

Leze

Cueva de la Leze, Hoya de la Leze

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Country: España / Spain Region: País Vasco / Euskal Autonomia Erkidegoa Subregion: Álava / Araba / Alava Town: EGINO		
Difficulty: easy	Grading: v2 a2 IV	Total time: 3h5
Approachtime: 50min	Tourtime: 2h10	Returntime: 5min
Altitude entry: 745m	Altitude exit: 625m	Delta Altitude: 120m
Canyon length: 600m	Highest rapell: 24m	Amount rapells: 13
Transport: on Foot	Rock type:	drainage area: km ²
Season:	Orientation: Southwest	Best Time:
Rating: ★ 3.7 (2)	Info: ★ 0 ()	Belay: ★ 0 ()
Specialities:		
Gear: Ropes: 2x30m Headlamp,		
Summary: (machine translated) Rappelling through a water bearing cave		
Hydrology: http://www.saihebro.com/saihebro/index.php?url=/datos/ficha/estacion:A321		
Access: (machine translated) Leave the N-I freeway (Gasteiz/Vitoria - Pamplona) at exit 389 to EGINO (Eguino), to the north. Do not enter the town, but when you reach the houses, take the A-3012 road, which goes to the left (westward) in the direction of Ilarduia. About 700m after EGINO and about 100m before reaching Ilarduia, a sign 'Leze' points to the right and after about 400m we reach a sparse deciduous forest with parking and picnic areas. Here we park the car.		
Approach: (machine translated) From the car (about 630 m a.s.l.) we head for a chute in the rock face west of the large, elongated cave opening. For a short time we go up along the edge of the chute over a wire-rope secured rocky ridge, then the trail crosses an old water pipe and we reach the ridge above the rock face. We now follow the path for about 15 min. towards the prominent gulch on the ridge above us (Brecha Koloska). Before it gets really steep, we take a path at an altitude of about 750 m to 800 m above sea level (partly only indistinct traces of the path), which leads us up to the right in the direction of ONO to the ridge at about 1000 m above sea level. We cross the ridge to the north (not to the northeast !), descend steeply and then go down pathless to the northwest in the hollow beyond the ridge. We eventually come to a ledge where we can look through trees to the northern cave opening. We reach the cave entrance either by rappelling in the left chute or by sliding/rappelling in the steep cirque to the right of the cave entrance (access time about 1.5 hrs.). In the internet findings, a path is described several times, which at the beginning is more eastward oriented and seems to be more pronounced. Gomez goes right (or left) only shortly before the Brecha Koloska. There is also an extreme access through the Brecha de la Koloska: http://www.barranquismo.net/paginas/barrancos1/acceso_a_la_leze.pdf The access is facilitated with the ability to orient.		
Tour: (machine translated) 12 rappel in the dark. The cave stretches across the ridge in the form of the entrance and exit opening. intense impressions regarding the sounds and the (indirect) incidence of light. The water flow is basically moderate. Do not enter during threatening. Thunderstorm enter.		

Return: (machine translated)

At the cave exit left or right out to the picnic sites and the car.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start [42.8841 -2.2706](#)

Canyon End [42.8808 -2.2743](#)

Parking Entry and Exit [42.8783 -2.2760](#)

Reports:

2024-11-03 | System User | |📖|📍|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Leze Normal strong flow, fun descent. Plus the Ojo de Búho 60m free hanging entry rappel, which is well worth doing. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21539/observations.html>)

2024-09-21 | System User | |📖|📍|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Leze More water than I expected - and cold! A nice flow for an easy descent. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/21539/observations.html>)

2024-05-08 | System User | |📖|📍|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

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2024-04-14 | System User | |📖|📍|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

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2023-11-26 | System User | |📖|📍|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

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