

Burnt Peak 08B

Lat/Lon 34.6824846,-118.5767526
UTM 11S 355559E 3838964N

Elevation: 5788'

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Location: Los Angeles County, about 19 miles southeast of Gorman, 78 miles from Los Angeles

Nearby peaks: Liebre Mountain, Sawtooth Mountain

Land Manager: Angeles National Forest, Los Angeles Gateway District (818) 899-1900

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About the peak

Burnt Peak and its neighbors lie on the northwest edge of the San Gabriel Mountains range, where the San Andreas Fault marks the transition from forest to desert. Originally called Sawmill Mountain, it was renamed following a major fire and the name Sawmill transferred to another nearby peak. Burnt Peak is usually hiked in conjunction with nearby Sawtooth and Liebre Mountain. It is an easy walk on road to the summit, marked by communications towers.

Burnt Peak has 1 official HPS route:

Burnt Peak Route 1

Distance: 5.8 miles round trip

Gain: 1300

Difficulty rating: Class 1, easy

Time: 2-3 hours round trip

Trailhead location on [Google Maps](#)

Navigation difficulty: Easy

Adventure Pass may be required

Road type: Dirt

Driving directions:

- Take I-5 north to the town of Castaic and exit on Lake Hughes Road.
- Take Lake Hughes Road northeast for 23.6 miles to where it ends at a junction with N2, Pine Canyon Road. Turn left (west).
- Go 4.7 miles to Bushnell summit with a junction with 7N23 on the left. Turn left. Note your odometer and go as follows:
- At 2.0 miles, fork. Go right.
- At 3.2 miles, junction. Park here.

Hiking directions:

- From the parking area, hike west on 7N23A for 2.9 miles to the summit. The register is in a small rock cairn outside the northeast corner of the fence.

Additional Route 1 notes:

