A 10min walk up the old road leads to the mirador, with lovely views towards Calpe. After that is an easy 20min stroll on a level promenade, high up on Toix, giving a panoramic vista over Altea towards the Sierra Helada and Benidorm. Particularly worth doing to watch the sunset. Return the same way. Approx. 3km, 50m ascent, taking an hour there and back.

From Benidorm drive on the N332 towards Calpe. After passing through the Mascarat tunnels take the first right into the Maryvilla estate and park. The path begins to the right of the estate agents and is well signposted. It is easy until the end when there is a rope assisted scramble to reach the castle. The ruins are scanty, but their situation atop a rock pinnacle is sensational! Take care! (2015) about 1km, 50m ascent, one hour.

COSTA BLANCA WALKS MAPS
MORAIRA COAST

A delightful coastwalk in two halves. The first, from Playa Platgetes to Portet, is a very easy stroll, passing lovely beaches, interesting statues, the harbour and the old castle. Boots are not necessary, height gain is minimal and there are plenty of bars and restaurants en route, as well as lovely coastal vistas.

After Platja Portet the walk is harder, up steep streets and then a steep rough path, for which boots are required, until you reach the plateau of the Cap d’Or headland at 160m. Views are extensive and the old watchtower and Iberian Settlement add interest. Takes about an hour up and down.

COSTA BLANCA WALKS MAPS
RAINBOW RAMBLE - Calpe

approx. 9 km, 200m ascent, 3 hrs. Easy/Moderate, clockwise, with one steep descent (optional).

The paths have been marked with colours, g, y, or, p etc as shown in the map from Calpe tourist office. Hence the name of the walk. This is an interesting route with some fine coastal views.

COSTA BLANCA WALKS MAPS
CALPE COASTWALK

scale approx. 1cm = 200m.

A very easy, but lovely ‘tourist path’ with steps and handrails leads from Cala Calagala to Pinets, leading to cliff-top vistas and delightful coves. Don't miss it!

approx. 6 km, 50m ascent, 2hrs. return. A stroll from A to B

The tourist trail ends at Cala Pinets. Either head up to the road for an easy detour inland, or scramble around the coast to Cala Llobella. There follows a series of steep paths up and down along the coast to the end of Cala Baladra, from B to C.

approx. 10km, 200m ascent, 3½hrs. return to Calpe.

(2015)

COSTA BLANCA WALKS MAPS
ABOVE LLEUS - Calpe

approx. (from Lleus) 9km, 300m ascent, 3 hrs. moderate circuit. Can be shortened.

This area can be accessed by train. Right at the 'Halt' after Calpe Station and walk towards Lleus and uphill.

AP7 motorway

START
Lleus Plaza

P
Pinos road

to N332

train halt
turning before bridge on road to Benissa. (note no L. turn!)

OLTA

SLOPES

finca pastor (picnic spot)

track descends from

Orta Circuit

encampada 350

track descends

Canal(col)

Orta Circuit

steep rising track with panoramic views along hillside of little Olta

Between the Little Olta, on the E. side of the popular Olta Circuit, and Lleus, lie a network of forest trails explored in this route.

COSTA BLANCA WALKS MAPS

Calpe Station (cross tracks, follow 'campsite' until there is a sharp L. uphill. Instead go straight on (car access)
OLTA SHORT CIRCUIT - Calpe

approx. 8 km, 300m ascent, 3 hrs. clockwise circuit is easiest to route find, but involves steep ascents.

This circuit does not go round the Olta plateau. It uses part of the popular standard circuit, but the route is all on the S. (Calpe) side using less well known paths. Views & sea are good from the upper forest track and the ermita is a perfect place for a picnic lunch.

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