Barranco de Perthus o Salt del Fito

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Country: España / Spain **Region:** Cataluña / Catalunya **Subregion:** provincia de Gerona / Provincia de Girona
Town:

Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v4 a2 II	**Total time:** 3h30
Approachtime: 1h	**Tourtime:** 2h	**Returntime:** 30min
Altitude entry: m	**Altitude exit:** m	**Delta Altitude:**
Canyon length: 1300m	**Highest rapell:** 30m	**Amount rapells:** 8
Transport:	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season: January - December	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 0 ()	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Summary: (machine translated)
Nice canyon on the French-Spanish border. A beautiful waterfall of 55m split at 30m. Then there are beautiful passages, slabs in the sun, with a second waterfall, the Salt del Fitonell (20 + 15m), with two rappels and a big jump. Canyon suitable for spring after rains, dry in summer.

Hydrology: (machine translated)
different possibilities, in particular at the level of the tourist walkway after the first big waterfall, or at the level of a city through a chain before the second big waterfall.

Access: (machine translated)
We will have to get to the French-Spanish border to the village of Perthús or Portús. To do this we will leave the A7 by the D900 or the NII.
In the village, along Dr Subiró street we look for the bridge under the freeway, cross it and park in the designated area.

Approach: (machine translated)
We leave by the track that goes up to the Llobregat (Salt del Fito path) and then cross the river and continue climbing to an elevation of 500m and go down to the river.

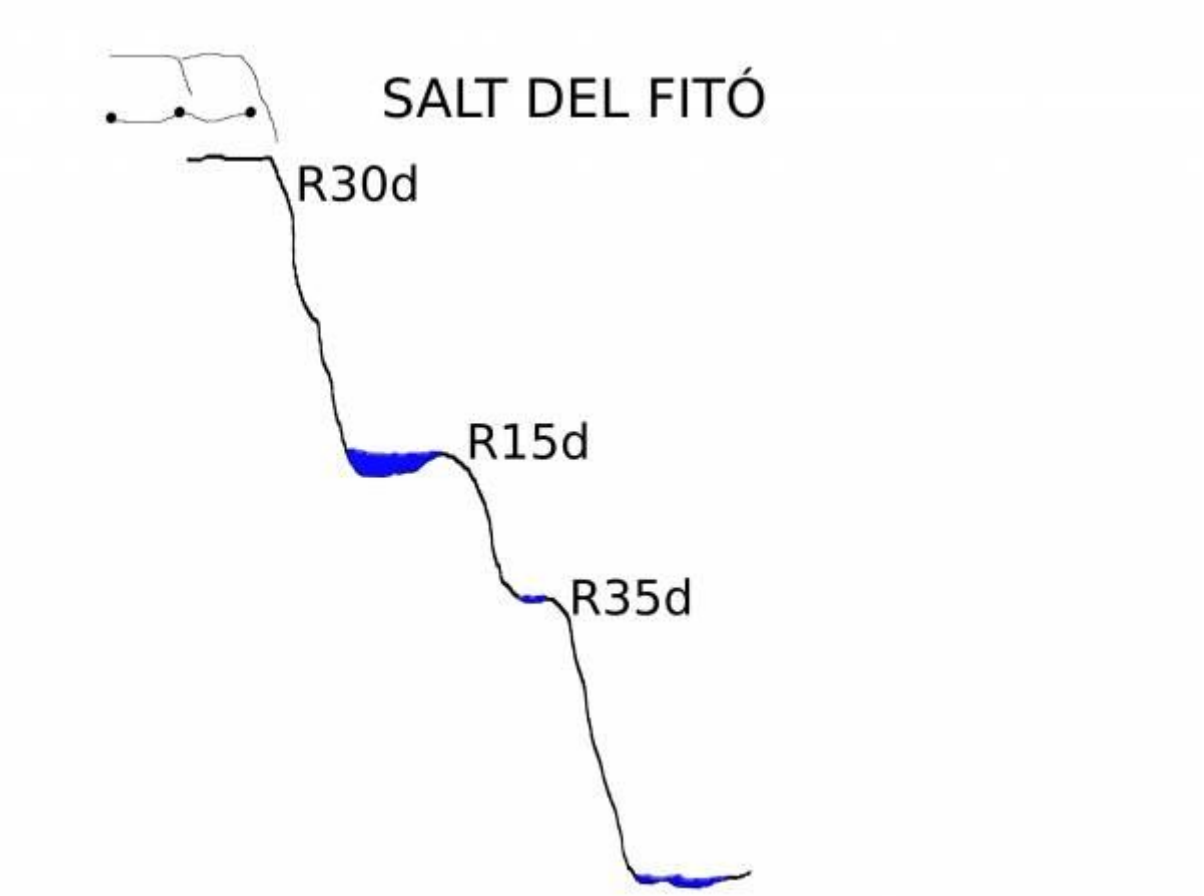
Tour: (machine translated)
A nice waterfall of 55m split.
They have put a chain handrail on the left at the first rappel and the meeting point of the third rappel is on the right but quite high, you have to look out and climb on a rock to get there (without further inconvenience).
Then there are beautiful passages, slabs in the sun. Total time : 2h

Return: (machine translated)
The exit is marked in blue on the Right Bank, at the level of a large slab before a final bend, and before the highway bridge. The marked route climbs up a rocky ridge and then onto a rocky balcony. Follow a zig-zag ascent that reaches the scrubland with magnificent scenery on the southern slopes of the Salines massif, the Fort de Bellegarde and the Canigou massif, which is still often covered with snow at this time of year.
The path reaches a cork oak forest, then the top of a small pass, from where we descend steeply to one of the first branches of the access road. Take this road in the other direction, in 5 minutes we are at the car.

Coordinates:

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