



Vidden Hike





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Details

The hike between Mount Ulriken and Mount Fløyen is one of the most popular hikes in Bergen with beautiful views of Bergen and the region.

The Vidden hike offers some of the best views of all the city mountains in Bergen. If you walk it on a clear day you can see all the way to Folgefonna glacier. The hike is doable in both directions, but this map shows the hike from Ulriken to Fløyen. If you follow this route you will have less elevation during your hike because Ulriken is higher above sea level than Fløyen. The hike is about 5 hours from the top of Ulriken to the top of Fløyen. The time estimated by the map is unfortunately wrong. You can read more about the hike here.

Practical information and rules for hiking in the city mountains:

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- In a large part of the city mountains it is forbidden to swim or camp. The blue areas on this
 map are the areas where camping and swimming is prohibited.
- Remember to keep your dog on a leash at all times.
- There is a general ban from making campfires from 15. april to 15. september.

We do not recommend that inexperienced hike Vidden during the winter months. The weather can be very unpredictable and the hours of daylight are few. Your last opportunity to use a toilet is by the upper station of Ulriken or Brushytten, depending on which way you hike. Between Ulriken and Brushytten there are no toilet opportunities.

Here you can find our 10 practical tips for hiking in Norway.

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Bergen Light Rail (Bybanen) line 2

Take the Bergen light rail line 2 from Kaigaten to Haukeland.





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You can find timetables and more information at **Skyss.no**.

Bybanen (Bergen Light Rail): stop Haukeland

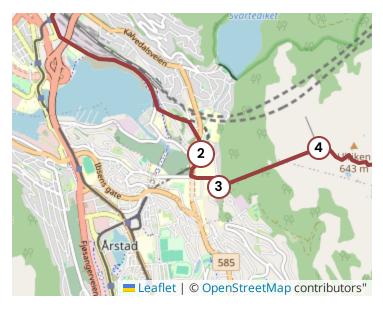


Get off the Bybanen (Bergen Light Rail) at Haukeland. From here you will walk to Ulriksbanen.



Haukeland light rail station

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Arrive via Train from Bergen Light Rail (Bybanen) line 2



At Haukeland, use the exit called Haukeland. When outside, walk up the stairs on your left hand side. Follow the road uphill for 10-15 minutes until you have reached Ulriken Cable Car.

Ulriken Cable Car lower station





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Arrive via Hike from Bybanen (Bergen Light Rail): stop Haukeland 679 m / 0.42 mi *- 15 minutes*



If you follow the route of this map you are going to take the Ulriken Cable car to the top of Ulriken. It is also possible to hike up, for information about hiking click here.

You can find tickets for the cable car here.



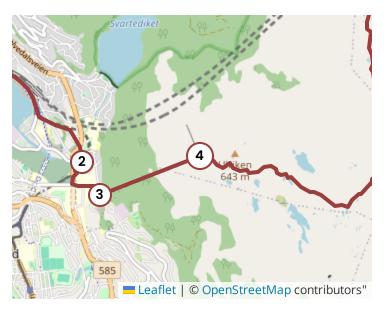
Ulriken Cable Car upper station



On the top of Mount Ulriken you will find a restaurant, café and toilet facilities.



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Arrive via Gondola from Ulriken Cable Car lower station



When you have reached the top of Ulriken you will find Skyskraperen Restaurant and Ulriken café. Here are also the last available toilets before your five hour hike.



Mount Rundemanen



Mount Rundemanen is one of the seven city mountains in Bergen. If you hike up you can say that you have hiked three of the seven mountains!





Arrive via Hike from Ulriken Cable Car upper station



9.56 km / 5.94 mi *- 2 hours 40 minutes*



Brushytten



The next stop on the route is Brushytten. Brushytten is a café/kiosk with toilet facilities.



Stop at Brushytten for a nice break on your hike, but be aware of the opening hours. You can find the opening hours and more information here. (Normally only open on Sundays from11:00 - 16:00)



Arrive via Hike from Mount Rundemanen 1.96 km / 1.22 mi - 28 minutes



Skomakerstuen

Another nice café to stop by is Skomakerstuen.





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Arrive via Hike from Brushytten 1.12 km / 0.69 mi - 17 minutes



Skomakerstuen is open between 11:00 and 16:00 on Saturdays and Sundays, and is a great stop to have a coffee and something sweet. During the summer it is also possible to go canoeing on the lake Skomakerdiket. Read more about canoeing here.

Fløibanen upper station



By the upper station of Fløibanen you have an amazing view over Bergen city center, as well as a restaurant, café, playground and toilets.



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Arrive via Hike from Skomakerstuen 825 m / 0.51 mi - 12 minutes



On the top of Mount Fløyen you can get something to eat and drink. You have deserved it after your long hike! There is also a large playground if you are hiking with children. You can read more about the facilities on Fløyen here. The last part of your hike is to take the Fløibanen funicular down to the city center. Tickets to the funicular are available here. It is also possible to hike down, you can find more information about hiking down here.

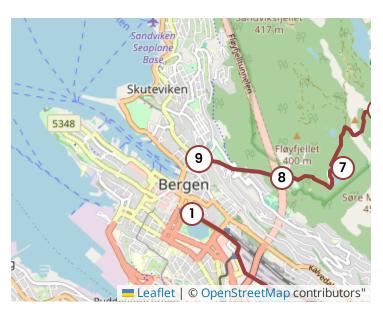
Fløibanen lower station

The lower station of Fløibanen is the end of the hike.





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Arrive via Funicular from Fløibanen upper station



You have now successfully completed the Vidden hike and you should be proud of your efforts!

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