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1. Camariñas

This trail starts and ends in Camariñas, known around the world for its bobbin lace. Every Easter, the town hosts the “International Camariñas Bobbin Lace Fair”, organizing fashion shows and exhibitions of lace-related products.

2. Castle of the Sovereign Ruins

18th century defensive military fortress, built in honor of the king Charles III of Spain because of the constant risk of pirate raids.



3. Virxe do Monte Chapel

This 18th century secluded chapel was built over another one from the 16th century, on a rock outcrop with a spectacular view of Camariñas estuary and Muxía.

4. Lago Beach

Praia de Lago is the start of a special protection area within “Natura 2000 - Costa da Morte” in Camariñas.

5. Coidal das Castañas (Pebble beach)

Here you find an example of the beautiful pebble beaches existing in the area, known as “coido”, with plenty of pebbles, in various shapes and sizes.

6. Lighthouse and Cape Vilán

This old and impressive lighthouse was opened in 1896 and is surrounded by a spectacular scenery. It was the first electric lighthouse in Spain. There is a Museum of Shipwrecks and Marine Signals.

7. Vilán de Fora Islet and Cave of Inferno

Islet that, together with the lighthouse and Cape Vilán, was declared a Special Protection Area for Birds under the European Union Directive on the Conservation of Wild Birds. It shelters European special and endangered species: Black-legged Kittiwake (*Rissa tridactyla*) and a common Murre (*Uria aalge*).

“Furna dos Infernos” is a cave which is in front of the cliff of Cape Vilán. It has been formed by the action of the sea and the evolutionary phases of the rocks. It is only visible from A Pedrosa, walking towards Cape Vilán.

8. Inlet of Arneliña

Spectacular views over Vilán Lighthouse.

9. Tumulus of Reira

Burial monument from Neolithic and the Bronze ages. It is close to the Wolf's Ditch, and is somewhat hidden by vegetation.

10. The Bear's Stone

A stone structure in the shape of a bear.

11. Wolf's Ditch

16th century traditional construction that was used to catch wolves, hunting them through a pattern of corridors made of stone to a deep well.

12. Stone of the lovers of Reira

Formation which consists of two stones that resemble two lovers who are about to kiss.

13. Cape Trece. Cape also known as “Tosto”, and noted for its shipwrecks.

This trail has been approved by the Galician Hiking Federation, as a Galician Short Trail.

Circular trail . This trail shares part of its route with the Coastal Route of Camariñas. It has been categorized as a Short Trail.



M.I.D.E (trail information assessment method)

Natural Environment Risks	1
Orientation and Accessibility	1
Trail difficulty	1
Effort Rate	4

Difficulty Rating Medium
Recommendations You should bring water, sports clothes and hiking shoes. During the summer, remember to apply sunscreen every few hours and wear a hat; during the winter, waterproof clothing is recommended.

Location
 Parish of Camariñas – Camariñas municipality – A Coruña - Galicia - Spain
 GPS: N° 43°07.27,0' W: 009°11.4,98e
 Cartography: I.G.N. 1:25.000 n° 68-I Camariñas
 I.G.N. 1:25.000 n° 43 –III Camariñas
 I.G.N. 1:25.000 n° 67 – II Muxía
Total Route Distance / Time
 Main Route: 22,5 Km / 6 hours
 Alternative detour: 550 m / 20 minutes

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This trail starts and ends in Camariñas. We will enjoy a virtually untouched coastal landscape, dotted with civil buildings of ethnographic interest, and some amazing stone sculptures. It shares part of its route with the Coastal Trail of Camariñas.

18-19. Mourin - Camariñas
 We head back to "Castelo do Soberano" (Castle of Sovereign), skirting the coastal town of Camariñas, while touring rural scenery near villages as Mourin or Buria.

17. As Seixas Viewpoint
 Viewpoint located next to a wind energy plant, with stunning views of the Camariñas estuary and the Vilán lighthouse.

16. Monte Blanco Dune
 Along with the dunes on Trece Beach, this rampant dune is a one-of-a-kind place throughout the northern peninsula.

15. Trece Beach
 This astonishingly beautiful beach arcs from Cabo Veo till Punta Rebentada, and it is renowned for its huge dunes and its reed bed.



14. English Cemetery
 Included in the European Cemeteries Route, it is considered a Cultural Route by the Council of Europe. The 172 sailors who died during the sinking of the HMS Serpent (1890) are buried here.



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