Chevelure de la Madeleine

Ruisseau d'Esquierry

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Country: France **Region:** Occitanie **Subregion:** Haute-Garonne / Upper Garonne **Town:** Oô		
Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v4 a2 I	**Total time:** 5h55
Approachtime: 1h30	**Tourtime:** 4h	**Returntime:** 25min
Altitude entry: 1650m	**Altitude exit:** 1200m	**Delta Altitude:** 450m
Canyon length: 1000m	**Highest rapell:** 130m	**Amount rapells:** 13
Transport:	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season: June - November	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 3.3 (1)	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Summary: (machine translated)
Or better called Ruisseau d'Esquierry because of its location on the stream, it is a beautiful and quite open descent with an impressive final part over the Madeleine waterfall.
Attention: it is a very slippery canyon.

Hydrology: (machine translated)
The first part is very easy due to the openness of the descent. In the most difficult waterfall

Access: (machine translated)
We must reach Bagnères de Luchon from the French side by the D125 or from Spain by the Portillon from Bossost by the N141.
At the exit of Bagnères de Luchon north we must turn left on the D618 towards Arreau and Peyresourde.
Arriving at Cazeaux turn left on the D76 towards the commune of Oô. Cross the village and continue towards Granges d'Astau and Lac d'Oô. At the end of the road there is a parking lot.

Approach: (machine translated)
We go back about 100m to cross the bridge and take the GR that goes up the valley of the Ruisseau d'Esquierry. We follow it until it crosses the stream at about 1650m and here we enter the water.

Tour: (machine translated)
Nice descent that starts with a few small rappels and very open to get higher and higher until the impressive waterfall of Chevelure de la Madeleine.

Return: (machine translated)
After the last rappel we exit to the left and soon we cross the river towards the parking lot.

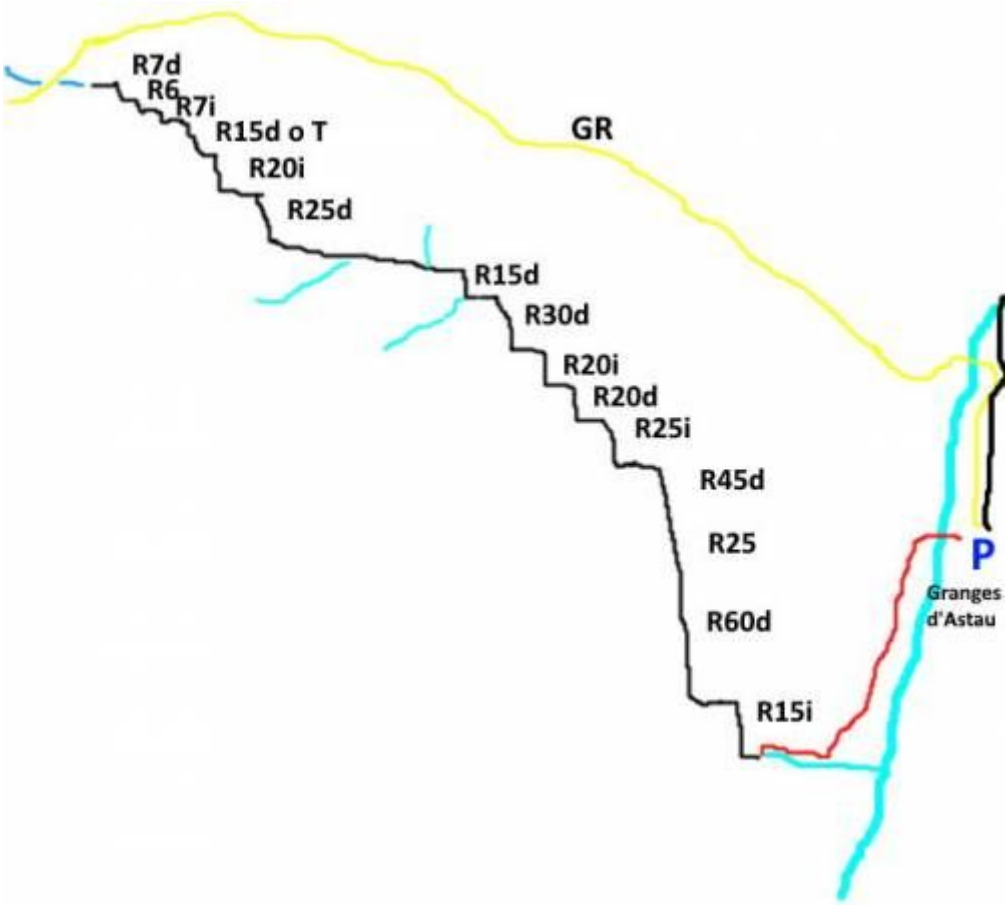
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Canyon End 42.7587 0.4967
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