

COSTA BLANCA MOUNTAIN WALKERS - WALK DESCRIPTION

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Last Updated	Partially checked 18 th Jan 2023	
Title of Walk	Los Corrales de Montduver	
Location of Start (include name of nearest village/town at start of description)	Xeresa Parking bays in Carrer Monduver (upper level)	
Key Statistics for walk - Distance in km	13	
Key Statistics for walk - Ascent in m	540	
Key Statistics for walk - Walking time and total completion time including any stops	4hr 5.5hr	
Key Statistics for walk - Grade (using CBMW system)	MS/B	
Grid reference of start point (if known)	Lat:- 39.010071,Long: -0.218960	
Directions to Start	From exit 60 on the AP7 follow the road back under the motorway and continue ahead to a roundabout where you turn R. Turn R again to enter the town and continue directly ahead over roundabouts to meet a staggered junction where you continue ahead into Carrer Doctor Maranon. At the end of this turn L into Carrer Hortes and then L again into Carrer Monduver. Park in the marked bays.	
Short walk description	A delightful excursion on the flanks of Monduver visiting several corrales with views towards the craggy summit and back over the coast.	
Full Walk Description	Elapsed Walking Time/Distance so far	
<p>Walk W back along Carrer Monduver and at a large island keep ahead into Carretera Ravalet de la Trinitat.</p> <p>Keep L of the small chapel and ahead to turn R and drop down to the wash house – lavadero – and walk through this to emerge at the other end onto a concrete walkway between 2 water channels.</p> <p>Follow this faithfully around a few bends and across a junction and then close to the motorway take a more direct L and then R turn.</p>	300m, 4min	

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<p>Immediately after you meet a track take care to keep up to the R on the concrete walkway and then meet a further track and follow it L to walk under the motorway.</p> <p>At the far side of the tunnel turn R on a concrete track.....</p> <p>and continue down to the end of a corral building where you turn steeply up L but on the RHS of a fence.</p> <p>At the top of the fence turn L along it and at the far side walk uphill onto a path (cleared Jan 2018).</p> <p>This rises to cross a wooded col and then drops a little on the far side to almost reach planted fields and then continues along the RH flank of the hill.</p> <p>Reach a finger post with a Y/W track and turn L rising slightly towards Pla de la Vella.</p> <p>Reach a large cairn on a spur and turn R soon walking above a cliff on your RHS.</p> <p>Pass another finger post and information board and keep ahead now with feint R/Y/W paint markers.</p> <p>Gain the top of a spur and walk gently down the other side to reach a junction where you turn R and only a few metres later at a finger post keep ahead ignoring the path going L uphill.</p> <p>Pass a sign to Corral de Foquio (which is on the RHS) and keep ahead.</p> <p>Reach a track where we turn R for a few metres and then L up towards the Corral de l'Obreret to take lunch!!</p> <p>Now retrace your steps back down to the track and walk along this ignoring our earlier path on the LHS.</p> <p>At the end of the track you pass a finger post indicating the summit of Monduver up to the R and almost immediately a spur where we pass a small boundary stone and follow Y/W markers along the spur itself.</p> <p>Just a few metres along this go off to the R descending quite steeply but relieving the worst slopes by hunting out the "true" Y/W path line to zig-zag down to a fuente, a picnic table and a finger post.</p> <p>100m after this turn L at a finger post towards Xeresa por Corral de Senent now still descending.</p> <p>At the next finger post keep up to the R signed to Corral de Milhores.</p> <p>After climbing a little out of a barranco turn L at the next finger post signed to Xeresa – 40mins.</p> <p>Pass by the Corral de Milhores and de les Cabres and continue directly ahead dropping into a barranco beyond which is a worked out quarry.</p>	<p>800m, 11min</p> <p>1.4km, 23min</p> <p>2.8km, 54min</p> <p>4.8km, 1hr 30min</p> <p>6.3km, 1hr 58min</p> <p>7.5km, 2hr 17min</p> <p>8.1km, 2hr 31min</p> <p>9.66km??</p>
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At the bottom of the slope cross a riven barranco and turn L along a path quickly passing a large pond and joining a descending track on the outskirts of the quarry.

When you arrive a a large flat area on your RHS (with old machinery in 2018!) take care to double back to the L.....

and follow this track still descending to join a route leading away from a large orange house.

