

192. Goatfell, Arran

Distance **13 miles/21km**

Ascent **1034 metres**

Start/Finish **Brodick pier, KA27 8AY**

Turn R out of the ferry terminal and follow the A841 to the southern end of the beach. Turn R onto a path running just inland of the beach and then meeting the A841. Turn R onto this and follow it north to a L turn onto a track at Cladach, going past the castle and uphill north-west through Cnocan Wood and onto the mountainside. Continue uphill to the ridge and cairn at 607 metres. Turn L here and follow the ridge to the trig point at 874 metres on Goatfell (5 miles/8.1km). Descend the ridge north of the summit to North Goatfell at NR 989423 (5.5 miles/8.9km) where the ridge splits. Take the L fork heading down to the Saddle at NR 978430. Turn L and run down the stream into Glen Rosa, following Glenrosa Water south into Brodick and back to the start.

Miles	Km	Directions
0.0	0.0	Turn right and follow the A841 to the southern end of the beach. Turn right onto a path running just inland of the beach and then meeting the A841. Turn right onto this and follow it north to a left turn onto a track at Cladach.
1.7	2.7	Follow the track past the castle and uphill north-west through Cnocan Wood and onto the mountainside. Continue uphill to the ridge and cairn at 607 metres.
4.5	7.3	Turn left here and follow the ridge to the trig point on Goatfell.
5	8.1	Descend the ridge north of the summit to North Goatfell at NR 989423.
5.5	8.9	Take the left fork heading down to the Saddle at NR 978430.
6.4	10.3	Turn left and run down the stream into Glen Rosa, following Glenrosa Water south into Brodick and back to the start.