

Gallego

Garganta de Escarrilla, Rio Gallego

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Country: España / Spain **Region:** Aragón **Subregion:** Huesca **Town:** Escarrilla

Difficulty: easy

Grading: v2 a2 II

Total time: 1h25

Approachtime: 10min

Tourtime: 1h

Returntime: 15min

Altitude entry: 1230m

Altitude exit: 1180m

Delta Altitude: 50m

Canyon length: 1100m

Highest rapell: 15m

Amount rapells: 1

Transport: on Foot

Rock type:

Drainage area: km²

Season:

Orientation: South

Best Time:

Rating: ★ 2.9 (1)

Info: ★ 0 ()

Belay: ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Dam (inform operator),

Gear:

Ropes: 1x30m

Summary: (machine translated)

River walk in an idR. low-water short canyon below a reservoir.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)

From Huesca, take the A-23/N-330 north to Sabinanigo, then continue on the N-260 to Biescas (68.5 km). Continue another 13.3 km on the A-136 towards Col de Portalet as far as the village of Escarrilla. It is best to park your car at the northern end of the development, before the bridge over the Escarra and before the tunnel.

Approach: (machine translated)

We cross the bridge and turn right before the tunnel onto the former road, which is now closed to traffic. We walk along it in an easterly direction towards the Rio Gallego. Where it bends to the north, we later come back up over the rocks. For the time being, we continue on the dirt road to the tunnel exit on the other side of the A-136. Continue on the A-136 for about 50 m, then look to the right on the slope below us for tracks that indicate a possibility of roping down trees into the canyon - just before the most interesting part. Alternatively, you can continue along the river - again on the former road - until you reach a bridge below the dam wall. There you can easily climb up without using a rope.

Tour: (machine translated)

The canyon is impressive due to the close proximity of the huge rock faces. A tributary from the left ("Articabuena"?) may bring running water for the first time. Here we also come to the only rappel point which, depending on the water flow, can be rappelled close to the stream (12 m) or further up the left wall (15 m). A series of further pools follow until the canyon opens out in a large shallow pool.

Return: (machine translated)

Here - immediately before the mouth of the Escarra coming from the right - a path leads up to the old road. Follow this road and later turn left onto the A-136 to the village and back to the car.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start [42.7487 -0.3149](#)

Canyon End [42.7371 -0.3125](#)

Parking Entry and Exit [42.7379 -0.3182](#)

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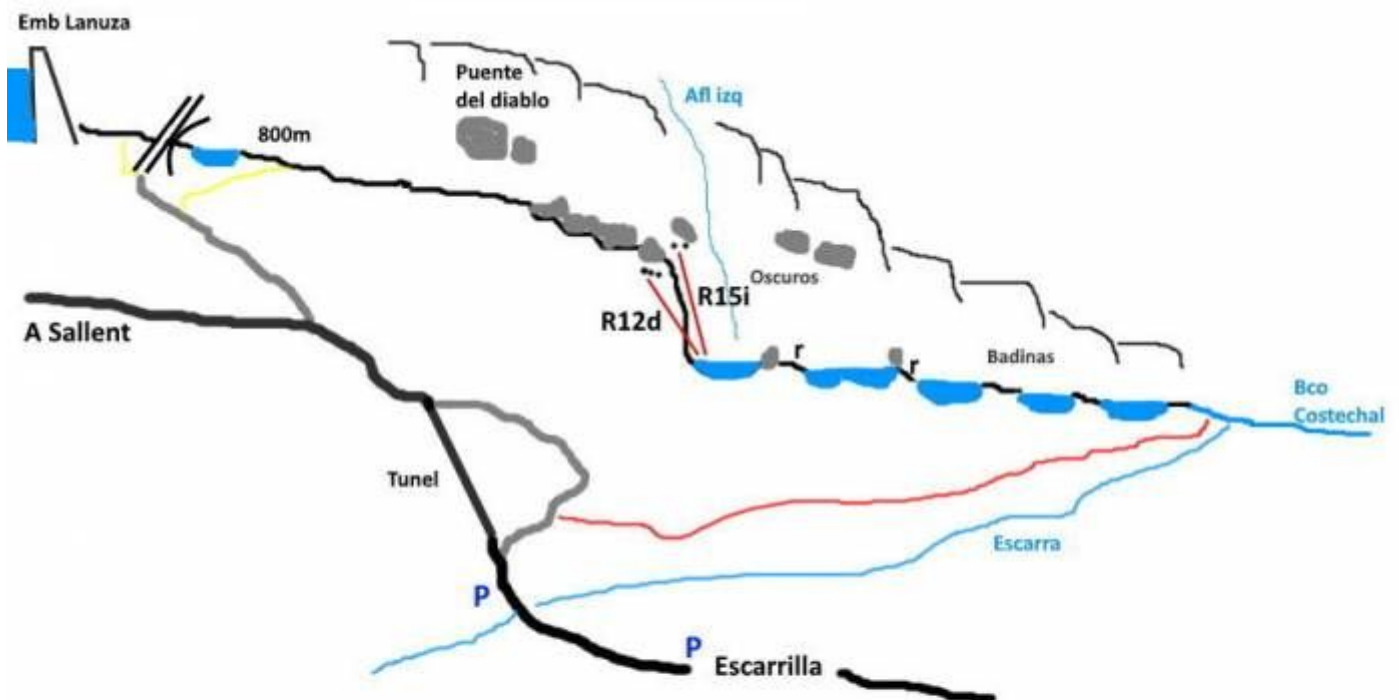
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