

COSTA BLANCA MOUNTAIN WALKERS - WALK DESCRIPTION

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Title of Walk	La Plana from the Port - extended	
Location of Start (include name of nearest village/town at start of description)	Javea	
Key Statistics for walk - Distance in km	11	
Key Statistics for walk - Ascent in m	250	
Key Statistics for walk - Walking time and total completion time including any stops	2h47mins 3h45mins	
Key Statistics for walk - Grade (using CBMW system)	M/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	All on well defined paths, tracks and quiet suburban roads. Impressive coastal views especially when returning down to the Port	
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 (km2.31) 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." 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>	<p>1hr30min, 5.61k</p>
<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>	<p>1hr31min, 5.72k</p>
<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 (newish building on your LHS) then after about 8m bear L. (4mins, 0.31km)</p>	<p>1hr35min, 6.03k</p>
<p>After about 30m bear R up to a track with a ruined building. (2mins, 0.14km)</p>	<p>1hr37min, 6.17k</p>
<p>Turn L onto this track and continue to a T junction. Go L signed "Molins" and continue, ignoring any tracks that join, to a road. (10mins, 0.76km)</p>	<p>1hr47min,6.93km</p>
<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>	<p>1hr56min,7.58km</p>
<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>	<p>2hr1min, 7.98km</p>
<p>After a short distance 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>	<p>2hr12min,8.05km</p>
<p>Turn R onto this road and stay on it 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>	<p>2hr47min,11.09k</p>
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<p>Walk Recommendations or restrictions</p>	<p>None</p>

Route followed is outlined in Red

