




 **Joanna in Virginia** VaE Stage 3 takes a big counterclockwise loop through east-central Portugal from Lousã to Castelo Branco near the Spanish border. 08-18-2024 07:00:48 pm

 **Joanna in Virginia** <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1724022368-stage-3-route.jpg> 08-18-2024 07:01:09 pm

 **Joanna in Virginia** The route is lumpy except for the final 45 kilometers. There is a Cat 2 climb halfway through and a Cat 4 in the last quarter. The finish route is very twisty-turny with lots of road furniture. 08-18-2024 07:01:24 pm

 **Joanna in Virginia** <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1724022394-stage-3-profile.jpg> 08-18-2024 07:01:35 pm


 **Joanna in Virginia** <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1724022403-stage-3-route-finale.jpg> 08-18-2024 07:01:44 pm


 **Joanna in Virginia** Kilometer zero is scheduled for 12:04 WEST. Finish is imagined either side of 16:30. Live stream at 13:50. Forecast is for sunshine and extremely hot. Upper-80s at the start rising to the upper-30s at the finish. 08-18-2024 07:01:54 pm


 **Tim in KY** Dylan Van Baarle (TVL) DNF yesterday after his crash. 08-19-2024 06:46:13 am

 **Tim in KY** Very hot today. 08-19-2024 06:46:22 am

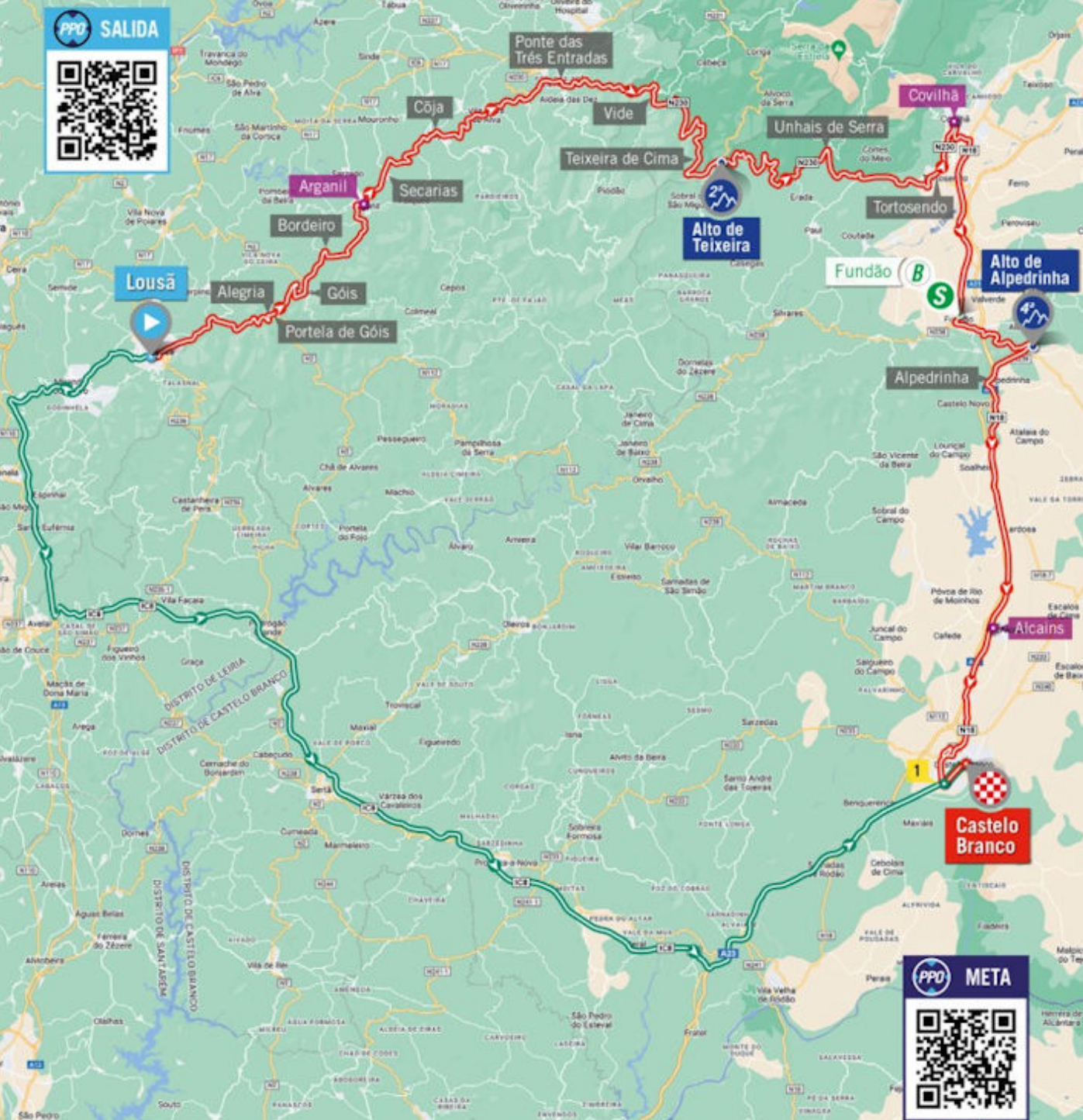
 **Tim in KY** In neutral. 08-19-2024 06:55:32 am

 **Tim in KY** Km0. I'm expecting that the heat will cause another very slow day. We'll see. Time for my walk. 08-19-2024 07:07:09 am

 **Tim in KY** Deja vu all over again. Same breakers as yesterday. 08-19-2024 07:21:51 am

 **Tim in KY** I had to terminate my walk because of rain. 11% chance. 08-19-2024 07:22:26 am

PPD SALIDA



PPD META







Rotonda dcha.



