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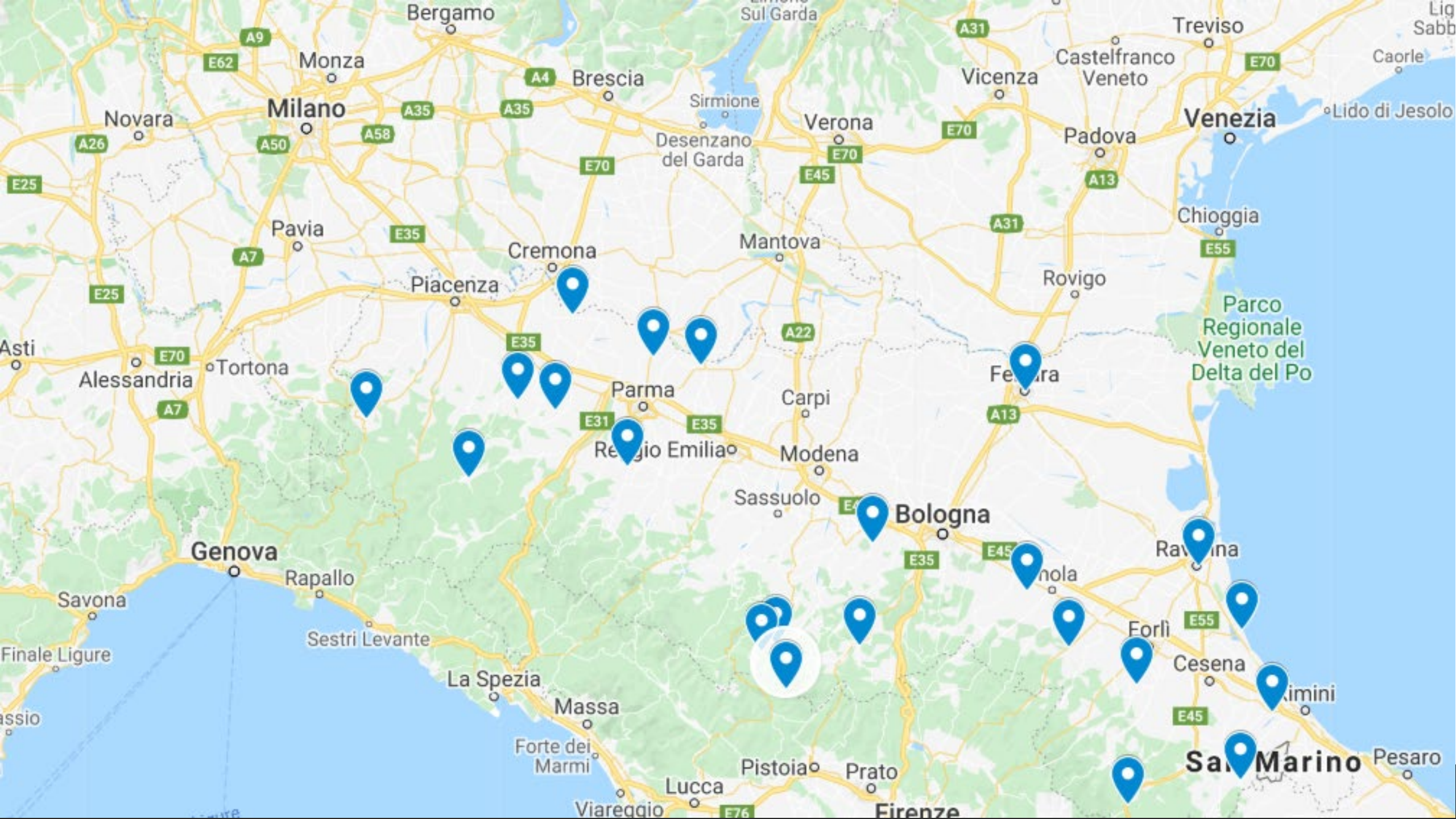
# The Via Emilia

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The construction of the road began in 189 B.C

The mind of all this was Consul Marcus Emilius Lepidus (from which stems the name of the road),

With a total length of about 230 kilometers, *Via Aemilia* connected from South-East to North-West the extremes of the region: firstly, connecting the preexisting centres, such as Piacenza, Rimini and Bologna and secondly, forecasting new cities, such as Modena and Parma (183 B.C.) and Reggio Emilia (175 B.C.).



Milano

Brescia

Verona

Venezia

Cremona

Mantova

Rovigo

Chioggia

Parco Regionale Veneto del Delta del Po

Piacenza

Parma

Carpi

Ferrara

Reggio Emilia

Modena

Sassuolo

Bologna

Ravenna

Genova

Rapallo

Savona

Sestri Levante

La Spezia

Massa

Forte dei Marmi

Lucca

Pistoia

Prato

Firenze

Forlì

Cesena

Imperia

San Marino

Pesaro

Finale Ligure

Assio

Asti

Alessandria

Tortona

Pavia

E35

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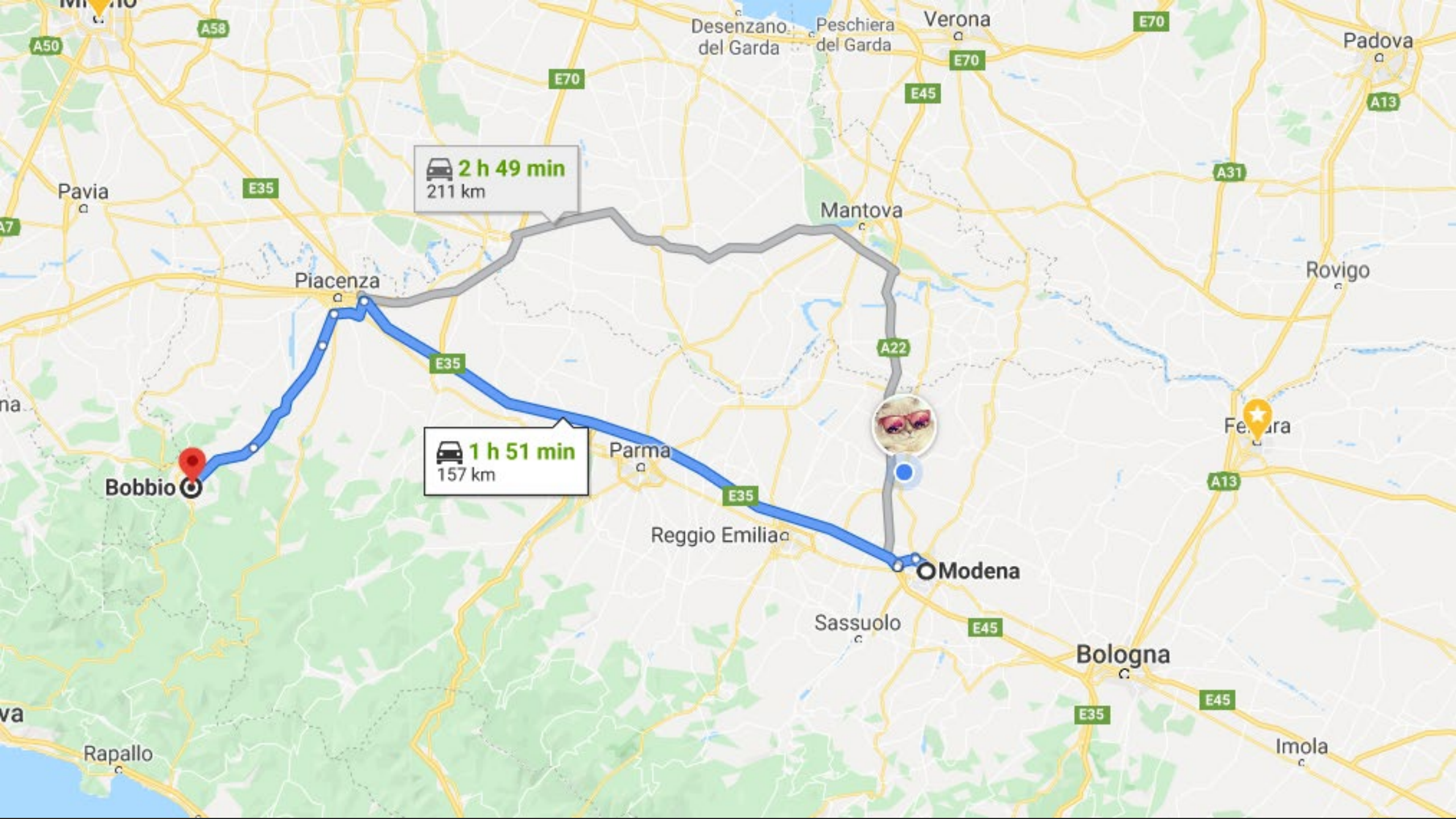
Monza

Novara

Lig Sabb

A wide-angle photograph of the Piazza del Duomo in Piacenza, Italy. The central focus is the Duomo di Piacenza, a large Gothic brick cathedral with a prominent rose window and a crenellated roofline. The lower part of the image shows the base of the cathedral, which is a two-story loggia with a series of pointed arches supported by stone columns. In the foreground, the equestrian statue of Francesco Sforza stands on a pedestal. To the right, other buildings of the square are visible, including a colorful multi-story building. The sky is blue with scattered white clouds.

# Piacenza and surroundings



 **2 h 49 min**  
211 km

 **1 h 51 min**  
157 km





# Bobbio

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This small medieval town is a travellers' delight, a feast of ancient legends and modern cinema in the heart of the High Val Trebbia, dubbed "the most beautiful valley in the world" by none other than Ernest Hemingway.

