

VIA FERRATAS OF THE ITALIAN DOLOMITES: VOL 1

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With their explosive shapes and unique colours, the Dolomites are the crown jewels of the European Alpine range. And via ferrata climbing is a great way of enjoying the magnificence of this awesome mountain environment. You will be regularly stopped in your tracks by the views.

In recent years, the wartime ferratas have been restored and many new ones, including some highly technical sport routes, have been added to create a network of routes around the whole Dolomite region.

Volume 1 of -Via Ferratas of the Italian Dolomites- covers the northern central and eastern Dolomites across an area stretching from Val di Fassa to Auronzo. This second edition has been comprehensively updated and includes improved diagrams and four completely new routes. Routes are grouped according to the recommended valley bases and graded using the authors- own, simplified system. Mountain ranges covered include Catinaccio, Marmolada, Sella, Puez Odle, Fanes, Tofane, Cristallo, Sesto, Sorapiss and Marmarole.

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- New edition with extended information and routes
- Together with Volume 2, this guide has been a consistent best-selling guide over many years

About the author

From his base in Wharfedale, John Smith enjoys walking and climbing mountains around the world, and has a particular passion for the Dolomites. He currently leads HF walking holidays. After a busy professional career, Graham Fletcher took early retirement and now lives at the foot of Monte Agner, in the southern Dolomites, biking, skiing and introducing newcomers to the via ferratas.

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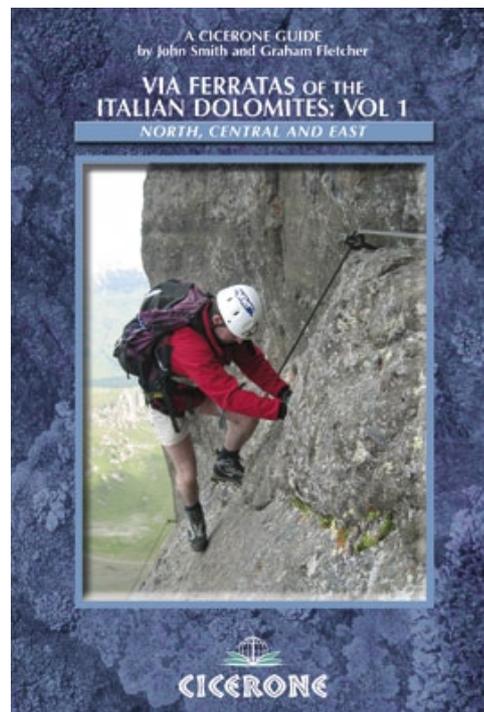
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