13fXMeanxz6
14:35 – 14:40	Awarding Ceremony (as quick as possible after Leader's finish)
	Food packages for all nearby the finish area
	Shower possibilities Sigulda Sports Centre (Siguldas Sporta centrs), Ata Kronvalda iela 7a, Sigulda
	Transfer from Sigulda (LAT) to Panevezys (LIT) approx. 210 km, 3 hour
19:00 – 21:00	Dinner in Hotels of Panevezys (LIT)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20 2023, PANEVEZYS- PANEVEZYS (LIT)

07:00 – 09:00	Breakfast in Hotels
09:50 – 10:50	Signing of Starting list
10:50	Convoy cars' line-up
11:00	Ceremonial Start of Stage III in Panevezys (LIT) (157 km)
11:07	Technical Start of Stage III (5km)
14:22 – 14:50	Expected finish of Stage III in Panevezys (LIT)
	Doping control nearby finish area
14:30 – 14:40	Awarding Ceremony (as quick as possible after Leader's finish)
	Shower: address Elektos str. 11 (200 m. before the finish line) or in the Hotel
15:00 – 17:00	Food packages near by the finish area

ROAD SIGNS

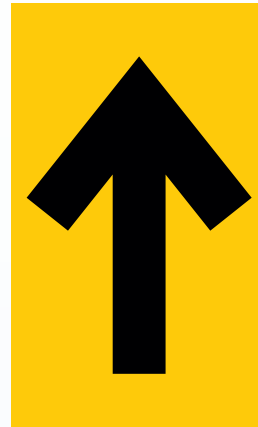
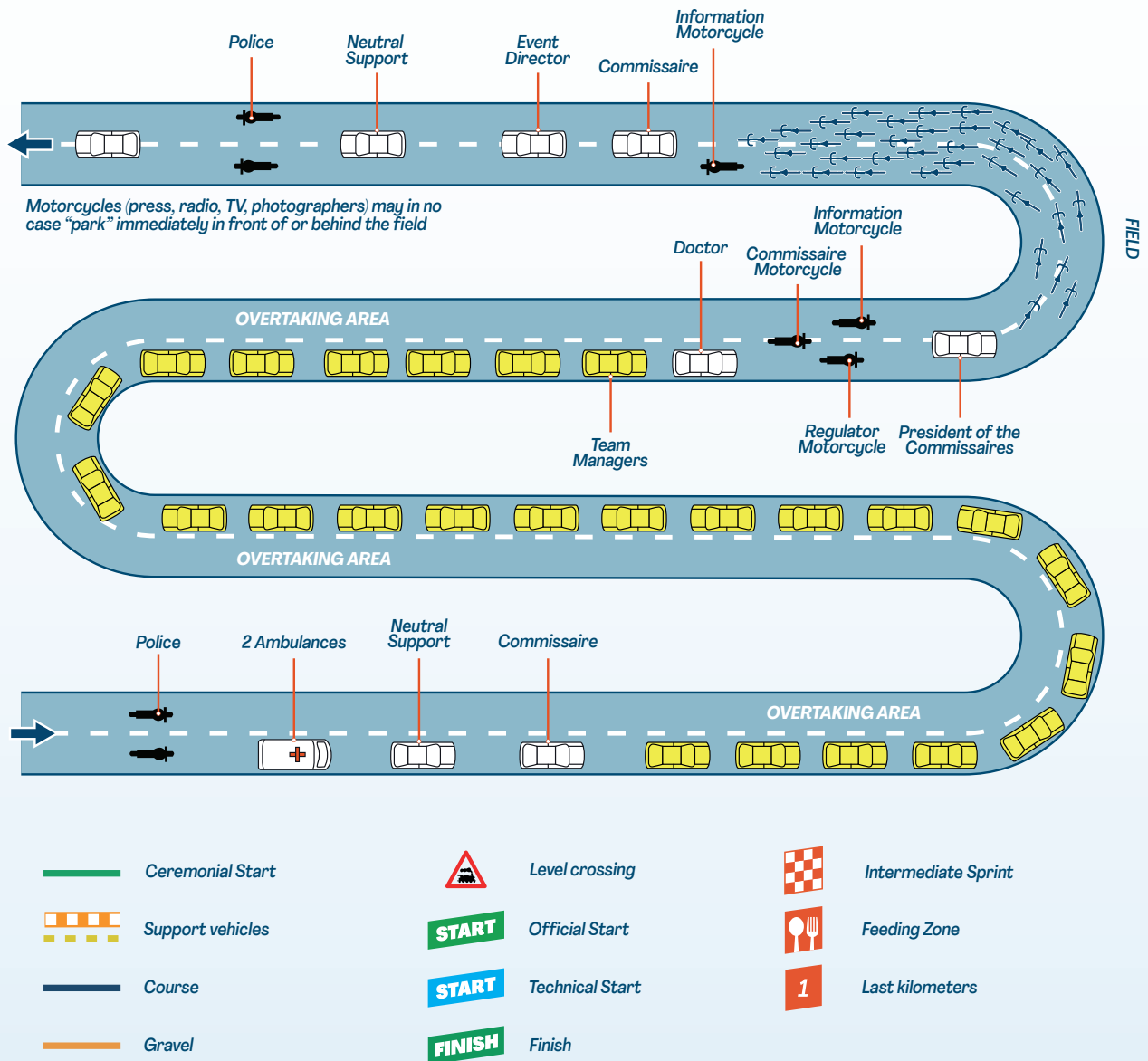


DIAGRAM OF THE TOUR CONVOY / MARKINGS

Driver's meeting will take place on August 17 at 18:05.

All drivers representing Teams in the race convoy at Baltic Chain Tour 2023 must have a UCI licence issued by a National Federation and must respect the UCI Regulations as well as the current Guidelines for vehicle circulation in the race convoy.



Signs are placed on the right-hand side of the road and indicate the

distances: START (0 km), the 50th kilometer of the race and the remaining distance to finish: 25, 20, 10, 5, 3 and 2 km.

Feeding Zone is marked with signs: Feeding Zone Start and Feeding Zone Finish.

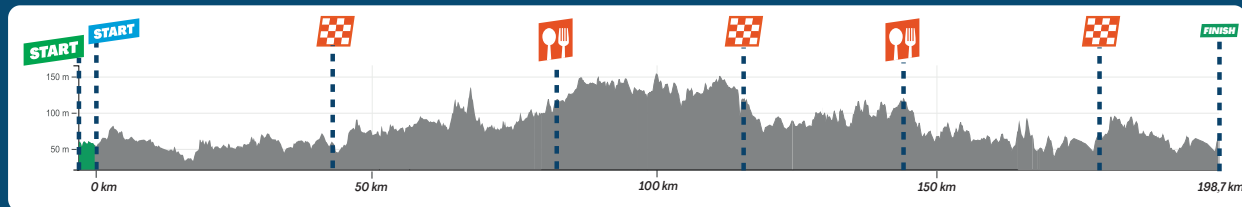
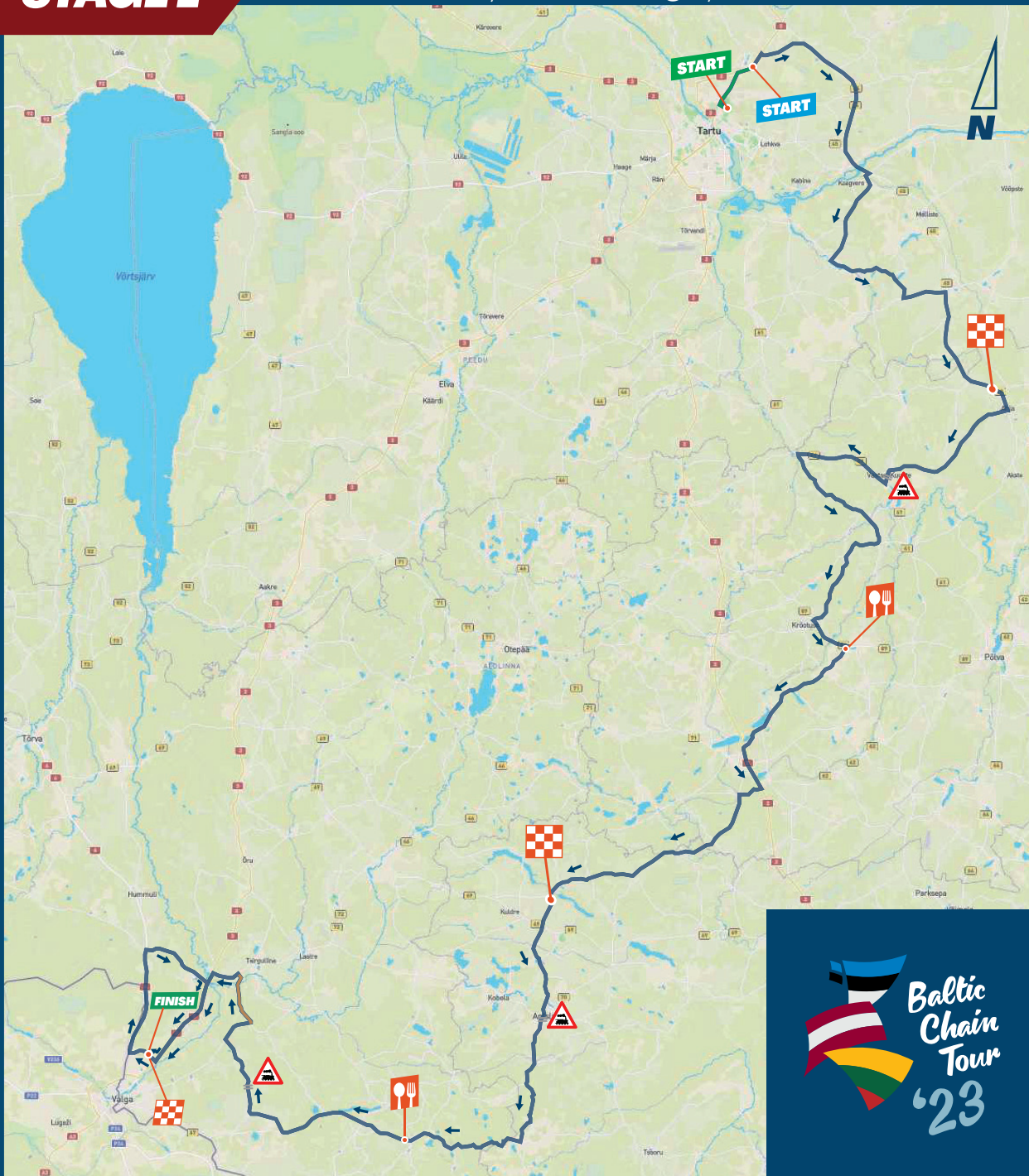
Intermediate Sprints are marked with signs: Intermediate 1 km, Intermediate 500 m and with flags or arches at the Sprints.

The last kilometer is indicated by a red triangle and signs on the right:

500 m, 300 m, 200 m, 150 m, 100 m, 50 m and FINISH.

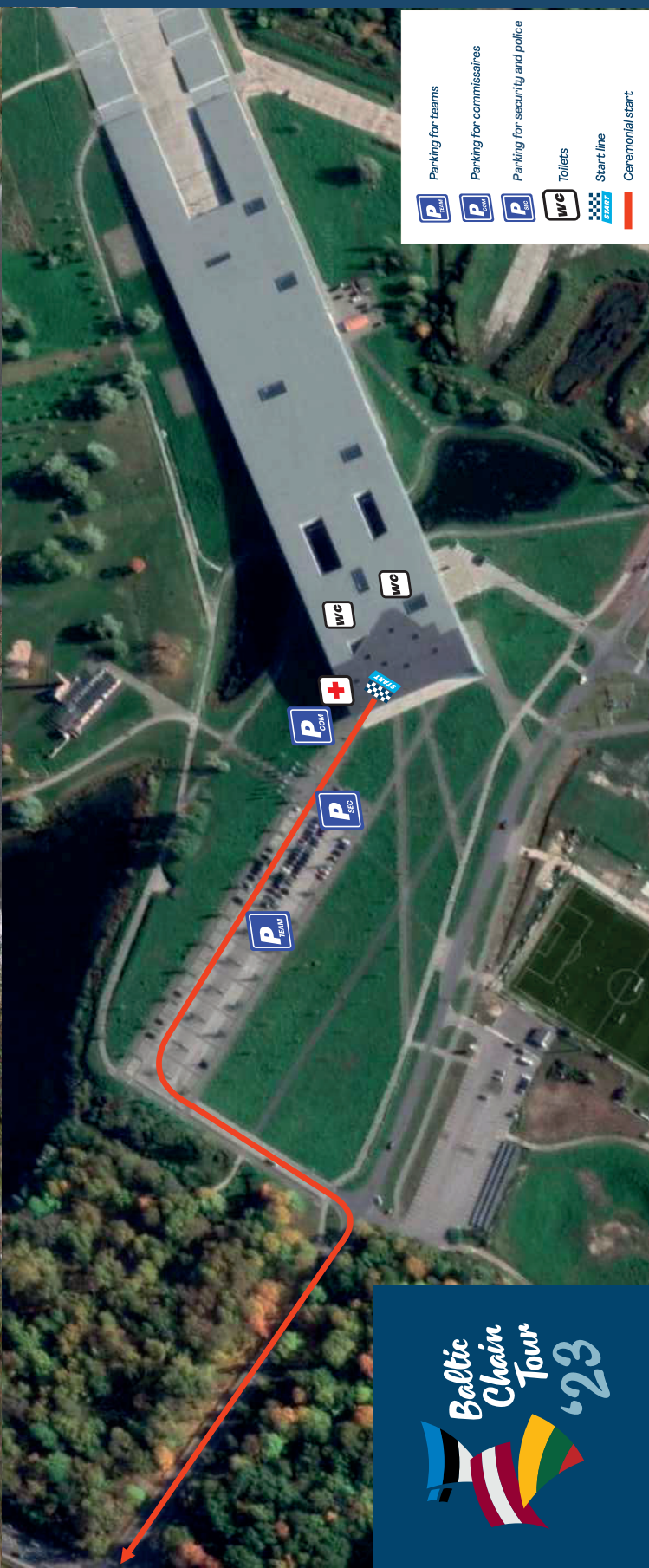
STAGE 1

18.08.2023 / Tartu - Valga / 198,7 km



- START** Official Start
- START** Technical Start
- Ceremonial Start
- Course
- Gravel
- Level crossing
- Intermediate Sprint
- Feeding Zone
- FINISH** Finish

STAGE 1 18.08.2023 / Estonian National Museum / START Area / 58.39539, 26.74393



- Parking for teams
- Parking for commissaires
- Parking for security and police
- Toilets
- Start line
- Ceremonial start



STAGE 1

ROUTE LEGEND

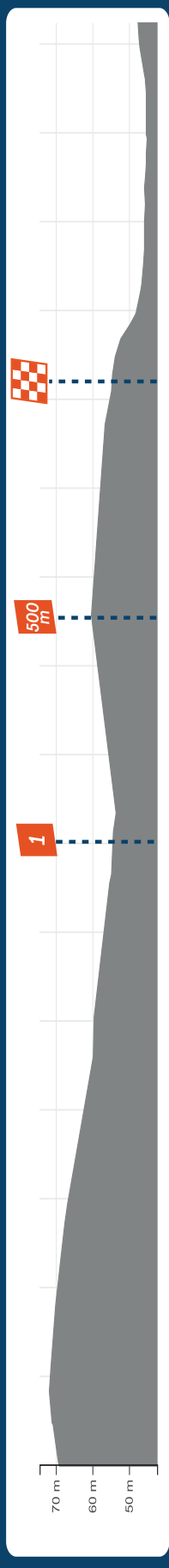
From Start	To go	Turn	Location/Direction	Average speed			GPS coordinates
km	km			km/h	km/h	km/h	
				48	45	42	
2,6			Ceremonial start at ERM (Eesti Rahva Muuseum) address: Muuseumi tee 2; Tartu 60532	11:00:00	11:00:00	11:00:00	58.39539, 26.74393
0.0	198.7	↑	Technical start (Big blue road poster)	11:05:00	11:05:00	11:05:00	
0.3	198.4	→	Jõhvi direction	11:05:23	11:05:24	11:05:26	
2.5	196.2	→	Vesneri direction	11:08:08	11:08:20	11:08:34	
5.7	193.0	→	Luunja	11:12:08	11:12:36	11:13:09	
15.0	183.7	←	Räpina direction	11:23:45	11:25:00	11:26:26	
17.3	181.4	→	Roiu 7 / Kaagvere 2	11:26:38	11:28:04	11:29:43	
17.5	181.2	←	Roiu 7 / Kaagvere 6	11:26:53	11:28:20	11:30:00	
24.0	174.7	↑	Roiu village	11:35:00	11:37:00	11:39:17	
24.4	174.3	←	Kesktänav street	11:35:30	11:37:32	11:39:51	
26.2	172.5	←	Kriikmanni direction	11:37:45	11:39:56	11:42:26	
31.0	167.7	←	road no 265 Hammaste	11:43:45	11:46:20	11:49:17	
34.0	164.7	→	road no 45 Räpina direction	11:47:30	11:50:20	11:53:34	
42.9	155.8	↑	1.IS / Ahja Village	11:58:38	12:02:12	12:06:17	58.21837, 27.06631
44.3	154.4	→	road no 180, Vastse-Kuuste, Illimari street	12:00:23	12:04:04	12:08:17	
54.5	144.2	↑	Railway	12:13:08	12:17:40	12:22:51	13:25 14:46
55.5	143.2	→	road no 61, Tartu direction	12:14:23	12:19:00	12:24:17	
61.6	137.1	←	road no 115, Võru direction	12:22:00	12:27:08	12:33:00	
70.7	128.0	→	Akste-Häätaru road	12:33:23	12:39:16	12:46:00	
74.1	124.6	←	direction to Krootuse	12:37:38	12:43:48	12:50:51	
78.9	119.8	←	road no 89, Põlva direction	12:43:38	12:50:12	12:57:43	
82.0	116.7	→	road no 167, Kanepi direction	12:47:30	12:54:20	13:02:09	
82.0	116.7	↑	Feeding and trash area START	12:47:30	12:54:20	13:02:09	58.06022, 26.89702

From Start	To go	Turn	Location/Direction	Average speed			GPS coordinates
83.0	115.7	↑	Feeding area END	12:48:45	12:55:40	13:03:34	58.05324, 26.87668
84.0	114.7	↑	Trash area END	12:50:00	12:57:00	13:05:00	58.04709, 26.86537
92.7	106.0	←	road no 2, Võru direction	13:00:53	13:08:36	13:17:26	
95.9	102.8	→	road no 116	13:04:53	13:12:52	13:22:00	
97.6	101.1	←	road no 183, Antsla direction	13:07:00	13:15:08	13:24:26	
111.3	87.4	↑	Urvaste, road bump	13:24:08	13:33:24	13:44:00	
114.4	84.3	↑	2. IS	13:28:00	13:37:32	13:48:26	57.9043, 26.53643
116.7	82.0	↑	road no 183	13:30:53	13:40:36	13:51:43	
118.9	79.8	↑	Vana-Antsla	13:33:38	13:43:32	13:54:51	
122.2	76.5	↑	Antsla town	13:37:45	13:47:56	13:59:34	
123.4	75.3	→	safety island, roundabout 1-st exit, safety island	13:39:15	13:49:32	14:01:17	
123.8	74.9	↑	Railway	13:39:45	13:50:04	14:01:51	no traffic !
131.7	67.0	→	main road to the right	13:49:38	14:00:36	14:13:09	
133.3	65.4	→	road no 201, Lüllemäe direction	13:51:38	14:02:44	14:15:26	
141.3	57.4	←	road no 201, Valga direction	14:01:38	14:13:24	14:26:51	
141.8	56.9	↑	Lüllemäe, road bumps 3pc, distance between them 300m	14:02:15	14:14:04	14:27:34	
142.5	56.2	↑	Feeding and Trash area START	14:03:08	14:15:00	14:28:34	57.75033, 26.36999
143.5	55.2	↑	Feeding area END	14:04:23	14:16:20	14:30:00	57.75257, 26.35376
144.5	54.2	↑	Trash area END	14:05:38	14:17:40	14:31:26	57.75505, 26.33768
152.2	46.5	→	road no 103, Kaagjärve direction	14:15:15	14:27:56	14:42:26	
155.3	43.4	→	road no 127	14:19:08	14:32:04	14:46:51	
157.2	41.5	↑	Railway	14:21:30	14:34:36	14:49:34	
161.0	37.7	→	road no 119	14:26:15	14:39:40	14:55:00	
163.2	35.5	↑	road no 221, GRAVEL section START	14:29:00	14:42:36	14:58:09	57.82442, 26.18141
163.3	35.4	←	road no 221	14:29:08	14:42:44	14:58:17	
166.2	32.5	↑	narrow railway tunnel	14:32:45	14:46:36	15:02:26	
167.1	31.6	↑	GRAVEL section END	14:33:53	14:47:48	15:03:43	57.85521, 26.16734

<i>From Start</i>	<i>To go</i>	<i>Turn</i>	<i>Location/Direction</i>	<i>Average speed</i>			<i>GPS coordinates</i>
167.2	31.5	←	road no 72	14:34:00	14:47:56	15:03:51	
169.1	29.6	←	road no 3, Valga direction, safety island	14:36:23	14:50:28	15:06:34	
176.6	22.1	→	road no 120, Jaanikese motocentre	14:45:45	15:00:28	15:17:17	
177.2	21.5	↑	3. IS/ crossing the finish line	14:46:30	15:01:16	15:18:09	57.80431, 26.06176
178.7	20.0	→	road no 6, Pärnu direction	14:48:23	15:03:16	15:20:17	
186.1	12.6	→	road no 122	14:57:38	15:13:08	15:30:51	
191.4	7.3	→	road no 3, Valga direction, safety island	15:04:15	15:20:12	15:38:26	
198.1	0.6	→	road no 120, Jaanikese motocentre	15:12:38	15:29:08	15:48:00	
198.7	0.0	↑	FINISH	15:13:23	15:29:56	15:48:51	57.80431, 26.06176