Bobbio's origins are something of a mystery. Its history is closely intertwined with the famous St Columban's Abbey and the legendary Devil's Bridge.



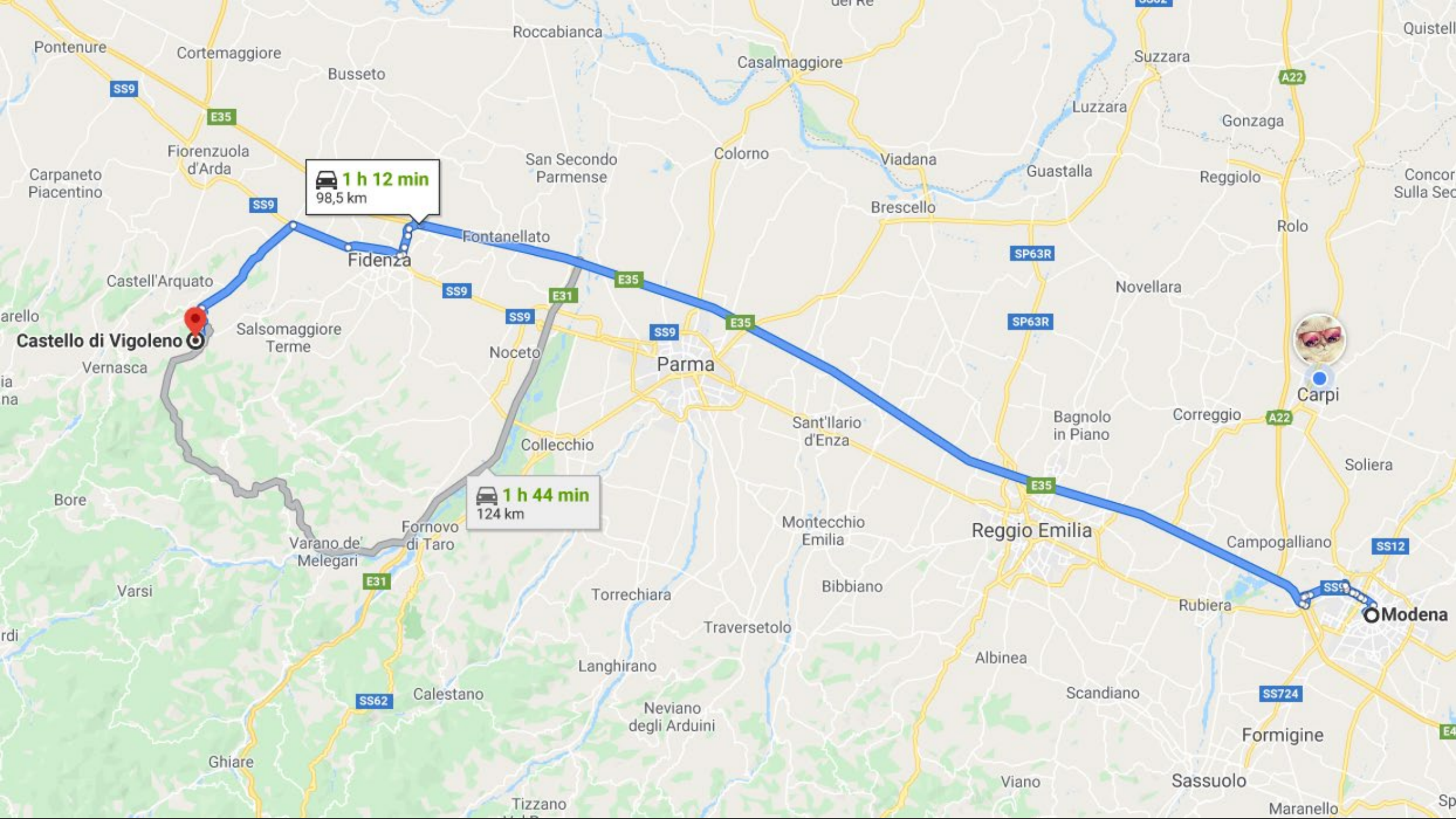
# Abbazia di San Colombano

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Visiting Bobbio is like stepping back into the Middle Ages. Through the faith and foresight of an Irish monk, St Columban, this remote corner of the Apennines became the pulsating heart of medieval religious culture in Europe. It was around the abbey, in fact, that the lop-sided town first grew. The abbey became a large monastic complex, it houses the ancient scriptorium and the library that inspired Umberto Eco's "The name of the rose".



