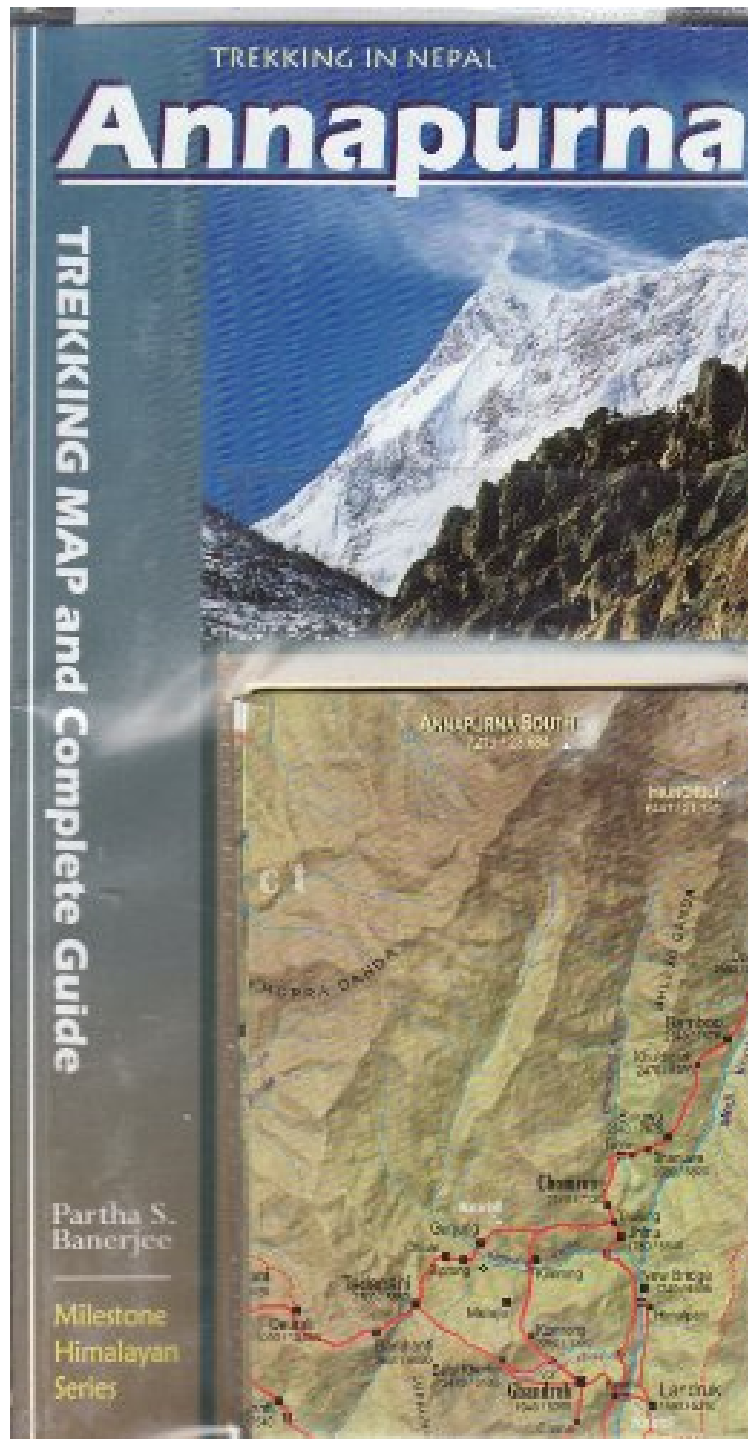


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Partha S. Banerjee : Annapurna: Trekking Map Complete Guide 2014 before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Annapurna: Trekking Map Complete Guide 2014:

4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. MehBy duderWell, it's not terrible, but it leaves a lot to be desired. It describes the trail well, but the trail is the trail...not hard to follow. Not a ton of insight within the villages like some of the other books brought in our group, and the detail maps could be much better (there was one book with sketches that were amazing by Bryn Thomas). It is smaller than most which can be a plus, but its taller, like folded map size...and the map that comes with it is trash, trail has changed since it was created and it leaves off the side trails. Also, no info on Kathmandu or Pokhara, which should be mandatory. If you aren't all that worried about pre-planning from home, wait till you get to Thamel in Kathmandu and pick up a used guide book (this one included) for pennies on the dollar. My recommendation is "Trekking in the Annapurna Region" by Bryn Thomas. We used a 1999 version more than this book, and I think the 2011 version is due out soon. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great background information with mapBy bh021552This is the best guide I have seen of the area in general, especially the context of what you will encounter. The maps are also pretty good, compared to most I've seen, tho' I can't yet vouch for the accuracy of the extensive information mapped. (This matters because some maps, such as Nat Geo's are quite dated and missing some trails, while others have lots of info but also demonstrably have at least one large village mislocated by miles.) 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. The only guide you need for Annapurna Circuit with Tilicho Lake, ABC and Poon HillBy DMISIUI used it all the time along Annapurna Circuit. Lots of maps, picks, good description of trails and side trails. There is "Annapurna Atlas" same size 15 detailed maps....fantastic by the same author. All other guides I put aside-this one is the only one you need (get the Atlas in Nepal for \$6 and you are set) I got the map with the book laminatednot really needed ...the mini maps with each chapter are enough. Highly recommend.

Comprehensive, illustrated guidebook on treks in the Annapurna region of Nepal that comes with a detailed foldout map. "The best trail guide (for the Annapurna Circuit)", recommends 'Backpacker' magazine. With over 25 maps (besides the foldout map at the back) and some 160 color photographs, the guide comes packed with exhaustive, day-by-day description of the Annapurna Circuit and Sanctuary trails. There is in addition practical advice on planning and budgeting the treks plus background reading on the varied peoples who live in the Annapurna region and an introduction to Tibetan Buddhism, the religion they mostly practice. The guidebook also has a chapter on the fascinating story of the 1950 epic French ascent of Annapurna I, the first 'eight-thousander' ever climbed.

"The best trail guide (for the Annapurna Circuit)", recommends 'Backpacker' magazine. About the Author Partha S Banerjee, is a journalist, travel writer and photographer for whom the Himalayas has been a lifelong passion. Based in Calcutta, India, he has trekked all across the Himalayas, from Ladakh to Himachal and Uttarkhand, from Nepal to Sikkim and Arunachal, usually accompanied by his wife Shoma, and occasionally his sister Shuvra.