

SERBIA AND LANDSCAPE

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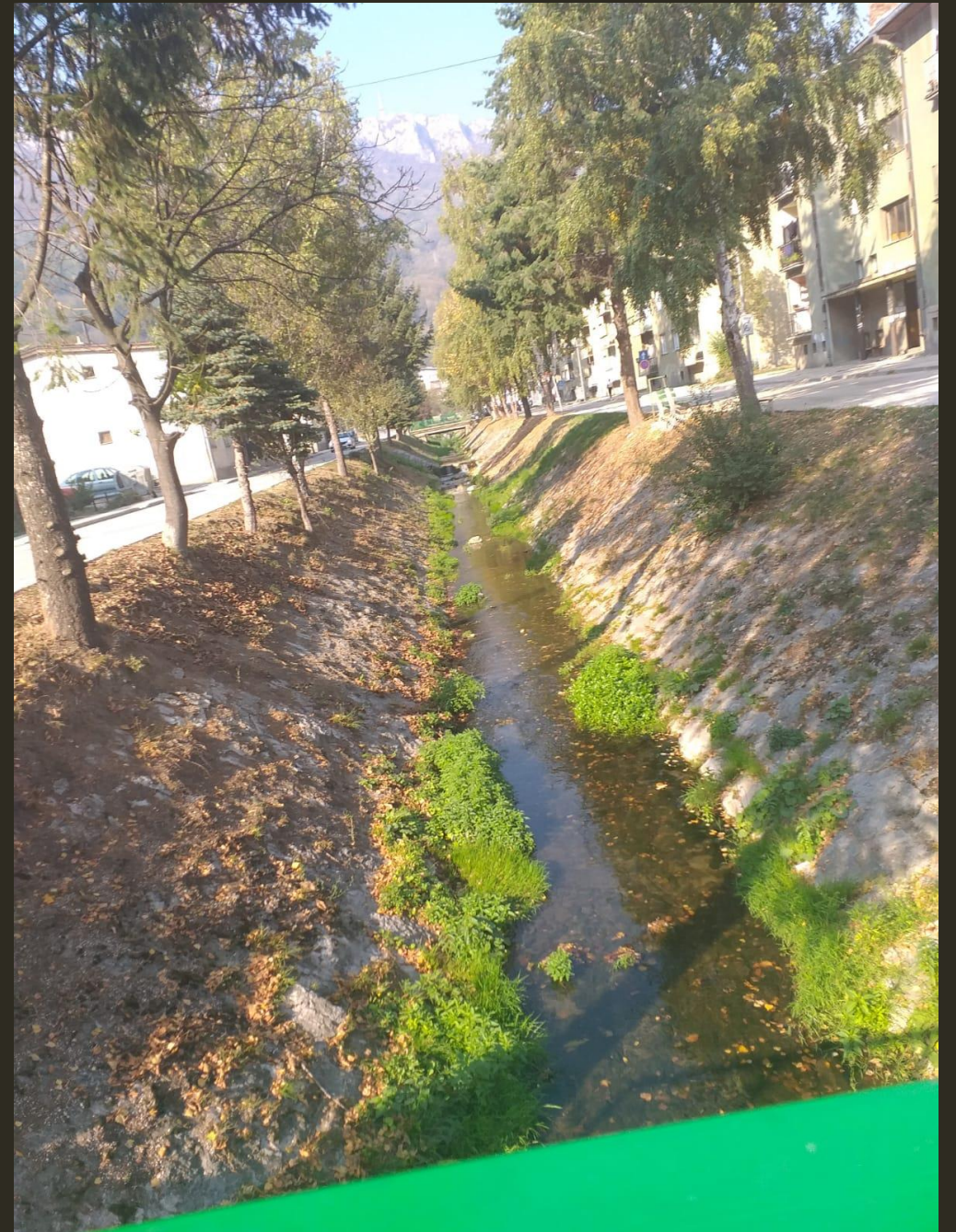
EAST SERBIA

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Majdanpek

Majdanpek is a town and municipality located in the Bor District of the eastern Serbia, not far from the Romanian border. The name "Majdanpek" is derived from the words *majdan* meaning "quarry" (from Arabic *maydān*) and *pek* meaning "much, big, very" in Turkish. In Serbian Vlach (and Romanian), the town is known as simply *Maidan*. This is the Pek river.



NATURE IS NOT TREATED WELL IN MAJDANPEK ☹️



RICH NATURE IN EAST SERBIA AROUND MAJDANPEK 😊



RTANJ MOUNTAIN



According to the folk legend, a wizard's castle in which a great treasure was guarded was situated on the Rtanj Mountain.

However, the castle has disappeared within the mountain, trapping the wealthy sorcerer inside. Ever since, the treasure hunters have been visiting the mountain seeking for the lost gold and gems. However, what they found instead of gold and gems was Rtanj tea. 😊 😊 😊



SOKOBANJA, YOU COME HERE OLD, BUT YOU
LEAVE THIS PLACE YOUNG 😊





West Serbia



IN THE MIDDLE AGES, THE REGION OF ZLATIBOR MOUNTAIN WAS KNOWN AS RUJNO, A REGION THAT WAS PART OF RASKA, THE CENTRE OF THE MEDIEVAL SERBIAN STATE. THE NAME ZLATIBOR CAME INTO USE IN THE 18TH CENTURY, BUT ITS ETYMOLOGY IS UNCERTAIN. IT PROBABLY STEMS FROM THE SERBIAN WORDS ZLATNI (GOLDEN) AND BOR (PINE). *PINUS SYLVESTRIS* VAR. *ZLATIBORICA* IS A SUBSPECIES OF PINE ORIGINATING FROM THE MOUNTAIN AND THE SPECIES IS ENDANGERED TODAY.