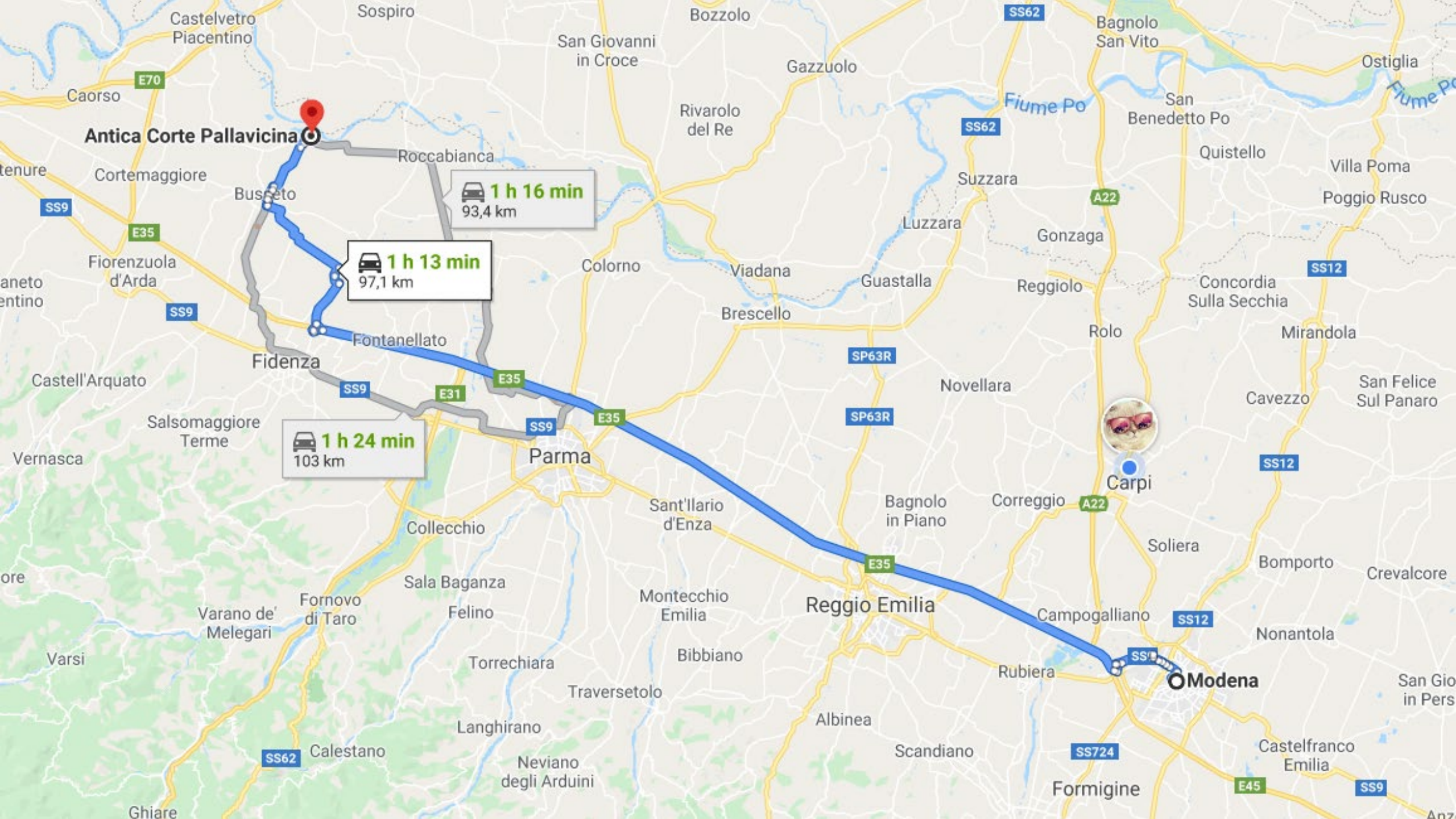




# Castello di Vigoleno







Antica Corte Pallavicina

1 h 16 min  
93,4 km

1 h 13 min  
97,1 km

1 h 24 min  
103 km



Carpi

Modena

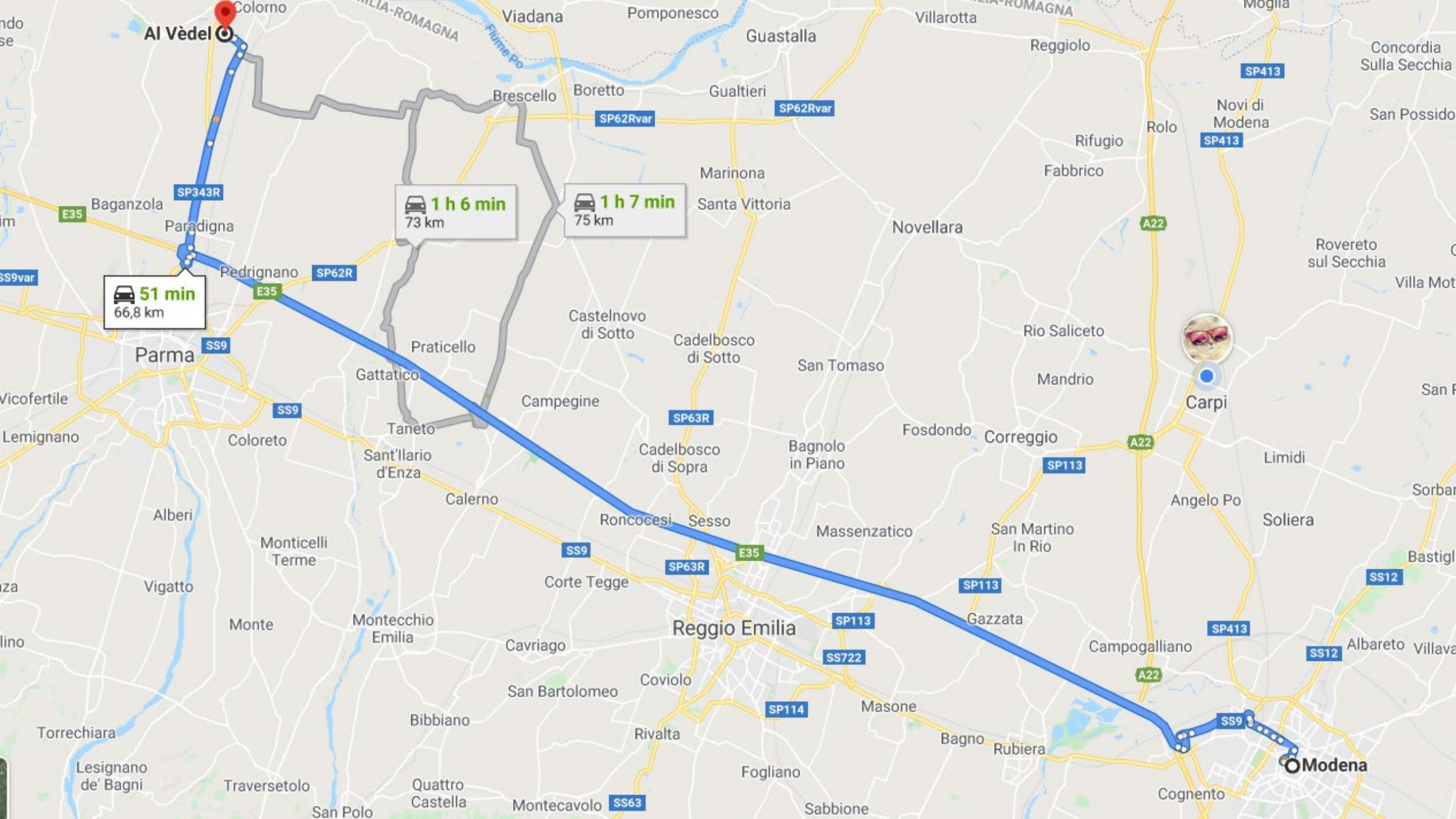


# Antica Corte Pallavicina

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A [fortified castle](#) (1320), between the water and the trees on the bank of the Po river, is something you don't see every day. This is why Polesine Parmense is worth while a stop, for a special view of the river countryside.










# Colorno – Al Vedel

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# Parma



 **1 h 13 min**  
88,9 km

# Antico Borgo di Tabiano Castello

 **1 h 8 min**  
92,2 km

 **1 h 20 min**  
93,6 km



# Tabiano Castello

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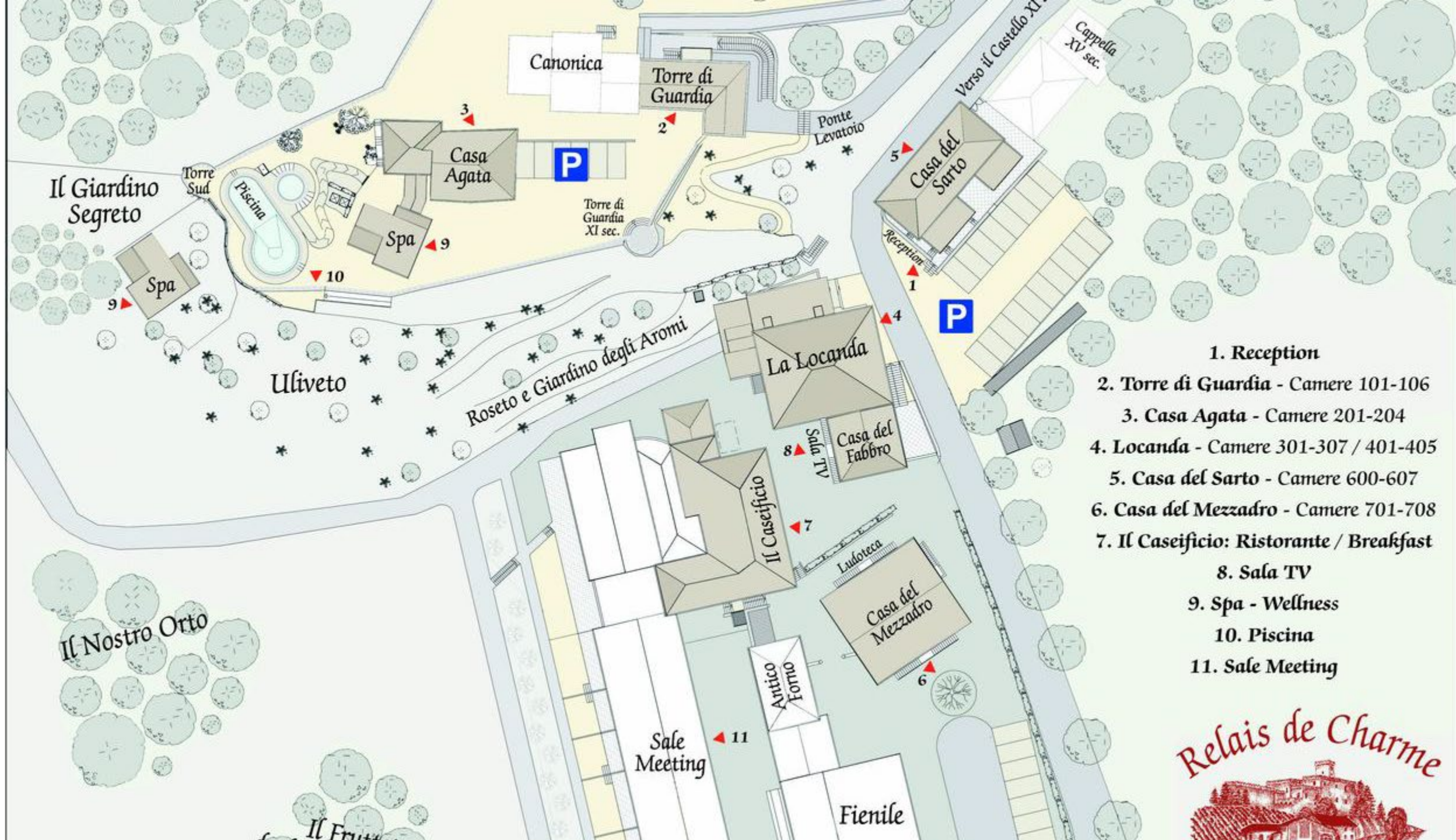
The Antico Borgo di Tabiano Castello is a Relais de Charme inside an ancient settlement with a castle nestled among the green hills of the province of Parma. The Tabiano Castle dates back from the XI century and was built on the ruins of an old Roman settlement.

<https://www.tabianocastello.com/>

<http://www.castelloditabiano.com/>

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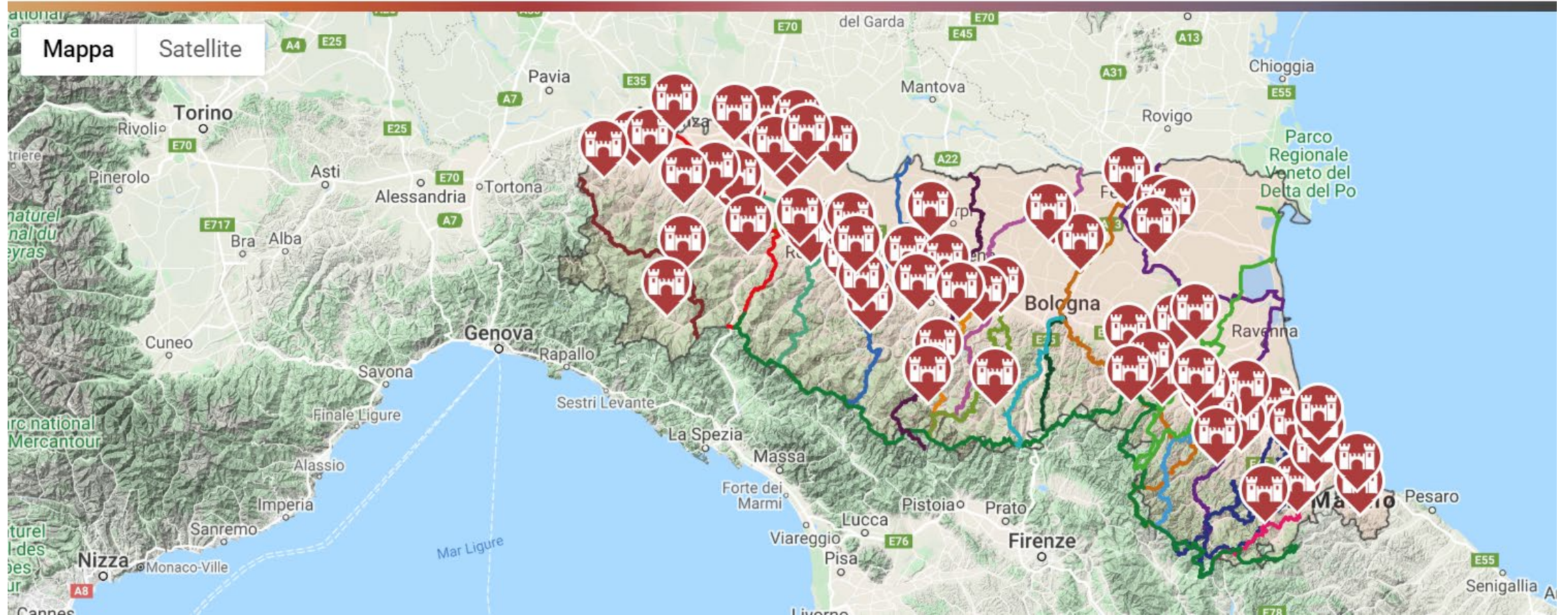
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# Useful links

