

# SKI RESORTS IN SLOVENIA



# TOP 10

## BIGGEST DESTINATIONS & 50 BEST SKI RUNS



**MARIBORSKO POHORJE**

**KANIN – BOVEC**

**KRVAVEC**

**VOGEL SKI CENTER**

**KRANJSKA GORA**

**CERKNO**

**STARI VRH – SKI CENTER**

**ROGLA**

**GOLTE**

**KOPE**

### THE ULTIMATE SKI GUIDE

- ✓ MAPS & DETAILS OF SKI RESORTS
- ✓ RECOMMENDED SKI RUNS OVERVIEW
- ✓ SKI RUN MAPS

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# INTRODUCTION

**Welcome to the Top 10 Biggest Ski Resorts in Slovenia! In this eBook, we've compiled everything you need to plan an unforgettable skiing adventure on the slopes of Slovenia.**



**Here, you'll find:**

- Detailed descriptions and parameters of the resorts, complete with maps
- Specifications of the top ski runs
- Ski run maps

**We have skied in more than 100 ski resorts across Europe. Our collected experiences, along with our own photos and videos, were used to create this guide.**



## SKIING IN SLOVENIA - ALPINE CHARM & AFFORDABLE SLOPES

Slovenia offers a unique skiing experience, combining the picturesque scenery of the Julian Alps, affordable prices, and a welcoming atmosphere. While it may not be as globally recognized as neighboring Italy or Austria, Slovenia attracts skiers looking for smaller, less crowded resorts with breathtaking views and modern infrastructure.

### Why Choose Slovenia for Skiing?

#### 1 Diverse Mountain Ranges & Terrain

- ✓ Julian Alps – Home to the highest ski resorts with reliable snow conditions
- ✓ Kamnik-Savinja Alps & Pohorje – Smaller but charming ski regions with excellent facilities

#### 2 Ski Slopes for Every Level

- ✓ For beginners: Gentle slopes in Rogla & Vogel – ideal for learning
- ✓ For intermediates: Long scenic runs in Kanin - Bovec & Mariborsko Pohorje
- ✓ For advanced skiers: Challenging slopes in Kranjska Gora & Krvavec

#### 3 Modern Ski Infrastructure

- ✓ High-speed lifts, gondolas & snowmaking systems – Ensuring optimal conditions
- ✓ Night skiing – Available in selected resorts
- ✓ Top-rated ski schools – Perfect for beginners & families

#### 4 Affordable Winter Holidays

- ✓ Lower ski pass, accommodation & food prices compared to Austria, Italy & Switzerland
- ✓ Great value for money – High-quality services at reasonable prices

## 5 Breathtaking Scenery

- ✓ Ski resorts with panoramic views of the Julian Alps, Lake Bohinj & Triglav



## Freeride & Snowparks

 Off-Piste & Freeride

- ✓ Kanin - Sella Nevea - A paradise for freeriders & deep snow enthusiasts

 Snowparks for Freestylers


- ✓ Rogla & Vogel - Well-maintained parks with jumps, rails & obstacles

## Cross-Country Skiing


 Slovenia is also a fantastic destination for Nordic skiing:

- ✓ Planica - A world-famous cross-country & ski jumping center
- ✓ Rogla - Scenic trails through snow-covered landscapes

## Après-Ski & Winter Activities

 Wellness & Thermal Spas

- ✓ Terme Zreče (Rogla) & Dolenjske Toplice - Perfect for relaxation after skiing

 Slovenian Cuisine & Local Specialties



✓ Try štruklji (rolled dumplings), jota (hearty stew), and Slovenian wines

🏔️ Outdoor Adventures Beyond Skiing

✓ Sledding, snowshoeing & glacier tours for non-skiers

### Why Visit Slovenia for Skiing?

✓ Perfect for families, beginners & intermediate skiers

✓ Less crowded slopes with a friendly atmosphere

✓ Affordable ski resorts with excellent service

✓ Breathtaking landscapes & diverse winter activities

**While Slovenia may not compete in size with Alpine resorts, it makes up for it with stunning nature, modern facilities, and a unique charm. For those looking for a relaxing and scenic winter vacation, Slovenia is an ideal skiing destination.** 🏂❄️🏔️