Now walk directly down the valley ignoring side turns to eventually arrive at the outskirts of the village and a large block of flats. Keep to the L of these and walk directly ahead back to Carrer Monduver.

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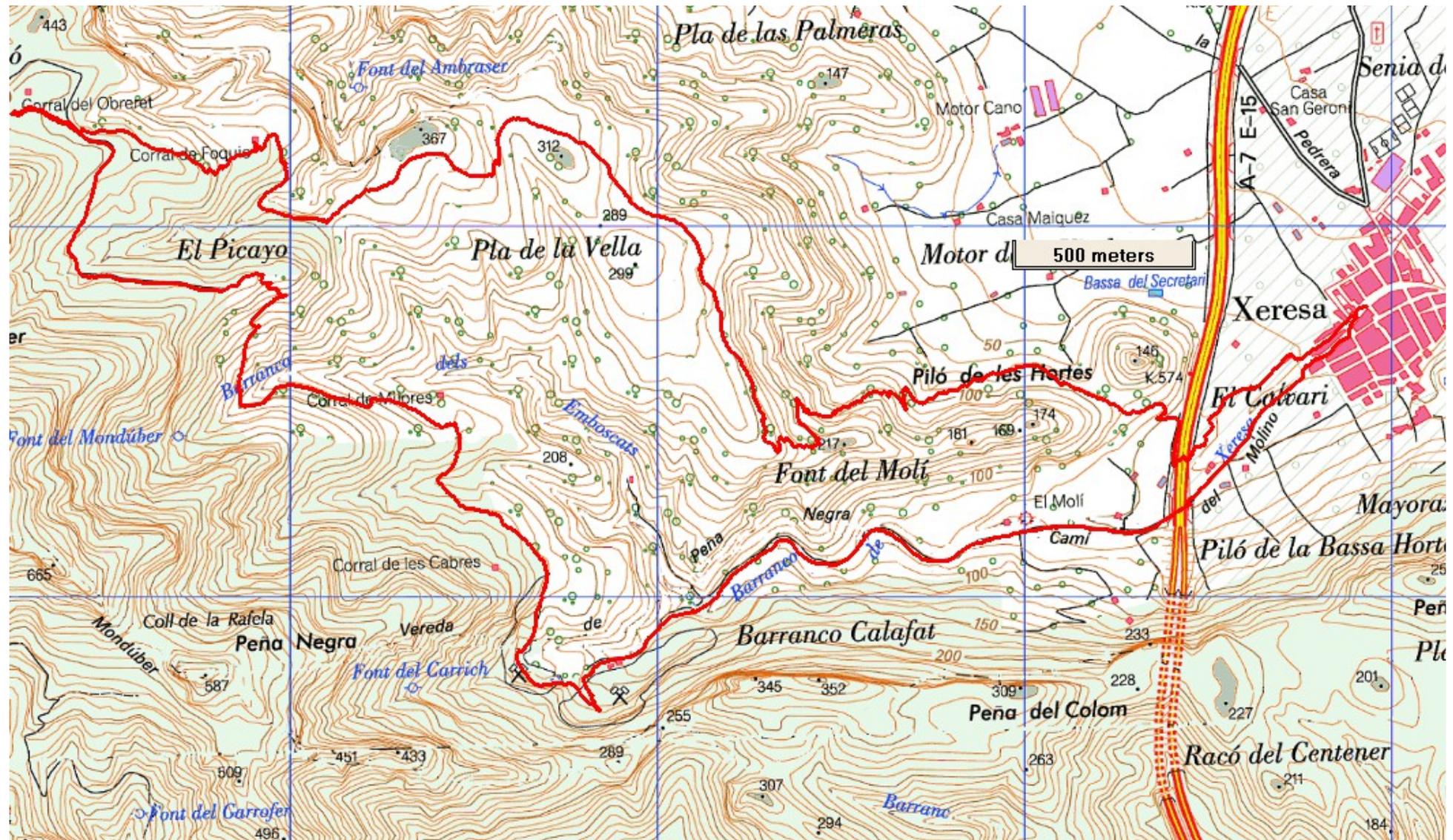
9.9km, 3hr 7min

Walk Recommendations or restrictions

None

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Route followed is outlined in Red



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