



Tim in KY Gdl Stage 19 is 157 kilometers in Friuli from Mortegliano north to Sappada in the Alps near the Austrian border. 05-23-2024 02:10:18 pm



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Tim in KY The start town is at 42 meters of elevation, the finish at 1240 meters so the route is pretty much tilted up the entire way. The first 100 kilometers are gradual, the last 30 km are a proper climb. There are three categorized climbs, a Cat 3 sandwiched by two Cat 2s. The final Cat 2 crests just 6km from the finish. The kilometer just before the red kite is uphill at 5.4%. 05-23-2024 02:11:18 pm



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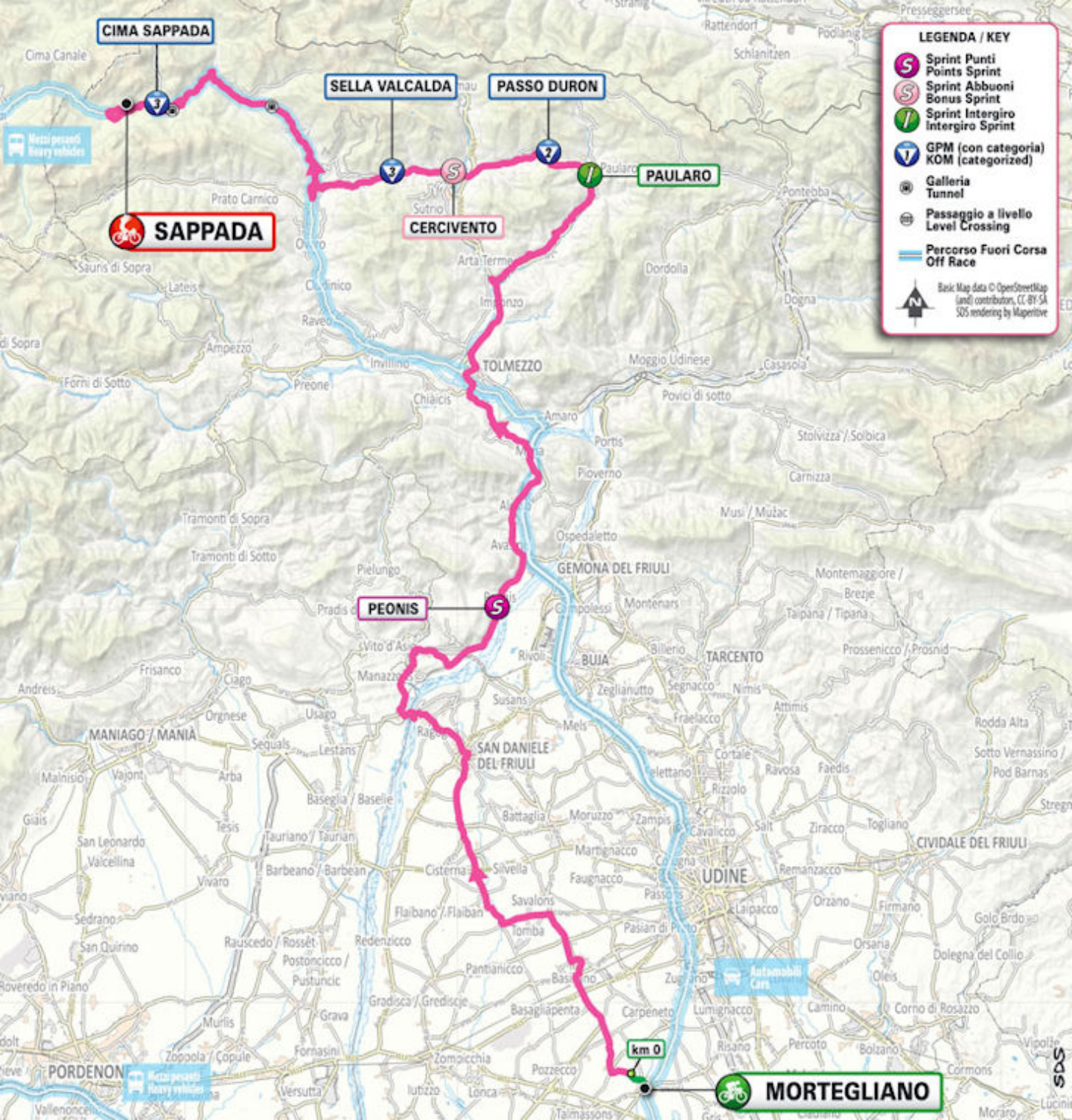
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Tim in KY Kilometer zero is scheduled for 13:10 CEST. Finish is imagined either side of 17:15. Forecast is for sunshine and upper-teens on the flats, cloudy and lower teens in the mountains. There is the possibility of rain in the mountains as well. 05-23-2024 02:14:02 pm



