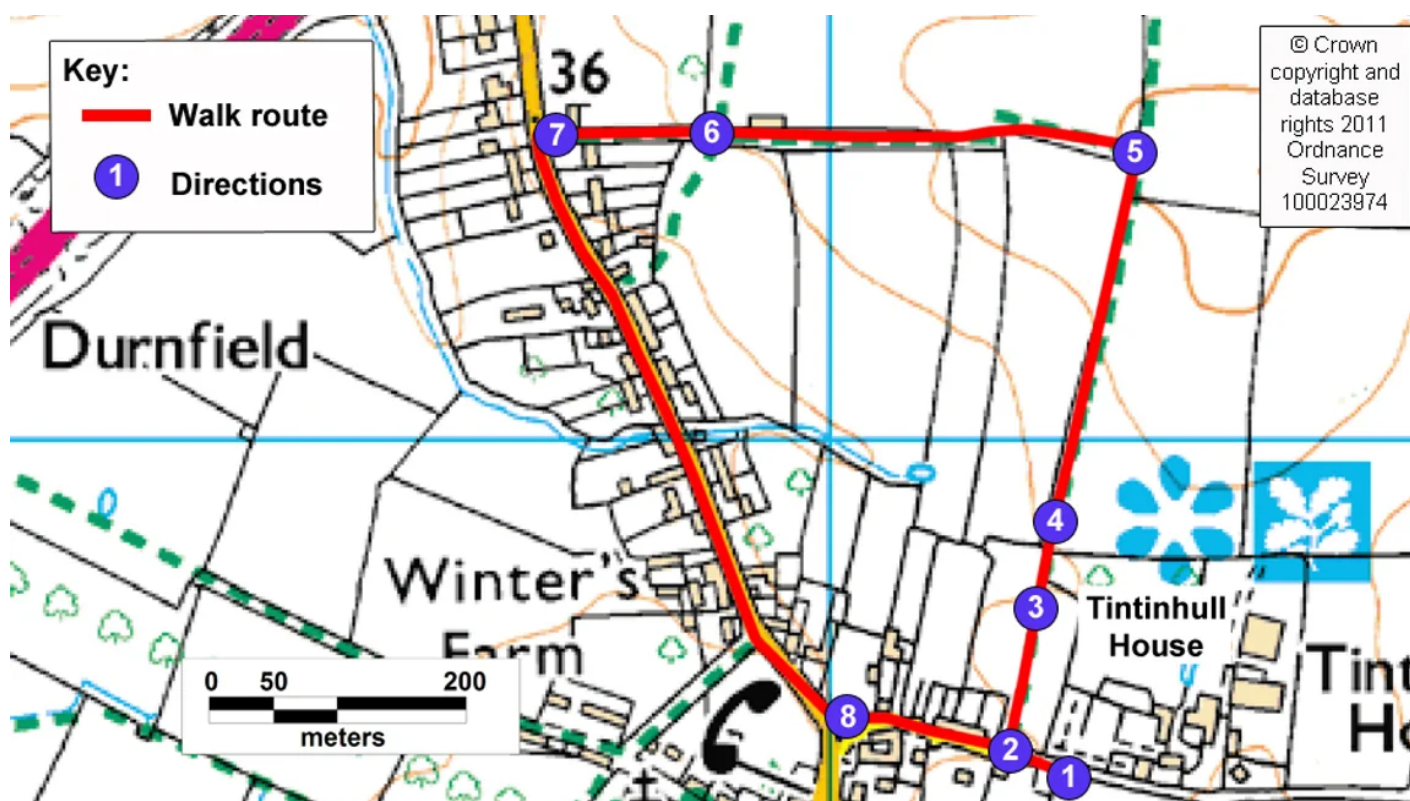


SOMERSET

Orchards, stiles and fields circular walk

Enjoy a wander through the heart of cider country at Tintinhull village in South Somerset, which dates back to the Saxon period, and discover historic orchards and medieval field systems.



Information

Address: Tintinhull village, near Yeovil, Somerset, BA22 8PZ.

OS map: Landranger 183

Activity: Walking

Easy: Gentle slopes with a number of roads to cross on the route. For further details, please see section marked Terrain.

Dog friendly: Dogs are welcome, but please keep them on a lead.

Full trail: Miles: 1 (km: 1.6)

Access: Challenging

Duration: 30 mins - 40 mins

Terrain

Gentle slopes with a number of roads to cross on the route. Some of the fields may have livestock in them.

Total steps: 8

Start point: Tintinhull Garden National Trust car park, grid ref: ST503198

1. From the car park entrance, cross the road and turn left along the pavement following the wall.
2. On reaching the Crown and Victoria Inn, turn right and enter the orchard through the gate.
3. Follow the direction of the public footpath sign through the orchard.
4. When you get to a stile keep going along the hedgerow, and pass over a second stile. A little after the second stile, stop at the waymarked metal gate on the left.
5. Enter through the gate following the waymarked footpath along the hedgerow.
6. Before reaching a wooden kissing gate have a pit stop at another metal five-bar gate, which has views across the village to Montacute as well as St Michaels Hill. Go through the kissing gate and keep going onwards down the track that was once part of a drove.
7. When you get to the end of the track, go through the second wooden kissing gate and cross the road onto the pavement. Turn left and pass through Tintinhull village. Some of the houses on the right date back to the 16th and 17th century.
8. At the triangle road junction, turn left and cross the road following the signs for Tintinhull Gardens. You should pass the Crown and Victoria Inn once more and arrive back at the car park.

End point: Tintinhull Garden National Trust car park, grid ref: ST503198