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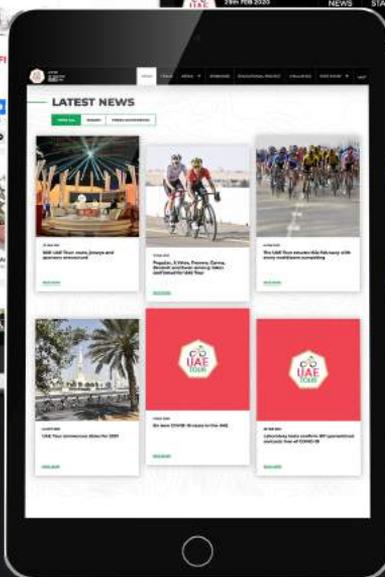
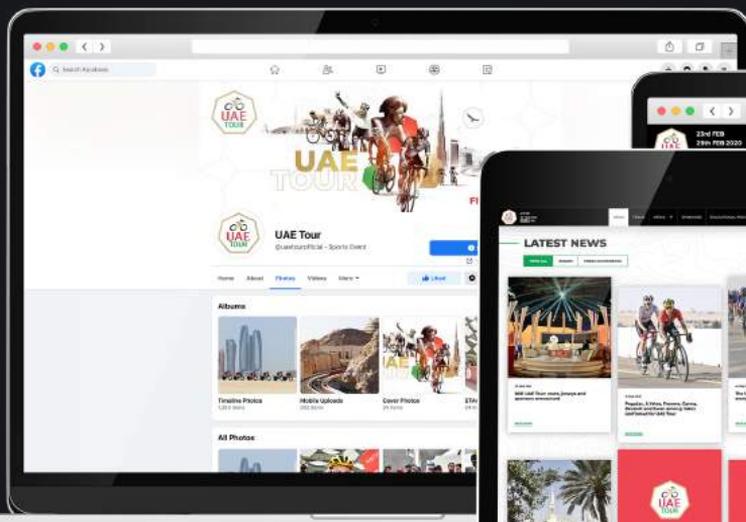


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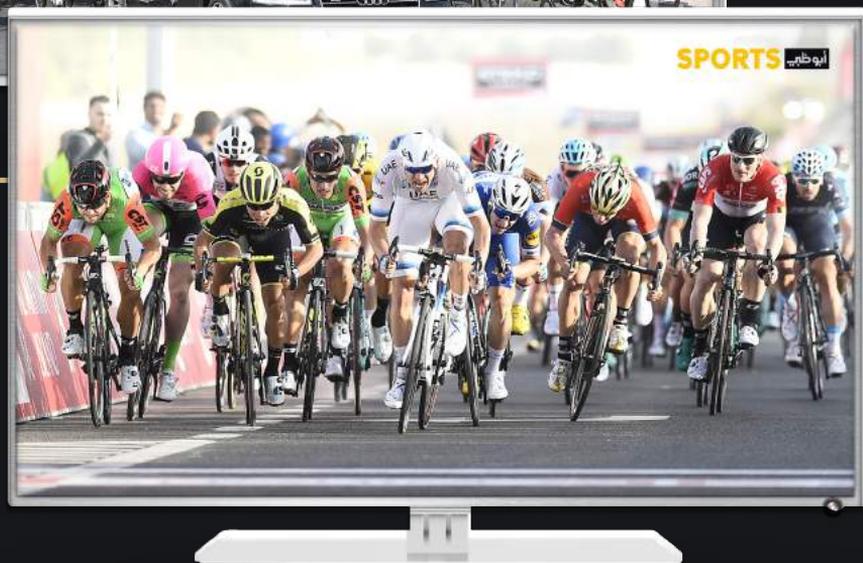
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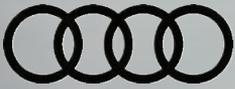
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● YAS MARINA CIRCUIT

Mafraq Hospital - Sheikh Maktoum Road (E 11 Road), Al Mafraq, Abu Dhabi Landmark: Near Mafraq Hotel - **02 501 1111**

Al Rahba Hospital - AL Shahama, Rahba City - Abu Dhabi - **02 506 4444**

Burjeel Hospital Abu Dhabi - Al Najdah Street, Abu Dhabi City - **02 506 4444**

Life Care Hospital - Mussaffah - M-24, musaffah, Near Village Mall - Abu Dhabi - **02 414 8200**

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SKMC Hospital - Al Karamah Street, Sheikh Khalifa Medical City - Abu Dhabi - **02 819 0000**

Mafraq Hospital - Sheikh Maktoum Road (E 11 Road), Al Mafraq, Abu Dhabi Landmark: Near Mafraq Hotel - **02 501 1111**

Lifecare Hospital - M-24, musaffah, Near Village Mall - **02 414 8200**

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Mafraq Hospital - Sheikh Maktoum Road (E 11 Road), Al Mafraq, Abu Dhabi Landmark: Near Mafraq Hotel - **02 501 1111**

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Cleveland Clinic - Al Maryah Island, Abu Dhabi

Medeor Hospital - Al Mushrif Area, Abu Dhabi - **800 900600**

● DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT STAGE (UAE UNIVERSITY - JEBEL HAFEET)

Tawam Hospital - Tawam, Near Abela Supermarket, Al Ain - **03 767 7444**

Al Ain Government Hospital - Shakhboot Bin Sultan St, Al Ain - **03 767 7444**

Medeor International Hospital Al Ain - Shakhboot Bin Sultan Street, Al Ain - **800 900 600**

Burjeel Royal Hospital - Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Road, Al Mutawaa, Al Ain - **03 799 1111**

● DUBAI MUNICIPALITY STAGE

Rashid Hospital - 15 Umm Hurair Second, Dubai - **04 219 2000**

Burjeel Hospital Dubai - Sheikh Zayed Rd - Dubai - **04 407 0100**

Medeor Hospital Dubai - Consulates Area, Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Road, Bur Dubai - Dubai - **800 900600**

Hatta Hospital - Hatta, Near Hatta Hill Park - Dubai - **04 814 7000**

● RAK PROPERTIES STAGE (AJMAN - JEBEL JAIS)

Sheikh Khalifa Hospital - University Street, Near City Center Ajman, Al Jerf 1 - Ajman - **06 711 7777**

Thumbay Hospital Ajman - Near United Arab Bank - Sheikh Jaber Al Sabah Street - Al Nuaimiyah 1 - **06 746 3333**

Sheikh Khalifa General Hospital - Al Salama, Opp. Ministry of Social Affairs - Umm Al Quawain - **06 706 1111**

Saqr Hospital - Al Juwais - Ras al Khaimah - **07 222 3666**

Saif Bin Ghobash Hospital - **07 222 3555**

● DUBAI STAGE (DUBAI SAFARI PARK - CITY WALK)

Rashid Hospital - 15 Umm Hurair Second, Dubai - **04 219 2000**

Burjeel Hospital Dubai - Sheikh Zayed Rd - Dubai - **04 407 0100**

Medeor Hospital Dubai - Consulates Area, Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Road, Bur Dubai - Dubai - **800 900600**

Saudi German Hospital Dubai - Hessa Street 331 West, Al Barsha 3, Exit 36 Sheikh Zayed Road, Opposite of American School - Dubai - **04 389 0000**

THE STAGES



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THE STAGES

1

ADNOC STAGE
FROM **AL DHAFRA CASTLE**
TO **AL MIRFA**
SUN, FEBRUARY 21ST 2021

SPRINT
STAGE
176 KM

2

ABU DHABI SPORTS COUNCIL STAGE
FROM **AL HUDAYRIYAT ISLAND**
TO **AL HUDAYRIYAT ISLAND**
MON, FEBRUARY 22ND 2021

INDIVIDUAL
TIME TRIAL
STAGE
13 KM

3

STRATA STAGE
FROM **STRATA MANUFACTURING**
TO **JEBEL HAFEET**
TUE, FEBRUARY 23RD 2021

CLIMB
STAGE
166 KM

4

HOPE PROBE STAGE
FROM **AL MARJAN ISLAND**
TO **AL MARJAN ISLAND**
WED, FEBRUARY 24TH 2021

SPRINT
STAGE
204 KM

5

IMPOSSIBLE IS POSSIBLE STAGE
FROM **FUJAIRAH INT'L. MARINE CLUB**
TO **JEBEL JAIS**
THU, FEBRUARY 25TH 2021

CLIMB
STAGE
170 KM

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DUBAI STAGE
FROM **DEIRA ISLANDS**
TO **PALM JUMEIRAH**
FRI, FEBRUARY 26TH 2021

SPRINT
STAGE
165 KM

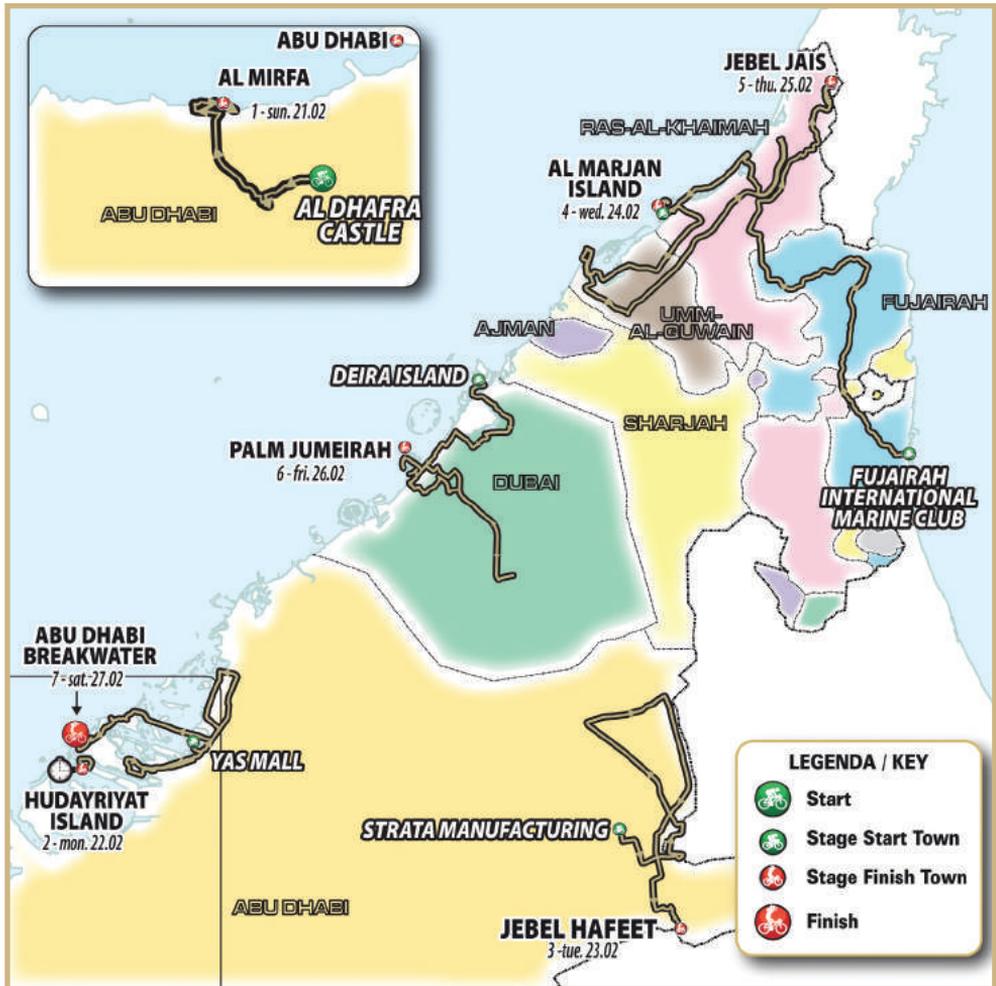
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YAS ISLAND STAGE
FROM **YAS ISLAND STAGE**
TO **ABU DHABI BREAKWATER**
SAT, FEBRUARY 27TH 2021

SPRINT
STAGE
147 KM

TOTAL KM

1.041







TIME / SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 18TH - ABU DHABI

from 18.00	AUH Abu Dhabi Airport	Teams arrival - organization charter flights
		Shuttle transfer to the hotel
		Teams' equipment transfer to paddocks in YMC
	W Abu Dhabi - Yas Island	Hotel Check in

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 19TH

7.30 - 9.30	ABU DHABI - YAS MARINA CIRCUIT	Team and race cars keys and forms delivery
8.00		Teams' boxes opening
		Vehicles pick up
14.00 - 18.00		Preliminary Operations - accreditations
15.00 - 16.00		Teams' accreditation

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 20TH

10.00 - 18.00	ABU DHABI - YAS MARINA CIRCUIT	Preliminary Operations - Press Room
10.00		Race security briefing, to be attended by all persons who will be driving a car or a motorcycle in the race convoy, including a representative of the television production and a representative of the Police, in compliance with Article 2.2.034 bis of the UCI Regulation
15.00 - 15.45		Licenses check
15.45		Race Management Meeting with Photographers and TV
16.00		Race Management Meeting with Jury and Sports Managers
16.30		Top Riders' photoshooting
17.00		Top Riders' press conference
19.00 - 20.00		Team presentation



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SUNDAY FEBRUARY 21ST - ABU DHABI

11.30	ABU DHABI - AL DHAFRA	UAE Tour Stage 1
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TUESDAY FEBRUARY 23RD - ABU DHABI - RAS AL KHAIMAH

9.00	ABU DHABI - RAS AL KHAIMAH	Truck transfer to the Ras al Khaimah paddocks for teams' equipment
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THURSDAY FEBRUARY 26TH - RAS AL KHAIMAH - ABU DHABI

9.00	RAS AL KHAIMAH - ABU DHABI	Truck transfer to the Abu Dhabi paddocks for teams' equipment
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SATURDAY FEBRUARY 27TH

14.00	ABU DHABI - YAS MARINA CIRCUIT	UAE Tour stage 7
16.00 - 23.00		Drop off Vehicles
16.00 - 23.00		Radio system dismantling
from 23.00		Shuttle transfer to the airport for riders/staff
from 23.00		Truck transfer to the airport for teams' equipment



1 | ADNOC STAGE 21ST FEBRUARY 2021



FROM AL DHAFRA CASTLE TO AL MIRFA

Start Village: Al Dhafra Castle

Sign-on: 10.40 - 12.20

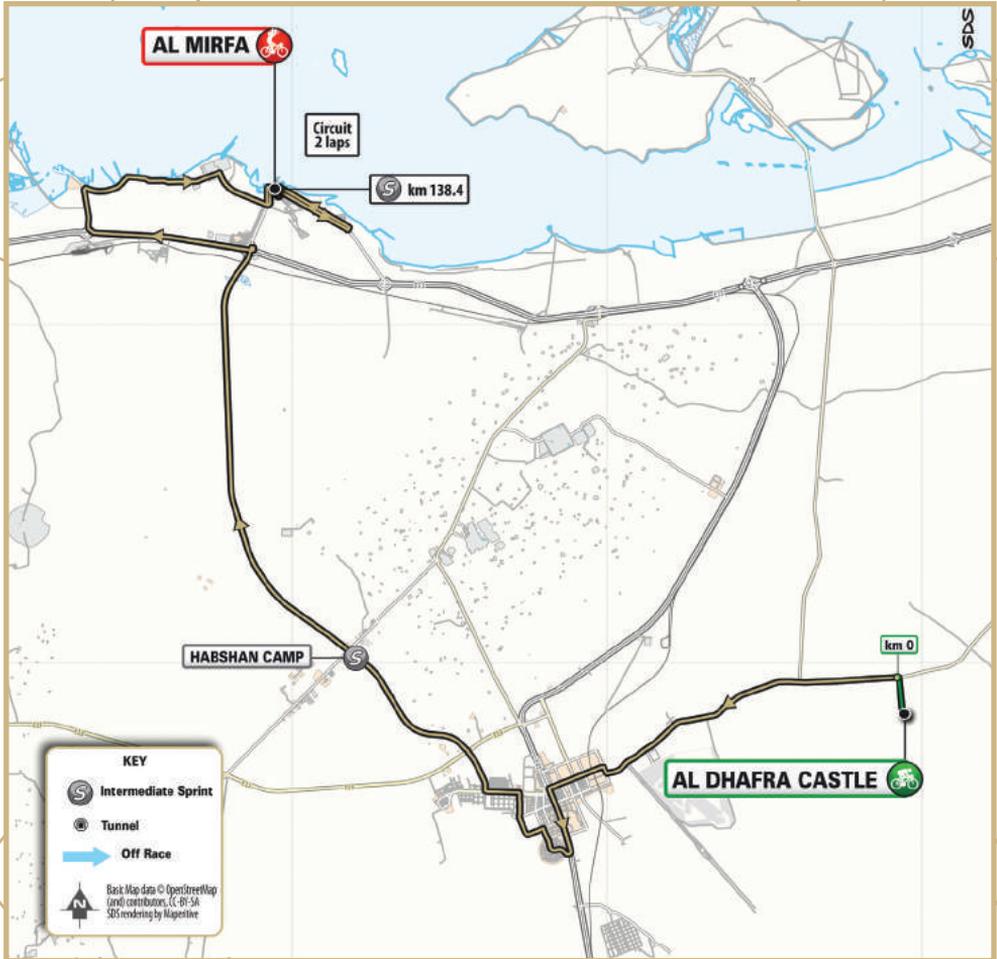
Alignment: 12.25

Start - Km 0: 12.30

Finish Line: Al Mirfa

Estimated finish time: 16.30





ADNOC STAGE 1

ELEVATION	ABU DHABI			Distance			Timetable km / h		
				leg	run	to be run	43	44	46
105	AL DHAFFRA CASTLE	↑	Start Village	1.0			12.25	12.25	12.25
 100	AL DHAFFRA	↑	km 0	0.0	0.0	176.0	12.30	12.30	12.30
96	Roundabout w Hamama Rd.	↑	Al Dhafra Rd.	7.2	7.2	168.8	12.39	12.39	12.38
117	Zayed City Entrance	↷	Al Bday'ah St.	17.9	25.1	150.9	13.07	13.05	13.04
115	Zayed City	↶	E45-al Maraby st	5.6	30.7	145.3	13.15	13.13	13.11
116	Roundabout w E13	↑	M. Al Falahi Al Yasi Rd.	21.1	51.8	124.2	13.48	13.44	13.41
 92	Habshan Camp	↑	M. Al Falahi Al Yasi Rd.	12.6	64.4	111.6	14.05	14.00	13.56
8	E11 entrance	↷	E11	38.1	102.5	73.5	14.55	14.49	14.43
8	Exit to Al Harmiyyah	↷	Al Dajeej St.	13.6	116.1	59.9	15.13	15.06	14.59
8	Al Harmiyyah	↶	Barqa Al Harmiyyah St.	4.0	120.1	55.9	15.19	15.11	15.04
8	Al Mirfa Circuit Entrance	↶	Al Shaheed Ahmed Khamis Al Hammadi St	16.5	136.6	39.4	15.41	15.32	15.24
 7	AL MIRFA	↑	Qassar Al Mighayra St.	1.8	138.4	37.6	15.43	15.34	15.27
7	U-Turn	↷	Qassar Al Mighayra St.	8.1	146.5	29.5	15.54	15.44	15.36
8	Al Khor St. Roundabout	↶	Al Shaheed Ahmed Khamis Al Hammadi St	8.9	155.4	20.6	16.07	15.57	15.48
7	AL MIRFA	↑	Qassar Al Mighayra St.	1.8	157.2	18.8	16.09	16.00	15.51
7	U-Turn	↷	Qassar Al Mighayra St.	8.1	165.3	10.7	16.20	16.10	16.00
8	Al Khor St. Roundabout	↑	Al Shaheed Ahmed Khamis Al Hammadi St	8.9	174.2	1.8	16.33	16.22	16.12
 7	AL MIRFA	↑	Qassar Al Mighayra St.	1.8	176.0	0.0	16.35	16.25	16.14

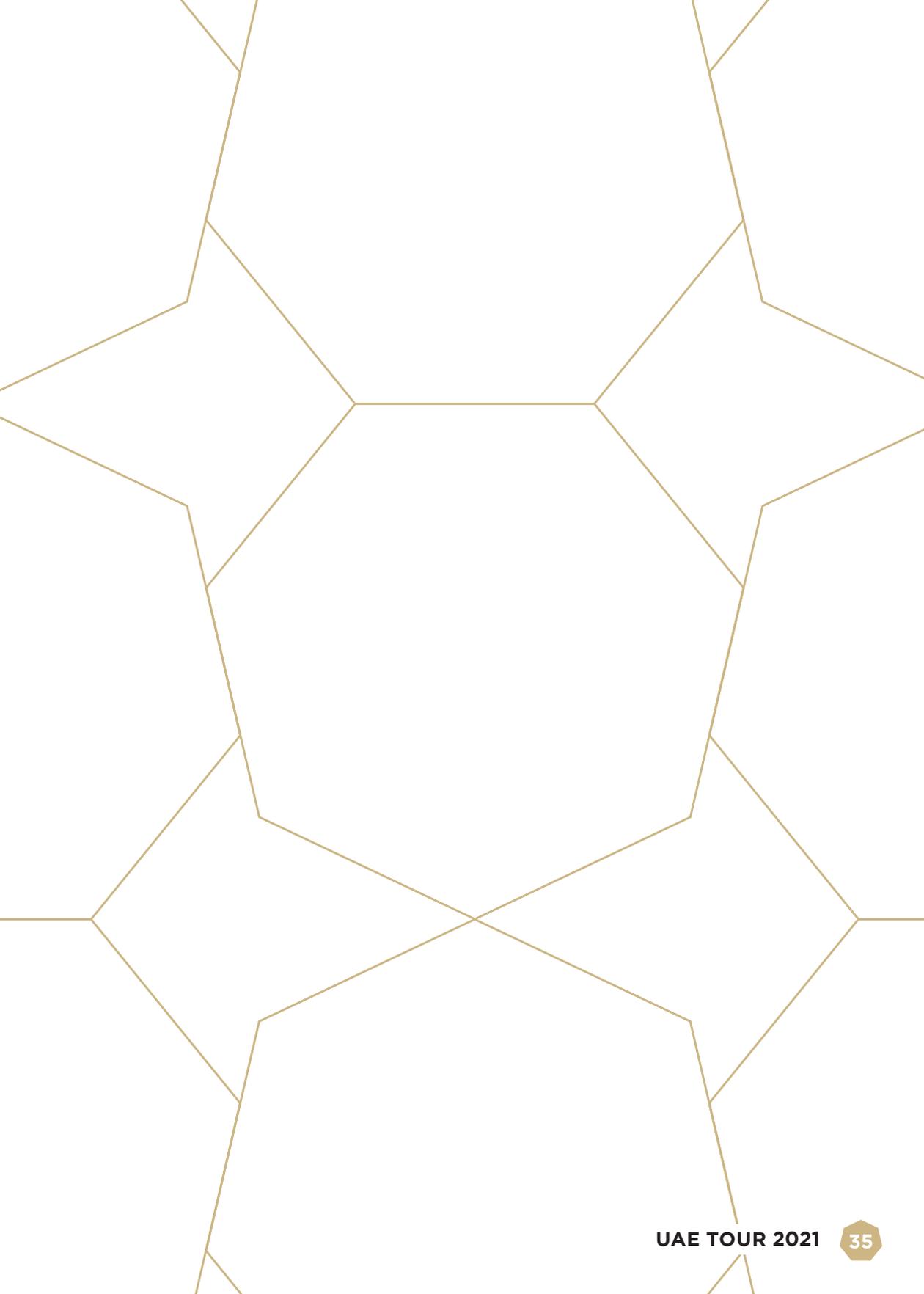
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km 64.4 Habshan Camp

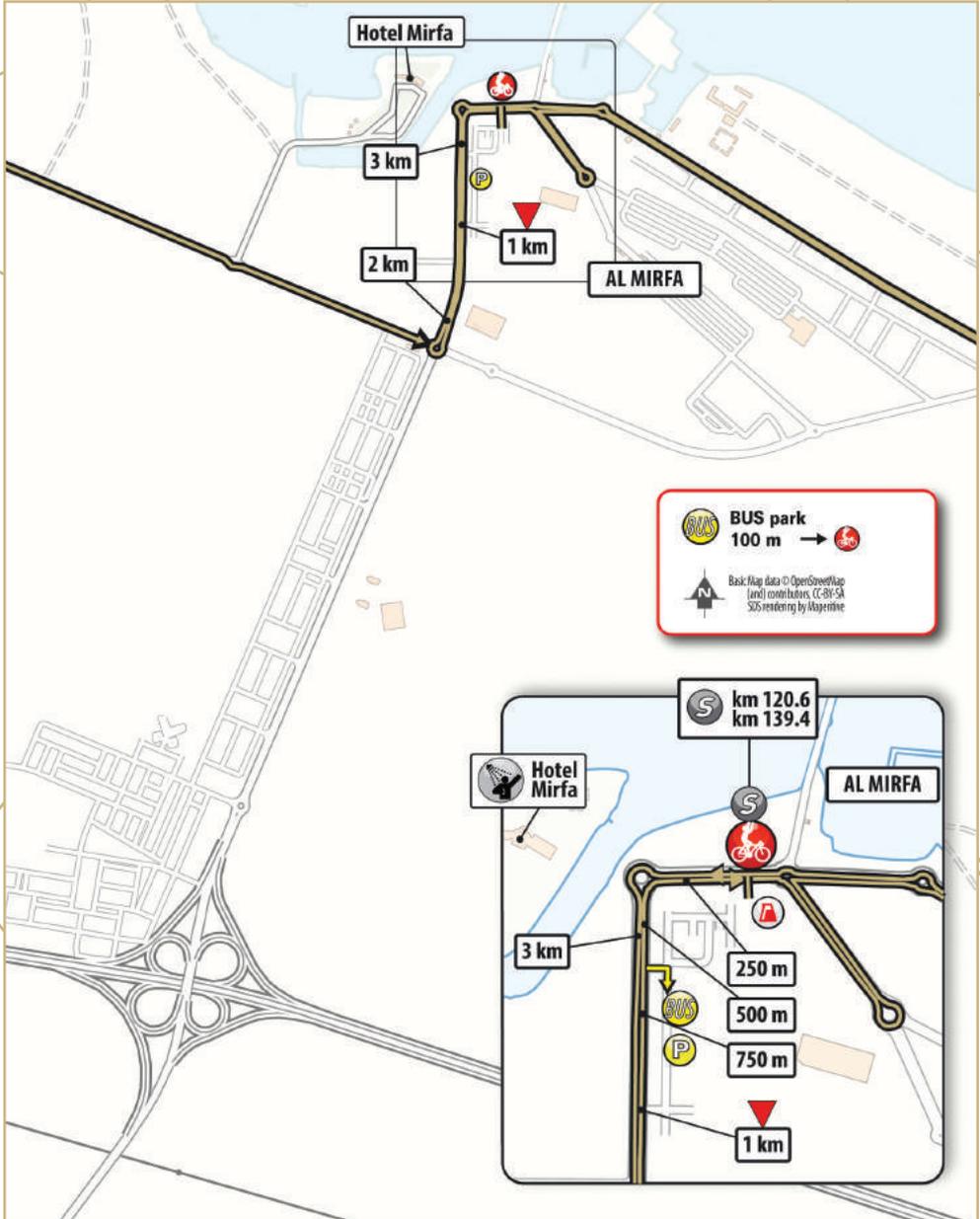
km 138.4 AL MIRFA



LAST KM



1 FINISH



POINTS OF INTEREST

- / Al Dhafra Castle
- / Madinat Zayed Mall
- / Madinat Zayed
- / ADNOC School
- / Sir Baniyas Island
- / Ruwais Mall
- / Shuweihat Island
- /



AL DHAFRA CASTLE

176 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

1 ● CITY MALL MADINAT ZAYED

145 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

The Madinat Zayed Shopping Centre is the place to go for international retail shopping, at the heart of the city. The Madinat Zayed Shopping Centre offers a wide array of brands and stores that offer the discerning shopper everything from high-end fashion, perfume, household goods, groceries, electronics and lots more.

2 ● MADINAT ZAYED

145 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

Is the largest town and the administrative centre of Al Gharbia, the westernmost and largest region in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi. The township was established in 1968 by Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan.

Madinat Zayed is home to Al Dhafra FC, a team that competes in the UAE top division football league, the UAE Pro League, and Al Dhafra futsal club.

3 ● ADNOC SCHOOL

145 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

The ADNOC Schools, in line with the UAE government's pioneering initiatives, aims to become a premier school in the region, graduating highly competent, socially responsible citizens and future national leaders. The mission of ADNOC Schools are to prepare Emirati and other students, through an academically rigorous curriculum, to achieve their highest potential in a global, technologically advanced society, where Arabic and Islamic values are honoured and cultural differences are respected.

4 ● SIR BANIYAS ISLAND

A nature-based destination alive with wildlife and adventure activities, a 5-star boutique hotel, luxury villas, purpose-built stables and historical sites, Sir Bani Yas Island is one of the eight which make up the Desert Is-

lands in Al Dhafra.

