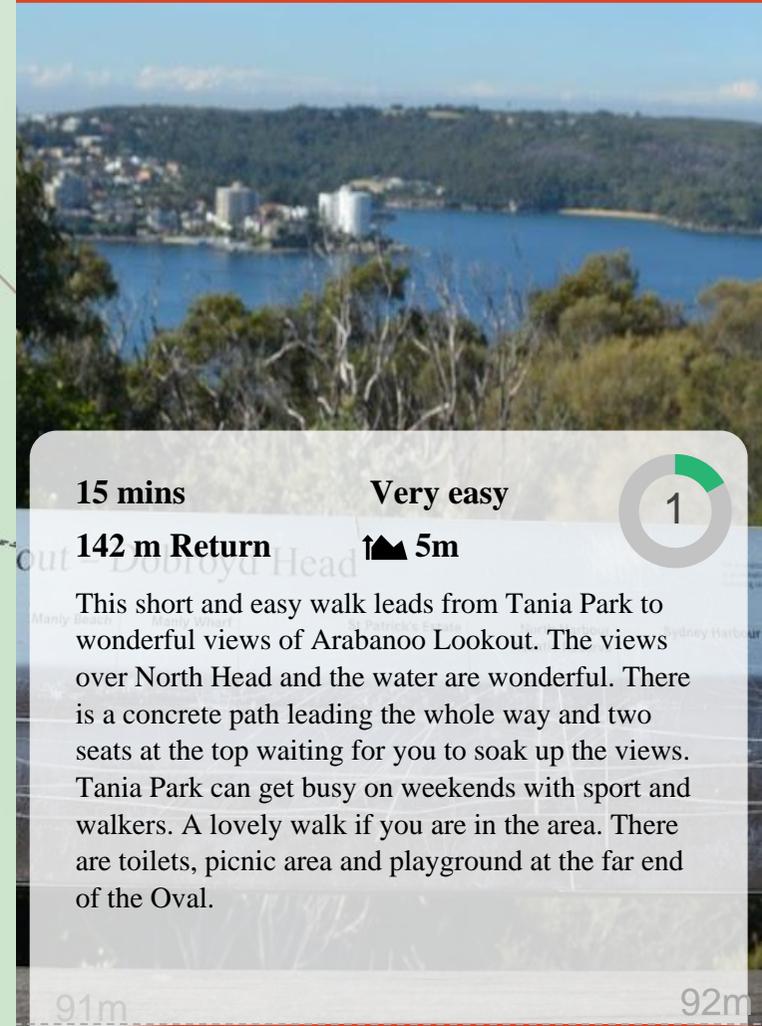


Arabanoo Lookout



15 mins

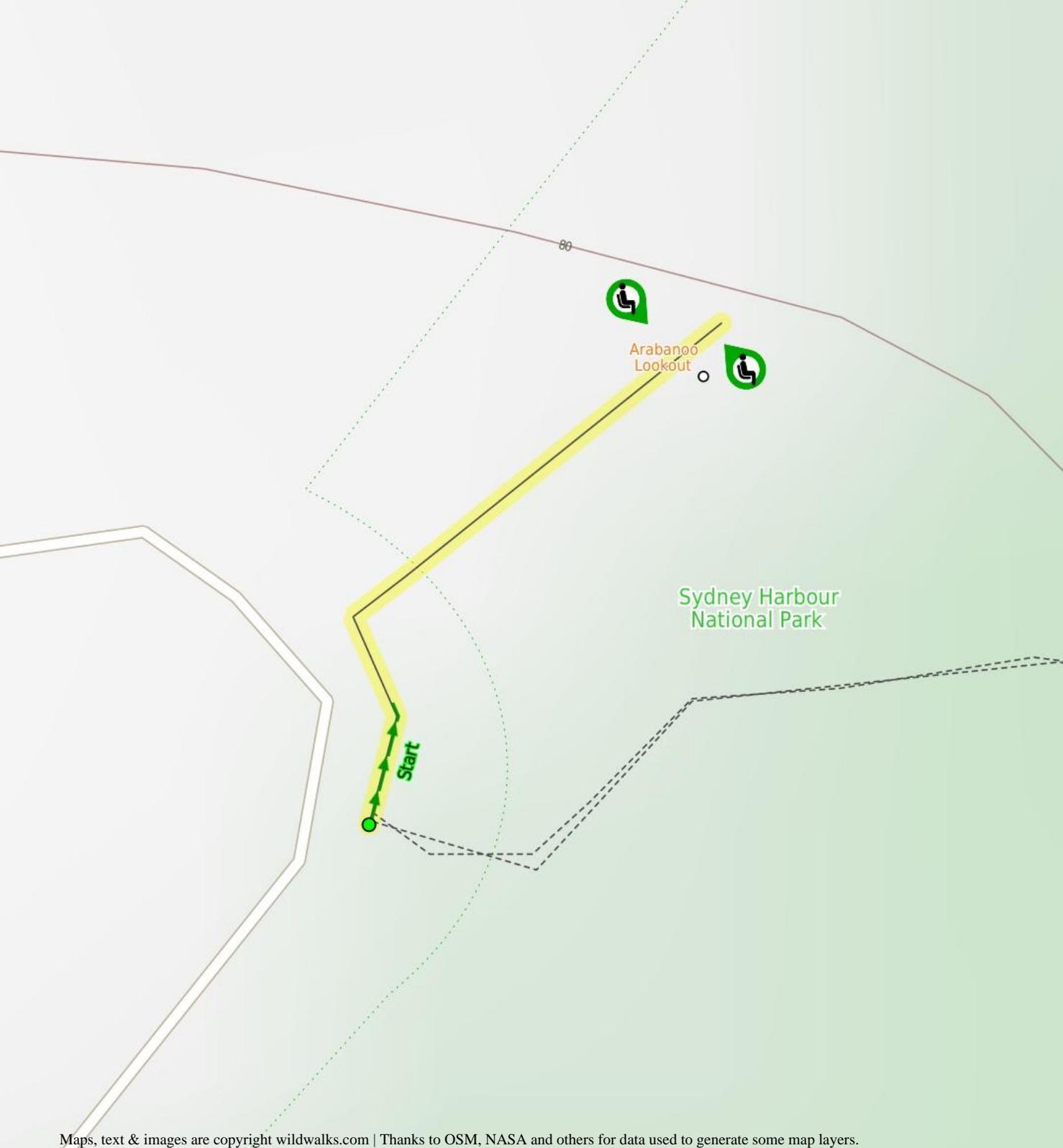
Very easy



142 m Return

▲ 5m

This short and easy walk leads from Tania Park to wonderful views of Arabanoo Lookout. The views over North Head and the water are wonderful. There is a concrete path leading the whole way and two seats at the top waiting for you to soak up the views. Tania Park can get busy on weekends with sport and walkers. A lovely walk if you are in the area. There are toilets, picnic area and playground at the far end of the Oval.



Are you ready to have fun?

Please ensure you and your group are well prepared and equipped for all possible hazards and delays. Check park closures, weather information and Fire Danger Rating before setting out. Optional side trips and alternate routes noted are not included in this walks overall grade, length or time estimate. Please allow extra time for resting and exploring areas of interest. The authors, staff and owners of wildwalks take care in preparing this information but will not accept responsibility for any inconvenience, loss or injury you may experience. Please take care, have fun - Happy Walking.

Getting there Traveling by car is the only practical way to get to Dobroyd Scenic Drive (gps: -33.8084, 151.2688). Car: There is free parking available.

This is a return walk, so you will finish back at the start.

Find up to date and more information including; travel directions, weather, park closures and walker feedback at <http://wild.tl/ww>

