



Burriana beach

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Burriana to Maro: map and walk guide

A short walk from Burriana beach to the village of Maro, past the Águila aqueduct, with the sea on one side and the sierra on the other.

3.3 km

from Burriana to Maro

1–1.5 h

one way, with stops

≈ 140 m

of climbing

Easy

with a stretch beside the road

Bus

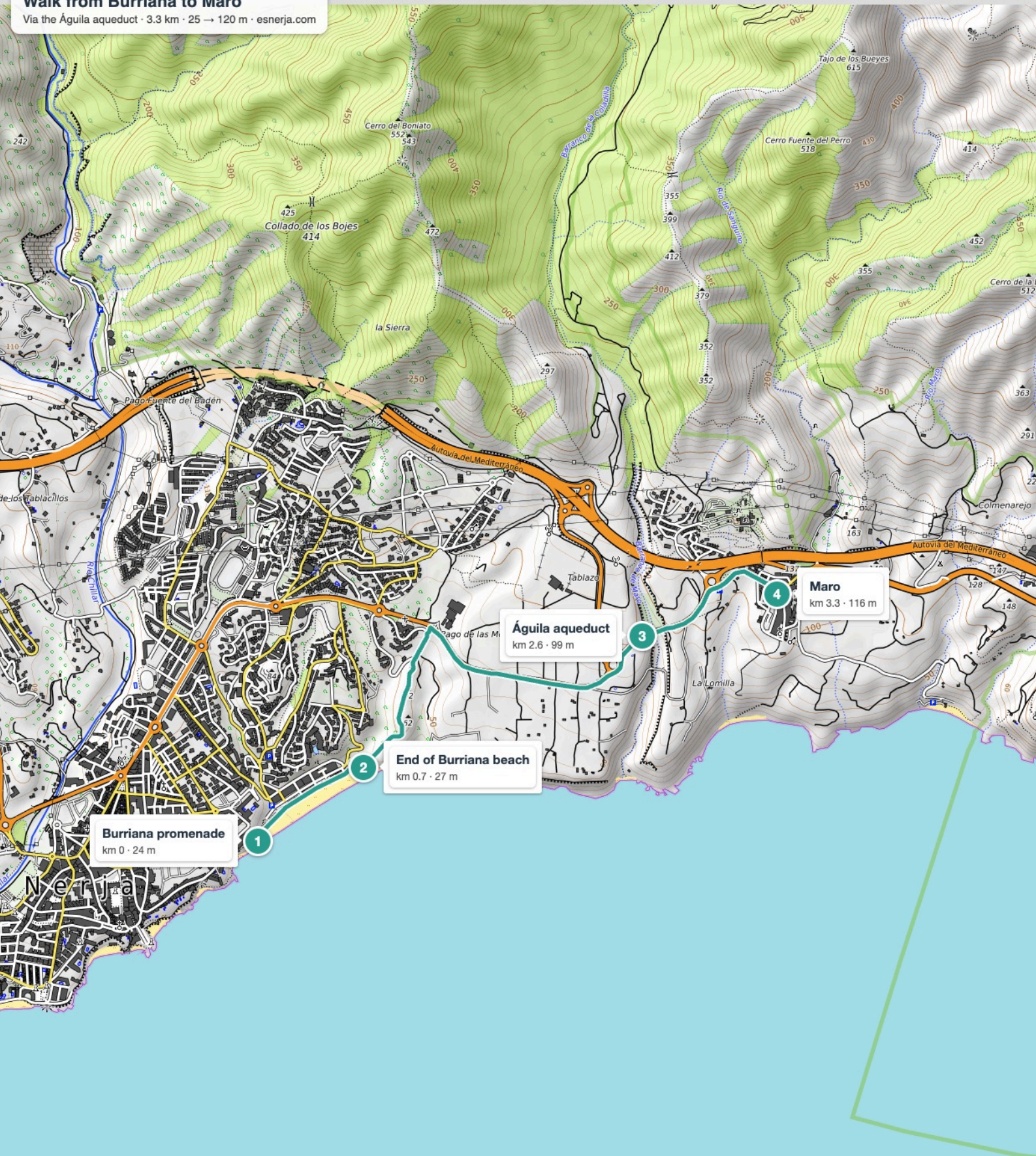
Maro–Nerja to return

Fountain

in Maro

Walk from Burriana to Maro

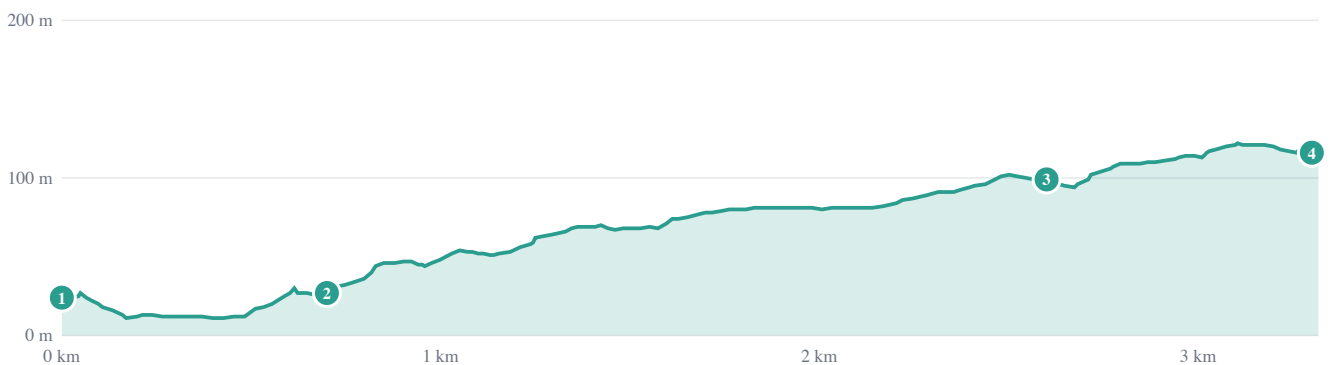
Via the Águila aqueduct · 3.3 km · 25 → 120 m · esnerja.com



The route, section by section

- 1 Burriana promenade** · km 0 · 24 m
Walk east along the Antonio Mercero promenade to the end of the beach.
- 2 End of Burriana beach** · km 0.7 · 27 m
Steps and a path climb between orchards to Calle Rabat and the footpath running alongside the Maro road.
- 3 Águila aqueduct** · km 2.6 · 99 m
A 19th-century structure about 40 m high, with four tiers of arches over the Coladilla ravine and a weather vane with a double-headed eagle. It carried water to the Maro sugar mill.
- 4 Maro** · km 3.3 · 116 m
A cobbled path leads into Maro: the Maravillas church, the viewpoint over the beach and several bars.

Route profile (one way)



The Águila aqueduct · Mickey Løgitmark, CC BY 3.0 (Commons)



The Maro church · Dguendel, CC BY 4.0 (Commons)

Before you go: safety and tips

Stretch beside the road. Between Burriana and the aqueduct the path runs alongside the Maro road (N-340): keep to the footpath side and cross only at marked crossings. Some networks have no coverage on parts of the route; **112** works on any network.

When to go

All year round. In summer, early or towards sunset: there is little shade. From the aqueduct, the afternoon light is best for photos.

With children and pushchairs

There are steps and dirt sections: with a pushchair, use the pavement along the Maro road.

What to bring

- Comfortable shoes.
- Water and a hat in summer.
- Swimwear: from Maro you can go down to Maro beach.

Getting back

Maro–Nerja bus (about 10 minutes) or the same way on foot.

Getting to Burriana

A 10–15 minute walk from the Balcón de Europa. Car parks nearby: the Burriana roundabout car park (free, 165 spaces) and the Burriana municipal car park.

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