Recently awarded the 'World's Leading Sustainable Tourism Destination' at the 2014 World Travel Awards in Anguila, more than half the island is made up of the Arabian Wildlife Park, one of region's largest wildlife reserves, which is home to more than 10,000 free roaming animals including Arabian Oryx, gazelles and giraffes, hyenas and cheetahs. Guests can take a 4x4 Nature & Wildlife Drive of the park in specially made vehicles accompanied by expert guides.

With three Anantara Hotels Resorts & Spas' retreats on the island, guests can enjoy five-star accommodation at Desert Islands Resort & Spa by Anantara, beach front seclusion at Anantara Al Yamm Villa Resort on the eastern shores, and marvel at the natural beauty of Sir Bani Yas Island at Anantara Al Sahel Villa Resort.

The state-of-the-art stables offers a variety of equestrian activities and lessons, each tailored to meet individual abilities.

Sir Bani Yas Island can also be explored with tours provided by Danat Resort Jebel Dhanna.

The island is also home to UAE's only discovered Christian monastery, which can be visited during a Desert Islands Resort & Spa Culture Tour. Believed to have been built around 600 AD, and abandoned in 750 AD, the monastery was initially discovered during excavations in 1992.

5 ● RUWAIS MALL

Located some 250 kms west of Abu Dhabi city, Ruwais Industrial and Housing Complex is developed by Abu Dhabi National Oil Company (ADNOC) as a major contributor to the national economy and represents a series of multi-million-dollar investments by the company.

The story of Ruwais began in 1970's when plans were laid to transform a remote desert site into a self-contained industrial town geared to fulfilling the downstream requirements of Abu Dhabi's booming oil and gas industry. Centered around Ruwais Refinery, the complex was officially inaugurated in 1982 by Abu Dhabi's visionary ruler the Late H.H. Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan.

From a small fishing headland Ruwais today is one of the most modern industrial complexes in the Middle East, home to around 30,000 people of which some 20,000 reside within ADNOC's Ruwais Housing Complex.

Located adjacent to the Ruwais Housing Complex, Ruwais Mall will be the

ADNOC STAGE ROADBOOK

only community shopping mall catering to the Western Region. The Mall will house retail stores along with a variety of leisure and entertainment facilities aiming to attract an affluent clientele.

Ruwais Mall will be a treat to the neighbourhood with its variable mix of stores ranging from fashion, footwear, bags & accessories to jewellery, watches, cosmetics, services, casual dining, cafes, cinemas, bowling alleys, family entertainment centre and an ice rink.

The Mall is pitched to enhance the quality of lifestyle of Ruwais's resident community by giving them a destination to shop, mingle, relax and unwind.

6 ● AL MIRFA BEACH

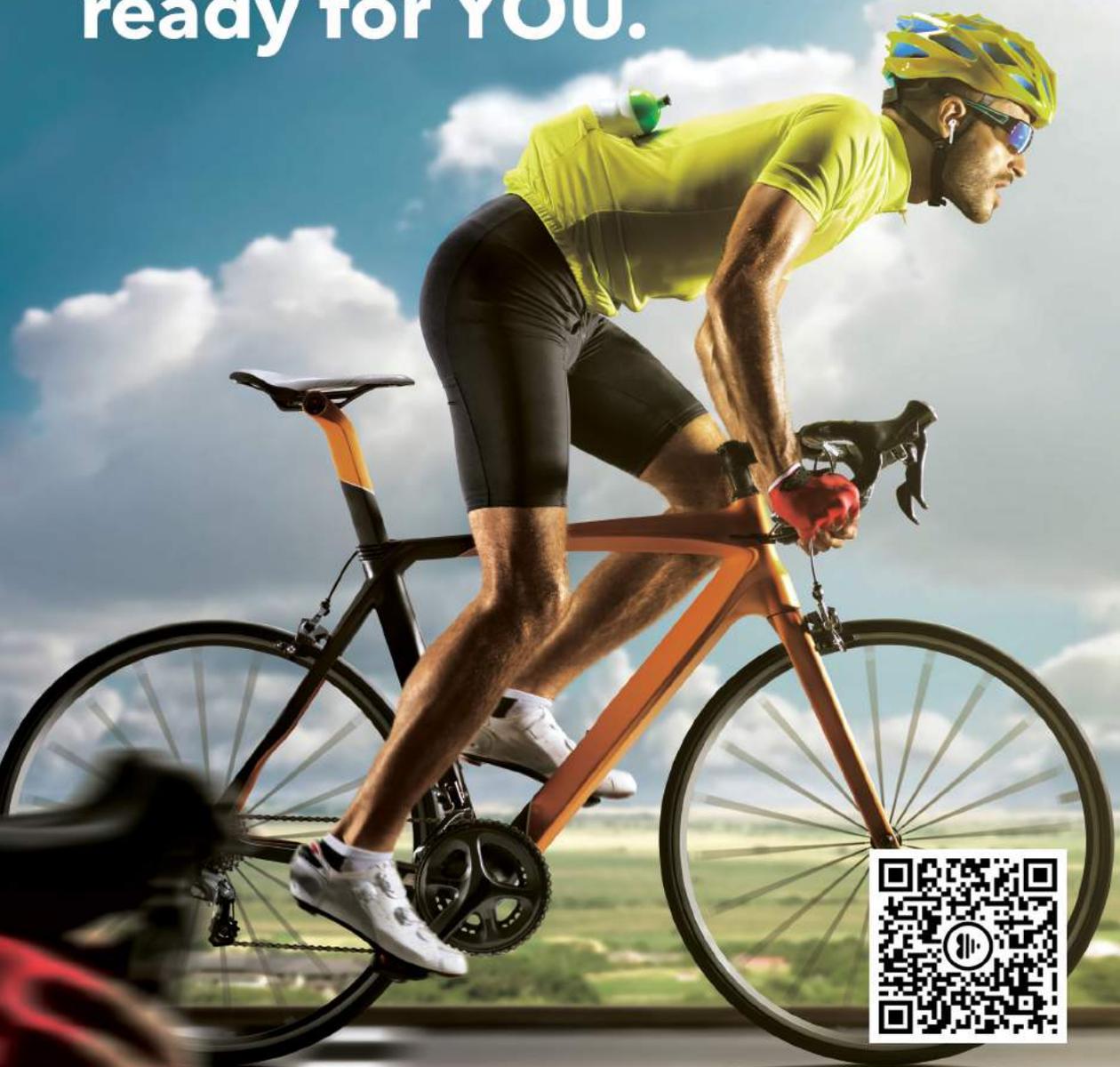
0 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

This stunning spot is one of Abu Dhabi's best-kept secrets. Home to the Al Dhafra Watersports Festival, this is the Al Dhafra area's only developed beach. It's almost never crowded and there is a small town nearby where you can buy supplies for a night of camping or snacks and games for a day out enjoying the turquoise waters.

The annual Al Dhafra Watersports Festival, which welcomes visitors to explore this pristine and undiscovered area, brings global watersports champions and local enthusiasts together to take part in adrenaline-fuelling competitions such as kiteboarding, wakeboarding and surf-ski kayaking. Camping facilities are provided for participants and visitors, with live evening entertainment, kids' play areas and a Sunset Souk (market) available.



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ABU DHABI SPORTS COUNCIL STAGE 22ND FEBRUARY 2021



FROM AL HUDAYRIYAT ISLAND TO AL HUDAYRIYAT ISLAND

Start Village: Al Hudayriyat Island

First Rider start : 13.45

Finish Line: Al Hudayriyat Island

Estimated finish time: 16.30





ABU DHABI SPORT COUNCIL STAGE ● 2

ELEVATION	ABU DHABI			Distance			Timetable km / h			
				leg	run	to be run	51	53	55	
	4	AL HUDAYRIYAT ISLAND	↑	Start	0.0	0.0	13.0	00:00:00	00:00:00	00:00:00
	4	10 KM TO FINISH	↑		3.0	3.0	10.0	00:03:32	00:03:24	00:03:17
	4	8 km to finish	↑		2.0	5.0	8.0	00:05:53	00:05:40	00:05:28
	4	6 km to finish	↑		2.0	7.0	6.0	00:08:15	00:07:56	00:07:39
	4	4 km to finish	↑		2.0	9.0	4.0	00:10:36	00:10:12	00:09:50
	4	1 km to finish	↑		3.0	12.0	1.0	00:14:08	00:13:36	00:13:06
	4	AL HUDAYRIYAT ISLAND	↑	Finish	1.0	13.0	0.0	00:15:18	00:14:44	00:14:11

NOTES:

First rider start: about 13:45
Last rider finish: about 16:30

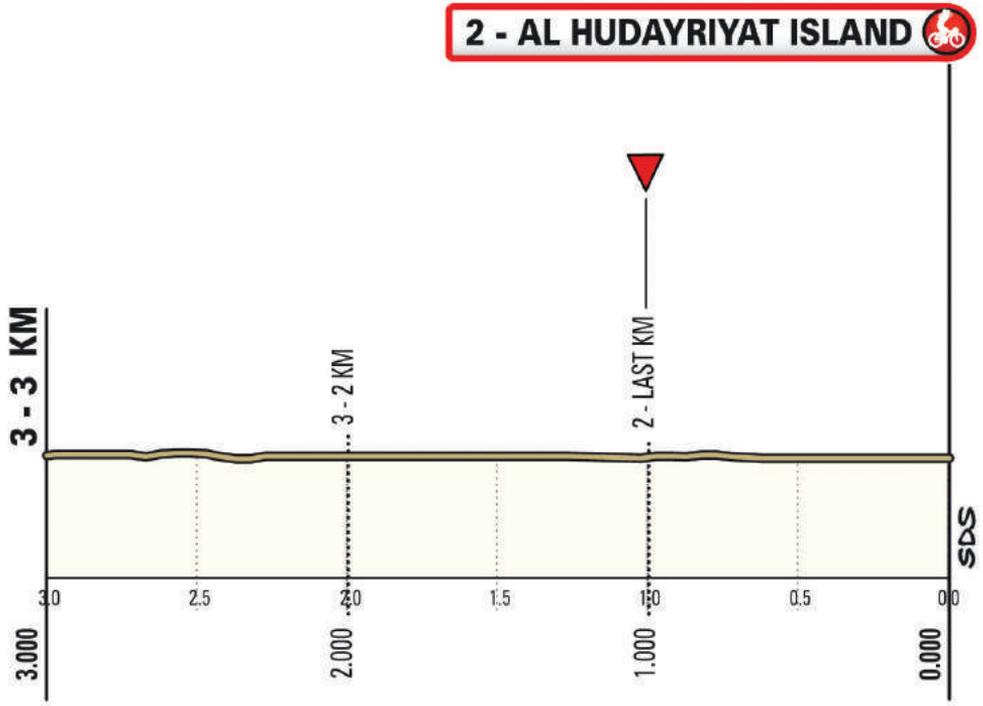


Split time:
km 7

2 START



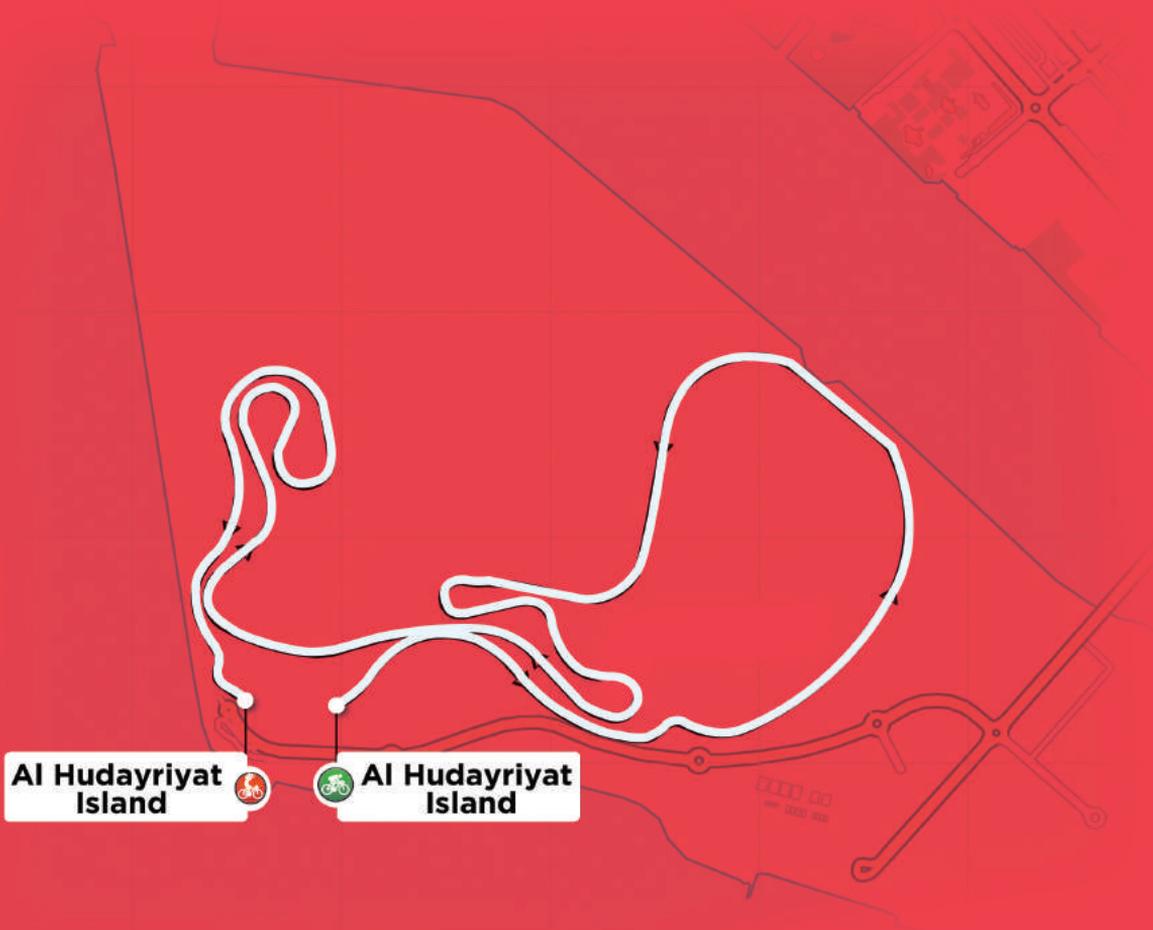
LAST KM

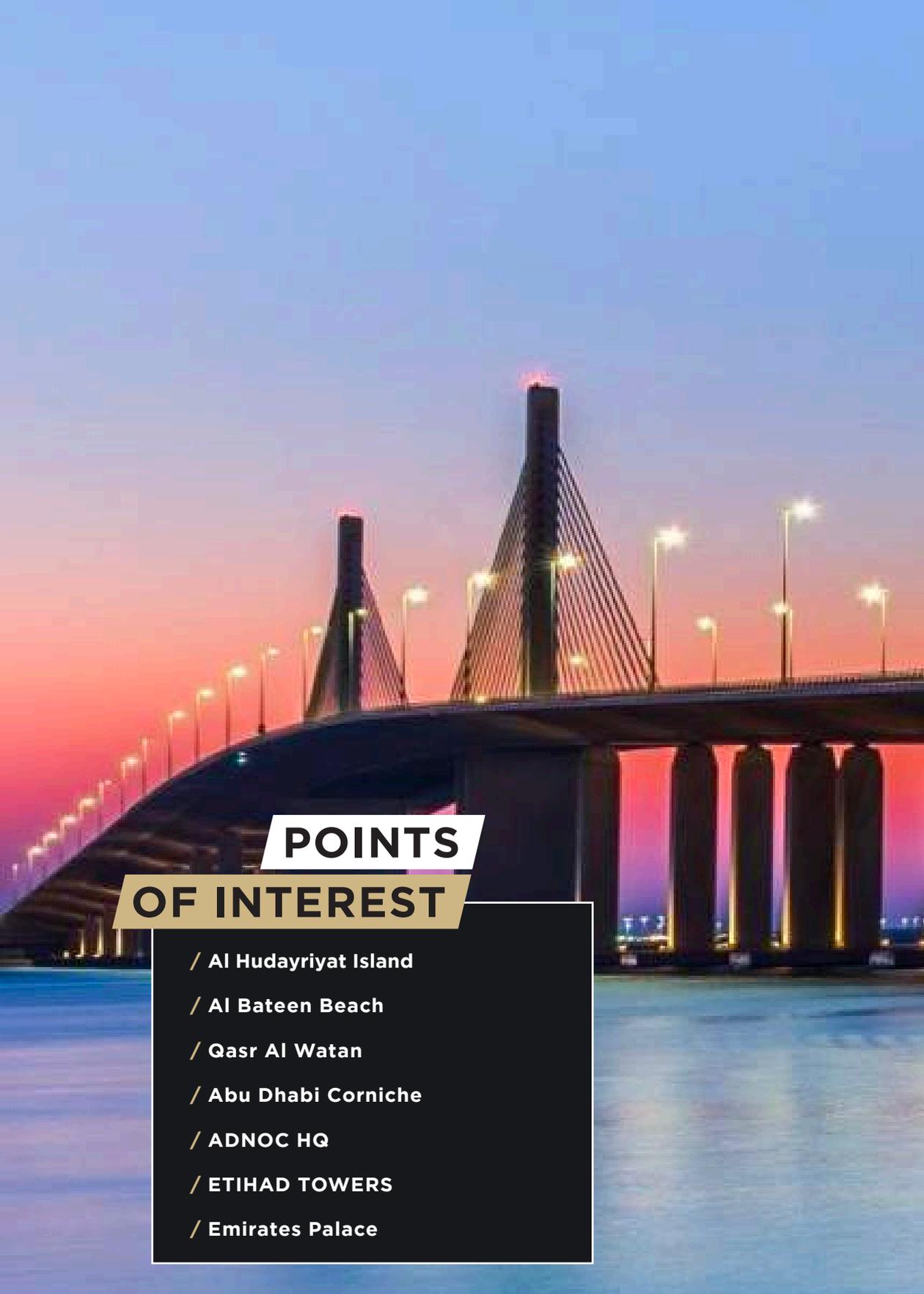


2 FINISH



ABU DHABI SPORT COUNCIL
STAGE
22ND FEBRUARY 2021





POINTS OF INTEREST

/ Al Hudayriyat Island

/ Al Bateen Beach

/ Qasr Al Watan

/ Abu Dhabi Corniche

/ ADNOC HQ

/ ETIHAD TOWERS

/ Emirates Palace

1 ● AL HUDAYRIAT ISLAND

0 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

The project was launched and officially inaugurated by Sheikh Nahyan bin Zayed Al Nahyan in May 2018. Among the attractions are a 600-metre beach, running and cycling tracks, water sports facilities, a bouncy castle and a children's playground. Al Hudayriat Island is part of a new city development that will include housing for Emiratis, and commercial attractions.

As the perfect place to exercise, have fun, and meet new people, Hudayriyat Leisure and Entertainment District's modern facilities and outdoor attractions make it the perfect destination for friends and families.

Families and friends can all come together to take on entertaining challenges, relax, and learn new skills. With its friendly and welcoming atmosphere, Hudayriyat Leisure and Entertainment District is a place where great memories are made, and friendships are formed.

A natural haven that a long line of Arabian pearl divers once called home — has quickly become one of the emirate's most thrilling sporting destinations. It boasts a range of high-end sporting facilities that add fitness-themed fun to its picturesque surroundings while promoting a healthy and active lifestyle.

Those looking for the best cycling tracks in Abu Dhabi love to visit Al Hudayriat Island. The bridge features two loops of cycling tracks — one which is 5 km long and the other stretching up to 10 km. Ride your bike and marvel at the scenic sea views along the way. The cycling track is also well-lit at night to accommodate cyclists who prefer a late start. Additionally, the dedicated bike track also allows cyclists to take in the magnificent views of the Etihad Towers, Downtown skyline and the Arabian Gulf.

Most professional cyclists and enthusiasts bring their own bikes. However, visitors can also get in on the action by renting bikes and helmets from Yas Cycles which has a branch on Al Hudayriat Island. Bike rentals start from AED 50 for adults and AED 25 for kids. Visitors who bring personal bikes can also avail of their service packages. Starting from AED 150, the packages include

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everything from cleanings to a brake tune-up and tubeless tyre installations. Yas Cycles is open every day from 10:00 am to 06:00 pm.

After traversing the bridge, you can check out the attractions of the Al Hudayriat Beach. One of the newest and most peaceful in the capital city, the free public beach area is somewhat of a hidden gem with lots to do.

As with most public beach spots in the UAE, this one also has its fair share of food outlets for the public. There are more than half a dozen food trucks on Al Hudayriat Island to choose from — serving everything from kid-friendly fast food to breakfast and coffee. You can park and order at the window or just sit down and enjoy your meal while taking in the beautiful vistas. The trucks change on a regular basis, but you can find the usual staples like a coffee, burger joint or ice cream truck.

Al Hudayriat Island has over 600 metres of beachfront which means that you can swim across for hours. The water is generally calm with a view of the islands. Don't want to get your feet wet? Set up a lounge chair and umbrella, walk along the sandy shore, unwind with a book or watch the sunset over the city.

Apart from the popular bicycle trail, the island also features football fields and volleyball courts. Except for bike rentals, the sports facilities are free to use. Those who visit the beach for a dip will have to stay behind the safety line and there are bodyguards to ensure everyone stays safe in the water. Showers and toilet facilities are also available at the beach across the parking lot.

A jet-ski and boat slipway are located underneath the main bridge on the island — with loading and offloading boats and jet-skis being free provided that the owners do it themselves

Al Hudayriat Island has also been the site of various events. Prominent examples include the Abu Dhabi Triathlon Festival which took place in 2019. Additionally, the island has also hosted an open-air cinema. The pop-up drive-in theatre was a two-day event and a part of the Abu Dhabi Moments initiative held last year.

It's unlikely that visitors will be able to explore the whole island since major housing developments are planned in the coming years. However, the beach with all its attractions, often proves to be enough.

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2 ● AL BATEEN BEACH

0 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

This stunning beach overlooks Hudayriat Island and its bridge to the west of Abu Dhabi, and enjoys clear, tranquil water ideal for fishing, swimming and waterfront picnics.

Awarded the prestigious Blue Flag sustainability award by the Emirates Wildlife Authority, the beach covers 800 metres of picturesque waterfront and is perfect to play beach volleyball or indulge in watersports activities including kayaking, paddling and more from the beach's watersports centre.

This spot is popular with both expats and locals thanks to its family-friendly vibe and many watersports offerings. If you're feeling a little adventurous, you can hire jet-skis to get out on the water. There are also a handful of cafés, around 100 car-parking spaces and plenty of lifeguards on duty.

3 ● QASR AL WATTAN

0 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

Qasr Al Watan is a working Presidential palace and a majestic cultural landmark that invites the world to discover the rich legacy of knowledge and tradition that has shaped the UAE's journey. Boosting cultural understanding of the nation and emphasising its incredible history, this is more than just a traditional palace. Qasr Al Watan is an exquisitely crafted tribute to Arabian heritage and artistry, with its architecture and design echoing the significance and function of the impressive exhibits and iconic rooms housed within its halls.

One of the palace's most impressive and unmissable attractions is the family-friendly Palace In Motion event, a spectacular light and sound show that celebrates the UAE's journey in three breath-taking acts that unfold in front of the main palace every 30 minutes after sundown, with the final entry taken 30 minutes before showtime. Timings are subject to change.

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4 ● ABU DHABI CORNICHE

0 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

Abu Dhabi's Corniche Road stretches across an impressive eight kilometres of manicured waterfront that includes children's play areas, separate cycle and pedestrian pathways, cafés and restaurants, and the stunning, lifeguarded Corniche Beach. If you're looking to soak up Abu Dhabi's famous year-round sunshine, this immaculate beach is one of the best places to do it.

Some 30,000 to 50,000 visitors flock to the Corniche every month, with the 2km beach being divided into three sections: Al Sahil (Gate 4, free entry) is perfect for singles and larger groups, Gate 2 is ideal for families and has its own quiet zone, with Gate 3 also being great for families and kids. The two latter beaches are shielded from view with a fence. Showers, changing rooms and cabanas are available, and sun loungers and umbrellas can be hired for a fee. A lifeguard is on duty until sunset.

Abu Dhabi's pristine Corniche beachfront has been awarded coveted Blue Flag status, with this internationally renowned eco-label for beaches and marinas guaranteeing clean and safe seawater.

There are more than 1,100 free parking spaces within a five-minute walk of the beach, with entry to the family and singles sections costing AED 10. Entry to the public beach is free.

A fun and healthy way to tour the Corniche is to hire a bicycle.

3 ● ADNOC HQ

0 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

The ADNOC HQ is hosted in a 75-storey skyscraper on the Abu Dhabi Corniche. The building corporates energy efficiency and sustainable engineering technologies, such as a double skin façade, photovoltaic glazing and LED exterior lighting. Designed by HOK, the overall building complex consists of more than 65 floors with an office tower, Corniche Club, SPC and Crisis Management Center, a heritage museum and other supporting facilities.

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4 ● ETIHAD TOWERS

0 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

A dramatic architectural statement on the Abu Dhabi Corniche, this five-tower complex welcomes residents and travellers to live, work, stay, shop and dine in one destination boasting stunning panoramic city and Arabian Gulf views.

A benchmark for luxury, the complex includes three residential towers, one business tower, and the 280-metre tall, five-star Jumeirah at Etihad Towers hotel.

On Tower 2's 74th floor, the Observation Deck at 300 offers some of the city's best views. If you're looking for a fabulous place to shop, The Avenue at Etihad Towers is home to some of the world's most luxurious and exclusive boutique store collections, with many boasting private rooms for VIP shopping.

3 ● EMIRATES PALACE

0 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

This lavish property is world-famous thanks to its enchanting Arabesque style, award-winning five-star hospitality and wonderfully unique and authentic local experiences. Located in the heart of Abu Dhabi, Emirates Palace's impressive offerings include a pristine 1.3km private beach, landscaped pools, a private marina overlooking a natural bay, a luxe spa offering indulgent treatments, including a 24-karat gold facial, and some of the world's best restaurants.

One of the capital's most well-known landmarks, the main palace building stretches over a kilometre from wing to wing, with its gardens stretching across 100 hectares.

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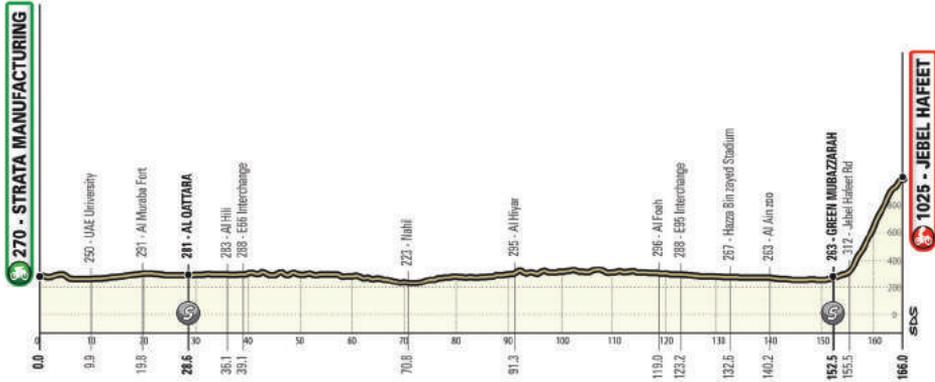
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Start Village: Strata Manufacturing

Sign-on: 10.55 - 12.10

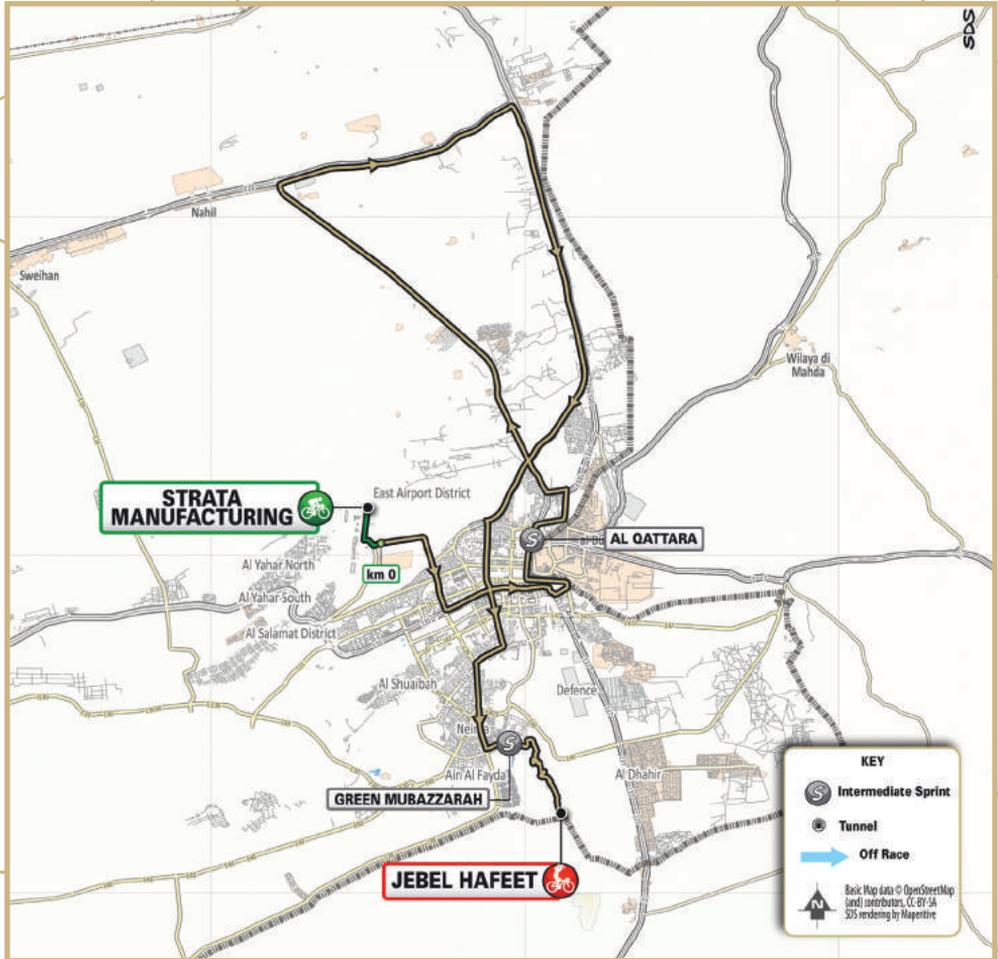
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Start - Km 0: 12.25

Finish Line: Jebel Hafeet

Estimated finish time: 16.30





STRATA STAGE ● 3

ELEVATION	ABU DHABI			Distance			Timetable km / h		
				leg	run	to be run	39	41	43
267	STRATA MANUFACTURING	↑	Start Village	4.4			12.15	12.15	12.15
 270	STRATA MANUFACTURING	↑	km 0	0.0	0.0	166.0	12.25	12.25	12.25
250	UAE University	↩	SH. KHALIFA BIN ZAYED ST.	9.9	9.9	156.1	12.38	12.37	12.37
291	Al Muraba Fort	↩	Othman Bin Affan St.	9.9	19.8	146.2	12.54	12.52	12.51
 281	Al Qattara	↑	120 ST	8.8	28.6	137.4	13.05	13.04	13.02
283	Al Hili	↪	E95	7.5	36.1	129.9	13.17	13.15	13.13
288	E66 Interchange	↑	E95	3.0	39.1	126.9	13.22	13.20	13.17
223	Nahil	↪	E20	31.7	70.8	95.2	14.05	14.01	13.57
295	Al Hiyar	↑	E66	20.5	91.3	74.7	14.38	14.32	14.26
296	Al Foah	↑	E66	27.7	119.0	47.0	15.22	15.13	15.06
288	E95 Interchange	↑	E66	4.2	123.2	42.8	15.27	15.19	15.11
267	Hazza Bin zayed Stadium	↪	0	9.4	132.6	33.4	15.40	15.31	15.22
263	Al Ain zoo	↪	0	7.6	140.2	25.8	15.50	15.40	15.32
 263	Green Mubazzarah	↪	0	12.3	152.5	13.5	16.06	15.56	15.46
312	Jebel Hafeet Rd	↪	start climb	3.0	155.5	10.5	16.11	16.00	15.51
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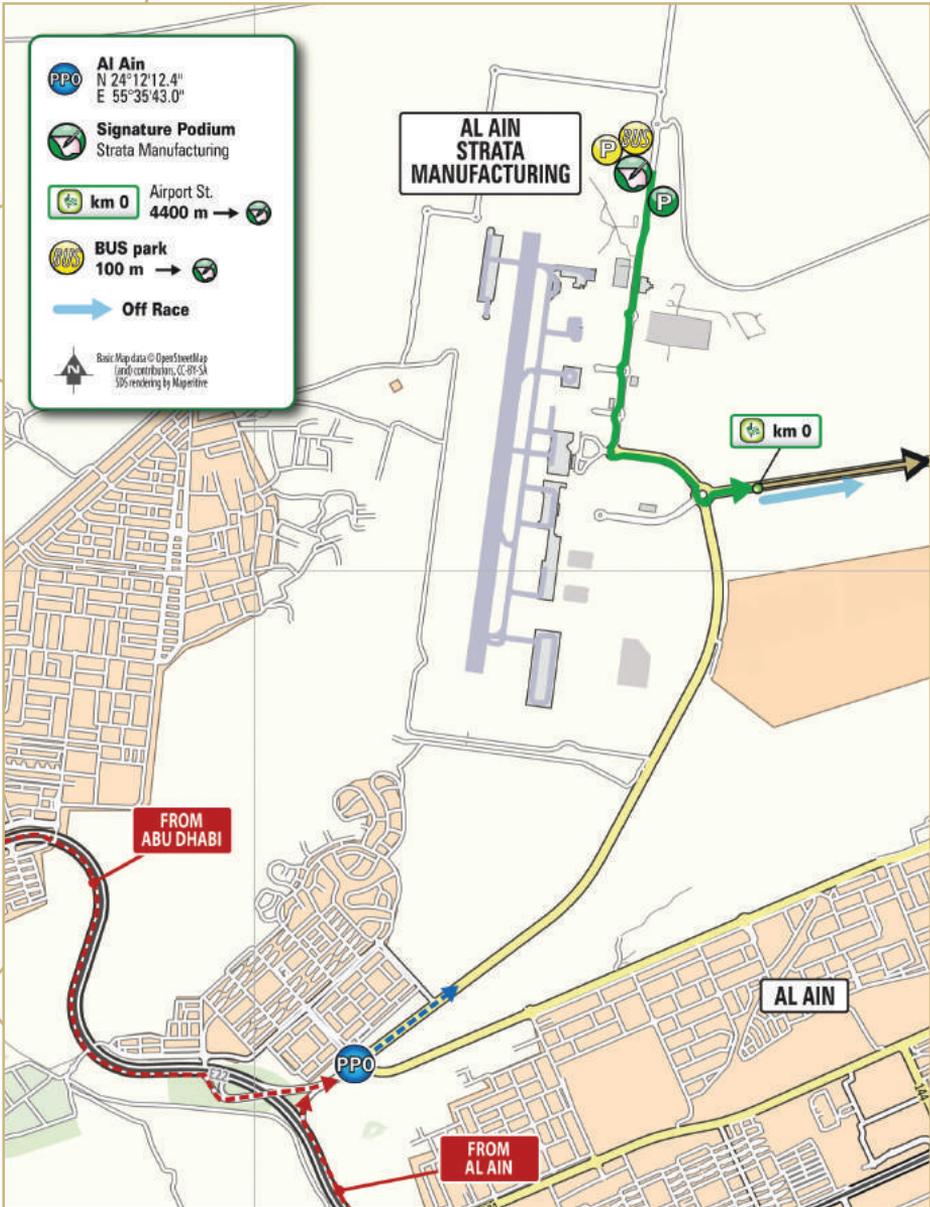


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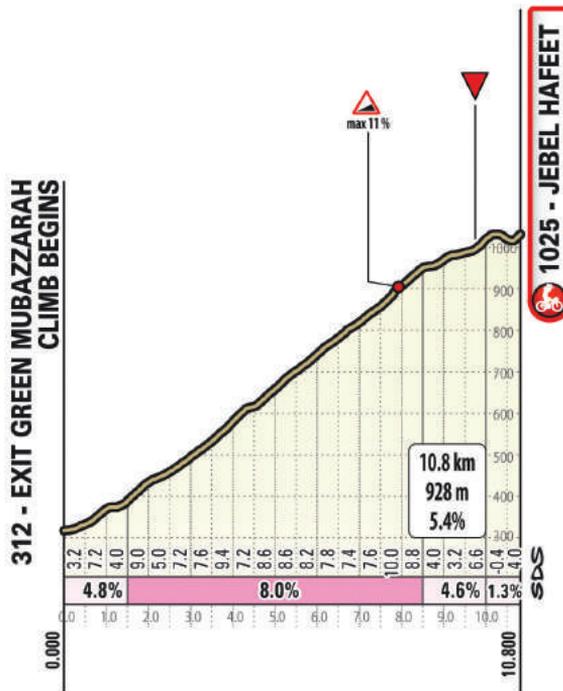
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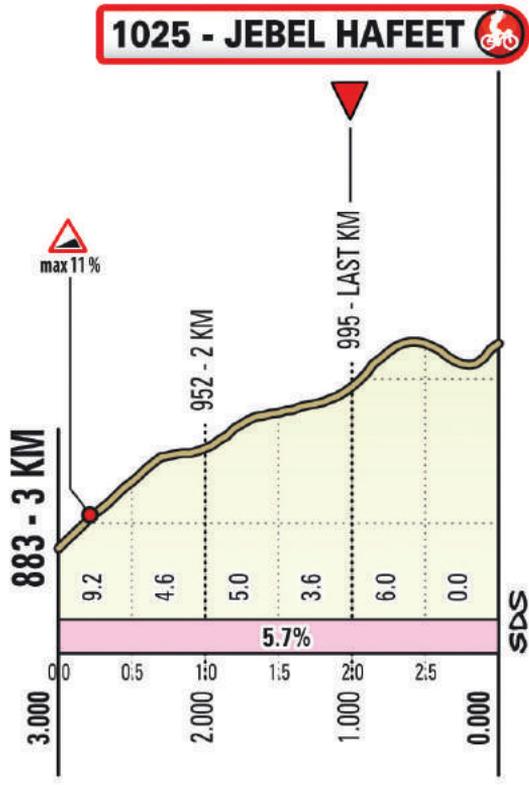
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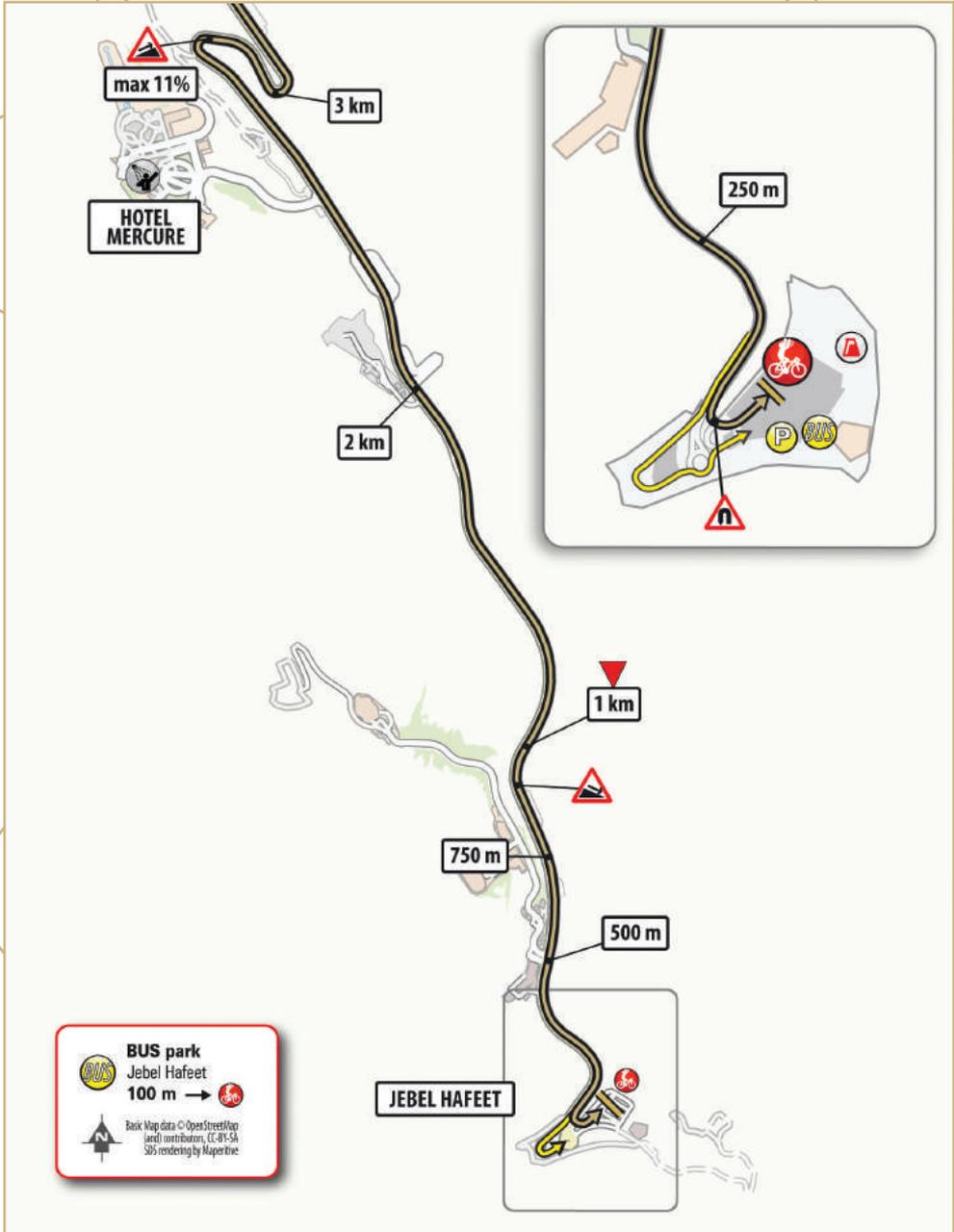


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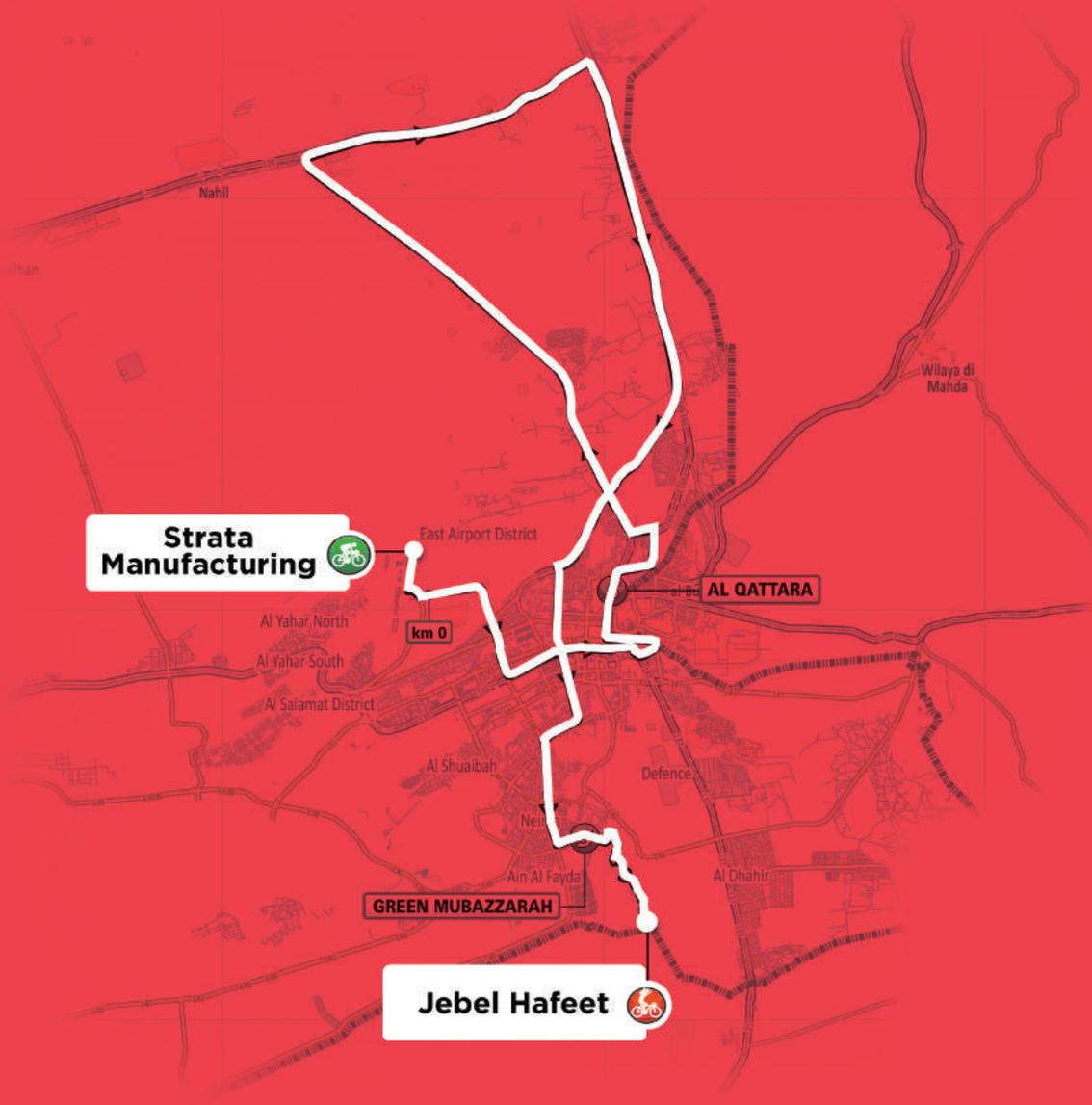


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STRATA STAGE

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POINTS OF INTEREST

- / Strata Manufacturing**
- / Hazza Bin Zayed Stadium**
- / UAE University**
- / Qasr Al Muwaiji**
- / Al Ain Oasis**
- / Al Ain Palace Museum**
- / Al Jahili Fort**
- / Souq Al Qattara**
- / Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed
Grand Mosque**
- / Al Ain Zoo**
- / Green Mubazzarah**
- / Jebel Hafeet**

1 ● STRATA MANUFACTURING

166 KM TO FINISH LINE

Strata Manufacturing – Strata - is a composite aero-structures manufacturing facility based in Al Ain, United Arab Emirates. Established in 2009, with production beginning in 2010, Strata has partnerships with the world's leading aircraft manufacturers, Airbus and Boeing.

2 ● HAZZA BIN ZAYED STADIUM

160 KM TO FINISH LINE

The home of Al Ain FC, this 25,000-seat stadium is one of Al Ain's tallest buildings and a recognizable landmark.

The outer façade design of this stadium is inspired by a palm tree trunk, an integral part of the UAE's heritage and culture. The stadium is part of a wider project, constructed in phases, which will ultimately include residential, commercial, and entertainment areas, as well as a luxury hotel and sports facilities.

3 ● UAE UNIVERSITY

156 KM TO FINISH LINE

United Arab Emirates University is the oldest university in the United Arab Emirates. It was established in 1976. The UAEU is an accredited research-based institution. Its alumni have provided the United Arab Emirates with ministers, diplomats, senior government officials, and business leaders.

<https://www.uaeu.ac.ae/ar/>

4 ● QASR AL MUWAIJI

148 KM TO FINISH LINE

The historic Qasr Al Muwajji – birthplace of His Highness Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan, President of the UAE – has been restored to its former glory and reopened to the public as a museum and permanent exhibition.

Located in the centre of Al Ain city, Qasr al Muwajji is an impressive structure that has watched over the oasis for more than 100 years. Built in the early 20th century, this simple but striking building was originally used as a diwan (a council or seat of governance) and as a place for the community to congregate.

5 ● AL AIN OASIS**146 KM TO FINISH LINE**

In the heart of the city, the Al Ain Oasis has been opened as the UAE's first curated UNESCO World Heritage site visitor experience. Spread over 1,200 hectares (nearly 3,000 acres) and containing more than 147,000 date palms of up to 100 different varieties, this impressive oasis is filled with palm plantations, many of which are still working farms. The cool, shady walkways transport you from the heat and noise of the city to a tranquil haven; all you will hear is bird-song and the rustle of the palm fronds. The site introduces visitors to the delicate oasis eco-system and the importance it has played in the development of the emirate. The oasis landscape of Al Ain is shaped by a complex shared water supply based on both wells and 'aflaj', the UAE's traditional irrigation system. Al Ain Oasis has plenty of working examples of the falaj which have been used for centuries to tap into underground wells.

6 ● AL AIN PALACE MUSEUM**146 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Located on the western edge of Al Ain Oasis, the Palace of the late Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan was built in 1937. It was converted into a museum in 1998 and opened to the public in 2001. The original structure comprised a private residence for the ruler and his family within a complex of courtyards. The architectural design and construction of Al Ain Palace is typical of historical buildings of the UAE. It features the characteristic ventilation structures that are designed to keep the buildings cool in the summer.

Locally sourced and environmentally friendly building materials were used, including clay, adobe and plaster stones, as well as palm tree elements for roofing rooms, ceilings, doors and windows. The use of teak was later introduced in the renovation of the buildings.

7 ● AL JAHILI FORT**146 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Al Jahili Fort is one of the UAE's most historic buildings. It was erected in 1891 to defend the city and protect precious palm groves. The former headquarters of the Oman Trucial Scouts, the force that protected the mountain passes and kept inter-tribal peace, it also served as a residence for the local governor. It is set in beautifully landscaped gardens, and visitors are encouraged to explore it.

STRATA STAGE ● 3

8 ● SOUQ AL QATTARA

137 KM TO FINISH LINE

Dating back to the mid-20th century and founded by the late Sheikh Shakh-but bin Sultan Al Nahyan on the palm-lined road linking Al Ain's Al Qattara and Al Jimi oases, the historic Souq Al Qattara has been renovated and reopened. A traditional handicrafts market takes place here every Thursday, Friday and Saturday from October to May, encouraging local families to preserve and promote Abu Dhabi's heritage through an active involvement in traditional craft production. The Souq is linked to the redeveloped Al Qattara Fort, now home to a popular arts center, featuring hundreds of modern exhibits, workshops, a café and a library.

9 ● SHEIKH KHALIFA BIN ZAYED GRAND MOSQUE

145 KM TO FINISH LINE

The Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Grand mosque, also known as Al Ain Grand Mosque, will be able to accommodate 20,000 worshippers. IT is composed of a basement level and ground floor and will also include a 160-meter-wide dome that will cover the main prayer hall and four 60-metre-tall minarets. The complex will also include other buildings for classrooms and offices, as well as underground parking.

10 ● AL AIN ZOO

25 KM TO FINISH LINE

This 900-hectare park near the base of Jebel Hafeet is where visitors can see a large animal collection in enclosures that closely resemble their natural habitats. There are plenty of green public spaces for picnics and playgrounds, a cafeteria and a train tour of the wildlife area.

The Al Ain Zoo is home to over 4,000 animals, with at least 30% of its 180 species considered endangered. Conservation efforts have been strengthened by partnerships with San Diego Zoo, the Fairchild Tropical Botanical Garden in Miami, and the World Association of Zoos & Aquariums.

The Zoo also includes the Al Ain Safari experience. Magnificently positioned against the imposing backdrop of Jebel Hafeet, Al Ain Safari has been carefully crafted out of the desert environment. At 217 hectares it is one of the world's largest man-made African Safaris and home to a range of native African animals and 2500 plants.

Moreover, the zoo also is home to the Sheikh Zayed Desert Learning Centre, an

important educational facility that combines knowledge and learning through

interactive exhibits, multimedia and visual materials that have been specially designed by world-class experts and specialists.

10 ● GREEN MUBAZZARAH **14 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Strategically located at the feet of the Jebel Hafeet Mountains, Green Mubazzarah is home to a number of spending Chalets that make a great retreat away from the noise of the metropolis providing guests with a deluxe lodging and intimate access to the great outdoors.

Green Mubazzarah occupies part of the rocky mountain side and been landscaped with rolling grassy hillsides alongside streams, hot springs and waterfalls. Green Mubazzarah Chalets is less than a 40 minute-drive from Al Ain International Airport and 15 minute-drive from Wadi Adventure.

12 ● JEBEL HAFEET **0 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Rising 1,240 meters, Jebel Hafeet is the emirate's highest peak, and the UAE's second. This towering rocky mountain, which stands guard over Al Ain and borders Oman, is forged out of craggy limestone that has been weathered over millions of years. Significant fossil discoveries have been made in the area, which are vital pieces in the jigsaw on the city's ancient history. Over 500 ancient burial tombs dating back 5,000 years have been found in the Jebel Hafeet foothills. Once you reach the top, you'll be rewarded with magnificent views over Al Ain.

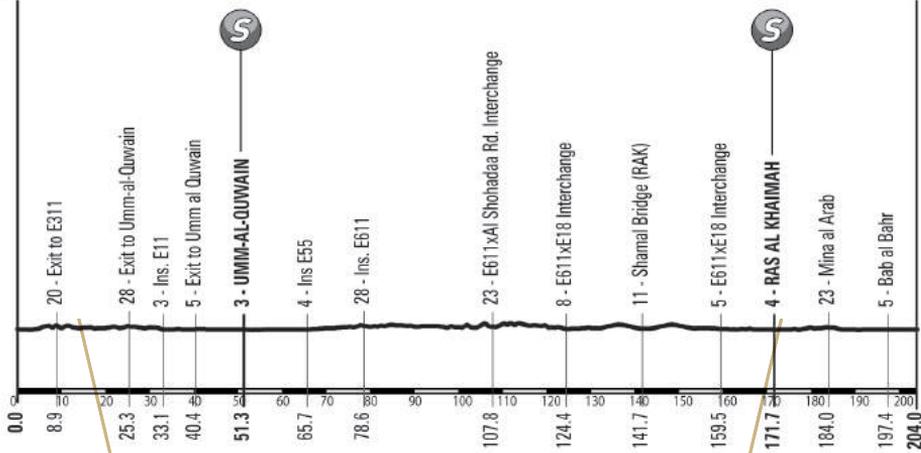
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4 - AL MARJAN ISLAND