Tim in KY Nick Schultz (IPT) will not start today. 05-24-2024 06:40:17 am



LEGENDA / KEY

- Sprint Punti**
Points Sprint
 - Sprint Abbuoni**
Bonus Sprint
 - Sprint Intergiro**
Intergiro Sprint
 - GPM (con categoria)**
KOM (categorized)
 - Galleria**
Tunnel
 - Passaggio a livello**
Level Crossing
 - Percorso Fuori Corsa**
Off Race
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CIMA SAPPADA

SELLA VALCALDA

PASSO DURON

PAULARO

SAPPADA

CERCIVENTO

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GEMONA DEL FRIULI

BUJA

TARCENTO

SAN DANIELE DEL FRIULI

UDINE

CIVIDALE DEL FRIULI

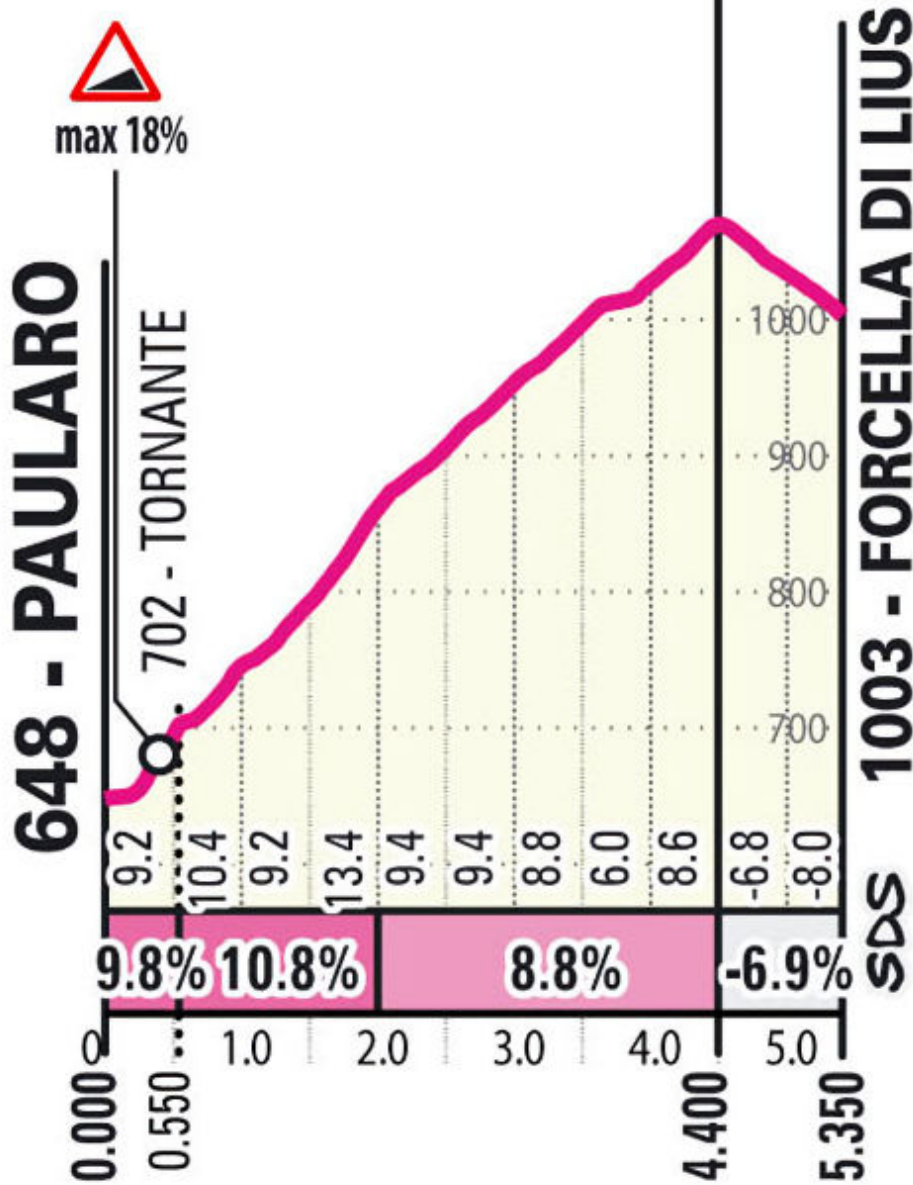
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MORTEGLIANO

