

Spiti Valley Circuit

8 days · Shimla - Kinnaur - Kaza - Chandratal - Manali

●	Shimla Vehicle check, permits paperwork, early departure	Start · 2,200 m
●	Sangla / Chitkul Baspa valley; last green camp before the desert	225 km · 2,600 m
●	Nako or Tabo Kinnaur gorge, Khab confluence, first altitude night	120 km · 3,050 m
●	Kaza Base for the valley; fuel, network, workshop	50 km · 3,800 m
●	Langza - Komic - Hikkim Fossil village, world's highest post office	45 km loop · 4,587 m
●	Key and Kibber Monastery morning, ibex country above Kibber	35 km · 4,270 m
●	Chandratal via Kunzum La Camp near the lake; open mid-June to mid-October	100 km · 4,590 m pass
●	Manali via Atal Tunnel Batal to Gramphu is the roughest stretch of the loop	115 km · 2,050 m

FIELD NOTES

- Kunzum La is closed roughly November to May - the circuit becomes an out-and-back via Kinnaur.
- Fuel: Rampur, Reckong Peo, Kaza. The Kaza-Manali leg has no fuel at all.
- Carry an Inner Line Permit if travelling to Kinnaur border areas as a foreign national.
- Build one buffer day for landslides between Rampur and Pooh during the monsoon.