5 - AL MARJAN ISLAND



FROM AL MARJAN ISLAND TO AL MARJAN ISLAND

Start Village: Al Marjan Island

Sign-on: 10.20 - 11.35

Alignment: 11.40

Start - Km 0: 11.45

Finish Line: Al Marjan Island

Estimated finish time: 16.30





HOPE PROBE STAGE 4

ELEVATION	RAK			Distance			Timetable km / h			
				leg	run	to be run	41	43	45	
5	AL MARJAN ISLAND	↑	Start Village	2.0			11.40	11.40	11.40	
	4	AL MARJAN ISLAND	↑	km 0	0.0	0.0	204.0	11.45	11.45	11.45
	5	Exit to Al Quarar St.	↗	Al Quarar St.	2.1	2.1	201.9	11.48	11.48	11.48
	20	Exit to E311	↑	E311	6.8	8.9	195.1	11.59	11.58	11.58
UMM AL QUWAIN										
	28	Exit to Umm-al-Quwain	↑	Al Arqan St.	16.4	25.3	178.7	12.25	12.23	12.21
	3	Ins. E11	↑	E11	7.8	33.1	170.9	12.36	12.33	12.31
	5	Exit to Umm al Quwain	↗		7.3	40.4	163.6	12.47	12.44	12.41
	3	Umm-al-Quwain	↑	Sh. Al Moalla St. - Al Mualla St.	10.9	51.3	152.7	13.02	12.58	12.55
	4	Ins E55	↙	E55	14.4	65.7	138.3	13.25	13.20	13.16
	28	Ins. E611	↗	E611	12.9	78.6	125.4	13.46	13.40	13.34
RAK										
	23	E611xAl Shohadaa Rd. Interchange	↑	E611	29.2	107.8	96.2	14.25	14.18	14.11
	8	E611xE18 Interchange	↑	E611	16.6	124.4	79.6	14.48	14.39	14.31
	11	Shamal Bridge (RAK)	↻	E611	17.3	141.7	62.3	15.15	15.05	14.56
	5	E611xE18 Interchange	↑	E18	17.8	159.5	44.5	15.39	15.28	15.18
	7	Al Quawasim Corniche Rd.	↑		10.0	169.5	34.5	15.55	15.43	15.33
	4	Ras al Khaimah	↙	Al Khor rd - E11	2.2	171.7	32.3	15.58	15.46	15.35
	23	Mina al Arab	↑	E11	12.3	184.0	20.0	16.17	16.04	15.53
	5	Bab al Bahr	↗	Marjan Is. Blvd	13.4	197.4	6.6	16.35	16.21	16.09
	5	U-Turn	↻	Marjan Is. Blvd	3.9	201.3	2.7	16.40	16.26	16.14
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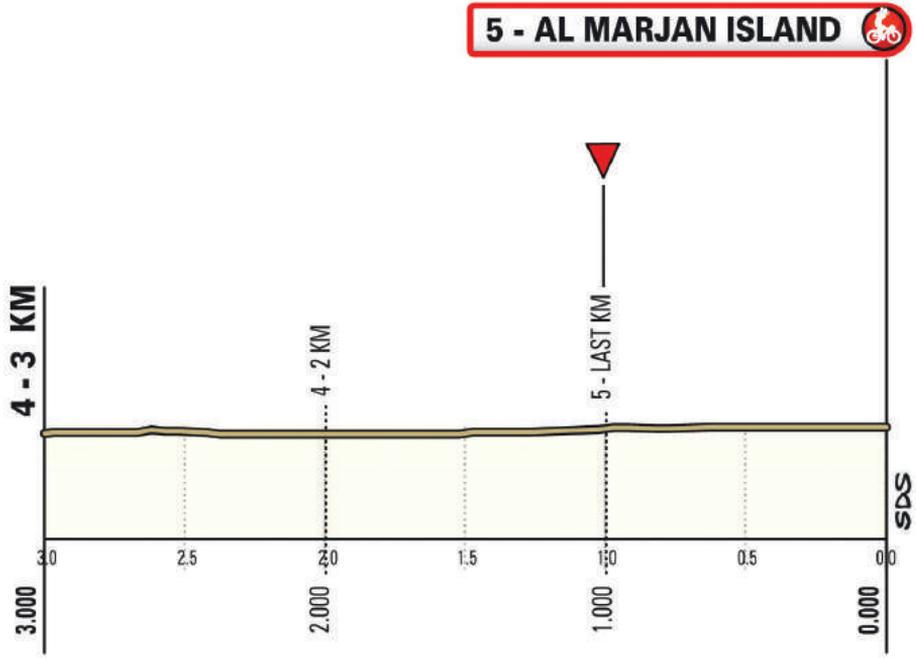
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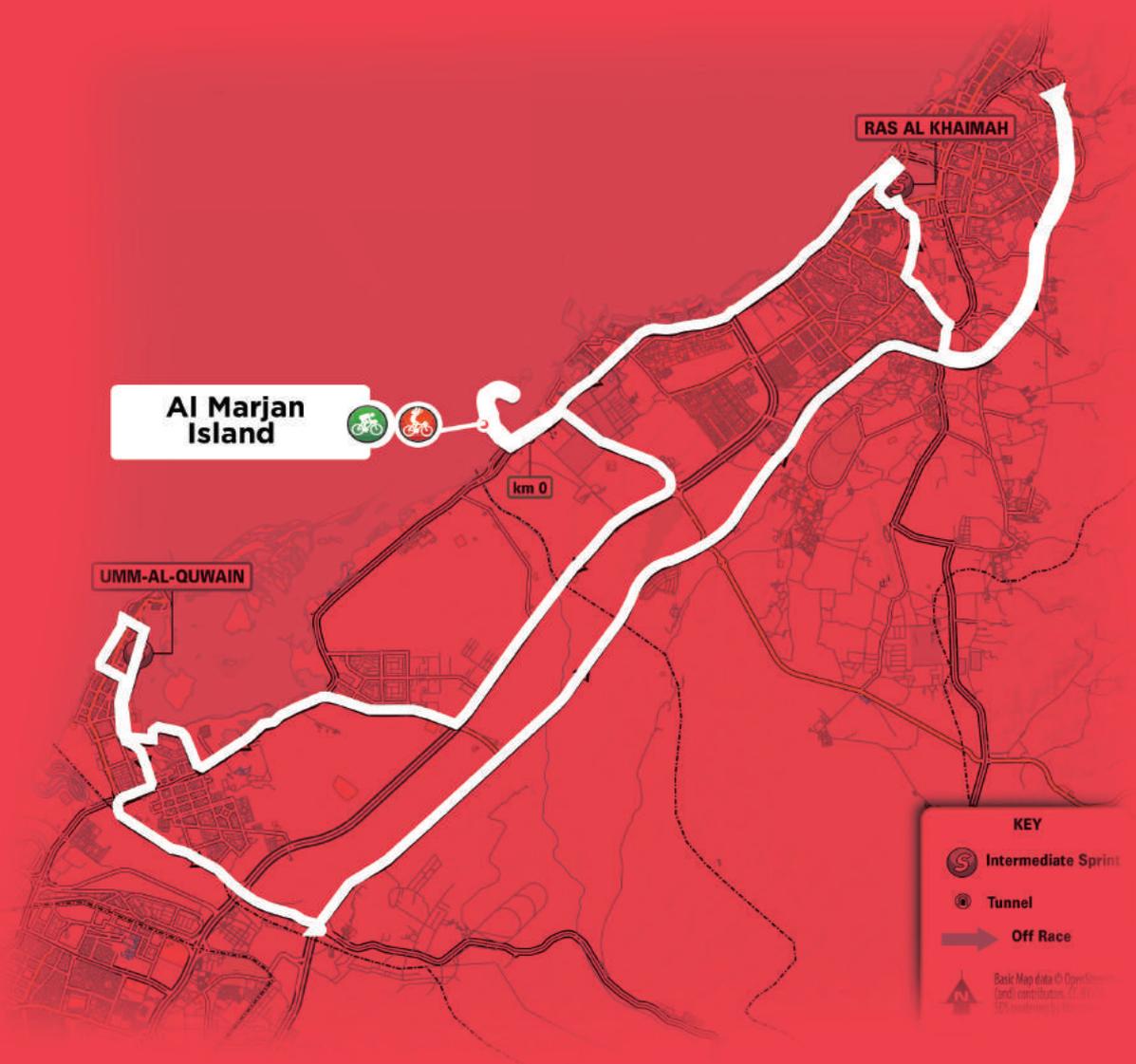


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POINTS OF INTEREST

- / Al Marjan Island
- / Sheikh Khalifa Specialty Hospital
- / Al Sawan Camel Racetrack
- / Umm Al Quwain
- / Dreamland Aqua Park
- / Al Sinniyah Island
- / SUAQ National Museum
- / Suwaidi Pearls Farm
- / Al Hamra Village
- / Julphar Towers
- / Ras Al Khaimah Mangroves
- / Dhayah Fort
- / Ras Al Khaimah National Museum

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راس الخيمة الوطني
NATIONAL MUSEUM
OF RAS AL KHAIMAH

1 ● AL MARJAN ISLAND**204/0 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Al Marjan Island is a series of four man-made, coral-shaped islands extending 4.5km into the turquoise waters of Ras Al Khaimah, the UAE's northernmost emirate. It was named Al Marjan Island because the complex resembles coral (marjan in Arabic) when seen from above. With various world-class resorts and restaurants located on the island, there is plenty of entertainment and relaxation activities for residents and visitors to enjoy.

2 ● SHEIKH KHALIFA SPECIALTY HOSPITAL**195 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Under the visionary leadership of His Highness Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan, President of the United Arab Emirates, Sheikh Khalifa Specialty Hospital (SKSH) was built in the middle of five emirates - Sharjah, Ajman, Umm Al Quwain, Ras Al Khaimah and Fujairah - to cover medical services for these Emirates. SKSH is the leading medical facility in the Emirate and a referral centre for the Northern Emirates. The six-story hospital, provides essential world-class tertiary care services in the Northern Emirates, with a focus on three medical specialties:

- Oncology
- Cardiovascular
- Neuroscience

3 ● AL SAWAN CAMEL RACETRACK**95 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Camel races are a traditional heritage activity in Ras Al Khaimah. Mainly a winter pastime, the camel races take place on the weekends at the camel racetrack, surrounded by dunes and sheltered by the thickets of Ghaf trees in Digdaga and Hamraniya. On weekdays, the racetrack is usually busy with camel trainers and colourfully clad camels trotting up and down the track, building up their stamina for the weekend races. The camel races are held early Friday mornings from 6:30 to 9:30am from October through the winter season.

Reasons to invest in Ras Al Khaimah

United Arab Emirates

A Secure Investment Market



Transparent Legal Work



Strong Leisure Demand



Strategic Location & Connectivity



10-25% Lower Development Cost



Investment Benefits

100%

Foreign Ownership



100%

Repatriation of Capital & Profits



100%

Availability of Utilities



0%

Corporate Tax



0%

Personal Tax



5%

VAT as of 2018



Investment Returns

15.8%

Equity IRR for Hospitality Assets



20-30%

Equity IRR on Residential Developments for Sale



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4 ● UMM AL QUWAIN

150 KM TO FINISH LINE

Umm Al Quwain is the second smallest and the least populated emirate in the UAE. It covers an area of approximately 720 sq. km, which is equivalent to 1 per cent of the UAE's area. The city of Umm Al Quwain is built on a narrow peninsula called Khor Al Bidiyah. The emirate has rich coastal mangroves on the coast of Arabian Gulf and many islands that lie to the east of the mainland. Umm Al Quwain provides facilities for numerous recreational activities; from sailing to skydiving. Traditional activities such as dhow building and sports such as falconry and camel racing are also popular in the emirate.

5 ● DREAMLAND AQUA PARK

160 KM TO FINISH LINE

Located on the scenic coastline of Umm Al Quwain, Dreamland Aqua Park is one of the major tourist attractions and is the largest water park in the UAE. Covering about 250,000 square meters. The park features high-salinity pool, raft rides, wave pool, swimming pool, lazy river, several water slides, spa-like pool with a bar for relaxing.

Inaugurated on 12th June 1997, Dreamland Aqua Park was the vision of His Excellency Sheikh Abdullah Bin Rashid Al Mualla, Deputy ruler of His Highness Sheikh Rashid Bin Ahmed Al Mualla, member of the UAE Supreme Council and ruler of Umm Al Quwain Emirate, to create the first and largest water park in the region with a main concern - Fun is a right for everyone.

6 ● AL SINNIYAH ISLAND

160 KM TO FINISH LINE

Al Sinniyah Island is the biggest island of several that lie east to the mainland of Umm Al Quwain. It is home to Arabian gazelles, falcons and turtles and features dense mangroves with sandy beaches. The island is especially meant for birdwatchers and nature enthusiasts since it hosts a wide variety of flora and fauna like the rare Socotra cormorants, flamingos and seagulls.

7 ● UAQ NATIONAL MUSEUM

150 KM TO FINISH LINE

The UAQ National Museum is a renovated ancient fort that was used to guard the entrance to the old town. The museum houses several artifacts found at nearby archaeological sites. Another excavated site, Al-Dur, was a coastal city with nearly 200 BCE until the third century CE. The site also contains several interesting artifacts that are housed in the UAQ National Museum.

8 ● SUWAIDI PEARLS FARM 40 KM TO FINISH LINE

Taking a fascinating trip to the yesteryears, to a time when pearling was once the pillar of the country's economy, is Abdullah Al Suwaidi, who set up the region's first cultured pearl farm in 2005 on the very waters that had produced the finest Arabian pearls coveted by royals, nobles and celebrities in distant lands. The pearl farm is located on a sliver alongside the sea and the mountains that Al Rams nestles. Visitors learn about the history and techniques of pearl farming and try opening an oyster.

9 ● AL HAMRA VILLAGE 15 KM TO FINISHLINE

Upscale Al Hamra Village is a landscaped resort on manmade islands, known for its namesake beach, top-end hotels and chic apartments. Speedboats and yachts moor in Al Hamra Marina & Yacht Club, while architect Peter Harra-dine designed the championship course at Al Hamra Golf Club. Global fashion brands fill Al Hamra Mall, and international restaurants offer fine dining alongside coffee shops with harbor views.

10 ● JULPHAR TOWERS 32 KM TO FINISH LINE

Julphar Towers provides an ultramodern lifestyle of luxury, convenience and much more. They consist of one office tower and one residential tower complemented by extensive facilities. Nature lovers a can enjoy strolls along the beach, a visit to the mangroves or creek, which are just minutes away.

11 ● RAS AL KHAIMAH MANGROVES 35 KM TO FINISH LINE

Mangroves and salt flats form a large part of the coastal and inland landscape of Ras Al Khaimah. The mangroves, which are home to a variety of wildlife, including flamingos, extend right into the city bringing a rich sense of nature into the urban environment. Visitors can explore the mangroves by taking kayak excursions and literally lose themselves in the natural beauty.

HOPE PROBE STAGE ● 4

12 ● DHAYAH FORT

60 KM TO FINISH LINE

With a backdrop of steep mountains, the bay of Dhayah has always been a very fertile area and has been settled in at least since the third millennium BC. A conical shaped hill at the edge of the palm gardens and at the foot of the mountains, served as a natural defense post for the oasis. People have used this hill since prehistoric times for settlement and fortification alike. Today, it is crowned by a fortress, built during the 19th century on the foundations of much older structures. It is the only hilltop fort still existing in the UAE and offers a fantastic view of the lush palm gardens, sea and dramatic mountain landscape.

13 ● RAS AL KHAIMAH NATIONAL MUSEUM

60 KM TO FINISH LINE

Take yourself and your family on a journey through time... Visit the National Museum of Ras Al Khaimah and come face-to-face with famous and fascinating historical pieces through a unique collection of archaeological and ethnological artefacts. Items of particular interest are a variety of documents, manuscripts and treaties between the rulers of Ras Al Khaimah and Great Britain. There are also exhibits of traditional weapons belonging to the ruling family and archaeological displays about the earliest settlers in the area up to the late Islamic period. retail, dining, entertainment, hospitality, grooming and wellness options. City Walk offers visitors a unique sense of community, it is designed to evolve as a city with in a city, offering a multitude of residences, retail and leisure choices harmoniously in one location. With over 300 retail and dining outlets, City Walk is home to some of the most.



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FROM FUJAIRAH INTERNATIONAL MARINE CLUB TO JEBEL JAIS

Start Village: Fujairah International Marine Club

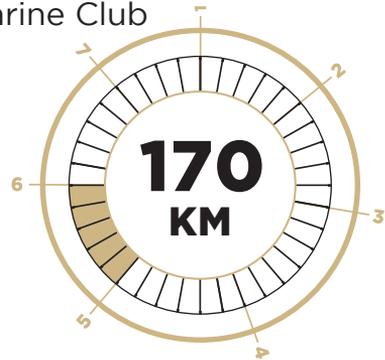
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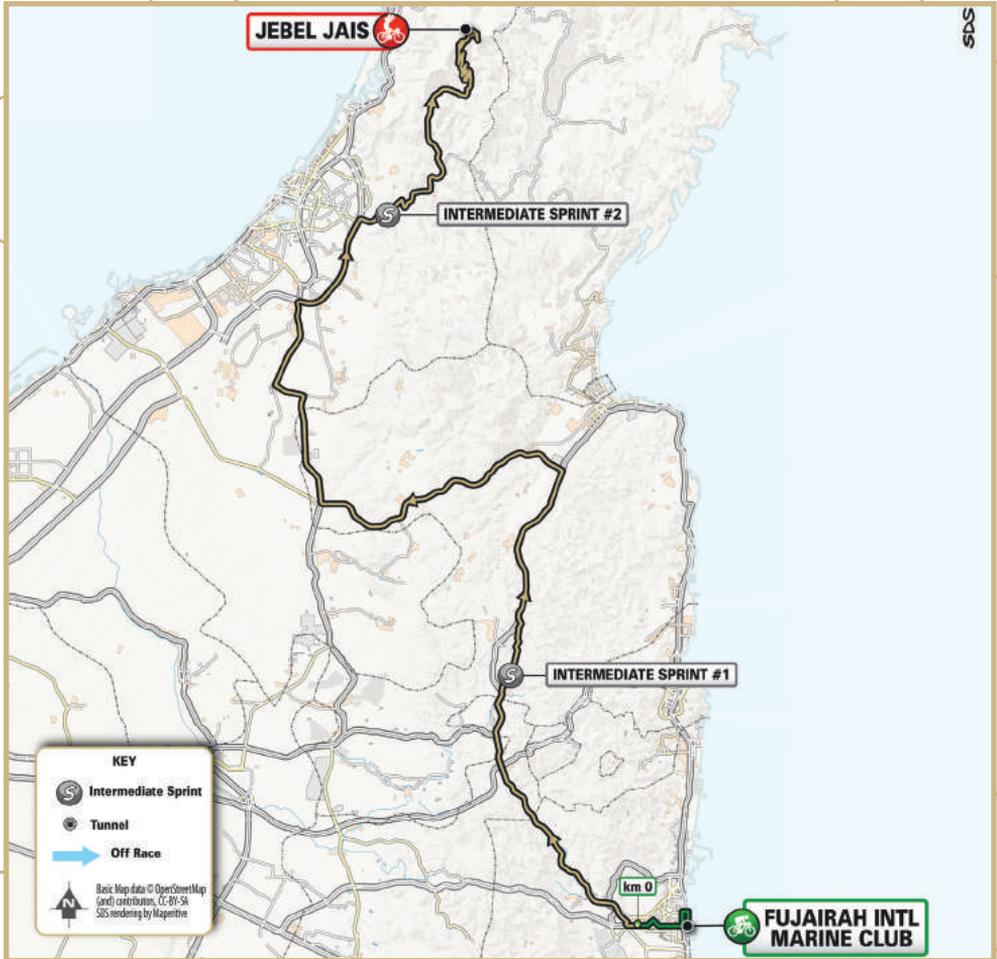
Start - Km 0: 12.05

Finish Line: Jebel Jais

Estimated finish time: 16.30



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ELEVATION	FUJAIRAH			Distance			Timetable km / h		
				leg	run	to be run	37	39	41
5	FUJAIRAH INTERNATIONAL MARINE CLUB	↑	Start Village	8.0			11.50	11.50	11.50
 20	FUJAIRAH	↑	km 0	0.0	0.0	170.0	12.05	12.05	12.05
54	Exit to Masafi	↗	E89	0.7	0.7	169.3	12.07	12.07	12.07
RAK									
352	Diftah Interchange	↑	E89	22.5	23.2	146.8	12.43	12.41	12.39
453	Masafi	↑	E89	3.7	26.9	143.1	12.49	12.47	12.45
FUJAIRAH									
 498	Intermediate Sprint #1	↑		5.6	32.5	137.5	12.58	12.55	12.53
324	Ins. E89	↑	E89	7.5	40.0	130.0	13.08	13.05	13.02
191	Al Halah	↖	E89	8.4	48.4	121.6	13.20	13.16	13.13
100	Ghub	↖	E87	8.4	56.8	113.2	13.31	13.27	13.23
284	Al Mihtaraqah	↖	E87	13.6	70.4	99.6	13.53	13.47	13.43
88	E87xE18 Interchange	↗	E18	17.3	87.7	82.3	14.16	14.10	14.04
RAK									
19	Ras al Khaimah Airport	↖	E18	14.8	102.5	67.5	14.36	14.29	14.22
10	E18xE611 interchange	↗	E611	9.5	112.0	58.0	14.49	14.41	14.34
50	Exit to Jebel Jais	↗		11.6	123.6	46.4	15.07	14.58	14.50
 81	Intermediate Sprint #2	↑		3.4	127.0	43.0	15.12	15.03	14.55
162	Wadi Bih	↖		10.0	137.0	33.0	15.28	15.18	15.09
470	First Hairpin	↖		14.9	151.9	18.1	15.50	15.40	15.30
 1491	JEBEL JAIS	↑		18.1	170.0	0.0	16.42	16.27	16.13

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-  **Intermediate sprint**
km 32.5 - Intermediate Sprint #1
km 127 - Intermediate Sprint #2

5 START



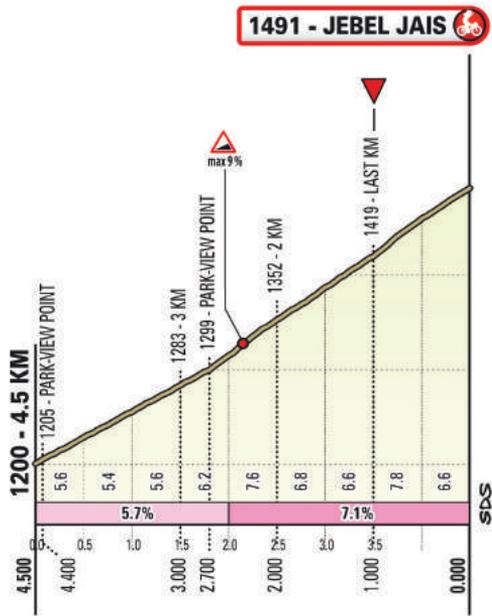
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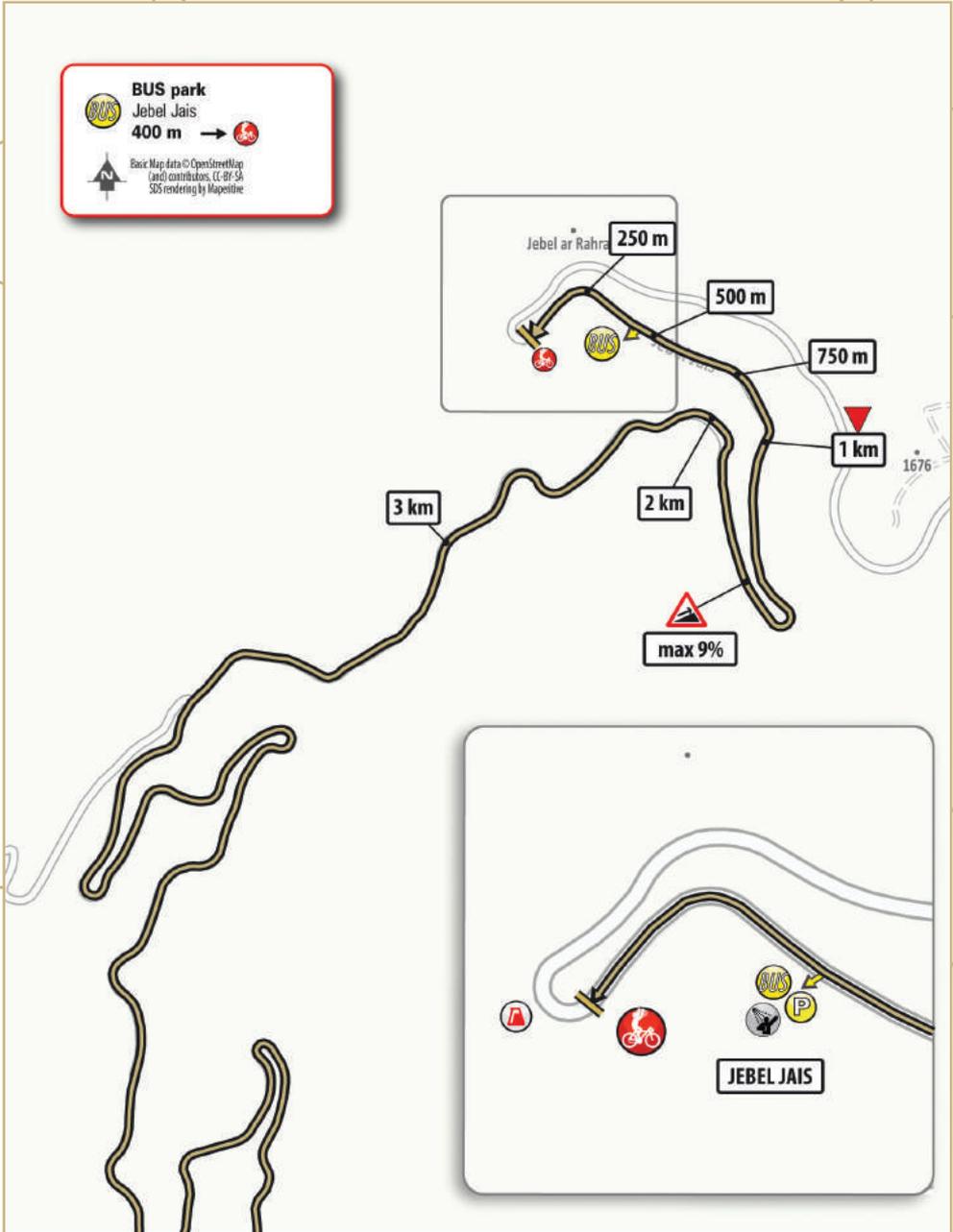


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LAST KM



5 FINISH



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Jebel Jais



INTERMEDIATE SPRINT #2

INTERMEDIATE SPRINT #1

km 0

KEY

Intermediate Sprint

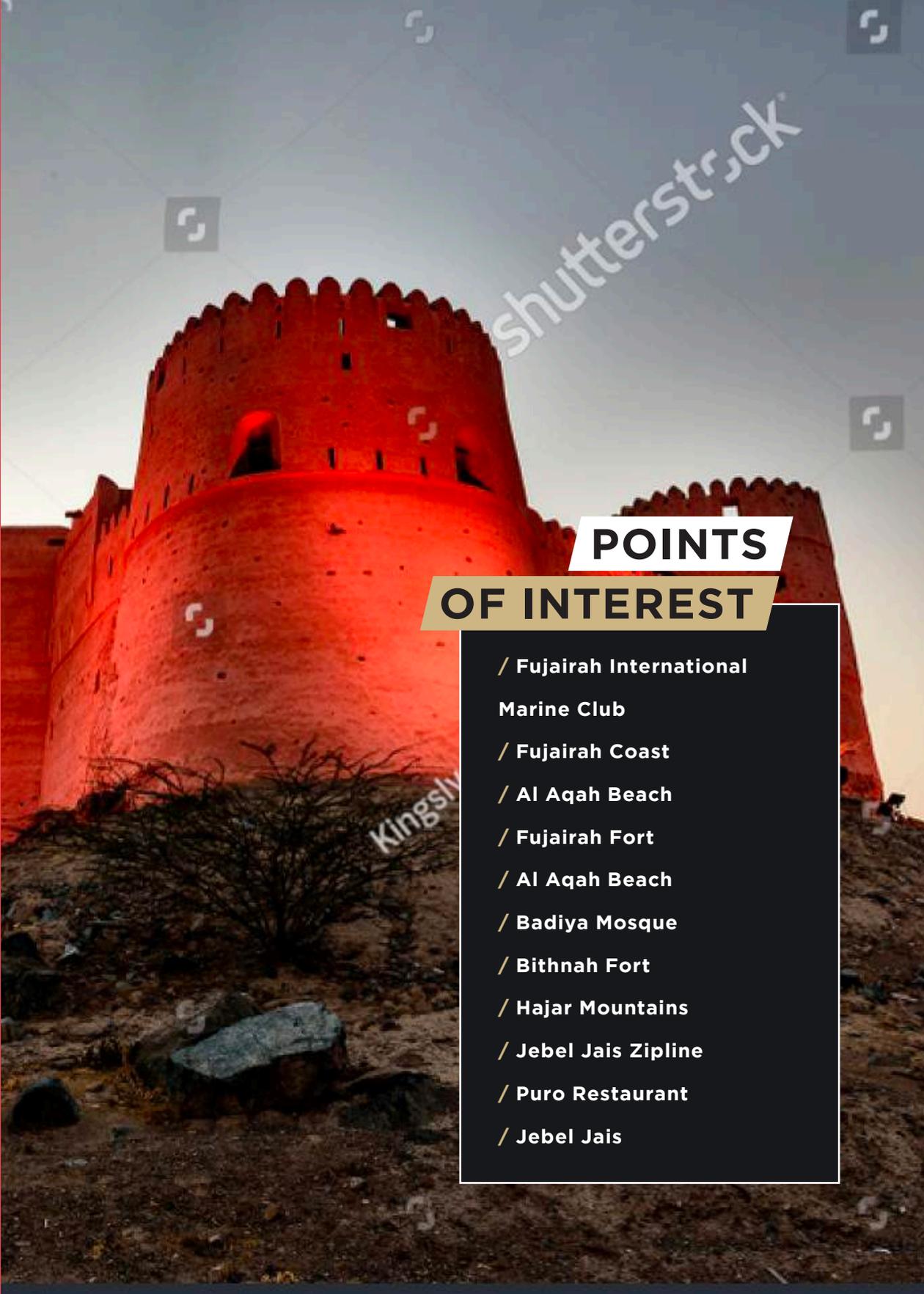
Tunnel

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Fujairah
International Marine
Club



POINTS OF INTEREST

- / Fujairah International Marine Club**
- / Fujairah Coast**
- / Al Aqah Beach**
- / Fujairah Fort**
- / Al Aqah Beach**
- / Badiya Mosque**
- / Bithnah Fort**
- / Hajar Mountains**
- / Jebel Jais Zipline**
- / Puro Restaurant**
- / Jebel Jais**

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1 ● FUJAIRAH INTERNATIONAL MARINA CLUB 170 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

Fujairah International Marine Club was established in 1999 under the Patronage of His Highness Sheikh Hamad Bin Mohammed Al Sharqi, Member of the Supreme Council and Ruler of Fujairah, to honour, preserve and maintain their historical relationship with the sea for the present and the future as well as to host and organize some of the world's best maritime sports such as the Class One, The Formula One, Formula 2 and X-Cat World Powerboat Series. In addition to international events, it organizes national and local events such as UAE Jet Ski Championship, rowing races, and fishing competitions.

2 ● FUJAIRAH COAST 170 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

Fujairah is the only emirate that is located completely on the eastern coast of the UAE along the Gulf of Oman. Due to its strategic position, it is the UAE's only access to the Indian Ocean. The shores of Fujairah extend along the Gulf of Oman for about 70km, from the city of Fujairah in the south to the town of Dibba in the far north.

3 ● AL AQAH BEACH 170 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

Located 45km north of Fujairah City on the Gulf of Oman, Al Aqah Beach is in one of the most unique coastal locations of the UAE, offering impressive views of the Hajar Mountains. It is one of the best beaches in Fujairah and a haven for people who love snorkelling and scuba diving. The beach is also easily accessible from the top resorts in Fujairah.

4 ● FUJAIRAH FORT 170 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

Fujairah Fort is one of the important and largest forts of the Emirate. It is characterized by its position on a high hill in the old Fujairah region and is 3 kilometres away from the coast. It is built up to about 20 meters above sea level and oversees the whole city of Fujairah at this height. The design of the Fort differs from the usual engineering designs of the rest of the forts. It has three circular towers while the fourth one is a square for halls. Radiocarbon

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analysis estimates that the fort was constructed between 1500 and 1550, according to the Fujairah Tourism and Antiquities Authority. The fort was built using materials available in the area at that time such as rock, gravel and clay stacked together using lime-based plaster.

