



Horohoro-yama

ホロホロ山 Ski Tour Map 1:25000



0 250 500 750 1000 m

1cm on the map equals 250m on the ground
Magnetic declination: 9° 37' W

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Symbol Key (some may not be present)

- 0:30 → Route (time between points)
- National Highway
- Prefectural Road
- Municipal Road
- Minor Municipal Road
- Walkway
- Bus route (bus stop)
- Designated campsite
- 600 Contour lines (100m, 10m)
- Power transmission lines
- Trees/shrubs
- 岩 岩 岩 Rocks/cliffs
- 温泉 Onsen (hot spring)
- 噴気 Fumerole
- 1022 Highway number
- 小屋 Hut



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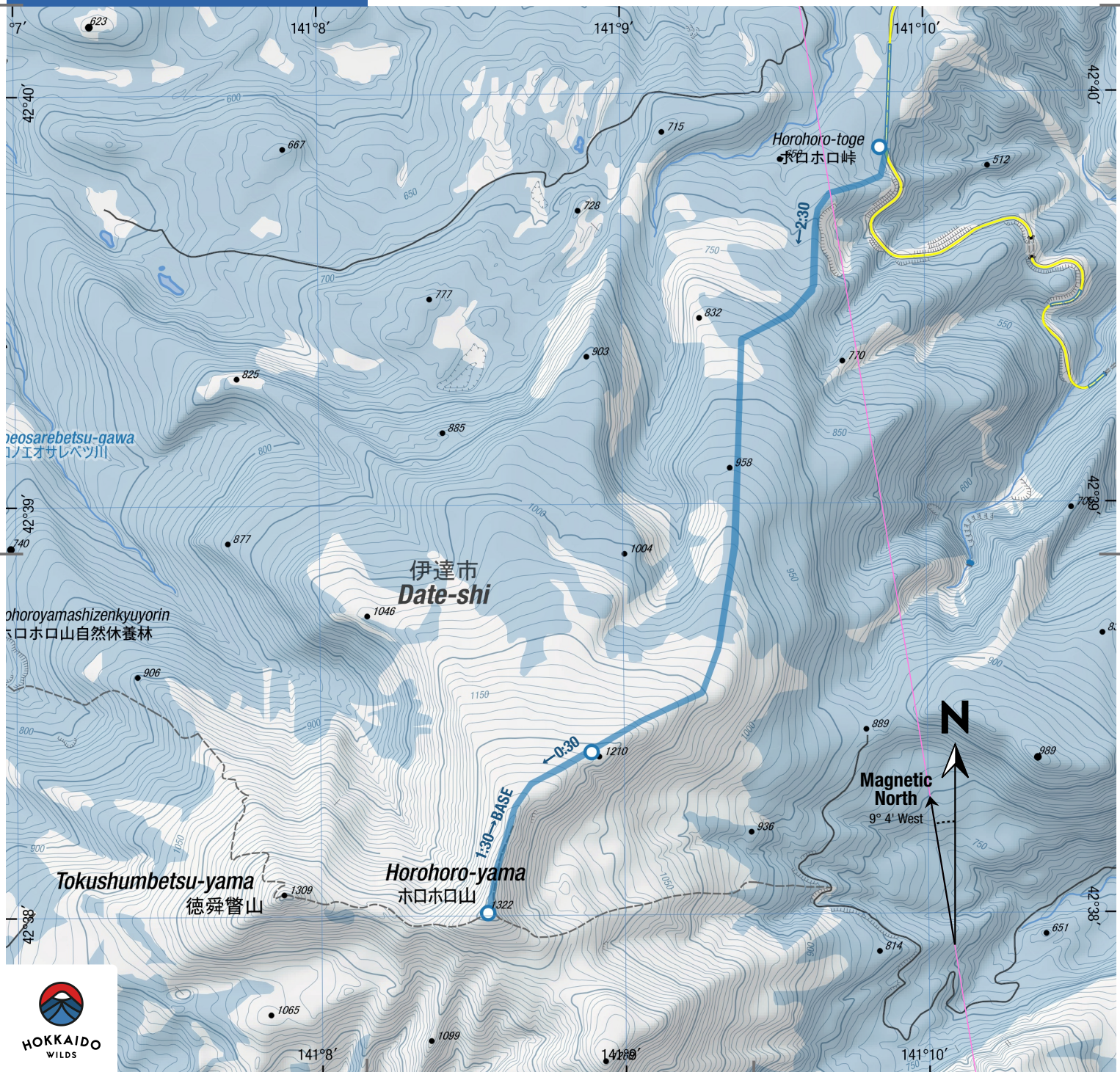