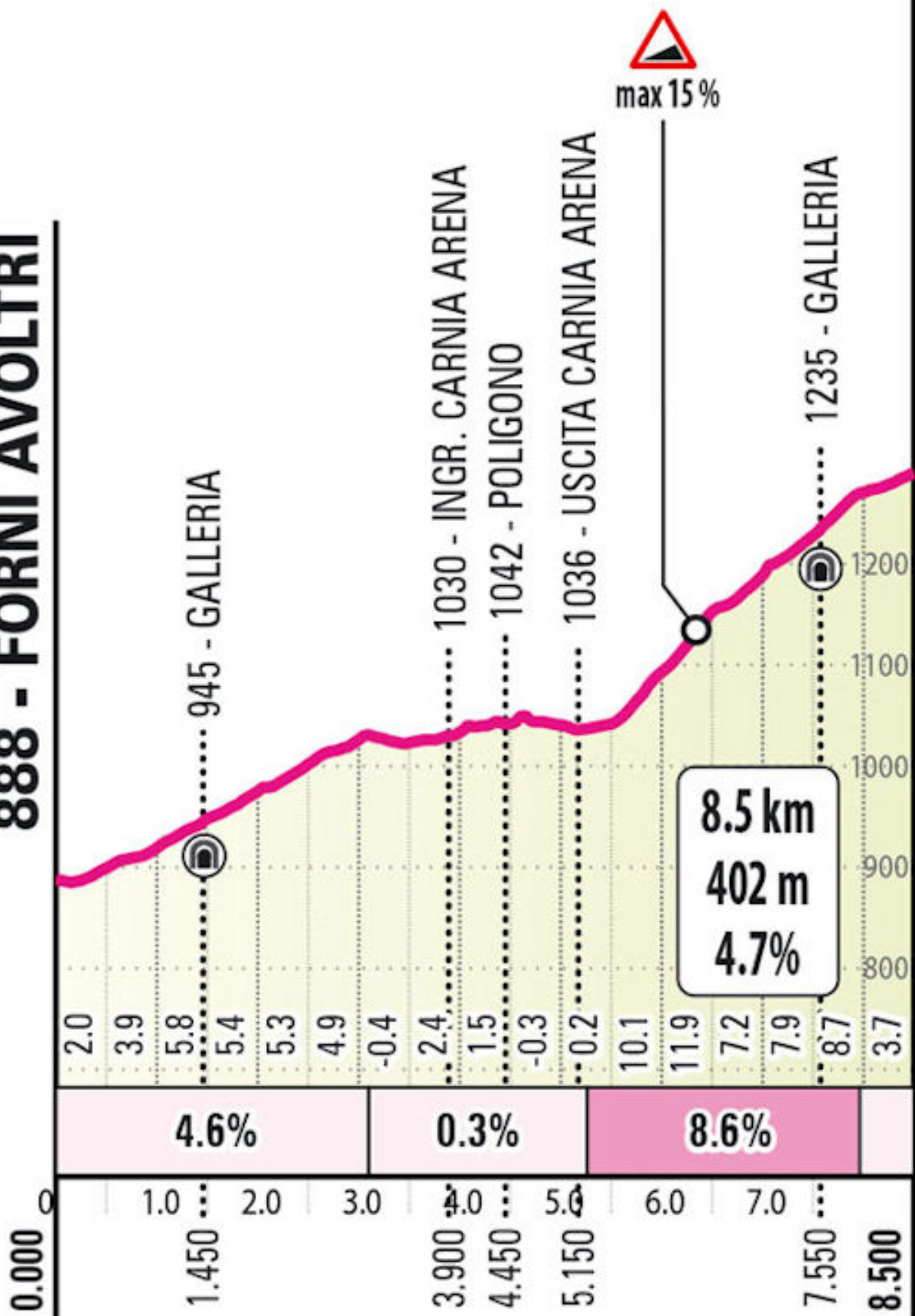
42 - MORTEGLIANO

1076 - PASSO DURON



888 - FORNI AVOLTRI

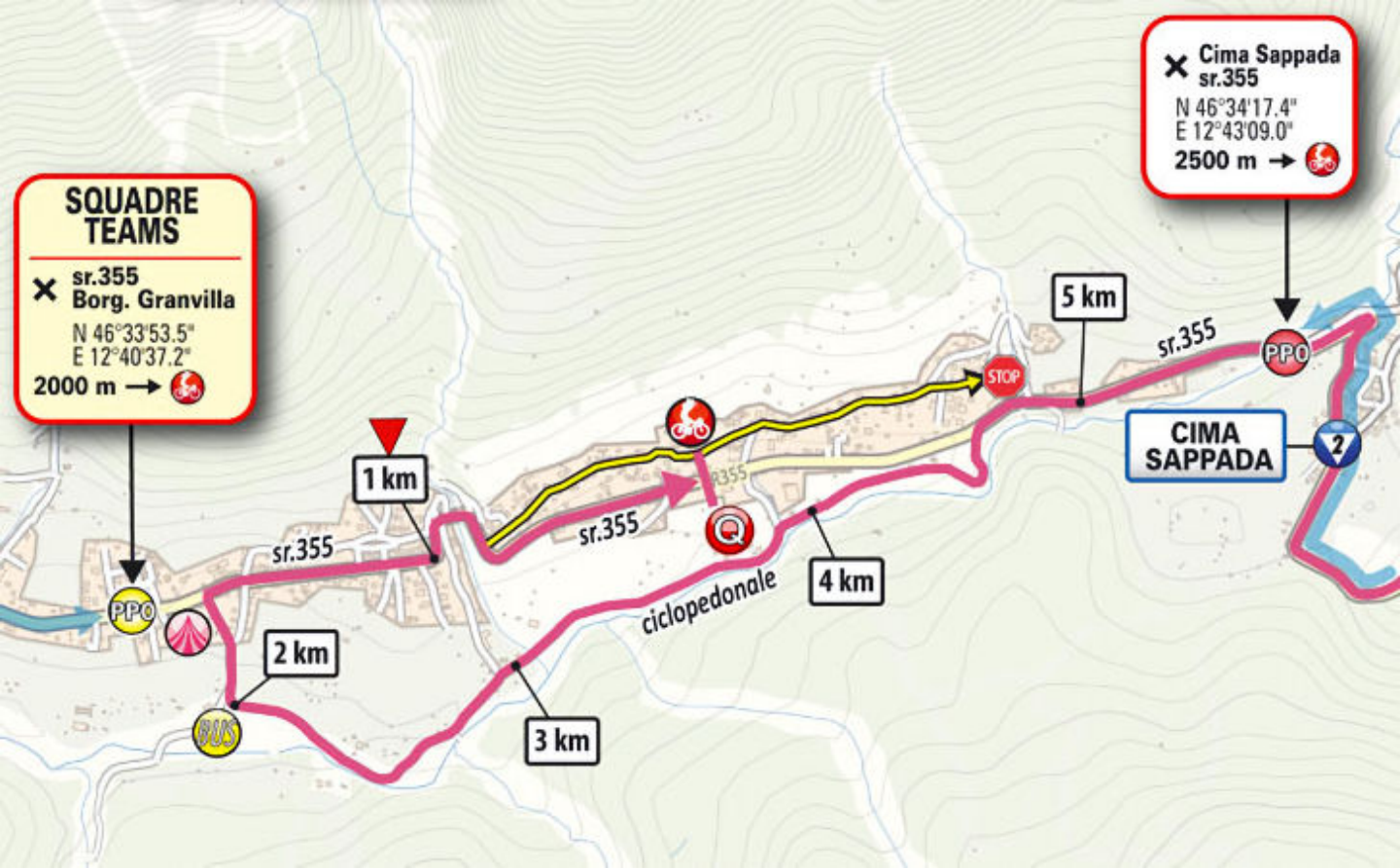
1290 - CIMA SAPPADA



SQUADRE TEAMS

✕ sr.355
Borg. Granvilla
N 46°33'53.5"
E 12°40'37.2"
2000 m → 

✕ Cima Sappada
