

1. AU Main entrance where all the trails starts.
2. "Behandlingen" - the waste treatment plant where various kinds of waste from the whole Risø area are treated.
3. "Hot Cell" - which was used for examination of radioactive 'fuel' in the years 1964-1989 . The examination took place in concrete cells with wall thickness of up to 1.7 meters, and with windows made out of a special glass which was 1.2 meters thick.
4. "DR3"- The 3rd danish nuclear reactor (the octagon shaped building which best can be seen from the road along the sea side). DR 3 was the biggest Danish nuclear power plant, but has now been dismantled, and the building is in a process of cleaning. DR3 was running from 1960 to April 2000.
5. View point overlooking the fjord - a nice place for having a break or your lunch...
6. "The Risø peer" - where it's possible to have a swim during the summer, and where AU from time to time put their small boats in the water in order to carry out research in the fjord. In the season you can also do a good catch of Garfish (in Danish: Hornfisk) from the peer.
7. "DR 2" - Danish Nuclear Reactor nbr. 2 was shot down as the first one of the three danish reactors . It happend in 1975, and the reactor is today completely removed, and the building has been cleaned.
Across the road just outside DR2 towards "Bløden" is there today a small house, but the foundation was used for a large wooden cooling structure for DR2.
This wooden structure burned down some years ago.
8. The Risø meteorological mast, an approximately 125 meter tall mast used for scientific purposes. In the mast is also installed a nest box for falcons/owls, and the rare Perigrine falcon (in danish: Vandrefalk) has shown interest in the box during the 2016 pre-breeding season. Next to the mast is one of the DCE/NOVANA

atmospheric background monitoring sites located. The site is equipped with various gas- and particle instruments and measuring data can be found on the internet (<http://www2.dmu.dk/atmosphericenvironment/byer/forside.htm>)

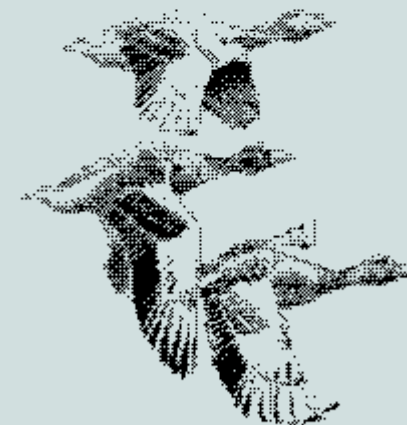
9. "Bløden", a protected area, with a one of the smallest islands in Roskilde Fjord. A lot of birds can be seen from the road, eg. the uncommon Sea Eagle (in Danish: Havørn), or maybe hundreds of resting Greylag geese (in Danish: Grågås), so bring a pair of binoculars.
10. "DR1" the very first nuclear power plant in Denmark started at 14:48 in August 15, 1957, and was shut down as the last one in 2001. The reactor itself is long gone, and the building is now used for other purposes like education etc.
11. The Risø Gym (below the Risø canteen). All employees working at the Risø area are welcome to join. A small monthly fee will be charged.
12. "Niels Bohr auditorium - the main auditorium at Risø with space for large audience. AU is also using this facility from time to time.
13. Various wind turbines for research.
14. New windtunnel.

Estimated length of the routes and surface of trail:
 Green trail: 1480 meter (gravel- & paved roads)
 Blue trail: 2790 m (gravel- & paved roads)
 Yellow trail: 3075 meter (paved roads & grass)
 Red trail: 3470 meter (gravel- & paved roads, beach)
 Purple trail: 3515 m (Paved roads, soil and gravel)

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Walk 'n Talk @ Risø

A description of
walking trails at Risø



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