



# Single to Southport 100

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A one-way ride to Southport. Or to Stalybridge, if the weather or the trains work better that way. You also have a choice of route:

- a flat ride using the towpath of the Leeds-Liverpool canal
- a hillier ride over Ashurst Beacon, which adds about 150m and is less than 1km shorter.

For the return, there is a direct train back to your start (although you need to change at Victoria on Sundays). See below for the route sheet for all four options. You can download a GPX file for each of these options at

**[www.delphcyclist.info/SouthportPerm.html](http://www.delphcyclist.info/SouthportPerm.html).**





For a successful validation, you must:

- enter at **[www.delphcyclist.info/SouthportPerm.html](http://www.delphcyclist.info/SouthportPerm.html)** (you may change the ride date by texting it to **07931 911324** or emailing to **[mike@PeakAudax.co.uk](mailto:mike@PeakAudax.co.uk)** before you set off)
- visit all the controls listed below within the time limits
- establish your "proof of passage" by
  - registering each control on the [eBrevet app](#) - see **[www.delphcyclist.info/eBrevet.html](http://www.delphcyclist.info/eBrevet.html)** for instructions and don't forget to upload it
  - recording a [GPS track](#) (must be .GPX format) showing you visited each Control, and emailing this to **[mike@PeakAudax.co.uk](mailto:mike@PeakAudax.co.uk)**
  - collecting [till receipts](#) or ATM slips from anywhere at the Control Location and sending them as a scan by email, or even by post
  - or any combination of the above! I need your "brevidence" within 14 of your rides

**eBrevet Ride Codes:** Stalybridge to Southport **MW39**

Southport to Stalybridge **MW39-1309-20240509**

**Controls:** If not using the E-Brevet app, I have suggested various locations where you might obtain a till receipt. Bijou Café in Cheadle may be used as a substitute for "Hale Barns" and the eBrevet will work at both locations.

<b>Stalybridge</b>	 SJ 959 986 <i>lists.forced.forum</i>	<b>TILL RECEIPT</b> from any shop, café etc
<b>Hale Barns</b>	 SJ 791 859 <i>snack.intensely.hydratation</i>	<b>TILL RECEIPT</b> from Costa Hale
<b>Croston</b>	 SD 484 191 <i>inflict.buzz.shook</i>	<b>TILL RECEIPT</b> from Velo Café <b>TILL RECEIPT</b> from Morrisons
<b>Southport</b>	 SD 339 171 <i>retain.hips.flight</i>	<b>TILL RECEIPT</b> from any shop, café, station etc

**RIDE DETAILS:** see **[www.delphcyclist.info/SouthportPerm.html](http://www.delphcyclist.info/SouthportPerm.html)** for GPX files, Route sheet, Maps, etc.

**TIME LIMITS:** **3 hrs 43 mins** (30kph) and **7 hrs 44 mins** (14.3kph)


# Southport to Stalybridge 100

See below for Stalybridge to Southport

**1**  left from  Southport Station


0.1  (buses and cycles)


 Nevill Street

 and over bridge

1.2  Marine Drive, continue to A565

7.4  1<sup>st</sup> exit Banks Road

9.2  at Co-op, on Hoole Lane

10.2  A565 Southport New Road

12.8  2<sup>nd</sup> exit *Martin Mere*

13.3  left at RH bend, Merebrow Lane


14.3  Green Lane

17.1  cross A59

  Lock Lane


20.4   Back Lane


22.0   Flag Lane

22.4  for Velo Café or continue to **Croston**

22.6   *Mawdesley*


22.7 Morrisons on right **Croston** 

**2**  A581 *Mawdesley*

23.6  *Mawdesley* to next T junction where choice of route:

26.5  *Mawdesley*

27.8  *Mawdesley*


29.1  *Parbold*

31.1  *Parbold* Chorley Road

32.9  1<sup>st</sup> right after **Parbold** sign


then choice of route here

## FLAT ROUTE via canal

33.9  onto canal towpath to **Wigan**

45.8  opposite **Wigan Pier 2**


46.6  at **bridge 52a** canal towards Leigh


48.6  swap sides at **bridge 2**


51.3  swap sides at **bridge 3**

52.6  at **bridge 4** A573 to **Golbourne**


## LESS FLAT ROUTE via Ashurst Beacon

34.0  A5209 *Burscough*


34.4  Higher Lane at miniO

40.6  over A577 onto Hall Green

41.4  Cinnamon Brow

41.8  after Motorway bridge

42.3  Church Street

46.9  Leyland Green Road

48.1  Spindle Hillock

49.7  Cansfield Grove

49.0  Alexandra Road

50.7  & 







50.9   *Golbourne* A58


 *Golbourne* B5207

51.2  *Golbourne* A573

Back together again	
53.8	↶ <b>Lowton</b> B5207 continue to <b>Culcheth</b> over A580
60.8	↶ <b>Glazebury</b> A574 in <b>Culcheth</b>
61.8	↶ <b>Irlam</b> Holcroft Lane
67.9	↶ <b>Warrington</b> A57
69.2	↶ over Toll Bridge (free)
70.4	↶ at Trafford sign, Paddock Lane
71.1	↶ & ↷ <b>D'ham Massey</b> B5160
77.1	↶ <b>Hale</b> B5161
78.2	↷ (no HGVs) South Downs Road
79.5	↶ Park Road
80.9	↶ Broad Lane
81.5	↶ Wicker Lane
81.7	↶ Hale Road (right turn for Costa) <b>Hale Barns</b> 📶
<b>3</b>	↷ Shay Lane
83.5	↶ Thorley Lane and over motorway
84.2	↶ <b>Wythenshawe</b> Thorley Lane
85.2	↶ <b>Wilmslow</b> & ↶
85.7	↶ Portway
86.5	↶ Ruddpark Road at church continue (north) through <b>Sharston</b> and over M60
89.7	↶ Longley Lane and immediately ↷ Royle Green Road
90.5	↷ <b>Disbury Golf Club</b> Ford Lane
























92.0	↶ after Simon Bridge over Mersey & ↶ <i>IE don't follow river bank</i>
92.7	↶ & ↶ <b>Wilmslow Road</b> ↶ <b>Didsbury Park</b> Sandhurst Road
93.2	↶ continue on cycleway at RH bend
93.6	↶ School Lane ↶ & ↶ over A34
94.2	↶ Burnage Lane
95.7	↶ Errwood Road
97.6	↶ <b>Fallowfield</b> onto Loop Line
102.7	↶ Booth Road in <b>Fairfield</b>
102.9	↶ Clarendon Road
103.5	↶ Audenshaw Road
104.5	↶ Stamford Road
105.4	↶ Shepley Road
104.2	↶ Shepley Road
106.5	↶ Astley Street
1-7.2	↶ Charles Street
107.9	↶ Wharf Street
108.1	↶ Wharf Street
108.2	↶ Park Road
109.2	↶ Clarence Street
109.6	↶ to next right
109.7	↶ Stamford Drive
110.3	↶ Rassbottom Street to
110.5	↶ Station on R <b>Stalybridge</b> 📶

Stalybridge to Southport 100	
See above for Southport to Stalybridge	
1	← left from  Stalybridge Station
0.2	↩ Stamford Drive (ignore  )
0.8	↗ onto Frederick Street
0.9	→ Corkland Street ↩ Rutland Street
1.2	↗ Granville Street ← Stamford Street (2 <sup>nd</sup> left)
2.2	↕ cross using pedestrian refuge onto cycleway alongside dual carriageway
2.9	↕  A635 <i>Stockport</i>
3.0	↩ Bentinck Street (1 <sup>st</sup> left after lights) ↗ Hill Street (1 <sup>st</sup> right)
3.4	↕  straight on at bend on cycle path
3.8	↕ & ← to join Stockport Road
4.5	↕  A6140 at <b>Guide Bridge</b>
4.8	↩ <i>Audenshaw</i> B6390
5.4	↻ Audenshaw Road
6.6	↩ Manor Road (2 <sup>nd</sup> left after rail bridge) → Clarendon Road
7.1	↕ Booth Road and follow <b>Fallowfield Loop</b> to bridge 20 where ...
12.4	↗ ←  <i>HeatonMoor</i> S Erwood Rd
16.1	→ Didsbury Road in <b>Heaton Mersey</b>
16.4	← A34
16.6	↩ <i>Cheadle Heath</i> B5095
18.8	→ <i>Gatley</i> A560 and