18.08.2023 / 1 Intermediate Sprint / Ahja / 42,9 km / 58.21837, 27.066631

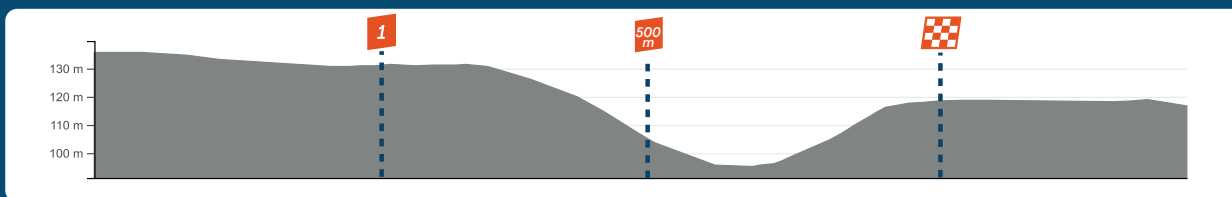
STAGE 1



- Course
- 1 Last kilometers
- 500 m Last 500 meters
- 500 m Intermediate Sprint

STAGE 1

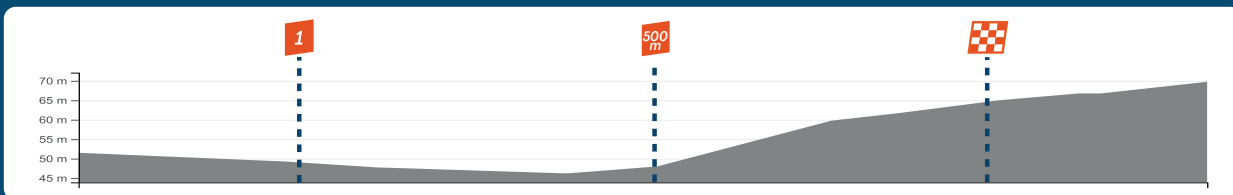
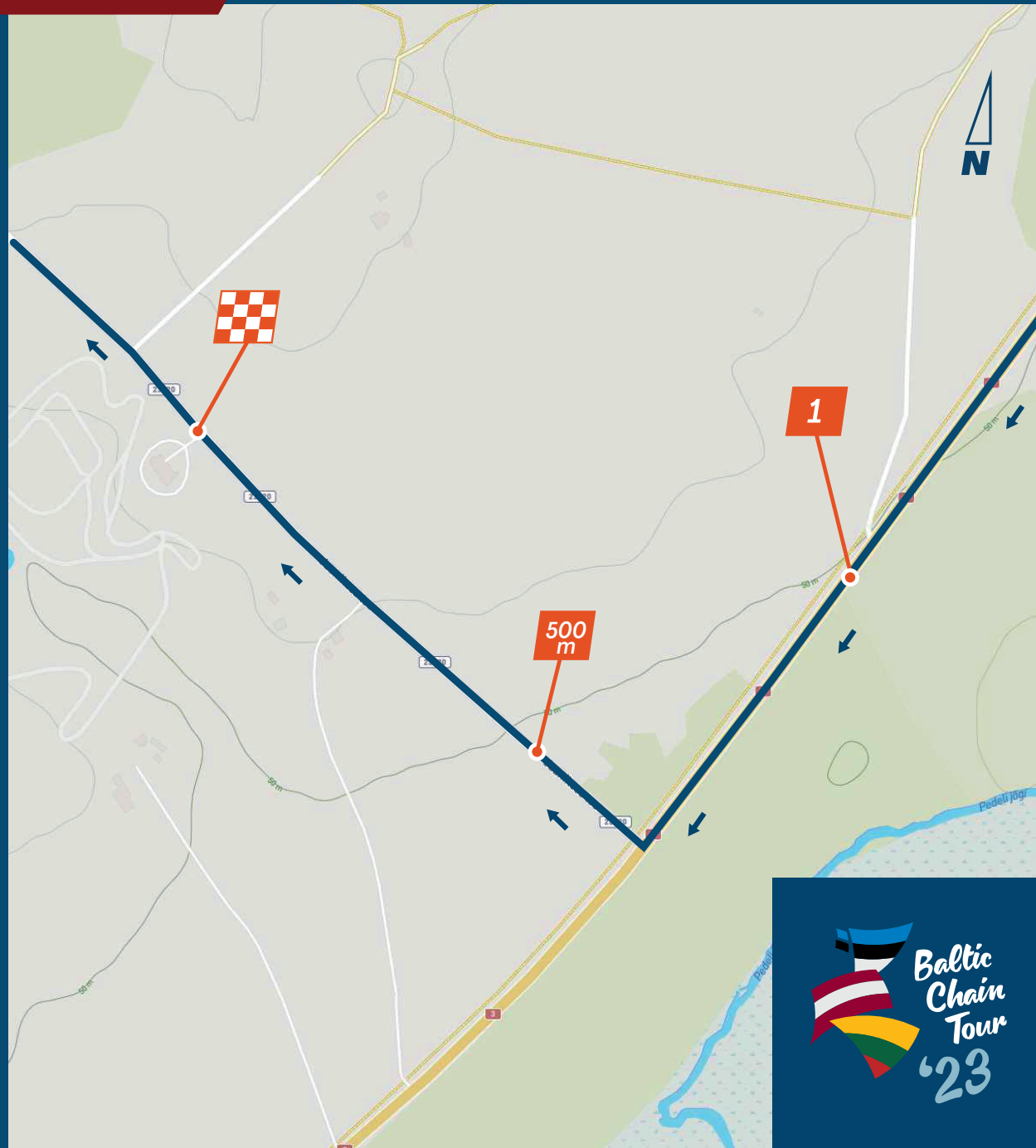
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Urvaste / 114,4 km / 57.9043, 26.53643



— Course **1** Last kilometers **500 m** Last 500 meters  Intermediate Sprint

STAGE 1

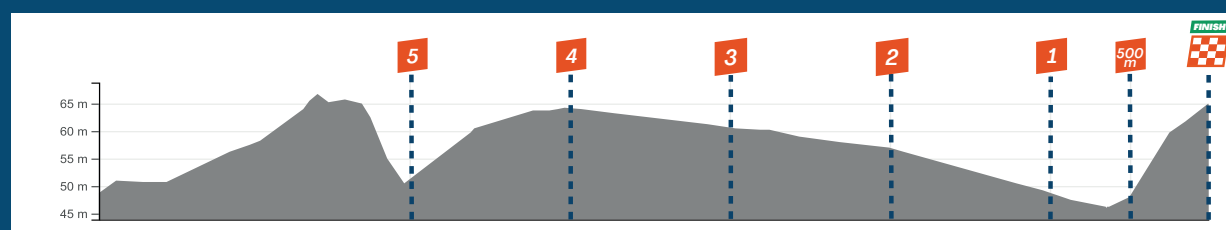
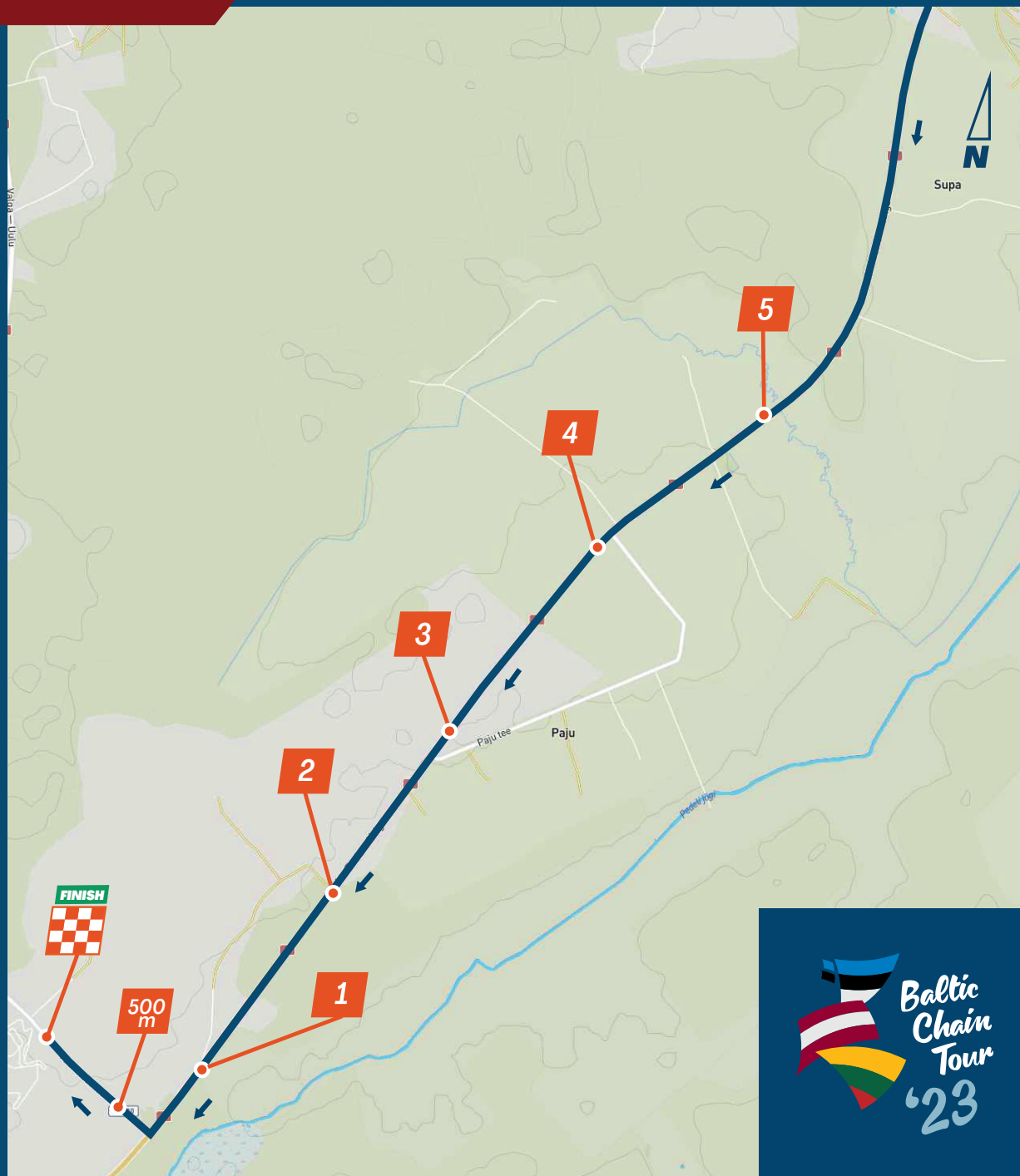
18.08.2023 / 3 Intermediate Sprint
Jaanikese / 177,2 km / 57.80431, 26.06176



— Course 1 Last kilometers 500 m Last 500 meters [checkered flag] Intermediate Sprint

