



# Fiets- en wandelroute Rondje Groeves

 **Cycle route**  
→ **7.8 km**

**Start- and endpoint**  
Schaapskooiweg 99 te  
Heerlen,

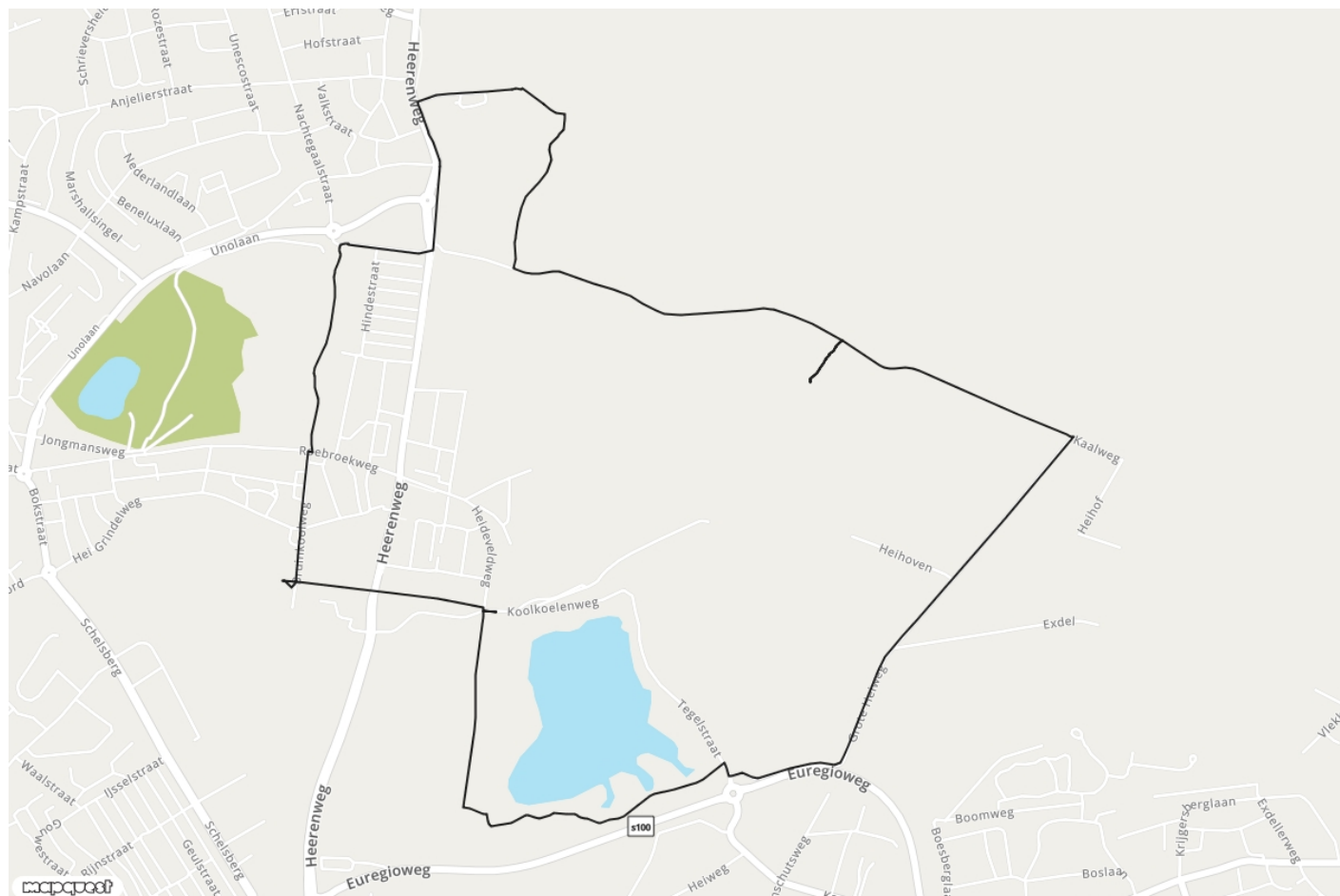
**Level of difficulty**  
Makkelijk

The Parkstad region has a rich history of mining, both above and underground. Silver sand mining has been taking place in the region since the early 20th century. Discover a unique part of Parkstad during this 8 km walking or cycling route! Let yourself be taken past 8 impressive rest and viewpoints in beautiful nature and learn more about the raw materials under your feet.

#### Rest and viewpoints

Along the way you will have every opportunity to reflect on the highlights of this tour. The appearance and shape of the rest and lookout points subtly refer to the machines that were needed for silver sand extraction, for example. Various original machine parts were used during construction.

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