









Walking the Islands...Rhodes

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DODEC/Rho 4	A Hilltop Spa	Salakos-Prof Elias	400m ascent over 2.5Km, minimum 1 hour	climb a zigzag to the restored 1930s Italian resort	2
DODEC Rho 5	Kritinia Castle 	Kamiros Skala, Koprias Bay, Kritinia Castle	140m ascent over 2.2Km, minimum 1 hour, on minor road, refreshments at each end	A visit to an imposing Venetian fortress, one of several on the defensive line serving this rugged northern coast.	1
DODEC Rho 6	Ataviros the Island Summit 	Ataviros from (1) Embonas direct or (2) via the forest or (3) from Kritinia - Siana road via Jeep Track	(1) 750m climb over 2.6Km, taking about 2.5 hours (2) 815m descent over 7Km 2½ hours or (3) 800m ascent over 11Km, around 5 hours. No water	Two climbs and one descent of the commanding 1215m (4000 ft) summit of the island and archipelago. Choose between (1) a very steep direct climb mostly on loose stone or bare rock, (2) a long slog up a jeep track, with some kalderimi alternatives, and (3) a hybrid route involving slightly tricky navigation through a natural cypress forest lower down	5

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DODEC Rho 7	Akramitis 	Akramitis forest, chapel and crags from Siana – Monolithos Road	400m ascent and descent over 6.4Km, minimum 2½ hours, no water	Climb the craggy limestone plateau jutting into the sea. Loop walk through woods for alpine scenery and views along the coast and out to the islands.	2
DODEC Rho 8	Hidden Lindos 	Lindos, Ayios Emilianos Peninsular, Kleoboulos Tomb, mill and rocky shore	More or less level walk over 4Km round trip, allow 2 hours, stony ground, no shade or water	Escape from the crowds and explore the empty peninsular just out of town on a short, level walk past two interesting ruins to an empty, rocky shore and classic views of the village, its Kastro and Acropolis.	2
DODEC Rho 9	Lindos Round the Mountain 	Loop walk based on Lindos town	250m ascent and descent over 4.7Km, cairned throughout	A loop walk through the mountains behind Lindos, giving a taste of the countryside, coastal views, and some big caves.	2
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