



## VELEBIT RIDGE TOP HIKE – 2 Days Hike

One of the toughest but most rewarding hike in the area.

### DESCRIPTION

**DAY 1** - The tour starts in the early morning. After one hour drive (4x4 terrain vehicles) we come up to the **Libinje** plateau, placed on the east border of the Paklenica National Park at 780 m.a.s.l.

Our first stop-point is the **Sveto brdo** peak at 1750 m.a.s.l., - one of the favourite Velebit's summits and its second highest peak.

Amazing 360° panoramic view of **Lika** region, islands huddled in the Adriatic sea in front of Zadar city and its hinterland will be a great reward for your effort.

We head on along the ridgecrest to the **Vaganski vrh** (1757 m.a.s.l.) in northwest. Amazing sights alternate between Lika and Zadar region. On bright sunny days your view may reach the Italian Apenini tops in distance.

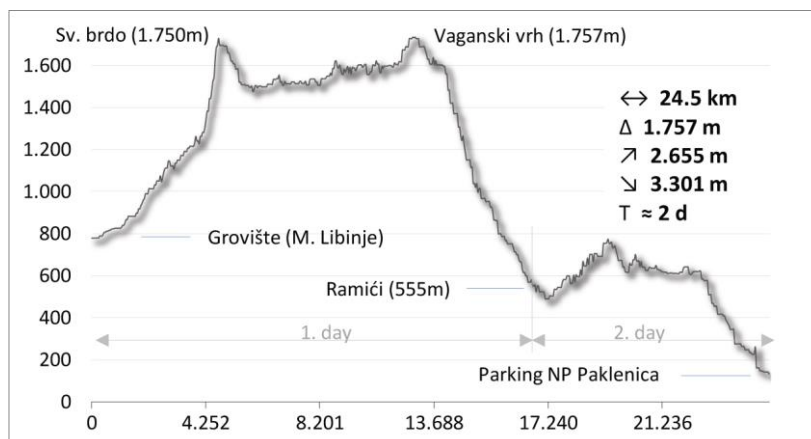
After some 2-3 hours walk almost entirely on the ridgetop we reach the highest peak – Vaganski vrh.

We proceed downhill along steep trail named “**Lipa staza**” (“Nice trail”) to the very heart of the Paklenica National Park at 555 m.a.s.l.

In the rural household **Ramića dvori** we get a merited refreshment and a dinner. Overnight.

**DAY 2** – less demanding, mainly downhill walk. After breakfast we start our hike toward Velika Paklenica gorge. We pass over **Mala močila** and nearby the highest limestone cliff in Paklenica - **Anića kuk**. Herefrom our downhill follows to the parking lot in Velika Paklenica gorge where our adventure ends.

### ELEVATION PROFILE





## FACT SHEET

**Difficulty:** Demanding

**Effective walking time:** 13 hours

**Duration:** 2 days

**Distance:** 24,5 km

**Attitude Gain:** 2.655 m

**Descent:** 3.301 m

**Fitness level required:** good physical condition, fit, healthy

**Age Recommendations:** over 12 years old

**Start:** Hotel Rajna or as arranged

**Availability:** all year

**Departure time:** 7AM or by arrangement

**Onsite Facilities:** *Ramića dvori*

**Group size:** The minimum group size is 4 guests, maximum 15, less people or larger groups on request.

**Guide:** a trained, experienced guide, speaking Croatian, English and/or German

**Price:** 1.200,00 kn



**What's included:** car transfer, guide, NP Paklenica entrance fee, evening dinner, picnic meal, overnight, breakfast.

**What to bring:** solid footwear, backpack, raingear, hat, sun cream, fleece jacket, walking poles, high energy snacks, 2l bottle of water, flashlight, first aid kit, mobile phone, warm clothes, money, ID,

**BOOKINGS:** Hotel Rajna, Starigrad-Paklenica, HR, [www.hotel-rajna.com](http://www.hotel-rajna.com), [rajna-paklenica@inet.hr](mailto:rajna-paklenica@inet.hr), tel: ++385 (0)98 272 878

### Please note:

The tour is subject to favorable weather and seasonal conditions. The operator has the right to cancel the tour due to bad weather condition or to the circumstances beyond our control.

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