



## Birdseye Trail, No. 33097

Dixie National Forest, Powell Ranger District

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**General Description:** This trail travels through the vivid orange and scarlet geologic formations known as “hoodoos” overlooking Utah Highway 12, offering a “bird’s eye” view.

**Trail Use:** Foot only

**Length:** 0.8 miles/1.5 kilometers one way

**Trailhead Information:** Accessed by a paved road, flush restrooms available at the Red Canyon Visitor Center

**Elevation in Feet:** Min: 7,130                      Max: 7,230                      Change: 100 feet/31 meters

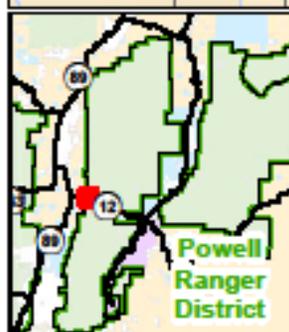
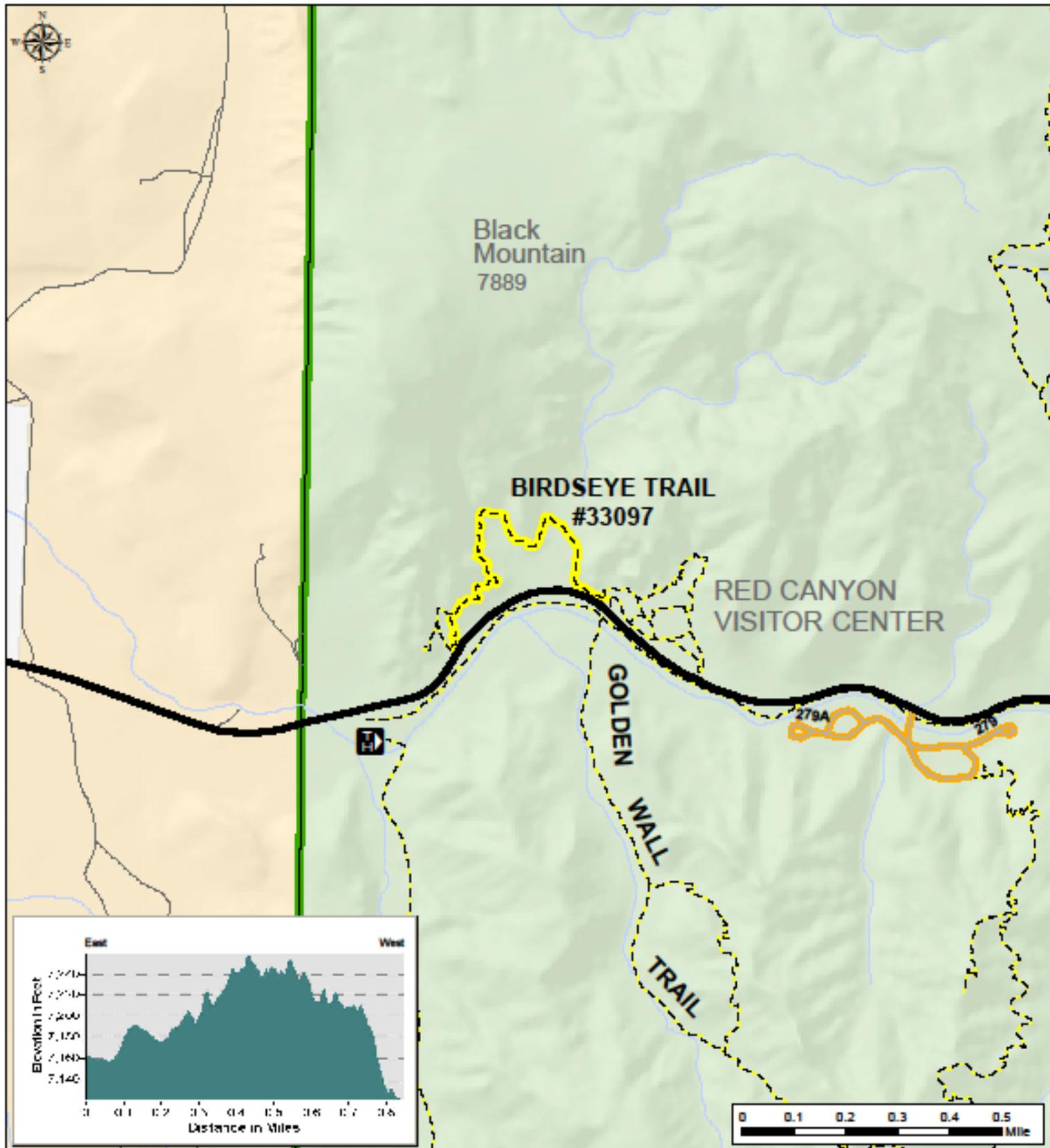
**Water Availability:** Potable water is available at the Red Canyon Visitor Center

**Hazards /Obstacles:** Weather can change quickly. Be prepared for inclement weather year round. Flash floods are possible in stream bottoms. There are some steep slopes along the trail.

**Topographic Maps:** USGS 7.5 minute quadrangle(s): Wilson Peak  
Latitude: N 37°44.49.86, Longitude: W 112°19.16.97

**The Trailhead:** Drive east 3 miles from US Highway 89 on Utah Highway 12. The Birdseye Trail is the first trailhead on your left that you will come to after you enter Red Canyon. There will be a turn out for parking on both sides of the road. Then walk to the north until you find the Birdseye Trail trailhead sign. This trail will take you to the Red Canyon Visitor Center. The Birdseye trail can also be accessed from the west side of the Red Canyon Visitor Center off the HooDoo Trail (No.3011).

**The Trail:** The trail was named for the large rock protruding upward and is shaped as a bird’s head with a beak. There is one hole through the rock formation and is referred to as a bird’s eye. Other special formations include the Birdseye Caves, a “Serpent”, and a “Camel”. Use your imagination and other creatures can be seen.



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Powell Ranger District  
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- State or US Highway
- Full-size Vehicles Only - Closed to OHV
- Other Public Roads
- Non-Motorized Trails
- National Forest
- BLM
- Private