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[Castelliemiliaromagna.it](http://Castelliemiliaromagna.it)

<https://www.castellidelducato.it/>



# My favorites castles

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Castello di Rivalta

Castello di Torrechiara

Rocca di Fontanellato

Fortezza di Bardi

Rocca di Vignola

Castello di Levizzano



# Reggio Emilia

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Terre di Canossa

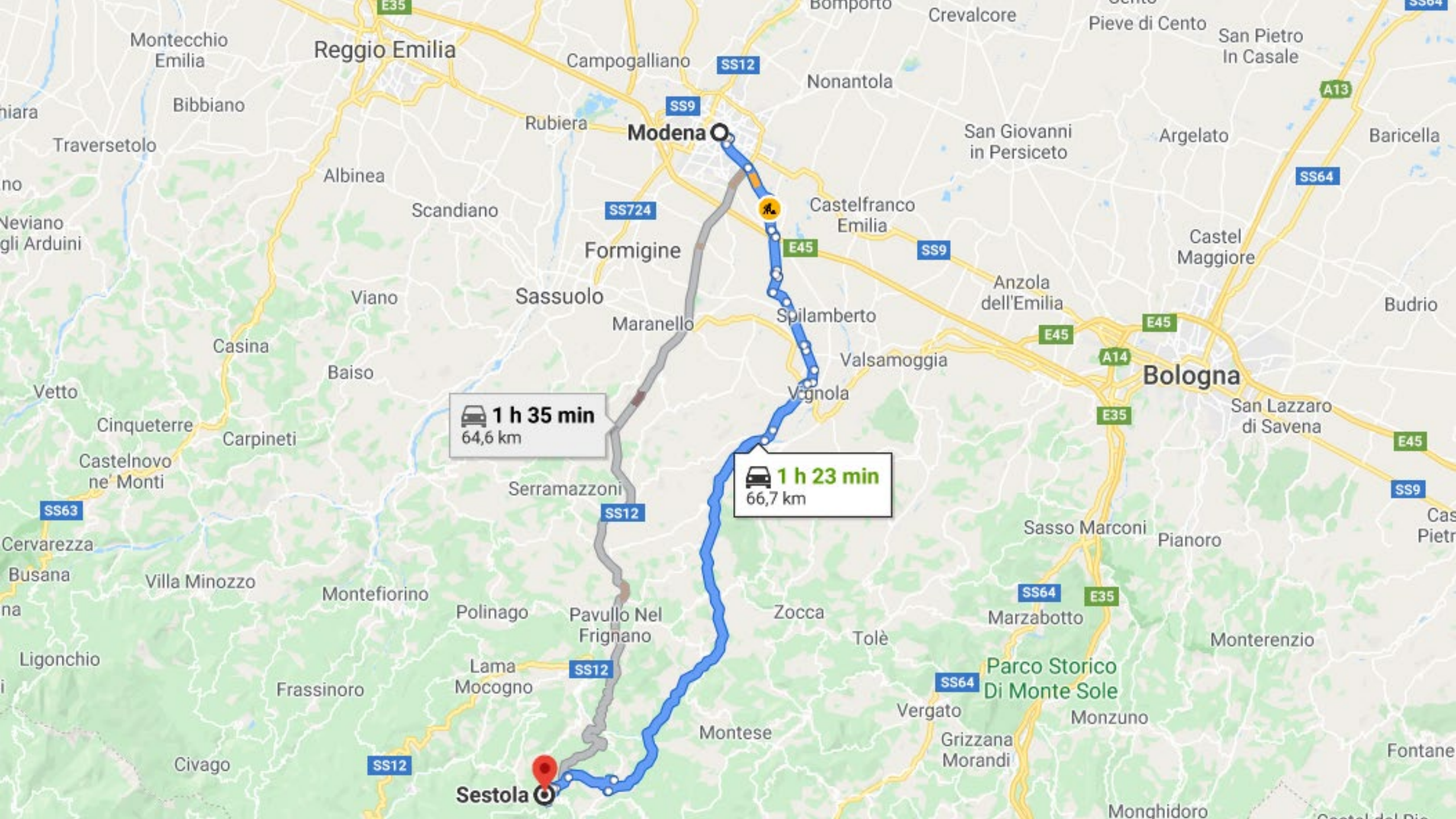
# Modena

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A photograph of a stone tower in Sestola, Italy. The tower is a multi-story structure made of rough-hewn stone, featuring a crenellated top with a wooden railing. It has several windows, some with shutters, and a small balcony. The tower is situated in a courtyard surrounded by other stone buildings with tiled roofs. The background shows a forested hillside under a cloudy sky. The word "Sestola" is overlaid in white text on the left side of the image.

# Sestola



 **1 h 35 min**  
64,6 km

 **1 h 23 min**  
66,7 km



# Adventure Park Cimone



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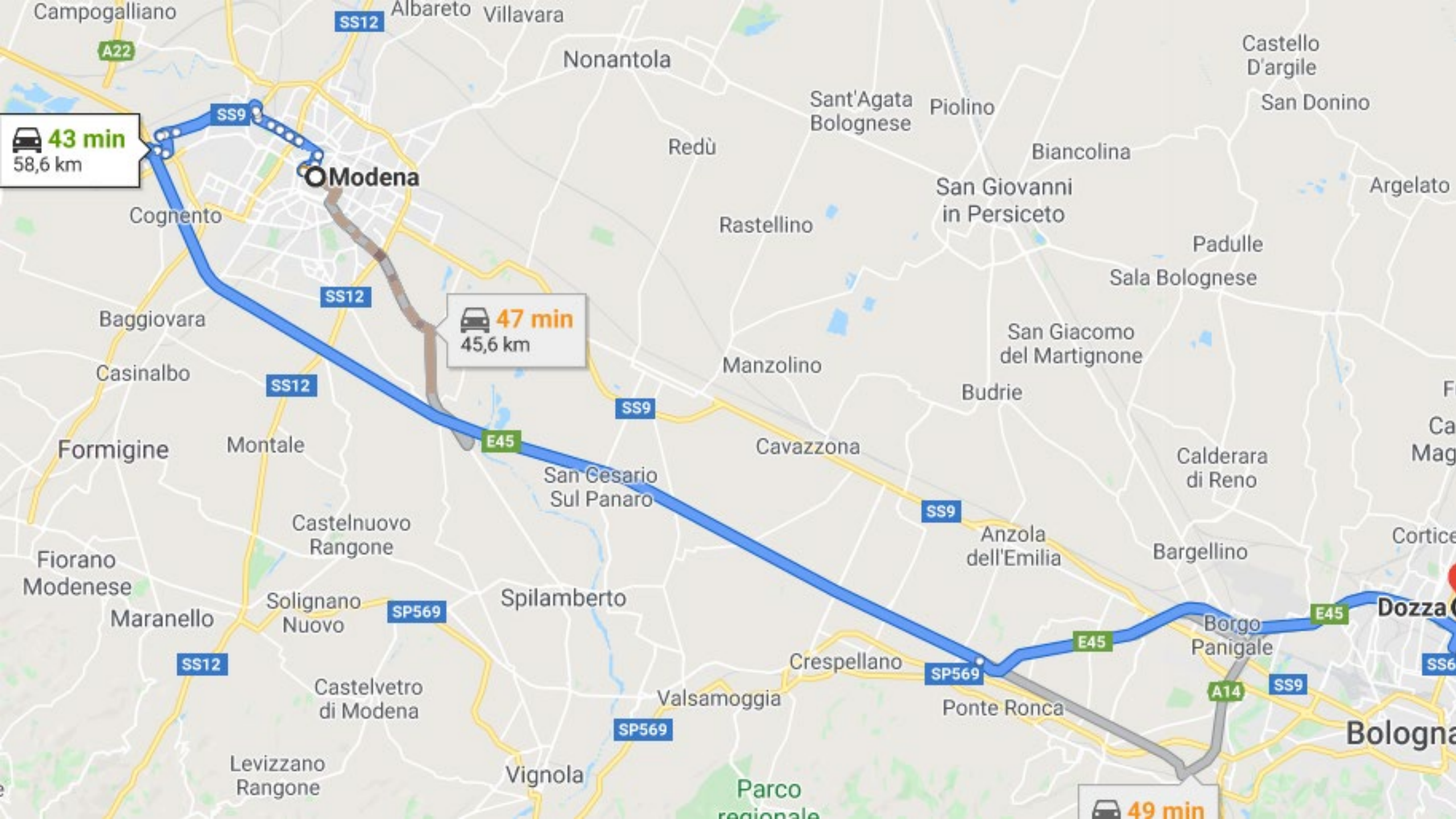
Lago della Ninfa

# Lago Scaffaiolo



A scenic view of the Cascata del Doccione waterfall cascading over mossy rocks in a lush forest. The water flows in multiple streams down a series of dark, moss-covered rock ledges. The surrounding forest is dense with green foliage, and the overall atmosphere is serene and natural.

