

GREAT MOUNTAIN DAYS IN SCOTLAND

50 classic hillwalking challenges

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The 50 testing routes in this guide are spread across an epic mountainous landscape that is one of the wildest areas in Europe. These routes show the rich diversity and the sheer quality of Scotland's finest peaks.

Settings range from the snowbound Cairngorm plateaux to the land-sea jigsaw of the Hebrides, where rugged mountains rise instantly from crystal clear water. Some routes are well known classics, while others approach favourite mountains in novel ways or combine several peaks in a testing round.

The mountains rise above a hard empty land of rock, loch and bog, carved by past glaciation and dominated by the elements. Isolation and rigour are key to their appeal.

Key marketing points

- Follows the format of Great Mountain Days in the Lake District, which sells 4000 copies annually
- The only book covering tough walking routes throughout Scotland
- Hugely inspirational, with superb photographs by the author of Scotland's Mountain Ridges

About the author

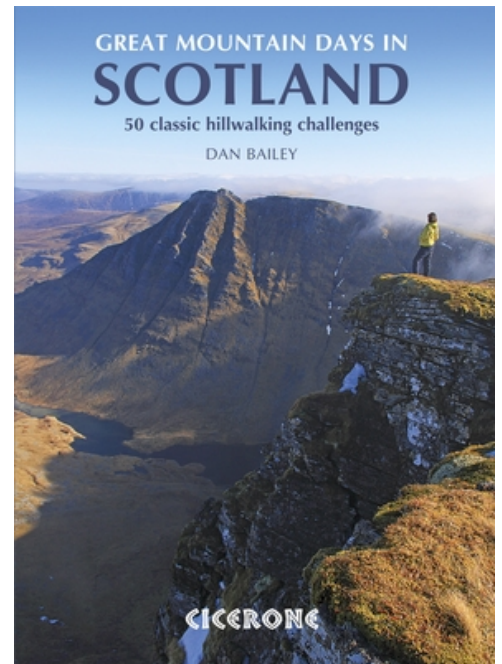
Dan Bailey has a consuming passion for the mountains of Scotland. A refugee from southern flatlands now based in Fife, he enjoys everything from winter mountaineering and rock climbing to hill walking and long-distance backpacking. This is his third title for Cicerone.

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