

# Barranco de la Canal de Lobao

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**Country:** España / Spain **Region:** Cantabria **Subregion:** Cantabria **Town:**

**Difficulty:** not as difficult

**Grading:** v3 a2 II

**Total time:** 1h31

**Approachtime:** 30min

**Tourtime:** 1h

**Returntime:** 1min

**Altitude entry:** m

**Altitude exit:** m

**Delta Altitude:**

**Canyon length:** 200m

**Highest rapell:** 35m

**Amount rapells:** 7

**Transport:**

**Rock type:**

**Drainage area:** km<sup>2</sup>

**Season:** January - December

**Orientation:**

**Best Time:**

**Rating:** ★ 0 ()

**Info:** ★ 0 ()

**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

**Specialities:**

**Gear:**

**Summary:** (machine translated)

Simple and entertaining canyon subsidiary of Valfría, perfect to combine them in the day.

**Hydrology:** (machine translated)

Several along the ravine

**Access:** (machine translated)

We must arrive to Fresneda, for it in the A8 or N634, at the height of Cabezón de la Sal, we will look for the detour of the CA180 direction Cabuérniga, until arriving to Valle.

Once in Valle, take the CA280 towards Reinosa until you reach Fresneda. We pass through the village and a few hundred meters ahead we will find a smooth left curve that has a small road on the right. From here there is a track that goes up the Valfría stream. We park the car to return if we also want to do Valfría.

Otherwise we continue upwards for almost 2 kms until a sharp left curve on the stream of lobao. We park here

**Approach:** (machine translated)

We follow the track about 200m up until we pass a hut. Bordering its wall we ascend until we meet a cattle trail that goes halfway up the slope to the head of the Lobao. After 20min we will see that it descends towards the stream.

**Tour:** (machine translated)

Simple descent with seven rappels of which only the one of 30-35m can represent a problem for beginners. Very aesthetic and lush environment, almost always with water except in summer if it has been a long time without rain.

**Return:** (machine translated)

You reach the bridge

**Coordinates:**

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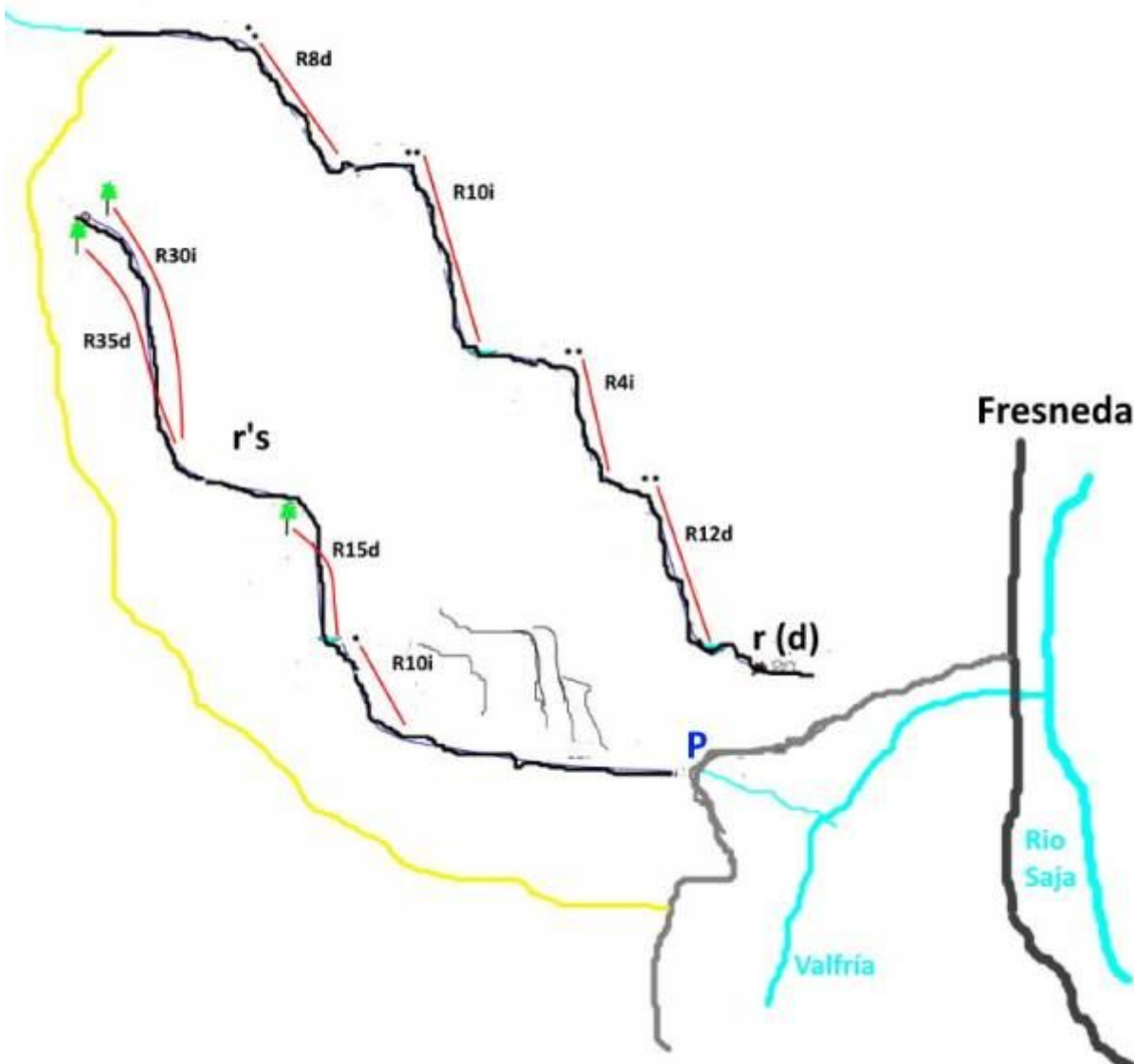
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