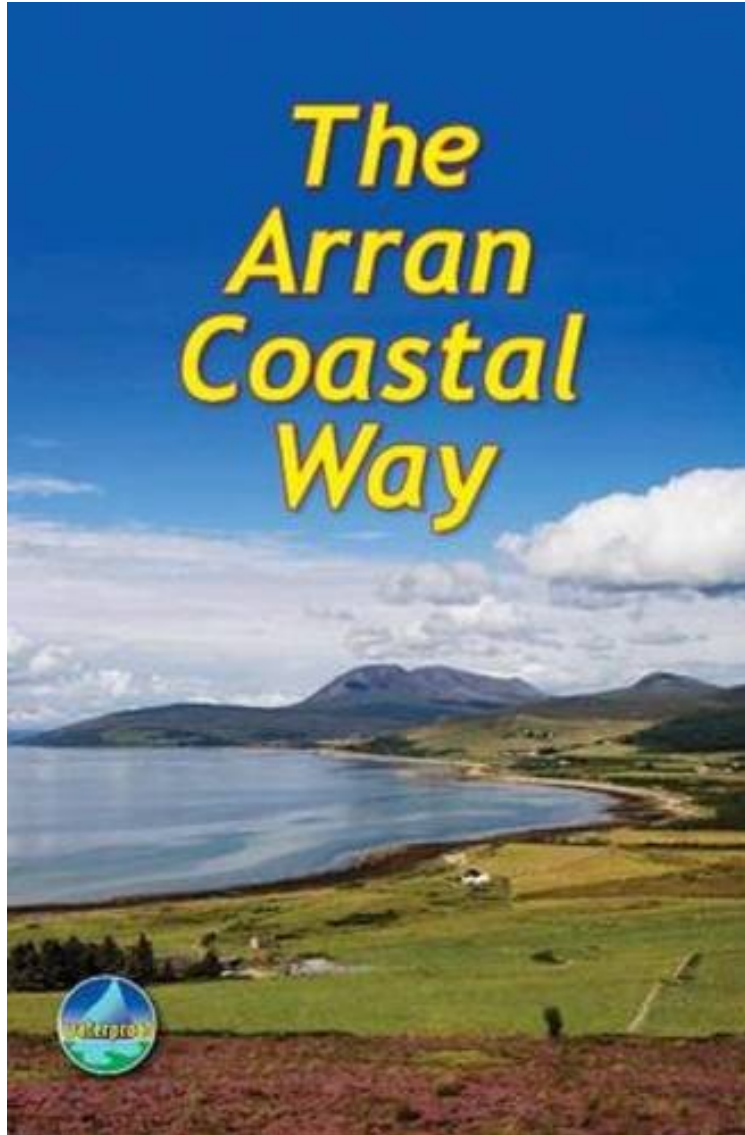


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About the Author After a long career in information technology, education, and academic publishing, Jacquetta Megarry became interested in long-distance walking and trekking. After completing the West Highland Way, her first long walk, in 1998 she progressed to Mount Kilimanjaro, which she has summited three times by different routes (1999-2004). In 2000 she devised the waterproof, open-flat Rucksack Reader format with dropdown maps for walking guidebooks. She published the first two titles, *The Speyside Way* (jointly with Jim Strachan) and *The West Highland Way* the same year. She has since written or co-authored a further seven Rucksack Readers, and recently walked the entire Speyside Way to update the route description and photography for its second edition (2007).