




Panorama Walk, Mawddach Estuary

HARD/STRENUOUS



Route Overview

-  Distance: 6.5km (4 miles)
-  Duration: 3 hours
-  Route type: Circular



Before you start

Read the safety and route grading information on the Snowdonia National Park Authority website before you start your journey.

snowdonia.gov.wales



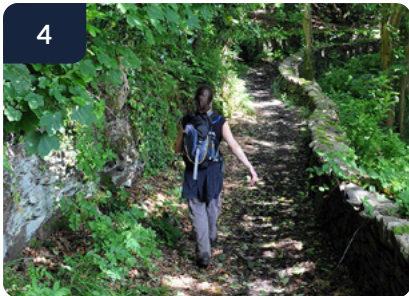
From the car park, walk down the hill towards Barmouth and take the left turn following the 'Panorama Trail' signpost. Go through a gate and follow the grassy path.



As you follow the old road, you will come to a woodland. Go through the gate and then go through another gate on your right, following the 'Panorama Trail' signpost. This path will take you up to the Panorama Trail viewpoint. You will rejoin the old road once you reach the viewpoint. Keep left as you climb the path through the trees to the top of the rock.



Once you've had time to enjoy the magnificent views, continue walking around the rock and down the narrow path on the other side. Walk back towards the gate by the old road.



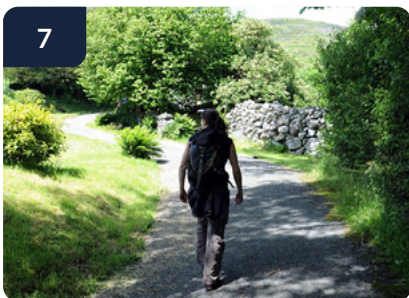
To continue the circular walk, turn right and rejoin the old road. It can get very wet underfoot here. Follow the old road for about 1km down to the village of Cutiau, passing the old Victorian gardens on your right.



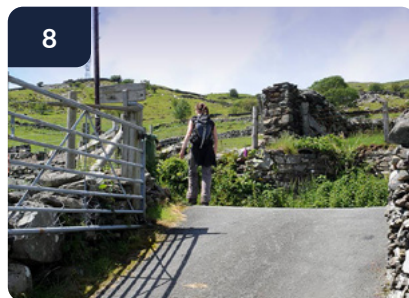
When you come to a tarmac road, turn left and walk up the hill into the small village of Cutiau. The road divides into three in front of you. Follow the middle road with the public footpath sign on the fence. The path forks as you approach a chapel. Follow the path to the right, passing through the gate.



Once past the chapel, follow the public footpath, and soon you'll come to a crossroads under electricity cables. Follow the narrow path to the left that climbs steeply through the woods and up the hill. It can get very wet underfoot here. Go through two gates.



The path joins a tarmac road as you pass an old cottage. Follow the road until you reach a junction.



At the junction, turn left and walk along the road for approximately 100 meters.



At a right hand turning, follow the public footpath sign up the hill between the stone walls on your right. Go through the gate and follow the path towards the radio mast passing through another gate.



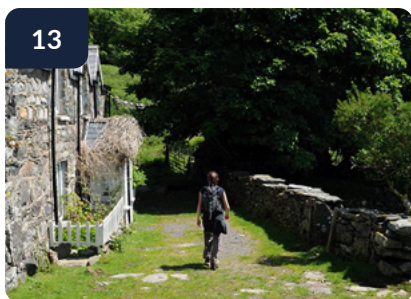
Bear right as the path forks, walking around the radio mast and alongside the stone wall. Go through the gate by the stile and follow the obscure path that climbs steeply to Bwlch y Llan.



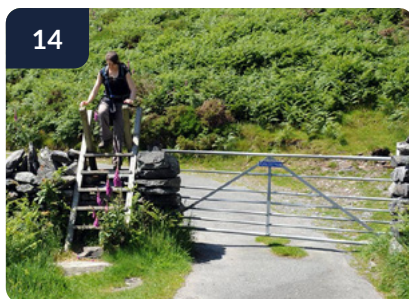
When you reach the end of Bwlch y Llan, go through the gate and follow the narrow path ahead. Soon afterwards, take the left turn and join the Taith Ardudwy path.



Follow the path until you reach the other side of the bwlch. It can get very wet underfoot here. When a gate appears on your left, follow the path to the left towards it. Passing the gate, follow the obvious track for a while until you reach Gellfawr farm.



When you reach Gellfawr, walk past the front of the house and follow the grassy road. Go through the gate and follow the road. You will shortly pass the Garn on your right.



Go through the gate and follow the road back to the car park.