5 ● BADIYA MOSQUE **170 KM TO FINISH THE LINE**

This curvaceous, squat mud-brick structure is considered the oldest known mosque in the United Arab Emirates. Located in Al Badiyah - a small village in Dibba, northern part of the emirate of Fujairah, it is believed to be built in 1446 AD, along with the two watch towers overlooking the mosque and the village. It is adorned with four pointed domes and rests on a single internal pillar.

6 ● BITHNAH FORT **170 KM TO FINISH THE LINE**

Gracefully overlooking Ham wadi, which runs from Fujairah to Siji wadi across the mountains, stands Al Bithna Fort, near the village of Al Bithnah. This castle is only 13 kilometres from the city of Fujairah and very close to the main road that links Fujairah to the rest of UAE. The construction of this castle goes back to 1735 and it consists of an enormous staunch edifice graced by two watch towers on the west side. Here visitors can enjoy the breath-taking picturesque views of the majestic mountain range and fascinating palm orchards surrounding it.

7 ● HAJAR MOUNTAINS **150 KM TO FINISH THE LINE**

The Hajar Mountains are the highest mountain range in the eastern Arabian Peninsula, bordering Oman and the UAE. The rocky and rugged terrain dominates the Ras Al Khaimah scenery and provides a serious challenge for outdoor and hiking enthusiasts. The Hajar Mountains are of great interest to geologists as they have the world's greatest surface exposure of ophiolites (igneous rock from the oceanic crust).

8 ● JEBEL JAIS ZIPLINE **0 KM TO FINISH THE LINE**

Fly over the awe-inspiring cliffs and canyons of Jebel Jais as you zip from platform to platform. Covering a total distance of 5 KM via a series of 7 ziplines, ranging from 337M to just over 1KM, the Jebel Jais Zipline gives you a panoramic, bird's eye view of the towering Hajar mountains. Averaging speeds of 60 KMPH, you will also find yourself at the UAE's highest sky bridge, 1250m above sea level and walking across the length of 15m bridge.

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9 ● PURO RESTAURANT

0 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

Located at Jebel Jais Viewing Deck Park 1300 meters above sea level, Puro Express is the ideal snack stop to grab light bites taking in the breath-taking views of the majestic Hajar mountains.

10 ● JEBEL JAIS

0 KM TO FINISH THE LINE

The UAE's highest peak, Jebel Jais is part of the spectacular Hajar mountains that were formed over 70 million years ago in the eastern part of Ras Al Khaimah and Oman. Towering at 1,934 m above sea level, Jebel Jais boasts breathtaking vistas, thrilling adventures, and a welcome respite from the heat with temperatures around ten degrees cooler than sea level.



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DUBAI STAGE 26TH FEBRUARY 2021



FROM DEIRA ISLANDS TO PALM JUMEIRAH

Start Village: Deira Islands

Sign-on: 11.00 - 12.15

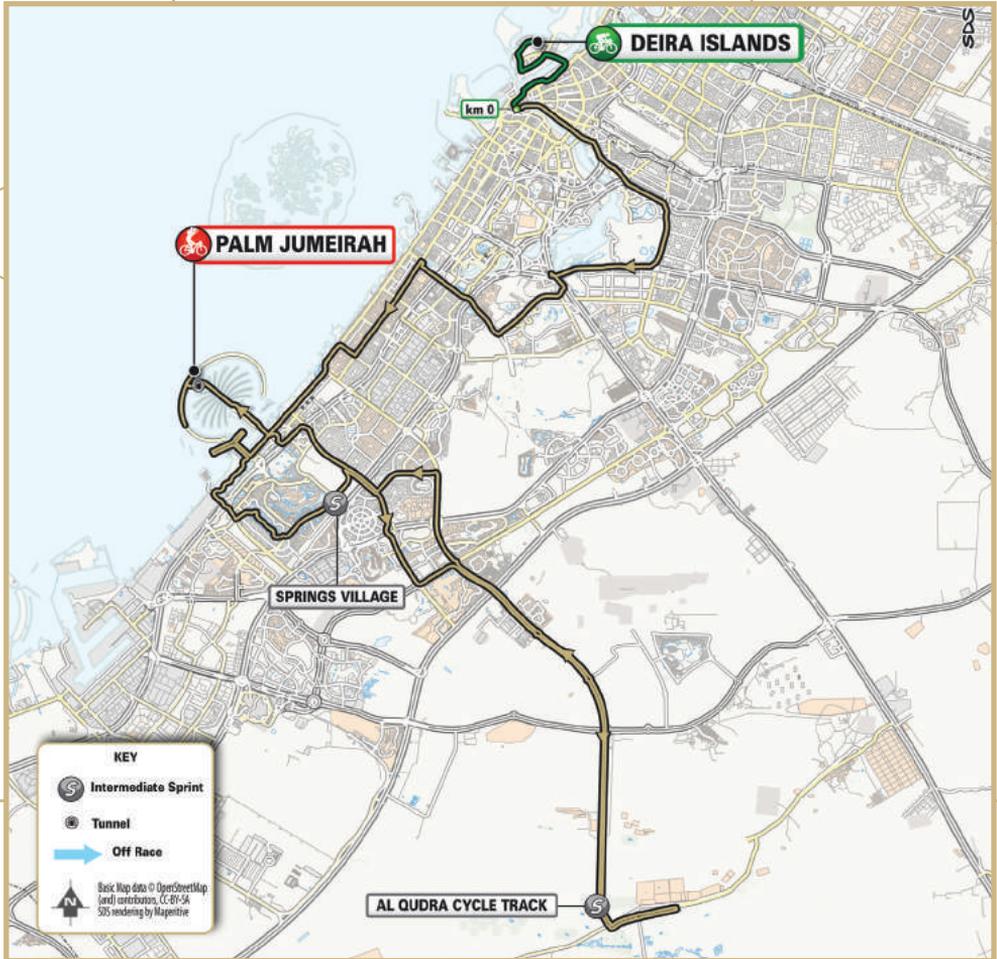
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Start - Km 0: 12.40

Finish Line: Palm Jumeirah

Estimated finish time: 16.30





DUBAI STAGE ● 6

ELEVATION	DUBAI			Distance			Timetable km / h		
				leg	run	to be run	42	44	46
4	DEIRA ISLANDS	↑	Start Village	9.7			12.20	12.20	12.20
 4	DEIRA	↑	km 0	0.0	0.0	165.0	12.40	12.40	12.40
4	Port Saeed	↑	D85	3.7	3.7	161.3	12.44	12.44	12.44
8	Nad Shamma Interchange	↗	D52	6.2	9.9	155.1	12.54	12.54	12.53
9	Ras al Khor	↗	E44-E66	3.8	13.7	151.3	13.01	12.59	12.59
2	Meydan	↑	D69	8.9	22.6	142.4	13.13	13.11	13.10
4	E44 interchange	↑	D69	5.3	27.9	137.1	13.21	13.19	13.17
2	Al Safa Park	↻	Al Wasl Rd	3.6	31.5	133.5	13.26	13.24	13.22
2	Jumeirah Beach Rd	↶	AlThanya St-Jumeirah	7.6	39.1	125.9	13.36	13.34	13.31
3	Madinat Jumeirah	↑	D94	1.7	40.8	124.2	13.39	13.36	13.34
3	Palm Jumeirah Metro	↑	D94	4.8	45.6	119.4	13.46	13.43	13.40
3	New DIMC Entrance	↗	0	1.7	47.3	117.7	13.48	13.45	13.42
3	New DIMC Exit	↗	D94	6.6	53.9	111.1	13.57	13.53	13.50
5	Sh. Zayed Rd. Interchange	↶	D59	4.1	58.0	107.0	14.04	14.00	13.56
5	Jumeirah Islands	↑	0	1.8	59.8	105.2	14.06	14.02	13.58
4	Jumeirah Islands Exit	↶	D72	3.2	63.0	102.0	14.10	14.06	14.02
 3	Springs Village	↗	D61	4.1	67.1	97.9	14.16	14.12	14.07
18	Ins. E311	↶	E311	6.4	73.5	91.5	14.26	14.21	14.17
21	Ins. D63	↗	D63	6.0	79.5	85.5	14.36	14.30	14.25
24	E611 interchange	↑	D63-Al Qudra Rd	2.4	81.9	83.1	14.40	14.34	14.29
 86	Al Qudra Cycletrack	↶	D42	21.4	103.3	61.7	15.13	15.06	14.59
86	Al Qudra Cycletrack	↗	D63-Al Qudra Rd	8.3	111.6	53.4	15.24	15.17	15.10
24	E611 Interchange	↑	D63	21.7	133.3	31.7	15.53	15.44	15.36
21	E311 Interchange	↑	D63	5.4	138.7	26.3	16.01	15.51	15.43
15	Al Barsha South	↶	0	2.8	141.5	23.5	16.04	15.55	15.46
7	Ins. D61	↗	Hessa St. - D61	3.7	145.2	19.8	16.09	16.00	15.51
3	Exit to Palm Jumeirah	↗	0	7.1	152.3	12.7	16.19	16.09	15.59
3	Palm Jumeirah Metro	↑	0	1.4	153.7	11.3	16.21	16.10	16.01
 3	The Pointe	↶	tunnel	4.5	158.2	6.8	16.26	16.16	16.06
 3	PALM JUMEIRAH	↑	0	6.8	165.0	0.0	16.35	16.25	16.15

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Intermediate sprint

km 67.1 - Springs Village

km 103.3 - Al Qudra Cycletrack



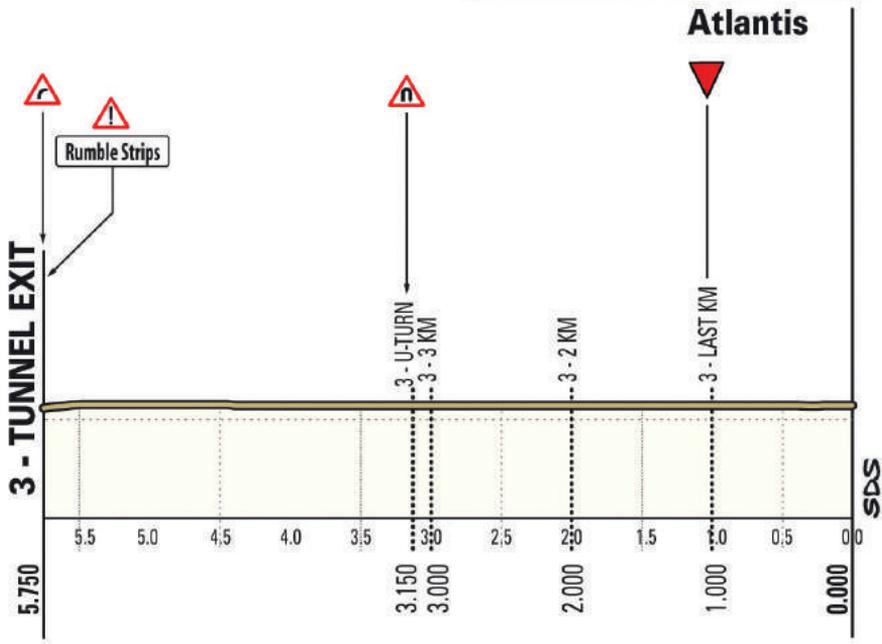
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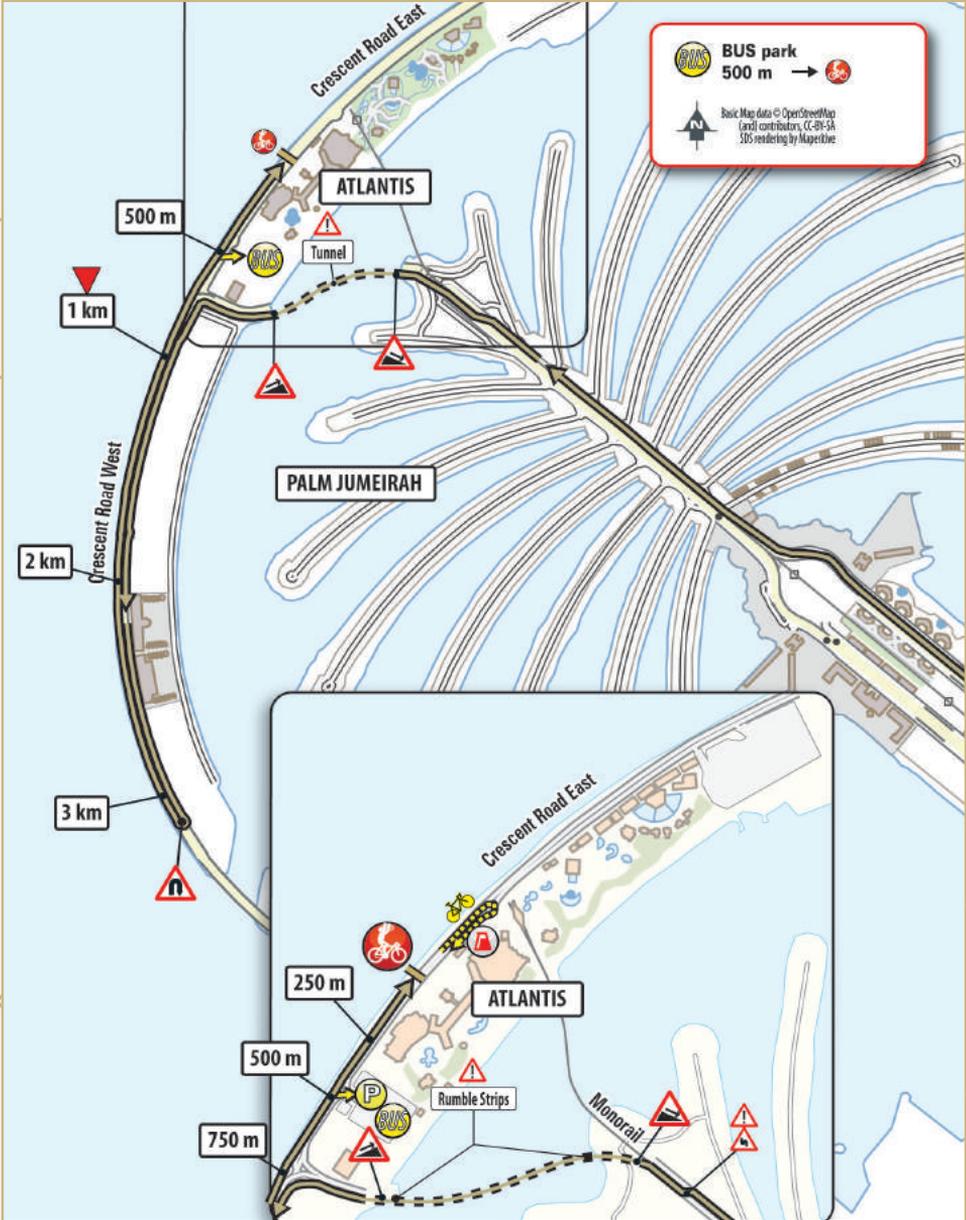


LAST KM

3 - PALM JUMEIRAH 



6 FINISH



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26TH FEBRUARY 2021



Deira Islands

km 0



Palm Jumeirah

SPRINGS VILLAGE

KEY



Intermediate Sprint



Tunnel

Off Race



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POINTS OF INTEREST

- / Deira Islands
- / Hotel Riu Dubai
- / Queen Elizabeth II Hotel
- / Port Rashid
- / Al Shindagha
- / Dubai Creek
- / Al Fahidi Historical District
- / Al Seef
- / Dubai Frame
- / Mohammed Bin Rashid City
- / Mohammed Bin Rashid Library
- / Dubai Festival City
- / Dubai Creek Harbour
- / Ras Al Khor Wildlife Sanctuary
- / Dubai Design District
- / Meydan Racecourse
- / Burj Khalifa
- / Al Habtoor City
- / Tolerance Bridge
- / Kite Beach
- / Burj Al Arab
- / Mall of Emirates
- / Ski Dubai
- / Arabian Ranches
- / Education
- / Sustainable City
- / Town Square
- / Dubai Creek
- / Al Qudra Cycle Track
- / Al Marmoom Desert Conservation Reserve
- / Al Marmoom Love Lake
- / Damac Hills
- / Trump International Golf Club Dubai
- / Motor City
- / Dubai Sports City
- / Jumeirah Islands
- / Ain Dubai
- / Jumeirah Beach Residence, The Beach
- / Dubai Marina
- / Emirates Hills
- / Kite Beach
- / Burj Al Arab
- / Mall of Emirates
- / Dubai International Marine Club
- / Palm Jumeirah
- / The Pointe
- / Royal Atlantis Resort & Residences
- / The Atlantis

1 ● DEIRA ISLANDS**168 KM TO FINISH LINE**

A spectacular mixed-use, waterfront development, Deira Islands comprises four man-made islands situated adjacent to Dubai's Deira district. The remarkable project covers a total area of 15.3 square kilometres and adds an additional 40 kilometres, including 21 kilometres of beachfront, to Dubai's coastline. Easily accessible from the mainland via road or boat, Deira Islands is also close to Dubai International Airport.

Deira Islands features residential units, retail destinations, hotels and resorts, and more. The Night Market, the world's largest, is under construction as well as Deira Mall, one of the region's biggest malls in terms of shop space. Deira Islands will have beachfront resorts from international hospitality brands including Spain's RIU Hotels & Resorts and Thailand's Centara Hotels & Resorts. Six marinas will offer 614 berths that can accommodate boats and yachts up to 60 metres long.

2 ● HOTEL RIU DUBAI**165 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Hotel Riu Dubai is located on the Deira Islands beachfront and it offers 24-hour all-inclusive stays to make your holiday a unique experience. The facilities of this hotel in Dubai are sure to amaze you: entertainment areas, pools, a spa, a conference room, various themed restaurants, the Splash Water World water park... and much more!

Hotel Riu Dubai has more than 750 rooms which all offer maximum comfort for you to enjoy your stay. In them, you will find comfortable beds, air conditioning, ceiling fans and minibars, among many more services. The pool zone also guarantees moments to unwind: enjoy a day of relaxation on the sun loungers, take the chance to have a drink at the swim-up bars or simply refresh yourself from the warm climate in the city. But if you prefer, you can also head for the beach and enjoy your surroundings.

3 ● QUEEN ELIZABETH II HOTEL

165 KM TO FINISH LINE

A one-of-a-kind entertainment, hospitality and tourist destination, and home to the first and only floating hotel in Dubai.

Experience true British heritage and history with a visit to one of the world's most celebrated ocean liners, now permanently docked in the new marina at Dubai's Port Rashid in the UAE, within easy reach of Dubai International Airport and all local attractions.

With 215 hotel rooms and suites, dining and nightlife venues, an interactive history exhibition and heritage tour, a licensed theatre, choose how you want to experience life onboard.

4 ● PORT RASHID

165 KM TO FINISH LINE

Port Rashid is gradually becoming one of the busiest ports in the UAE. Its location along with the facilities available here have made it the ideal place for numerous ships to dock. If you want to get all the relevant information about Port Rashid, then portrashid.net is the ideal place to search. The posts, articles, and blogs at portrashid.net will ensure that there is nothing left for you to know about Port Rashid.

Unlike other famous ports worldwide, Port Rashid started its services quite late. Port Rashid came into existence in 1972, but its growth has been nothing short of phenomenal. Some of you might be surprised to find out that the world-renowned ship Cunard Ocean has been docked at Port Rashid. It will remain at Port Rashid until a substantial decision is taken. It is a truly proud moment for Port Rashid.

5 ● AL SHINDAGHA

165 KM TO FINISH LINE

Set along the historic waters of Dubai Creek, Al Shindagha Museum tells the proud story of the nation's past and reverent traditions. The museum's 'Dubai Creek: Birth of a City' is a state-of-the-art multimedia experience that guides visitors through the area's dramatic development over centuries.

6 ● DUBAI CREEK

165 KM TO FINISH LINE

Dubai Creek is a saltwater creek, cutting through the heart of Dubai. The seawater Dubai Creek winds its way from the trading port on the Gulf to the Ras al Khor bird sanctuary on the desert edge of Dubai. In the past it was the centre of the fishing and pearling industry, which formed the main sectors of the city's economy. Nowadays the eastern and western banks are connected by one tunnel and four bridges, but the traditional form of transport on the creek, which is still available, were ferry boats.

7 ● AL FAHIDI HISTORICAL DISTRICT

165 KM TO FINISH LINE

The traditional style of life that was prevalent in Dubai from the mid 19th century till the 1970s is reflected at Al-Fahidi Historical Neighbourhood, where buildings with high air towers (Barajeel), built with traditional building materials such as stone, gypsum, teak, sandal wood, fronds and palm wood are aligned side by side, separated by alleys, pathways and public squares, which give the district a natural and beautiful diversity. This district, owing to its strategic location at Dubai Creek (Khor Dubai), played an important role in managing Dubai and organising its commercial relations overseas. Moreover, it is still the district adjacent to His Highness Monarch of Dubai's divan.

The buildings of the district are currently used in incubating a number of varied cultural and artistic activities (both public and private) ranging from art exhibits, specialised museums, cultural and artistic societies, ateliers to cultural centres (such as Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Center for Cultural Understanding). The district also hosts a number of seasonal cultural and artistic events such as Sikka Art Fair, Artists-in-Residence Programme, Heritage Week, National Day Events and religious celebrations. Beautiful and cosy cafés, restaurants and motels overflowing with heritage are scattered all over the district.

8 ● AL SEEF

165 KM TO FINISH LINE

Launched in late 2017, Al Seef celebrates Dubai Creek's beginnings as the famous coastal pearl diving base. Hugging 1.8km of Dubai Creek's stately shoreline, the 2.5 million square foot development has two sections - a heritage area featuring old architecture, and a second space featuring more contemporary structures.

Once a vibrant entryway to the Gulf's most successful pearl diving port, the Creek's legendary presence can still be felt today here, with fisherman and merchants criss-crossing the calm waters in their sleek dhows as part of their daily routine.

The best way to take it all in is to embark on a cultural walking tour of the pedestrian-friendly Al Fahidi Historical Neighbourhood, before wandering over to Al Seef and exploring its charming walkways, fully-operational marina, dining boulevard and events plaza on foot.

9 ● DUBAI FRAME

165 KM TO FINISH LINE

The Dubai Frame is one of the city's most famous attractions for visitors and residents alike. Much like the Burj Khalifa and Burj Al Arab's iconic structures, the building's landmark location in Zabeel Park provides sweeping panoramic

views of the city.

At 150m tall and 93m wide with a bridge connecting the two towers, Dubai Frame has a unique concept to its structure. Resembling a picture frame, Dubai's historic district can be seen to the north while the south provides breathtaking vistas of the city's modern skyline.

10 ● MOHAMMED BIN RASHID CITY

145 KM TO FINISH LINE

Mohammed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum City will be a city within Dubai. Just four minutes away from Downtown Dubai, MBR City is slated to be a mixed-use development featuring a natural expanse of greenery while still providing access to the city's major routes.

Ideal for families, MBR City's residential concept, District One, will offer plenty of space and suburban tranquillity with hundreds of villas, mansions, parks and lagoons. The expansive area is just minutes from Downtown Dubai.

Once complete, District One will boast the region's largest family leisure and entertainment complex and art gallery, as well as the world's largest mall and swimming pool, estimated to span 40 acres. This mixed-use community is one of the most ambitious projects Dubai has ever taken on.

11 ● MOHAMMED BIN RASHID LIBRARY

145 KM TO FINISH LINE

A distinguished project to serve the educational, societal, and tourism movements and is considered as one of the specialized projects that's related with the latest technologies, and it's considered as a significant mark on Dubai Tourism map. It is also a forum for a mixture of cultures through cultural services that will be provided by live library presentations, documentaries, lectures, from all over the world. includes a large electronic library database. Additionally, most of the physical books, articles, newspapers ... etc. will be converted to electronic versions. The library will also be digitally linked with global libraries to share and retrieve rare, valuable, and difficult to obtain sources of information.

Architectural Concept: The Rehl is the traditional lectern. The Rehl carries books in general and more specifically the Koran. In the same way, a library carries and preserves the cultural treasures of a nation in the form of literature, periodicals, and audiovisual media. In this respect, the architectural concept of the library is based symbolically on the lectern, the Rehl, and translates this into a modern 21st-century vocabulary.

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12 ● DUBAI FESTIVAL CITY **155 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Dubai Festival City is one of the most famous tourist attractions that everyone should visit.

From a fantastic range of retail brands and department stores, catering to a shopper's delight, to a variety of cuisines for all food enthusiasts. If you're staying overnight in Dubai Festival City, be spoilt for choice with 4 world class hotels that provide excellent service and comfort for short-term and long-term stays.

Having won the record for the largest water screen projection and largest permanent projection mapping in the world, you can expect the best from this enchanting showcase. Combining the power of light, water and fire, the visual treat features the latest in entertainment technology, with video mapping, 360-degree fountains, powerful lasers and surround-sound.

13 ● DUBAI CREEK HARBOUR

155 KM TO FINISH LINE

Dubai Creek Harbour brings a new commercial hub to the city, offering retail, cultural and residential spaces. Located 10 minutes from Downtown Dubai, this iconic waterfront will redefine the future of living in the city. This new project is expected to reach 6sq/km once complete, which is double the size of Downtown Dubai.

Part of this new development is Dubai Creek Tower, planned to be the world's tallest at 928m. It will house a hotel and 10 observation decks including The Pinnacle Room, which will offer 360-degree panoramic views. Inspiration for the design came from the lily flower – the oval shaped bud at the top of tower housing some of the world's highest observation decks.

Developers also announced plans for Dubai Square, a tech-driven retail destination adjacent the Tower. Measuring 2.6-million square metres, it will be a retail, hospitality and residential district inspired by cities around the world, and will also house Dubai's own version of Chinatown.

14 ● RAS AL KHOR WILDLIFE SANCTUARY

150 KM TO FINISH LINE

In the wetlands, just metres away from the bustling city of Dubai, you'll find the Ras Al Khor Wildlife Sanctuary. Offering a natural habitat that they are most accustomed to, Ras Al Khor Wildlife Sanctuary ensures that the migratory birds which flock to this reserve during the winter season, have a

healthy environment and access to natural resources.

While the sanctuary is most known for the flamingos, you can even spot reef herons, black-winged stilts, osprey, sandpipers, egrets, kingfisher, black-tailed godwit, Eurasian spoonbill, the sand racer and horned vipers among other species.

15 ● MOHAMMED BIN RASHID CITY

145 KM TO FINISH LINE

Better known as d3, Dubai Design District is the creative heart and soul of the city. This purpose-built community is where industry heavyweights, startups and entrepreneurs connect and celebrate all things creative.

Amid the concept boutiques, galleries and artist studios, many showrooms by the region's top fashion and interiors designers can be found here. This is the place to find a designer ceramic vase or a hand-knotted fair-trade carpet before pausing for an artisan coffee, or walking into a gallery to admire contemporary art.

d3 also plays hosts to many of Dubai's flagship design events. Along with the prestigious Dubai Design Week, which showcases exhibitions, commissioned installations, insightful talks and more, the district also stages Sole DXB, where you'll find a celebration of everything from street fashion and music to art and sport.

16 ● MEYDAN RACECOURSE

145 KM TO FINISH LINE

Dubai Racing Club's Meydan Racecourse is home to one of the world's richest horse races – the annual Dubai World Cup. With a purse of US\$35m, the Dubai World Cup is the highlight of the city's horse-racing scene, drawing thousands of visitors in March each year.

Capped by a spectacular concert featuring top international performers, the event is a must-see on the city's social calendar. In the run up to the glamorous event, races run weekly from November until March. The Meydan Racecourse Grandstand is 1.5km long and seats 80,000 spectators.

Along with the iconic track, you'll also find a horse-racing museum, gallery, five-star hotel, golf course and a business/conference centre. Horse enthusiasts are in for a treat, with horse riding, stable tours and much more on offer. Visitors can dine at the many restaurants and eateries such as

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Farriers and Qube, or enjoy a night out with friends at the hip Soho Garden.

17 ● BURJ KHALIFA

140 KM TO FINISH LINE

828m into the sky, the Burj Khalifa is the tallest building in the world and one of the greatest engineering feats of all time. Completed in 2010, the mighty tower represents the beating heart of Dubai and its brave ambitions.

Burj Khalifa's glass-panelled frame pierces the sky like a rocket, but the view from above reveals its true inspiration: the Hymenocallis, or spider lily, a white flower found in the desert. It was designed by Adrian Smith of Skidmore, Owings & Merrill, the team behind global architectural landmarks such as One World Trade Center and the Willis Tower.

The magnificent building is located next to The Dubai Mall and draws visitors from all over the world to catch the unmatched views from multiple observation decks or to simply look up in awe. For an unparalleled experience, head up to the aptly named At The Top and At The Top Sky on floors 124 and 125 and enjoy unique 360-degree vistas. You can purchase tickets to both observation decks online as well as on-site.

For some sky-high dining, book a sunset dinner at Atmosphere restaurant and lounge on the 122nd floor. Or try something lighter such as breakfast or high tea among the clouds at The Lounge, which is spread across floors 152, 153 and 154 (585m high!)

