

Blackdown Hills

Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty

6 Circular Walks in and around Hemyock

Walk 6

Culm Valley

A gentle 4.5 km (3 mile) walk crossing several braids of the river Culm.

Follow directions for the Owleycombe walk (Walk 5) as far as the lane 100m after the four-way junction of tracks and paths. Turn right on to the lane, past Tedburrow Farm and on to the Culmstock Road. Cross over the road (which can be busy) and take the footpath opposite, walking straight downhill across the first field, through a gate, then diagonally across to the left hand corner of the next field and over a bridge. Keeping the river on your right and ignoring the first, very narrow bridge, cross

two more fields and two further bridges. Walk uphill across the final field, over a stile and onto a lane by the side of a thatched cottage. Turn right and almost immediately right again, past Whitehall mill and remnants of Whitehall Halt and the **railway line** that once ran from Tiverton to Hemyock. About 0.5 km further on you will come to the Culmstock Road again: turn left and return to Hemyock.



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Walk 6 map

