Ribeira das Mijas Velhas

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Country: Portugal **Region:** Madeira **Subregion:** **Town:** Ribeira Brava		
Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v4 a3 V	**Total time:** 3h18
Approachtime: 45min	**Tourtime:** 2h30	**Returntime:** 3min
Altitude entry: 680m	**Altitude exit:** 420m	**Delta Altitude:** 260m
Canyon length: 1500m	**Highest rapell:** 40m	**Amount rapells:** 11
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:** South	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 2 (1)	**Info:** ★ 2 (1)	**Belay:** ★ 1 (1)

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x 40m
drill tool,

Summary: (machine translated)
A beautiful view on the access. The rappel canyon itself is very average in scenic terms.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
Drive to Tabua and park there.

Approach:

Tour: (machine translated)
MC10 AN (rope traverse ~10 meters from the tree)
C35 (rappel ~35 meters)
DES (downclimb)
C5 AN
C6
DES
C7 AN
C6
DES
C4 ON
DES
C10
Marche + several DES (walk & downclimb several times)
C10
Marche + several DES
C40
C20
C8
C12 AN

Return: (machine translated)
The tour exits just before the road

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 32.7108 -17.0616
Canyon End 32.7055 -17.0639
Parking Entry and Exit 32.7071 -17.0593

Reports:

2023-01-22 | Christian Balla | ☆ ☆ | 🕮 ★ ★ | ⚓ ★ | ≋ Low | 👍 Completed
Moderately interesting canyon. We didn't find the right approach straight away and can't define the best route. Wonderful views on the approach. The canyoning tour is varied, but very poorly equipped in places. (machine translated)