

GALATZÓ - SES PLANES

Start: Cases de Galatzó

Finish: Ses Planes

Distance: 5.840 m

Altitude: 181 / 460 m

Estimated time required: 2 h

Difficulty: Easy/medium

Heritage sites on the route: The houses of Galatzó, the grain store at Galatzó, the Irrigation channel at Sa font des Ratxo, Sa bassa, the viewpoint overlooking the houses of Galatzó, viewpoint over the Galatzó Valley, the viewpoint of s'Era de Ses Planes, the ethnographic site of Ses Planes.

Description: Detailed and varied route, from a scenic, biogeographic and ethnographic point of view. This dry stone path joins the 'casas de Galatzó' with the ancient agricultural mountain zone of 'Ses Planes' (500 m). Along the way, the houses belonging to the estate can be seen, together with watermills, the Es Ratxo irrigation channel, several benches, huts, coal bunkers, etc., and, above all, the spectacular scenery of the Galatzó valley, from its starting point, in the north, on the scraggy slopes of the 'Galatzó' and 'la Mola de S'Esclop' mountains, to where in the south, it reaches the bay of Santa Ponça. The route ends in the meseta of Ses Planes, where you can see the traces of agricultural exploitation of the land in the caseta de roter (small stone feudal farmers' hut) and aljubet or water store, which provided water for the animals as well as irrigating the surrounding crop areas.

*Route adapted for people with reduced mobility. More information: www.fundacionhandisport.org