

GENERAL RACE INFORMATION – 10th ISTRIA GRAN FONDO

12–13 April 2024

Umag

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ENTRY FEES

Race	Until 31.10.2023.	Until 31.1.2024.	From 31.1.-12.4.2024.
Time trial	19,00 €	24,00 €	27,00 €
Istria Gran Fondo	40,00 €	50,00 €	60,00 €
Time trial + Gran Fondo	50,00 €	60,00 €	75,00 €

THE FOLLOWING WILL BE AVAILABLE TO THE REGISTERED PARTICIPANTS:

Race pack, medical assistance, technical support on the track, pasta party, refreshments at start and finish line, valuable prizes and service point in the expo zone.

TIME TRACKING AND RECORDING

Time will be tracked and recorded automatically by Protime using a computerised chip system.

PRIZES

Valuable gift packs and sponsor prizes will be awarded to the top 3 places in each category. First 25% in each age group qualify for the world championships.

WOMEN | 19 - 49 → GRAN FONDO

WOMEN | 50+ → MEDIO FONDO

MEN | 19 - 59 → GRAN FONDO

MEN | 60+ → MEDIO FONDO

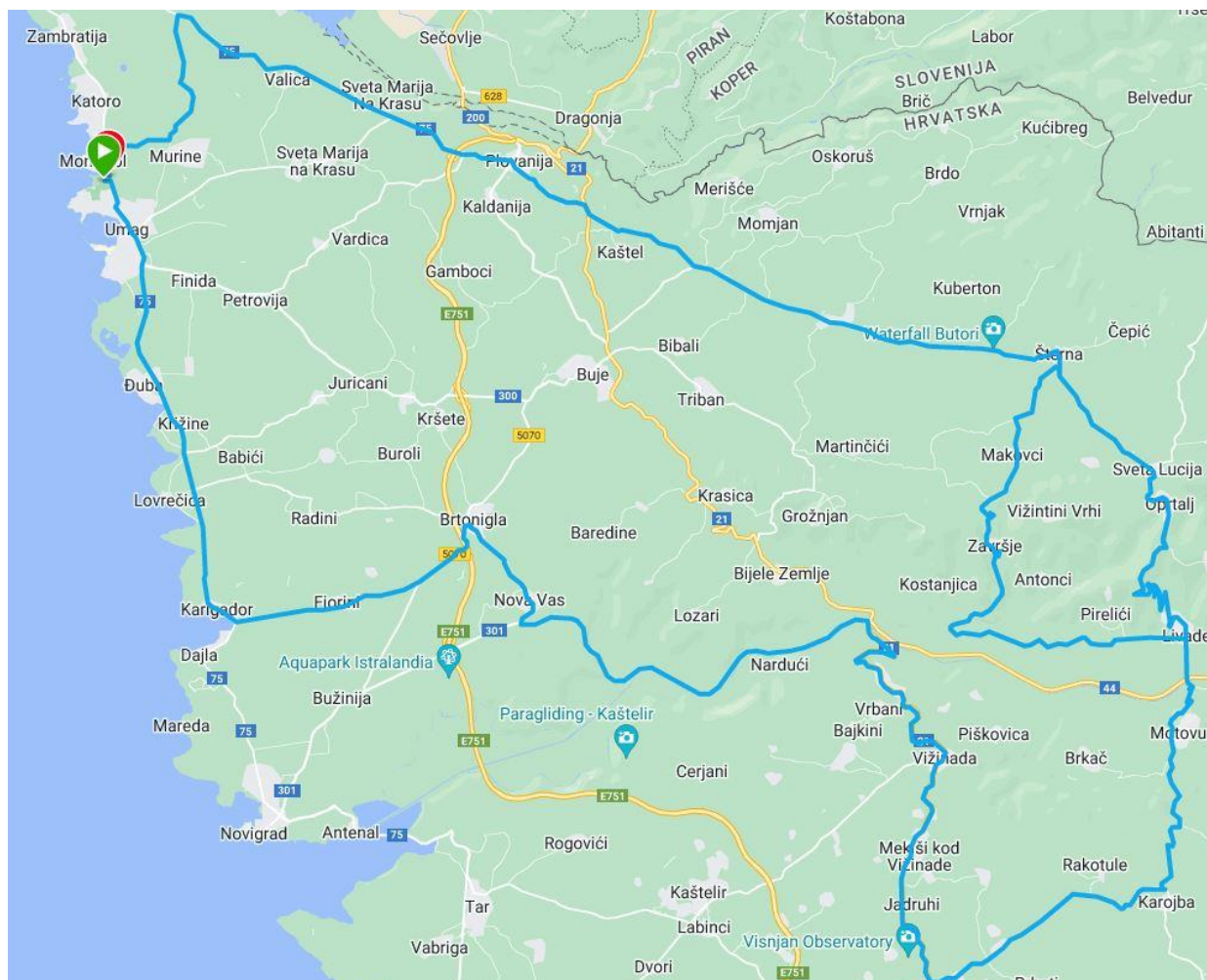
*all competitors over the age of 16 can apply. Competitors over the age of 19 compete for the UCI World Series World Cup 2024