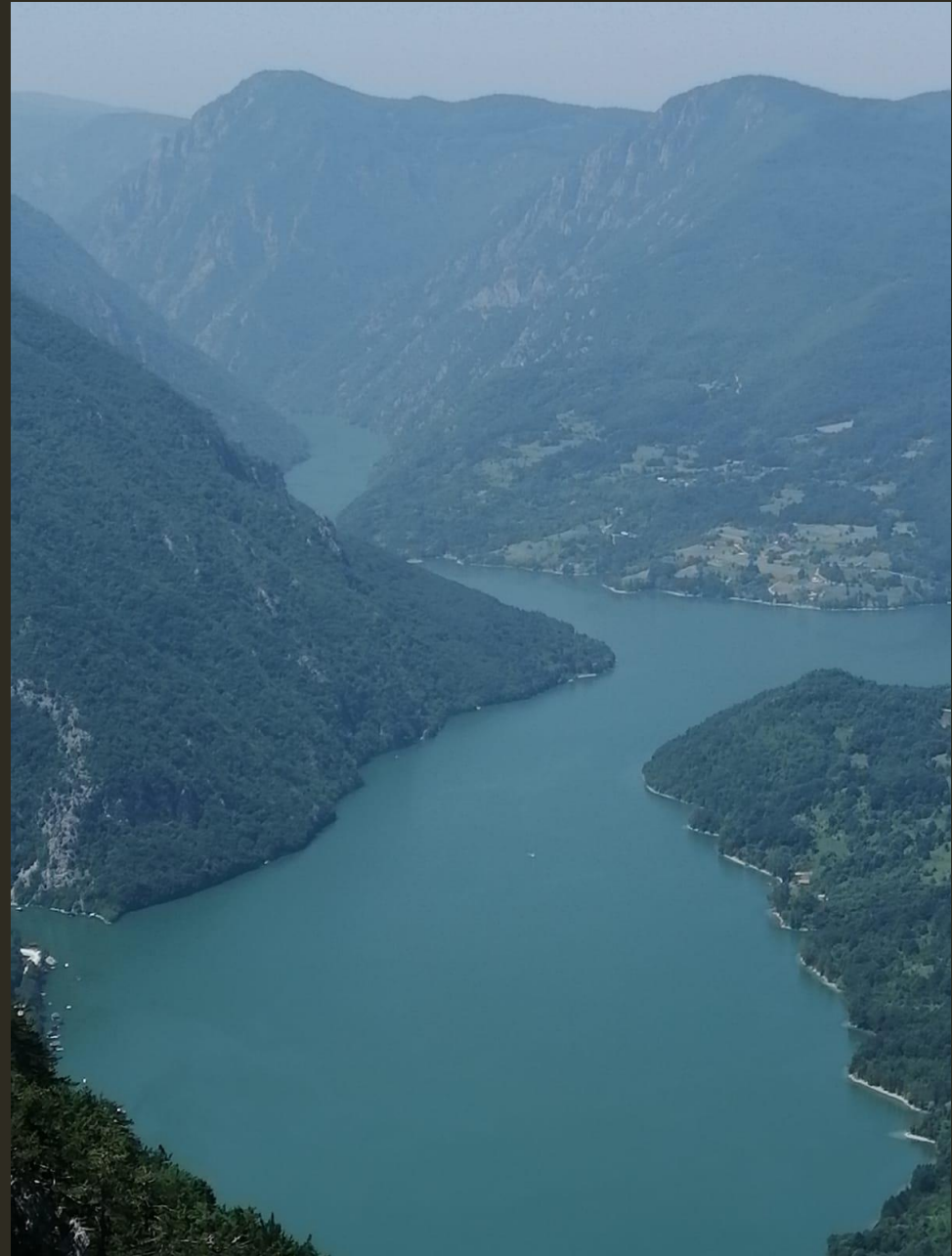
ZLATIBOR MOUNTAIN



TARA MOUNTAIN



Tara is a mountain located in Western Serbia. It is a part of Dinaric Alps and stands at 1,000 to 1,590 m (3,280 to 5,220 ft) above the sea level. The mountain slopes are clad in dense forests with numerous high-altitude clearings and meadows, steep cliffs, deep ravines carved by the nearby Drina River and many karst, or limestone caves. The mountain is a popular tourist centre. National park Tara encompasses a large part of the mountain. The highest peak is *Zboriste*, at 1,544 m (5,066 ft).







UVAC LAKE

Special Nature Reserve

Uvac is a protected natural asset of great importance. It's situated in south-western Serbia, wedged between Mt.Zlatar massif in the Southwest and Mt. Javor in the Northeast. The reserve occupies an area of 7543 ha with an altitude ranging from 760m to 1322m above sea level.



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We were working so hard at Petnica and we always
waited for dawn. 😊 😊 😊

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