

Trip Ratings and Gradings

This modification utilizes letters and digits where most relate directly back to what they stand for. Less referral and memorizing for understanding. The numbers after the "D" and the "E"'s would be the max distance and elevation for that trip.

Distance (km)	Elevation Gain (m)	Pace	Terrain
D5 (up to 5)	E3 (up to 300)	Ps (slow w/many breaks)	T1 (trail)
D10 (up to 10)	E6 (up to 600)	Pm (moderate w/some breaks)	T2 (creek)
D15 (up to 15)	E9 (up to 900)	Pb (brisk w/few breaks)	T3 (rocks)
D20 (up to 20)	E12 (up to 1200)		T4 (off trail/bushwack)
D25 (up to 25)	E15 (up to 1500)		T5 (scramble)
D? (over 25)	E? (over 1500)		T6 (exposure)
			T7 (technical gear)
Ex: D35 up to 35km	Ex: E21 (up to 2100)		Ex: T2 includes trail, creek
Ex: D47 up to 47km			Ex: T6 includes trail, creek, rocks, off trail/bushwack, scramble, and exposure

So a trip listed as: **D17/E7/Pm/T4**, would translate to:

Up to **17 km** long, with a max **elevation** gain of **700m** at a **moderate pace**.

Expect the terrain to include **trail, creek, rocks & off trail/bushwack**.