STAGE 1

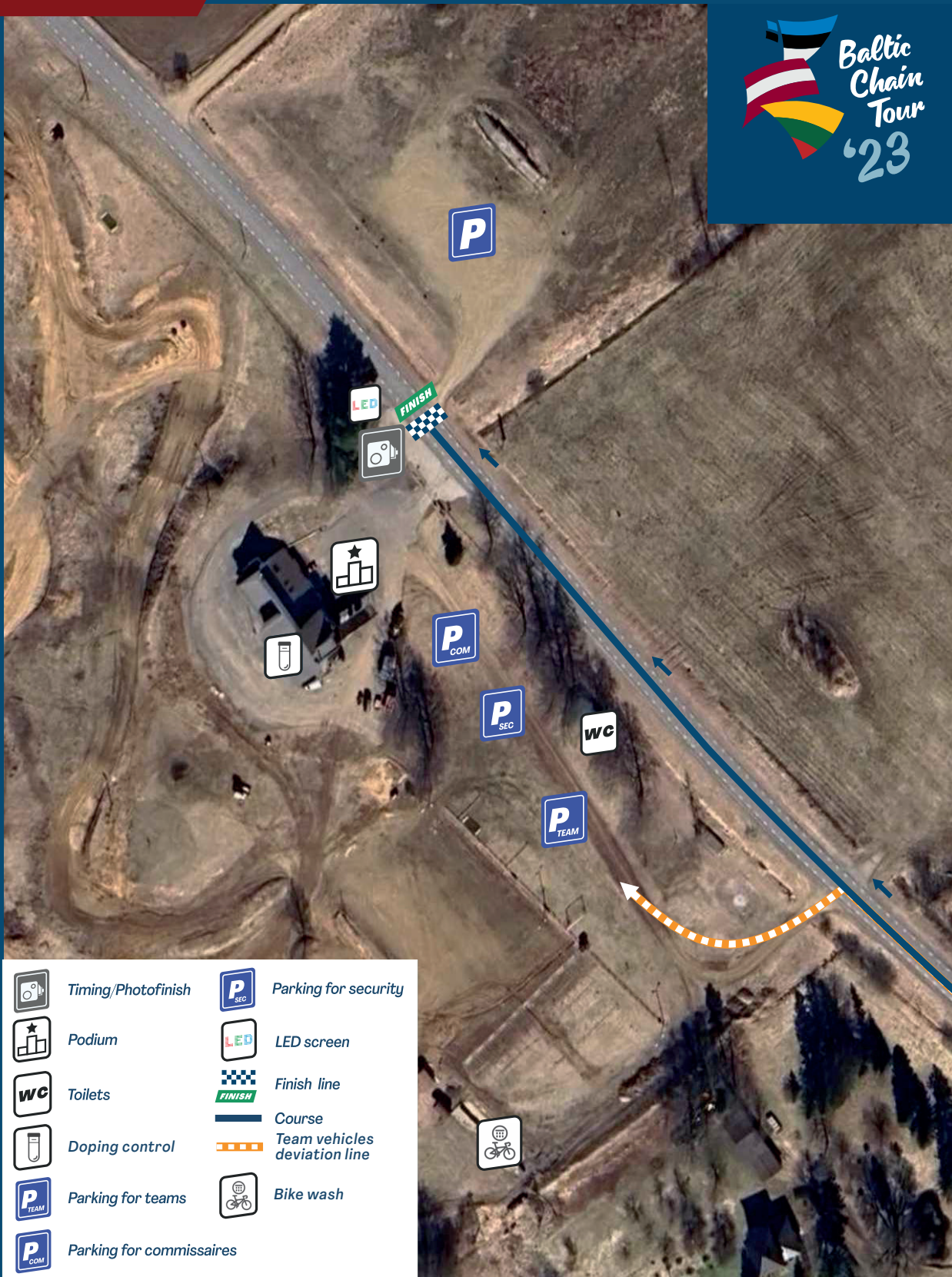
18.08.2023 / FINISH / Jaanikese / Last 5 km



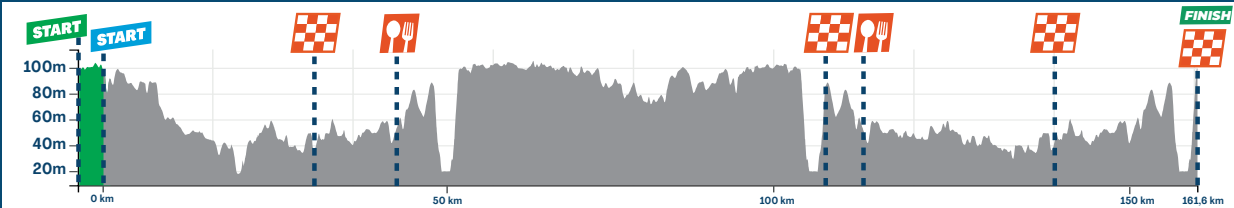
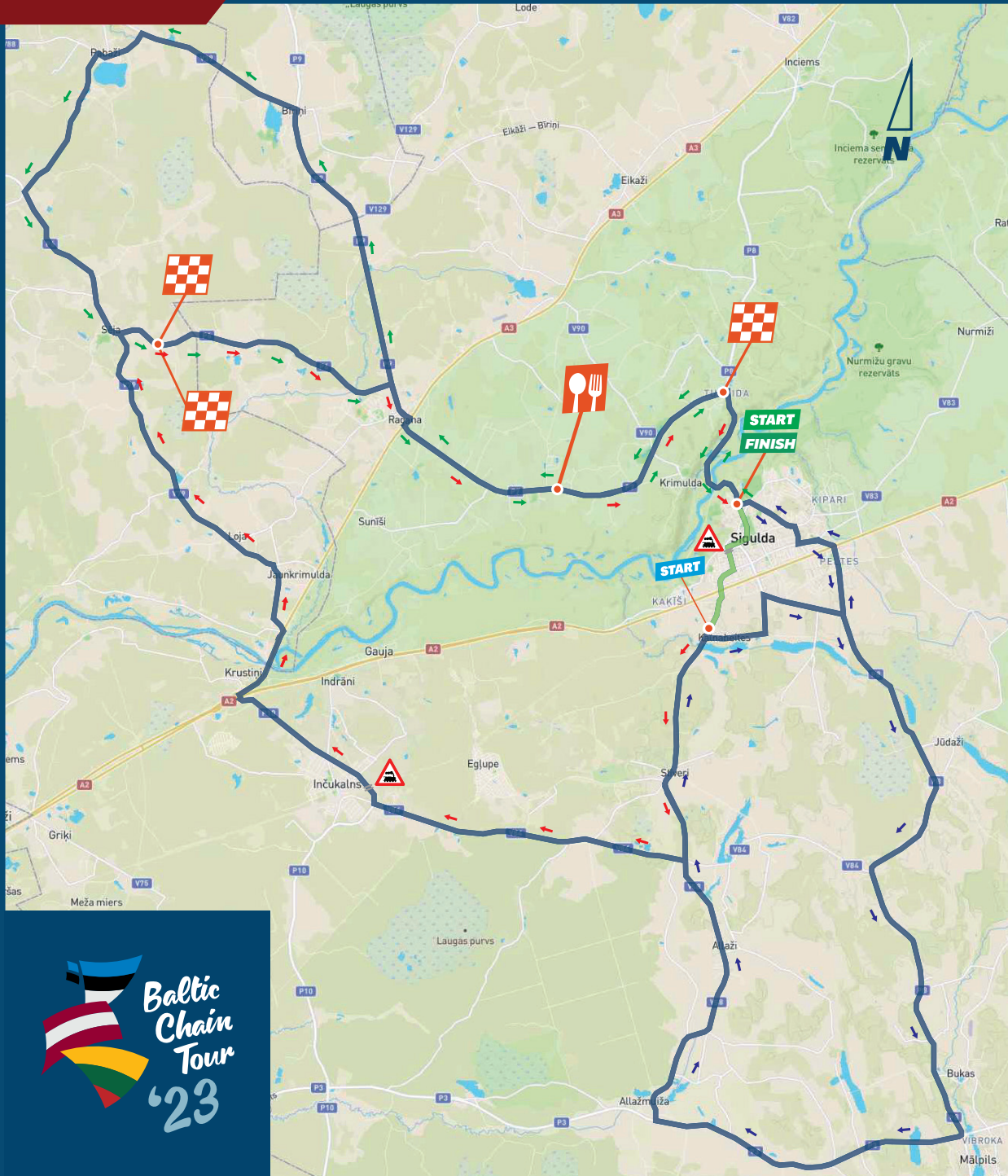
— Course 1 Last kilometers 500 m Last 500 meters FINISH Finish

STAGE 1

18.08.2023 / 3 Finish area
 Jaanikese / 57.80431, 26.06176



STAGE 2 19.08.2023 / Sigulda - Sigulda / 161,6 km



- START** Official Start
- START** Technical Start
- START** Ceremonial Start
- START** Course
- START** Level crossing
- START** Intermediate Sprint
- START** Feeding Zone
- START** Finish
- START** First lap
- START** Second lap
- START** Last lap

STAGE 2

19.08.2023 / START FINISH area / Sigulda / 57.16153, 24.84959



	Timing/Photofinish		Toilets		Parking for teams
	Podium		WC		Finish line
	Doping control		Parking for commissaires		Course
			Parking for security		Team vehicles deviation line

