

# TOP Tour of the Brenta Dolomites refuges

← 14.7 km

⌚ 6:00 hrs

▲ 1,028 m

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Difficulty

moderate



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Road surface

Path 14.7 km

Elevation profile



Tour data

Alpine Tour

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Duration ⌚ 6:00 hrs

Ascent ▲ 1028 m

Descent ▼ 1028 m

Difficulty moderate

Stamina ●●●●●

Technique AD

Altitude



Best time of year

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

Ratings

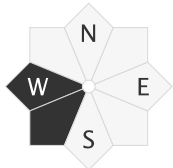
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Experience ●●●●●

Landscape ●●●●●

More tour data

Exposition



The exposition of the tour is shown in black.

Properties

Nice views

Awards (& Accessibility)

Round tour

With refreshment stops



Apt Madonna di Campiglio Pinzolo Val Rendena

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Source

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**Ring path** at the feet of the Dolomites, to discover the **Brenta Dolomites refuges**: Casinei, Tuckett e Brentei.

Author's recommendation

*Classical long route of intermediate difficulty, with an amazing view on the Dolomites and the Adamello-Presanella mountains. Not to be missed for the people loving the Dolomites and the life in the mountains.*

*People are required to bring their own drinks. Considering the length of the route, we suggest*

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*you to leave early in the morning. The exposed stretches of the path are well protected by safety cords (the ferrata equipment is not required), and the canal, often covered with snow, close to the Brentei refuge, is usually maintained by experts.*

### Turn-by-turn directions

From the parking of the **"Vallesinella" refuge**, go up keeping the left northbound for a hundred of metres, till the telpher starting. Leave the dirt street, take the path n° 382 on the left, go up till to "Malga Vallesinella di Sopra" pasture.  
Go through the pasture till a crossing and leave the path n° 382. Then take the path n° 317b, go beyond the Malga (alpine summer pasture house), go up in the wood till **"Casinei" refuge**.  
On the left take the path n° 317; after a first almost flat track go up steeply till to **"Tuckett" refuge**. (In alternative, you can reach the "Tuckett" refuge from Grotte pass by cableway, from which you walk following n° 316 path with a wonderful view on the Adamello and Presanella mountain range).  
From "Tuckett" refuge come back to the valley for some hundred metres, go eastbound along n° 328 path, pass beyond a track with stones and reach **"Sella del Fredolin"**, the meadow between **"Vallesinella" and "Val Brenta"**.  
Go down among dwarf mountain pines and reach the path that rises directly from Vallesinella. Turn left along n° 318 path called **"Arnaldo Bogani"**. Passing some exposed tracks protected by a steel rope, a tunnel in the rocks and a track often covered with snow, you reach the **"Brentei" refuge**. Go back along the last track of the described itinerary till the crossing with n° 328 path, go straight and down along n° 318 path till reaching "Casinei" refuge. From here, go down to "Vallesinella" refuge following n° 317 path.

### Starting point / trailhead

From Madonna di Campiglio (Palù area) reach the Vallesinella refuge

Coordinates:

Geogr. 46.206814 N 10.851829 E

UTM 32T 642855 5118693

### Point of arrival

Vallesinella refuge

### Safety information

Trail sign: 382, 317b, 317, 328, 318.

For those suffering from vertigo: along the itinerary

there are exposed stretches near the Brentei refuge.

### Equipment

Mountaineering boots, hat, windbreakers and sun lotion are highly recommended.

### Additional information

#### Tips, hints and links

- For information about lifts and rates, visit the website [www.funiviecampiglio.it](http://www.funiviecampiglio.it)
- For information about the paths and tour conditions, contact Madonna di Campiglio mountain guides: Tel. 0465 442634 - [www.guidealpinecampiglio.it](http://www.guidealpinecampiglio.it)

### Getting There

#### Public transport

In summer shuttle bus from the centre of Madonna di Campiglio (Brenta Alta square) down to Campiglio south and Vallesinella (from June to September). Check online the [summer transport timetables and rates](#) or take the brochure in the tourist office in Pradalago street, 4.

#### Getting there

Arrived in Madonna di Campiglio, follow for southern Campiglio: Spinale cablecar (possibility of parking and connection with the shuttle bus towards Vallesinella) or Palù area, where going on towards Vallesinella refuge.

#### Parking

Pay and display parking at the departure of the **Spinale cableway** (connection with the shuttle bus towards Vallesinella).

If you want to departure from **Vallesinella refuge**: there is a big pay and display parking (availability until full and limited Park transports).

If you want to departure from **Grotte**: there is a big pay and display parking at the departure of the Grotte cableway.