# Cascata del Doccione



 **43 min**  
58,6 km

 **47 min**  
45,6 km

 **49 min**

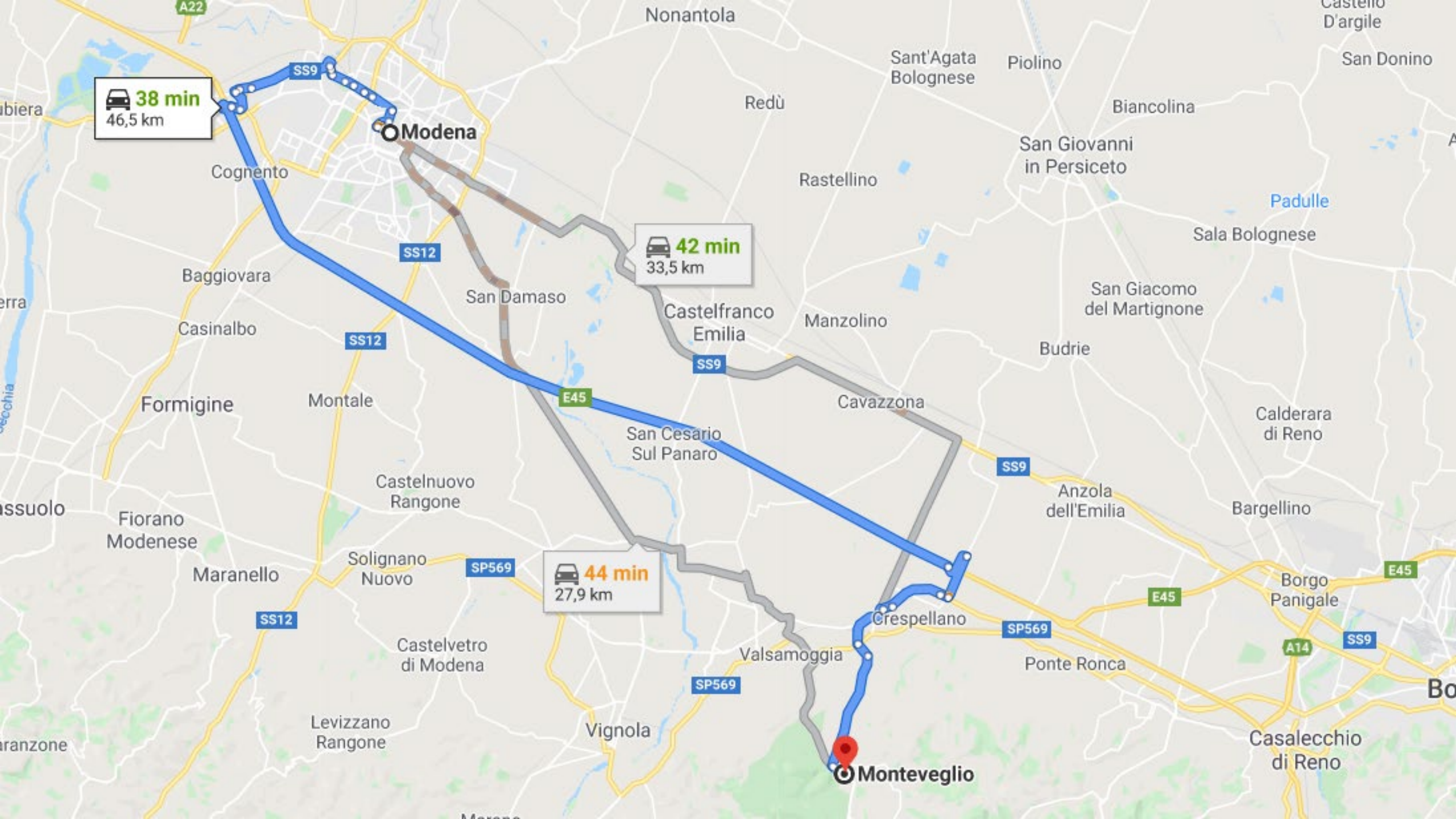


Dozza



VIA DELLA PACE









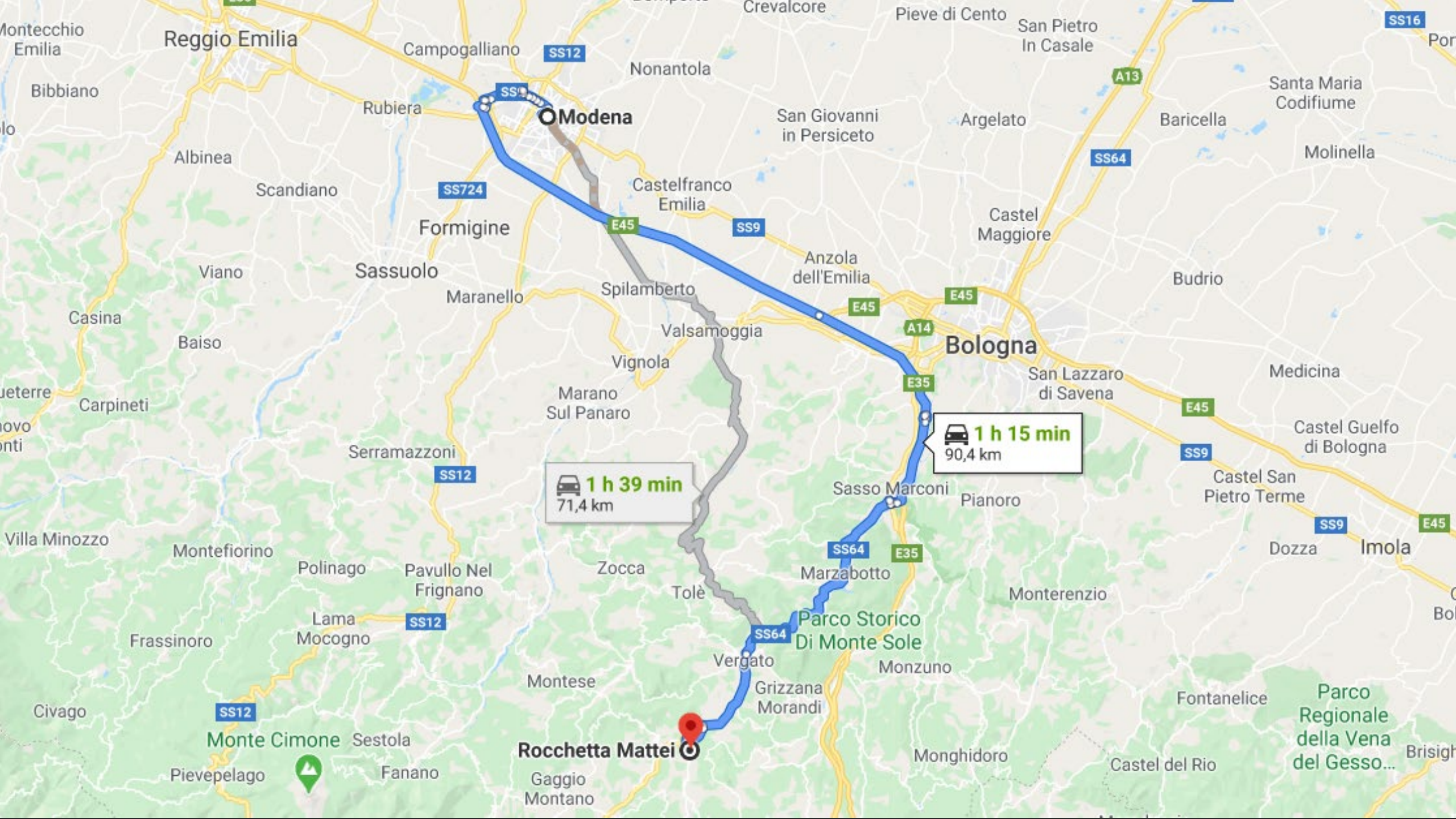
Montevoglio

An aerial photograph of the Cortes d'Aibo village in Italy. The village is situated on a hillside, featuring several buildings with terracotta roofs and walls in shades of red, orange, and white. The surrounding landscape is dominated by terraced vineyards, with rows of grapevines stretching across the slopes. The trees are in various stages of autumn, with some showing vibrant yellow and orange foliage. The overall scene is a picturesque representation of a traditional Italian hillside village.

