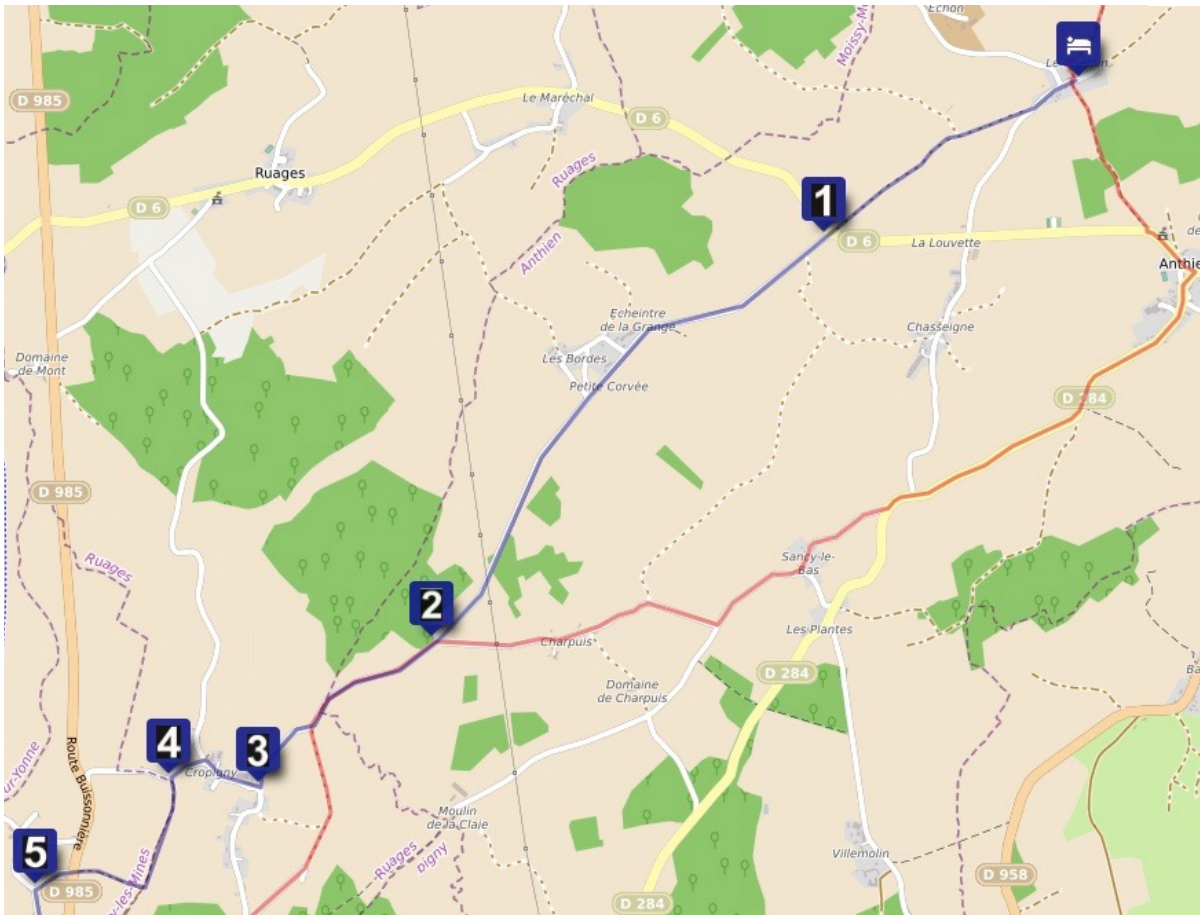


## Shortcut Le Chemin - Chitry-les-Mines

via the **Vézelay Route** = 14,7 km ; via the **shortcut** = 11,4 km



From the hostel: turn right.

After 300 m (after the house with the blue lantern): leave the asphalt road and go diagonally to the right, along a dirt road, first rising, then descending.

After 1.1 km, arrive at an asphalt road (the D6) **[1]**: cross (*watch out!*) and continue straight on, direction Les Bordes. Keep following the asphalt road (the C7).

After 2,8 km **[2]**: ignore a road left and continue straight on, direction Cropigny.

After 1,1 km, in Cropigny **[3]**: turn right (rue des Ouches). *From here, follow a yellow-green marked walking route.*

After 300 m, at a fork: keep to the left.

After 200 m **[4]**: leave the asphalt and turn left into a dirt road, slightly rising.

After 550 m: the dirt road makes a right angle turn. Continue.

After 350 m: arrive at an asphalt road (the D985): cross (*watch out!*) and continue straight on, direction Courcelanges (rue des Terriers), via an asphalt road (the C4).



After 200 m, at a fork **[5]**: turn left (rue des Chemins Ferrés). *The yellow-green marked walking route turns right here.*

After 700 m, at a crossing (near the D985): turn right, direction Chitry-les-Mines.

After 550 m, arrive on a wider asphalt road (the D216) **[6]**: turn right, direction Marigny-s/Yonne.

After 225 m: pass a railway line and continue.

After 100 m: ignore a road left and continue.

After 250 m **[7]**: cross the bridge over the Yonne and turn left immediately afterwards, along the Canal du Nivernais, via a cycle route.

After 2,6 km **[8]**: arrive at an asphalt road (the D977 bis). Follow it to the right, via a bridge over the Canal du Nivernais. You are back on the main itinerary.