sr.355
N 46°34'17.4"
E 12°43'09.0"
2500 m → 



1 km

2 km

3 km

4 km

5 km

CIMA
SAPPADA

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BUS

sr.355

sr.355

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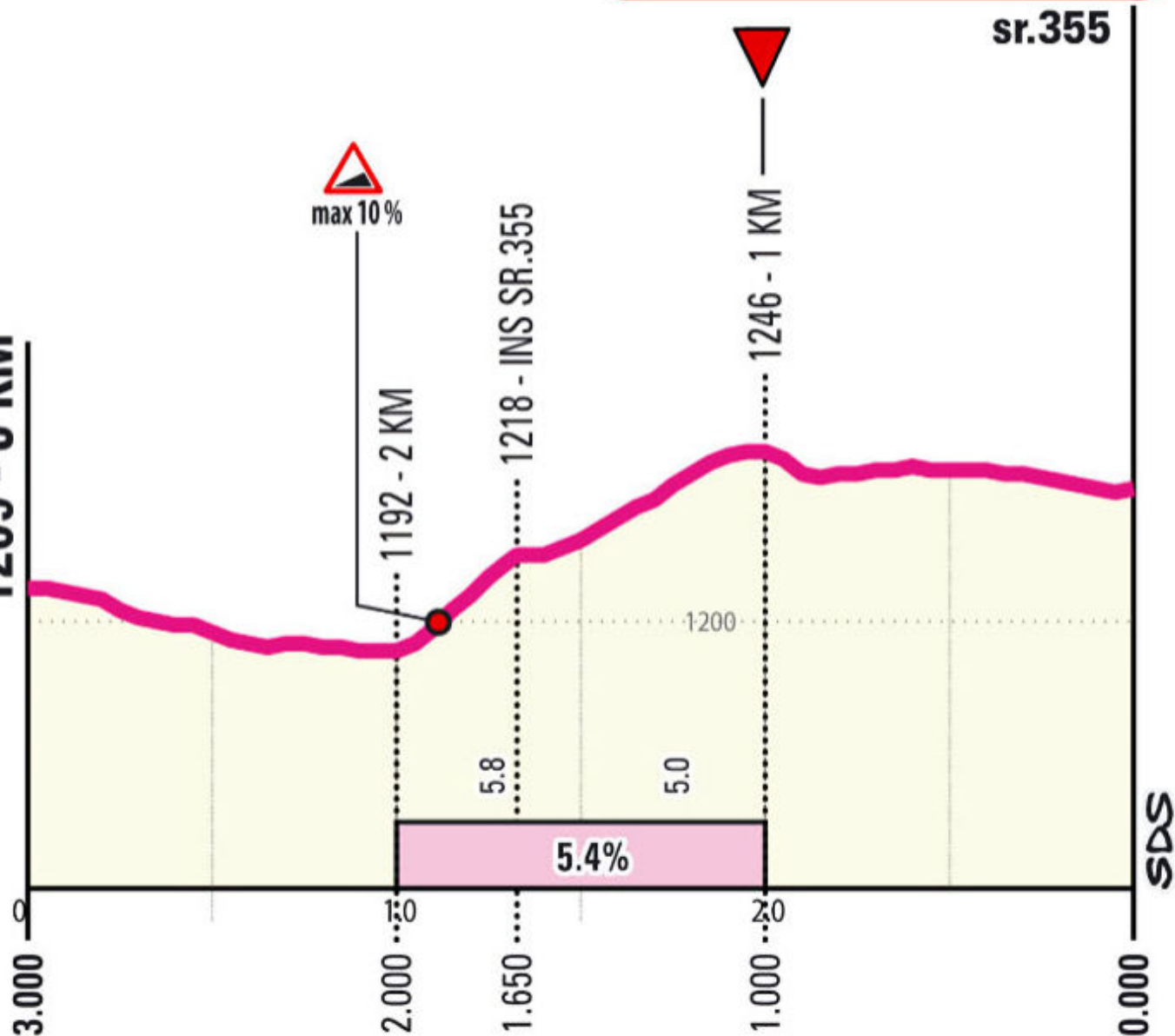
STOP

