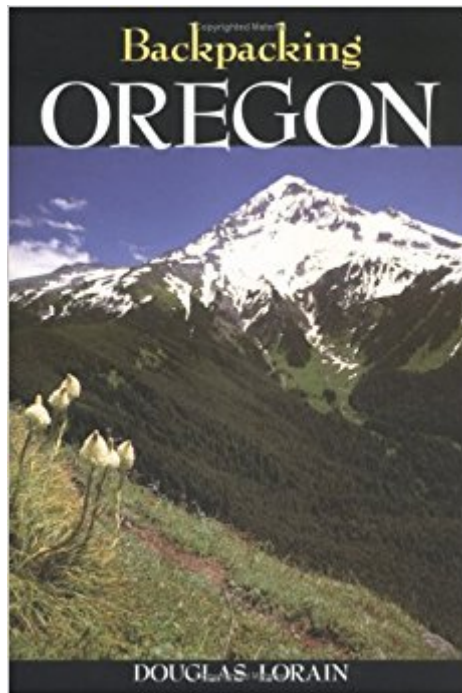




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Synopsis

There are many hiking guidebooks available for Oregon, but there is only one Backpacking Oregon. This guide is the only book available that details the best backpacking trips in the Beaver State. These 27 trips, which last from 3 days to 2 weeks, offer geographic diversity, beautiful scenery, and a short getaway from the routines of daily life. The trips are generally more than a simple weekend outing, but they are all terrific vacations and each gives you enough time to really enjoy the scenery and get to know Oregon. This is an in-depth guide based on author Doug Lorain's years of experience and miles of trail. For each trip, Lorain rates scenery, crowds, difficulty, mileage, elevation gain, days on the trail, shuttle distance, and any special attractions or problems. Author Doug Lorain is a resident of Portland and is, to put it mildly, obsessed with backpacking. He may well be the Pacific Northwest's most prolific hiker, and Backpacking Oregon is the culmination of years of travel.

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Customer Reviews

Great reference book. This won't be my only reference for planning a trip but it gives me a good place to start.

It's a good book with helpful info. Will last me a long time and when I get to Oregon it will come in handy.

Love this book! Lots of great hikes! We plan on trying to do most of them this year! Plus a 7 days on the pct.

If you are looking for a REAL backpacking trip guide - not daytrips - this is the best book I have seen for the diverse state of Oregon. It's unique organization style is by season, the perfect way to choose a trip in an area of widely varying climates. It gives excellent, detailed descriptions of 27 different trips, including elevation gains, difficulty, scenery, solitude and side trips. This is not a book for novices, no "how to's" here, just great trip analyses. Includes great maps and B/W pictures. Enjoy!

This book is fantastic. It provides great ideas for backpacking trips throughout Oregon. We loved it so much we also bought the Backpacking Washington book as well.

This book is great for backpackers. Warning: it is not a how-to manual for novices, but rather a guide for experienced backpackers. It offers a wide range of backpacking trips throughout Oregon. The author rates each trip based on difficulty, solitude, and beauty, and highlights any special advantages or drawbacks to each trip. I was excited to read so many suggestions for varied new backpacking trips (and I have been backpacking in this state for 15 years!) His ratings are absolutely correct for the trips I have gone on.

Awesome book that gives very helpful tips about different locations in Oregon to backpack. It was my first backpacking book purchased, and since then I haven't found better. He gives very personal accounts of each trail. He also rates each trail on a scale of 10 based on its difficulty, scenery, etc. A must have for any outdoor-loving Oregonian.

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