STAGE 2

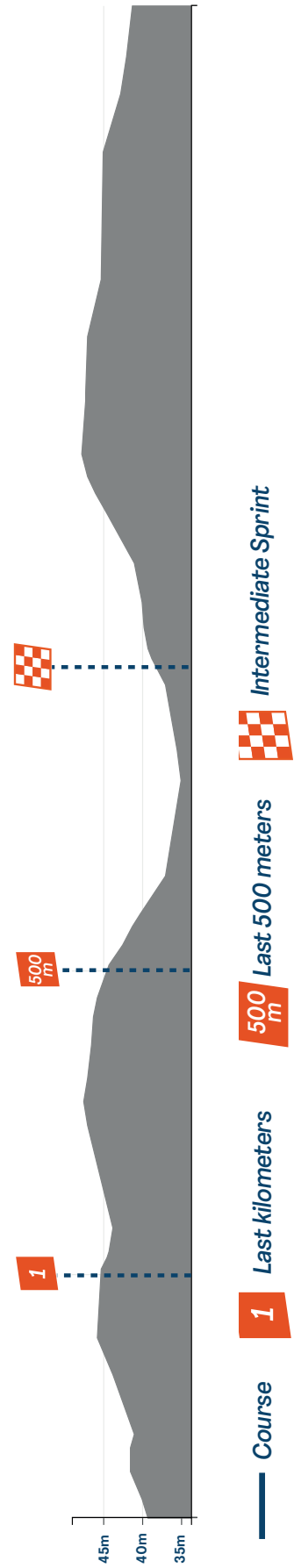
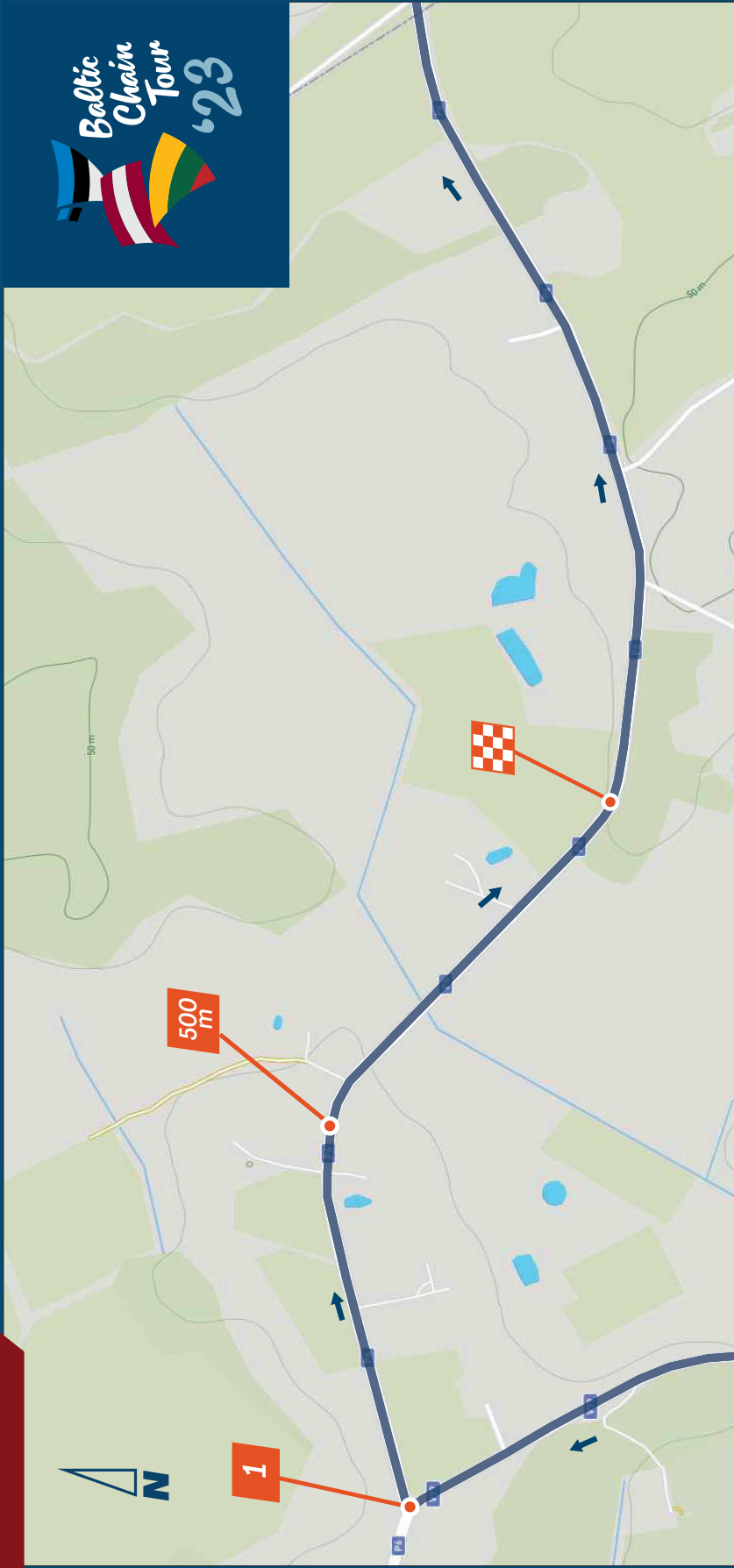
ROUTE LEGEND

From start	To go	Turn	Location/Direction	Average speed			GPS coordinates
km	km			km/h	km/h	km/h	
				48	45	42	
3.7			Ceremonial start address: Jāņa Poruka 1, Sigulda, Siguldas pilsēta, LV-2150	11:00:00	11:00:00	11:00:00	57.16153, 24.84959
0.0	161.6	↑	Technical start	11:05:00	11:05:00	11:05:00	
3.7	157.9	↑	Stiveri	11:09:38	11:09:56	11:10:17	
6.1	155.5	→	Inčukalns 8	11:12:38	11:13:08	11:13:43	
14.1	147.5	→	road no P10	11:22:38	11:23:48	11:25:09	
14.5	147.1	↑	Railway crossing	11:23:08	11:24:20	11:25:43	
18.4	143.2	→	Safety island, roundabout,	11:28:00	11:29:32	11:31:17	
18.6	143.0	→	Roundabout second exit, Valka direction	11:28:15	11:29:48	11:31:34	
20.6	141.0	←	turn left	11:30:45	11:32:28	11:34:26	
22.7	138.9	←	T-shaped intersection	11:33:23	11:35:16	11:37:26	
30.2	131.4	→	road no P6, Sēja	11:42:45	11:45:16	11:48:09	
31.2	130.4	↑	IS 1	11:44:00	11:46:36	11:49:34	57.19729, 24.61192
38.6	123.0	→	road no P9, Ragana 1	11:53:15	11:56:28	12:00:09	
39.6	122.0	→	road no A3, safety island	11:54:30	11:57:48	12:01:34	
39.8	121.8	←	road no P7, safety island	11:54:45	11:58:04	12:01:51	
43.1	118.5	↑	Feedig and Trash area START	11:58:53	12:02:28	12:06:34	57.16428, 24.75849
44.1	117.5	↑	Feeding area END	12:00:08	12:03:48	12:08:00	57.16511, 24.77572
45.1	116.5	↑	Trash area END	12:01:23	12:05:08	12:09:26	57.16357, 24.79269
49.5	112.1	→	road no P8, Sigulda 5	12:06:53	12:11:00	12:15:43	
53.2	108.4	←	Cesu street	12:11:30	12:15:56	12:21:00	
53.4	108.2	↑	roundabout second exit, safety island	12:11:45	12:16:12	12:21:17	
53.4	108.2	→	Krišjāņa Barona street	12:11:45	12:16:12	12:21:17	
54.8	106.8	→	Nitaures street	12:13:30	12:18:04	12:23:17	
55.2	106.4	→	Pulkveža Brieža street	12:14:00	12:18:36	12:23:51	
55.7	105.9	→	roundabout second exit, safety island	12:14:38	12:19:16	12:24:34	
56.1	105.5	↑	several safety islands	12:15:08	12:19:48	12:25:09	
57.8	103.8	←	road no P8, safety island	12:17:15	12:22:04	12:27:34	
72.7	88.9	→	roundabout, road no P3	12:35:53	12:41:56	12:48:51	

From start	To go	Turn	Location/Direction	Average speed			GPS coordinates
80.8	80.8	→	Allaži 5, Sigulda 15 streets	12:46:00	12:52:44	13:00:26	
84.9	76.7	↑	Allaži	12:51:08	12:58:12	13:06:17	
90.2	71.4	↑	Stiveri	12:57:45	13:05:16	13:13:51	
94.1	67.5	→	SPA Hotel EZERI 0,9	13:02:38	13:10:28	13:19:26	
95.6	66.0	←	turn left	13:04:30	13:12:28	13:21:34	
96.6	65.0	→	road no P8, Gāles street	13:05:45	13:13:48	13:23:00	
98.6	63.0	←	Zinātnes street, safety island	13:08:15	13:16:28	13:25:51	
100.3	61.3	↑	several safety islands	13:10:23	13:18:44	13:28:17	
100.7	60.9	←	roundabout, third exit, Pulkveža Brieža street	13:10:53	13:19:16	13:28:51	
101.3	60.3	→	Nitāures street	13:11:38	13:20:04	13:29:43	
101.7	59.9	←	Dārza street	13:12:08	13:20:36	13:30:17	
101.9	59.7	↑	Krišjāņa Barona street	13:12:23	13:20:52	13:30:34	
103.0	58.6	←	Livkalna street, safety island	13:13:45	13:22:20	13:32:09	
103.0	58.6	↑	roundabout, second exit Cēsu street	13:13:45	13:22:20	13:32:09	
103.3	58.3	→	Gaujas street	13:14:08	13:22:44	13:32:34	
107.0	54.6	↑	IS2	13:18:45	13:27:40	13:37:51	57.18648, 24.84670
107.03	54.6	←	road no P7	13:18:47	13:27:42	13:37:54	
111.4	50.2	↑	Feeding and Trash zone START	13:24:15	13:33:32	13:44:09	57.16357, 24.79269
112.4	49.2	↑	Feeding area END	13:25:30	13:34:52	13:45:34	57.16511, 24.77572
113.4	48.2	↑	Trash area END	13:26:45	13:36:12	13:47:00	57.16428, 24.75849
116.7	44.9	→	road no A3, safety island	13:30:53	13:40:36	13:51:43	
116.9	44.7	←	road no P9, safety island	13:31:08	13:40:52	13:52:00	
125.3	36.3	←	Saulkrasti 17	13:41:38	13:52:04	14:04:00	
129.6	32.0	←	PABAŽI 1	13:47:00	13:57:48	14:10:09	
130.8	30.8	→	turn right	13:48:30	13:59:24	14:11:51	
131.0	30.6	←	turn left	13:48:45	13:59:40	14:12:09	
135.0	26.6	←	road no P6	13:53:45	14:05:00	14:17:51	
139.5	22.1	←	turn left, road no P6	13:59:23	14:11:00	14:24:17	
140.5	21.1	↑	IS 3	14:00:38	14:12:20	14:25:43	57.19729, 24.61192
146.8	14.8	→	road no P9, Ragana 1	14:08:30	14:20:44	14:34:43	
147.8	13.8	→	road no A3, safety island	14:09:45	14:22:04	14:36:09	
148.0	13.6	←	road no P7, safety island	14:10:00	14:22:20	14:36:26	
157.8	3.8	→	road no P8, Sigulda 5	14:22:15	14:35:24	14:50:26	
161.4	0.2	→	Cesu street	14:26:45	14:40:12	14:55:34	
161.6	0.0	↑	FINISH	14:27:00	14:40:28	14:55:51	57.16153, 24.84959

