Farandon

Foz del Farandon

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Country: España / Spain **Region:** Asturias, Principado de / Principality of Asturias **Subregion:** Asturias **Town:** Tineo

Difficulty: easy	**Grading:** v2 a2 III	**Total time:** 3h
Approachtime: 15min	**Tourtime:** 2h	**Returntime:** 45min
Altitude entry: m	**Altitude exit:** m	**Delta Altitude:**
Canyon length: 1500m	**Highest rapell:** 15m	**Amount rapells:** 5
Transport:	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season: January - December	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 0 ()	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Summary: (machine translated)
Perfect for initiation according to its openers, we have no evidence that it is very descended and therefore the state of the facilities. Inevitable combination of cars, at least it seems that the return path is now clean.
Nice formations, especially its natural arch at the end, well dug, flow all year round (caution with storms)... seems a good option for the area.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
Along the AS15 that goes up the Narcea river to approach the area of Tineo.
At p.k. 27 is the bridge over the Arroyo Farandón, after passing it, on the right a track that will be the way back, a few meters later, on the left the area to park the return car.
With the access car we will continue along the AS15, almost 4km, until the detour to the right that goes up to Santa Marta, nice zigzagging road that goes up quickly over the valley to this village. We will continue climbing up to the viewpoint of Santa Marta, a spectacular site from which we will be dazzled by the views of the valley, green meadows at our feet and gentle mountains, before continuing our ascent to Llaneces de la Barca and its beautiful hórreos (granaries). Shortly after we leave La Uz on the left and, after the right turn, we arrive at the cemetery. Here we park the access car
Another option, explained in the blog of the aperturistas and marked on the map, is to go by the Tineo side.

Approach: (machine translated)
On the other side of the road there is an access road to farms and after 20m a track on the left that goes down to the stream and some old mines in the area. We will follow this track to the mine, access area to the riverbed.

Tour: (machine translated)
In the words of the openers:
"First section open and dressed with several jumps and skills, a small rappel and shortly after, another of 10mtrs toboganeable,100mtrs more of riverbed dressed in vegetation and the river penetrates into a more excavated area with several rappels, the largest of 15mtrs and several jumps and skills interesting too. To emphasize the last rappel that deposits us under an arch of rock excavated in the quartzite, in which we can observe great fossils".

Return: (machine translated)
At the end of the descent we will see a dump on the right, we climb to the mouth of another abandoned mine (there are tracks on wikiloc of access from the bridge). From here there is a path that leads to the bridge, although sometimes it is quite closed by the undergrowth. It seems that sometimes they clean it

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 43.3342 -6.4164

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