1236 - SAPPADA



sr.355

1209 - 3 KM



SDS



Tim in KY Still a possibility of rain at the finish.

05-24-2024
06:41:43 am



Tim in KY Supposed to be racing by now and still not in neutral.

05-24-2024
07:18:55 am



Tim in KY Finally.

05-24-2024
07:21:32 am



RCG I think that means IPT is down to 3 riders.

05-24-2024
07:26:56 am



Tim in KY Yes, three.

05-24-2024
07:27:54 am



Tim in KY Seven teams still have everyone.

05-24-2024
07:29:04 am



RCG Making biscuits today with keffir milk. Â I got the most wonderful keffir curds after I killed my first batch. Â They are vigorous, and produce a fizzy mildly sour keffir that I prefer to buttermilk.

05-24-2024
07:29:19 am



Charlie in Tenn Both today and tomorrow the start time was moved to 10 minutes later.

05-24-2024
07:29:21 am



Tim in KY Why?

05-24-2024
07:29:47 am



RCG Not bread loaves, but thatâ€™s my cooking contribution for todayâ€™s NRBBB.

05-24-2024
07:29:54 am



RCG As I understand it, keffir curds are aggregates of probiotic bacteria and yeast. The curds actually grow and multiply, so after awhile you have to figure out what to do with the extra ones. I have some frozen as a back-up in case I neglect and kill this batch. Itâ€™s like "sourdough" has to be periodically fed and certain conditions make it work better.

05-24-2024
07:32:21 am



Tim in KY Too complicated for me.

05-24-2024
07:35:22 am



Tim in KY I have lots of chores and errands today but I think I will be here for the climbs.

05-24-2024
07:38:52 am



RCG I sent some keffir curds to my parents with instructions. Dad read the instructions, Mom did not. It's easy" You put milk in with the

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07:39:38 am

curds, leave the mixture out overnight at room temperature, and the bacteria act on the milk to break down lactose and the result is somewhat thicker keffir milk with a mildly sour/tangy/fizzy flavor. Then you strain out the curds and repeat. You can put the curds in a little milk and hold them for a week or so until you make the next batch. My dad left a batch on the counter; Mom thought she knew what she was doing, came along, strained out and threw away the "yucky stuff" and threw it out. The "yummy stuff" was the keffir curds. They are not really yucky; swerve look like cottage cheese. But she didn't know what it was so she threw it away. And that was the end of their keffir experiment.



Charlie in Tenn Tim, The times were moved because the riders are riding so fast. I guess some of the towns were not ready for the safety or the mayor's wife missed the race. Just speculation.

05-24-2024
07:45:57 am



RCG As riders often ride "faster than the fastest imaginable time," it's a wonder they just don't move that time up 15- 20 minutes these days anyway.

05-24-2024
07:58:40 am



RCG The cicadas (three types are hatching out here now) are so loud that their buzzing was measured at 100-110 dB at our local botanical garden and hearing protection is recommended where. I can distinguish 2 types by the sound" one is a constant buzz or hum, and the others have a periodic buzz that's loin, soft, loud, soft etc at a different frequency. The ground is littered with dead cicadas and their shells are all over the place.

