

World Cup stop #1: **Altenberg, Germany** - is a town in the Saxon Switzerland-Osterzgebirge district, in the Free State of Saxony, Germany. It is situated in the Ore Mountains, close to the border with the Czech Republic, 15 km Northwest of Teplice, and 32 km south of Dresden.

Altenberg by the numbers

Track specs

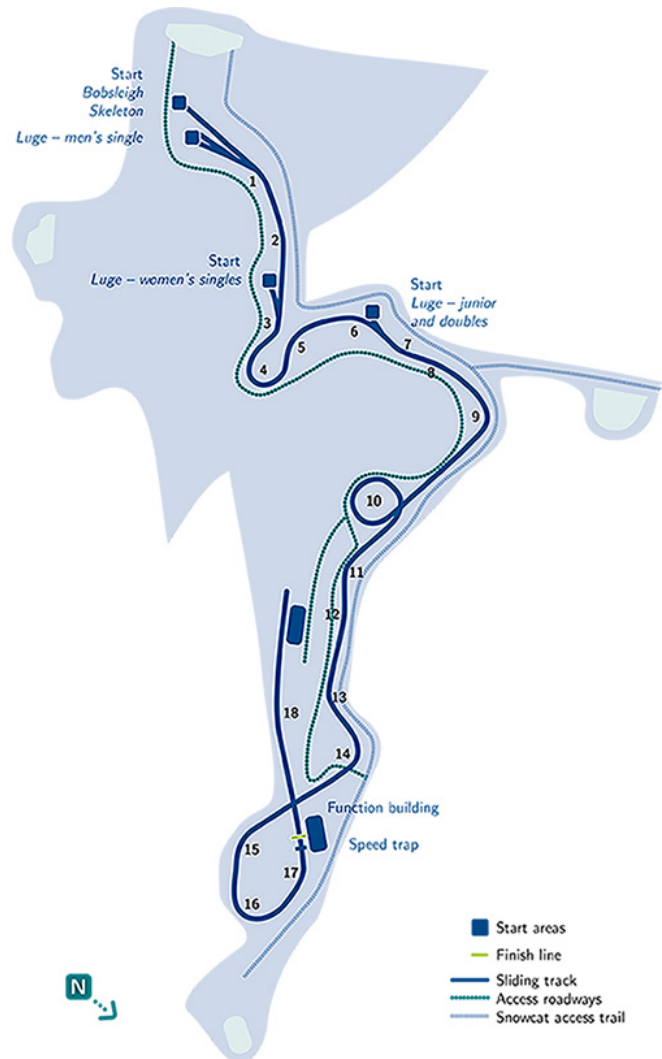
Length: 1413.12 m
 Maximum Grade: 15%
 Vertical Drop: 122.22 m
 Average Grade: 8.65%

World Championships hosted

1991: Men's bobsled
 1994: Men's skeleton
 1999: Men's skeleton
 2000: Men's bobsled
 2008: All five disciplines

Historical results

- **American World Cup medals**
 - * Four-person bobsled – GOLD 2004/2005; SILVER 2009/2010
 - * Two-man bobsled – SILVER 2008/2009
 - * Women's bobsled – GOLD 2014/2015; BRONZE 2004/2005; BRONZE 2008/2009; BRONZE 2009/2010
 - * Men's skeleton – GOLD 2004/2005
 - * Women's skeleton – SILVER, BRONZE 2012/2013
- **American World Championship medals**
 - * Team event – BRONZE 2007/2008
 - * Women's skeleton – SILVER 2007/2008



Last time on the track: World Cup, Jan. 9-11, 2015

• **American finishes**

- Four-person: **9th** Holcomb, Olsen, Clark and Cremin (USA) 1:49.47 (54.66, 54.81); **12th** Bascue, Victorian, Harrison and Valdes (USA) 1:49.98 (54.81, 55.17); **17th** Cunningham, Wickline/Greenwood, Reed and Michener (USA) 1:50.17 (55.05, 55.12)
- Two-man: **7th** Codie Bascue and Carlo Valdes (USA) 1:54.32 (57.18, 57.14); **13th** Steven Holcomb and Aaron Victorian (USA) 1:54.57 (57.35, 57.22); **15th** Nick Cunningham and Alex Harrison (USA) 1:54.65 (57.42, 57.23)
- Men's skeleton: **15th** Matt Antoine (USA) 2:00.00 (59.86, 1:00.14); **20th** Kyle Tress (USA) 2:01.50 (1:00.53, 1:00.97); **28th** Kyle Brown (USA) (1:03.94, DNS);
- Women's skeleton: **17th** Annie O'Shea (USA) 2:01.75 (1:01.23, 1:00.52); **19th** Savannah Graybill (USA) 2:02.20 (1:00.80, 1:01.40)
- Women's bobsled: **GOLD** Elana Meyers Taylor and Cherrelle Garrett (USA) 1:55.38 (57.40, 57.98); **5th** Jamie Greubel Poser and Lauren Gibbs (USA) 1:55.95 (58.28, 57.67); **9th** Jazmine Fenlator and Natalie DeRatt (USA) 1:56.81 (58.49, 58.32);