

TOP Hike from Lake Tegernsee to Baumgartenschneid

↔ 15.2 km

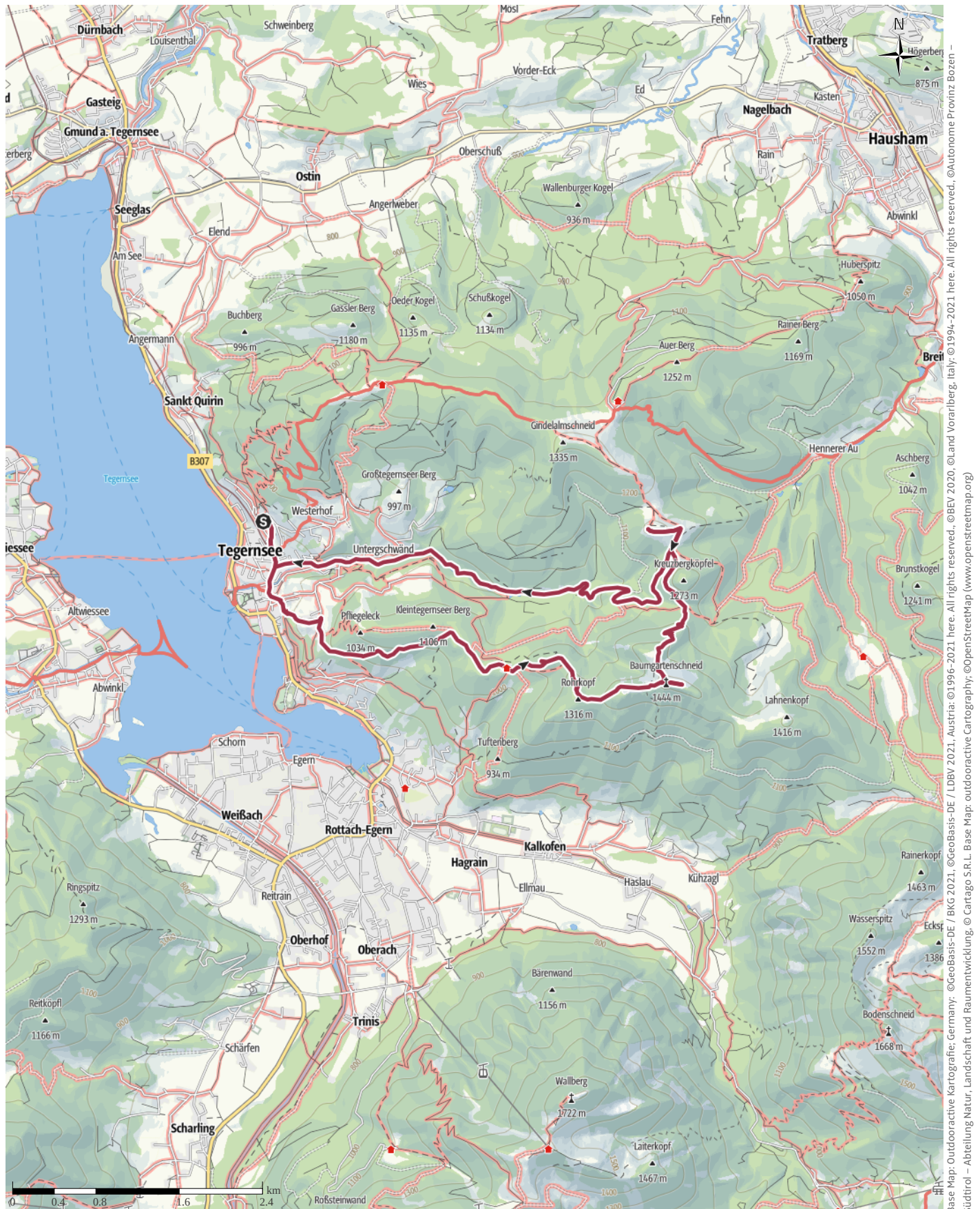
🕒 5:30 h

⬆️ 865 m

⬆️ 846 m

Difficulty

difficult

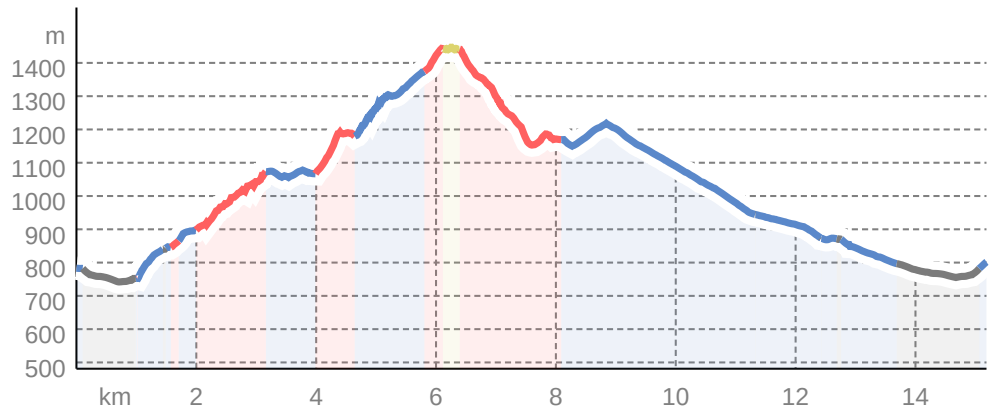


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Track types

Asphalt	2.4 km
Dirt road	8.5 km
Path	4 km
Traces of trail	0.3 km

Elevation profile



route data

Hiking Trail

Distance	↔	15.2 km
Duration	🕒	5:30 h
Ascent	⬆️	865 m
Descent	⬇️	846 m

Difficulty	difficult
Stamina	●●●●●●
Technique	T2
Altitude	1,447 m 742 m

Best time of year

JAN	FEB	MAR
APR	MAY	JUN
JUL	AUG	SEP
OCT	NOV	DEC

Ratings

Authors	●●●●●
Experience	●●●●●
Landscape	●●●●●

More route data

Properties

Public-transport-friendly	Scenic
Insider tip	Summit route

Awards

- 🔄 Round trip
- 🍷 Refreshment stops available

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The Baumgartenschneid is considered by locals to be one of the most beautiful panoramic mountains around Lake Tegernsee. While Wallberg and Hirschberg are often busier, hikers can enjoy a more peaceful mountain experience here, combined with impressive panoramic views. The circular route combines the traditional Berggasthof Galaun, the famous Riederstein Chapel and Kreuzbergalm into a varied full-day hike starting directly from the hotel.

Safety information

- The tour requires a good level of fitness and sure-footedness. Particularly around the summit and on some sections of the descent to Kreuzbergalm, the trail follows narrower mountain paths with roots and rocky terrain.
- In wet, snowy or icy conditions, these sections can become slippery. Check the current weather and trail conditions before setting out.
- Allow sufficient time for the five- to six-hour hike

and, if possible, start in the morning.

- During the summer months, you may encounter grazing livestock on the alpine meadows. Please keep a safe distance from the animals, close all pasture gates and stay on the marked hiking trails.
- Bring sufficient drinking water and a small snack, as there are longer sections between the available refreshment stops.

Equipment

- Ankle-high hiking or mountain boots with a good-grip sole
- Weather-appropriate layered clothing and a rain jacket
- Sufficient drinking water (at least 1.5–2 litres) and a small snack
- Sun protection (sunscreen, sunglasses and a hat)
- Hiking poles – particularly recommended for the longer descent to Kreuzbergalm
- A fully charged mobile phone for emergencies
