

Harishchandragad and Malshej Ghat

Map produced using the Global Positioning System (GPS). All roads, tracks and landmarks are accurate to within 15 feet (5 m). All other features are approximations.

Data on Harishchandragad was collected during hike of December 28-31, 2003, by Dr. Navin Verma, Dr. Yuvaraj Chavan (Y.B.) and Vithal Awari (member of YZ Trekkers). The Balekilla route was aided by Dattu Damu Bharmal (of village Pachnai). Map created by Mahesh Chengaiva.

This is the first of a set of two maps. The second map is a detailed map of the Harishchandragad plateau. To request this map, please send e-mail to DrChengaiva@hotmail.com. Both maps will be filled in with more GPS data to be gathered in a second expedition. To receive these maps when they are ready, or to receive XY coordinate data of tracks for download to a GPS receiver, please send e-mail to the above address. For the map, specify file format (PDF is high quality, GIF is medium quality but has a considerably smaller file size)

LEGEND
 Tar road ————— Hike Trail
 Dirt track (off-road vehicles only) - - -
 height in feet above mean sea level indicated
 Location format example:
 (19.38685N,73.77917E) indicates latitude and longitude in degrees in decimal format

Note: The decimal format has been utilized to represent GPS coordinates. For example, the summit of Taramati has the coordinates given by 19.38685N,73.77917E. This has been done for convenience. The corresponding deg-min-sec value can be calculated from these values as 19deg-23min-13sec North, 73deg-46min-45sec East.

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This map is humbly dedicated to the faith, devotion and efforts of the unknown individuals who built the ancient monuments on Harishchandragad.