# Cortes d'Aibo

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 **1 h 39 min**  
71,4 km

 **1 h 15 min**  
90,4 km

**Rocchetta Mattei**

**Parco Storico Di Monte Sole**

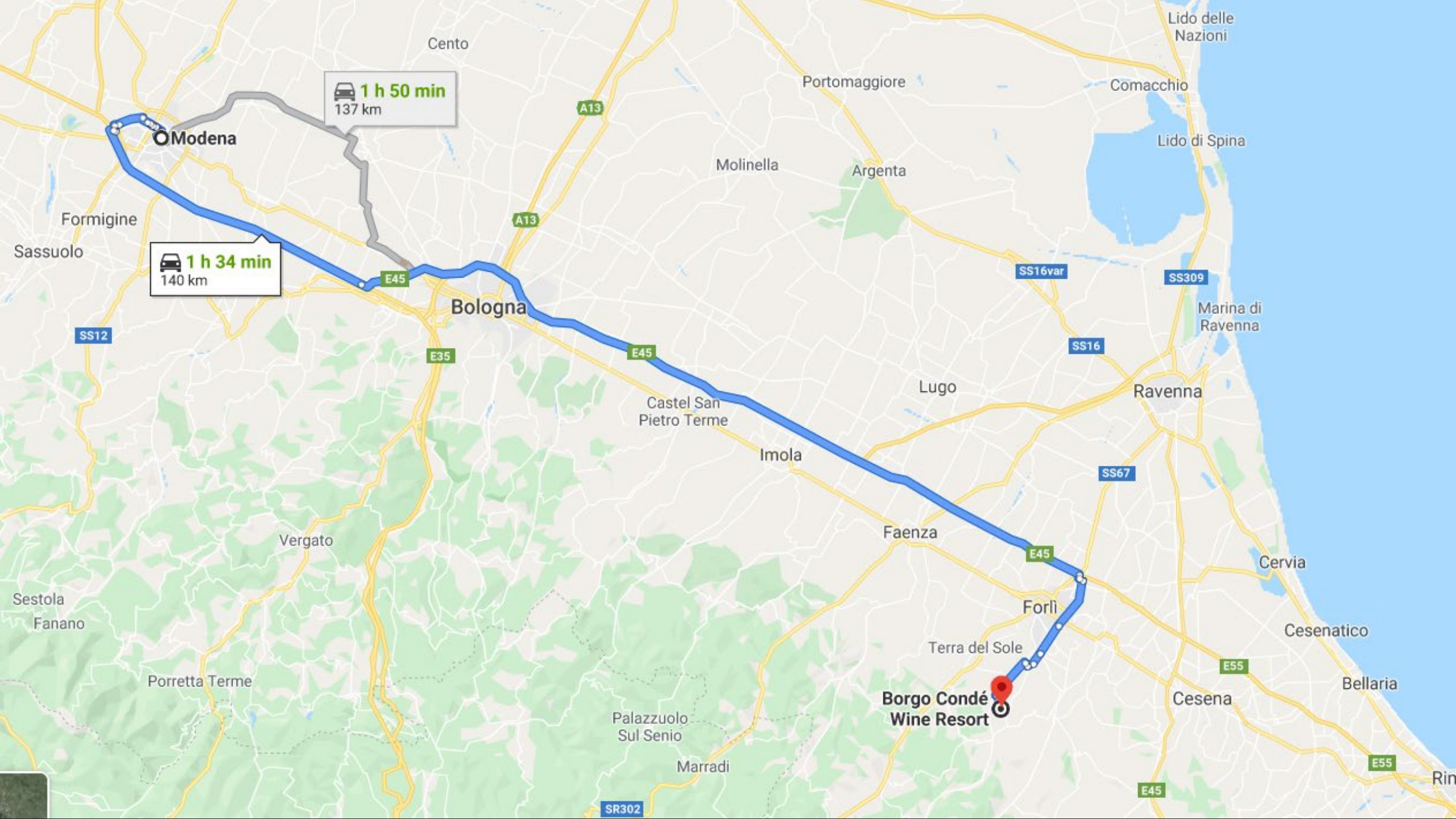
**Parco Regionale della Vena del Gesso...**



# Rocchetta Mattei

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The castle called "Rocchetta Mattei" owes its name to the count Cesare Mattei (1809-1896) who had it built on the ruins of an ancient building dating back to the thirteenth century, the Rocca di Savignano. The castle structure was developed several times by the count during his life and by his heirs, making it a labyrinth of towers, monumental stairways, private rooms that still recall different: from the neo-medieval to the neo-Renaissance, from the Moorish to the Liberty.



 **1 h 34 min**  
140 km

 **1 h 50 min**  
137 km

**Borgo Condé  
Wine Resort**

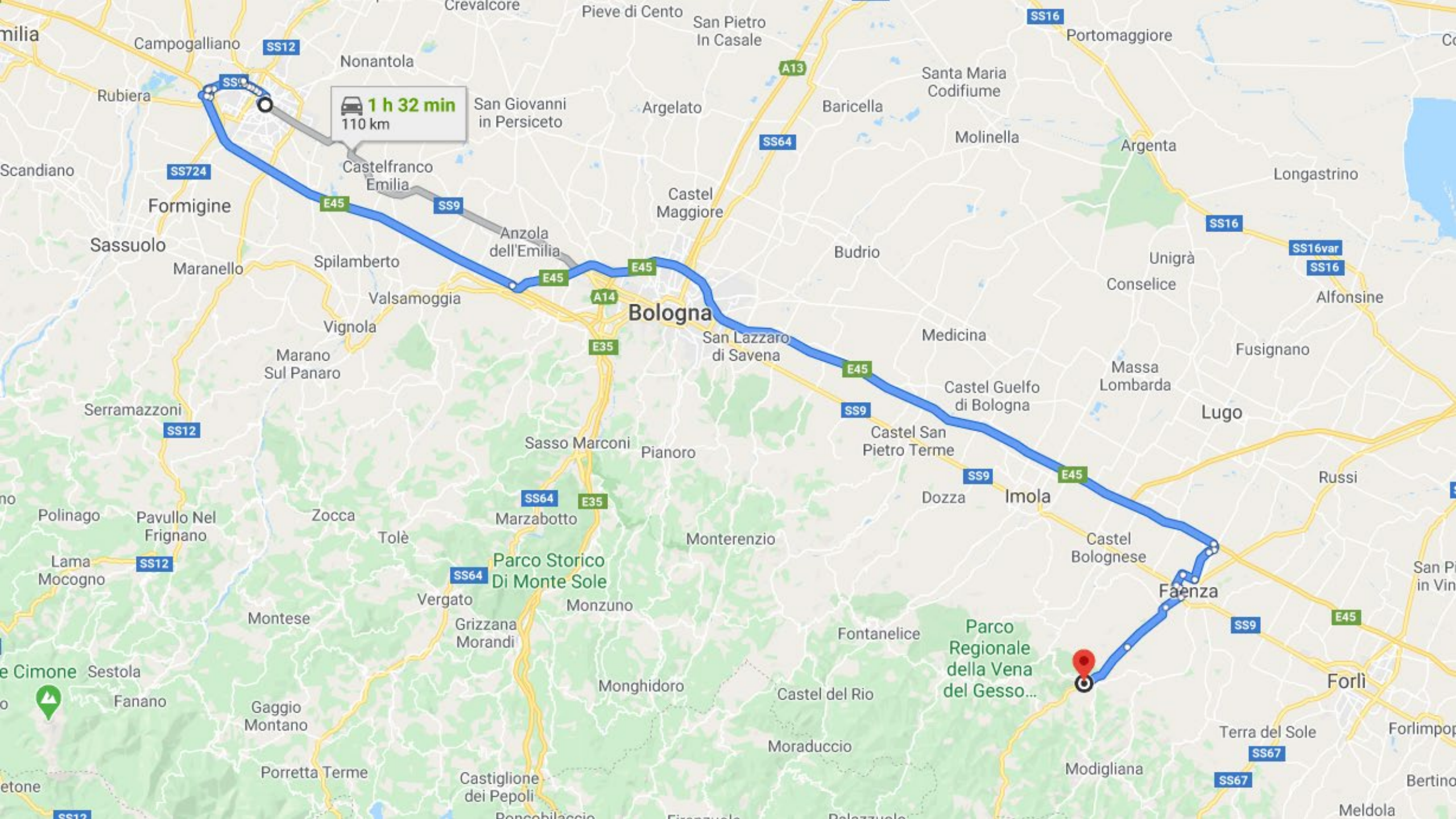


Borgo Conde' Wine resort









 **1 h 32 min**  
110 km

**Bologna**

**Faenza**

Parco Regionale della Vena del Gesso...