0 | Tania Park

Tania Park is home to a large oval, and is found on Dobroyd Scenic Dr, Balgowlah Heights. This oval can be accessed on the Manly to Spit walking track and is home to the start of the Arabanoo Lookout path. The oval has basic facilities at the western edge such as toilets, children's playground, drinking water, BBQ and picnic tables.

0 | Dobroyd Scenic Drive

(70 m 1 mins) From the car parking bays on the north eastern edge of Tania Park on Dobroyd Scenic Dr, Balgowlah Heights this walk heads towards the 'Arabanoo Lookout' sign. From the edge of the road, this walk follows the (1.5m wide) concrete footpath, directly away from the oval and road, gently uphill, initially passing the 'Arabanoo' information sign. About 35m from the road this walk comes to the fenced (1.2m high) lookout area, and seats.

0.07 | Arabanoo Lookout

Arabanoo Lookout provides great views over Port Jackson, North Harbour and to Manly. The lookout also has some interesting information signs and plaques providing information on the significance of the area. There are two large stone seats at the lookout. This lookout is named after Arabanoo, an Aboriginal man kidnapped in December 1788, by British marines on Governor Phillips orders. The Governor believed that this was justified as he wished to facilitate communication between the British and the Aborigines. Arabanoo lived in the company of the Europeans until the 18th May 1789 where he died due to smallpox infection.





