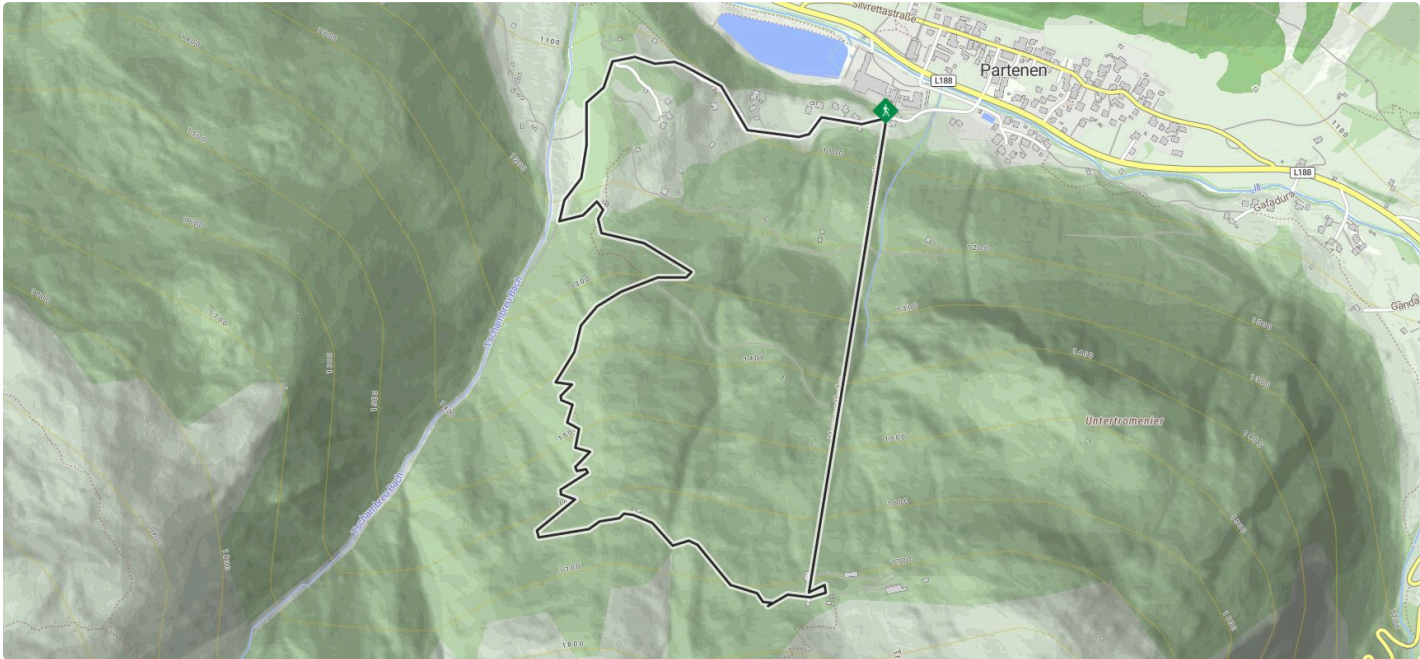


European staircase 4000 (including return via Bofa to Partenen)

DIFFICULT

RUNDTOUR



Tour description

What was once built as a supply route for the construction of the large reservoirs in the Silvretta is now known as "Europe's longest straight staircase" with around 3,600 steps and an incline of up to 86%.

When preliminary work for the Vermunt plant began in 1925, there was neither electricity nor telephone in Partenen. The conditions under which the reservoirs and pipelines were built can only be guessed at today. Some construction monuments - alongside the reservoirs - are still visible to the naked eye, such as the nearly 4,000-step European staircase in Partenen. It is the longest straight staircase in Europe and runs with an incline of up to 86% alongside the Vermuntbahn. The staircase demands a high level of coordination and reaction ability because each step varies in height and depth. Those who "manage" the staircase in a run put themselves on a level with Austrian ski aces and other international top athletes who regularly train here.

Sicherheitstipps für Wandern in Vorarlberg

EN NOTRUF:

EN 140 - Alpine Notfälle österreichweit

EN 144 - Alpine Notfälle Vorarlberg

EN 112 - Euro-Notruf (funktioniert mit jedem Handy/Netz)

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	02:10 h duration		5,00 km Length
	1711 m Highest point		1031 m Lowest point
	680 m Ascent		680 m Descent

Start

Finish

Tour type

Difficulty

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Hiking, Round trip

● Difficult

Elevation profile



Condition

Technique

Difficulty

Result

Landscape



Best time of year

JAN	FEB	MÄR	APR	MAI	JUN
☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☒
JUL	AUG	SEP	OKT	NOV	DEZ
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