N223



N3

Rotonda recto, ambos lados



N3

N3

Mediana por dcha.



Giro dcha.



Giro izda.



Rotonda recto, paso por dcha.



Rotonda recto, paso por dcha.



Mediana por dcha.



Castelo B



Tim in KY Now there's an extra Kern and an extra Euski. So, four man break.

08-19-2024
07:31:13 am



Tim in KY Nothing going on but drying paint. Already at the slowest imaginable time.

08-19-2024
08:02:07 am



Tim in KY Gap is up to 5:10.

08-19-2024
08:10:08 am



Charlie in Tenn Go Ruiz

08-19-2024
08:34:17 am



Tim in KY He gave you a ton of points yesterday, Charlie.

08-19-2024
08:35:26 am



Tim in KY Chores and then errands. Back well before the finish.

08-19-2024
08:38:00 am



Charlie in Tenn Any points he gives me is good. I seldom ever have a 4 pointer that score any points.

08-19-2024
08:42:43 am



Katie Lane Stage 2 crash report: Dylan van Baarle crashed and was the first rider to abandon the race, with injuries to the elbow and stomach. Rainer Kepplinger was also involved in the same crash. Mathias Vacek crashed on the final climb as a result of a 'drunk fan' according to himself. In the final kilometers there was a mass crash involving some important riders. Joshua Tarling, Jhonatan Narváez, Victor Campenaerts, Chris Hamilton, Max Poole, Oscar Riesebeek, Kim Heiduk and Jasha Sutterlin were all affected by it - but at the time being, none abandoned.

08-19-2024
09:34:17 am



Katie Lane I was temporarily excited yesterday because I thought I picked Ruiz. Nope, my 4 pointer is Ries.

08-19-2024
09:35:41 am



Katie Lane Won't be watching until the end... I've got an appointment with my EP cardiologist this morning, and possibly some yard work after that if it's still cool enough.

08-19-2024
09:36:24 am



Charlie in Tenn After my comment above, I lost internet connection. I just got it back. Beautiful sunny day here. No idea what happened.

08-19-2024
09:46:26 am



Charlie in Tenn Glad that Ruiz is trying to get me some points. Now I need Tom Paquot (wanty) to get going.

08-19-2024
09:48:16 am



Charlie in Tenn Internet or computer issues? Restarted everything and now am back. Let's see how long this lasts. 08-19-2024 10:34:10 am



Tim in KY Back for the last 60 km. 08-19-2024 10:35:01 am



Charlie in Tenn Wout took the past 10 green jersey points at the sprint. He seems to be focused on that goal. 08-19-2024 10:53:13 am



Tim in KY He said before the race started that he wanted to win the sprint jersey. 08-19-2024 10:55:36 am



Tim in KY Break still on the slowest imaginable. 08-19-2024 10:56:01 am



bikerabe uno KU 08-19-2024 11:22:48 am



Charlie in Tenn I saw Tim's comments on Roglic somewhere. I went with the "not taking him" plan. It would not surprise me to see him finish very well. 08-19-2024 11:24:03 am



Tim in KY I put Rog on one of my teams just in case. 08-19-2024 11:26:06 am



Charlie in Tenn Well if you put in multiple teams, I would do it too. 08-19-2024 11:30:35 am



Charlie in Tenn Carlton Kirby said Magnus Backstedt bunny hopped a i meter 10 cm curb at a round-about in a race. That is impressive. 08-19-2024 11:33:23 am



Tim in KY That's almost 4 feet. Seems unlikely. 08-19-2024 11:37:18 am



Tim in KY The finish time is going to slower than the slowest again. 08-19-2024 11:39:03 am



Tim in KY But not an hour slower. 08-19-2024 11:39:15 am



Tim in KY <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1724082583-stage-3-route-finale.jpg> 08-19-2024 11:44:45 am



Rotonda dcha.

Rotonda recto,
ambos lados

Mediana por dcha.

Giro dcha.

Giro izda.

Rotonda recto,
paso por dcha.

Mediana por dcha.

Rotonda recto,
paso por dcha.

COVA DO GATO

ISABEL DEIRAS

Castelo B

Estr. do Montale

Av. Prof. de Figueiredo

Av. Cidade de Coimbra

R. do Grande

R. A. Gomes

R. Luísa Mariz

R. João

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bikerabe Wout !

08-19-2024
11:48:24 am



Tim in KY Big mountains tomorrow.

08-19-2024
11:49:14 am



Charlie in Tenn I am going to miss tomorrow.

08-19-2024
11:53:07 am