This page is designed to give you a sense of the facilities that help improve access for people with disabilities or mobility restrictions. See tracknotes and map for navigation, point of interest and other information. See the Accessibility Details page for specific information about each facility.

Parking: There are 0 designated accessible parking areas on this walk.

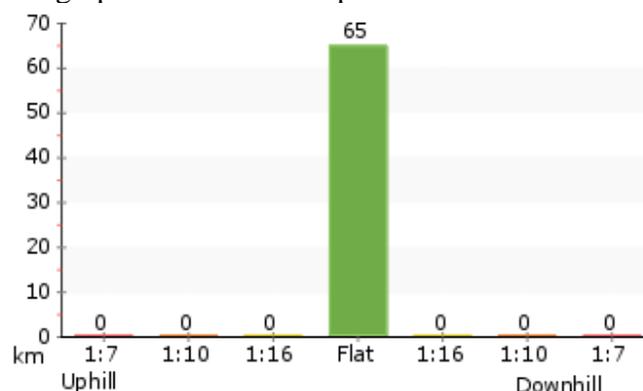
Toilets: There are 0 toilets on this walk.

Seats: There are 2 seats on this walk. They are 70m apart.

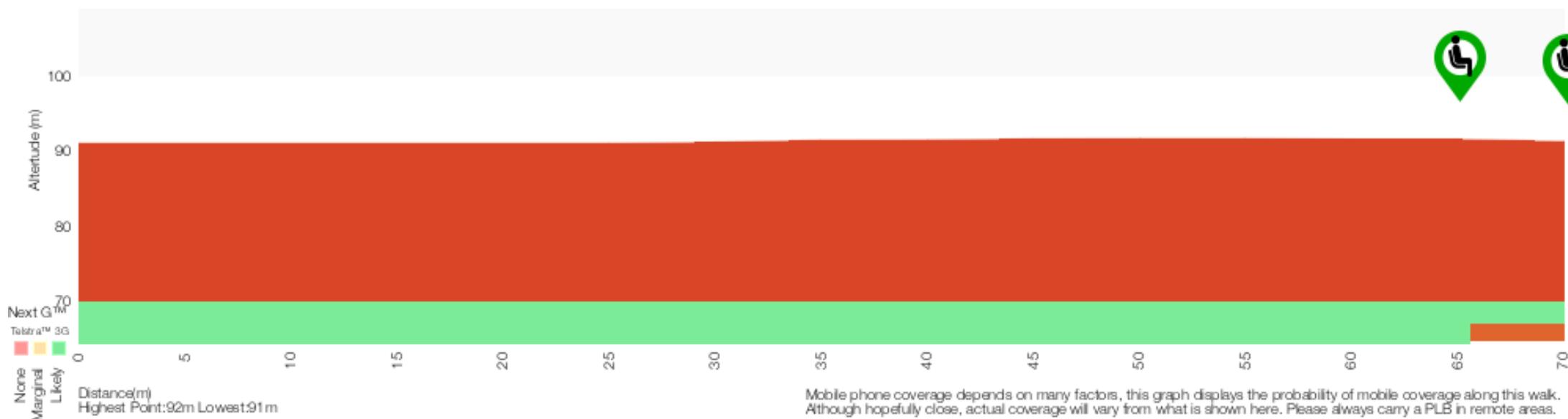
Surface
1.5m wide concrete footpath and asphalt road to cross.

Steepness
Gentle slope uphill towards the lookout. The return is down hill. There are no steps on the walk. There are steps near the lookout fence with a ramp to bypass.

This graph shows how steep the track is.



1		Grade 1/6 Very easy	
Length	142 m Return		
Time	15 mins		
Quality of track	Smooth and hardened path (1/6)		
Signs	Clearly signposted (1/6)		
Experience Required	No experience required (1/6)		
Weather	Weather generally has little impact on safety (1/6)		
Infrastructure	Generally useful facilities (such as fenced cliffs and seats) (1/6)		



Mobile phone coverage depends on many factors, this graph displays the probability of mobile coverage along this walk. Although hopefully close, actual coverage will vary from what is shown here. Please always carry a PLB in remote areas.



1 **Seat** **(70m)**
A concrete and stone seat, 35cm high, 45cm deep and 3m wide with no arm or backrest.



2 **Seat** **(70m)**
A curved concrete and stone seat, 39cm high (33cm at the front), 45cm deep and 7.5m wide with no arm or backrest.