No.	Ski Resort	Region	City	Ski run length (km)	Altitude difference (m)
1	Mariborsko Pohorje	Slovenia	Maribor	42	999
2	Kanin - Bovec	Slovenia	Bovec	30	1856
3	Krvavec	Slovenia	Cerklje na Gorenjskem	30	521
4	Vogel Ski Center	Slovenia	Ukanc	22	1231
5	Kranjska Gora	Slovenia	Kranjska Gora	20	485
6	Cerkno	Slovenia	Dolenji Novaki	18	347
7	Stari Vrh - Ski Center	Slovenia	Četena Ravan	12	637
8	Rogla	Slovenia	Rogla	12	447
9	Golte	Slovenia	Mozirje	12	296
10	Kope	Slovenia	Slovenj Gradec	8	532



## CRITERIA FOR THE „TOP BIGGEST SKI RESORTS IN 10 EUROPEAN COUNTRIES” RANKINGS

1. **The ranking includes the largest ski resorts, in terms of the length of ski runs counted in kilometers.** The results of the ranking have been compiled taking into account the following principles:

a. **The runs in the resort are connected by a network of ski lifts** and do not require travel by bus or car.

b. **Only the groomed ski runs marked as blue, red and black are taken into account.** Ski touring and freeride routes are not included.

c. **If the length of the ski runs in the resorts is comparable, the parameter of elevation**, i.e. the difference in height between the highest and the lowest point on the runs in the resort, is also taken into account. The resort with the higher elevation has a higher ranking.

d. **The resort was open (most runs open) for more than 30 days in the 2022/23 ski season.**

e. If the resort is located on the border of two countries:

- The entire resort is included in the TOP 10 Europe ranking;
- Only the part of a resort that is located in a particular country is included in the TOP 10 Country ranking;
- Only the part of a resort that is located in a particular region is included in the TOP 10 Region ranking.

f. In the case of resorts situated on the border of two regions, only the part of a resort that is located in a region (the region where the majority of the resort is situated) is taken into account.

g. **Each of the ten countries was divided into Ski Regions with the highest number of ski resorts and ski runs.** If a country has a small area or less than 3 ski regions meeting the minimum criteria, then the whole country is regarded as one Ski Region, e.g. Slovenia, or is combined with a neighboring country like Andorra, added as an Andorra Ski Region of Spain.

2. The compilation covers 10 European countries: **Austria, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Italy, Poland, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland.**

3. TOP 10 BIGGEST SKI RESORTS IN EUROPE ranking - a list of the ten largest ski resorts in terms of the number of kilometers of ski runs in Europe.



4. TOP 10 BIGGEST SKI RESORTS IN ONE COUNTRY ranking - a list of the ten biggest ski resorts in terms of the number of kilometers of ski runs in each of the 10 countries separately:

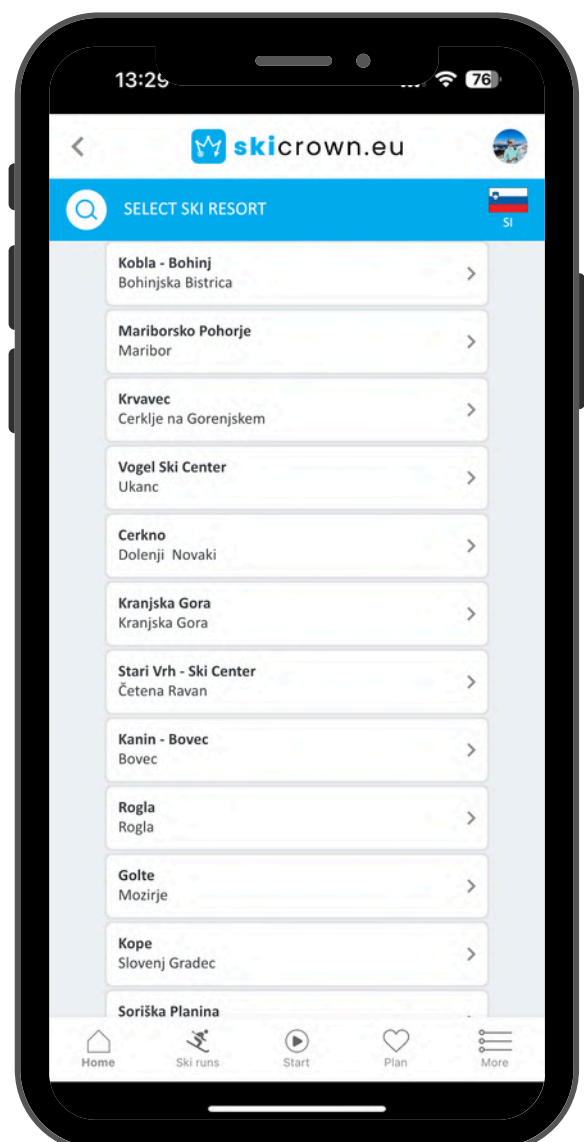
- TOP 10 BIGGEST SKI RESORTS IN AUSTRIA
- TOP 10 BIGGEST SKI RESORTS IN CZECH REPUBLIC
- TOP 10 BIGGEST SKI RESORTS IN FRANCE
- TOP 10 BIGGEST SKI RESORTS IN GERMANY
- TOP 10 BIGGEST SKI RESORTS IN ITALY
- TOP 10 BIGGEST SKI RESORTS IN POLAND
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- TOP 10 BIGGEST SKI RESORTS IN SPAIN
- TOP 10 BIGGEST SKI RESORTS IN SWITZERLAND

