

Project Name:
Cwmcarn Downhill Track

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Client:
Forestry Commission Wales

Project Value:
£90,000.00



Case Study

FC Wales commissioned Phil Saxena of Architrail to design and oversee construction of downhill mountain bike trails at Cwmcarn Forest Drive.

The trails were to include sections of red and black grade and be suitable for riders wishing to progress their riding. The trail was also designed to be useable as a race venue using the forest drive as an uplift route.

The route was initially flagged, prior to vegetation clearance and then built using a walking excavator as well as normal tracked excavators. Some sections were also hand built to create narrow single track.

The course is split into two runs at the top. The red run and the black run, which both merge about a third of the way down the hill.

The whole course is rollable, as long as riders are careful. There are some really big jumps at Cwmcarn, but riders can easily go round them if they feel the need to.

The trail has been in place for over 5 years and has become one of the most popular Downhill Venues in the UK.

Link:

http://mbwales.com/en/content/cms/centres/cwmcarn/y_mynydd_downhill/y_mynydd_downhill.aspx

Trail Type	Design	Build
GREEN	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
BLUE	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
RED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BLACK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
DOWN HILL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4CROSS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
SKILL AREA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
JUMP PARK	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PUMP TRACK	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
MULTI USER	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ACCESS ROAD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

During Build



Trail in use



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