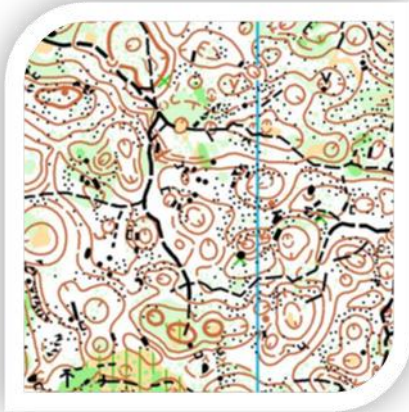


<b>Competition:</b>	<b>CROATIA OPEN 2010</b>			
<b>Date:</b>	13 <sup>th</sup> -19 <sup>th</sup> July 2010			
<b>Organizer:</b>	Orienteering club "Ris" Delnice, Croatia			
<b>Place:</b>	Crni lug, Opatija, Lividraga			
<b>Competition type:</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> day / 14<sup>th</sup> July 2009</b> : middle <b>2<sup>nd</sup> day / 15<sup>th</sup> July 2009</b> : sprint <b>3<sup>rd</sup> day / 17<sup>th</sup> July 2009</b> : middle <b>4<sup>th</sup> day / 18<sup>th</sup> July 2009</b> : long <b>5<sup>th</sup> day / 19<sup>th</sup> July 2009</b> : short-long			
<b>Map:</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> day</b> : Crni lug 2, 1:10 000, E=5 m, 2008; <b>2<sup>nd</sup> day</b> : Opatija, 1:3 000, E=2 m, 2009; <b>3<sup>rd</sup> day</b> : Krežulna, 1:10 000, E=5 m, 2006; <b>4<sup>th</sup> day</b> : Lividraga, 1:10 000, E=5 m, 2006; <b>5<sup>th</sup> day</b> : Lividraga, 1:10 000, E=5 m, 2006.			
<b>Terrain:</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> day</b> : typical karst, many relief details, path network; <b>2<sup>nd</sup> day</b> : mixed urban and park area near sea; <b>3<sup>rd</sup> day</b> : highland karst, plenty of rock details; <b>4<sup>th</sup> day</b> : mixed continentall and karst type of terrain; <b>5<sup>th</sup> day</b> : flat highland karst with very detailed relief.			
<b>Categories:</b>	M21e, W21E, M/W10, M/W12, M/W14, M/W16, M/W18, M/W20, M/W21A, M/W21B, M21C, M/W 35, M/W 45, M/W 50, M/W 55, M/W 60, M/W 65, M 70, OPEN 1, OPEN 2, OPEN 3			
<b>First start:</b>	-will be defined by the end of 2009			
<b>Start fee:</b>	<b>category</b>	<b>Untill 1<sup>st</sup> May</b>	<b>Untill 1<sup>st</sup> June</b>	<b>Untill 1<sup>st</sup> July</b>
	MW20 and younger (+OPEN)	35 €	45 €	55 €
	MW21 and old	40 €	50 €	60 €
<b>Prizes:</b>	Medals and awards for best competitors and clubs.			
<b>Time measuring:</b>	Eletronic system SPORTident; <i>renting SI-chip 2 € per race.</i>			
<b>Accommodation:</b>	Organizer will provide accommodation in sport hall in Delnice. Sleeping in sport hall cost 3 € per night – <i>payment with entry fee.</i>			
<b>Rules:</b>	Competition will be held no matter the weather conditions. Control point descriptions will be on maps. Every competitor start on his responsobility.			
<b>Entries:</b>	<u>Entries strictly by orienteeringonline.com:</u> Entries must be sent by e-mail untill 1 <sup>st</sup> July 2009;			
<b>Informations:</b>	<a href="http://www.inforis-delnice.com">www.inforis-delnice.com</a> <a href="mailto:risedelnice@gmail.com">risedelnice@gmail.com</a>			

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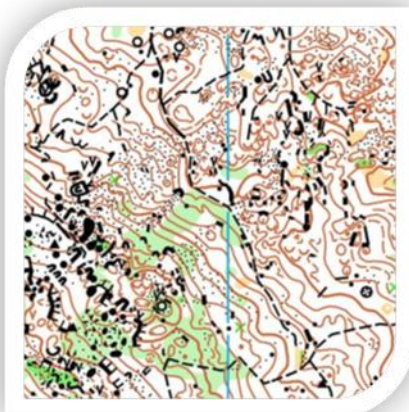
### **CRNI LUG 2 / 1:10 000 / E=5 m / May 2008**

Hard karst, many depressions, holes, hills, path network, open areas and rocks. Visibility varies from excellent to reduced. Intricate stone features which pose a real challenge to run at full speed. Part of the map is in the area of NP „Risnjak“ so please take care for the environment – throw garbage in cans provided for that. The map is drawn on an altitude from 700 – 750 m.



### **OPATIJA / 1:3 000 / E=2 m / January 2006**

One of the most attractive areas for a sprint event in Croatia is definitely Opatija with its Mediterranean environment. Although not so big a map - but on a relatively small area you will be in position to run on the Adriatic coast, urban parts and an amazing park area full of big boulders and cliffs. Visibility varies from excellent to poor. The map is drawn on an altitude from 0 – 30 m.



### **KREŽULNA / 1:10 000 / E=5 m / May 2006**

Extreme highland karst on an altitude from 935 – 1100 m above sea level. A real labyrinth of rock and relief features near the plateau of Lividraga. Part of the map is in the area of NP „Risnjak“ so please take care for the environment – throw garbage in cans provided for that. Visibility is relatively good but can be reduced in rocky areas. Courses for younger classes will avoid the extreme parts.



**LIVIDRAGA / 1:10 000 / E=5 m / May 2006**

Mixed terrain – karst and continental on 900 – 1150 m above sea level. Developed path network, many relief details and point features (rocks, knolls, pits etc.) combined with slopes full of depressions. Map is in heart of NP „Risnjak“. Visibility is ranging from good to excellent. Mainly beech forest.



**LIVIDRAGA / 1:10 000 / E=5 m / May 2006**

Highland karst. Lividraga plateau provides real pleasure of orienteering. Rare type of terrain in this part of Europe. Flat, relatively fast but technically quite demanding terrain on 1000 m above sea level. Visibility varies from reduced to good. Map is in heart of NP „Risnjak“ surrounded by massive mountain chain with peaks from 1300 – 1500 m above sea level.

## The orienteering adventures for you!!!

