

Photos of Dobbin Creek Trail
Wallowa-Whitman National Forest, La Grande District

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From the Moss Springs Trailhead, the Upper Little Minam River Trail branches right after 150 yards.



At 0.7 miles are long views of the Little Minam River canyon and Dobbin Creek entering on the right.



The Upper Little Minam River Trail meets Dobbin Creek at 2.1 miles — a refreshing spot for a rest.



Backtracking about 60 yards, the Dobbin Creek Trail (aka the Art Garrett Trail) forks left (south).



For the next 1.5 miles, the Dobbin Creek Trail is always within sight or sound of the rushing stream.



At intervals along the creek, lush wet meadows offer a welcome contrast to the thick streamside forests.



The trail climbs away from the creek in stretches, through mixed stands of fir, larch and lodgepole pine.



At 3.5 miles, the trail comes to a wide ford of the creek — a good day hike and lunch destination.