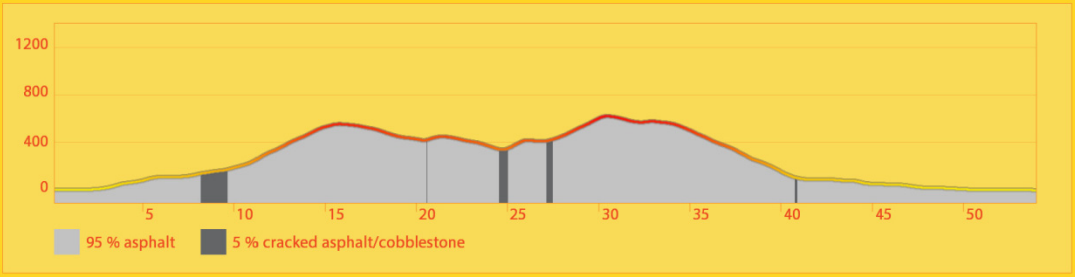
Olympus Panorama Light

Amathus – Eptagoneia – Arakapas – Germasogeia – Mouttagiaka – Amathus

From Amathus this very enjoyable ride climbs up through Parekklisia – a village inhabited already 8200 B.C. in the Early Aceramic Neolithic period – and pass the village of Kellaki with great views of the Mount Olympus to the North West. Relax on the beautiful mountain stretch West of Eptagoneia before this route heads up again from Arakapas, pass Dierona to its highest point of almost 700 mamsl. A steep descent takes you down to Akrounta – a small green oasis in summer and fall – until you reach Germasogeia dam and the landscape finally opens up to the sea and for a relaxed return to Amathus.

Intermediate Roadcycling

Distance	**53.8 km**	Endurance	★★★☆☆
Elevation Gain	**1,457 m**	Skills	★★☆☆☆
Highest Point	**691 mamsl**	Landscape	★★★★☆



Roadbook km necessary GPS recommended ⚠ occasional humps, steep descents, traffic in town

km	direction	km	direction
0.00	**Start** on **B1** below the **ruins of Amathus** and **follow** the main road **east for 2.39 km**.	26.90	Turn left onto **F128** towards **Akrounta, Yermasoyia**.
2.39	Turn left onto **E109** towards **Lefkosia, Parekklisia**.	46.74	Turn left at the bus stop.
2.74	Turn right onto **E109** towards **Parekklisia, Pyrgos, Melini** and proceed for 2.55 km.	46.74	Turn right at the wooden sign "Kebab, Meze".
5.29	Turn right onto **Archag. Michail** (**F150**) towards **Timios Stavros Church**.	46.83	Turn left onto **Nikonos St**.
6.44	Turn right onto **E109** towards **Kellaki, Eptagoneia**.	46.91	Turn slightly right.
19.58	Turn right towards **Eptagoneia, Akapnou**.	47.05	Turn right onto **Potamias** and proceed for 2.19 km.
20.04	Turn left onto **E109** towards **Eptagoneia**.	49.24	Turn right onto **Profitiilia**.
20.48	Keep left onto **F112** towards **Arakapas, Panagia Iamitiki Church**.	49.81	Turn left onto **Georgiou Ave** (**B1**).
20.89	Turn right towards **Melini, Arakapas**.	51.36	Turn right towards beach promenade.
20.94	Keep left onto **F129** towards **Arakapas, Kalo Chorio**.	53.84	**Return** to the **start** close to the **ruins of Amathus**.

Take along: helmet, enough water, light, sun screen, cell phone, GPS-device.
All information as of 11/2013 and for planning purposes only. Exercise caution as tour conditions might have changed due to weather, construction or other causes. Obey all signs, do not ride alone and always inform friends or family where you go. Consider making use of one of the guides of the local bike stations.

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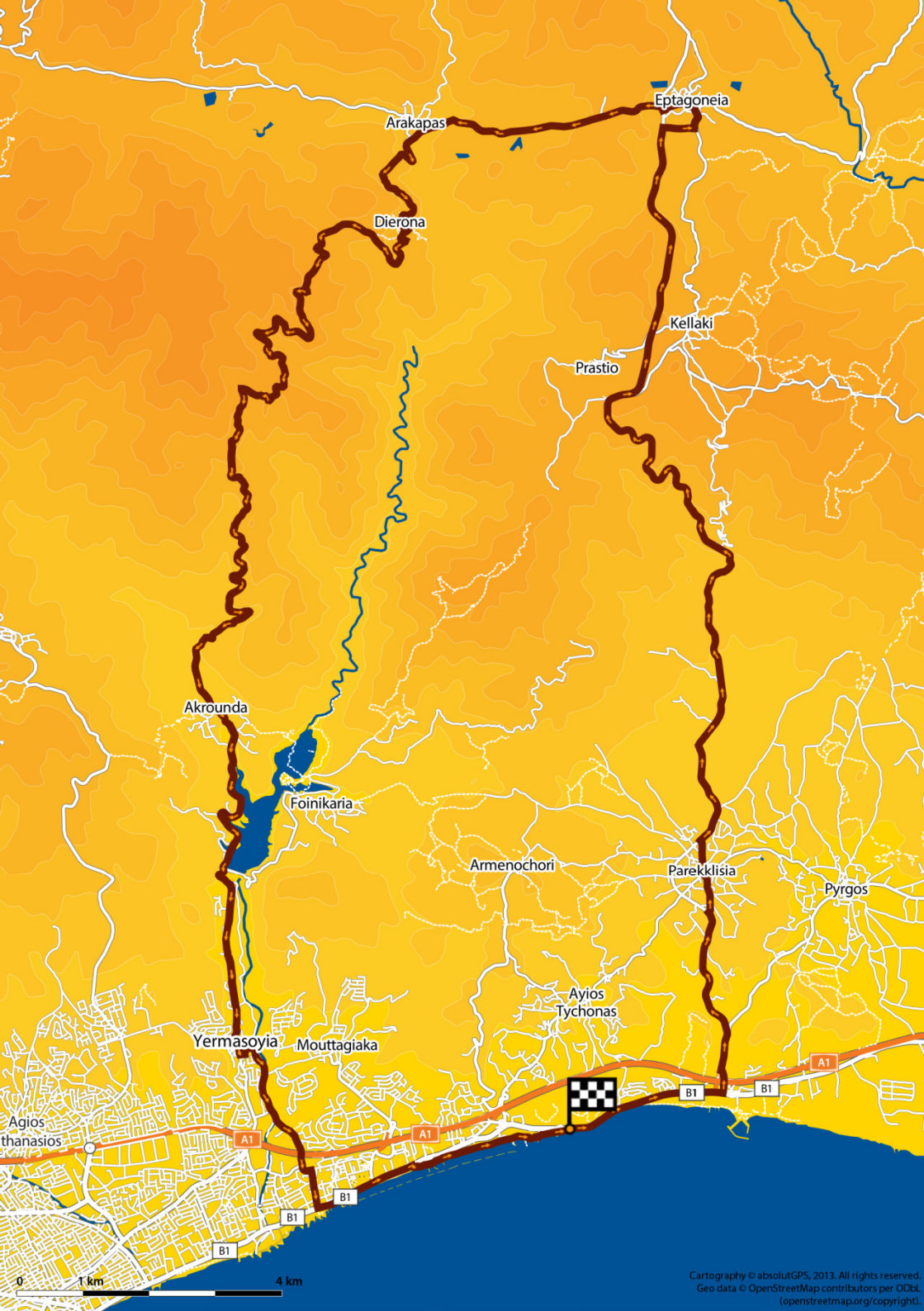
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