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08:03:40 am



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08:04:21 am



RCG (Autocorrect hates me today, BTW)

05-24-2024
08:05:20 am



RCG Looks like US coverage of the RideLondon women's race will be on Max. Today's coverage starts at 0730 central time.

05-24-2024
08:11:18 am



Charlie in Tenn i would not mind if Plapp had a good day.

05-24-2024
08:15:52 am



bikerabe Go Lucas !

05-24-2024
08:19:06 am



Charlie in Tenn Narvaez slid out. In the peloton Mauri crashed in the same spot.

05-24-2024
08:24:51 am

THE CICADAS

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SUMMER

2024





Mikey Good Morning! Looks like its our day for storms!

05-24-2024
08:26:57 am



Mikey Sirens going off.... time to go out and look at the black cloudds!

05-24-2024
08:36:17 am



Mikey Our local TV people in super dopler heaven

05-24-2024
08:38:31 am



Katie S Good morning - I love the cicada poster. Wondered if anyone here in the Pub would be in the mix.

05-24-2024
08:42:40 am



Katie S At this stage in the race, my Firefox browser recognizes the frequency of my usage of this particular website and puts it in the mix of sites on the new page tab. Old home week.

05-24-2024
08:44:06 am



Mikey <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1716555010-1716554710696.jpeg>

05-24-2024
08:45:11 am



Mikey Art! Art! Art!

05-24-2024
08:45:29 am



Katie S It's Alberto Contador!

05-24-2024
08:53:51 am



Katie S (the bottom left, of course)

05-24-2024
08:55:29 am



Charlie in Tenn Some people have great vision when it comes to art.

05-24-2024
08:55:46 am



Katie S dang, i have just checked the makeup of the 19 out front, and I ain't got nobody in it.

05-24-2024
08:57:05 am



BusterSci <https://x.com/mrvrhgyib/status/1793742017505435744?s=46&t=K53zWtSXXW8YpaXpUN4Q5g>

05-24-2024
08:57:57 am



Katie Lane Good one, Buster!

05-24-2024
09:01:18 am

People building monsters out of discarded Cicada shells 🪲 has now become my new favourite thing! - HoIG





Katie S Fun!

05-24-2024
09:02:53 am



mmcally Good morning. I read that today is Sean Kelly's 68th Birthday.

05-24-2024
09:05:18 am



Katie Lane Mikey -- we had our tornado May 8 -- an EF-2 that left a 10 mile path of destruction. It hit the "old town" area, where there are a lot of mature trees (some over a hundred years old), many of which came down on houses and cars. A friend said 4 people in her neighborhood have had to relocate to rentals -- the houses they've lived in for decades have had major weight-bearing beams damaged and have been condemned.

05-24-2024
09:05:45 am



Katie Lane My friend would probably be in the same situation, except that a winter storm snapped off their old big tree and brought it down in the yard. So they didn't have anything big imperiling the house.

05-24-2024
09:08:15 am



Tim in KY We have no cicadas here. They are to the south and west of us. I'm back earlier than I expected because I combined my walk and going to the grocery. I have one man in the break.

05-24-2024
09:08:20 am



Mikey It's all around us now but the worst of it is north a bit. Just a tiny bit of hail. And its traveling 60 mph so it'll all be done in a few minutes

05-24-2024
09:08:23 am



Mikey Noman is at my feet hanging out

05-24-2024
09:09:20 am



Katie Lane Stay safe, Mike!

05-24-2024
09:09:58 am



Katie Lane I need to mow before the next 4 consecutive days of rain. The rain is making things grow like crazy, and it's making it hard to get in mowing because by the time things are dry enough it starts raining again.

05-24-2024
09:10:56 am



Mikey The wif says time for the basement

05-24-2024
09:11:12 am



Katie S One almost would they one has wandered into the Pentateuch with all these plagues and pestilences.

05-24-2024
09:11:47 am



Tim in KY The break is at the fastest imaginable time.

05-24-2024
09:11:47 am



Katie S Milan smiling at the camera, no need to feel pressed today.

05-24-2024
09:12:48 am



Katie S Tim, how was the cauliflower last night? I plan to make it for tonight's supper.

05-24-2024
09:14:41 am



Tim in KY Very tasty, as always. I make it about twice a month.

05-24-2024
09:19:59 am



Mikey Well that's it... just rain now. TV says radar showed a tornado in Colona IL that's right by Mons stomping grounds

05-24-2024
09:21:52 am



Tim in KY Rain chance at the finish is down to 20%. It was 60% at finish time in yesterday's forecast.

05-24-2024
09:22:50 am



Tim in KY First Cat 2 starts with 57 km to go.

05-24-2024
09:24:51 am



Tim in KY I guess the break stay away today. I think 8:00 is the biggest gap of the whole Giro.

