

NATIONAL PARK · ITALY · VAL VENOSTA

Stelvio

at a glance

A high-alpine park from 700 to 3,905 m (2,297 to 12,812 ft) – with Italy's highest pass road in the middle and the Ortler above it.

130,734_{ha}

AREA

700

ALTITUDE
to 3,905 m

1935

FOUNDED

2,758_m

STELVIO PASS SUMMIT
(9,049 ft)

BEFORE YOU GO



Founded in 1935

Stelvio National Park has been protected since 1935 and, at 130,734 hectares, is one of the largest protected areas in Europe.



Free entry

According to the park administration, entry is free and the national park is open around the clock.



By train to Val Venosta

Buses run from the stations in Val Venosta into the park; the main hubs are Mals, Goldrain/Latsch and Merano.



Winter closure

The pass road is closed in winter.



No-fly zone

The entire national park is a no-fly zone; leave your drone at home.



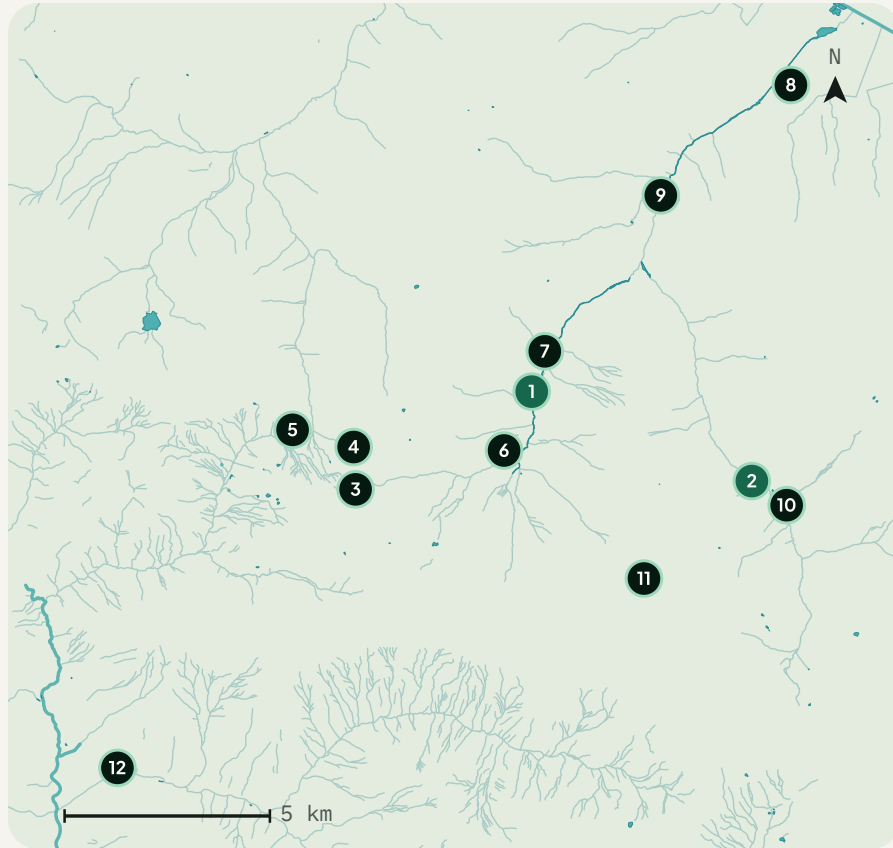
Dogs on a lead

Dogs must always be kept on a lead; carry a muzzle for emergencies.



Fees and opening hours, up to date

Fees and times change. The park page lists them with source and date: nationalparksatlas.com/en/italy/stelvio



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| 4 Cima Garibaldi (Dreisprachenspitze) | 10 Solda (Sulden) |
| 5 Umbrail Pass | 11 Ortler (Ortles) |
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Green: entrances. Map data © OpenStreetMap contributors (ODbL).



THE STELVIO PASS ROAD



ORTLER AND GRAN ZEBRÙ



CIMA GARIBALDI

THINGS TO DO

Cycling up the Stelvio

From Prad, cyclists climb 1,869 m (6,132 ft) and 48 hairpins.

Trails around the Ortler

Popular routes are the Goldseeweg, the Hintere Schöntaufspitze and the Solda glacier trail, a 10 km (6.2 mi) ...

Guided nature experiences

Hiking leaders, mountain guides and park rangers lead walks to farms, huts and sunrises and, above all ...

The bearded vulture is back

Reintroduced decades ago, the bearded vulture now breeds in the park; the administration calls it a symbol of ...

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Goldseeweg

The national park guides walks on the Goldseeweg trail, with views of the pass road and the glaciers around ...

Three waterfalls of Trafoi

From the Heilige Drei Brunnen shrine, trail no. 9 follows the Trafoi stream to the three waterfalls of Trafoi.

26 pairs of golden eagles

At least 26 pairs of golden eagles live in the park, eight of them breeding in the South Tyrol section.

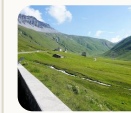
More than 20 bat species

Alongside ibex, chamois and red deer, more than 20 species of bat live in the park.

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