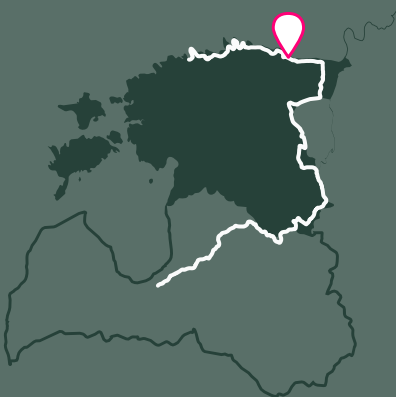


ESTONIA NORTH  
ESTONIAN COASTLINE



## ASERI - MAHU, 20 km

Towards Aseri, the capital of Estonia's brick production

Before you continue the hike, consider visiting the seaside to take a look at the giant quarries. These quarries have produced clay for brick production for a very long time and are still used today. Behind Aseri, the Forest Trail passes through a former Soviet military territory, moves along the top of the North-Estonian Klint for about a kilometre, offering beautiful views of the Gulf of Finland, passes the Kalvi manor and continues further along the road towards Mahu. It crosses a beautiful forested area behind the Pada River (nature reserve), then comes to the seashore and continues through coastal forests until Mahu.

### PRACTICAL INFORMATION

..... 20 km

🕒 7 - 9 h

🚩 Aseri municipality house

🚩 Mahu village by the Mahu beach

📍 Aseri - Kalvi - Kurna - Koila - Mahu



Paved roads, gravel and dirt roads



Easy



There are pastures between Aseri and Kalvi that may be enclosed by a regular or electric fence.



Watch out for barbed wire and sharp objects in the territory of the former military base. Be careful when walking on the side of the road!



Approaching the edge of the North-Estonian Klint is dangerous because it can collapse. There are no shops and places to eat near the Forest Trail between Mahu and Kunda (the destination of the next day). For more information regarding accommodations, take a look at the next section.

## FORESTS

The hiking trail runs along the beautiful coastal vegetation, protected by the Aseri landscape reserve. Cliff forests, swamp forests and dry pine forests alternate here according to the terrain. There are also species-rich meadows in the landscape where abundant orchids bloom in the middle of the summer. The most beautiful forests of the day are located in the Mahu-Rannametsa nature reserve, which combines wet floodplain and bog forests with drier old natural forests as well as broadleaf forests.

## WORTH SEENIG!

- 1 Old Aseri training site of Soviet border guards.**  
GPS: 59.470751, 26.839642
- 2 Kalvi manor.**  
GPS: 59.482686, 26.787949
- 3 Kalvi beach.**  
GPS: 59.495283, 26.784049
- 4 Mahu harbour.**  
GPS: 59.519321, 26.729699
- 5 Ruins of St. Mary's chapel.**  
GPS: 59.444563, 26.701752
- 6 Viru-Nigula St. Nicholas' church.**  
GPS: 59.445950, 26.689247
- 7 Vasta manor.**  
GPS: 59.459640, 26.690145

## SERVICES

- Accommodations**
- 1. Holiday Home "Kalvi tee",**  
Contact via [www.booking.com](http://www.booking.com);  
GPS: 59.44689, 26.69026
  - 2. Kuuseoksa Holiday House,**  
+372 5226947;  
GPS: 59.48252, 26.71852

- Catering**  
No places to eat.

- Shops**  
**Viru-Nigula "Meie toidukaubad",**  
GPS: 59.44493, 26.69120

- Public transport**  
Bus traffic a couple of times a day to Viru-Nigula. [www.peatus.ee](http://www.peatus.ee)

- Rest areas**  
**1. Unukse-Mahu campsite,**  
GPS: 59.50142, 26.72398

## TOURIST INFORMATION:

- Rakvere Tourist Information Centre,**  
Rakvere, Lai 20,  
+372 3242734;  
GPS: 59.34809, 26.36041