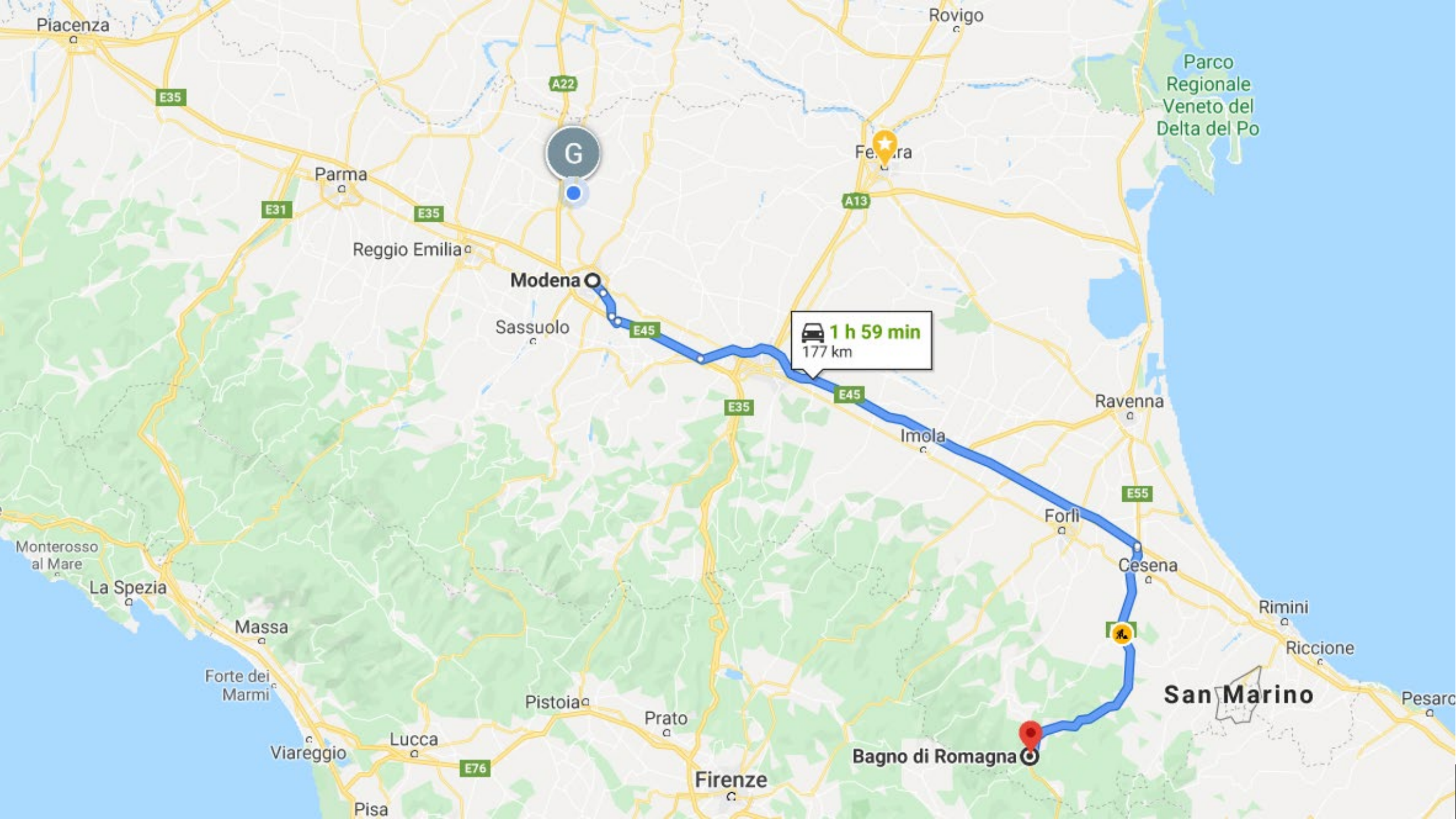
Parco Storico Di Monte Sole



# Brisighella







Piacenza

Rovigo

Parco Regionale Veneto del Delta del Po

E35

A22

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Ferrara

A13

Parma

E31

E35

Reggio Emilia

Modena

Sassuolo

E45

1 h 59 min  
177 km

E35

E45

Ravenna

Imola

E55

Forlì

Cesena

Rimini

Riccione

San Marino

Pesaro

Bagno di Romagna

Firenze

Pistoia

Prato

Lucca

E76

Viareggio

Pisa

Forte dei Marmi

Massa

La Spezia

Monterosso al Mare



# Bagno di Romagna

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Perfect for a short break. If you want to relax, out of the beaten path.

A renowned centre for thermal cares (due to various natural springs that supply water at 47 °C, rich in sodium-carbonate-sulphur micro-elements) and nature tourism (due to its proximity of a 368 square kilometres (142 sq mi) national park, namely the Foreste Casentinesi, Monte Falterona, Campigna National Park, with woodlands, kilometers of paths in the woods, mountains and a major artificial lake.







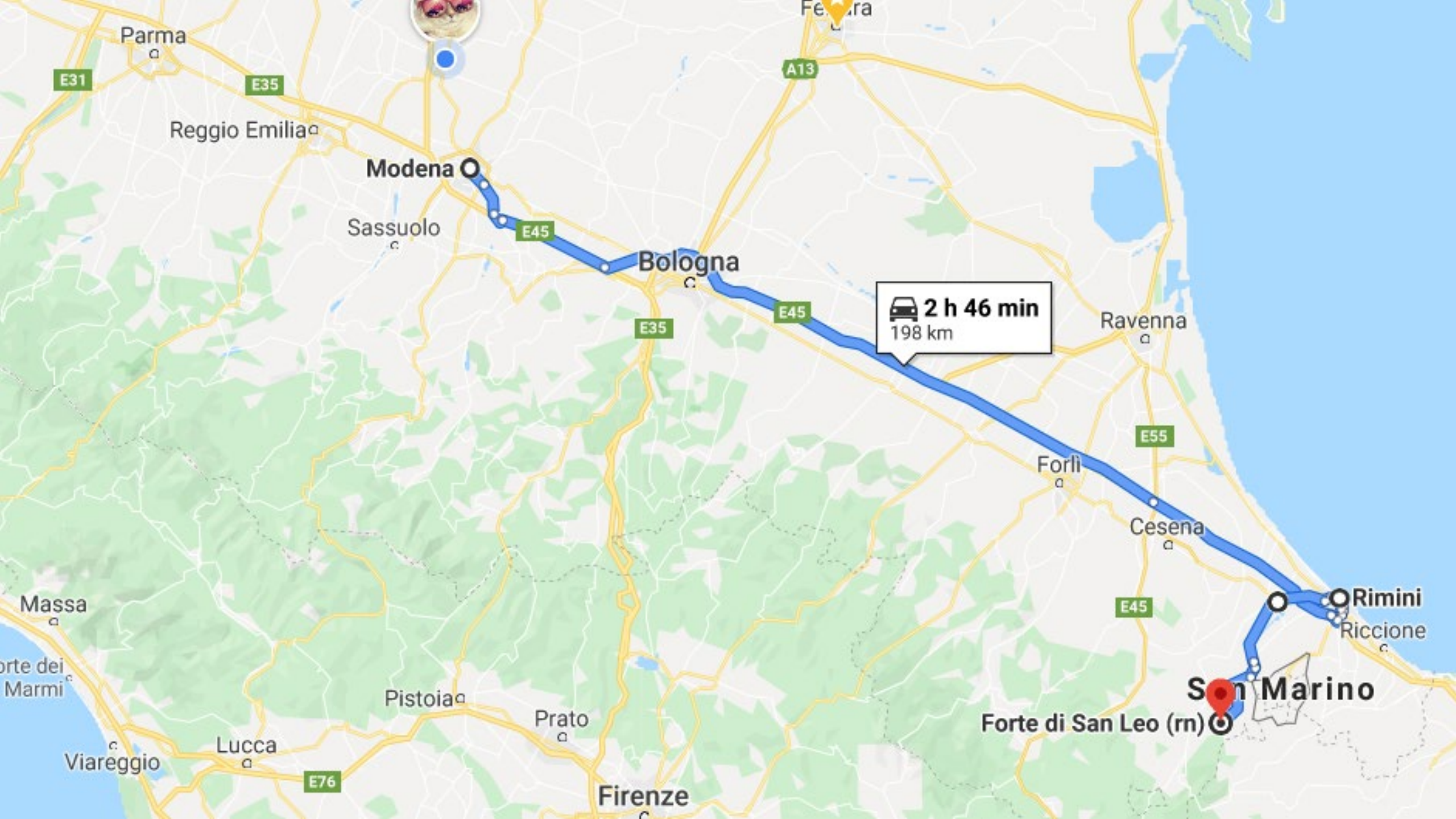
# Where to stay

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<https://www.euroterme.com/>

Hotel with thermal pool, a few steps from the old city center





Modena

Bologna

2 h 46 min  
198 km

San Marino

Rimini

Ravenna

Forlì

Cesena

Parma

Reggio Emilia

Sassuolo

A13

E45

E35

E45

E55

E45

E76

Firenze

Lucca

Viareggio

Massa

Forte dei Marmi

Forte di San Leo (rn)

Riccione



# Rimini

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A narrow, cobblestone street in Sant'Arcangelo di Romagna, Italy. The street is flanked by colorful buildings, including a prominent orange one on the right with an arched doorway. Lush greenery and potted plants are visible along the sidewalks. A red car is parked in the distance. The sky is blue with light clouds.

