Ribeira de São João

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Country: Portugal **Region:** Viana do Castelo **Subregion:** **Town:**		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a2 II	**Total time:** 1h50
Approachtime: 40min	**Tourtime:** 1h	**Returntime:** 10min
Altitude entry: m	**Altitude exit:** m	**Delta Altitude:**
Canyon length: 1000m	**Highest rapell:** 20m	**Amount rapells:** 5
Transport:	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season: March - November	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 0 ()	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Summary: (machine translated)
Little known, with short rappels and the possibility of combining very quickly with its neighbor Arga.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
By A28 exit 28 to Arga de Sao Joao
Access to Bcos Sao Joao and Arga
We will take the M552 to Arga de Sao Joao, just when we arrive there is a track on the left that surrounds the village on the lower part and takes us to the river (see map). We will pass by the Ribeiro de Sao Joao, if we have two cars, we would leave the access car here. We will continue along the track turning north below Arga de Baixo. 800m after passing the river there is a track on the left, go down it for 1km and park, we will be just above where the Sao Joao receives the contribution on the left. Here we leave the return or if we only have a car

Approach: (machine translated)
Approach to the Sao Joao and Arga banks
With two cars you only have to go down to the river from the bridge.
With only one car you have to go back to the indicated bridge, you will have passed through it.

Tour: (machine translated)
Simple, with only 5 rappels, although all of them are from natural sources. Provide material for installation from trees.

Return: (machine translated)
We will continue until the confluence of our river with the contribution on the left, here we will go out to the right half a slope in search of the track that is a few meters above.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 41.8579 -8.7271
Canyon End 41.8579 -8.7272
Unknown Parking 41.8578 -8.7272
Unknown 41.8566 -8.7289
Unknown 41.8486 -8.7306
Unknown Parking 41.8485 -8.7304

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