*all professional competitors can apply, but are not competing for the UCI World Series World Cup 2024

Istria Gran Fondo

UMAG – KARIGADOR – BRTONIGLA – NOVA VAS – PONTE PORTON – VIŽINADA – KAROJBA – MOTOVUN – LIVADE – OPRTALJ – ŠTERNA – ZAVRŠJE – LIVADE – OPRTALJ – ŠTERNA – KREMENJE – KAŠTEL – PLOVANJE – UMAG

<https://connect.garmin.com/modern/course/85179515>



119.26 km

Distance

Road Cycling

Course Type

Elevation

1,503 m

Total Ascent

1,501 m

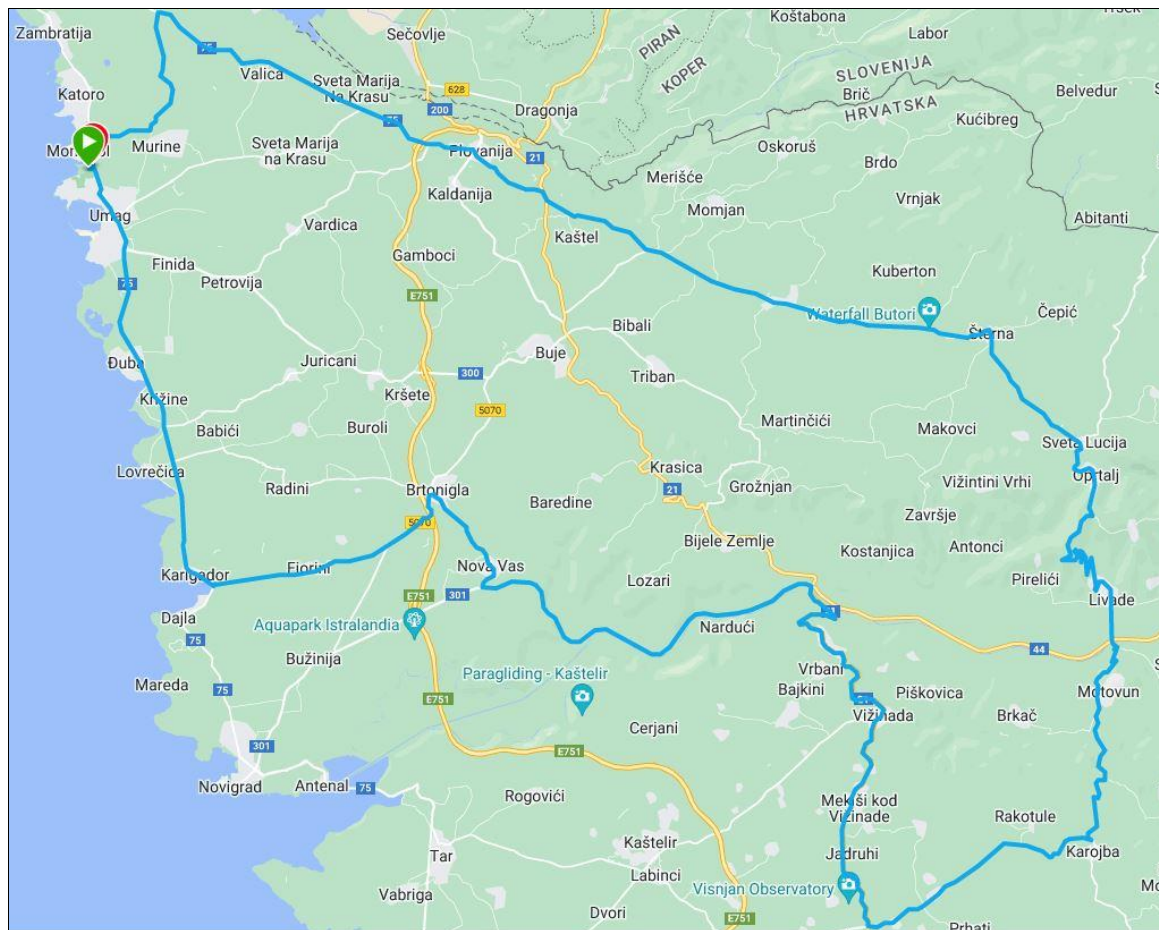
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Istria Medio Fondo

UMAG – KARIGADOR – BRTONIGLA – NOVA VAS – PONTE PORTON – VIŽINADA – KAROJBA –
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<https://connect.garmin.com/modern/course/85166355>



93.92 km

Distance

Road Cycling

Course Type

Elevation

1,071 m

Total Ascent

1,069 m

Total Descent



START OF THE GRAN FONDO AND MEDIO FONDO RACE

The race will start with the flag, which will mark the start of timing for all participants. Timing ends when the finish line is crossed. The participant who crosses the finish line first will be the winner of the race in his age category.