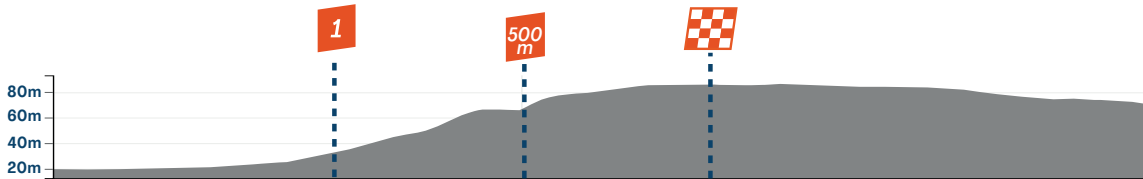
STAGE 2

19.08.2023 / 1 Intermediate Sprint / Sēja / 31,2km / 57.19729, 24.61192



STAGE 2

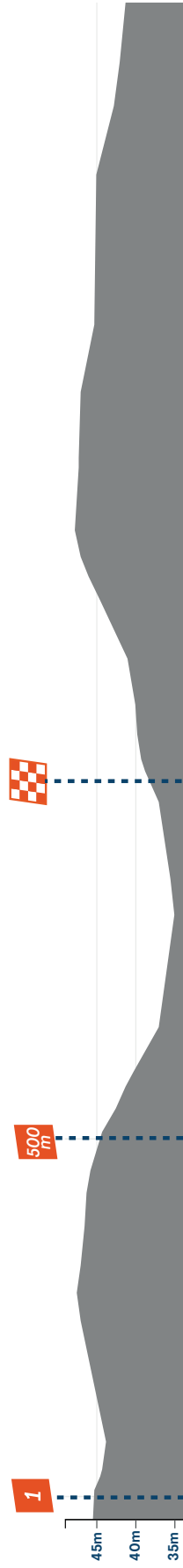
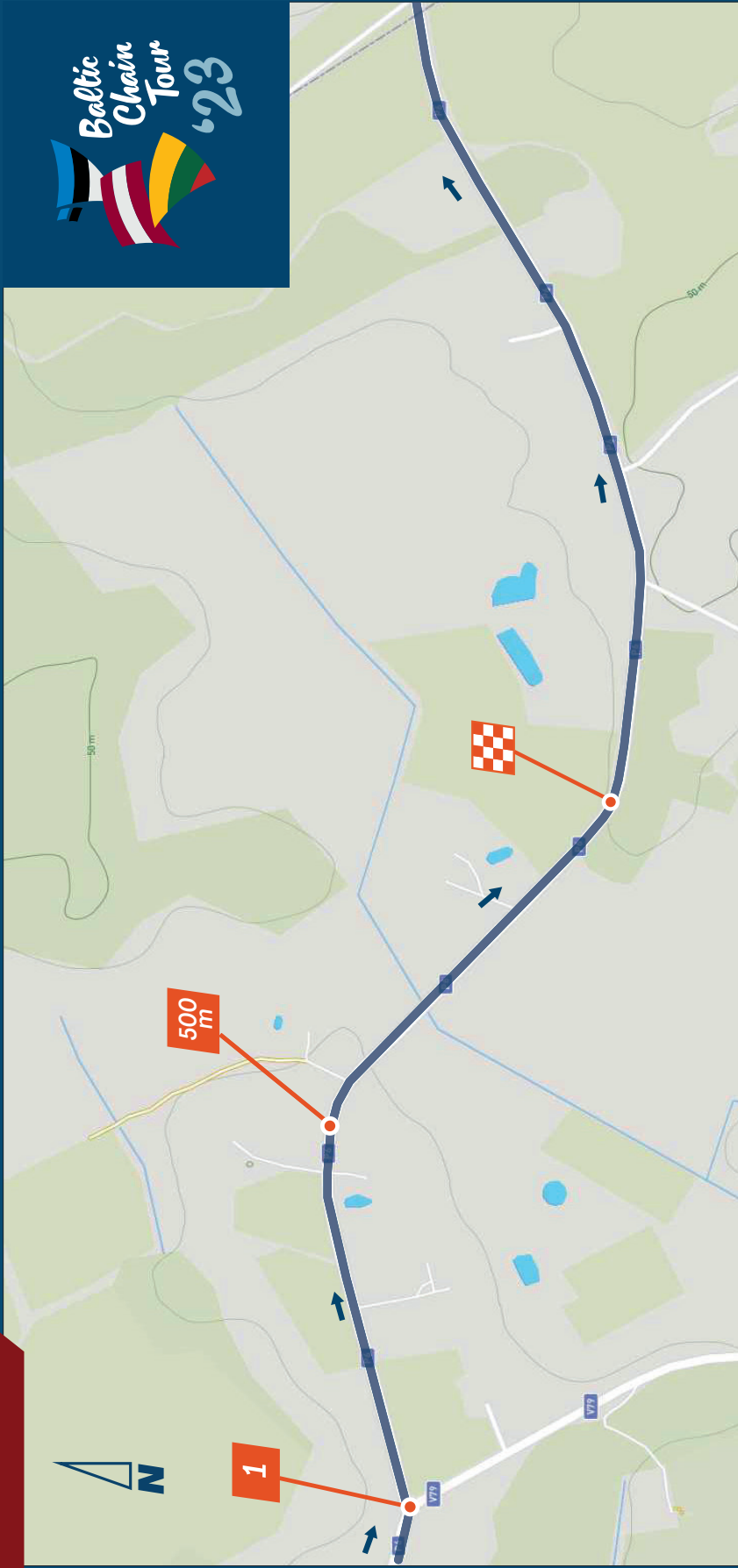
19.08.2023 / 2 Intermediate Sprint
Turaida / 107,0 km / 57.18648, 24.84670



— Course **1** Last kilometers **500 m** Last 500 meters Intermediate Sprint

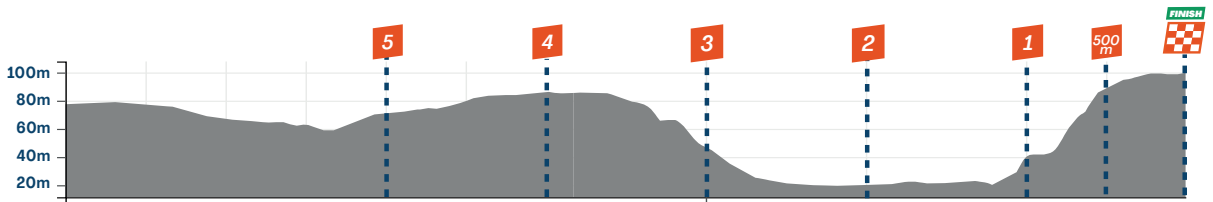
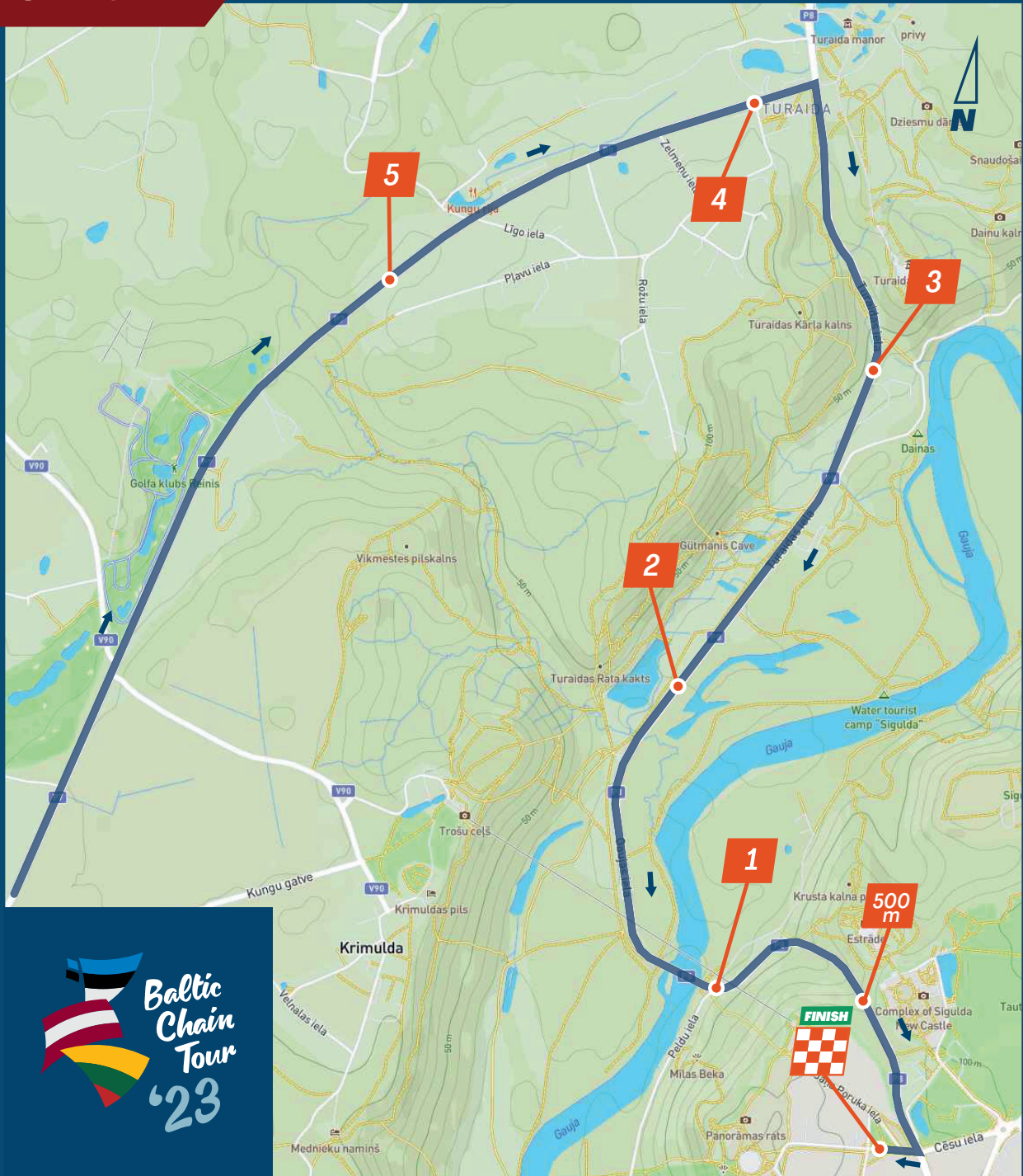
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19.08.2023 / 3 Intermediate Sprint / Seja / 140,5 km / 57.19729, 24.61192



