

Salto del Roldan

Salto del Roldan, Garganta Inferior del Flumen - tramo alto,Rio Flumen

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Country: España / Spain **Region:** Aragón **Subregion:** Huesca **Town:** Sabayes, Santa Eulalia de la Pena, Apies

Difficulty: not as difficult	Grading: v2 a3 II	Total time: 1h45
Approachtime: 25min	Tourtime: 35min	Returntime: 45min
Altitude entry: 730m	Altitude exit: 720m	Delta Altitude: 10m
Canyon length: m	Highest rappel: m	Amount rapells:
Transport:	Rock type:	Drainage area: km ²
Season:	Orientation:	Best Time:
Rating: ★ 2.1 (1)	Info: ★ 0 ()	Belay: ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Summary: (machine translated)
Aquatique Randonnée - Water hike

Hydrology:

Access:

From the N-330 (Huesca - Jaca), about 13 km north of Huesca, at the level of the village of Nuena to the west, turn east on a small and winding road. At the junction after the village of Sabayes, keep left. On the next road coming from the right (south), from the direction of Apies, turn left (north). The road continues in bends along the slope and you come to another junction where you turn left to Sta. Eulalia de la Pena. Either park here or continue uphill to the right until you reach the saddle under the prominent rocky outcrop around which the Rio Flumen makes the 'Salto del Roldan'. Park here at the latest.

Approach:

From the saddle on well-trodden tracks eastward, past a spring, down to the river .

Tour:

In the river or on its banks down to the 1st step (2m). Fun chutes for children, a rock window at the top left. Above us the vultures are circling.

Return:

I have gone the tour described here in 1991, but I do not remember exactly whether the exit is before the Palomeras Flumen before or after the 3m waterfall (which we jumped in each case). According to the description in "Cañones, gargantas y barrancos del Alto Aragón. Del Monte Perdido a la Sierra de Guara - Los 50 mejores descensos . Fernando Biarge - Jean Paul Pontroué, 1986", page 84, I tend to assume the exit immediately before the narrowing into a chute with a cross section of about 40 cm. In the book it is to be read in addition: "... trepar por uno muro de unos cinco metros de altura y un segundo grado de dificultad", freely translated: ... climb a wall of about 5 meters high in the 2nd degree of difficulty.\nI recommend, for safety's sake, to leave a rope hanging on the 2.5 m - step above for the possibly necessary return.\nAnyway, I would not get off here today, but hike the descent back again. On the one hand, because the path at the foot of the cliff is hardly findable anymore, if it still exists at all - in 1991 the vegetation here had burned down shortly before and thus the "path" around the cliff was without problems (neither macchia, nor orientation problems); on the other hand - and I say this especially with regard to children who might be along - it's a bit difficult to find the way back. with the party - the exit directly under the south-facing rock face is mercilessly hot in summer, while a return, which is initially in the stream, but variety and cooling are offered here.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start [42.2597 -0.3767](#)

Canyon End [42.2535 -0.3766](#)

Reports:

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Parts:

Palomeras del Flumen, v6 a5 IV, 1h+1h30+1h

Salto del Roldan, v2 a3 II, 25min+35min+45min