START OF RACE AND TIME MEASUREMENT FOR INDIVIDUAL TIME TRIAL

Departures take place every 30 seconds from the ramp. Participants are asked to arrive at the starting ramp at the scheduled time, no later than 15 minutes before the race. Timing will end when they cross the finish line.

GENERAL RACE RULES AND REGULATIONS

Road rules of the UCI and the Croatian Cycling Federation as well as general rules of the UCI apply to this event. By starting the race, the riders acknowledge that they are familiar with the above rules and that they participate in the race at their own risk. The event organiser will not be held responsible for any third-party damage incurred by the riders. The event will be held regardless of weather conditions. The event organiser reserves the right to change the race conditions without prior notice.

RACE SAFETY

The track will be clearly marked with a system of arrows and boards and flags. The race will take place on a road open to traffic. Participants must comply, in all circumstances, with the applicable regulations. For the sake of fair-play and to avoid possible problems, drivers will be immediately eliminated if they are caught using a third-party motorized assistance, outside the organization.

EQUIPMENT

Cyclists can choose the bike of their choice (road bike, mountain bike, city bike, hybrid bike) with the exception of electric bike, tandem bike, manual bike or recumbent bike. Time trial bikes are prohibited for Saturday's road race. Wearing a helmet is mandatory during the entire race. Participants are free to wear the jersey of their choice in qualifying events.

CANCELATION POLICY

A full refund of the deposited funds can be requested until January 31, 2024.

COMPLAINTS

According to the rules, complaints can be filed in writing with an 26.52 EUR deposit. It is possible to file complaints about the race developments within 15 minutes after the race has finished. It is possible to file complaints about the rankings within 15 minutes from the moment they have been published.

BY REGISTERING FOR THE RACE, EACH PARTICIPANT EXPRESSLY STATES THAT:

- They will participate in the race at their own risk and that they are familiar with the applicable race rules and regulations;
- They waive their right to request any damages from the event organiser other than that attributed to the intentional or negligent actions of the event organiser;
- They will not hold the event organiser responsible for any potential lack of success at the race;
- The organiser will not be held liable for any direct or indirect, accidental, immaterial or material damages, losses or expenses of the participant;
- They are mentally and physically fit to participate in the race;
- The organiser may use and process all video and photo recordings free of charge, display them in public and use them to promote the race;
- By registering for the race, they waive their right to challenge this statement on whatever grounds.

By adhering to these General Rules and Regulations, the participant agrees to comply with all rules of the Istria Gran Fondo race organised by ISTRA D.M.C. d.o.o. company.

During the Istria Gran Fondo race, ISTRA D.M.C. d.o.o. will make video, audio and photo recordings of the event. Some of these recordings will be used for promotional purposes. By adhering to these General Rules and Regulations, the participants agree that such recordings may be used to promote Istria Gran Fondo under the terms and conditions stated herein and that they are not entitled to compensation. ISTRA D.M.C. d.o.o. will disregard any claims resulting from the use of photographs and video recordings for promotional purposes.

The event organiser reserves the right to change the timetable and routes with prior notice on the Facebook page and the bulletin board.

ADDITIONAL NOTES AND INFORMATION

- a) **The Medio Fondo and Gran Fondo race routes split** in Šterna (66 km). Warning notices will be put up at an appropriate distance from the splitting point of the race routes.
- b) **Hazardous spots on the race route** – Hazardous descent at 50–54 km (Karojba–Livade) (Medio Fondo and Gran Fondo) and hazardous descent at 70–75 km (Završje–Livade) (Gran Fondo).
- c) **An official vehicle (amber light)** will accompany the riders, driving up to 30 minutes behind the leading rider. All the riders lagging behind the official vehicle will ride at their own risk and are kindly asked to adhere to the traffic regulations.
- d) **Feed zones and technical zones:**
 1. Vižinada (36 km) – Gran Fondo and Medio Fondo
 2. Oprtalj (60.5 km) – Gran Fondo and Medio Fondo
 3. Oprtalj (85.7 km) – Gran Fondo
 4. Umag (finish) – Gran Fondo and Medio Fondo
- e) **Hospitals along the race route:**
 1. Pula General Hospital, Zagrebačka 30, 52100 Pula; tel: +385 52 376 100
 2. Pazin Health Care Centre, Jurja Dobrile 1, 52000 Pazin; tel: +385 52 624 317
 3. Umag Health Care Centre, Edoarda Pascalia 3, 52470, Umag; tel: +385 52 702 202

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

By registering for the race, I acknowledge that my data are correct and that the event organiser may use them. I agree to receive promotional communications from the event organiser. I am fit to participate in the race and will accept medical assistance in case of injury or health risk.

The race will be held regardless of weather conditions!

Follow our official [website](#) and [Facebook page](#) for all notices and information.

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