Hike Rheinquelle

Graubünden, 1 day, 10km, 800hm

26. September 2021

Description

A hike of 10 km in Graubünden to the spring of the Rhine. The weather can be checked here. The path is given on this website and the gpx data on the main page of the hike.

Path

From Oberalppass start at the red lighthouse to enter the fens. In the fens stay on the track to not destory the nature reserve and climb up, next to some old military fortresses up until you hit a larger fortress. From here climb up the last serpentine heavy part to the Pazolastock. Then you walk along a bolder riden ridge to the next small peak, from which you climb down to the Fil da Tuma, which you already see in the distance. You will come across the Baduzhut and then leave to the right going down to the lake. The lake you pass on the left to then come to a small crossing. Here keep left and then start the decline. The decline goes through several serpentines to finally end in a long track, parallel on the mountain. Follow it over some small bridges to end up back in Oberalppass.

How to get there (from Zurich)

- 6:05 Zuerich HB Gleis 10 to Göschenen, IR46 to Locarno
- 7:54 Göschenen Gleis 11 to Andermatt, R 621 to Andermatt
- 8:28 Andermatt Gleis 2 to Oberalppass R 820

How to get home

Two main train connections

Every two hours: (12, 14, 16, 18)

- xx:53 Oberalppass to Andermatt, R859 Richtung Disentis
- xx:20 Andermatt Gleis 3 to Göschenen R662
- xx:09 Göschenen Gleis 1 to Zuerich HB, IR 46 Richtung Zuerich

Every two hours (13,15,17)

- xx:53 Oberalppass to Andermatt, R855 Richtung Andermatt
- xx:29 Andermatt Gleis 3 to Göschenen, R658 Richtung Göschenen
- xx:09 Göschenen Gleis 1 to Arth Goldau, IR26 Richtung Basel SBB
- xx:15 Arth-Goldau Gleis 4 to Zurich HB, IC2

Packing list

- ☐ Water & Food
- ☐ Medical Supply

- ☐ Cap
- ☐ Sunscreen
- ☐ Sticks
- ☐ Camera
- ☐ Rainjacket
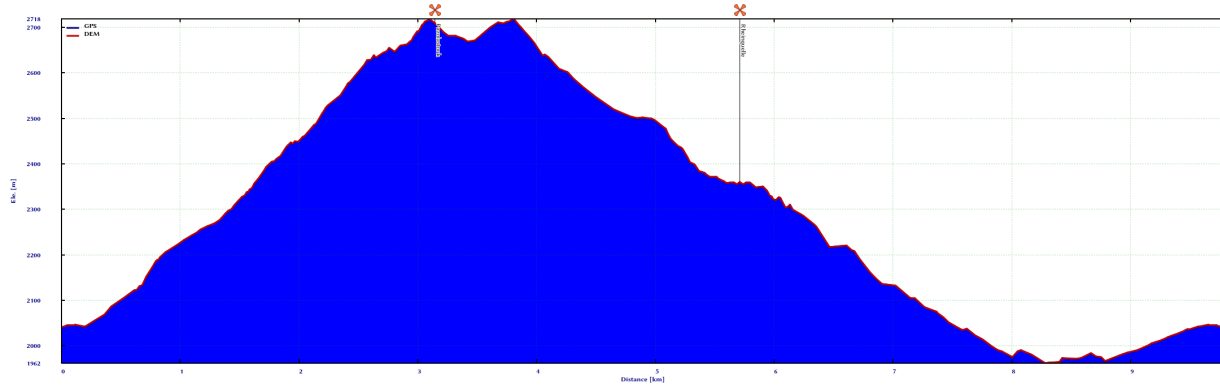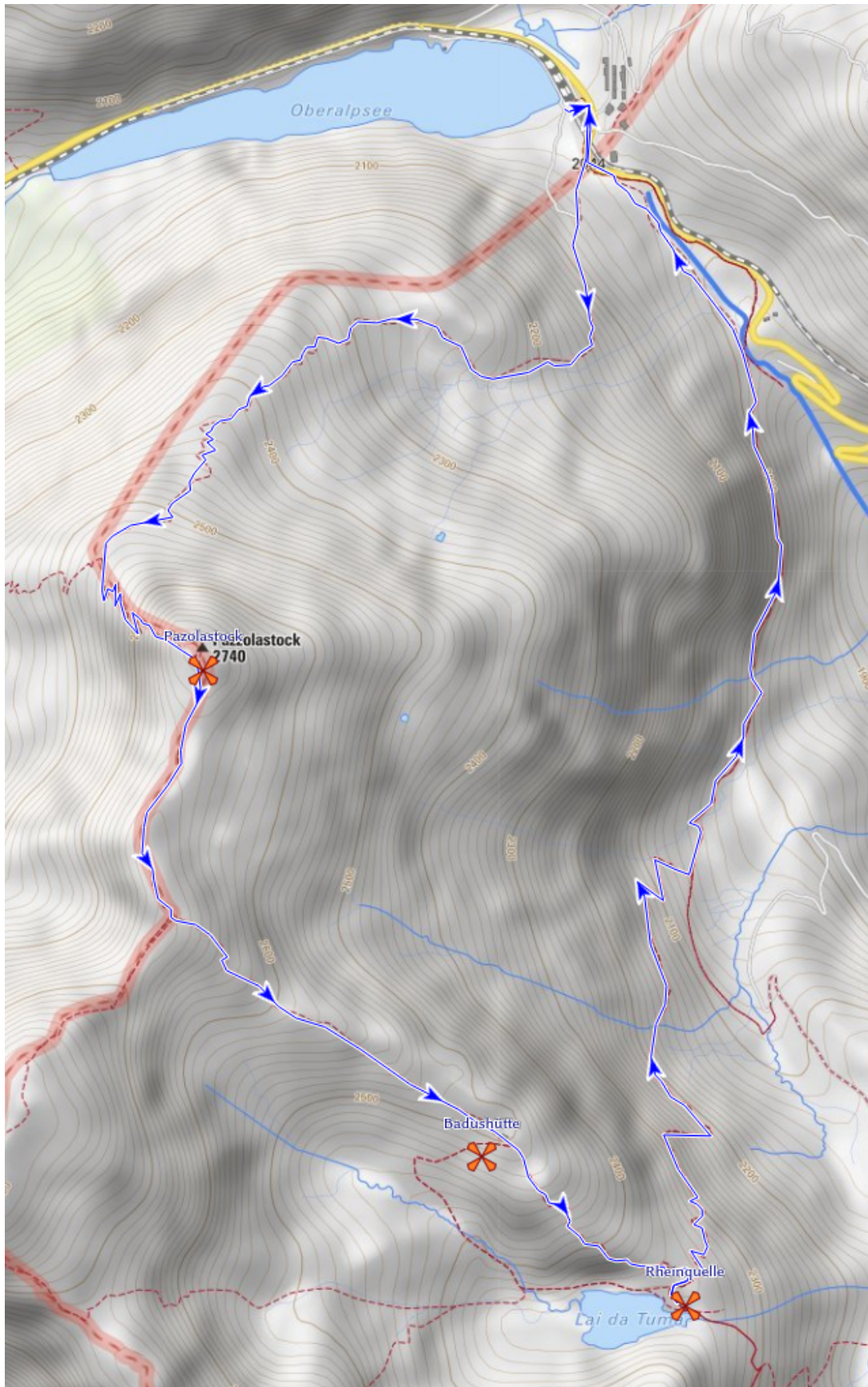- ☐ Sunglasses
- ☐ Fleece jacket

