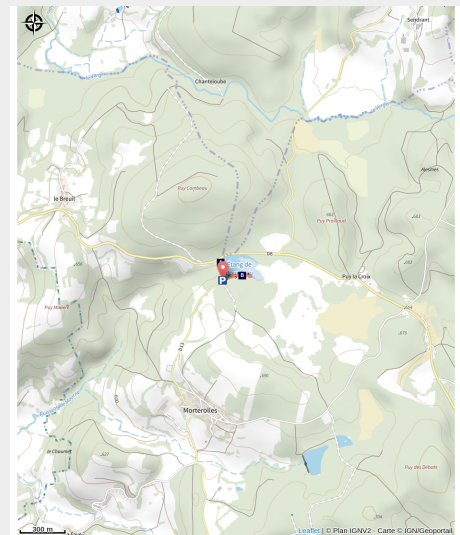


Bourdeau pond peat bog discovery trail

Sud Creuse – Aubusson – lac de Vassivière – Saint-Pardoux-
Mortierolles



La tourbière de l'étang du Bourdeau (©OTCSO)



*The peat bog of the Bourdeau pond
takes its name from its former owner.*

A site that is part of the Regional Natural Park of
Millevaches discovery and interpretation network in
Limousin.

Useful information

Practice : Pedestrian

Duration : 30 min

Length : 0.7 km

Trek ascent : 3 m

Difficulty : Easy

Type : Round trip

Themes : Fauna et flora

Trek

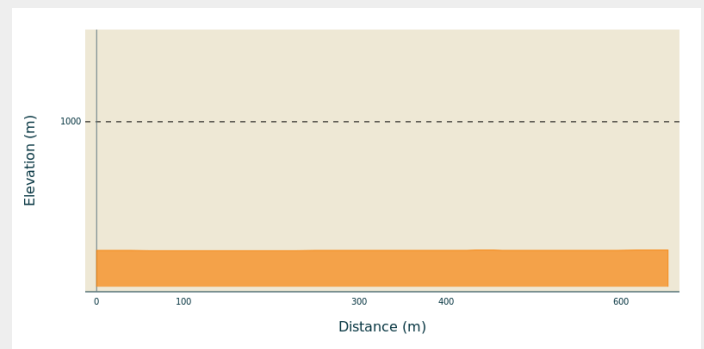
Departure : Car park at the Bourdeau pond

Arrival : Car park at the Bourdeau pond

Markings :  Yellow markers

Cities : 1. Saint-Pardoux-Morterolles

Altimetric profile



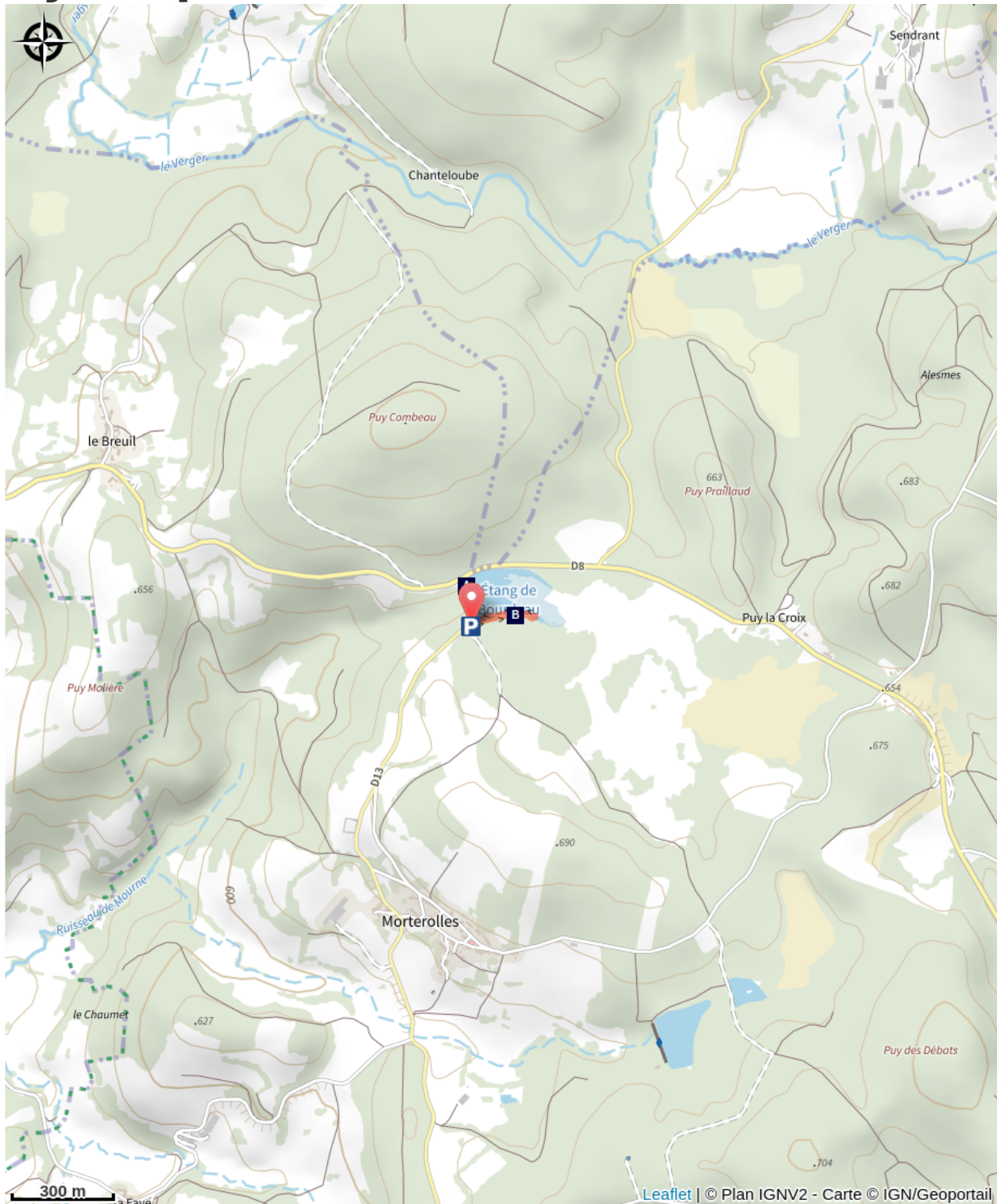
Min elevation 642 m Max elevation 644 m

With a surface area of 39 ha, this peat bog pond classified Natura 2000, protected by a prefectural decree of biotope protection, presents a variety of peaty environments richly biodiverse.



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 Peatland Insects (A)

 *Andromeda polifolia*, the bog rosemary (B)



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All useful information

How to come ?

Access

D8, 8 km from Bourganeuf.

Advised parking

Car park at the Bourdeau pond (D13)

Information desks

Bureau d'information touristique de Bourganeuf

Place du Champ de Foire, 23400
Bourganeuf

bourganeuf@tourisme-creuse-sudouest.com

Tel : 05 55 64 12 20

<http://www.tourisme-creuse-sudouest.com>



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Peatland Insects (A)

Recent inventories have shown that this site is particularly rich in insects (beetles and dragonflies in particular). Rare species such as the Northern Emerald dragonfly and the Dainty damselfly are present.

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Andromeda polifolia, the bog rosemary (B)

This small shrub lives only in acidic peat bogs with sphagnum moss up to 1500 m altitude. Present only in three sectors in Limousin, it is rare and protected. The numerous stands present on this site make it an exceptional place to see the plant. Its pink bells appear towards the end of spring.

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