Ribeira das Cales III

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Country: Portugal **Region:** Madeira **Subregion:** **Town:** Funchal		
Difficulty:	**Grading:** v? a? ?	**Total time:**
Approachtime: 1min	**Tourtime:**	**Returntime:** 15min
Altitude entry: m	**Altitude exit:** m	**Delta Altitude:**
Canyon length: m	**Highest rapell:** m	**Amount rapells:**
Transport: Car required	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 1.4 (3)	**Info:** ★ 1 (2)	**Belay:** ★ 1.3 (3)

Specialities:

Gear:

Summary: (machine translated)
Rappel canyon with beautiful waterfalls and considerable running distance

Hydrology:

Access:

Approach:

Tour:

Return:

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 32.6927 -16.8969
Canyon End 32.6792 -16.8939

Reports:

2024-10-07 | Patrik Bartel | | | Low | Completed
If you want to get out of the habit of canyoning, you can do it. After 6 rappels, go up on the left, as the guided tours do. (machine translated)

2024-10-07 | Bina | | | Low | Completed
The first 4-5 rappels are nice (this part is also guided). After that comes the 1st wooden blockage and from then on, apart from a few ok rappels (some without belays), the canyon is the biggest sucking ditch I've ever done. Eternal walking on slippery stones, between thorns, fallen trees,.... (machine translated)

2024-02-27 | Christian Balla | ☆ ☆ ☆ | | ★ ★ | Normal | Completed
Beautiful waterfalls but unfortunately a lot of walking. The first anchor point is great, but the quality deteriorates noticeably in the canyon. In the last third, natural anchors have to be used in places, e.g. using macramé. (machine translated)

Parts:
Cales I, v3 a2 III, 10min+2h+30min
Cales II, v3 a4 III, 5min+2h30+10min
Ribeira das Cales III, v? a? ?, 1min++15min
Ribeira das Cales IV, v4 a3 III, 10min++