But that's not all. You can find a mixture of attractions and amenities across all 160 storeys, including a five-star hotel designed by Giorgio Armani; a luxury spa and fitness club; and the world's tallest art gallery, featuring more than 85 acclaimed artists. Back at ground level is a vibrant hub of entertainment and dining at The Dubai Mall, Burj Plaza and Souk Al Bahar; and, of course, the mesmerising dancing waters of The Dubai Fountain.

18 ● AL HABTOOR CITY

140 KM TO FINISH LINE

Located close to Downtown Dubai, Al Habtoor City provides a relaxing sanctuary, composed of five-star hotels and world-class entertainment, including La Perle DXB – a unique, aquatic spectacle with more than 65 performers.

Visitors can stay at world-class properties designed by remarkable architects, such as Habtoor Palace, LXR Hotels & Resorts; V Hotel, Curio Collection by Hilton; and Hilton Dubai Al Habtoor City. All combined, the hotels offer more than 1,600 rooms with a range of services and exclusive facilities.

The impressive options include a tennis academy, boutique shops, cafés and The Atrium – a vibrant dining and entertainment facility, spanning five levels.

19 ● TOLERANCE BRIDGE **135 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Tolerance Bridge is the first and only clear span suspension bridge in the Middle East. Named in honor of the International Day of Tolerance, the bridge offers pedestrians a 690-foot-long walking and cycling path over the Dubai Water Canal. The canal is a three-kilometer long project that extends from Business Bay to the Persian Gulf and runs through Safa Park and Jumeirah. The canal comprises of one shopping center, four hotels, 450 restaurants, luxury housing, and various green networks, which allow pedestrians complete autonomy from vehicular traffic. In order to create an unforgettable experience for visitors, the Dubai Road and Transport Authority (RTA) hired Scientech LLC to design a lighting solution, which would make the bridge beautifully illuminated without causing any glare at the pedestrians using the bridge. Scientech consultant Christos Tsikiloudis worked with leading lighting solutions provider Martin Professional Middle East to design a captivating lighting display using Martin Exterior Wash 310 LED fixtures. “Love and tolerance are bridges of communication and a universal language, binding humanity across different languages, religions and cultures,” said Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid, Vice President and Prime Minister UAE, Ruler of Dubai. “Our UAE today is a light in a dark place, setting a bright example for others.”

20 ● KITE BEACH **130 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Kite Beach is one of Dubai’s most popular beaches – perfect for sun-seekers, foodies and sports enthusiasts alike. If you’re serious about your watersports and want to test your skills on one of the best free beaches in Dubai, Kite Beach has plenty of challenges. Located just off the Jumeirah neighbourhood, you’ll find high-quality equipment available to rent along the sand. Try kitesurfing, wakeboarding or stand-up paddleboarding, unless staying on dry land is more your thing – you’re bound to find a game of beach volleyball to join, along with a welcoming vibe and plenty of new friends to make in the process. If you’re looking for a more chilled out vibe, Kite Beach exudes adrenaline as much as it does serenity and a casual beachside atmosphere.

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21 ● BURJ AL ARAB

125 KM TO FINISH LINE

Burj Al Arab Jumeirah is one of the most famous landmarks and tourist attractions in Dubai. The luxury all-suite hotel includes a range of fine-dining restaurants, incredible beaches and the expansive Burj Al Arab Terrace, as well as an incredible guest list of VIPs and celebrities from all over the world. Since its opening in 1999, the sail-shaped building has helped put Dubai on the global luxury tourism map. Built on its own island, its unique structure rises 321m, providing guests an amazing hotel room view of the Arabian Gulf. With gold interiors, lavish suites and some of Dubai's best restaurants, it's no surprise the Burj Al Arab Jumeirah is often considered among the best places to stay in Dubai, alongside many five-star hotels. In fact, it is often regaled as a 'seven-star' hotel.

Guests can take their pick from an underwater restaurant and aquarium, a fleet of Rolls-Royce cars on the forecourt and the famous helipad that has hosted the likes of Tiger Woods, Anthony Joshua and Roger Federer.

22 ● MALL OF EMIRATES

120 KM TO FINISH LINE

Home to a ski slope, cinema complex and 560 shops and boutiques, a visit to the Mall of the Emirates is a must-see on any trip to Dubai.

Shop, dine and stroll beneath the glamorous Fashion Dome, with its wrought iron ceiling reminiscent of European railways, at brands like Apple, Chanel, Burberry and Missoni just to name a few.

23 ● SKI DUBAI

120 KM TO FINISH LINE

Located inside the buzzing Mall of the Emirates, you will find one of the most innovative, iconic and exciting tourist attractions to be found in the Middle East.

You can easily recognise it from afar – it's the slanted building perched on top of the mall. Surrounded by a cluster of cosy chalets and restaurants, there's nothing quite like skiing as you watch shoppers pass by in the surrounding windows.

Play with penguins, build a snowman, roll down the hills, ride the Twin Track Bobsled or explore a snow cavern. You can also ride a frozen zip-line or catch the classic chairlift to the top of a hill where you can ski all the way to the bottom.

23 ● ARABIAN RANCHES

25 KM TO FINISH LINE

Set within the heart of the desert on the Emirates Road, 9km inland from intersection 4 on Sheikh Zayed Road near the Mall of The Emirates. There is excellent access to Abu Dhabi, Al Ain, Sharjah from the Emirates road and only 15 minutes to Dubai Airport. You can bypass all the Dubai traffic and go to Al Khail road to get anywhere in town ie Dubai mall , Jumeirah or across town to the Creek or OudMetha on the Business Bay crossing. The Dubai Bypass Road is minutes behind the Ranches and will take you to RAK and Fujeirah quickly.

You will find a fine choice of shopping, dining and entertainment options at the Retail Centre.

At the Andalusian style Equestrian Centre, there's something for every skill level, including polo, riding lessons, show jumping or explore the tranquility of scenic desert trails on horseback. Enjoy the tranquil surroundings of the Polo Club, offering facilities such as lounges and dining areas, riding gear and tack shop, spa and a swimming pool and two polo fields.

Enjoy a game of golf at The Arabian Ranches Desert Course, the region's premier desert-style grass golf course, designed by Ian Baker-Finch in association with Niclaus Design. A challenge for golfers of all abilities, miss the immaculate grass of the fairways and greens and you enter the 'sandy waste', which makes the most of the natural terrain with its indigenous shrubs and bushes. All standards of golfers will appreciate the GPS yardage service available on every golf cart. If you are new to the game, opt for lessons with one of the Arabian Ranches' golf pros at its very own Golf Academy. The Spanish Colonial style Clubhouse boasts the Ranches Restaurant and Bar, with a terrace overlooking the panoramic scenic views. Within the Clubhouse there are 11 luxurious Guest Rooms with spectacular views overlooking either the Golf course.

24 ● EDUCATION

32 KM TO FINISH LINE

Jumeirah English Speaking School, one of Dubai's most respected schools enjoying a world class reputation, offers primary and secondary education based on the best aspects of the National Curriculum of England and Wales, which includes a post-16 course of study: the International Baccalaureate Diploma.

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25 ● SUSTAINABLE CITY

32 KM TO FINISH LINE

The Sustainable City contains 500 villas grouped into five residential clusters connected to an urban farm that runs the length of the City. Each cluster is comprised of 90 Courtyard Villas, eight Garden Villas, and two Signature Villas.

The borders of The Sustainable City act as the first line of defense against pollutants. The remarkable 10-metre-high buffer zone running along the periphery of the development consists of 2,500 trees scattered in multiple layers. This purifies the air coming into the city and creates a breeze.

A flourishing park runs through the entire length of The Sustainable City, forming the community's Central Green Spine. There are 11 biodome greenhouses running the length of the Central Green Spine, with a total capacity of over 3,000 square metres for urban farming. The Sustainable City has begun cultivation with the plan to diversify and grow as many fruits and vegetables as possible in these domes and along the green spine.

The Sustainable City Equestrian Centre offers residents quality riding classes from three-years of age to adults up to the intermediate level. The centre will offer 30-minute lessons for beginners and 45-minute for intermediates, with 62 well-schooled Arabian, thoroughbred, and mix-breed horses.

26 ● TOWN SQUARE

85 KM TO FINISH LINE

The community is thoughtfully designed in harmony with nature and built to enhance your everyday life.

Detailed master planning, integrated services and facilities and a wide variety of modern and contemporary townhouses and apartments for you to find your ideal home. The community encourages its residents to engage in a more social lifestyle with plethora of outdoor activities.

27 ● AL QUDRA CYCLE TRACK

62 KM TO FINISH LINE

Al Qudra Cycling Track is a popular destination among Dubai's adventure seekers and fitness enthusiasts. With 86km of track and amazing views of the desert, you might catch a glimpse of local wildlife - including the Arabian oryx. The track is popular with both professional and novice riders alike, and is frequented by both individuals and groups of friends.

The track is also utilised by weekly cycling clubs, world-class athletes, and leisure riders visiting Dubai. Some say that the best time to ride is at sunrise, because the views and feeling of the morning breeze are unparalleled - but the sunsets are just as beautiful. Ensure you plan ahead, as this area has few

taxis and much of the track is not illuminated after dark.

The Trek UAE bike shop, located at the end of Al Qudra Road, is a great place to rent your bike. Part of the track has road access for cars, but most of the track is for cyclists. Additionally, the path is equipped with rest stations along the way that offer benches and shade. You'll also find restrooms located adjacent to Trek UAE and where Bab Al Shams Road meets Al Qudra.

In 2020 there were a total of 34 events hosted in Al Marmoom and between September 2020 and August 2021 a total of 35 events. These events consisted of running, Yoga, cycling and obstacle races for the entire community.

28 ● ARABIAN RANCHES **60 KM TO FINISH LINE**

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29 ● AL MARMOOM DESERT CONSERVATION RESERVE **60 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Spanning 10 per cent of Dubai's total area is the Al Marmoom Reserve project, the largest unfenced nature reserve in the UAE. The reserve is open to the public and is also home to the region's largest renewable energy project, the Mohammed Bin Rashid Solar Park. Known for its admirable sustainability initiatives, Al Marmoom Desert Conservation Reserve is abundant with native wildlife.

It hosts one of the largest populations of Arabian oryx in Dubai and the highest concentration of large flamingos in the UAE. Enjoying over 40 hectares of shrub land and fertile area, the reserve is home to over

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204 species of native birds, 158 species of migratory birds, many other endangered species and over 10sq/km of lakes, encompassing the Al Qudra Lakes.

Additionally, a variety of reptile species can also be found across Al Marmoom's different habitats. The 3,000 year old Saruq Al Hadid archaeological site, one of the oldest sites in the country dating back to the Iron Age is also located within the reserve, making it a popular cultural and historical attraction.

Oryx, gazelles, camels and birds - the desert is home to a range of natural inhabitants. Once considered globally extinct, the Arabian oryx has successfully been saved after captive breeding programmes and re-introductions in several areas in the UAE, including Al Marmoom.

Multiple feeding stations are stationed in the area, and while the oryx tend to confine themselves here, they sometimes wander around freely. The nearby Al Qudra lakes, a network of manmade lakes in the desert, are home to 170 types of bird species, including some on the endangered or vulnerable list such as the steppe eagle and the Asian houbara. Birdwatching is a popular activity and guided full or half-day tours are available through the UAE Birding Group (uaebirding.com). Bring binoculars!

It is important to note that wildlife must be respected and should not be disturbed in its natural environment. While you can always venture into the desert on your own, it's advisable to be accompanied by a qualified guide.

30 ● AL MARMOOM LOVE LAKE

60 KM TO FINISH LINE

Immerse yourself in nature when you make your journey to the Al Qudra oasis to take in the sights and sounds of Love Lake Dubai. This popular spot consists two, large, heart-shaped lakes connected to each other.

With plenty of parking, visitors can picnic or set up barbecues in designated areas and take in the serene greenery while keeping an eye out for the wildlife, including many bird species. If you're a fitness enthusiast, there is also a running track on-site, and Love Lake is very close to the Al Qudra Cycling Track. Watch the spectacular sunset from this venue, where everything is dedicated to love - with sculptures of hearts, and even the trees manicured in a way to spell out the word 'love' when seen from above.

31 ● DAMAC HILLS

150 KM TO FINISH LINE

DAMAC Hills is a well-established self-contained community comprising villas,

apartments and a hotel. Home to the Trump International Golf Club Dubai, it also boasts nearly four million square feet of parkland offering various themed areas for relaxation and sports – including restful gardens and lakes, a skate park, stables, football field, tennis courts and more.

32 ● TRUMP INTERNATIONAL GOLF CLUB DUBAI **85 KM TO FINISH LINE**

A 500-acre championship golf course with a luxurious clubhouse Trump International Golf Club is an 18-hole championship golf course located in the heart of DAMAC Hills. Envisioned by world-renowned golf course architect, Gil Hanse, the links-style course features state-of-the-art facilities, including the Trump Dubai Golf Performance Academy.

Complementing the magnificent course and facilities, the 30,000sqft clubhouse offers a range of venues for golfers, as well as non-enthusiasts. Visitors can enjoy a luxurious sports lounge, beautiful infinity swimming pool, well-equipped fitness centre and an expansive golf pro shop.

33 ● MOTOR CITY **90 KM TO FINISH LINE**

An iconic community that was once a part of the larger Dubailand development, Motor City has grown into a coveted residential community with picturesque cobbled streets and spacious properties. The district offers a laid-back community in Dubai that is ideal for families and is an exciting hub for the motorsport enthusiasts. It is a self-contained community with an array of facilities and amenities. Be it places for shopping and dining, healthcare centres, educational institutions, parks, entertainment or other leisure and fitness activities, Dubai Motor City has an attractive collection of options for everything.

As the name suggests the area, has been developed on a motor-sport theme by Union Properties and includes residential buildings, commercial towers and motorsport facilities. It is also home to the fantastic motorsport circuit of the city, Dubai Autodrome. It is located adjacent to the Dubai Sports City community and Dubai Studio City.

34 ● DUBAI SPORTS CITY **90 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Dubai Sports City is the vision of two leading UAE entrepreneurs, Abdul Rahim Al Zarooni and Abdulrahman Falaknaz. This one-of-a-kind development brings together their vast experience in construction, retail and real estate, and combines it with the sporting values and passion for the sporting lifestyle they both hold so dear. Life is the ultimate sport.

The ultimate sport-inspired community, Dubai Sports City offers residential and commercial real estate along with the best sporting venues in Dubai;

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from cricketing facilities and FIFA-approved football pitches to an 18-hole golf course designed by Ernie Els.

35 ● JUMEIRAH ISLANDS **105 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Jumeirah Islands is a housing development in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, developed by Nakheel Properties, one of Dubai's largest developers. It lies directly inland from Dubai Marina and Jumeirah Lakes Towers, just east of the main spinal highway, Sheikh Zayed Road. Jumeirah Islands consist of small islands each comprising 16 villas. The villas' clusters models design varies from Islamic to Mediterranean architecture. They all sit in an artificial lake filled with salty sea water. The lake is so large that the whole complex has land to water ratio of 23:77[2] The complex includes 50 islands (46 of which are the residential clusters), a restaurant, a supermarket, a Club House, a gym, beauty salons, pharmacy and a leisure facility. Each of the 736 houses has its own swimming pool. The project was completed by the close of 2006. Nearby properties include the Jumeirah Lake Towers and Palm Jumeirah, both built by Nakheel.

35 ● AIN DUBAI **110 KM TO FINISH LINE**

Located on Bluewaters Island, Ain Dubai adds one more item to the list of world records to be broken by Dubai. Accessible from the Island, the Ferris wheel design is bordered by shopping malls, restaurants, residences and a souk.

The giant Ferris wheel stands at a staggering height of 210m making it the highest of its kind in the world. It's located off the popular Jumeirah Beach Residences (JBR) beachfront and is set to offer 360-degree views of the Dubai skyline. Ain Dubai showcases Dubai's beautiful coastline and Dubai Marina's impressive skyline, as well as views of the city's famous landmarks such as Burj Al Arab, Palm Jumeirah and the Burj Khalifa. Its base will serve as an entertainment zone with a large LED screen mounted on the wheel.

36 ● JUMEIRAH BEACH RESIDENCE, THE BEACH **115 KM TO FINISH LINE**

The Walk at Jumeirah Beach Residence (JBR) is a popular promenade where you can shop, dine and stroll by the sea with an impressive skyline. The buzzing beachside boulevard offers the opportunity to satisfy your retail cravings with an array of fashion, home and handicraft shops and boutiques. The Walk features shopping attractions such as sauce-on-sea, a boutique featuring local and regional designers, plus a host of international retailers. Another highlight is the range of outdoor pop-up markets where you can

check out stalls offering jewellery, food treats and homewares, as well as take in performances by street entertainers.

Don't miss the adjacent shopping area called The Beach and the open-air cinema.

37 ● DUBAI MARINA

115 KM TO FINISH LINE

Dubai Marina is one of the world's largest, most meticulously planned waterfront developments and offers the exhilaration and vibrancy of a chic, urban lifestyle together with all the advantages of living on the water. It's a city-within-a-city with a cosmopolitan, free-spirited atmosphere and a unique character all of its own.

The development is built along a three-kilometre stretch of the shoreline and accommodates over 200 residential towers. The area boasts almost eight kilometres of landscaped public walkways, which includes water features, benches, and children's play areas. The master community has been carefully designed to showcase a variety of styles of modern architecture and sophistication, offering convenience for shoppers and cinema-goers in the form of Dubai Marina Mall, along with high-end lifestyle destinations such as The Address Dubai Marina and the Dubai Marina Yacht Club for socializing and leisure.

38 ● EMIRATES HILLS

100 KM TO FINISH LINE

A world-class development, Emirates Hills is one of the most premier and sought-after gated communities in the city. Touted as the 'Beverly Hills of Dubai', it is an exclusive residential destination teeming with beautiful landscapes, panoramic views, state-of-the-art amenities, and 600 villas each with a luxurious character. This family-oriented community features 2 golf clubs namely Emirates Golf Club and Montgomerie, as well as supermarkets, recreation areas, and a swimming pool, to name a few.

Located also is Emirates Golf Club - home of the Omega Dubai Desert Classic and is one of the most renowned clubs in the region. With three immaculate courses - The Majlis, The Faldo and Par 3 - there are a variety of spaces to choose from, suitable for a range of skillsets.

39 ● DUBAI INTERNATIONAL MARINE CLUB

115 KM TO FINISH LINE

In 5th of May, 1988 the Dubai International Marine Club established to achieve

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the following objectives:

1. The promotion of the United Arab Emirates and the Emirate of Dubai as a tourist enjoying many advantages, especially picturesque coasts.

2. To do a historic role impressively towards the preservation of cultural heritage, as the lives of the people of UAE in the past largely been associated with the sea, which was a safe haven and a source of good and livelihood.

Located in a prime spot in Dubai Marina next to Le Meridien Mina Seyahi, it now boasts at 300-berth marina, helipad, sailing school, race department, offices and venue facilities. The club hosts over 50 events every year, including the Dubai International Boat Show.

40 ● PALM JUMEIRAH

10 KM TO FINISH LINE

Dubai's iconic palm-shaped island is extraordinary.

This engineering marvel is synonymous with Dubai's efforts to consistently evolve and make dreams come true. The neighbourhood offers an urban mix of island residences, glamorous five-star resorts, on-trend restaurants and chic beach clubs.

The unique island is home to some of Dubai's top luxury resorts, including Atlantis, The Palm, Jumeirah Zabeel Saray, One&Only The Palm and many more. There are fantastic fine dining options, such as Nobu and 101 Dining Lounge, and more than 80 restaurants, lounges and other attractions at The Pointe, located along a scenic promenade at the tip of The Palm.

41 ● THE POINTE

5 KM TO FINISH LINE

The Pointe is a scenic, relaxing arena with more than 80 restaurants, shops and attractions including dining, retail and entertainment outlets. Its centrepiece is a spectacular fountain display which will enthral visitors with stunning shows that can be viewed from The Pointe's wide range of waterfront dining spots.

The Pointe brings a new energy to the entertainment and dining landscape of Dubai by providing visitors with limitless choices, vibrant experiences and charming views. It's the one-stop destination for residents and tourists, with a complete range of dining delights offering something for everyone, from gourmet dining to casual family restaurants. There's also a dine-in cinema, a supermarket, children's entertainment area and more.

Located five kilometres out to sea, The Pointe enjoys cool sea breezes and stunning views. Its 1.5 km promenade is a destination in itself for residents and tourists to unwind at one of Dubai's most exemplary locations or snap

the perfect holiday pictures against the awe-inspiring backdrop of Atlantis The Palm - an iconic landmark that is a sight to behold, especially when lit up at night.

The Point is also home to the Palm Fountain which is officially the world's largest fountain.

The two giant floating platforms cover 14,000 sq meters of sea water, towering at 105 meters, and lighting up the sky of Dubai with magical 3,000 LEDs. The fountain also dances to hit songs from all around the globe.

The Palm Fountain entralls visitors with spectacular shows daily from sunset to midnight.

42 ● ROYAL ATLANTIS RESORT AND RESIDENCES

0 KM TO FINISH LINE

Located on the crescent of The Palm and next to the iconic Atlantis resort, this new generation of distinctive luxury will offer a sophisticated lifestyle with infinite ocean views, lush green spaces, and a playful contrast between fire and water, all encapsulated in dramatic architecture.

43 ● THE ATLANTIS

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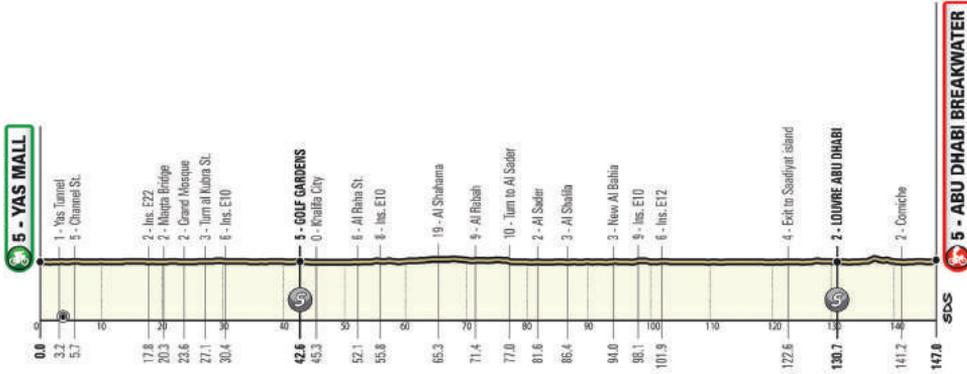
One of Dubai's most visited locations, there's no wonder this five-star Palm Island destination appears on so many postcards, holiday selfies and Instagram posts. You can expect endless entertainment with world-class dining outlets, unique aquarium experiences and outstanding architectural feats at this world-famous luxury hotel.

The massive resort spans several acres, offering 1,539 rooms, exclusive suites and 'super suites', including coveted underwater rooms. Encounter a world of wonder as you walk through the lobby, with exquisite decor, intricate sculptures and ambient lighting - all in sync with the pervading aquatic theme. You can also enjoy unprecedented views of the Dubai skyline from your Palm Jumeirah hideaway.

In addition to an immaculate beach and a range of pools, attractions includes the Lost Chambers Aquarium, Aquaventure Waterpark and Dolphin Bay - ensuring family fun for days on end. You can also shop at a wide collection of exclusive boutiques and stores. Want to get sun-soaked and enjoy a wholesome brunch? Try the wide range of dishes at Saffron's buffet. Sample a huge variety of signature restaurants and celebrity-backed outlets, including Gordon Ramsay's Bread Street Kitchen, Hakkasan and many more.

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27TH FEBRUARY 2021



FROM YAS MALL TO ABU DHABI BREAKWATER

Start Village: Yas Mall

Sign-on: 11.40 - 12.55

Alignment: 13.00

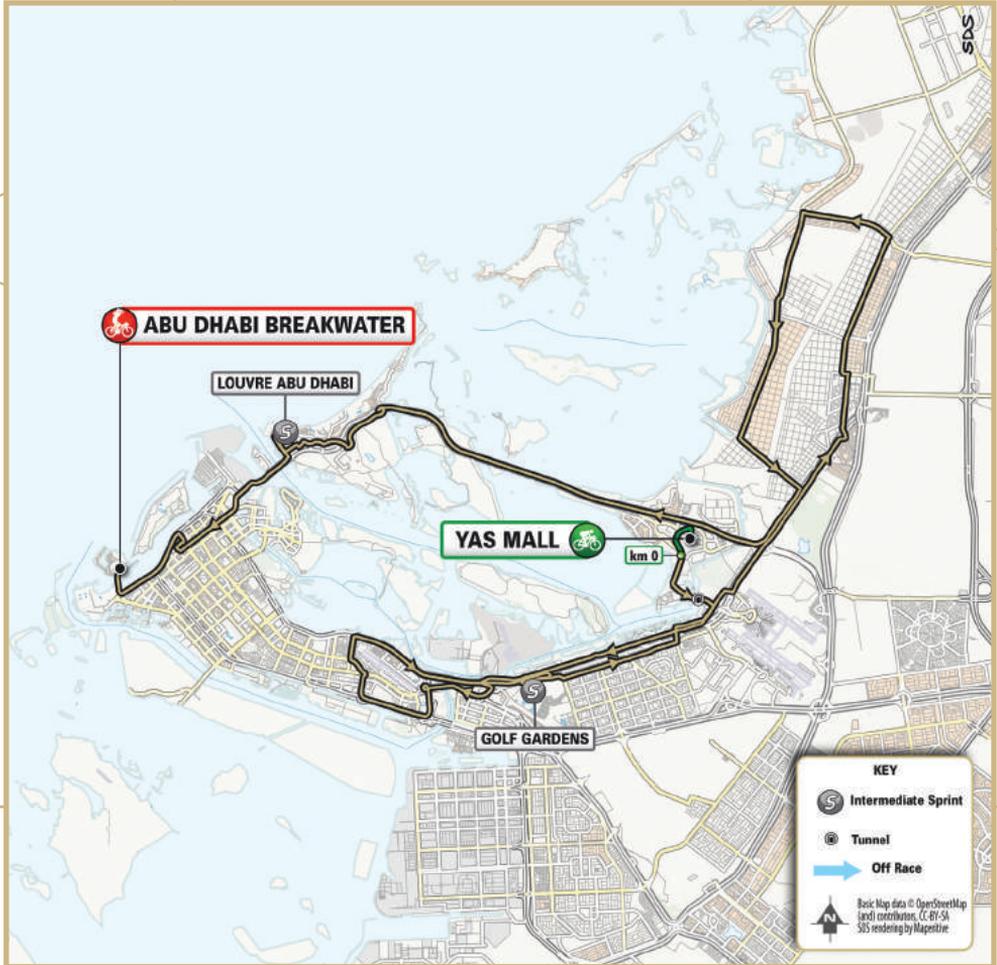
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Finish Line: Abu Dhabi Breakwater