- Cash for the alpine huts
- Optional: Binoculars or a camera to capture the impressive panoramic views from the summit

Roadbook

Starting point / trailhead

Hotel DAS TEGERNSEE

Coordinates:

DD: 47.716544, 11.756489

DMS: 47°42'59.6"N 11°45'23.4"E

UTM: 32T 706738 5288476

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Point of arrival

Hotel DAS TEGERNSEE

Roadbook

The hike begins directly at DAS TEGERNSEE and initially leads through Tegernsee towards the south. After a short while, you leave the village behind and follow the well-marked hiking trails towards Galaun. The first section takes you comfortably through shady mixed forests. As you gain elevation, beautiful views of Lake Tegernsee and the surrounding mountains open up time and again. After around 1.5 hours, you will reach Berggasthof Galaun, an ideal spot for a first short break.

From here, the route continues to the famous Riederstein Chapel. Perched on a distinctive rocky outcrop high above the lake, the small chapel is one of the Tegernsee Valley's most iconic photo spots. The ascent involves just over 500 steps, but the short detour is well worth the effort.

The actual ascent to the summit begins from here. The trail climbs steadily through forest paths and scenic mountain trails. The higher you go, the more impressive the panorama becomes. Sure-footedness is required on this section. Behind you lies Lake Tegernsee, while the peaks of the Mangfall Mountains rise ahead.

After around three hours, you will reach the summit of Baumgartenschneid. The spacious summit area offers magnificent panoramic views across Lake Tegernsee, Lake Schliersee, the Mangfall Mountains and the Bavarian Alps. On clear days, the view stretches far beyond the Prealps.

After an extended break at the summit, the return journey descends along the eastern side of the mountain towards Kreuzbergalm. Sure-footedness is also required here. The trail passes through peaceful woodland and open alpine meadows. Kreuzbergalm is the perfect place to stop for a relaxing break before beginning the final section back to Tegernsee.

The route then leads back into the valley along scenic forest roads and hiking trails. From there, pleasant paths take you back to DAS TEGERNSEE.

How to get there



This route is conveniently accessible by public transport.

Takeaway route for iPhone and Android



Scan QR code, save this route offline, share with friends and more...

Website

<https://out.ac/3xmOfM>