5. The TOP Region ranking is a list of the largest ski resorts in terms of the number of kilometers of ski runs in the country's largest Regions.

**Additionally, in the skicrown.eu ski app, we have introduced the TOP Region ranking, which lists the largest ski resorts based on the total number of ski run kilometers in the major regions of each country.**

**ENJOY THE GUIDE,**  
*and see you on the slopes!*

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A photograph of two men in a ski rental shop. The man on the left, wearing a brown t-shirt, is holding a pair of skis. The man on the right, wearing a green and yellow ski jacket, is gesturing with his hands. The background shows shelves with ski gear and a computer monitor.

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# MARIBORSKO POHORJE

Maribor



SI

328 - 1327 m AMSL

Altitude difference 999 m

SKI RUNS: **42 km**

24 km

13 km

5 km

SKI LIFTS: **16**

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[Ski Map: https://www.visitpohorje.si/en/skiing/](https://www.visitpohorje.si/en/skiing/)

## Mariborsko Pohorje – Slovenia's Largest Ski Resort

**Mariborsko Pohorje is the largest ski resort in Slovenia, located in the picturesque Pohorje mountain range, near the historic city of Maribor. Known for its diverse slopes, excellent infrastructure, and stunning views, the resort is a top destination for skiers, snowboarders, and winter enthusiasts from across Europe.**

The resort regularly hosts the prestigious FIS World Cup event, Zlata Lisica (Golden Fox), adding to its reputation as one of the country's best skiing destinations. With its proximity to Maribor, Slovenia's second-largest city, visitors can enjoy both mountain charm and urban attractions.


### Ski Slopes & Conditions

 Total ski area: 42 km of slopes

- ✓ 24 km of blue runs – Ideal for beginners and families
- ✓ 13 km of red runs – Great for intermediate skiers
- ✓ 5 km of black runs – Challenging slopes for advanced skiers

 Three interconnected ski zones:

- ✓ Maribor – Lower-altitude slopes, accessible from the city
- ✓ Areh – Mid-level area with scenic trails
- ✓ Bellevue – Higher-altitude slopes, home to the Zlata Lisica World Cup course

 Reliable snow conditions – Well-maintained slopes with modern snowmaking systems ensure great skiing throughout the season.

### Lift System & Accessibility

 16 modern lifts, including:

- ✓ High-speed gondolas, chairlifts & drag lifts
- ✓ Key lift: "Pohorska Vzpenjača" gondola – Connects Maribor to Bellevue, providing fast access to the upper slopes
- ✓ High lift capacity – Reduces waiting times, even during peak season



### Easy Access

- ✓ Close to Austria & Croatia – A favorite destination for cross-border skiers
- ✓ Well-connected with Maribor – Regular ski buses link the resort with the city

### **Freestyle & Off-Piste Skiing**

#### Freestyle & Snowpark

- ✓ One of Slovenia's best snowparks, featuring boxes, rails, jumps & kickers
- ✓ Freestyle competitions & training events held regularly

#### Freeride & Off-Piste Skiing

- ✓ Challenging tree runs & untouched powder slopes – Popular after fresh snowfall

