Canyon de La HIllete

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Country: France **Region:** Occitanie **Subregion:** Ariège **Town:**		
Difficulty: difficult	**Grading:** v5 a3 V	**Total time:**
Approachtime:	**Tourtime:** 3h	**Returntime:** 45min
Altitude entry: m	**Altitude exit:** m	**Delta Altitude:**
Canyon length: 350m	**Highest rapell:** 50m	**Amount rapells:** 9
Transport:	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season: June - August	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
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Specialities:

Gear:

Summary: (machine translated)
Descent only suitable for small teams of experienced people. A vertical descent, spectacular and through waterfalls of glacial origin.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
We have to go to the Cagateille Cirque parking lot, for this we arrive at Saint Girons and go up the Salat river until we reach Oust and on the D3 we pass through Seix and Moilin Lauga until the detour (on the left) to Ustou on the D8. Pass through Le Trein and turn right on the D38 to St Lizier and continue to Stillom. Cross the river (Cirque de Cagateille) and continue to the end, Cirque de Cagateille parking lot.

Approach: (machine translated)
Cagateille and La Hillette access
We leave by the path that goes to our left towards the cirque. We enter the forest and continue walking until we reach 1540m, at this height the winding road approaches the waterfalls, it is time to leave it and approach the riverbed by some other delicate skill. Soon we reach the river.

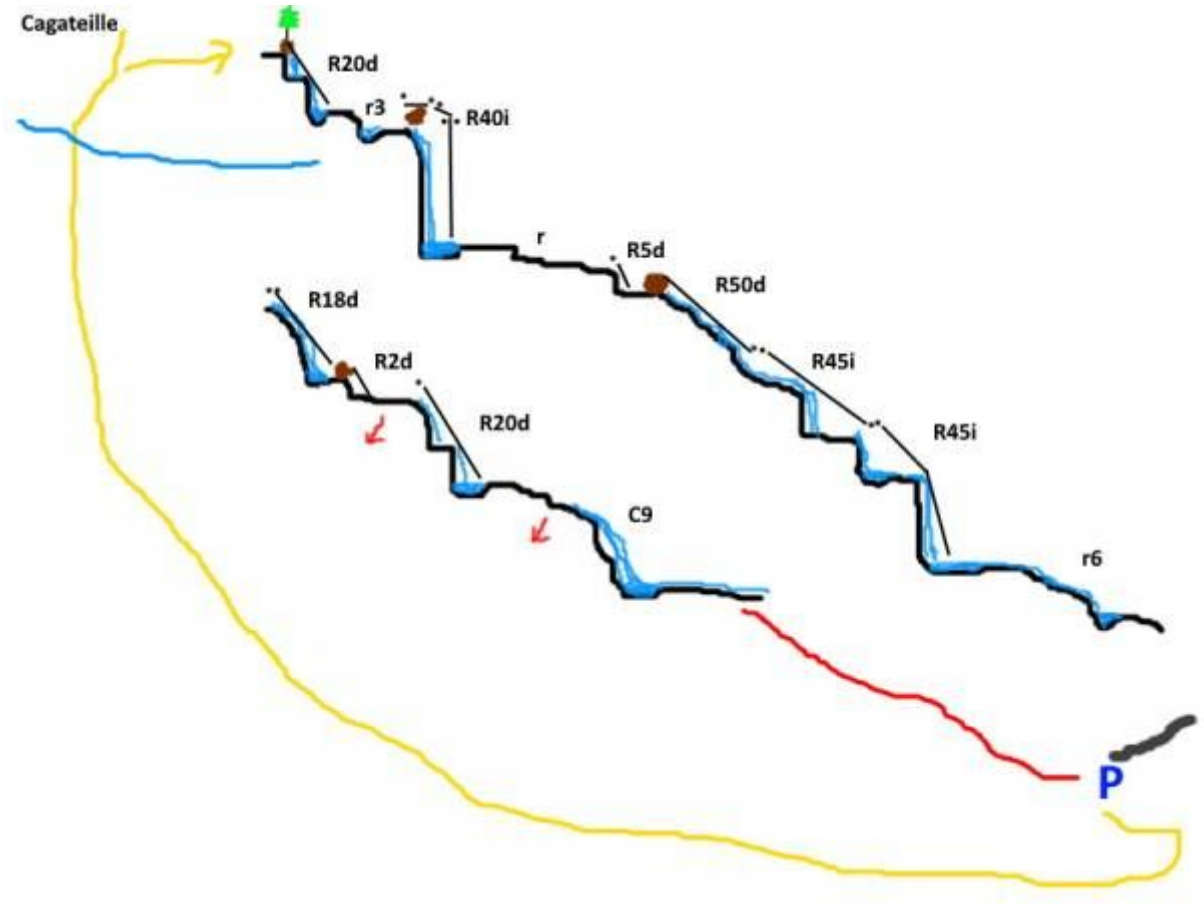
Tour: (machine translated)
Technical descent that we will have to evaluate before entering because once the first rappel is done, it is difficult to get out. In just a few hundred meters we will descend two small waterfalls and then the great waterfall of Cagateille.

Return: (machine translated)
Along the right bank for a quarter of an hour (quite a bad route) until we find a small path that leads to the approach road.

Coordinates:

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