

# Fondo de Mortitx

Mortitx, Torrent Fondo, Torrent Fondo de Mortitx

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<b>Country:</b> España / Spain <b>Region:</b> Islas Baleares / Balearic Islands <b>Subregion:</b> Islas Baleares / Balearic Islands <b>Town:</b> Escorca		
<b>Difficulty:</b> not as difficult	<b>Grading:</b> v3 a2 III	<b>Total time:</b> 6h
<b>Approachtime:</b> 1h30	<b>Tourtime:</b> 1h30	<b>Returntime:</b> 3h
<b>Altitude entry:</b> 280m	<b>Altitude exit:</b> 5m	<b>Delta Altitude:</b> 275m
<b>Canyon length:</b> 400m	<b>Highest rapell:</b> 20m	<b>Amount rapells:</b> 8
<b>Transport:</b> on Foot	<b>Rock type:</b> limestone	<b>Drainage area:</b> km <sup>2</sup>
<b>Season:</b> February - May	<b>Orientation:</b> Northwest	<b>Best Time:</b>
<b>Rating:</b> ★ 4.1 (15)	<b>Info:</b> ★ 2.5 (8)	<b>Belay:</b> ★ 2.8 (11)
<b>Specialities:</b>		
<b>Gear:</b> Ropes: 1x40m / 2x20m		
<b>Summary:</b> Long access in the high grass through a nature park to a beautiful canyon last section right before the sea. Best time in spring or after rain. Very long and though return.		
<b>Hydrology:</b>		
<b>Access:</b> If returning by boat leave a car in Port de Soller, big paid parking near Parc Municipal.  With the other car follow directions for "Vinyes Mortitx", but do not enter the iron gate if open and look for a parking right outside (limited space) or along the road.		
<b>Approach:</b> Enter by the iron gat if open, otherwise a small pedestrian wood gate is available on the right. Follow the main road until a stone hut (generally locked) marked as a refugio, soon after crossing a dry streambed an indicated path branches off to the right and from here it goes continuously down through the canyon to the entry passin in the high grass. If there is a lot of water, you can put on the wetsuit already at the mouth of the Torrent de s'Hort des Moli coming from the left, otherwise climb around the first basin Gorg Larg on the right, pass the following basin Gorg del Bec d'Oca then on the left and past a prominent rock tower, from here on the stream is called Torrent Fondo.		
<b>Tour:</b> Short but impressive and varied canyon makes up for the long access and return journey, if there is enough running water in the pools. If you decide to climb back up in the canyon, check at each pitch whether it is possible to climb back up by fixed ropes or by leaving yours. The last section before the sea is particularly beautiful, with the highest pitch of 20m. Right before the sea on the right you can notice the start of via ferrata or descend the last pitch to the sea.		

**Return:**

Option 1: climb back the canyon, in most of the initial pitches there are fixed ropes while you should leave your ropes in the last 2/3 pitches which are the major ones; beware that the last pitch to the sea is not well equipped and needs to be climbed back too or avoided to descend. Once gained the beginning of the canyon simply use the same approach path.

Option 2: return by boat, contact Sollermar which will wait for you at the canyon end and bring you back to Port de Soller; beware that there is barely no mobile connection in the canyon and at the end, so plan well in advance the timing and agree the collection time

Option 3: climb the via ferrata that can be found on the right bank just before the last pitch to the sea, which is visually and reported to be in bad conditions (update 2026). Steep, rugged rock faces with climbing up to 3rd degree and once reached the edge of the cliffs, you have to cross a very confusing cart field and then ascend briefly eastwards into a saddle. From there you can go through the wide basin above the cliffs or back down into the valley and return by the access path, otherwise follow the path for the witches' caves.

**Coordinates:**

Parking at Exit [39.7986 2.6988](#)

Parking Entry and Exit [39.8679 2.9246](#)

Canyon End [39.8961 2.9117](#)

Canyon Start [39.8909 2.9154](#)

## Reports:

2026-05-04 | PeterAlbertini | ★★☆☆ | 📖★★★★ | ⚓★★★★ | 🌊 Low | 🍏 Completed  
Beautiful canyon, very long exit. (machine translated)

2026-04-22 | System User | 📖 | ⚓ | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed  
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mortitx Marche d'approche très sympa ! Canyon très mignon mais très court 1h ! Retour via ferrata pas trop ferrata... plutôt vires équipées vite fait de temps en temps sur un calcaire de l'enfer ! Puis retour par les crêtes très très paumatoire dans les pampas, dommage ça aurait pu être sympa ! Beaucoup trop de marche pour un canyon mignon... (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2836/observations.html>)

2026-04-19 | Peter | ★★☆☆ | 📖★★★★ | ⚓★★★★ | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed  
Wild approach in the beautiful nature of Mallorca. Water flow from the rock tower onward and throughout the gorge. Most of the falls are equipped with fixed ropes in good condition. Many possibilities for diving and tobogganing. We used our rope only on the two highest verticals and on the last two before the sea (not equipped with resin-bonded ropes). We went down to the sea and used the speedboat to return to Port Soller (Sollermar: 450€ for 8 people). (machine translated)

2026-04-14 | System User | 📖 | ⚓ | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed  
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mortitx Les herbes et arbustes de la marche d'approche griffent les jambes. Préférez un pantalon. Les cascades sont équipées d'une corde fixe sauf la 20 et la 15 de fin. Le premier tronçon de câble de la via ferrata est très fatigué, évitez de tomber... (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2836/observations.html>)

2026-04-14 | System User | 📖 | ⚓ | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed  
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2026-04-10 | Clarissa Linder | ★★☆☆ | 📖★★★★ | ⚓★★★★ | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed  
Water from about the prominent rock tower. Stands all tiptop with mostly fixed ropes. We only needed our own ropes on the highest rappel. Much of it is jumpable and slippable. The sea was as smooth as glass, so we were able to do the cool siphon in the last pool. The way back was not without its difficulties! (machine translated)

2026-04-03 | Joey CIA | ★★☆☆ | 📖★★★★ | ⚓★★★★ | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed  
Great water level, fantastic water color, beautiful canyon, top stands. Wild sea, return via via ferrata with superioere views. (machine translated)

2026-03-31 | System User | 📖 | ⚓ | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed  
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mortitx Cadre exceptionnellement sauvage avec une mer déchaînée en bouquet final. Petit canyon très esthétique, avec un encaissement très bien sculpté et de l'eau émeraude. Cependant... Dommage que la descente soit si courte (1h) pour des durées d'accès et de retour trop importantes. Si on aime la via ferrata, la sortie "engagée" rajoutera une mention au souvenir d'une aventure sauvage globalement satisfaisante. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2836/observations.html>)

2026-03-07 | System User | 📖 | ⚓ | 🌊 Low | 🍏 Completed  
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mortitx Equipement ok. Débit très faible malgré les pluies des derniers jours. Magnifiques approche, descente et retour par la "via ferrata". (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2836/observations.html>)

2025-05-21 | System User | 📖 | ⚓ | 🌊 Low | 🍏 Completed  
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Mortitx Filet d'eau car les vasques sont encore remplies mais plus aucun actif. Ça commence à devenir putride pour certaines vasques. Après la via on a essayé de revenir par le plateau mais il faisait vraiment trop chaud et du coup on a sagement préféré redescendre dans le vallon. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2836/observations.html>)

2025-05-01 | System User | 📖 | ⚓ | 🌊 Low | 🍏 Completed  
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