↩ onto Massie Street to ...	
18.9	...to Bijou Café on right (closed Sundays and Mondays) Email or text me from Bijou or continue to <b>Hale Barns</b>
continue becomes gated road	
19.2	← Wilmslow Road
19.4	↗ Broadway
20.1	↩ use subway to get underneath A34
20.5	↩ Silverdale Road
22.2	↗ Brown Lane (after pinch point)
23.1	← Styal Lane
23.3	↕  Simonsway
26.8	← Greenbrow Road
27.1	↗ Newall Road ← Barnacre Avenue ↗ Whitecarr Lane
27.8	↩ Roaring Gate Lane
28.6	↗ Shay Lane
30.3	← Hale Road and ...
30.3	... and register eBrevet or continue to Costa

<b>2</b>	turn onto on Wicker La at war memorial
30.7	🔀 Hawley Lane
31.3	⬅ at grass triangle Bankhall Lane
32.7	⬆ Heather Road
33.9	⬅ Langham Road
35.1	⬆🚧 Partington Road B5160
40.6	⬅ Paddock Lane
41.1	⬆ (SO at LH bend) <i>3t</i>
41.7	➡ and over toll bridge (free!)
43.0	➡🚧 A57 <i>Manchester</i>
43.7	⬅ <i>Hollins Green</i> to pass LeJOG milestone
44.3	⬅ to <b>Glazebrook</b>
50.4	⬅ <i>Warrington</i> A574
51.4	⬆ <b>Golbourne</b> B5207 in <b>Culcheth</b> and continue over A580
58.4	🔀 <i>Abram</i> A573
choice of route here	
flat on canal towpath	
continue on A573	
60.6	⬅ onto canal towpath at Dove Lock Inn
62.0	⬆ switch sides at <b>bridge 3</b>
64.7	⬆ switch sides at <b>bridge 2</b>
66.7	⬅ at canal junction
67.4	⬆ at <b>Wigan Pier</b>
78.9	🔀➡ at bridge 37 in <b>Parbold</b>
80.8	⬅ Chorley Road

hilly via Ashurst Beacon	
58.6	🔀 <b>Ashton</b> B5207
61.0	⬅ A58 Bolton Road
61.6	⬆ <i>Billinge</i> B5207 ⬅ Alexandra Road
62.5	⬆ Cansfield Grove ⬆ Low Bank Road
64.4	⬆ Rectory Road
65.5	➡ Winstanley Road
70.2	⬆🚧 Sefton Road
70.6	🔀 under motorway bridge
71.1	🔀 Higher Lane
71.9	⬆ Mill Lane
78.1	➡ A5209
78.5	⬅ next left into <b>Parbold</b>
79.7	⬅ Chorley Road
back together again	
81.8	⬅ Bentley Lane (after Farmer's Arms)
83.8	⬅ <i>Mawdesley</i>
85.0	➡ <i>Croston</i> Bluestone Lane
86.3	⬅ <i>Croston</i> Syd Brook Lane
89.2	⬅ <b>Southport</b> A581
89.6	⬆ <i>Bretherton</i> (SO at LH bend)
90.1	<b>Croston:</b> eBrevet or Morrisons or continue to Velo Café
90.2	🔀 <i>Bretherton</i>
90.4	⬅ left for Velo Café

<b>3</b>	continue towards Bretherton	
90.6	 	Back Lane
92.4	 	Eyes Lane
95.6	  Green Lane   Green Lane	
98.6		Blackgate Lane
99.5		The Gravel
100.1	  A565 (use cycle lane but watch for glass)	
102.5	 	
102.6		Guinea Hill Lane
103.6	  Church Road	
105.5	 4 <sup>th</sup> exit Marine Drive (cycle lane on right) continue to <b>Southport Pier</b>	
112.0	 after KFC	
112.6	  Neville Street and continue to	
113.2	 Station on R	<b>Southport</b> 
<i>Organised by Mike Wigley to Audax UK regulations</i> 20/07/2025 [6 pages]		