### **Family-Friendly & Kids' Activities**

#### Ideal for families with children

- ✓ Ski schools & kid-friendly slopes – Perfect for beginners
- ✓ Ski kindergarten – Childcare & fun activities for the youngest visitors
- ✓ Dedicated children's zones – Equipped with gentle slopes & ski tapes

### **Après-Ski & Dining**

#### Traditional Slovenian Cuisine & Mountain Huts

- ✓ Popular restaurant: "Bellevue" – Try žlikrofi (Slovenian dumplings) & venison goulash
- ✓ Apres-ski bars & wine cellars – Relax with live music, regional wines & mulled drinks

#### Accommodation Options

- ✓ Luxury hotels: Hotel Habakuk & Hotel Bellevue – Ski-in/ski-out access, spa & fine dining
- ✓ Budget-friendly options in Maribor – Great value hotels & guesthouses

## Winter Activities & Events

### Beyond Skiing

- ✓ Tobogganing, snowshoeing & ice skating
- ✓ Trips to Maribor – Explore the city's historic old town, museums & vineyards

### Key Events

- ✓ FIS World Cup – Zlata Lisica (Golden Fox) – One of Slovenia's most prestigious ski competitions
- ✓ Winter festivals, concerts & apres-ski parties


## Easy Travel & Accessibility

### By Car:

- ✓ Well-connected via the A1 highway, just 10 km from Maribor

### Nearest Airports:

- ✓ Maribor Airport (10 km) – Closest regional airport
- ✓ Ljubljana (130 km) & Graz, Austria (70 km) – Offering international connections

 Regular ski buses connect Maribor to the resort, making travel convenient and hassle-free.

## Why Visit Mariborsko Pohorje?

- ✓ Largest ski resort in Slovenia
- ✓ Great mix of slopes for all skill levels
- ✓ Freestyle, freeride & family-friendly activities
- ✓ Rich après-ski scene & Slovenian cuisine
- ✓ Easy access from Austria, Croatia & beyond

**With its modern infrastructure, diverse trails & lively atmosphere, Mariborsko Pohorje is a must-visit winter destination in Slovenia.**   



## TOP 9 SKI RUNS IN MARIBORSKO POHORJE


 Ski run 7+1 FIS Slalom + Turistična Proga  
**No. 8 of the TOP 10 Black Runs in Slovenia**

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 Ski run 1 Turistična Proga  
**No. 3 of the TOP 10 Longest Runs in Slovenia**

 Ski run 4+5a Mariborski Slalom + Miranova Proga A  
**No. 9 of the TOP 10 Longest Runs in Slovenia**

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 Ski run 12 Marinova Proga

 Ski run 9 Repova Proga

 Ski run 18 Partizanovo

 Ski run 16 Ruški Smuk

 Ski run 15+14 Cvirnova Proga + Areška Pot

 Ski run 23 Pisker



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## TOP 9 SKI RUNS IN MARIBORSKO POHORJE

### TOP 10 LONGEST SKI RUNS IN SLOVENIA





## SKI RUN 7+1 FIS SLALOM + TURISTIČNA PROGA NO. 8 OF THE TOP 10 BLACK SKI RUNS IN SLOVENIA

- ❄ Length of the ski run: **3000 m**
- ❄ Altitude difference: **710 m**
- ❄ Average gradient: **24%**

Level of difficulty: [REDACTED]

### Ski run details:

 **START** A -Vzpenjača  
1040 m AMSL

 **STOP** A -Vzpenjača  
330 m AMSL



## SKI RUN 1 TURISTIČNA PROGA

### NO. 3 OF THE TOP 10 LONGEST SKI RUNS IN SLOVENIA

❄ Length of the ski run: **5000 m**

❄ Altitude difference: **715 m**

❄ Average gradient: **14%**

Level of difficulty:



#### Ski run details:



**D -Sleme**

1045 m AMSL



**A -Vzpenjača**

330 m AMSL





## SKI RUN 4+5A MARIBORSKI SLALOM + MIRANOVA PROGA A

### NO. 9 OF THE TOP 10 LONGEST SKI RUNS IN SLOVENIA

- ❄ Length of the ski run: **2700 m**
- ❄ Altitude difference: **560 m**
- ❄ Average gradient: **21%**

