



# HIKING RECOMMENDATION

## ACROSS THE ALPSTEIN TO SÄNTIS

Hiking tip up to the Berggasthaus Forelle (mountain inn).



A few metres after the inn Gasthaus Alpenrose the steep way up to Seealpsee begins. Once you reach Seealpsee you will be greeted by a spectacular view. The view can be enjoyed on the terrace of the Berggasthaus Forelle. You can also rent a rowing boat and navigate your own way across the lake. After the inn, the hike continues up a steep zigzag-like way to Mesmer, where you can take your next well-deserved break. From here you will make your way to Wagenlücke and then to Gross Schnee, a very small glacier right under the peak of Säntis. The last ascent up to Säntis is enduring but definitely worth it. To get back down you can take a cable car to Schwägalp and then a bus to Urnäsch. From Urnäsch you can take a train to Appenzell or wherever your heart desires.

### Places along the route

Wasserauen – Chobel – Seealpsee – Mesmer – Wagenlücke – Säntis

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## MAP

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## TYPE OF TOUR

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Hiking in the mountain

## DIFFICULTY

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moderate

## LENGTH

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10.02 km

## ASCENT

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1697 m

## DESCENT

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89 m

## TIME

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5 hours 15 minutes

## STARTING POINT

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Wasserauen

## END

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Säntis

## OPTIONS TO EAT ALONG THE WAY

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[Inn Alpenrose](#)  
[Berggasthaus Seealpsee](#)  
[Berggasthaus Forelle](#)  
[Berggasthaus Mesmer](#)  
[Berggasthaus Alter Säntis](#)  
[Säntis-Schwebebahn](#)

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