

MONVISO WEEK

Some centuries ago it was common to talk about Monviso as the highest peak of the Alps. In all reality, it is “only” the highest peak of the Cozie Alps and this is perhaps its saving grace. It is a well-known mountain but not as crowded as Mt. Blanc or Mt. Rosa because it does not reach the fatal altitude of 4000m, although it comes close.



It is not a minor peak, on the contrary its normal route is by climbing on solid rock which is not too difficult but is continuous so it shouldn't be underestimated.

The proposed program here calls for climbing some ridge lines on mountains close to Monviso and then climbing up the main top to become well acclimated, after a “training” period on the rock of the massif.

PROGRAM:

Day 1°: transfer trip and ascent to Rifugio Giacoletti.

Day 2°: climb up to Punta Gastaldi – North Ridge (diff. PD – II° grade) and descent by Normal Route to Rifugio Vallanta.

Day 3°: transfer and ascent to Rif. Quintino Sella.

Day 4°: climb up to Monviso main top along normal route (diff. PD+) and descent.

Day 5°: overnight stay and transfer trip to get back.

Program could be changed cause organization problem or meteorological conditions.

INFO:

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SCHEDULE

Activity: mountaineering

Difficulty: PD+

Period: June - October

Price: € 890,00 per person
(with 2 participants)

What to bring with you:

- high mountain clothes
- protective sunglasses
- suncream
- harness
- helmet
- cramponable mountain boots
- ice axe
- crampons
- backpack (35-40l)
- thermos

Fee includes:

- UIAGM/IFMGA Mountain Guide service
- use of common gear (ropes, carabiners, etc.)

Fee doesn't include:

- gear rental (available on request)
- € 5,00 per piece per day
- transfers, lifts, meals and overnights
- guide's expenses
- anything not specified in the "fee includes"