Level of difficulty:



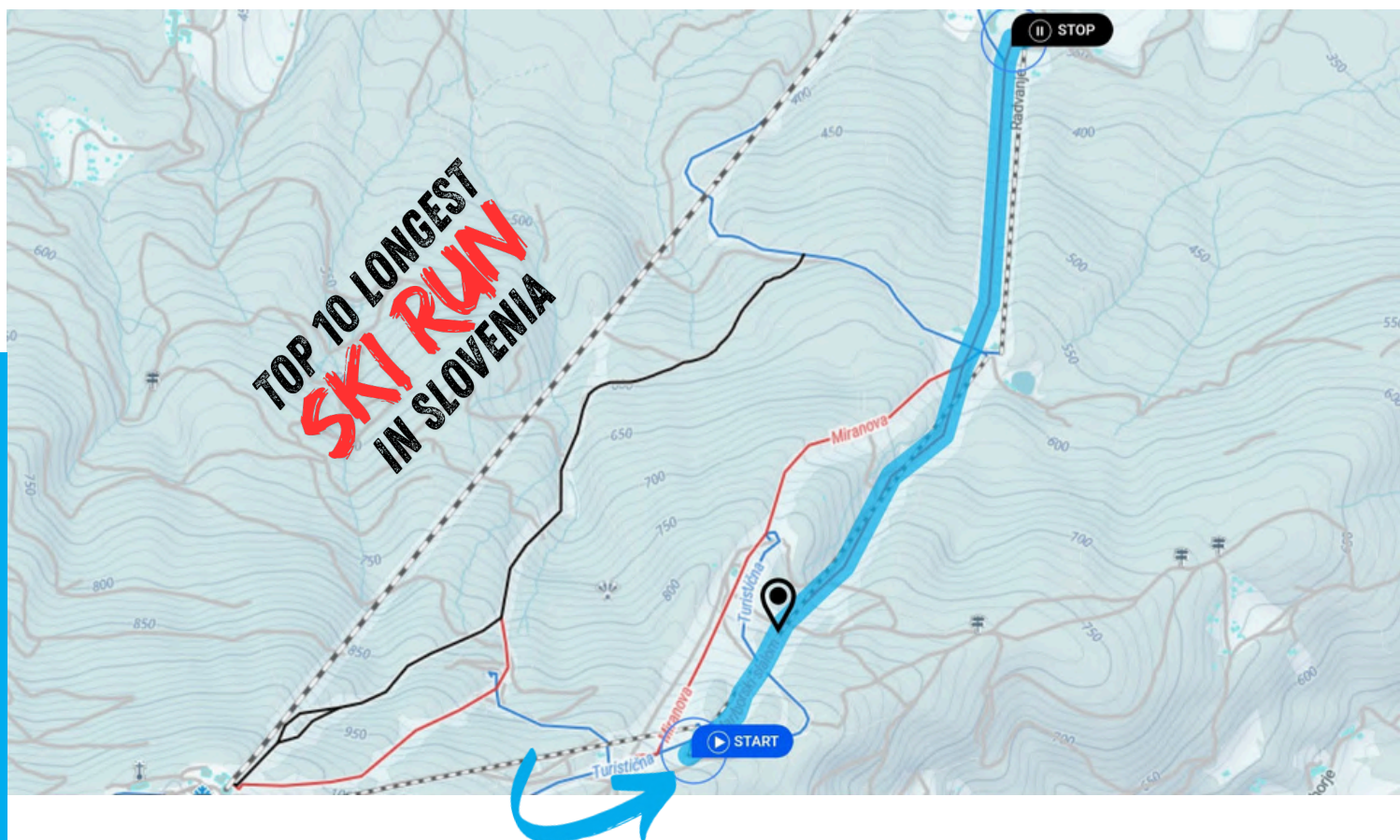
Ski run details:



**C -Poštela**  
895 m AMSL



**B -Radvanje**  
335 m AMSL



## SKI RUN 12 MARINOVA PROGA

❄ Length of the ski run: **1200 m**

❄ Altitude difference: **190 m**

❄ Average gradient: **16%**

Level of difficulty:  