Estimated finish time: 16.30



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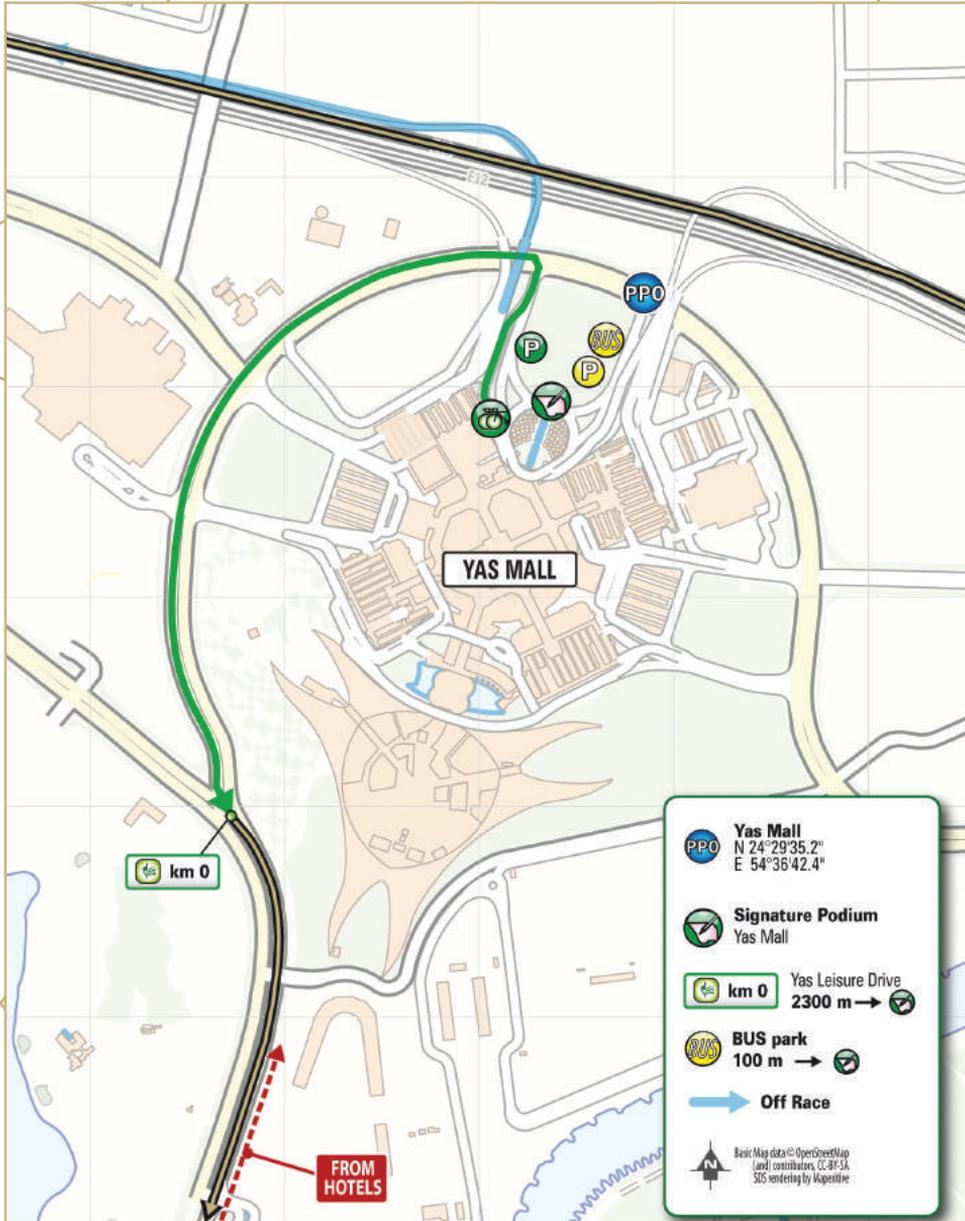
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				leg	run	to be run	42	44	46
5	YAS MALL	↑	Start Village	2.3			13.00	13.00	13.00
 5	YAS MALL	↑	km 0	0.0	0.0	147.0	13.05	13.05	13.05
 1	Yas Tunnel	↑	Yas Drive-Al Rahah St.	3.2	3.2	143.8	13.09	13.09	13.09
6	Channel St.	↑		2.5	5.7	141.3	13.13	13.13	13.13
2	Ins. E22	↘		12.1	17.8	129.2	13.30	13.29	13.28
2	Maqta Bridge	↑		2.5	20.3	126.7	13.33	13.32	13.31
2	Grand Mosque	↘	Al Khaleej Al Arabi St.	3.3	23.6	123.4	13.38	13.36	13.35
4	Turn al Kubra St.	↘	Dhafeer St.	3.5	27.1	119.9	13.43	13.41	13.40
6	Ins. E10	↘	E10	3.3	30.4	116.6	13.48	13.46	13.45
3	Exit to Khalifa City	↘	Al Maqasid St.	10.3	40.7	106.3	14.02	14.00	13.57
 5	Golf Gardens	↘	Al Maqasid St.	1.9	42.6	104.4	14.05	14.03	14.00
0	Khalifa City	↑	Al Ishoush St.	2.7	45.3	101.7	14.09	14.06	14.03
6	Al Raha St.	↘		6.8	52.1	94.9	14.20	14.16	14.13
9	Ins. E10	↙	E10	3.7	55.8	91.2	14.26	14.22	14.19
19	Al Shahama	↘	Al Sinad St.	9.5	65.3	81.7	14.41	14.36	14.32
10	Al Rabah	↑	Al Smeeh St.	6.1	71.4	75.6	14.49	14.44	14.40
11	Turn to Al Sader	↙	Al Sahil St.	5.6	77.0	70.0	14.58	14.53	14.48
3	Al Sader	↙	Al Qasr St.	4.6	81.6	65.4	15.04	14.59	14.54
3	Al Shalila	↘	Al Rideem St.	4.8	86.4	60.6	15.12	15.06	15.01
3	New Al Bahia	↙	Al Uleum St.	7.6	94.0	53.0	15.22	15.16	15.10
9	Ins. E10	↘	E10	4.1	98.1	48.9	15.29	15.22	15.16
6	Ins. E12	↘		3.8	101.9	45.1	15.34	15.27	15.21
4	Exit to Saadiyat island	↘	Al Dhiba St.	20.7	122.6	24.4	16.01	15.53	15.46
 2	Louvre Abu Dhabi	↙	J. Chirac St.	8.1	130.7	16.3	16.12	16.04	15.56
3	Ins. E12	↙	E12 - Sh. Khalifa Bridge	1.9	132.6	14.4	16.15	16.06	15.58
5	Corniche	↙	Corniche St.	8.6	141.2	5.8	16.26	16.17	16.09
 8	ABU DHABI BREAKWATER	↑		5.8	147.0	0.0	16.35	16.26	16.17

NOTES

 **Intermediate sprint**
 km 42.6 Golf Gardens
 km 130.7 Louvre Abu Dhabi

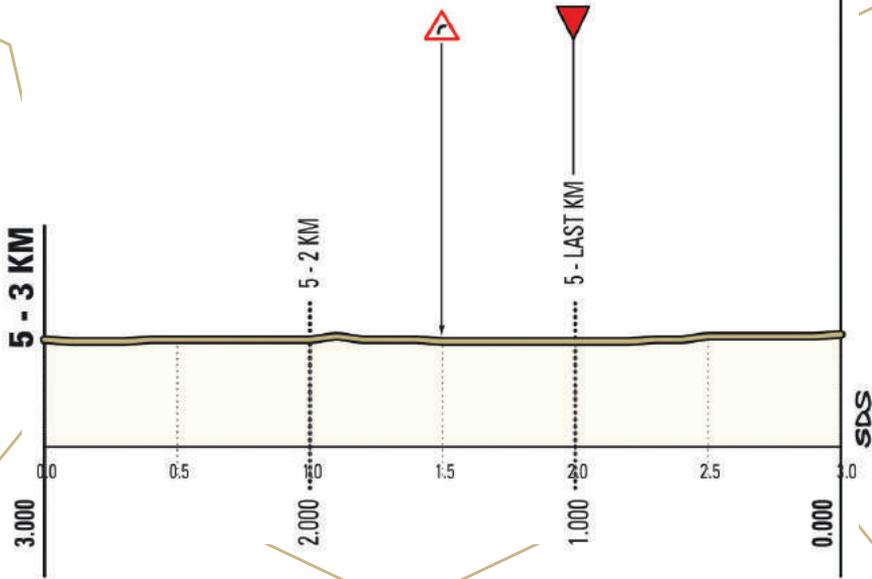
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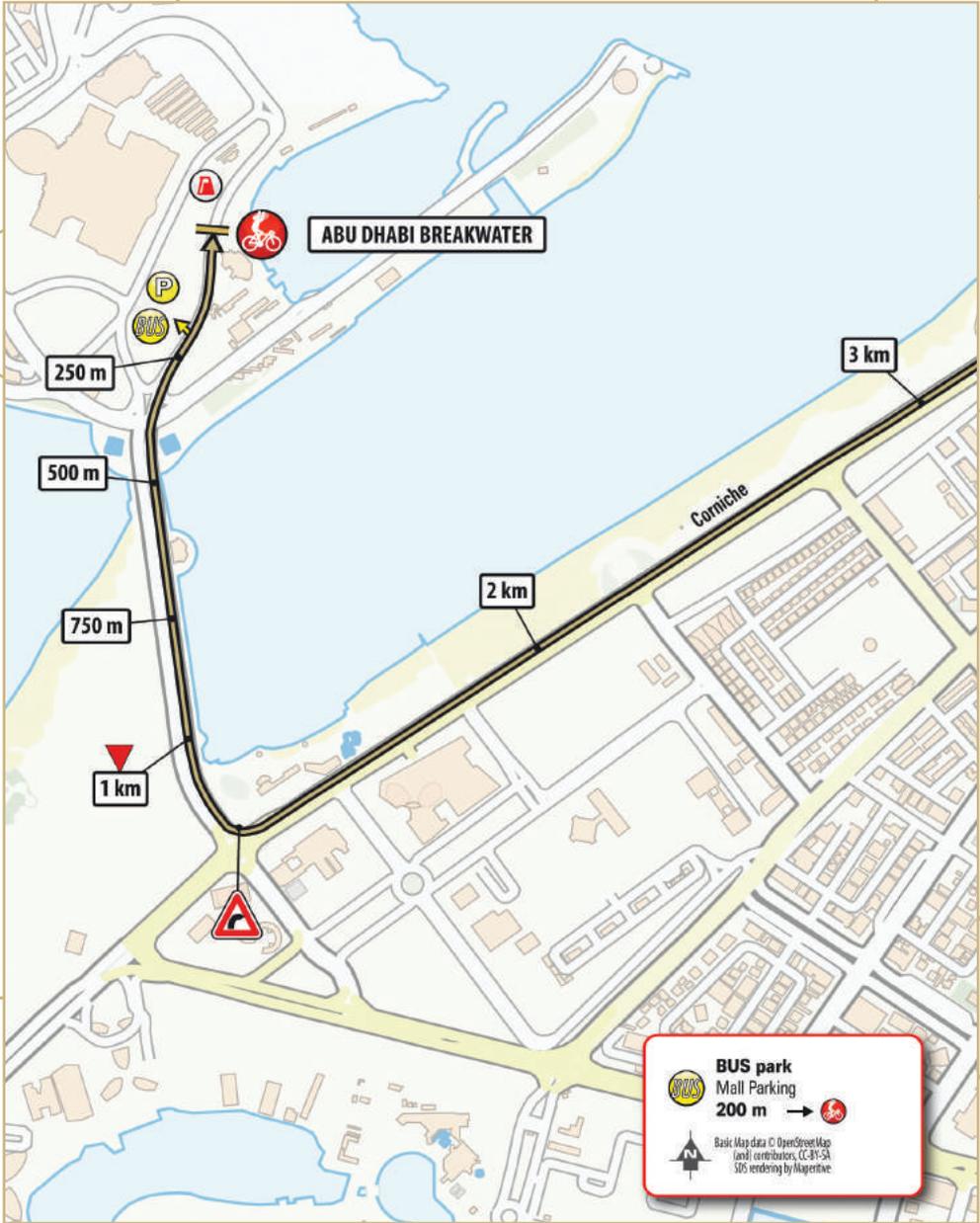


LAST KM

8 - ABU DHABI BREAKWATER 



7 FINISH



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27TH FEBRUARY 2021

 **Abu Dhabi Breakwater**

LOUVRE ABU DHABI

Yas Mall 

km 0

GOLF GARDENS



POINTS OF INTEREST

- / Yas Mall
- / Ferrari World Abu Dhabi
- / Yas Waterworld
- / Yas Marina Circuit
- / Warner Bros World Abu Dhabi
- / Saadiyat Island
- / Yas Island
- / Etihad Arena
- / Yas Links Abu Dhabi
- / Yas Marina
- / Al Wathba Wetland Reserve
- / Wahat Al Karama
- / Sheikh Zayed Grand Mosque
- / Sheikh Zayed Bridge
- / Zayed Sports City
- / Abu Dhabi Golf Club
- / Saadiyat Island
- / Zaya Nurai Island
- / Louvre Abu Dhabi
- / World Trade Centre
- Abu Dhabi
- / Reem Island
- / Al Maryah Island
- / Galleria Mall
- / Abu Dhabi Global Market
- / Four Seasons Hotel Abu Dhabi at Al Maryah Island
- / UAE National Flag
- / Jubail Island
- / Corniche al Qurm
- / World Trade Centre Abu Dhabi
- / Qasr Al Hosn
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- / ETIHAD TOWERS
- / Emirates Palace
- / Marina Mall, Abu Dhabi
- Breakwater
- / UAE National Flag - Abu Dhabi Breakwater



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1 ● YAS MALL

147 KM TO FINISH LINE

Yas Mall offers an incredible shopping, dining and entertainment experience for residents and tourists alike, thanks to its 370 fashion brands, a 20 screen VOX Cinema and the region's largest entertainment zone. Located at the heart of the iconic Yas Island, Yas Mall is 15 minutes from Abu Dhabi International Airport, 30 minutes from the Capital's city centre and 45 minutes from Dubai.

Yas Mall provides a one-of-a-kind shopping experience, from popular lifestyle brands to high-end designer labels and flagship department stores, catering to everyone from families to fashionistas.

2 ● FERRARI WORLD ABU DHABI

147 KM TO FINISH LINE

Open 365 days a year, the world's first Ferrari-branded theme park tells the marque's story with passion, showcasing more than 20 exhilarating and educational rides and attractions, incredible shopping, and authentic Italian dining experiences. The only time you'll be outside in the sun is on board the Formula Rossa - the world's fastest roller-coaster. Go from 0 to 240km/h in 4.9 seconds, while soaring to heights of 52 metres.

3 ● YAS WATERWORLD

147 KM TO FINISH LINE

The 'World's Leading Waterpark' celebrates Emirati pearl diving heritage in a captivating world, featuring more than 40 rides, slides and attractions. Join the quest for the Lost Pearl in character-filled adventures and thrilling rides - including the world's largest surfable sheet wave and the first and only 5D water adventure in the region - before you end off your experience with an underwater pearl diving adventure to claim your very own treasure.

4 ● YAS MARINA CIRCUIT

147 KM TO FINISH LINE

Launched in 2009 to host the Formula 1™ Etihad Airways Abu Dhabi Grand Prix, Yas Marina Circuit is still one of the UAE's most epic motorsports,

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sporting and business venues. Created to elevate Abu Dhabi's status as a world-class sporting destination, this impressive mega-budget circuit draws travellers from around the world.

On top of an extensive year-round programme of professional and grassroots motorsports and sporting events and experiences, the circuit has emerged as a thriving hub for entertainment and community events in the UAE. As the region's most technologically advanced facility, the circuit is a leading MICE venue, regularly hosting a diverse range of corporate meetings, conferences and events.

5 ● WARNER BROS WORLD ABU DHABI

147 KM TO FINISH LINE

Prepare for a truly one-of-a-kind experience, at the world's first-ever Warner Bros. branded indoor theme park! Warner Bros. World™ Abu Dhabi brings together your favourite iconic characters and stories under one roof for the first time in the region. Home to 29 state-of-the-art exhilarating rides, interactive family-friendly attractions and unique live entertainment across six immersive lands in addition to authentically themed shopping and dining experiences, Warner Bros. World is the ultimate destination for the whole family.

6 ● YAS ISLAND

147 KM TO FINISH LINE

Yas Island is the region's leading leisure and entertainment destination. It is purpose-built to provide all your business needs under one roof, from specialist teams at end-to-end delivery to tailoring services specific to requirements. It hosts several exciting business event destinations, including superb conference, meeting and gala event facilities, Yas Links Golf Course, Yas Marina, Yas Marina Circuit, Ferrari World Abu Dhabi and Warner Bros. World™ Abu Dhabi, to name but a few. With multiple hotels (3- to 5-star rating) there is over 3,250 rooms, with roughly 1,000 of them 5-star, available at Yas Island. Clients are ensured exceptional service and once-in-a-lifetime experiences that will provide a memorable incentive to keep business booming.

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7 ● ETIHAD ARENA

147 KM TO FINISH LINE

Bringing world-renowned musicians, entertainers and sporting events to Yas Bay on Yas Island, Etihad Arena is the UAE's largest indoor multi-purpose venue, built using award-winning sustainable technology. With capacity for up to 18,000 people, Etihad Arena hosts some of the world's biggest and most sensational live events as well as international corporate events or local community celebrations. It also boasts 3 km of waterfront boardwalk just outside, with access to hotels, cafés and retail outlets.

8 ● YAS LINKS ABU DHABI

147 KM TO FINISH LINE

The UAE's first links golf course is ranked as the world's 24th Best Golf Course, outside of America, by Golf Digest USA 2012. Enjoy refreshing coastal breezes and stunning ocean views as you play a round of 18 holes or perfect your shot at the Yas Links Academy. Steeped in links golfing tradition, this course is great to enjoy with friends and colleagues, be it early morning or evening.

9 ● YAS MARINA

147 KM TO FINISH LINE

Located in the heart of Yas Island, Yas Marina is a vibrant dining and entertainment area offering something unique for everyone both at sea and ashore. The 227-berth marina caters to vessels from eight to 150 metres, while casual berthing rates with complimentary visitor berthing for up to four hours allows boat owners to dock, dine and discover its many outlets. Guests can enjoy strolling along the boardwalks or soaking up the relaxed evening atmosphere while dining al fresco at the water's edge. Home of the world-famous Cipriani Restaurant.

10 ● SHEIKH ZAYED GRAND MOSQUE

123 KM TO FINISH LINE

The Sheikh Zayed Grand Mosque stands out as one of the world's largest mosques, and the only one that captures unique interactions between Islam and world cultures. Sheikh Zayed's vision for the Grand Mosque was to incorporate architectural styles from different Muslim civilizations and celebrate cultural diversity by creating a haven that is truly diverse and inspirational in its

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foundation. The mosque's architects were British, Italian and Emirati, and design inspiration was borrowed parts of Turkey, Morocco, Pakistan, and Egypt among other Islamic countries, revealing a glistening architectural marvel with an astonishing capacity of 40,000 worshippers and visitors.

The open-door policy invites tourists and celebrants from all around the world who can witness the spectacular onion-top domes, the reflective pools that engulf the courtyard and the iconic prayer hall, which not only overflows with blissful sunlight, but also houses the world's biggest chandelier and carpet, both meticulously handmade.

11 ● ZAYED SPORTS CITY

147 KM TO FINISH LINE

This giant sports complex is home to everything from basketball and beach volleyball facilities to tennis courts, a football stadium and a fitness center. It also has a bowling alley and an ice rink open to visitors. The ZSC's International Tennis Center-with six training courts and a center court with a spectator capacity of 5,000- hosts the annual Mubadala World Tennis Championship.

This mammoth sports complex is home to everything from basketball and beach volleyball facilities to tennis courts, a football stadium and a fitness centre. It also has a very affordable bowling alley and an ice rink with the latter being a fantastic way to cool off for a few hours, with lessons available if you're looking to channel your inner figure-skating champion.

ZSC's International Tennis Centre is an ATP-standard facility with six training courts and a centre court with a spectator capacity of 5,000, hosts the annual Mubadala World Tennis Championship. Each year, the world's best players compete for the championship title over three days of thrilling action.

ZSC is also home to Abu Dhabi's biggest bowling alley, the Khalifa International Bowling Centre. Housing 40 lanes and one of the world's most modern alleys, there's also a video arcade, bumper cars and a restaurant for when all that activity works up an appetite.

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12 ● ABU DHABI GOLF CLUB

105 KM TO FINISH LINE

Home to the annual Abu Dhabi HSBC Golf Championship, a European PGA Tour event, Abu Dhabi Golf Club boasts one of Arabia's most iconic clubhouses: a vast falcon perched atop a golf ball.

Managed by Troon Golf, this award-winning facility features two distinct playing experiences that have seen the club ranked as one of the World's Top 100 courses by Golf World magazine. The Par 72 National Course covers 7,334 yards of lush fairways, undulating greens and more than 90 challenging bunkers, while the more accessible Par 36 Garden Course totals 3,299 yards. The fully floodlit, nine-hole Garden Course is the perfect place for a spot of night golf at a championship-standard facility.

13 ● SAADIYAT ISLAND

25 KM TO FINISH LINE

Just seven minutes from downtown Abu Dhabi and 20 minutes from Abu Dhabi International Airport, Saadiyat Island is undergoing a remarkable transformation into a world class leisure, residential, business and cultural hub of global proportions. Unprecedented in scale and scope, Saadiyat Cultural District is set to become a global cultural hub, housing the world's largest single concentration of premier cultural assets. These will include the Zayed National Museum, Louvre Abu Dhabi and Guggenheim Abu Dhabi - all designed by Pritzker prize winning architects.

14 ● ZAYA NURAI ISLAND

25 KM TO FINISH LINE

Zaya Nurai Island is a unique, boutique private island resort situated in the pristine waters of the Arabian Gulf to the east of the coast of Abu Dhabi city.

Just a 10-minute boat ride from Abu Dhabi's Saadiyat Island, this secluded resort is conveniently accessible from all major travel ports in the UAE. Inspired by the Arabic word 'nur' meaning 'light', Zaya Nurai Island is a 32-bed, all-villa hotel featuring five food and beverage outlets, and 23 private residences and water villas.

The hotel's individual 260sqm all-suite villas are one-bedroom beachfront retreats, which blend into the landscape with uninterrupted Arabian Gulf views. Each villa has its own pool in 130sqm of private outdoor space, the latest in-room amenities, in-villa dining and a dedicated butler service, all within a

setting reflecting the tranquillity of an exclusive island environment.

There are a variety of dining options, all of which serve local, authentic produce, and where possible, sustainably sourced from the island's own kitchen garden supporting a fresh-food-to-fork philosophy. Dining reservations – essential for non-residents – will include complimentary boat transfer to and from the island.

15 ● LOUVRE ABU DHABI

16 KM TO FINISH LINE

The iconic Louvre Abu Dhabi is the first universal museum in the Arab World, translating and fostering the spirit of openness between cultures. As one of the premier cultural institutions located in the heart of the Saadiyat Cultural District on Saadiyat Island, this art-lovers' dream displays works of historical, cultural and sociological significance, from ancient times to the contemporary era.

Designed by Pritzker-prize-winning architect Jean Nouvel, the Louvre Abu Dhabi encompasses 9,200 square metres of galleries, including a Permanent Gallery and a Temporary Gallery enriched by loans from notable French museums including Musee du Louvre, Musee d'Orsay, and Centre Pompidou. A symphony in concrete, water and the subtle play of reflected light, the incredible structure was inspired by the region's rich architectural traditions and the museum's unique location, where the Arabian sky meets the sands of Saadiyat Island and the waters of the Arabian Gulf. Considered one of the modern urban wonders of the world, Louvre Abu Dhabi is not only the Arab world's first universal museum but also a powerful symbol of the United Arab Emirates' ambition and achievement.

16 ● WORLD TRADE CENTRE ABU DHABI

10 KM TO FINISH LINE

Crowning the glorious skyline of Abu Dhabi, the World Trade Center Abu Dhabi is nestled in the heart of the city. As an iconic landmark within the historic business district, it's a symphony of steel and stone with state-of-the-art amenities. Encompassing the WTCAD is The Mall, Burj Mohammed Bin Rashid, The Offices, and the Courtyard by Marriott hotel.

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17 ● REEM ISLAND

15 KM TO FINISH LINE

Al Reem Island is a residential, commercial and business project on Al Reem Isle, a natural island 600 m off the coast of Abu Dhabi island. It is currently being developed separately by Sorouh Real Estate (Shams Abu Dhabi), Reem Investments, and Tamouh. Reem Developers the overall dimensions of the project as 6.5 million square metres and investment costs as exceeding \$30 billion. The project has gained international interest as one of the first free zones in Abu Dhabi, where foreign nationals can buy property as leasehold.

18 ● AL MARYAH ISLAND

15 KM TO FINISH LINE

This upmarket island is perfect for visitors who love the finer things in life. Home to dramatic turquoise sea views, the five-star Rosewood Abu Dhabi hotel set on the vibrant Sowwah Square waterfront, the ultra-modern Four Seasons Hotel on the edge of the Arabian Gulf, and the upmarket The Galleria shopping centre, this plush destination promises a fabulous day out with friends or family.

If you love shopping, you'll love The Galleria. This luxe mall recently saw an impressive extension, with more than 250 new shops opening, as well as over 70 new restaurants. Today the mall boasts over 300 retail brands, with stores including high-street favourites such as Zara, H&M, Monki, Debenhams, Missguided and Decathlon. The world's most famous luxury brands, think Chanel, Valentino, Piaget and more, also call the mall home. If all that shopping works up an appetite, sit down for something delicious at The Cheesecake Factory, P.F. Chang's, Paul Café and Central Kitchens, a central dining spot offering moreish flavours from around the world. Want to catch a movie? There's a 21-screen VOX Cinema too.

19 ● GALLERIA MALL

15 KM TO FINISH LINE

The Galleria Al Maryah Island is an impressive mall situated in the heart of the city. Home to over 400 stores, including 300 of the world's most popular brands, 100 food and beverage options and upbeat entertainment for people of all ages, The Galleria is a fun, family-friendly space great for whiling away a few hours. First opened in 2013 as a luxury and fine-dining destination with brands such as

Louis Vuitton, Chanel, Cartier, Gucci, Dior, La Petite Maison, Coya and Zuma, in 2019 it dramatically expanded its offering, opening 250 new stores including Zara, H&M, West Elm, Decathlon, Massimo Dutti, and Debenhams, as well as family favourites like The Cheesecake Factory, PF Chang's and Paul Café.

If you feel like catching a movie while you're shopping, the 21-screen VOX Cinema with IMAX can help. A flagship Xtreme Zone and urban parks catering to young adventurers and action-loving families are thoughtful additions, adding an active edge to shopping in the city.

21 ● ABU DHABI GLOBAL MARKET

15 KM TO FINISH LINE

Abu Dhabi Global Market (ADGM) is an ideal hub for businesses operating across all sectors to access the substantial growth opportunities emanating from Abu Dhabi, UAE and the wider Middle East, Africa and South Asia (MEASA) region. ADGM drives a culture of innovation, sustains an effective financial ecosystem and provides a favourable business environment fostering collaboration and competition.

22 ● FOUR SEASONS HOTEL ABU DHABI AT AL MARYAH ISLAND

15 KM TO FINISH LINE

With a prime waterfront setting on Al Maryah Island, the Four Seasons Abu Dhabi Hotel offers a cool, modern atmosphere for sophisticated meetings and events.

Perched on a collection of more than 200 islands, our cinematic capital city isn't afraid to stand out. With its distinctive exterior of vertical lines inspired by the colourful textiles of the souks, you'll find a 34-storey Hotel on Al Maryah Island a high-end playground for business, shopping and entertainment. Mingle with fellow travellers and stylish locals in our elegant Al Meylas lounge, find your bliss in Dahlia Spa, or explore The Galleria - Abu Dhabi's most refined new shopping centre - without ever having to step outside.

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24 ● QASR AL HOSN

5 KM TO FINISH LINE

Over the centuries, Qasr Al Hosn has been home to the ruling family, acted as the seat of government, housed the National Consultative Council founded by the late Sheikh Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahyan, Founder of the UAE, as well as being a national archive. Today it stands as the nation's living memorial and a narrator of Abu Dhabi's history.

The oldest standing structure in Abu Dhabi, the picturesque Qasr Al Hosn is home to an original watchtower that makes for incredible photographs. Built around the 1790s, this commanding structure overlooked the coastal trade routes and protected the growing settlement established on the island. Qasr Al Hosn comprises two major iconic buildings: the Inner Fort (originally constructed in 1795) and the Outer Palace (1939-45). Transformed into a museum in 2018 following over a decade of intensive conservation and restoration work, Qasr Al Hosn is a national monument that encapsulates the development of Abu Dhabi from a settlement reliant on fishing and pearling in the 18th century, to a modern, global metropolis, displaying artefacts and archival materials dating back to as far as 6000BC. Today, the beautiful Al Hosn site, which has seen immaculate renovations, is a wonderful place at which to while away a few hours and soak up the fascinating history of the UAE capital. Children, too, will love exploring its beautiful structure and nooks and crannies.

25 ● ABU DHABI CORNICHE

6 KM TO FINISH LINE

Abu Dhabi's Corniche Road stretches across an impressive eight kilometres of manicured waterfront that includes children's play areas, separate cycle and pedestrian pathways, cafés and restaurants, and the stunning, lifeguarded Corniche Beach. If you're looking to soak up Abu Dhabi's famous year-round sunshine, this immaculate beach is one of the best places to do it.

Some 30,000 to 50,000 visitors flock to the Corniche every month, with the 2km beach being divided into three sections: Al Sahil (Gate 4, free entry) is perfect for singles and larger groups, Gate 2 is ideal for families

and has its own quiet zone, with Gate 3 also being great for families and kids. The two latter beaches are shielded from view with a fence. Showers, changing rooms and cabanas are available, and sun loungers and umbrellas can be hired for a fee. A lifeguard is on duty until sunset.

Abu Dhabi's pristine Corniche beachfront has been awarded coveted Blue Flag status, with this internationally renowned eco-label for beaches and marinas guaranteeing clean and safe seawater.

There are more than 1,100 free parking spaces within a five-minute walk of the beach, with entry to the family and singles sections costing AED 10. Entry to the public beach is free.

A fun and healthy way to tour the Corniche is to hire a bicycle.

26 ● ADNOC HQ

1 KM TO FINISH LINE

The ADNOC HQ is hosted in a 75-storey skyscraper on the Abu Dhabi Corniche. The building corporates energy efficiency and sustainable engineering technologies, such as a double skin façade, photovoltaic glazing and LED exterior lighting. Designed by HOK, the overall building complex consists of more than 65 floors with an office tower, Corniche Club, SPC and Crisis Management Center, a heritage museum and other supporting facilities.

27 ● ETIHAD TOWERS

1 KM TO FINISH LINE

A dramatic architectural statement on the Abu Dhabi Corniche, this five-tower complex welcomes residents and travellers to live, work, stay, shop and dine in one destination boasting stunning panoramic city and Arabian Gulf views.

A benchmark for luxury, the complex includes three residential towers, one business tower, and the 280-metre tall, five-star Jumeirah at Etihad Towers hotel.

On Tower 2's 74th floor, the Observation Deck at 300 offers some of the city's best views. If you're looking for a fabulous place to shop, The Avenue at Etihad Towers is home to some of the world's most luxurious and exclusive boutique store collections, with many boasting private rooms for VIP shopping.