05-24-2024
09:26:31 am



Charlie in Tenn It is the biggest gap. The next closest was almost 6 min.

05-24-2024
09:27:36 am



Katie S Yeah, it's about the same gap Pogi has over the race.

05-24-2024
09:36:14 am



Tim in KY <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1716558155-stage-19-duron.jpg>

05-24-2024
09:37:36 am



Mikey Another day for Ju Ju?

05-24-2024
09:38:02 am



Tim in KY Steepest at the bottom.

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09:38:05 am



Tim in KY Pog wants a bike.

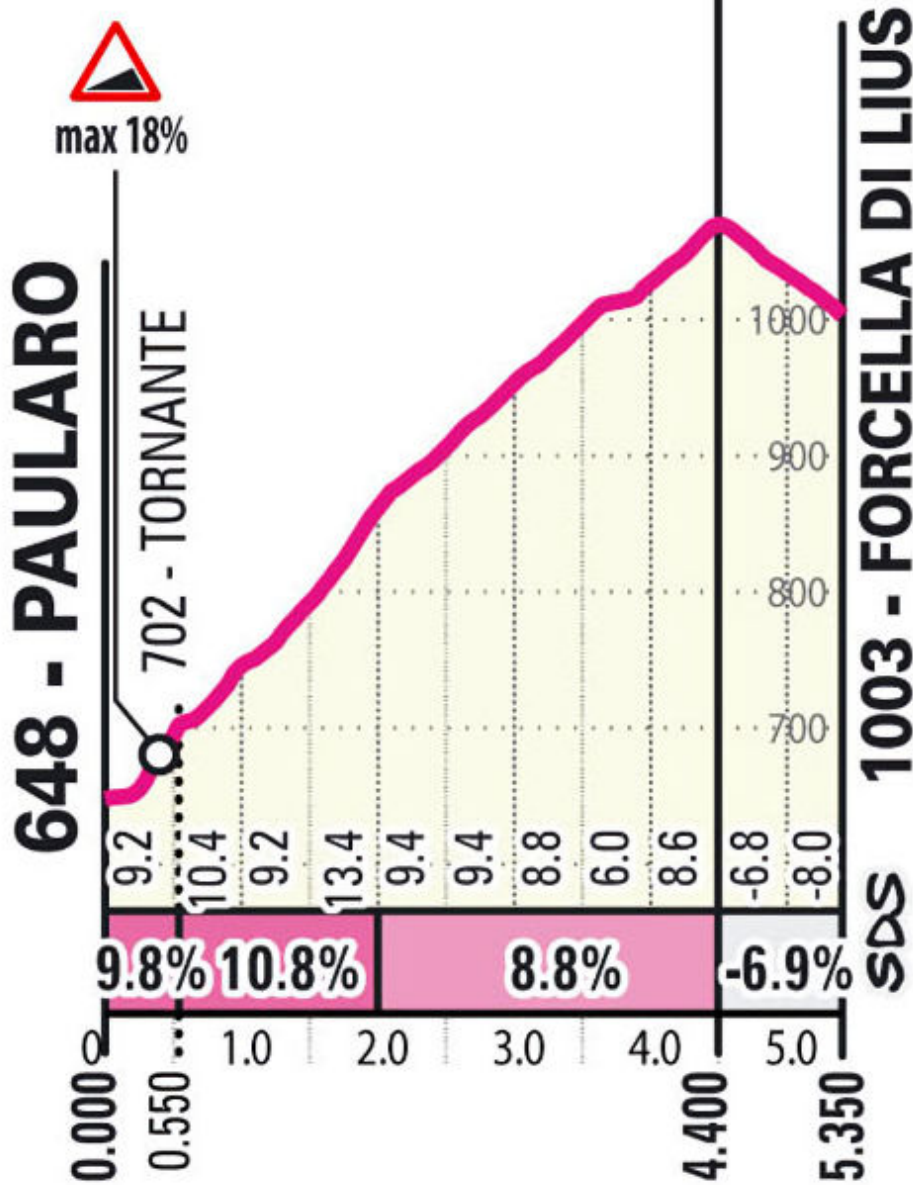
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09:38:42 am



Katie S I'd like one of his bikes, please

05-24-2024
09:42:01 am

1076 - PASSO DURON



4.4 km
428 m
9.7%



Katie S Fastest Giro ever, say our commentators

05-24-2024
09:57:17 am



Tim in KY Fastest by 3.2 kph.

05-24-2024
10:01:44 am



RCG Front yard mowed. Â Back for a cool-down and water before starting the back.

05-24-2024
10:01:55 am



RCG Calla lilies in the flowerbeds are looking quite nice.

05-24-2024
10:02:58 am



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05-24-2024
10:03:11 am



RCG The lilies are going big guns too

05-24-2024
10:03:29 am



Tim in KY Very pretty.

05-24-2024
10:05:23 am



Tim in KY Cat 3 starts now.

