

## Walking Route 02 – Stac Gorm

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### **Route Overview**

Stac Gorm is a very craggy little hill rising to 250m above Loch Ruthven, the narrow trail has steep and sometimes boggy sections. Fine panoramic views at the top. This walk is accessed from the car park at RSPB Loch Ruthven Nature Reserve (grid reference 638281)

### **Route Distance**

2.5 Km, approx 1hr to the top, 240m ascent

### **Route Rating**

Medium-Hard

Sturdy boots recommended. Some scrambling involved in short sections.

### **Map**

Number 417 : OS Explorer . 1:25 000 scale

### **Route Description**

The trail and map information can be accessed from the WalkHighlands website:

<https://www.walkhighlands.co.uk/sub2000/stac-gorm>

1. From Gask House, turn left onto B861 and drive downhill to the shop at Inverarnie
2. Turn right, drive for approx. 3 miles to Croachy. The RSPB nature reserve at Loch Ruthven is signposted to the right at Croachy. Drive along this narrow single track road for approx. 1 mile to reach the car park
3. From the car park, step over the fence and take a rough grassy path that leads up the hill (not towards the nature reserve)
4. Follow the path upwards, head toward the bouldering rock. The trail continues to the trig point at the top of Stac Gorm
5. Return by the same route.