Saltadouro

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Country: Portugal **Region:** Região Norte / Norte Region **Subregion:** Braga **Town:** Ruivães		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a3 III	**Total time:** 5h15
Approachtime: 15min	**Tourtime:** 4h	**Returntime:** 1h
Altitude entry: 480m	**Altitude exit:** 280m	**Delta Altitude:** 200m
Canyon length: 1400m	**Highest rapell:** 26m	**Amount rapells:** 4
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:** North	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 2.6 (3)	**Info:** ★ 1 (1)	**Belay:** ★ 1 (1)

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x30m

Summary: (machine translated)
Canyon for downclimbing and rappeling

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
From Braga on the N 103 (east) towards Chaves. After 45 km you reach Ruivaes. If you have a second car, park it about 3 km before Ruivaes on the N 103, where a dirt road comes up from the bottom left, see map at https://www.docuwiki.infobarrancos.es/doku.php?id=portugal:braga:saltadouro

Approach: (machine translated)
At the exit of the right-hand bend, where the upper vehicle is parked at the edge of the N 103, a small paved road goes down to the left. This meets a similar road coming up from the right. Follow the latter on the left (in a south-westerly direction) down to the stone bridge over the Saltadouro (entry on the left).

Tour: (machine translated)
In the chaos at the exit, the rappel anchors are not always easy to find; twice you rappel on rope slings through narrow holes into cavities below.

Return: (machine translated)
Turn left at the bridge. If you have parked a second car, follow the dirt road to the left (in a southerly direction) up to the N 103; if you only have the car in Ruivaes, follow the dirt road to the right over the bridge in a northerly direction until you come to a small road that leads up to Ruivaes, see map section in https://www.docuwiki.infobarrancos.es/doku.php?id=portugal:braga:saltadouro.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 41.6784 -8.0561
Canyon End 41.6851 -8.0662
Parking at Entry 41.6791 -8.0509
Parking at Exit 41.6826 -8.0735
Parking at Entry 41.6794 -8.0483

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First part (2/3rd) is super boring, only some pools make it bearable. The final... It could be pretty and amusing with a completely different rigging approach. The now existing explo-style is rather a desperate action: no drilling, but old pitons, rotten webbings and rusty maillons only, leading to uncomfortable narrows. Many thanks to the one who cut his/her new-looking Iris rope for the worst looking places. The cave at the end is not accessible any more from the top, some boulders are stuck in the entrance, don't even look for it. There is a weird rappel instead on the right. (In fact, all the anchors are on the right.) Fierce dogs on the way back. Fun otherwise. :)

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