

Pillar Peak

Kyrgyzstan, Kyrgyz Ala-Too, Ala Archa

From June 5-6, Vitaly Akimov, Dmitry Grekov, Stepan Maltsev, and Sergey Selivyorstov made the first ascent of Pillar Peak (4,050m). This splendid, 900m east-facing buttress is northwest of Peak Boks (a.k.a. Box), above the lower moraines of the Ak-Sai Glacier. The climb involved 18 pitches (Russian 5B, or TD 6c A1).

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Images



Map showing Pillar Peak (Perot Pillar) location.



Pillar Peak first ascent topo.



Line of the first ascent of Pillar Peak, a 900m buttress northwest of Peak Boks.

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