

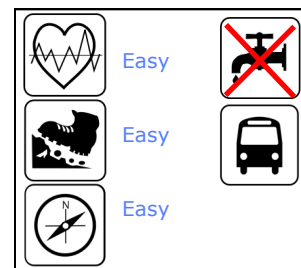
# Melegís - Murchas

The GR-7 long-distance walking trail links the attractive Lecrín Valley villages of Melegís and Murchas. This walk takes you up from Melegís to Murchas on the GR-7, before returning by a different route to make an easy and pleasant circuit.

Suitable for people of all ages and levels of fitness.

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Key Facts	
Length	5.25 km
Time	1h 30 min
Min/Max Altitude	551 m /672 m
Accumulated height difference	160 m
Season	All year

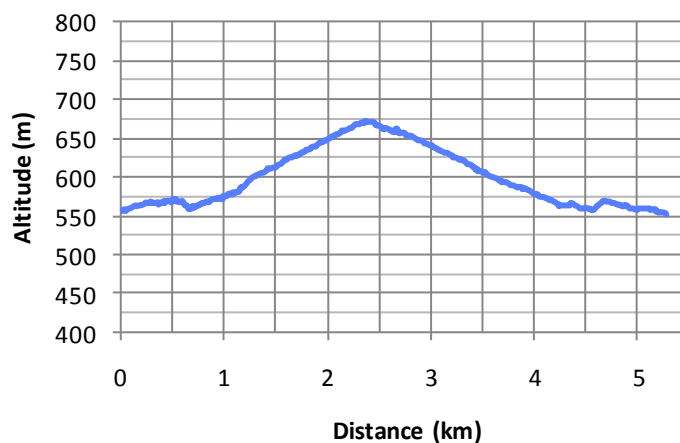


## Getting there

**By car:** From Granada take the E-902/A-44 towards Motril. Come off at junction 160, marked *Lecrín El Valle*. Pass the turning for *Mondújar*, keeping right on the main road. Turn left at the roundabout. After a few hundred metres, you will see a small BP garage on the left - turn right about 100m past this, following signs to *Restábal*, *Melegís* and *Albuñuelas*.

After about 3km you'll get to Melegís. Immediately after the road turns quite sharply to the right, look out for *Calle Molino Bajo* on your right. Park beside the road here.

**By bus:** Take the Alsa bus service from Granada bus station. There are 5 buses a day to Melegís on Monday-Friday and 1 a day on Saturdays (1 hour). See [www.treksierranevada.com/getting-around](http://www.treksierranevada.com/getting-around) for more info and links to current timetables.





**1.** Take *Calle Molino Bajo* and follow it around to the right, then to the left. Turn left at the end of the road and almost immediately right (before you get to *Caja Granada* bank). Turn left at the end of this road, carrying on past a *lavadero* or traditional washing place.



**2.** Go straight across the main road through the village. After 250m you'll get to the edge of the village and a signpost marking *GR-7 Restábal*. Turn *right* here to follow the GR-7 towards Murchas (not

signposted). In most places the GR-7 is signed with red and white markings. →



**3.** After 300m, turn left (marked).

**4.** After a further 1 km, where a track goes off to the left, keep straight ahead.

**5.** Shortly afterwards you'll reach Murchas church. At this point, leave the GR-7 to double back from the church and take *Calle Pedro Antonio de Alarcon* (signposted towards *Castillo de Lojuela*, *ruta de senderismo*). Follow this to the edge of the village and bearing round to the left. Ignore the right turn towards the *Castillo*.



**6.** After about 1 km, keep left, then after a further 500m, turn right at a T-junction (**7**), then shortly afterwards turn left (**8**)

You'll soon get back to the GR-7 signpost

pointing towards Restábal. Carry straight on, back into the village. Follow the road straight on into the village.

**9.** When you get to the main road through the village, turn right to get to Melegís church.



Turn left opposite the church. Go past the *Caja Granada* then take a right into *Calle El Rosal*. Follow this round then take a left out to the starting point by the main road.