Pictures

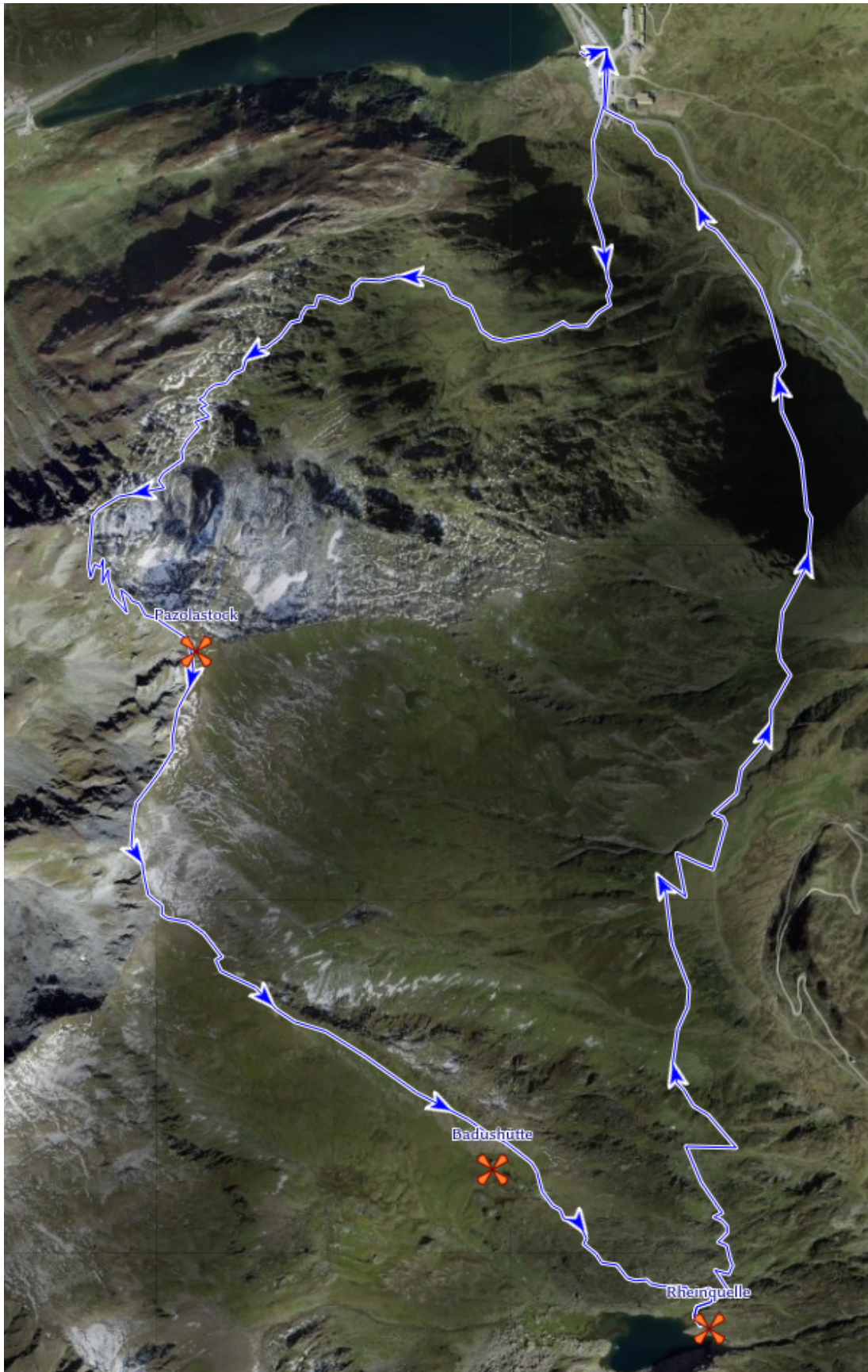Figure 1: Elevationprofile

Figure 2: Topological Map

Figure 3: Satalite Map