

# Mocanes

Barranco de los Mocanes, Canada de Botija, Barranco del Chorro

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**Country:** España / Spain    **Region:** Canarias / Canary Islands    **Subregion:** Las Palmas    **Town:** Las Vegas

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| <b>Difficulty:</b> not as difficult | <b>Grading:</b> v3 a2 III     | <b>Total time:</b> 5h                 |
| <b>Approach time:</b> 1h30          | <b>Tour time:</b> 3h          | <b>Return time:</b> 30min             |
| <b>Altitude entry:</b> 1080m        | <b>Altitude exit:</b> 750m    | <b>Delta Altitude:</b> 330m           |
| <b>Canyon length:</b> 1500m         | <b>Highest rappel:</b> 26m    | <b>Amount rapells:</b> 9              |
| <b>Transport:</b> Car optional      | <b>Rock type:</b> basalt      | <b>Drainage area:</b> km <sup>2</sup> |
| <b>Season:</b>                      | <b>Orientation:</b> Northeast | <b>Best Time:</b>                     |
| <b>Rating:</b> ★ 1.7 (2)            | <b>Info:</b> ★ 0 ()           | <b>Belay:</b> ★ 0 ()                  |

## **Specialities:**

### **Gear:**

Ropes: 2x30m

### **Summary:** (machine translated)

Rappel canyon, idR. dry. Almost tropical ambience.

## **Hydrology:**

### **Access:** (machine translated)

From the GC\_1 (Las Palmas - Maspalomas) we turn off onto the GC\_10 to Telde, which is also a 4-lane road. We drive through Telde on this road to its exit. Here we turn left onto the GC\_41, come to Valsequillo and continue to Las Vegas. After this town, the GC\_10 turns northwest. About 200 m after this right turn, we turn left onto a small paved road. After another 300 m, we reach the Bco. de los Mocanes and park the car in a small bay just before the streambed. With a four-wheel drive vehicle, you could drive up the access described below to the point where you descend into the streambed at the top.

### **Approach:** (machine translated)

Beyond the barranco we climb the path continuously. We pass a saddle and arrive at the houses, where we are greeted by the fierce barking of dogs (Jan. 2009; up to here about 4.5 km). We continue along the track, ignoring a forest path leading into the Bco. on the right, and finally come out of the sparse pine forest into a high valley (approx. 1210 m a.s.l. - 6.5 km from the parking lot). Here we descend an indistinct path to the streambed and immediately encounter the first rappel.

### **Tour:** (machine translated)

9 rappel. The remarkable thing about this Bco. in basalt rock is its bright green color (see photos) the canyon has several parts with the following names (from top to bottom): Canada de Botija - Bco. del Chorro - Bco. de los Mocanes

### **Return:** (machine translated)

About 100 m after the last wide 8 m drop, which you bypass to the right - for lack of anchors - you meet a large boulder. Under this, a water pipe leads along, which you follow (somewhat herbaceous), until you can go down on the broad ridge orographic. left of the barranco a - partly indistinct - path. Subsequently, one meets a little road that leads us directly to the car.

## **Coordinates:**

Canyon Start [27.9693 -15.5137](#)

Canyon End [27.9749 -15.5048](#)

Parking at Entry [27.9685 -15.5129](#)

Parking at Exit [27.9808 -15.4976](#)

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