Font Major

Barranc de la Font Major,Fuerte

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Country: España / Spain **Region:** Valenciana, Comunidad / Comunitat Valenciana **Subregion:** Alicante
Town: Guadalest

Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a1 III	**Total time:** 6h30
Approachtime: 2h	**Tourtime:** 4h	**Returntime:** 30min
Altitude entry: m	**Altitude exit:** m	**Delta Altitude:**
Canyon length: m	**Highest rapell:** 19m	**Amount rapells:** 18
Transport:	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season: September - May	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 0 ()	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Summary: (machine translated)
Almost a collector's canyon, dry, except after rains but very interesting, with almost no breaks in the first part. After the R13 you could use some of its exhausts because it loses interest, it becomes much more dressed, with less verticality...
Better combination of cars to save us the uphill ride.
Avoid the summer or the hottest hours.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
To get to Guadalest take the CV-70 in Benidorm or Alcoy.
Racó Figuera and Font Major Banks
We will take the detour to the reservoir and go down to the dam, cross it and at the first sharp left turn we cross the Font Major ravine. Just before the next sharp left turn (Bco Raco Figuera) we have room to park.
With the access car we will continue along this road towards the tail of the reservoir, we will arrive at a crossroads where it marks "presa Guadalest 3.8", here we will take the small road that goes to the right, known as "Cami de Castells", we will try to climb with the car on this track to the upper pass. In the pass we will find a fork with three tracks, we will go to the right PR CV 150 / Font dels Teixos. Along this track about 2.6kms to a small pass with a hut on the right and a half lost track on the right. Here we park.

Approach: (machine translated)
Access Racó Figuera and Font Major
From the upper parking we will take the track almost lost, we will leave the first watercourse on our right (Racó de la Figuera). We continue along the remains of the path to the small hill that we see in front of us that separates the two basins, once we have passed it, we can only go down to the riverbed. Upon reaching a large boulder we will be near the source (usually has water) and the beginning of the ravine.
From the bottom we should take the Cañada Real that takes us back to the head of the Font Major.

Tour: (machine translated)
The first part is more vertical, with a succession of rappels/drops and rock chaos. After this first part, the canyon opens up a bit and we have a couple of escapes to the right at R13. From here we lose height, we find more dressed the descent and an area of terraces before the last rappels.

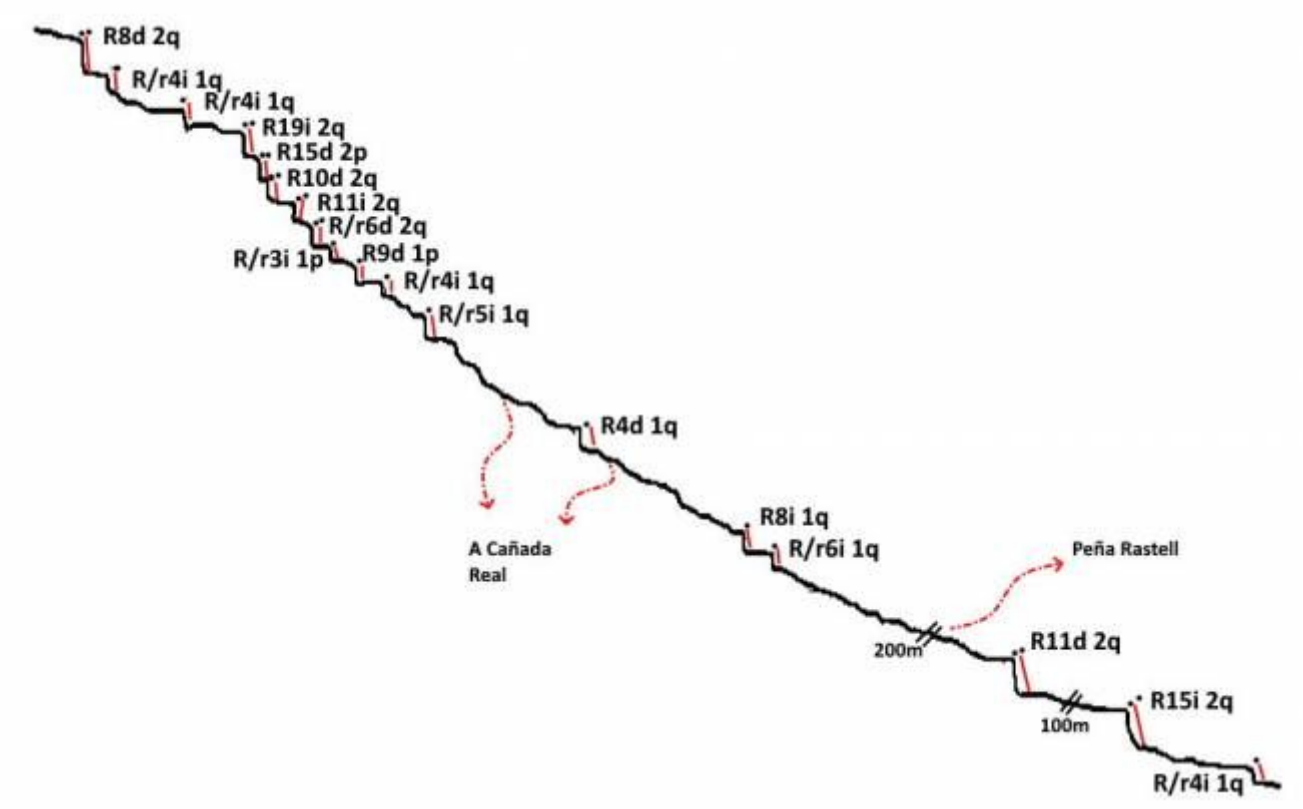
Return: (machine translated)
We will arrive at a track along which we will go down to the road.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 38.6769 -0.1983

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