



Alcalali
 There has been a surge of development at Alcalali since the Costa Blanca guide was published in 2005. The number of routes has jumped from 15 to 35 and many of the newer (courtesy of Richard Davies and Alan Austin) are very good indeed. Brief descriptions are included here - see page 280 and 284/5 of the Costa Blanca guide for approach information.

- 1 Tasha Mitica** 4
20m. The juggy rib on the left.
- 2 Ceder o no Ceder?** 4
14m. A short line or continue up...
- 3 Ainee** 4+
26m. Two short pitches or one long one.
- 4 Stohlwitter** 6a
14m. The red groove. Exit direct or right.
- 5 Optas** 6a+
14m. The wall to a tricky finish.
- 6 Yorkshire Lads** 6b
18m. The slab and left-hand tufa
- 7 Windle Poons** 6c+
26m. The left-hand of the two long lines is excellent.
- 8 Elendigliches** 6a+
26m. The line of pockets is already a classic.

- 9 No Tocar Los Bloques** 6c+
24m. Sharp climbing up the grey slab and orange wall.
- 10 Diferente Partes** 6c
24m. Steep and juggy, and quite low in the grade.
- 11 Akram the Terrible** 7a
24m. Thin and reachy moves up the slab and wall.
- 12 Corta y Dulce** 6b
22m. Up the slab and wall to a choice of finishes.
- 13 La Barra** 6b
24m. The orange wall just left of the spike then easier above.
- 14 Esolero** 6b
24m. From a block pass an old bolt and climb the face.
- 15 De Tomberelo** 6b
24m. Start right of the base of the ramp and go direct.
- 16 40 Thieves** 6c+
25m. Climb the right edge of the initial wall (7b+ direct) then the slab and wall.
- 17 (Cactus Climb)** 6c
30m. The steep wall and groove lead to an exposed finale.
- 18 Project** ?
30m. The part-bolted line to the right.
- 19 Heaven Can't Wait** 7b+
30m. A bold start and tough upper section.

- 20 Busaba** 7a
25m. Good moves up the slab and tufas.
- 21 Sudoku** 6c+
35m. Excellent and devious, though a little sharp.
- 22 (Multi-pitch Route)** 6c
40m. The two climb up the grey wall sees few ascents.
- 23 A.A. Confidential** 7a
18m. The left-edge of the cave and the tufa above
- 24 (Cave Route Left)** 7b+
28m. The wall and groove above the cave - sustained.
- 25 Hush Hush** 7b+
18m. the wall above the cave avoiding holds on the last route.
- 26 Cara Cortado** 6c+
20m. The rib and tufas right of the cave.
- 27 Cara Dura** 7b+
30m. The hard (and chipped) extension.
- 28 (Cave Route)** 7b
30m. The sustained wall between the caves is hard and good.
- 29 (Escape Right)** 6b
30m. The steep wall above the cave to the point where it turns desperate (7b) where an unlikely sequence heads out right.
- 30 Waylander** 7a
20m. Devious climbing up the pale pocketed wall.

- 31 Hyperbolic** 7a+
20m. A hard start leads to easier climbing above.
- 32 (Supa Tufa)** 7b
22m. Fine climbing, low in the grade, up the long tufa.

IMPORTANT
 There are several routes to the right of route 32. These directly overlook the garden of a local resident who is understandably not pleased. In the interest of good relations with locals please don't climb these routes - there are plenty of better routes to choose from elsewhere in the Blanca!