

COSTA BLANCA MOUNTAIN WALKERS - WALK DESCRIPTION

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Title of Walk	Cabo San Antonio and watchtower (Torre del Gerro)	
Location of Start (include name of nearest village/town at start of description)	Javea	
Key Statistics for walk - Distance in km	14	
Key Statistics for walk - Ascent in m	300	
Key Statistics for walk - Walking time and total completion time including any stops	3h36mins 4h30mins	
Key Statistics for walk - Grade (using CBMW system)	MS/B	
Grid reference of start point (if known)	Lat:- 38.796892, Long:- 0.183279	
Directions to Start	Javea Port. Meet in public car park opposite the fish market.	
Short walk description	Impressive coastal views, with lunch at the watchtower.	
Full Walk Description	Elapsed Walking Time/Distance so far	
From the car park walk past the marina to a traffic island at the end and turn L up a Y/W marked path signed "Molins,etc." (7mins, 590m)	7mins, 590m	
After 90m go L at a fork signed "Cap San Antonio"		
Go R at a fork (km1.17) and up. Ignore a path that joins on your LHS at the top and go a few metres more to a mirador with wonderful views over Javea. (37mins, 1.91km)	44mins, 2.50km	
Take track signed "Santuari,etc." up to a road. (Lighthouse and 2 antennas on your R) (4mins, 180m)	48mins, 2.68km	
Turn L onto this road then, after about 160m, turn L onto a track to another mirador. Proceed past a car park on your RHS and join a Y/W marked path that runs parallel with the road. Continue on this path to where it crosses a road. (10mins, 0.68km)	58mins, 3.36km	
Cross the road and continue on path to a car park and picnic area. (3mins, 0.29km)	1hr1min, 3.65km	
Continue straight on a track signed "Santuari, etc.", past a lime kiln on your LHS and go R at a fork (km4.31) and up to a T junction. (18mins, 1.36km)	1hr19min,5.01km	

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<p>Turn L past a ruin that was once a Guardia prison on your RHS and turn immediately R around the side of this ruin onto an unmarked but well trodden path. Ignore a path on your LHS (km5.44) and continue up to a track (small house ahead) (11mins, 0.60km)</p>	1hr30min, 5.61k
<p>Due to many paths criss-crossing the next section is a little tricky so please CONCENTRATE</p>	
<p>Turn R, then after approx. 50m go R again heading seaward. Leave the track on a LH bend and go straight on onto a Y/W marked path. (1min, 0.11km)</p>	1hr31min, 5.72k
<p>Ignore Y/W path on your RHS signed to "Cova" (km5.83) and go straight on, over a Y/W cross then L, after approx. 70m, onto another path at a cairn. Go R at a T junction (building on your LHS) then after about 8m bear L. (4mins, 0.31km)</p>	1hr35min, 6.03k
<p>After about 30m bear R up to a track with a ruined building. (2mins, 0.14km)</p>	1hr37min, 6.17k
<p>Go straight over this track onto a Y/W marked path (later marked Y/R/W) signed to "Torre del Gerro". Continue straight on at a big cairn (km6.55) and on to the watchtower. (24mins, 1.35km)</p>	2h1min, 7.52km
<p>Return the way you came signed "Cim Montgo" past the big cairn back to the track with the ruined building. (25mins, 1.37km)</p>	2hr26min, 8.89k
<p>Turn R onto this track and continue to a T junction. Go R signed "Molins" and continue, ignoring any tracks that join, to a road. (10mins, 0.76km)</p>	2h36min, 9.65km
<p>Cross this road and proceed down the road opposite. Ignore any roads or tracks that join on either side until a path joins on your RHS with a timber post engraved "Els Molins" (9mins, 0.65km)</p>	2h45mins, 10.3k
<p>Turn R onto this path (marked R/W). After you pass 4 windmills the path goes L then R past the next 2 windmills, then on past another 2 on your RHS up to a track where you turn L. (5mins, 0.40km)</p>	2h50min,10.7km
<p>After approx 70m go R at a cross tracks. Ignore a track on your RHS and continue past 2 houses on your LHS followed by a third. Stay on this track ignoring any others that may join until you meet a road. (11mins, 0.7km)</p>	3h1min, 11.4km
<p>Turn R onto this road as it meanders down towards the port. After 30mins you eventually come to a T junction (km13.5) turn L then L again after approx. 100m and down back to the cars. (35mins, 2.41km)</p>	3h36min, 13.81k
Walk Recommendations or restrictions	None

Route followed is outlined in Red

