

COSTA BLANCA MOUNTAINWALKERS - WALK DESCRIPTION

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Title of Walk	Caballo Verde Col	
Location of Start	Tormos	
Key Statistics for walk - Distance in km	16 km	
Key Statistics for walk - Ascent in m	580m	
Key Statistics for walk - Walking time and total completion time including any stops	3hrs56mins 5hrs30mins	
Key Statistics for walk - Grade (using CBMW system)	MS/B	
Grid reference of start point (if known)	Lat:- 38.7994, Long -0.076132	
Directions to Start	Turn off the Orba to Pego road, CV715, signed Costera de Moll at Orba end of village. Turn first L, second R first L and park in Tormos piscine car park on RHS	
Short walk description	Route takes us past Isbert's dam, through tunnel (bring a torch) up to Fontilles and on up to the Col	
Full Walk Description		Elapsed Walking Time/Distance so far
Walk down the road away from the village and turn L onto a track (3mins, 0.25km)		3mins, 0.25km
Proceed, past a building with two large black tanks on RHS, and continue to a T junction with a road and turn R (6mins, 0.43km)		9mins, 0.68km.
After 100m go straight onto track and continue to a road where you go straight on (9mins, 0.79km)		18mins, 1.47km
Proceed until you join a track, go L after 60m at fork, over a water course, past two polythene greenhouses on LHS,(ignore track on LHS km 3.08) past corral on RHS, down and across a barranco. (track now concrete covered) Cross the barranco again, past an electrical substation/pumpstation on RHS and down path into the barranco. (31mins, 2.50km)		49mins, 3.97km
Isbert's dam is a short distance upstream and well worth a visit.		
Cross the barranco, go L up ramp, L onto path, through tunnel and on past buildings on LHS to a track. (10mins, 0.70km)		59mins, 4.67km

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Turn immediately R up steps and R up track, marked Y/W, to a path and turn R. (3mins, 0.21km)	1hr2min, 4.88km
Continue straight on signed "Fontilles 600m" at junction with another path, past houses on LHS and straight on concrete covered track up to main road. (end of Y/W markings) (8mins, 0.45km)	1hr10min, 5.33k
Turn R up main road, past road on LHS signed "Fontilles", past cemetery and car park on LHS, round bend to left and L into a country road. (5mins, 0.31km)	1hr15min, 5.64k
Proceed, past a little domed music house on LHS and after 100m turn R onto Y/W marked track. (6mins, 0.39km)	1hr21min, 6.03k
After 180m turn L onto path and up through woods to a road. (12mins, 0.77km)	1hr33min, 6.80k
Turn R, past Font Del Gel on LHS (ignore path going up here), L at fork and immediately L up path signed "Cavall Verd 1.9km". (5mins, 0.34km)	1hr38min, 7.14k
(Your route goes from here to the summit and back SO TRY TO REMEMBER THE WAY BACK)	
After approx. 300m turn L onto track and immediately R back onto path. After 15m go L onto road, 15m further go R at fork and up to a house named Casa de los Pinos on RHS and take the road to the R at the fork straight ahead going up. (14mins, 0.79km)	1hr52min, 7.93k
After 170m turn R onto Y/W marked path, across old road, on to another road signed "Cavall 800m" and turn L (6mins, 0.33km)	1hr58min, 8.26k
After 40m turn R onto track marked Y/W (soon concrete covered) and at end of track turn L onto path. (4mins, 0.22km)	2hrs2min, 8.48k
Continue up through the trees to a track. (6mins, 0.19km) 2hrs8mins, 8.98km.	2hrs8min, 8.67k
Proceed up track opposite marked Y/W to its end then take path to col (8mins, 0.38km)	2hr16min, 9.05k
Return back the way we came. Down the path and track, back down the path opposite, on down to the part concrete covered track. Go R then L onto old road, after 40m R at signed "Fleix/Campell" down path, over old road and down to another old road and turn L (12mins, 1.03km)	2hr28min,10.08k
Proceed down, past Casa de los Pinos on your LHS straight on at RH bend, onto another road (8mins, 0.60km)	2hr36min,10.68k
After 20m turn R onto a path and down to a road. (7mins, 0.34km)	2hr43min,11.02k
Go straight across road and down a road on the L signed "Campell 600m". Continue past a campsite on LHS on into village to main road. (9mins, 0.57km)	2hr52min,11.59k
Turn R down main road L at church and L onto path at edge of village marked Y/W. (3mins, 0.36km)	2hr55min,11.95k
Continue down path to track and turn L (10mins, 0.46km)	3hr5min,12.41k
After 70m turn L onto another track. After another 50m turn R onto path. Go L after another 30m and down (signed "Isbert 1km"). Go L where we join another path (km 12.71) to road and turn R (11mins, 0.51km)	3hr16min,12.92k

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Proceed down road and turn L onto track. (11mins, 0.95km)	3hr27min,13.87k
After 40m turn L onto a path then R, onto a track/path and go straight on (5mins, 0.21km)	3hr32min,14.08k
Join a track and go straight on, round to L at T junction and down to river/barranco. (1min 0.11km)	3hr33min,14.19k
Cross over, L at fork and up to a road. Km 14.37.(ignore Y/W track on L km 14.61) Go straight onto track where road bends to the R. (8mins, 0.66km)	3hr41min,14.85k
Track becomes surfaced (km 15.68). Turn L at first house into orchard. (11mins, 0.96km)	3hr52min,15.81k
Continue through orchard, over concrete pipe, over to LHS and out from LH corner to road and the cars. (4mins, 0.27km)	3hr56min,16.08k
Walk Recommendations or restrictions	None

Route followed is outlined in red