- Course
- 1 Last kilometers
- 500 m Last 500 meters
- Intermediate Sprint

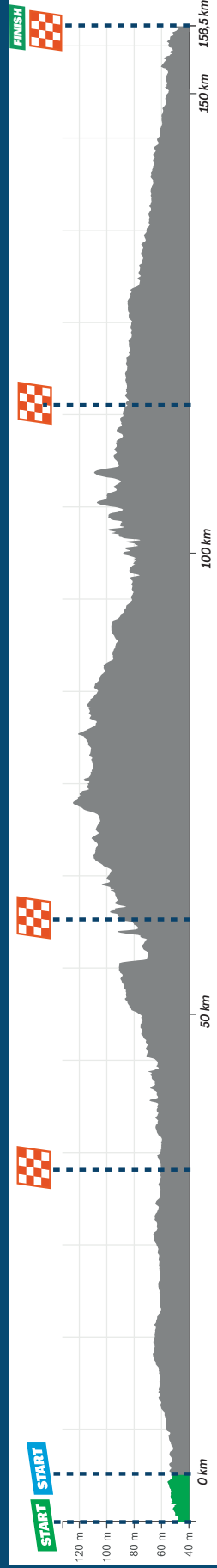
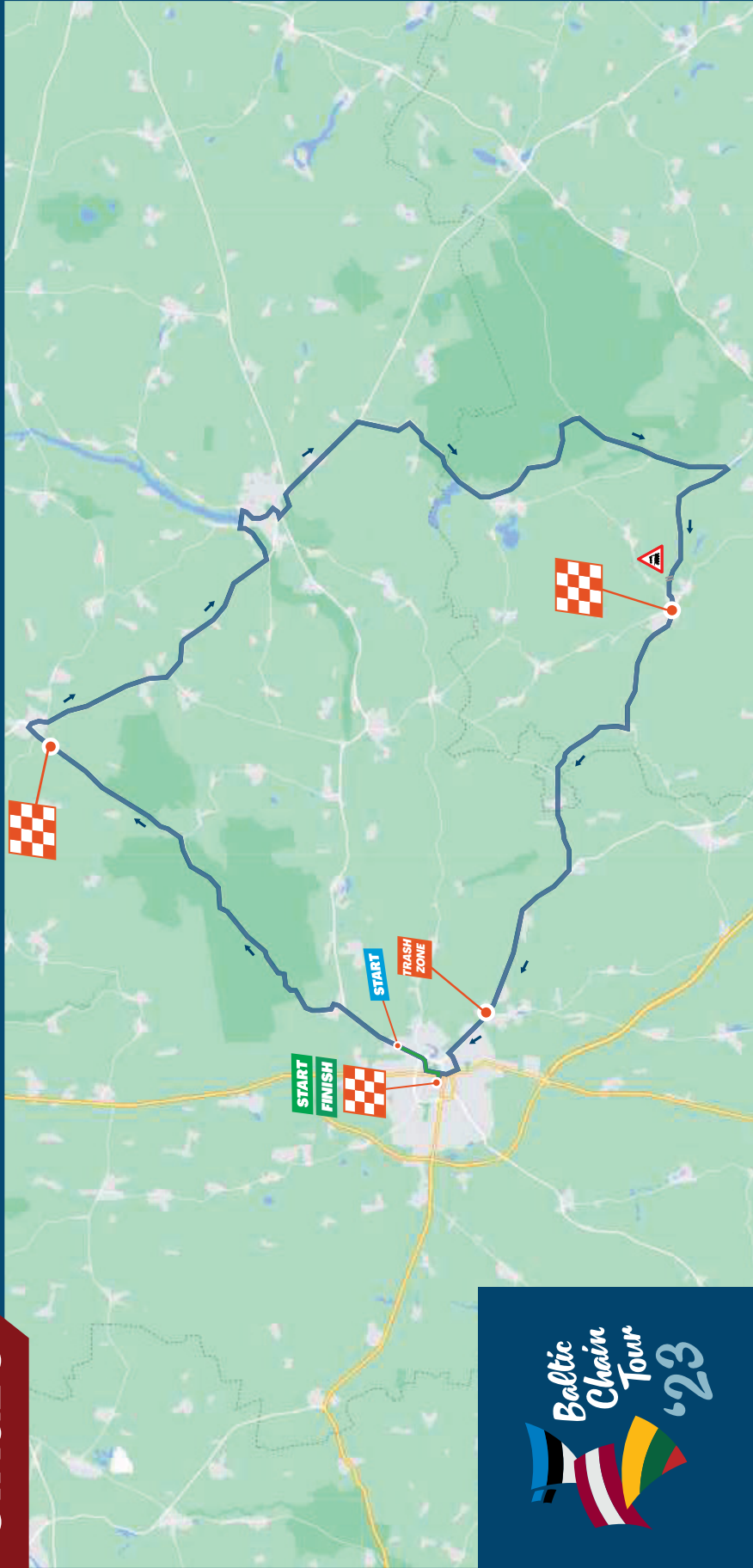
STAGE 2 19.08.2023 / **FINISH** / Sigulda / Last 5 km



— Course **1** Last kilometers **500 m** Last 500 meters **FINISH** Finish

20.08.2023 / Panevėžys - Panevėžys / 156,5 km

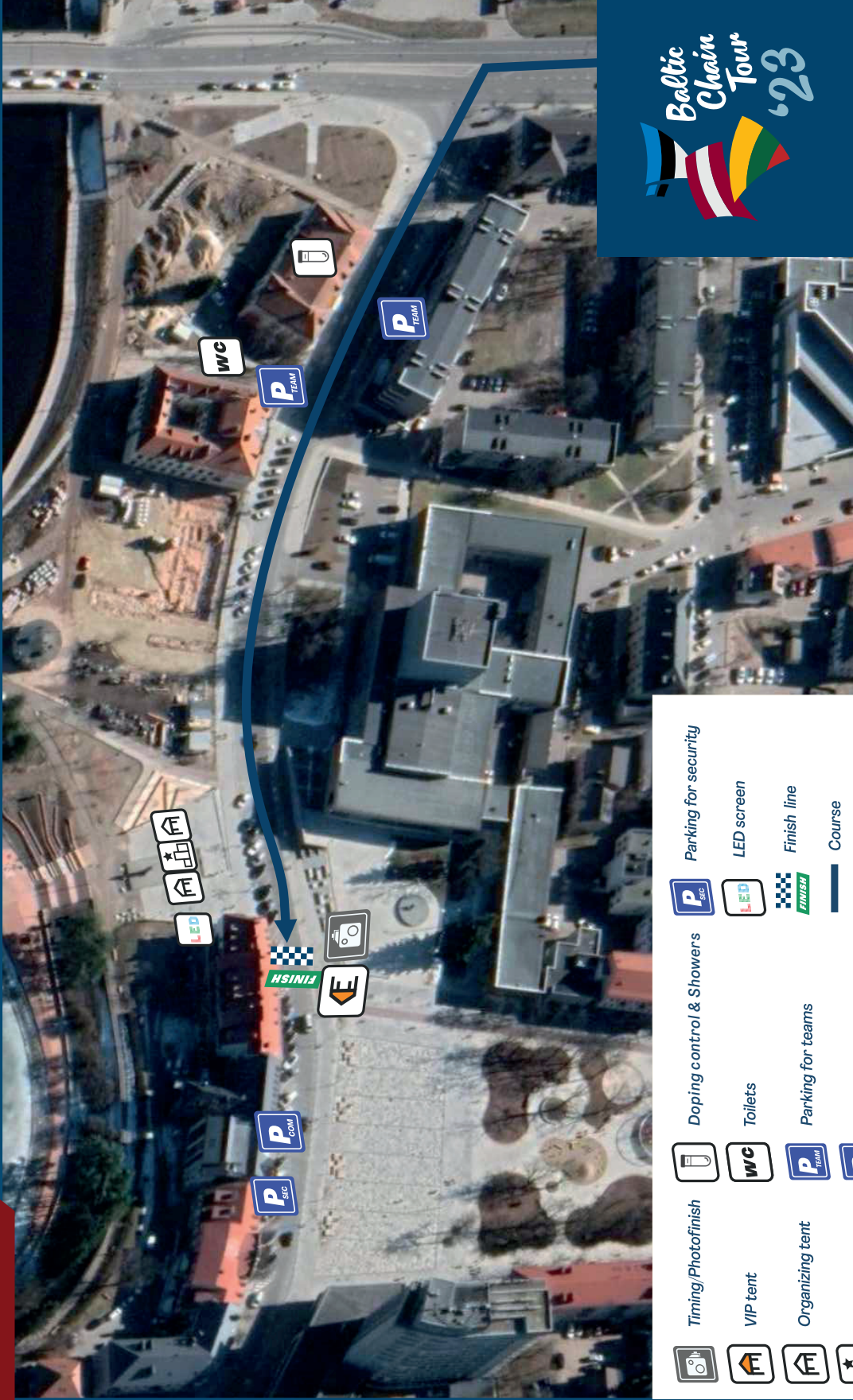
STAGE 3



START Official Start — Technical Start — Ceremonial Start — Course — Trash zone — Trash zone — Level crossing — Intermediate Sprint — Finish

20.08.2023 / START FINISH area / Panevėžys / 55.80239, 25.04074

STAGE 3



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STAGE 3

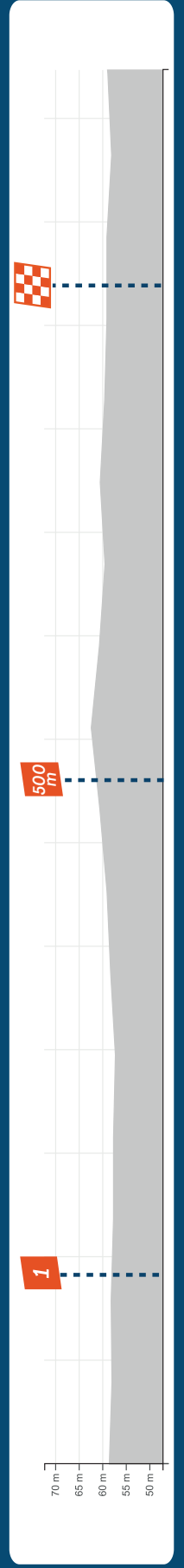
ROUTE LEGEND

From Start	To go	Turn	Location/Direction	Average speed			GPS coordinates
km	km			km/h	km/h	km/h	
				48	45	42	
5.0			Ceremonial start at Elektros str. Laisvės sguar Panevėžys	11:00:00	11:00:00	11:00:00	55.72924, 24.36278
0.0	156.5	↑	Technical start at Vaivadaai city end	11:07:00	11:07:00	11:07:00	
3.7	152.8	←	road 191 Vabalninkas	11:11:38	11:11:56	11:12:17	
3.9	152.6	→	Paliūniškis city beginning	11:11:53	11:12:12	11:12:34	
4.5	152.0	↑	narrow bridge over the river !!!	11:12:38	11:13:00	11:13:26	
4.7	151.8	←	road 191	11:12:53	11:13:16	11:13:43	
33.8	122.7	↑	Vabalninkas city beginning (small area)	11:49:15	11:52:04	11:55:17	
34.8	121.7	↑	1-st IS	11:50:30	11:53:24	11:56:43	55.97072, 24.73343
35.0	121.5	→	roundabout first exit road 124	11:50:45	11:53:40	11:57:00	
56.2	100.3	←	6% slope !!! – road 2407 Marių str.	12:17:15	12:21:56	12:27:17	
59.2	97.3	→	Kupiškio lagoon dam	12:21:00	12:25:56	12:31:34	
60.4	96.1	→	Vėžiuonų str.	12:22:30	12:27:32	12:33:17	
60.8	95.7	↑	Pergalės str.	12:23:00	12:28:04	12:33:51	
61.3	95.2	↑	Gedimino str.	12:23:38	12:28:44	12:34:34	
61.9	94.6	↑	2-nd IS	12:24:23	12:29:32	12:35:26	55.83727, 24.97698
62.9	93.6	→	roundabout first exit Panevėžio str.	12:25:38	12:30:52	12:36:51	
63.7	92.8	←	roundabout, third exit	12:26:38	12:31:56	12:38:00	
65.5	91.0	→	roundabout, first exit road 118 Utena	12:28:53	12:34:20	12:40:34	
67.8	88.7	↑	1st Feeding and Trash Zone START	12:31:45	12:37:24	12:43:51	55.80801, 25.03058
68.8	87.7	↑	1st Feeding Zone End	12:33:00	12:38:44	12:45:17	55.80239, 25.04074
69.8	86.7	↑	1st Trash zone End	12:34:15	12:40:04	12:46:43	55.79511, 25.05391
72.5	84.0	→	road 175 Viešintos	12:37:38	12:43:40	12:50:34	