05-24-2024
10:05:35 am



PasadenaK8 Wooo, pretty (mornin')

05-24-2024
10:05:44 am



PasadenaK8 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p0M6qoxaGm8>

05-24-2024
10:05:53 am



Katie S i KNEW that was going to be this clip!

05-24-2024
10:06:32 am



PasadenaK8 Couldn't resist.

05-24-2024
10:07:00 am



Tim in KY Is that Adolphe Menjou?

05-24-2024
10:07:41 am



Katie S Ugh, Plapp is having a Dumoulin day

05-24-2024
10:08:27 am





PasadenaK8 Okay, Adam Bythe, a little TMI...

05-24-2024
10:08:30 am



Tim in KY WHF having a go.

05-24-2024
10:09:57 am



Tim in KY The go didn't go.

05-24-2024
10:10:47 am



PasadenaK8 Not 100% sure if that's Menjou. Does look like him.

05-24-2024
10:12:08 am



Tim in KY Plapp looks none the worse.

05-24-2024
10:15:28 am



Tim in KY Looks like drizzle.

05-24-2024
10:16:05 am



Tim in KY So much for 20%.

05-24-2024
10:16:30 am



Katie S Wet

05-24-2024
10:17:26 am



Tim in KY On radar it's just random light stuff floating around.

05-24-2024
10:17:34 am



Katie S random and wet

05-24-2024
10:18:13 am



Charlie in Tenn 7 back at the front

05-24-2024
10:18:25 am



Tim in KY Not raining on the peloton.

05-24-2024
10:22:16 am



Tim in KY Poor Piccolo.

05-24-2024
10:24:16 am



RCG Only 2 stages to go after today, and after all heâ€™s done he doesnâ€™t get to finish.

05-24-2024
10:26:58 am



RCG I hope itâ€™s nothing too bad.

05-24-2024
10:27:22 am



Mikey Light stuff floating around

05-24-2024
10:29:48 am



Mikey Story of my life

05-24-2024
10:30:40 am



PasadenaK8 PCS sure knows how to pick their parking spotsâ€¦!

05-24-2024
10:36:10 am



PasadenaK8 <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1716561678-1716561378944.jpeg>

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10:36:20 am



Tim in KY Last Cat 2 starts at 14.5 to go.

05-24-2024
10:39:15 am



Tim in KY Dry road now.

05-24-2024
10:39:31 am



PasadenaK8 20K, 41sec gap...

05-24-2024
10:40:09 am



Tim in KY Now it's drizzling again.

05-24-2024
10:48:32 am



Katie S not particularly cold, though?

05-24-2024
10:48:57 am



RCG Back after doing another section of yardâ€” good timing to see the finish.

05-24-2024
10:49:35 am



Tim in KY High teens, Katie.

05-24-2024
10:50:07 am



RCG So much for 20% rain chance in Italy.

05-24-2024
10:50:07 am



Tim in KY Well, 20 ain't zero.

05-24-2024
10:50:35 am





RCG As pretty much everyone expectedâ€¦ Weibes won the first stage of the RideLondon Classique.

05-24-2024
10:52:56 am



Tim in KY Steinhauser attacks the chase.

05-24-2024
10:56:23 am



RCG Georg looking good (again)

05-24-2024
10:56:26 am



Tim in KY Drone shot.

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10:58:16 am



PasadenaK8 Kite

05-24-2024
11:14:20 am



Katie S Nice win

05-24-2024
11:15:20 am



RCG Vendrame!!!! Nice win.

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11:15:20 am



RCG Time for a brief nap before the GC guys are anywhere nearâ€¦

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11:16:48 am



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11:16:59 am



Katie S zzzzzzzz

05-24-2024
11:17:25 am



Tim in KY At least I got some points from Plapp.

05-24-2024
11:18:12 am



RCG More breakaway guys finishâ€¦

05-24-2024
11:18:14 am



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11:18:51 am



Katie S G hits the deck

05-24-2024
11:23:00 am



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Meme





Katie S aw crud

05-24-2024
11:23:08 am



Katie S new bike needed. he's OK

05-24-2024
11:23:19 am



Charlie in Tenn OK, just got off the phone with the hospital setting up my colonoscopy for Tuesday morning. Yeah me! Seems my Memorial day will be spent at home.

05-24-2024
11:23:25 am



Katie S Wheeeeeeeee.

05-24-2024
11:23:36 am



PasadenaK8 Ah geez, G.

05-24-2024
11:24:04 am



Katie S Slow crashes hurt more, they say. Ow.

05-24-2024
11:24:33 am



Katie S OK, ho hum. That's a wrap. hope to see you tomorrow for a bit before we head off on a short road trip.

05-24-2024
11:32:07 am



Charlie in Tenn No changes in the top of the GC.

05-24-2024
11:33:30 am



PasadenaK8 ðŸˆ Taâ€¦

05-24-2024
11:33:44 am