28 ● EMIRATES PALACE

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1 KM TO FINISH LINE

This lavish property is world-famous thanks to its enchanting Arabesque style, award-winning five-star hospitality and wonderfully unique and authentic local experiences. Located in the heart of Abu Dhabi, Emirates Palace's impressive offerings include a pristine 1.3km private beach, landscaped pools, a private marina overlooking a natural bay, a luxe spa offering indulgent treatments, including a 24-karat gold facial, and some of the world's best restaurants.

One of the capital's most well-known landmarks, the main palace building stretches over a kilometre from wing to wing, with its gardens stretching across 100 hectares.

29 ● MARINA MALL, ABU DHABI BREAKWATER

0 KM TO FINISH LINE

This mall features a 100-metre-high viewing platform, an ice rink, a bowling alley, a Cineplex, musical fountains and hundreds of big name brands and stores. A true Abu Dhabi landmark, Marina Mall's many restaurants and coffee shops make it possible to spend a full day here.

30 ● UAE NATIONAL FLAG - ABU DHABI BREAKWATER

0 KM TO FINISH LINE

A 122m pennon (Guinness World Record in 2001) holds an imposing flag of impressive size (20mx40m). It was inaugurated to celebrate the country's 30th anniversary.

31 ● JUBAIL ISLAND

30 KM TO FINISH LINE

Nestled within the capital of the UAE, between Yas Island and Saadiyat Island lies Jubail Island. A stunning refuge minutes away from the bustling city centre offering a breathtaking landscape with a wide array of business, cultural and entertainment destinations within easy reach. Featuring also Jubail Mangrove Park is the first self-contained educational, nature and leisure destination of its kind in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi. Here, you can visit and explore a haven for avian and marine species native to Abu Dhabi. But foremost, this is a mangrove sanctuary.

REGULATIONS

ART. 1 - ORGANIZATION

ABU DHABI SPORTS COUNCIL and DUBAI SPORTS COUNCILS call & organize, in cooperation with RCS SPORTS AND EVENTS DMCC (Fortune Executive Tower, JLT, Cluster T - P.O. Box: 24883 - Dubai, United Arab Emirates - T. +971 44058800), website www.theuaetour.com, the UAE TOUR an international cycling stage race on the international UCI WORLDTOUR calendar (UWT), in compliance with the International Cycling Union regulations.

The race will start in Abu Dhabi (UAE) on Sunday 21st February 2021 and finish in Abu Dhabi Saturday 27th February according to the following program:

Friday 19TH Preliminary operations

Saturday 20TH Preliminary operations

Sunday 21ST 1

ADNOC STAGE

From **Al Dhafra Castle**
To **Al Mirfa** **176 KM**

Monday 22^{TND} 2

ABU DHABI SPORTS COUNCIL STAGE

From **Al Hudayriyat Island**
To **Al Hudayriyat Island** **13 KM**

Tuesday 23RD 3

STRATA STAGE

From **Strata Manufacturing**
To **Jebel Hafeet** **166 KM**

Wednesday 24TH 4

HOPE PROBE STAGE

From **Al Marjan Island**
To **Al Marjan Island** **204 KM**

Thursday 25TH 5

IMPOSSIBLE IS POSSIBLE STAGE

From **Fujairah International Marine Club**
To **Jebel Jais** **176 KM**

Friday 26TH 6

DUBAI STAGE

From **Deira Islands**
To **Palm Jumeirah** **165 KM**

Saturday 27TH 7

YAS ISLAND STAGE

From **YAS MALL**
To **Abu Dhabi Breakwater** **147 KM**

Total km • 1.041

Average length km • 148.7

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The technical guide of the UAE tour 2021 details each stage, timetables, start and finish sites, distances in kilometres together with the relevant stage routemaps and profiles.

The race director, subject to prior notification to the UCI technical delegate (if present) and to the chief commissaire, can change the timetables and/or itineraries, if need be, giving prior notice to the interested parties.

Furthermore, he might summon the representatives for the “Extreme Weather Protocol” in compliance with article 2.2.029 bis. In such a situation, decisions can be taken and/or confirmed on the morning of the stage (See the “Extreme Weather Protocol”).

ART. 2 - TYPE OF RACE

The race is reserved to Men Elite Category and points will be awarded for the “Individual UCI World Ranking” - stage races, according to the provisions set out in Articles 2.10.002 ter and 2.10.008 of the UCI regulations.

General Classification

To the first 60 Riders on the final General Classification will be awarded the following points : 300, 250, 215, 175, 120, 115, 95, 75, 60, 50, 40, 35, 30, 25, from 15th to 20th 20, from 21st to 30th 12, from 31st to 50th 5, from 51st to 55th 2, from 56th to 60th 1.

Stage Classification

The top three finishers of each stages will be awarded the following points: 40, 15, 6
Wearing the race leader’s jersey: 6 per stage

ART. 3 - ENROLLMENT

According to Article 2.1.005 and 2.1.007 bis of the UCI regulations, the race is reserved to: UCI WorldTeams - UCI Pro Teams - National Team of the host country. In compliance with Article 2.2.003 of the UCI Regulations, the number of Riders per team shall be 7 (seven).

In any case, the Organization, so as to safeguard the image and the reputation of its race, reserves the right to reject, up to the start, the Riders or the Teams which, by their acts or statements, would prove to neglect the principles of sport

fair play and the undertaken commitments as set forth in Article 1.1.023 of the UCI regulations.

Furthermore, in the event the Riders or the Team should fail during the race in complying with the principles set out in the foregoing paragraph, the Organization shall also reserve the right to expel them from the race at any time, in compliance with the Article 2.2.010 bis

ART. 4 - GENERAL PROVISIONS

The subjects listed hereunder are liable for the enforcement of the present regulations and - for all that is not regulated under the present ruling - of the current regulations issued by the International Cycling Union:

- the titular race Riders;
- the Sports Directors and the Teams' Staff;
- all the Race's followers duly accredited by the Organizers in a recognized and acknowledged official position.

Only the persons notified upon getting the identification badge by the owners of the authorized vehicles are entitled to follow the race. Each and every change or addition shall be notified to the Organization Manager. The cars and motorcycles' drivers shall comply not only with the enforced rules of the Highway Code, but also with the provisions issued by the Organization Manager and his staff. Persons without any function acknowledged by the Organizers or relevant to the race's services as well as under-aged persons are not allowed to follow the race.

In the event of non-compliance about "the circulation during the race" will apply to the articles of the Chapter 2, paragraph 4, UCI regulations.

The Organizing Society shall not be accountable for any damage caused by accidents or incidents before, during and after the race to spectators or people in general, even if not involved in the race itself, because of actions that have not been performed by the Organization itself.

For all that is not regulated under the present ruling, the regulations issued by the UCI are enforced.

ART. 5 - RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF RIDERS

All registered Riders have the right, in compliance with the regulations in force, to compete in all the classifications - i.e. stage classification, general and special classifications - inscribed in the race program.

They are required to maintain a responsible race behavior and to refrain from promoting or supporting any mass demonstration susceptible to assume the character of either fraudulent agreements prejudicing other Competitors, or to appear as a protest against the Organizing Society or the Commissaires' Panel or other official

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followers whatsoever. Moreover, the titular Riders are requested:

A) to carry a frame number and two body numbers duly provided by the Organization. These numbers cannot be modified as far as their size is concerned. During time trial stage only one identification number will be required.

B) to carry on all the stages a transponder supplied by the Organization and to be affixed on the frame of the bicycle, for the automatic reading of their passage position on the finish line and in some other segments determined by the Organization. However, the crossing of the finish line will be the final reference for the stage classification.

Failure in complying with such obligation shall be considered as an infringement equivalent to the absence of body number and consequently punished in accordance with UCI Table 2.12.007/3.5.3

C) to wear the jersey corresponding to their relevant team as well as the World Championship or National Championship jerseys; in order of priority in compliance of the Article 1.3.071.

D) the leaders of the General Classification, the Points Classification, the Best Young Rider Classification, the Intermediate Sprints Classification, shall respectively wear the Red jersey, the Green jersey, the White jersey, the Black jersey, all of them duly provided by the Organizing Society. This order also features the priority between the different leader's distinctive jerseys, so that in the case a Rider should be leading more than one classification, he would wear the distinctive jersey having a priority in the above-mentioned order. The remaining jerseys would be put on, at an honorific title, by the next following Riders in the ranking of the respective classifications, provided that they are not already entitled to a different classification (Article 2.6.018).

The jersey-holder is required to wear his distinctive garment beginning from the signature procedure until to the prize-giving ceremony and during any possible press conference;

E) to refrain from answering to interviews during the race;

F) to quickly leave the left side of the road free for motorcycles and vehicles authorized to overtake the peloton;

G) in case of drop-out in the course of the race, to remit the body number to a Commissaire or to the "Broom wagon".

H) to refrain – after having crossed the finish line – from crossing the line a second time while still wearing his body number, and thus until the finish judge or the finish



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Commissaire in charge authorize the crossing (UCI Table 2.12.007/1.6)

I) The General Classification leader and the stage winner shall show up at the press room or the for a press conference with the accredited journalists (Article 2.2.082).

J) to undergo the Anti-Doping procedure, the convened Riders shall go to the premises indicated by the Organizer.

K)) to behave appropriately with a respectable behavior in line with the local tradition and regulations, using all the carefulness necessary. For example riders shall use structures that the organizer will provide like changing rooms and bathrooms in all start and finish areas.

To pay particular attention to the environment while disposing of trash and empty bottles.

ART. 6 - RACE HEADQUARTERS

The official accreditations and preliminary operations will take place in Abu Dhabi on the premises of Yas Marina Circuit U.A.E. from 14:00 to 18:00 on Friday 19th and from 10:00 to 18:00 on Saturday 20th February 2021.

The confirmation of the starting Riders and the collection of the race numbers by the Sports Directors is set at the Race Headquarters on February 20th from 15:00 to 15:45, subsequently at 16:00 at the Race Headquarters is due to take place the Meeting with the Organization Management, the Commissaires Panel, the Sports Directors and with the presence of UCI technical advisor, according to the provisions set out in Articles 1.2.087-88/2.2.093 of the UCI regulations.

At 17:00 - The Race Director with the President of Commissaires'Panel will hold "Race security briefing" for all Drivers, cars and motorcycles, which will be involved in the race convoy, for a Representative of the television production and for a Representative of the Highway Police, see Article 2.2.034 bis of the UCI regulations.

ART. 7 - PRELIMINARY OPERATIONS AT THE START

For each stage Riders shall assemble at the place mentioned in the Technical Guide. As far as road race stages are concerned, the presence of the Riders at the Podium where the starting sheet is to be signed is duly requested (Article 2.3.009). Then, Riders will gather for the group transfert towards the actual start place.

In addition, for all stages, the Organizer will set the team order for team presentation and to sign the starting sheet. This order list will be communicated the day before with the official communication.



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ART. 8 - TOP-RIDERS PHOTOSHOOTING AND TEAM PRESENTATION

On Saturday 20th February will take place the Top-riders photoshooting and their press conference, Organization will communicate the list of riders needed a week before. Teams will make available the top riders requested with the support of team press officer.

All the Teams, with all their Riders and two Team Managers and/or Sports Directors shall take part in the opening and teams presentation ceremony Saturday 20th February 2021, in case it will be organized.

ART. 9 - RADIO INFORMATION

Race news will be broadcasted on the frequency VHF 149.850. Organizers will provide the radio for every car in the race and to all vehicles or person shall need it.

ART. 10 - TIMEKEEPING

The Timekeepers Service, with the assistance of the finish judge, will be in charge of recording the official time. The service will be guarantee by NETCO Sports Italy srl. Riders will be provided with a trasponder, for the automatic reading of their time, to be affixed on the frame of the bicycle compulsarily.

ART. 11 - TIME BONUSES

Time Bonus valid for the General Individual Classification are envisaged in each stage except the time trial stage. According to the Article 2.6.019 UCI regulations, the time bonuses will be as follows:

- for each Intermediate sprint the time bonuses for the first three riders crossing the line will be respectively 3", 2" and 1"
- upon finishing each stage respectively 10", 6" and 4" time bonuses will be assigned to the first three riders crossing the line.

ART. 12 - GREEN ZONE

The Green zones will be mentioned on the route maps and in the time schedules as well as signposted along the race route. Organization is committed to collect all the waste referred to the race and invites all the suiveurs to behave in way respectful of environment safeguard.

ART. 13 - TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

The technical assistance service is provided for by 3 vehicles of the SHIMANO company.

ART. 14 – MEDICAL SERVICE

The Medical Service appointed by the Race Manager, is provided by an adequate number of Doctors and Paramedics; the service is operative during the race and available before the start and after the finish of the race. In case of need, following ambulances coordinated by the race Doctors will take the Riders to the hospitals mentioned in the Technical Guide.

ART. 15 – STAGE FINISHES

Stage finishes shall be announced in advance by a red triangle located one kilometer from the finish line and by an arch reading “FINISH” in coincidence with the time keeping and photo finish line.

It is mandatory for all vehicles to perform a detour from the race route where indicated by the Organizer, in order not to cross the finish line, exception for of the Race Direction, the Commissaires’ Panel and the official Doctor

In the case of a crash, puncture or mechanical incident beyond the signpost indicating the finish within three kilometres, the rider(s) affected shall be credited with the time of the group in whose company he was (they were) when the accident occurred, in compliance with Article 2.6.027 of the UCI Regulations.

The rule does not apply to stages featuring a summit finish (3rd and 5th) and for Time trial stage (2nd). For all that is not regulated under this ruling, the irrevocable decision taken by the Commissaires’ Panel in consultation with the Organization Management shall apply.

The “Protocol for stages expected to finish in bunch sprints” will be enforced in stages 1, 4, 6 and 7 for calculating time gaps.

ART. 16 – TIME TRIAL STAGE

The Riders shall use bicycles complying with the parameters and measures set up by the UCI Regulations.

On the start line, the Riders will be held by personell appointed by the Race Direction. Each Rider will be escorted by one motorbike, in front, and by one car. The car shall follow at least 10 meters behind the Riders and shall never draw up level with him. (Art. 2.4.023/024/025)

The Riders will start in reverse order of the general individual classification by time of the previous stage, the Race Director, by common consent with the Chief Commissaire, is empowered to adopt changes on the start list.

Riders shall set off at identical intervals of 1’ to 3’, the Race Director, by common consent with the Chief Commissaire, is empowered to adopt different intervals as far as the last 15 Riders to set off are concerned.

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ART. 17 - FINISHING TIME LIMIT

In order to determine the finishing time limit, the stages have been divided into two categories depending on the different nature of their route:

- **A category:** stages presenting no particular difficulty (Stage 1, 4, 6 and 7)
- **B category:** stages presenting difficulty (Stage 3 and 5)
- **C category:** Time Trial (stage 2)

Consequently, the time limit has been set out as follows:

- for the A category the winner's time plus:
 - 8% if the average speed is less than or equal to 40 Km/h.
 - 9% if the average speed is between 40 and 45 Km/h
 - 11% if the average speed is over 45 Km/h
- for the B category the winner's time plus:
 - 15% if the average speed is less than or equal to 37 km/h
 - 16% if the average speed is between 37 and 41 km/h
 - 17% if the average speed is over 41 km/h
- for the C the winner's time plus 30%

According to Article 2.6.032 of the UCI regulations, in case of exceptional circumstances, confirmed accidents or incidents, the Commissaires Panel, after consultation with the Organization Manager, may readmit in the race any Rider finishing in a time exceeding the time limit, by increasing the latter by a maximum of 30% of the time set out in this article. The time limit, established on the basis of the winner's time expressed in minute seconds, shall be further rounded off to the successive superior minute.

In case, for those Riders readmitted, all points awarded in the general classification of the various secondary classifications shall be withdrawn.

ART. 18 - PENALTIES

Infringements will be sanctioned according to UCI Rules and to the "Table of race incidents" (2.12.007).

ART. 19 – PRIZE-GIVING PROTOCOL

After every stage finish, the stage winner, the leader of the General Classification who receives the red jersey, the leader of the General Classification by Points who receives the green jersey, the leader of the Best Young Rider Classification who receives the white jersey and the leader of the Intermediate Sprints Classification who receives the black jersey shall attend the prize-giving ceremony. Moreover, the stage winner and the leader of the General Classification shall participate in the press conference for the accredited journalists. (Articles 1.2.112/113 and 2.6.018 bis)

ART. 20 – ANTI-DOPING

Antidoping Control will be made on the dedicated premises by the finish area. The Doping Control Officer (DCO) charged by the ITA and acting on behalf of UCI will enforce the UCI Regulations, in compliance with the ITA's instructions and procedures, in accordance with Chapter 14 of the UCI ADR-TIR (Testing Investigation Rules) and with the relevant Law in force of the hosting country.

ART. 21 – GENERAL INDIVIDUAL CLASSIFICATION BY TIME

The Leader of the General Individual Classification will wear the Red jersey. In compliance with the provisions set out in Article 2.6.014 of the UCI regulations, the General Individual Classification is established by adding together the times achieved by each rider in each stage. Time bonuses and penalties are considered for this classification.

In the event of a tie in the General Individual Classification the first discriminating criteria is given by the hundreds recorded in the individual time trial stage, the second is given by the lower sum of the placing obtained in each stage, as a last resort, the place obtained in the final stage is counted (Article 2.6.015).

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ART. 22 - GENERAL INDIVIDUAL CLASSIFICATION BY POINTS

The sum of the points will determine an individual ranking and every day its Leader will wear the Green jersey. The individual points ranking is obtained by adding together the points recorded in each of the seven stages and the sum of the points assigned in all the Intermediate Sprints.

The Intermediate Sprints are as follows:

Stage 1	km 64.4 Habshan Camp
Stage 1	km 138.4 Al Mirfa
Stage 3	km 28.6 Al Qattara
Stage 3	km 152.5 Green Mubazzarah
Stage 4	km 51.3 Umm Al Quwain
Stage 4	km 171.7 Ras Al Khaimah
Stage 5	km 32.5 Sprint 1
Stage 5	km 127 Sprint 2
Stage 6	km 67.1 Spring Village
Stage 6	km 103.3 Al Qudra
Stage 7	km 42.6 Golf Garden
Stage 7	km 130.7 Louvre Abu Dhabi

At each Intermediate Sprint points are awarded as follows:

1st	8 points
2nd	5 points
3rd	3 points
4th	1 point

At each finish of the seven stages points are awarded as follows:

1st	20 points
2nd	16 points
3rd	12 points
4th	9 points
5th	7 points
6th	5 points
7th	4 points
8th	3 points
9th	2 points

10 th	1 point
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According to the provisions set out in Article 2.6.017 of the UCI regulations, in the event of a tie in the General Classification by Points the following criteria will be applied:

- 1.** Number of stage victories
- 2.** Number of Intermediate Sprint victories
- 3.** General Individual Classification

To receive the prizes of the final General Classification Riders will have to complete the Race.

ART. 23 - BEST YOUNG RIDER

The Best Young Classification is reserved to Riders born after 1st January 1996 and is determined by the General individual Classification. The Leader will wear the White jersey

ART. 24 - "INTERMEDIATE SPRINT JERSEY" CLASSIFICATION

A special Intermediate Sprint Classification has been set up, at each Intermediate Sprint points are awarded as follows:

1 st	8 points
2 nd	5 points
3 rd	3 points
4 th	1 point

The general ranking is established by the sum of the points obtained; the Leader of the Intermediate Sprint Classification shall wear the Black jersey.

In the event of a tie in the Intermediate Sprint general classification, the following discriminating criteria will be applied:

- number of Intermediate Sprint victories
- general individual classification

To receive the prizes of the final General Classification Riders will have to complete the Race.

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ART. 25 – TEAM CLASSIFICATION

According to the provisions set out in Article 2.06.016 of the UCI regulations, the team classification is established on the basis of the sum of the three best individual times from each team, including any time penalties. In the event of a tie the teams shall be separated by the sum of the places acquired by their three best times in the stage. If the teams are still tied, they shall be separated by the placing of their best rider on the stage classification. The team general classification shall be calculated on the basis of the three best individual times from each team in each stage ridden. In the event of a tie the following criteria shall be applied in order until the teams are separated:

- number of first places in the daily team classifications;
- number of second places in the daily team classifications;
- etc.

If there is still a draw, the teams shall be separated by the placing of their best rider in the general individual classification. Any team reduced to fewer than three riders shall be eliminated from the general team classification.

ART. 26 – RACE MANAGEMENT

The UAE Tour race will be managed in compliance with the UCI regulations through the UCI Commissaires appointed according to the art. 1.1.070 and in collaboration with the RCS Sports technical race management coordinated by the race director Mauro Vegni (tel. +390225848766).

ART. 26 – REGULAR AND SPECIAL PRIZES

The UAE Tour offers the following regular and special prizes:

A) REGULAR PRIZES

In each stage prizes (for an overall amount of € 70.000,00) for the stage classification will be awarded as follows:

1 st	4.000 €
2 nd	2.000 €
3 rd	1.000 €
4	500 €
5	400 €
6 to 7	300 €
8 to 9	200 €
10 to 20	100 €

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The regular prizes (€ 35.000,00) for the final general classification by time will be awarded as follows:

1 st	14.000 €
2 nd	7.000 €
3 rd	3.500 €
4	1.750 €
5	1.400 €
6 to 7	1.050 €
8 to 9	700 €
10 to 20	350 €

B) SPECIAL PRIZES

The Organizer offers some special prizes for the following rankings:

STAGE CLASSIFICATION

In each stage prizes (for an overall amount of € 2.6500) for the stage classification will be awarded as follows:

1 st	1.000 €
2 nd	700 €
3 rd	400 €
4	200 €
5	100 €
6 to 10	50 €

GENERAL CLASSIFICATION BY TIME

The leader of the general classification by time will receive on a daily basis an amount of 1.200 €.

The first 5 best-placed riders of the final general classification by time will be also awarded as follows:

1 st	8.000 €
2 nd	4.000 €
3 rd	2.000 €
4	1.500 €
5	1.000 €
6 to 9	500 €
10	350 €

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GENERAL CLASSIFICATION BY POINTS

The leader of the general classification by points will receive on a daily basis an amount of 800 €.

The first 5 best-placed riders of the final general classification by points will be also awarded as follows:

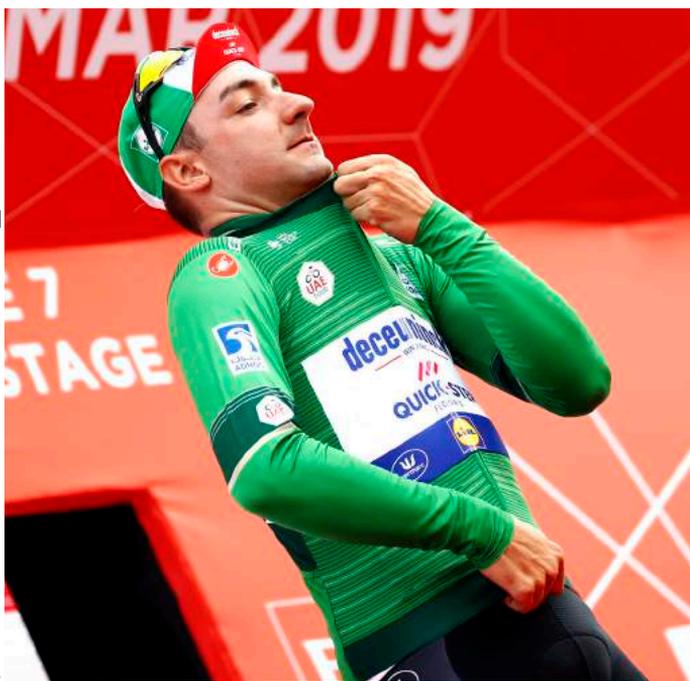
1 st	2.000 €
2 nd	800 €
3 rd	500 €
4	200 €
5	100 €

BEST YOUNG RIDER CLASSIFICATION BY TIME

The leader of the best young rider classification by time will receive on a daily basis an amount of 500 €.

The first 3 best-placed riders of the best young rider classification by time will be also awarded as follows:

1 st	2.000 €
2 nd	800 €
3 rd	600 €



INTERMEDIATE SPRINTS GENERAL CLASSIFICATION

The leader of the Intermediate Sprints General Classification will receive on a daily basis an amount of 400 €.

The first 3 best-placed riders of the Intermediate Sprints General Classification will be also awarded as follows:

1 st	2.000 €
2 nd	800 €
3 rd	500 €
4 rd	200 €
5 rd	100 €



GENERAL TEAM CLASSIFICATION BY TIME

The team leader of the general classification by time will receive on a daily basis an amount of 500 €.

The first 5 best-placed teams of the final team general classification by time will be also awarded as follows:

1 st	2.000 €
2 nd	800 €
3 rd	500 €
4 rd	200 €
5 rd	100 €



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The sum of the regular and special prizes will be awarded for the daily stage finish and the final General Classification according to the general rankings of the Race as follows:

	per stage	GC final
1st	€ 5.000	€ 23.200
2nd	€ 2.700	€ 11.000
3rd	€ 1.400	€ 5.500
4	€ 700	€ 3.250
5	€ 500	€ 2.400
6	€ 350	€ 1.550
7	€ 350	€ 1.550
8	€ 250	€ 1.200
9	€ 250	€ 1.200
10	€ 150	€ 700
11 to 20	€ 100	€ 350

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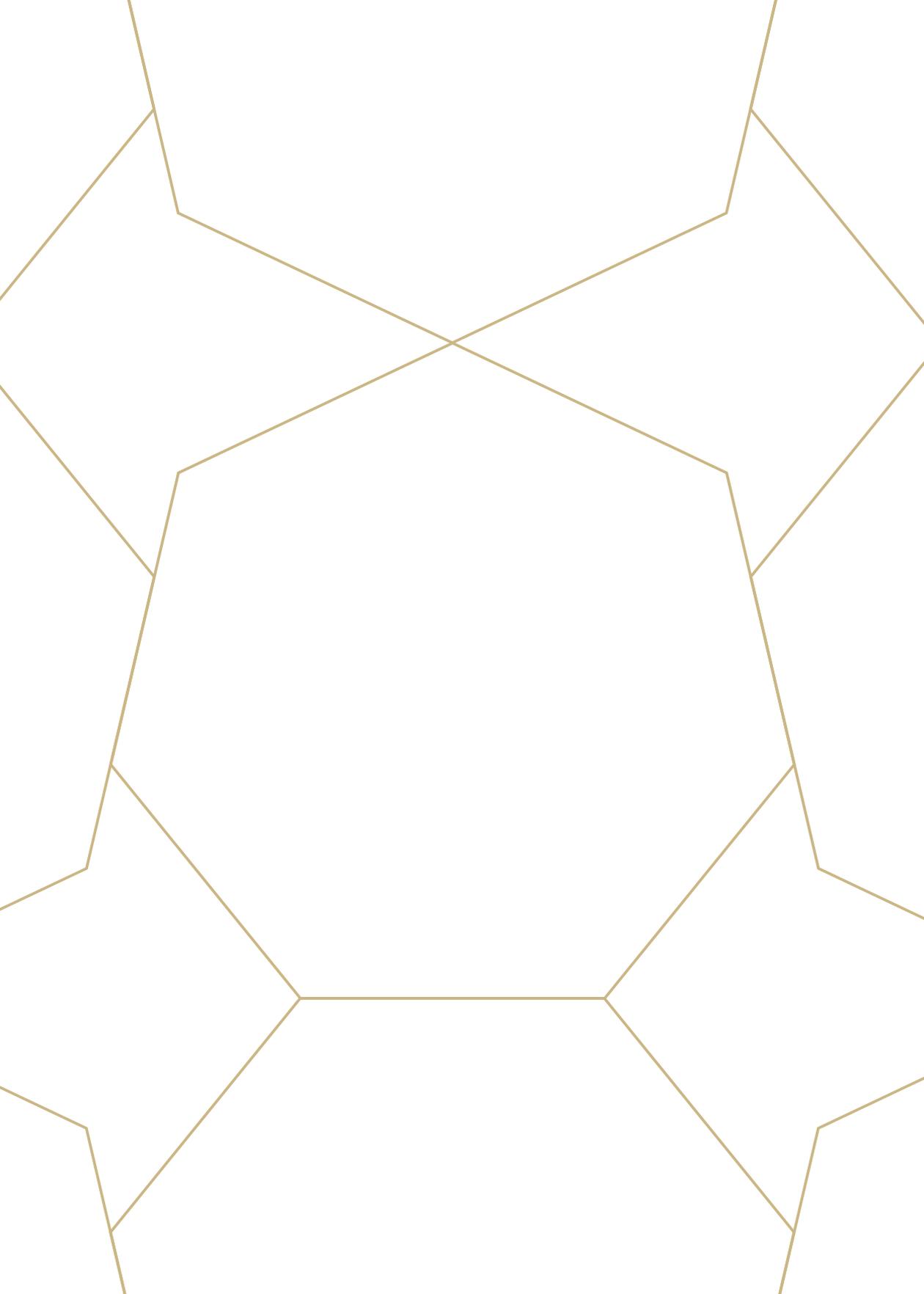
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