<i>From Start</i>	<i>To go</i>	<i>Turn</i>	<i>Location/Direction</i>	<i>Average speed</i>			<i>GPS coordinates</i>
83.4	73.1	←	road 175	12:51:15	12:58:12	13:06:09	
93.1	63.4	→	road 175	13:03:23	13:11:08	13:20:00	
104.1	52.4	→	road 121	13:17:08	13:25:48	13:35:43	
114.1	42.4	↑	narrow diagonal rails !!!	13:29:38	13:39:08	13:50:00	
116.3	40.2	↑	3-rd IS	13:32:23	13:42:04	13:53:09	55.58654, 24.87031
125.2	31.3	→	road 121 Juostininkai	13:43:30	13:53:56	14:05:51	
150.8	5.7	↑	Velžys city end, Trash zone START	14:15:30	14:28:04	14:42:26	55.70172, 24.42856
152.8	3.7	↑	Trash zone END	14:18:00	14:30:44	14:45:17	55.71435, 24.40569
153.4	3.1	↑	Panevėžys city beginning	14:18:45	14:31:32	14:46:09	
154.8	1.7	←	Vilniaus str.	14:20:30	14:33:24	14:48:09	
155.8	0.7	→	J. Basanavičiaus str.	14:21:45	14:34:44	14:49:34	
156.2	0.3	←	Elektros str.	14:22:15	14:35:16	14:50:09	
156.5	0.0	↑	FINISH	14:22:38	14:35:40	14:50:34	55.72924, 24.36278

STAGE 3

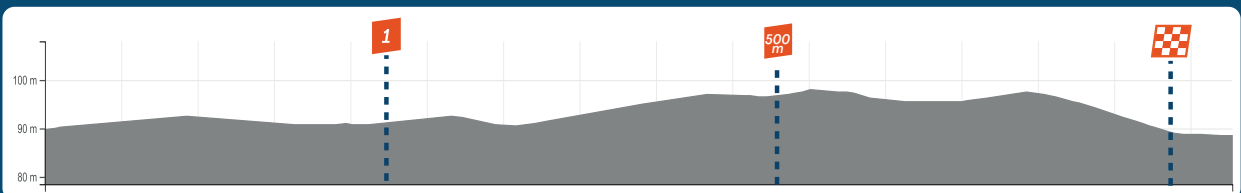
20.08.2023 / 1 Intermediate Sprint / Vabalninkas / 34,8 km / 55.97072, 24.73343



- Course
- 1 Last kilometers
- 500 m Last 500 meters
- Intermediate Sprint

STAGE 3

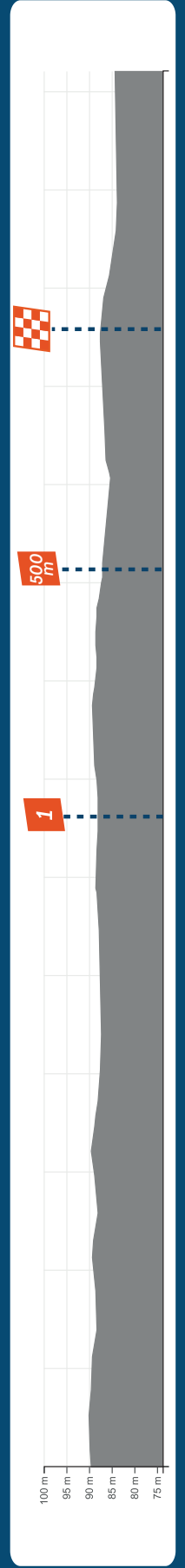
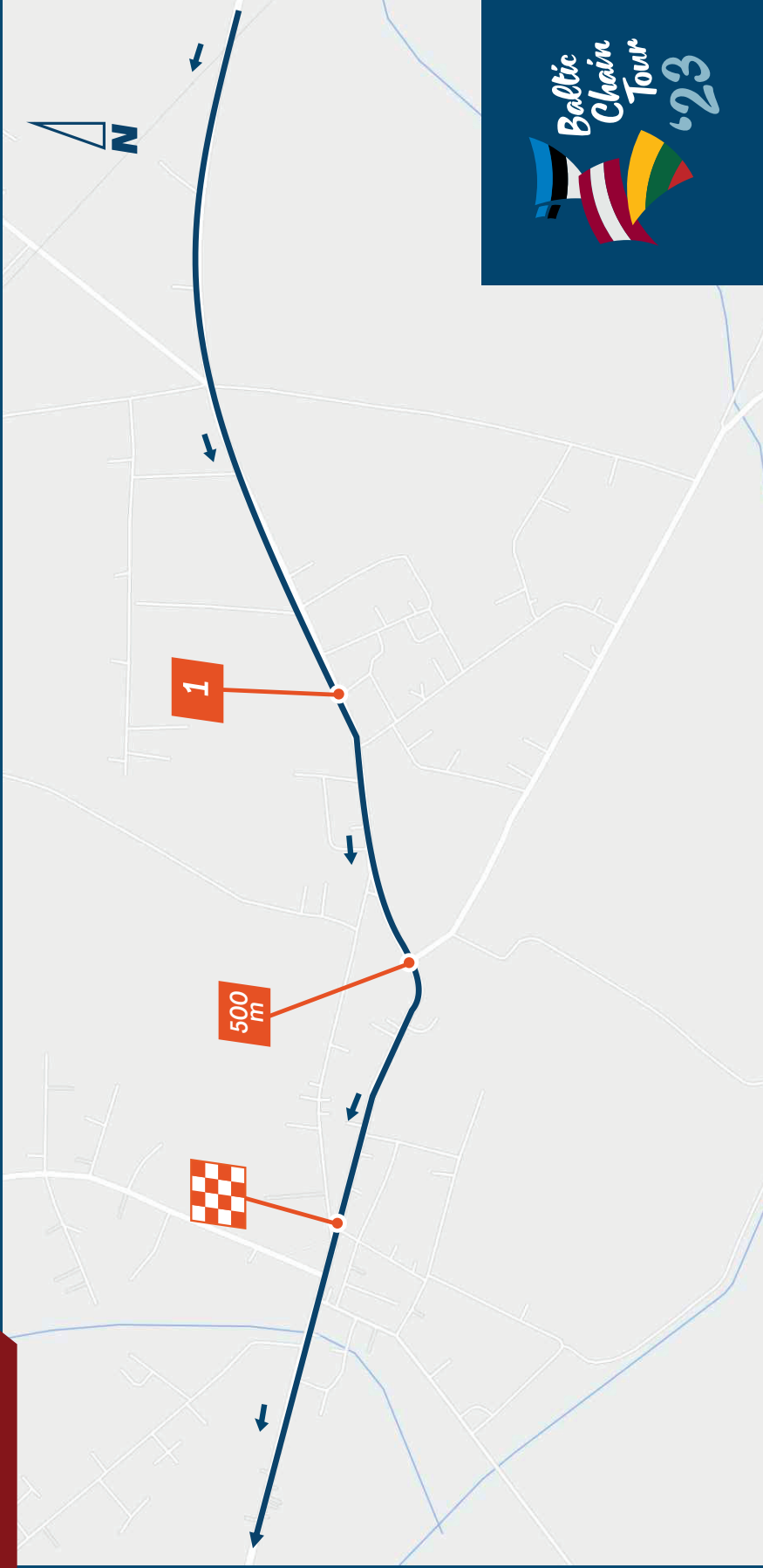
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Kupiškis / 61,9 km / 55.83727, 24.97698



— Course 1 Last kilometers 500 m Last 500 meters [checkered flag] Intermediate Sprint

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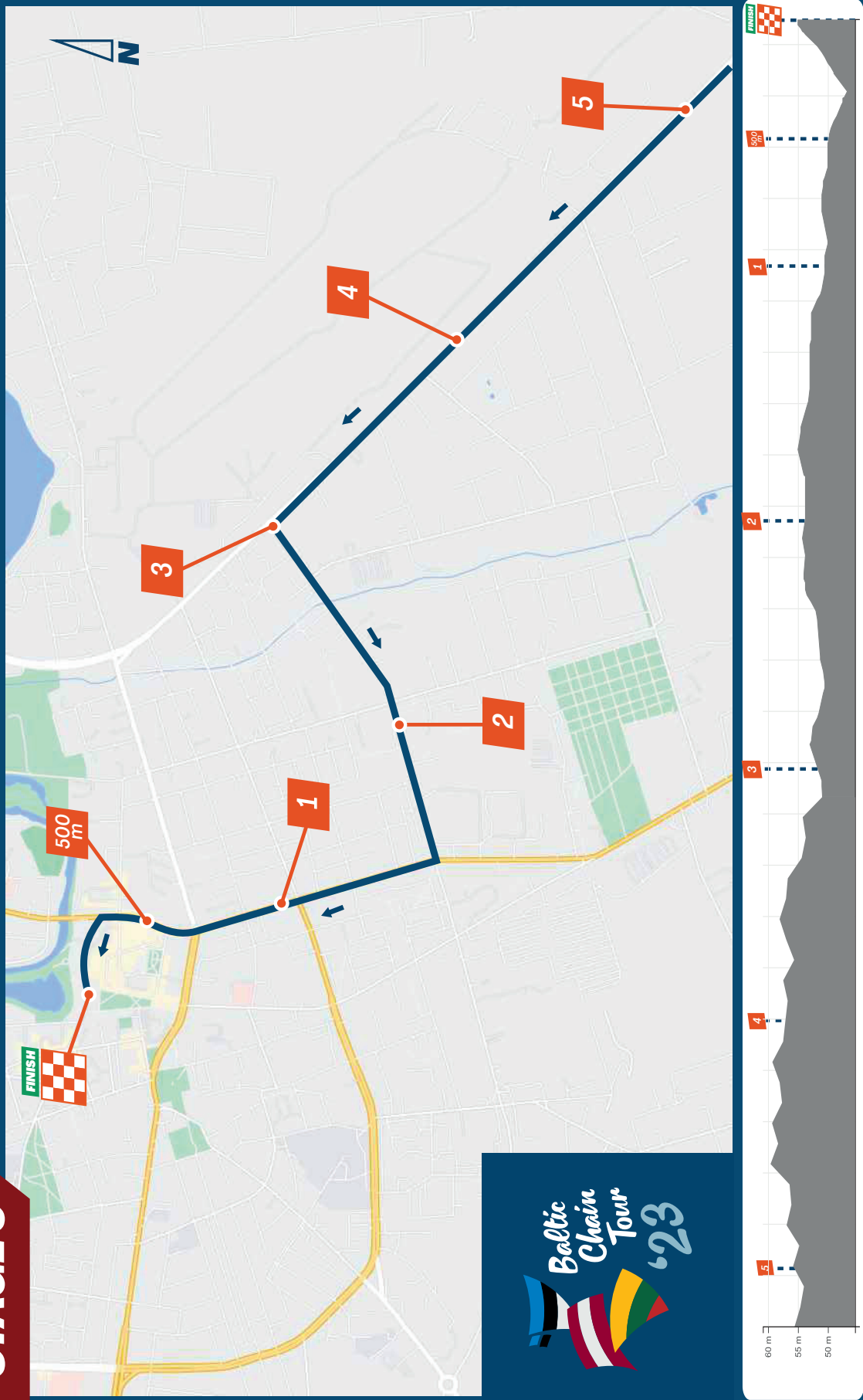
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- Course
- 1 Last kilometers
- 500 m Last 500 meters
- 1 Intermediate Sprint

20.08.2023 / FINISH / Panevežys / Last 5 km

STAGE 3



— Course
1 Last kilometers
500 m Last 500 meters
FINISH Finish

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