



Jebel Khazali, Various Routes

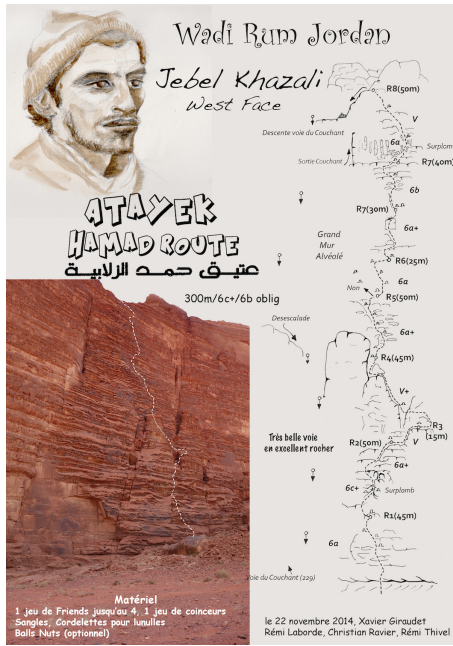
Jordan, Wadi Rum

Jebel Khazali is clearly visible 8km south of the village of Rum. It's a vast mountain with climbing on all sides. In 2008, Xavier Giraudet and I started a route on the west face, but it was not until 2014 that I completed it with Rémi Laborde and Rémi Thivel. The Atayek Hamad Route (300m, 6c+) is very beautiful with excellent rock—it has quickly become one of the classics of Khazali. We descended by rappelling Le Couchant (Remy-Remy, 1986).

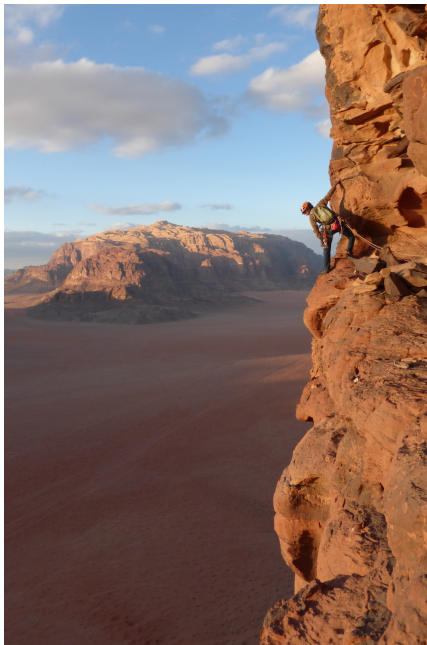
In the fall of 2019, after accompanying some clients for a week in the heart of the magical Rum sandstone, Rémi Laborde, Stéphane Marigot, and I found ourselves at the foot of the north face of Khazali, where two very nice surprises awaited us. As we climbed a large honeycombed wall to establish Zalabia Route (300m, 6c), we were already dreaming of the incredible cracks we would encounter on Au Grès du Vent (200m, 6c+/7a), ascending the big red pillar not far to the right.

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Images



Topo for the Atayek Hamad Route on Jebel Khazali.



Climbing the Atayek Hamad Route on Jebel Khazali.



Top of Au Grès du Vent on Jebel Khazali.



Climbing on Au Grès du Vent on Jebel Khazali.



The sea of holes followed by the Zalabia Route, Jebel Khazali.

Wadi Rum Jordan
Jebel Khazali
 NORTH FACE
Zalabia Route
 الزلابية

Matériel
 Friends N°3, 3 ou N°4
 Sangles
 Cordelettes (lunettes forées)
 Descente : en rappel par Moyzel (235)

R8(30m)
 6c
 Zone de Succion
 R7(30m)
 6a
 R6(50m)
 5+
 R5(55m)
 Plaque Mur
 Zone Couches
 R4(30m)
 Plaque Mur
 R3(35m)
 6a
 6a
 R2(35m)
 6a
 R1(30m)
 6a
 6a
 Vrac
 6a
 Rappel Moyzel
 Vrac
 Cheminée
 Petit Ramasseur (200)
 Crête du Vent

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Topo of the Zalabia Route, Jebel Khazali.



Climbing the incredible honeycombed sandstone of Zalabia Route (300m, 6c) on the north face of Jebel Khazali in Wadi Rum.

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