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QUARRY TRAILS

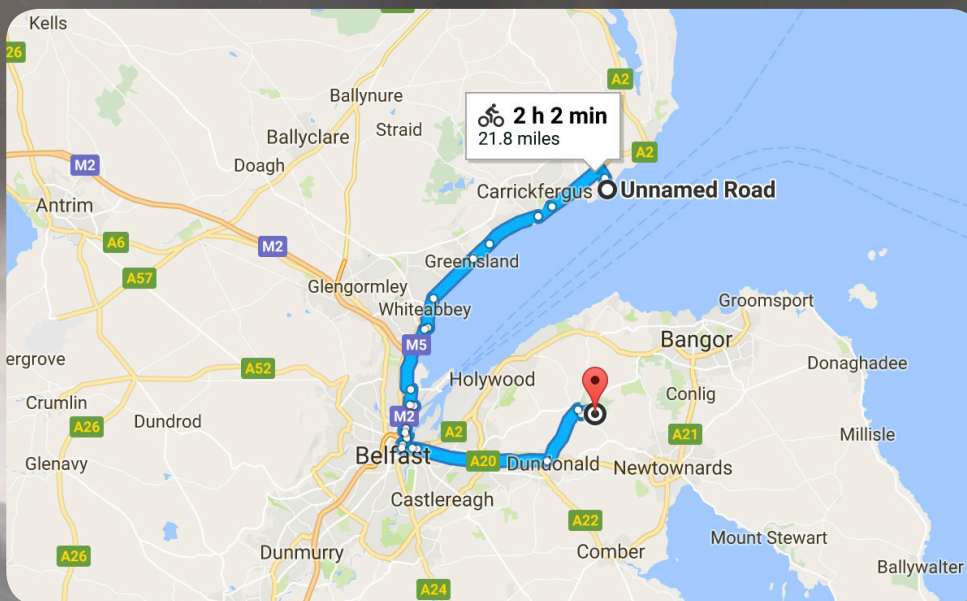
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FROM KILROOT SALT MINE TO CRAIGANTLET QUARRY

APPROXIMATE JOURNEY TIME: 2 HOURS 2 MINUTES

DISTANCE: 21.8 MILES



QUARRIES FACT FILE:

ADDRESS:

10 Old Fort Road, Kilroot, Carrickfergus,
Co Antrim, BT38 9BT (54.727112° -5.749004°)

OPERATOR NAME:

Irish Salt Mining & Exploration Co Ltd (I.S.M.E)

PLANNING REGION:

Northern Ireland

COMMODITY PRODUCE:

Salt

LITHOSTRATIGRAPHY:

Carnduff Halite

AGE:

Triassic

ADDRESS:

73 Hollywood Road, Newtownards, Co Down, BT23
4TQ (54.617729° -5.7591961°)

OPERATOR NAME:

Tarmac

PLANNING REGION:

Northern Ireland

COMMODITY PRODUCE:

Gritstone (NI)

LITHOSTRATIGRAPHY:

Gala Group

AGE:

Silurian

ROUTE PLANNER

DISTANCE TO TRAVEL

DIRECTIONS

0.0 mi	Start at Kilroot Salt Mine 10 Old Fort Road, Kilroot, Carrickfergus, Co Antrim, BT38 9BT (54.727112° -5.749004°)
0.3 mi	Head west towards Fort Rd
0.4 mi	Turn left onto Fort Rd
2.0 mi	Turn left onto Larne Rd/A2
0.6 mi	Turn left
52 ft	Turn right towards A2
1.9 mi	Turn left onto A2
0.7 mi	At the roundabout, take the 1st exit
1.9 mi	Continue onto Shore Rd/A2
66 ft	Turn left
1.1 mi	Slight right
0.1 mi	Turn right
2.3 mi	Turn left
52 ft	Turn left onto Dargan Rd
0.5 mi	Turn right onto Duncrue Rd
0.2 mi	Turn left onto Duncrue St
0.8 mi	At the roundabout, take the 2nd exit and stay on Duncrue St
285 ft	Continue onto Whitla St
456 ft	Continue onto Garmoyle St

ROUTE PLANNER

DISTANCE TO TRAVEL

DIRECTIONS

328 ft	Turn left onto Dock St
98 ft	Turn right onto Short St
0.1 mi	Turn left onto Princes Dock St
164 ft	Turn right onto Clarendon Rd
492 ft	Turn left
0.3 mi	Turn right towards Donegall Quay
151 ft	Turn right towards Donegall Quay
0.1 mi	Turn left onto Donegall Quay
0.4 mi	Continue onto A2
0.2 mi	Continue onto Middlepath St
4.5 mi	Continue straight onto Newtownards Rd/A20
2.1 mi	Turn left onto Dunlady Rd
0.2 mi	Turn right onto Hollywood Rd
0.4 mi	Turn left
0.2 mi	Turn right
0.1 mi	Turn right
0.0 mi	Arrive at Craigantlet Quarry 73 Hollywood Road, Newtownards, Co Down, BT23 4TQ (54.617729° -5.7591961°)



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SAFETY ADVICE

Please ensure you do not enter onto any quarry site.

Ensure follow all road markings and are aware of your surroundings.

Wear appropriate clothing and be prepared for changing weather conditions.

Only undertake the route if it is within your cycling and fitness capability and ensure you schedule in refreshment breaks in along the way.

Check all of your equipment is in good condition.

Environmental conditions can change the nature of the trails within a short space of time, you should only continue if safe to do so.

It's also a good idea to ensure you have a basic first aid kit with you.

ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD PRACTICE

We all have a responsibility to protect the countryside now and for future generations, so make sure you don't harm animals, birds, plants or trees and try to leave no trace of your visit.

Do not disturb wildlife, leave the environment as you find it and follow a path or track if there is one.

Leave gates and property as you find them.

Look after the places you visit and ensure all litter is taken home with you.

DISCLAIMER

We have taken great care to ensure the currency, accuracy and reliability of the information contained within the 'Quarry Trails'. We cannot accept responsibility for errors or omissions but where such are brought to our attention the information will be amended accordingly. Where possible we recommend the GPS co-ordinates be used for the trails as these will provide more accurate start and end locations.