Palomas

Barranco de Palomas

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Country: España / Spain **Region:** Andalucía / Andalusia **Subregion:** Granada **Town:** Lenteji		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a? II	**Total time:**
Approachtime: 10min	**Tourtime:** 1h30	**Returntime:**
Altitude entry: 840m	**Altitude exit:** 600m	**Delta Altitude:** 240m
Canyon length: 1200m	**Highest rapell:** 19m	**Amount rapells:** 9
Transport: Car optional	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:** Southwest	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 0.7 (1)	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x20m

Summary: (machine translated)
Mostly dry rappel canyon, idR only access to Lenteji

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
In Almunecar, leave the N340 and head north on the SO2 via Jete and Otivar until the road to Lenteji branches off to the right (13 km from Almunecar). Follow this road upwards in serpentines. About 500 m before reaching the village (630 m above sea level) turn right onto a paved road (signs 'Piscina' and 'Polideportivo'), which first leads far to the south up to the new upper part of Lenteji with swimming pool and sports center. In this way it is possible to avoid the narrow and steep passage through the town. After passing through the new district on 'Calle Nueva', the tarred surface ends, on the left hand side there is a house with the inscription 'El Secanillo' and the road becomes a concrete track. Continue on this road. After 2.5 km - by now the concrete surface is missing - on the left you will see a beige house on a hill; below the house water shoots out of an irrigation canal, fed by the nearby Guadajama spring. Continue up the dirt road to the next saddle. We move through a sparse pine forest. After the saddle, the trail descends slightly and at the lowest point (860 m a.s.l.) crosses a (mostly) dry streambed. About 50 m further on, a dirt road branches off to the left into the olive plantations. Park your car here if you have not already done so due to the condition of the slope.

Approach: (machine translated)
Descend through the olive groves as far as possible until you meet the maquis. Here you will find the first rappel on the left in the streambed.

Tour: (machine translated)
The Palomas, like the neighboring Guadajana, is only suitable as an approach to Lenteji. Except for 2 halfway attractive rappel and a lot of (thorn) scrub, it can only offer scenic.

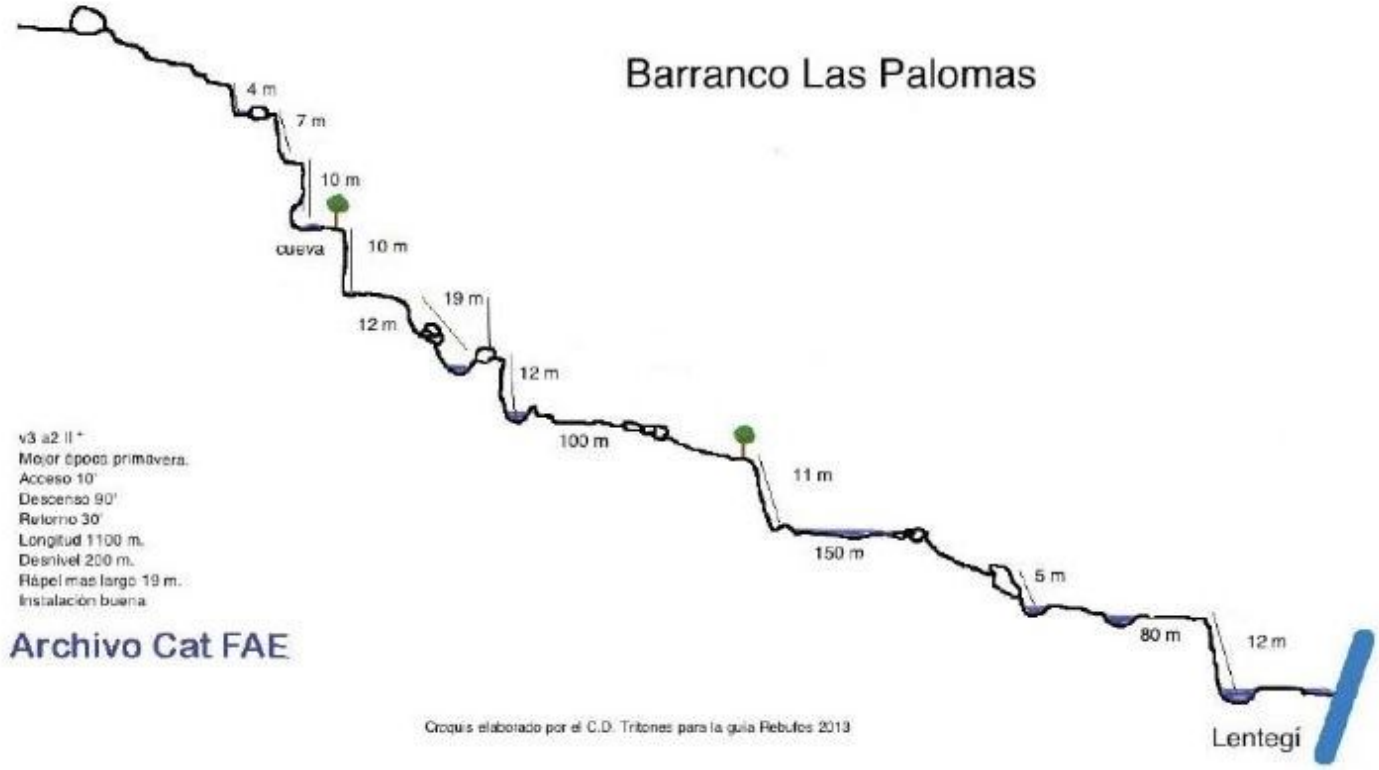
Return: (machine translated)
As it makes sense to continue first in the Bco. Guadajana, and later in the Canón del Lentegi (2.5 hours), the exit is from the latter (as described there).
However, after the confluence with the Guadajana, you could exit to the left and follow a path on its orographic left bank back up to the access track: http://www.wikiloc.com/wikiloc/view.do?id=5737174
Another ascent option is offered by a path that leads up to the left before the confluence with the Lentegi to the access road.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 36.8511 -3.6891
Canyon End 36.8460 -3.6876

Reports:

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