# Faja das Eguas

Ribeira da Faja das Eguas

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País: Portugal Región: Madeira Subregione: Ciudad: Serra de Agua		
Dificultad: fácil	Grado: v2 a2 II	Tiempo total: 3h1
Tiempo acceso: 30min	Tiempo tour: 2h30	Tiempo regreso: 1min
Altitud de entrada: 760m	Altitud de salida: 490m	Altitude delta: 270m
Longitud del cañón: 1000m	Rapel más alto: 16m	Cantidad rapells: 10
Transporte:	Tipo de roca:	Zona de entrada: km²
Temporada: enero - diciembre	Orientación: Este	Mejor época: 9-15 Horas
Clasificación: 🏠 2.9 (4)	Información: 🖈 3 (4)	<b>Belay: ★</b> 3 (4)

## **Especialidades:**

**Equipo:** 

Cuerdas: 3 x 20m

Resumen: (traducción alternativa)

Easy tour, a little too long for beginners with many exit options

Hidrología: (traducción alternativa)

Due to various tributaries and its relatively low location, the canyon is at extreme risk of flooding even with low rainfall!

**Acceso:** (traducción alternativa)

From Ribeira Brava in the direction of Serra de Agua, before the village, take the ER 105 towards Encumeada Pass. Turn left 1.3 km uphill towards Faja dos Vinhaticos (the signs are mostly overgrown). Follow the road to the bridge over the stream. Park here.

**Acceso:** (traducción alternativa)

From the parking lot you can see a small steel bridge over the stream, cross it and follow the path to the right. At the exit, turn right again and follow this path. A little way after the forest, after the second steel bridge, it gets lost in the vegetation, but reappears after the ruins on the right. Follow this until you reach the concrete track, turn left here and descend to the streambed at the exit. (30 min)

## Recorrido: (traducción alternativa)

The canyon has been fully equipped with glued anchors since August 2024.

The tour begins with two rappel lines to the left and right of the ridge. Then the two lines join and the highest and most beautiful rappel follows at 16 meters. After a good 200 meters of running, the rappel continues, after a sometimes almost dry passage (here most of the water is diverted into a levada) the character of the canyon changes from open and bare to somewhat incised and very green due to several tributaries. After a few more abseils, you reach the first steel bridge on the approach.

Regreso: (traducción alternativa)

On this path you exit on the right via steps.

#### Coordenadas:

Inicio del Cañón 32.7383 -17.0363

Aparcamiento Entrada y Salida <u>32.7355 -17.0274</u>

Final del Cañón <u>32.7357 -17.0277</u>

#### Informes:

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Due to a long period without rain, low water flow, all anchors in excellent condition, even though the last high water slightly bent two of them. Wasp season is currently in full swing, some nests adorn the approach and there is also a large nest near an abseiling point. Watch out! All nests are exposed to the rain, i.e. they should have disappeared after the next heavy rain. The pictures show: 1) The highest abseiling point (18 m) 2) A small slide after the first three waterfalls 3) The abseiling point at the beginning of the lower parts (wasp nest!) 4) Slide directly afterwards (traducción alternativa)

2025-03-24 | Casa Vento Madeira |  $\stackrel{\wedge}{\curvearrowright} \stackrel{\wedge}{\curvearrowright} \stackrel{\wedge}{\nearrow} \stackrel{1}{ } | \stackrel{\square}{ } \stackrel{\bigstar}{ } \stackrel{\bigstar}{ } | \stackrel{1}{ } \stackrel{\bigstar}{ } \stackrel{\bigstar}{ } \stackrel{\bigstar}{ } | \stackrel{\boxtimes}{ } \implies \text{Alto} | \stackrel{\bullet}{ } \text{Completado}$ With more water, the tour has certain charms. Be careful when it rains in the mountains, the water level can rise extremely. There are various escape routes, but not always. The bad weather of the previous week has

completely washed through the canyon, all anchors are still OK, but it has removed some tree trunks and changed some passages. (traducción alternativa)

2024-12-08 | Christian Balla |  $\stackrel{\wedge}{\bowtie} \stackrel{\wedge}{\bowtie} \stackrel{\vee}{\mid} | \square \stackrel{\wedge}{\Rightarrow} \stackrel{\wedge}{\Rightarrow} | \stackrel{\circ}{\circlearrowleft} \stackrel{\bigstar}{\Rightarrow} | \stackrel{\boxtimes}{\Longrightarrow} \text{ Normal } | \stackrel{\bullet}{\bowtie} \text{ Completado}$ Nice beginner canyon but nothing special (traducción alternativa)

2024-10-14 | Casa Vento Madeira |  $\bigstar \Leftrightarrow \bigstar \mid \square \Leftrightarrow \bigstar \Rightarrow | \mathring{\mathbb{D}} \Leftrightarrow \bigstar | \Longrightarrow \text{Normal} \mid \overset{\bullet}{\omega} \text{ Completado}$  With moderate rain, the water level has risen noticeably, the water has turned brown, the large catchment area is noticeable. A nice tour for beginners. (traducción alternativa)

2023-03-09 | System User | | 🗘 | |

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