Barranco de las Tobalinas o del Jargu

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Country: España / Spain **Region:** Asturias, Principado de / Principality of Asturias **Subregion:** **Town:**		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a1 III	**Total time:**
Approachtime: 30min	**Tourtime:** 1h	**Returntime:**
Altitude entry: m	**Altitude exit:** m	**Delta Altitude:**
Canyon length: 750m	**Highest rapell:** 30m	**Amount rapells:** 10
Transport:	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season: September - May	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 0 ()	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Summary: (machine translated)
Spectacular canyon if you catch it with enough water (better after rains). Short access, fun descent between limestone and tuff, and an immediate return.

Hydrology: (machine translated)
Not very easy due to the closed environment

Access: (machine translated)
From San Vicente de la Barquera or from Potes we take the N621 towards the Hermida gorge. At pk 169 we have the exit of the gorge. Just here we have a lay-by and at 168,9 another one.
(2024.07 Juan Angel B.) The parking area in the Hermida gorge is under construction and the parking spaces have been reduced or are occupied by construction machinery. We were able to park in a space on the right in the direction of Potes a few meters from the exit, two cars fit very tightly. The other parking spaces have disappeared.

Approach: (machine translated)
Next to pk 168.9 we have the exit of the PR AS175 or Jargú path. We will go up it until the electric turret (I think the 4th or 5th curve to the left). By the path of the turret we access the stream.

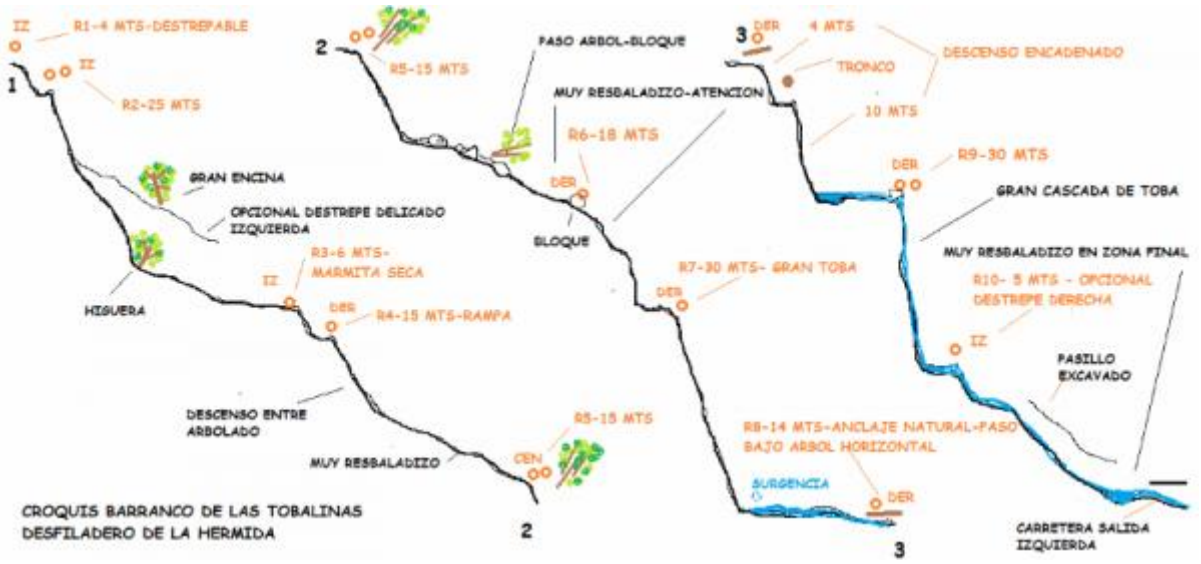
Tour: (machine translated)
Slippery descent through tuffs and that from the upwelling goes with water. If we do it after rains form a very colorful waterfalls to descend.
Caution that is quite slippery.
(2024.07-Juan Angel B.) There has been a landslide of trees and land that makes it difficult to pass through the riverbed in the last section of exit to 20meters of the road.
It can be avoided on the left side of the riverbed, moving about 10 meters away, without great difficulties, except for the vegetation.

Return: (machine translated)
We reached the road

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 43.2868 -4.6252
Canyon End 43.2881 -4.6242

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