Sant'Arcangelo di  
Romagna



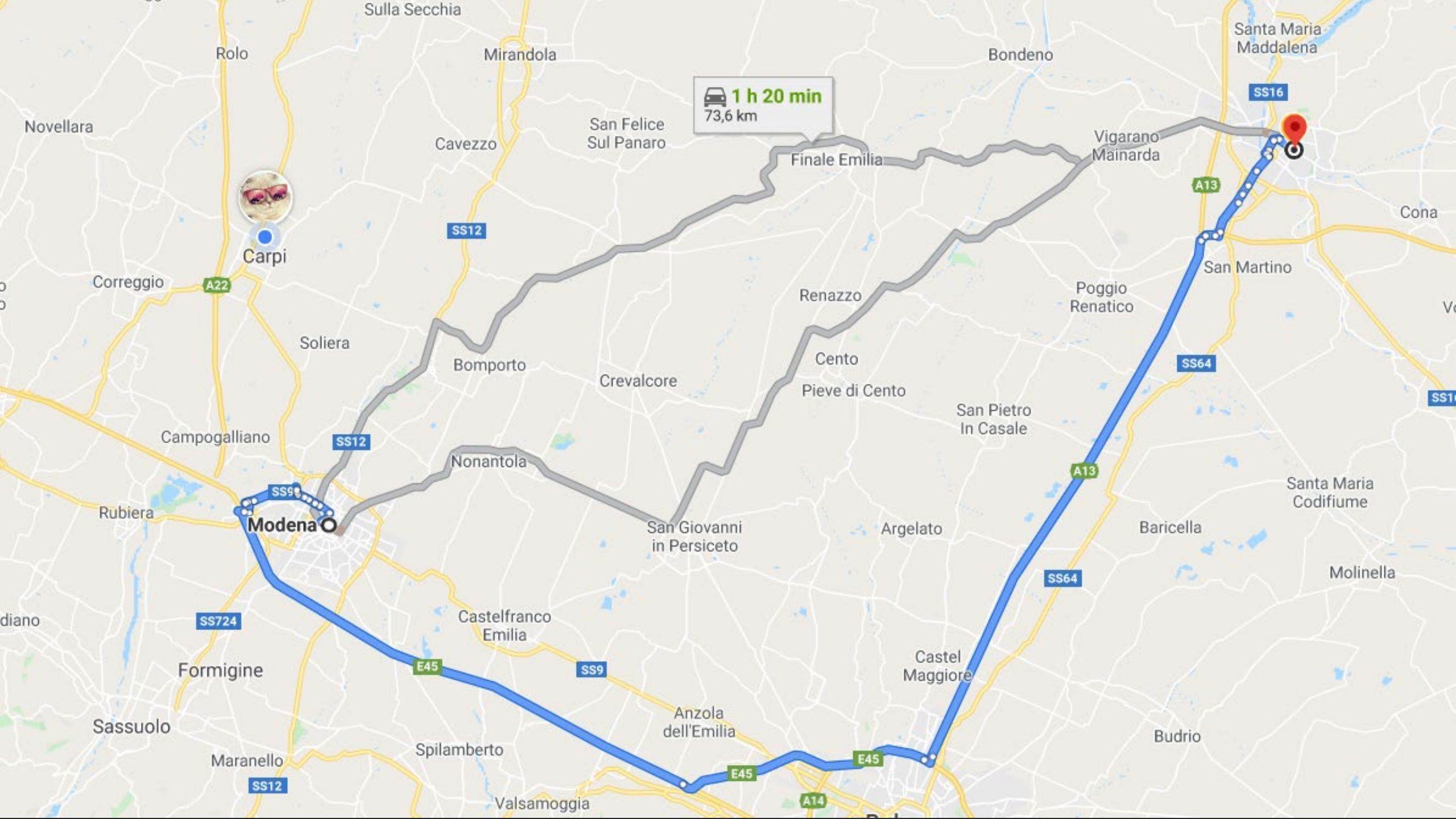
# La Sangiovesa

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# San Leo

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1 h 20 min  
73,6 km





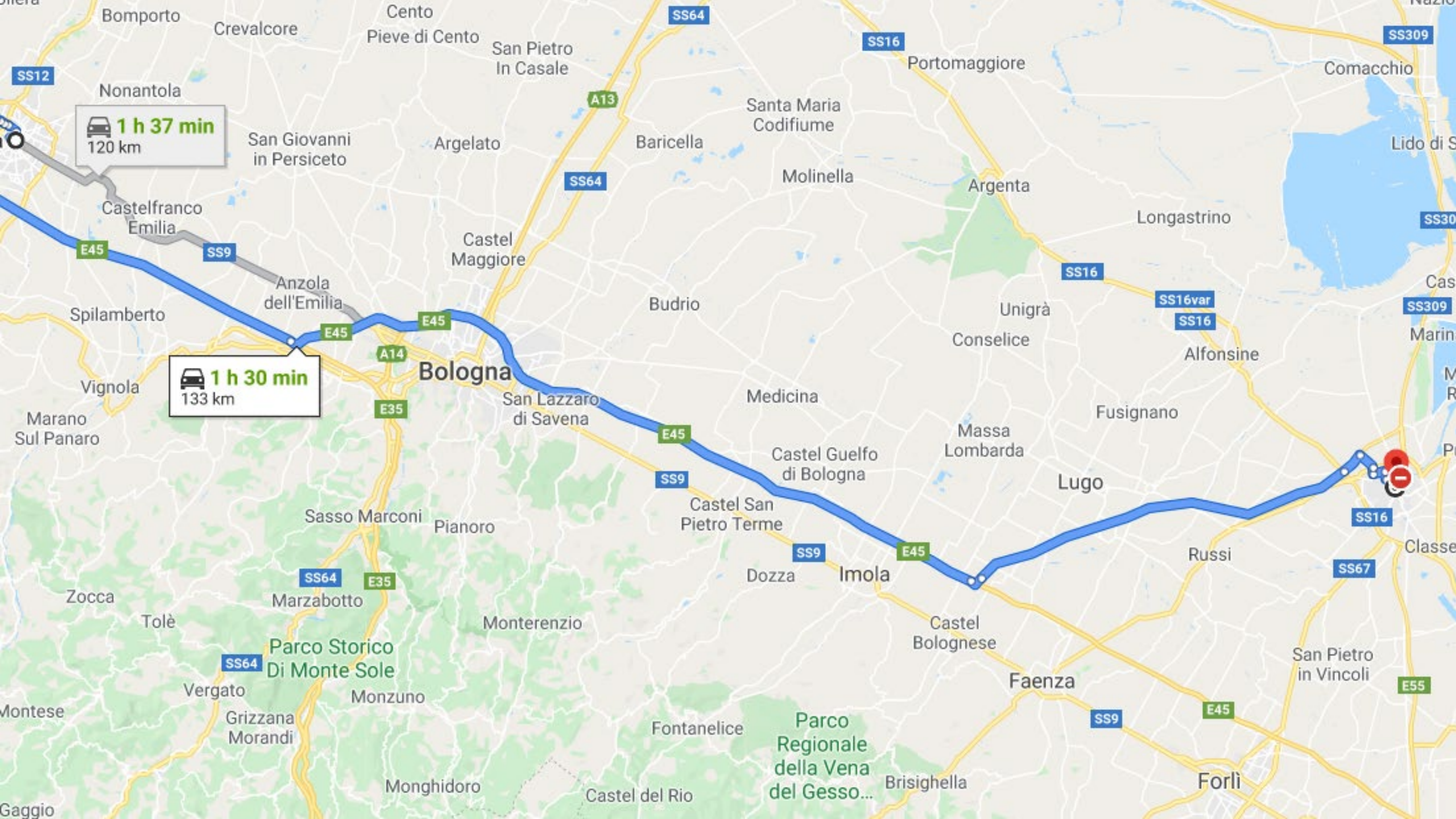
Ferrara





Po Delta





1 h 37 min  
120 km

1 h 30 min  
133 km



# Ravenna

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# Saline di Cervia

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Really interesting.

There are many tours!

A photograph of three young people smiling and talking outdoors. In the center is a young woman with a large, dark afro hairstyle, wearing a red jacket over a blue and white striped shirt. To her left is a young woman with long brown hair, wearing a blue jacket. To her right is a young man with dark hair, wearing a patterned shirt with red, white, and blue designs. The background is a bright, slightly blurred outdoor setting. Overlaid on the image is the word "SUMMERTIME" in large, bold, red, italicized capital letters.

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Cervia  
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**PRENOTA**  
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**CERVIAGENTURA**

Cervia  
25 Giu - 20 Set 2020

**PRENOTA**  
**17.00 €**



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Cervia  
25 Giu - 10 Set 2020

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**PRENOTA**  
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**TREKKING URBANO LETTERARIO A CERVIA**

**PRENOTA**  
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**SALINA DI CERVIA IN BARCA + NAVETTA DA PINARELLA-CERVIA**



# Slow emotions

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<https://experience.modenatur.it/it/modenaslow>

<https://www.giornataverde.it/>







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# Movies

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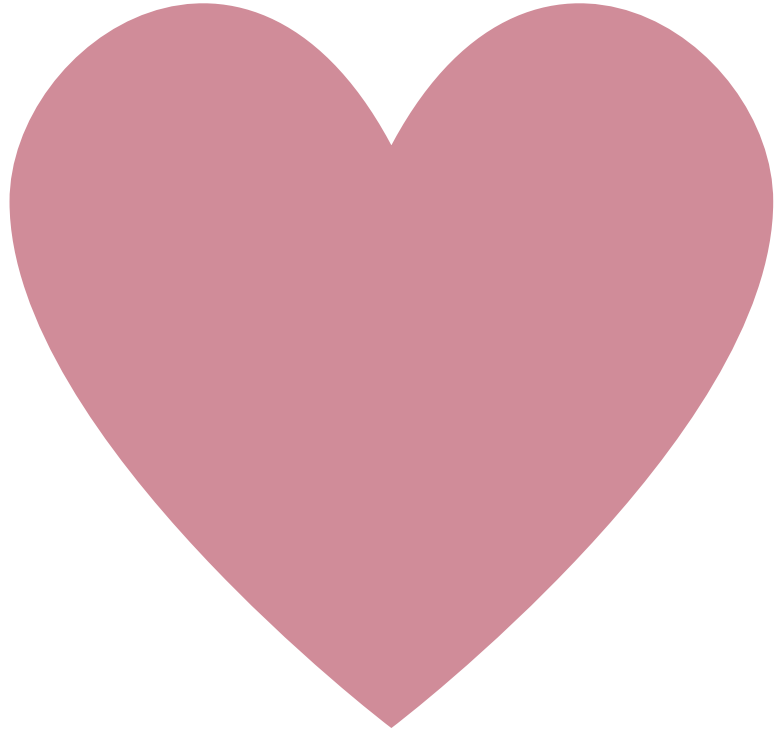


# NOVECENTO









# Thank you!

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