### Ski run details:

 **START** **J-Videc**  
1165 m AMSL

 **STOP** **J-Videc**  
975 m AMSL





## SKI RUN 9 REPOVA PROGA

❄ Length of the ski run: **1200 m**

❄ Altitude difference: **115 m**

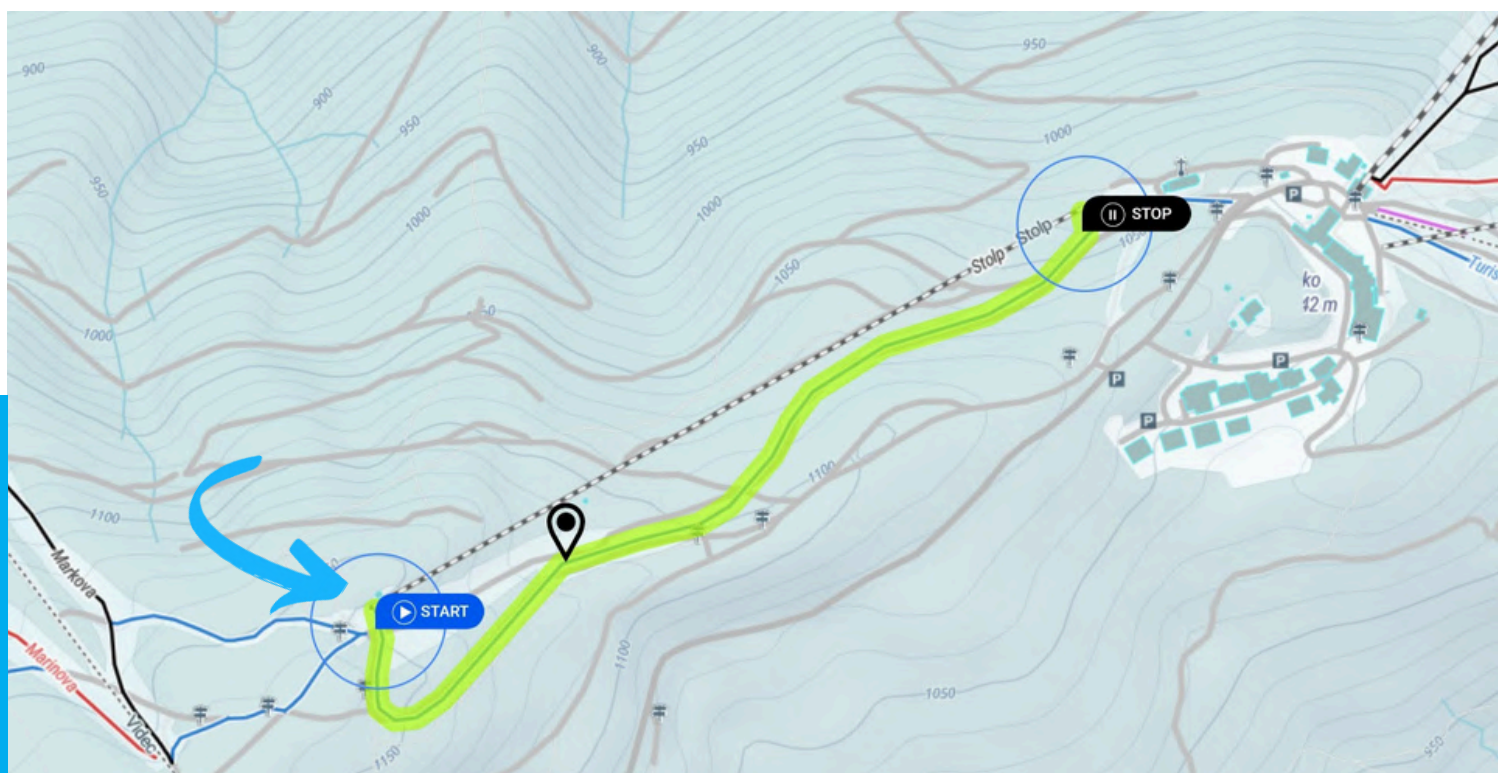
❄ Average gradient: **10%**

Level of difficulty: 

### Ski run details:

 **START** I-Stolp  
1150 m AMSL

 **STOP** I-Stolp  
1035 m AMSL



## SKI RUN 18 PARTIZANOVO

❄ Length of the ski run: **1150 m**

❄ Altitude difference: **205 m**

❄ Average gradient: **18%**

Level of difficulty:  

