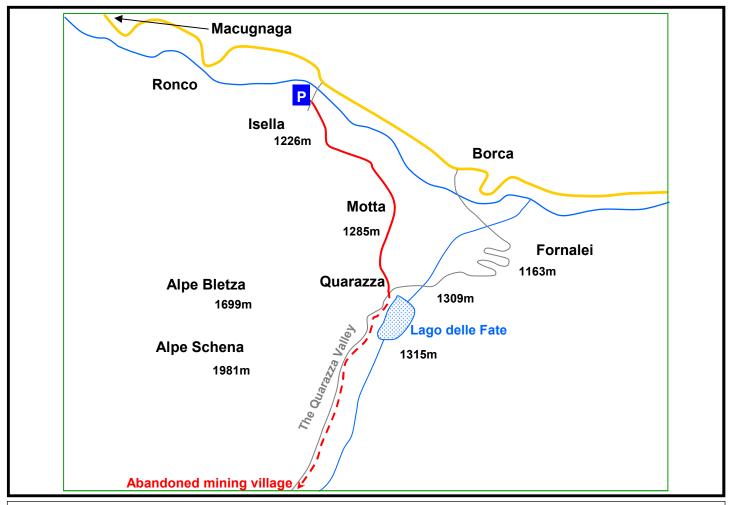
## Itinerary: Macugnaga / Lago delle Fate



## Practical Info Main road Depart from: Isella 1226m Minor road Height difference: 89m Walking route Time: 1 hours

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## **Itinerary**

1. About 500m after the village of Borca there is a bridge crossing the river on the left

Difficulty:

2. Just after the bridge there is a small car park

Route extension

- 3. Follow the wooden signs to Lago delle Fate through the little stone houses of Iselle
- 4. You come out into open grassland where a clear path takes you to the woods
- 5. Climbing through the woods there is a mule track with large deep "steps" that leads you the hamlet of Motta and its little oratory dedicated to San Rocco
- Leaving Motta take the path through the grass (ignoring signs to Bletza) and follow it up until it meets a narrow tarmac road
- 7. The tarmac leads round to the dam and Lago delle Fate (Fairies Lake).
- 8. Please note that there is no swimming allowed in the lake due to the dangerous currents caused by the dam
- 9. The route ends here but you can carry on up the flat, wide track beside the river to the abandoned mining village—this is an easy and beautiful addition to the walk.
- There is a bar and restaurant near the dam and lake