Ribeira de Água d'Alto

Aqua Alto

Créer: 2023-08-30 18:57:46	**Mettre à jour:** 2024-01-01 12:17:36	**Imprimer:** 2026-11-09 09:11:51
Pays: Portugal **Région:** Madeira **Sous-régione:** **Ville:** São Vicente		
Difficulté: difficile	**Niveau:** v5 a2 III	**Temps total:** 1h45
Temps approche: 25min	**Temps tour:** 1h15	**Temps de retour:** 5min
Altitude d'entrée: 125m	**Altitude de sortie:** 15m	**Altitude du delta:** 110m
Longueur du canyon: 100m	**Rapelle le plus haut:** 90m	**Nombre de rapelles:**
Transport: à pied	**Type de roche:**	**Zone de prise d'eau:** km²
Saison:	**Orientation:** Nord	**Meilleur moment:**
Évaluation: ☆ 3.3 (8)	**Info:** ★ 2.5 (6)	**Belay:** ★ 2.7 (7)

Spécialités:

Matériel:
Cordes: 2x 80m

Résumé: (traduction alternative)
Very vertical and short.

Hydrologie:

Accès: (traduction alternative)
Road from São Vicente in the direction of Seixal. Park directly at the Agua Alto waterfall, just before the Agua de Alto tunnel.

Approche: (traduction alternative)
Follow the path up the left bank at the sewage treatment plant.

Tour: (traduction alternative)
C15
Rope traverse
C15
c95 (C45, C50)

Retour: (traduction alternative)
Go through the tunnel under the road to the Atlantic coast. Then turn right along the coast until after a few meters a staircase leads up to the road.

Coordonnées:
Départ du Canyon 32.8093 -17.0603
Fin du Canyon 32.8100 -17.0595
Parking à l'entrée et à la sortie 32.8098 -17.0594

Rapports:

2026-10-18 | Sommer Andi | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ | 𝌆 Faible | 👍 Terminé
Parking at the wastewater treatment plant. Access: Head toward the stream. At the green railing, first climb a few steps, then head steeply into the forest, following the water pipe. In some places, there’s a thin steel cable on the rock face to hold onto. Route: First a short downclimb, then two rappels of about 15 meters each, followed by the tall final waterfall. We rappelled down the tall section in one go without using the intermediate belay point. Getting out was no problem. Return route: Through the tunnel to the sea and up the stairs on the right. A short and relaxing route. (traduction alternative)

2026-09-26 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 𝌆 Faible | 👍 Terminé
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2026-05-15 | Andreas Gremmel | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 𝌆 Haut | 👍 Terminé
Really a lot of water after rain ◫ Stand at high rappel offers only little space (2 rings & a lug, not connected) Access partly exposed, steep and brittle. (traduction alternative)

2026-04-19 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 𝌆 Normale | 👍 Terminé
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2025-06-08 | Marosffy Dániel | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 𝌆 Normale | 👍 Terminé
Access path is rather steep but obvious, a bit overgrown and short (start by the green handrail, up to a water tank or what, than follow the pipeline). Takes 20-25 minutes. The big one needs careful logistics: 2m + 6m + 32m + 50m, all on the right. The two later ones are free-hanging, but at least out of water. Not as slippery as it seems.

2024-11-03 | Airmax | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 𝌆 Faible | 👍 Terminé
Low water level. All stands in good condition. Access at the stairs with green handrail from the road. (traduction alternative)

2024-10-19 | Lucki ◫ | ☆ ☆ ☆ ½ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 𝌆 Normale | 👍 Terminé
Short but always beautiful canyon. (traduction alternative)

2024-10-19 | Anja | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ | 𝌆 Faible | 👍 Terminé
Beautiful and super short abseil gorge with a view of the sea. All stands okay. At the bottom again a clapping crowd on the road. :) (traduction alternative)

2024-10-02 | Bina | ☆ ☆ ½ |🕮 |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | 𝌆 Faible | 👍 Terminé
Nice, very short tour to explore the north of the island in the afternoon. (traduction alternative)

2023-01-20 | Christian Balla | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 |⚓ ★ ★ | 𝌆 Haut | 👍 Terminé
A very short canyon with a beautiful, breathtaking waterfall with a fascinating view. There are two waterfalls in the Agua Alto canyon. The upper waterfall is still cut in, the C90 open with a view of the Atlantic. The second cascade, about 90 meters high, ends right next to the road (VE2, São Vicente - Porto Moniz) and flows into the Atlantic Ocean. The 90-metre waterfall is accessed in several intermediate stages. (traduction alternative)