Ski run details:



START

**K-Partizanka I**

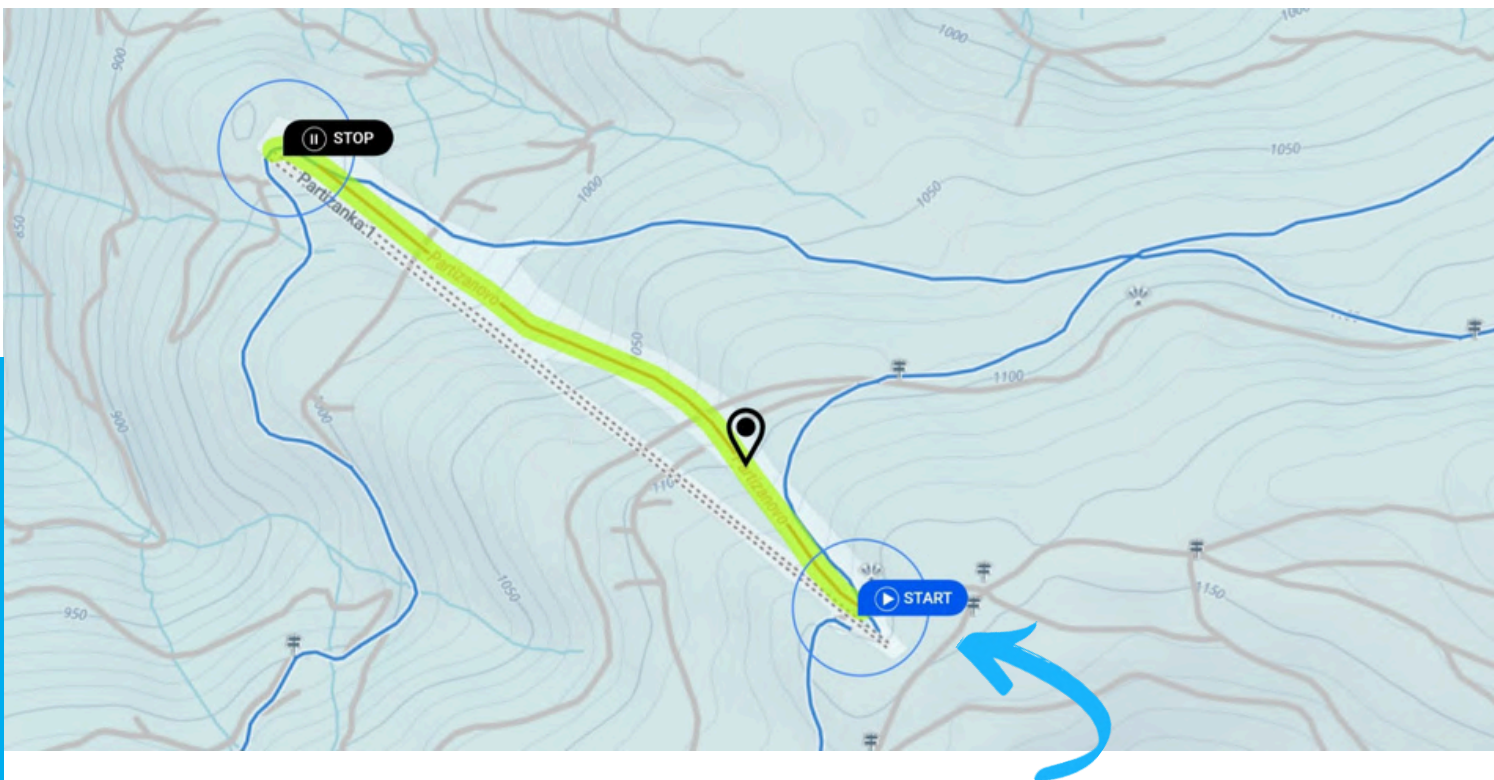
1150 m AMSL



STOP

**K-Partizanka I**

945 m AMSL



## SKI RUN 16 RUŠKI SMUK

❄ Length of the ski run: **1600 m**

❄ Altitude difference: **240 m**

❄ Average gradient: **15%**

Level of difficulty:  

### Ski run details:

 **START** **L-Ruška**  
1250 m AMSL

 **STOP** **L-Ruška**  
1010 m AMSL

