

Photos of Rock Creek Trail
Ochoco National Forest

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The trailhead and small parking lot are found at Potter Meadows, on Road 38.



In the first quarter mile, the trail drops steeply to a footbridge over Rock Creek.



For the next two miles, the trail follows the north bank of the stream on a gentle grade...



...and occasionally climbs the hillside for views back up the broad canyon.



The lower canyon becomes narrower, with steeper canyon walls.



At 2 miles, the trail meets the old Waterman Ditch, which it follows for one mile to Fir Tree Creek.



Walking the ditch trail as it contours around the hillside, there are long views down the canyon.



A good turnaround point is Fir Tree Creek, where ruins of the ditch crew's log cabin are found.