THE RIDGES OF ENGLAND, WALES AND IRELAND

Scrambles, rock climbs and winter routes

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Who could resist a good ridge?

Stony tightropes stringing the peaks, gap-toothed like jawbones; chiselled crests spearing out of sea surge or corrie shadow – such things are the stuff of climbing dreams.

This book complements the Cicerone guide Scotland's Mountain Ridges, describing and celebrating the best routes of their type across the rest of Britain and Ireland, and bringing them all together in one place for the first time. From balmy (and occasionally barmy) seaside trips and roadside quick fixes to strenuous snowy days in the high hills, the selection described here reflects the diversity of mountaineering and traditional climbing in our islands, and the dazzling patchwork quilt of contrasting landscapes in which these adventures can be enjoyed.

Within the broad scope of the ridges theme there's something special for everyone, scrambling beginners and hardened climbers alike.

Key marketing points

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- 50 routes from classics to obscure gems.
- Routes throughout England (17 in the Lake District), Snowdonia and Ireland

About the author

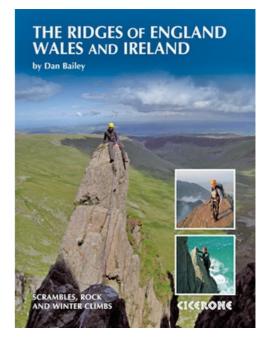
Prolific outdoor journalist and author Dan Bailey has a passion for the world?s wild steep places. He has hiked, climbed and occasionally hobbled in mountains across five continents and is also the author of the popular companion volume to this book. 'Scotland?s Mountain Ridges'.

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