

## Pathway of the planets

What first strikes you when walking among the planets is the great disproportion between the small sizes of the various celestial bodies and the vast distances between them. You'll be amazed to find that the nearest star to Earth, in the scale of this trail, would be 4,000 km away! The trail starts from the eastern square of the "Fiore di pietra" facility and reproduces the planetary system in a scale of 1:10 billion, reduced into a 600-meter trail. Each planet is presented with an explanatory panels outlining all of its features. The first panel is a 3D model of the Sun (a metal ball with a diameter of around 14 cm), followed at a proportional distance by the planet panels from Mercury to Pluto. The trail is ideal for school trips and families.

Hiking map (XXL photo map from [www.gps-tracks.com/sentiero-dei-pianeti-escursione-a-piedi-B01038.html](http://www.gps-tracks.com/sentiero-dei-pianeti-escursione-a-piedi-B01038.html))

### Information

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Duration:	30 min.
Difficulty:	suitable for families with baby strollers

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