

- Border of the nature conservation area
- Other trail
- Road
- Rocky area
- Swamp
- Water

PLEASE NOTE
This map is suitable for planning a trek but not orienteering beyond the marked trails.

- Viewing platform
- Lean-to shelter
- Campfire site
- Parking area
- Toilet
- Nature attraction / Scenic view

Sammalisto trail
3,5 km

Connection to parking lot
0,3 km

Pitkäjärvi
108,9

Pitkäjärvenvuori
148,0

120,2
Ahvenlammi

138,0

Sammalistsuo

Lapakisto
109,9

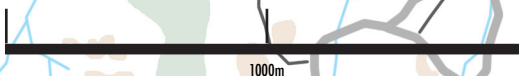
Sammalisto
110,6

Kalliojärvi
114,2

Ristikangas

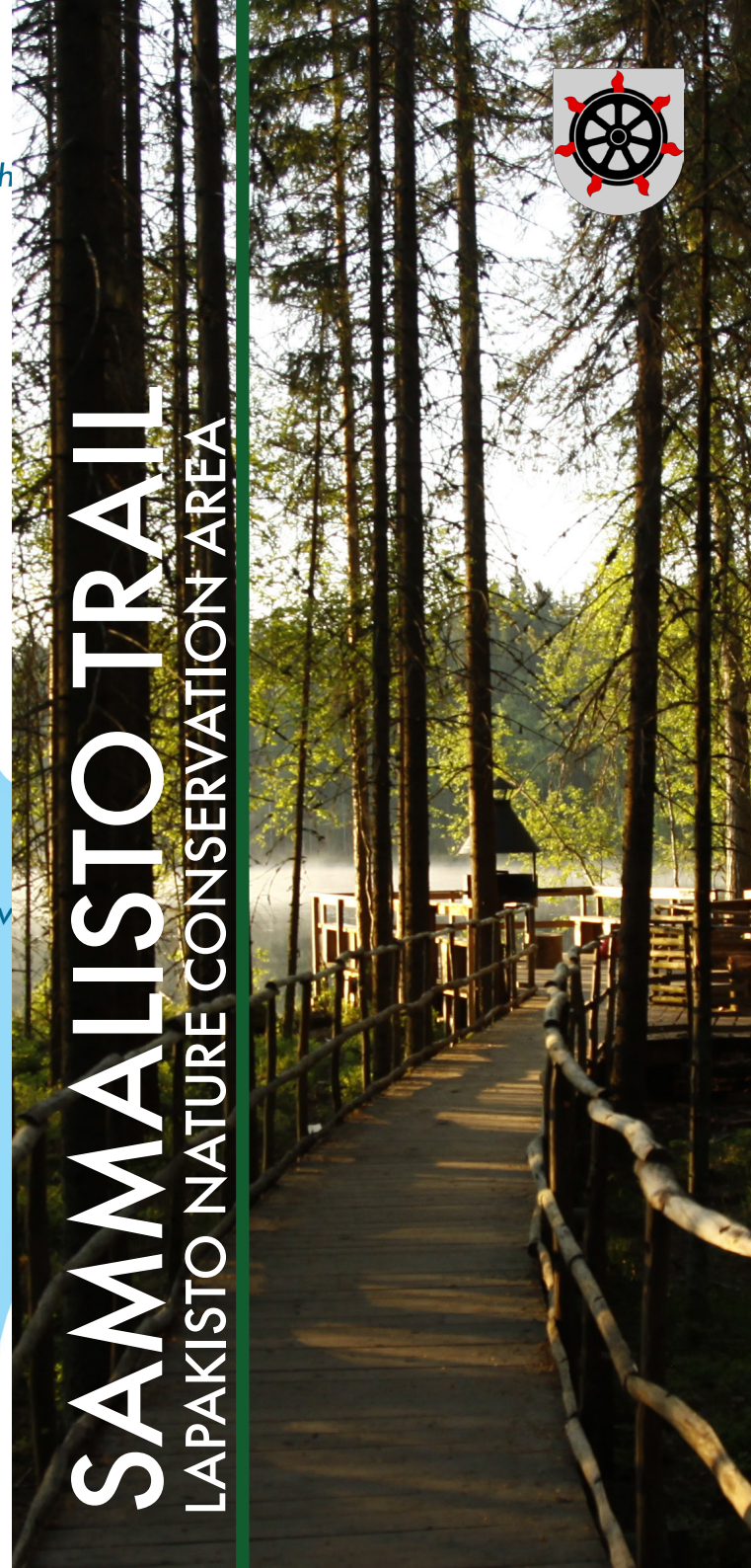
Erämaatie

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SAMMALISTO TRAIL

LAPAKISTO NATURE CONSERVATION AREA



The Sammalisto trail is easy going and suitable for the whole family. An accessible pathway by the lake of Lapakisto gives everyone the opportunity to enjoy beautiful lakeside landscapes. For its entire length, the trail winds its way around two small lakes.

It's good to start along the Sammalisto trail by heading clockwise from the forest road that is closed by a barrier. This allows you to enjoy the most beautiful lake views and rest spots in the latter part of your walk. From the forest road, it is possible to take a closer look at the Sammalisto swamp from a viewing platform.

stay dry. After the swamp is an inviting campfire site, where there are often fewer people than at the shelter. Beyond the campfire site, the route winds along the shore and climbs a bit higher into the forest before descending to the shore of another lake.

The trail is crossed by many tree roots here, but it is wide and quite flat. At the end of the route is a beautiful campfire site that is accessible to everyone from the car park. There is a wide wooden path with railings that leads you back to the parking area through a magical spruce forest.



Tip! The Sammalisto trail is the most popular one in the Lapakisto area, because it is easily accessible and has some of the nicest rest spots. A respectful visitor takes this into account and prevents further erosion of the terrain by sticking to the marked trails. On weekday mornings, it is generally possible to enjoy the peace and quiet, only rarely encountering another trekker on the trail.

At the end of the road, the route turns right, with a wooden pathway that leads deeper into the forest. After the pathway, the wide trail continues towards the lakefront and arrives at the Sammalisto lean-to shelter. This shelter is especially pleasant in the afternoon as sunshine warms the spot.

After passing the shelter, the trail continues along the water, occasionally climbing to higher rocks on the shore and then returning to water level. The lowest parts of the trail are wet and muddy after rainy days, making waterproof footwear a sensible choice. However, a wooden pathway through the small swamp ahead of you makes sure that your feet

