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Title of Walk	The Ridges of Pedreguer county	
Location of Start (include name of nearest village/town at start of description)	Pedreguer. Street parking on outskirts of town.	
Key Statistics for walk - Distance in km	8	
Key Statistics for walk - Ascent in m	340	
Key Statistics for walk - Walking time and total completion time including any stops	3hr 4hr	
Key Statistics for walk - Grade (using CBMW system)	M/C	
Grid reference of start point (if known)	Lat: 38.7929, Long: 0.04036	
Directions to Start	From the CV732 turn in to Carrer de Mexic. Park as soon as you can or continue a few meters downhill and turn L into Carrer Josep de la Tona and park along here.	
Short walk description	A horseshoe route over 2 of Pedreguer's unwalked ridges. An easy track start leads on to a rough but clear path which improves as we progress before descending along a ridge line with open views of Montgo and Segaria.	
Full Walk Description		Elapsed Walking Time/Distance so far
Walk back uphill along Carrer de Mexic. Cross the main road and continue ahead uphill curving R and then L to follow the steepest line.		
When the children's payground is on your RHS turn R above this and when you meet tarmac again turn L for just a few metres before turning R rising up a rough track.		390m, 6min
At the crest of this turn L along a continuing track $\nu$ zags.	which rises steadily with many zig-	
When the zig-zags run out you will reach an area where the path appears to continue straight ahead, but avoid this and instead turn L rising over a short rocky area to find a continuing path moving off to the L and uphill.		1.6km, 31min

## **COSTA BLANCA MOUNTAIN WALKERS - WALK DESCRIPTION**

Follow this now for some time with occasional rocky sections as it keeps to the L flank of the ridge before finally turning uphill on the R to reach a junction with a path on the R which sets off towards a summit but we turn L descending briefly to another junction with a finger post just below... 2.3km, 48min Here, avoid going off downhill down the side of the hill but instead continue uphill to the L soon crossing a short but very rocky section before dropping again on the R to reach a col with a junction with a Y/W path. 2.6km, 58min Here turn L and now follow this path as it rises steadily to arrive at a junction just below a road. 3.3km, 1hr 12min The R turn climbs a few metres to this road, but we avoid this and instead turn L, immediately passing a house above us at the start of an ecological plantation of vines and other crops. Continue along this path rising over a hill and descending the other side with one or two minor zig-zags often between fences and walls to arrive at a terrace which you cross to the L and curve around further to the L towards a house. Just before the house turn R rising and keep ahead. 4.1km, 1hr 26min As you start to descend look out for an indistinct path forking R at a cairn where a Y/W continues L. Take the indistinct path..... 4.3km, 1hr 30min and continue ahead quickly meeting a cross path where you continue directly ahead with a Y/W cross. Pass a ruin and quickly after that what appears to be an occupied (or used) 4.8km, 1hr 38min building..... and shortly after this zig-zag down on a delightful path ignoring any short cuts that risk damaging the original line of the path. When you reach a rough track turn L downhill 5.4k, 1hr 53 min and follow this to finally emerge on tarmac where you turn R between houses and then L at the next junction. Now follow the tarmac down the steepest line ignoring any side turnings to reach the CV732. Cross this a few metres to the L and then turn R downhill again ignoring a road that joins you from the L until you reach a T-jnc where you turn L. After a short while you pass a small zig-zag L and then R and after this take the next L turn to find vourself in Carrer de Mexic and the start of the walk. Spanish maps included within these descriptions are provided courtesy of the Spanish IGN and remain @ Instituto Geográfico Nacional **Walk Recommendations or restrictions** None

See map below.....

## **Route followed is outlined in Red**