Japanese Map Glossary

Romaji	Kanji	English
bunki	分岐	junction
cho	町	town
dake/mine	岳/峯	peak
eki	駅	station
goya/koya	小屋	hut
hinangoya	避難小屋	shelter
ike	池	pond
kawa/gawa	川	river
kako	火口	crater
ko/mizumi	湖	lake
kyo	峡	gorge
numa	沼	pond
onsen	温泉	hot spring
sawa	沢	stream
taira/daira	平	plateau
tani/dani	谷	valley
taki	滝	waterfall
toge	峠	pass
yama/san/zan	山	mountain




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Horohoro-yama



 4.5hrs Time	 667m Total Climb	 1322m Highest point
 8.7km Distance	 5/10 Difficulty	 Apr-May Best season

Horohoro-yama ホロホロ山 (1322m) is the twin of Tokushunbetsu-yama 徳舜瞥山 (1309m), connected via a high level ridge. It's not the most popular of ski objectives as although the easiest access route starts from the high point on Prefectural Route 86, this only reopens in the final week of April. Moreover, it is difficult to recommend this route for the skiing given the gentle gradient and late spring conditions. It's more of a nice spring walk on skis (or snowshoes) for those who like exploring. Having said that, the final narrow ridge is fun and the amazing summit views still make it a good day out in fine weather.

LOCATION

Horohoro-yama lies southwest of Lake Shikotsu and inland from the town of Shiraoi on the Pacific coast halfway between the cities of Muroran and Tomakomai, a little under a two-hour drive from Sapporo. This route starts from



the Horohoro-yama Pass parking area.

GENERAL NOTES

Prefectural Route 86 between Date City 伊達市 and Shiraoi Town 白老町 is closed over winter and usually reopens in the last week of April.

ROUTE TIMING AND NOTES

Skiers should assume just over three hours on the ascent, and 1.5hrs on the descent. There are no official route markers. Ascend the slope behind the car park (elevation 620m) for a short distance then turn south on a gentle slope. At about 700m there is a steep drop to the skier's left (east), and at 800m a short steep step, the only steep section on the whole route. From here continue up the broad gentle slope through widely spaced trees to a small peak at 1210m. Follow the ridge round to where it narrows at about 1300m. Leave your skis here for the final few hundred meters walk along the airy ridge to the summit. The return route is the same as the ascent.

TRANSPORT

By car: The route starts at 620m, from the

high point of Prefectural Route 86 that connects Date and Shiraoi. There is a car park at the Shiraoi end of the tunnel at Horohoro Pass ホロホロ峠.

Public transport: There are no public transport options for this route.

SAFETY NOTES

Most of the route is on a broad ridge with few features and without good navigation skills it would be easy to become disorientated in bad visibility. The final ridge is narrow with a steep drop to the east and could be awkward in difficult snow conditions. On the descent be sure to check your position to avoid straying off route. Below the steep step trend slightly right to avoid overshooting the car park but mind the steep drop to the east.

ONSEN NEARBY

Kitayuzawa onsen 北湯沢温泉 is just down Route 453 towards Date and has various options including the excellent Horohoroso (ホロホロ荘 850yen), one of our favourite onsen in the area. ■



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STEP 2

Open the print window by clicking on File > Print (or hitting Ctrl + P on your keyboard).

STEP 3

Make sure "Actual Size" is selected.

STEP 4

For double-sided printing, select "Print on both sides of paper".

STEP 5

For best results, select the highest quality print option available on your printer (settings will vary).

STEP 6

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STEP 7

Click "Print".

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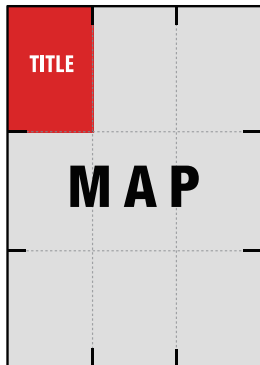
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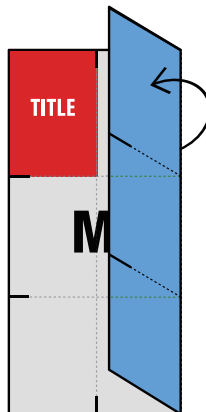
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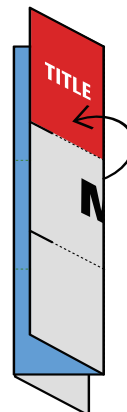
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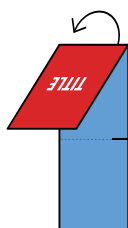
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