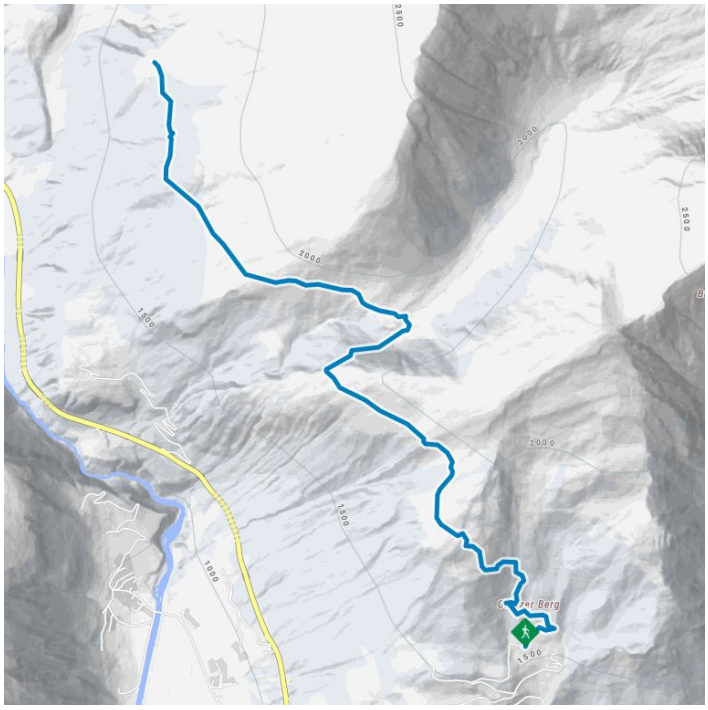
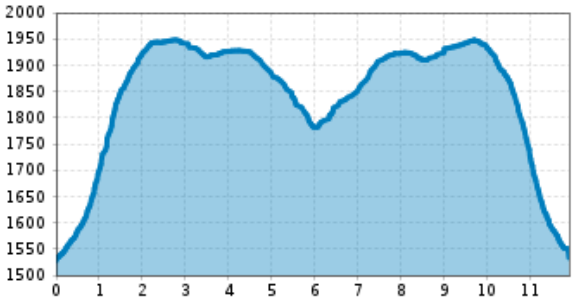
Across the Edelweiß meadows to Steiner Almen

High above Matrei i. O.



Altitude profile



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The most important at a glance

distance	altitude meters uphill	altitude meters downhill	walking time uphill
11.9 km	640 m	640 m	2:30 h

walking time downhill	total walking time	highest point	difficulty
2:15 h	4:45 h	1954 m	easy

fitness:

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technique:

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public transport:

Matrei in Osttirol Korberplatz

parking:

From Matrei in Osttirol, you can reach the district of Glanz by following the street Felbertauernstraße approx. 1 km north in the direction of the pass Felbertauern - Hinterburg/Glanz turn-off - approx. 15 minutes uphill to the car park.
Car park Glanz

starting point: Car park Glanz
destination point: Car park Glanz
best season: JUN, JUL, AUG, SEP, OCT
route typ: family tour

arrival

Parking spot

Car park Glanz 1.540m

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Description

Route (no. 12) begins with a walk on a flat, wide trail crossing biodiverse mountain pastures. As well as the many colourful flowers there are also lots of insects to look at here. You also get to enjoy a wonderful view to Matrei and the Lasörling group here. At the end of this pasture (Begunitzen 1950m) a short trail takes you up to a spur of rock which has lots of Edelweiß and impressive panoramic views. The route then proceeds slightly downhill through a larch forest to Äußere Steineralm (1904m). Those who fancy it can enjoy a refreshment stop here or head directly to Hoanzeralm/Inneren Steineralm. The landscape on this section of the route is characterised with Alpine pastures, peppered with rock boulders, dwarf shrubs and sheep tracks. The route then proceeds down a few metres altitude through larch pastures and larch forests. Some 45 minutes away from Äußere Steineralm is the Hoanzeralm (1770m), built out of slate slabs. Culinary highlights here include the home-made sheep and goats milk products. From here follow route number 13 to Stein/Matrei. This proceeds through the Zlemwald, a shaded spruce forest. The path here is somewhat steeper but there are also downhill sections, making it completely suitable for children. After a further 40 minutes you change to route 514 heading for Stein. At this point as an alternative you can also head back on route 514 back to Äußere Steineralm (some 1 ½ hours), which makes this a circular route. The route to Stein proceeds past the impressive Steiner Waterfall, which thunders down to the depths below.