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Pissis (6792 metros)

The third highest mountain in América is entirely located in the Argentine territory, near the border with Chile, in that vast plateau that is the Puna de Atacama, the home of six of the highest mountains of the Andes. The landscapes to travel during the 88 km approach to its base camp are among the most beautiful and breathtaking in the Andes.

We offer our experience to organize and guide your expedition to Pissis. It is a mountain with little ascends due to the isolation and remoteness of the place. So if you're looking up high mountains outside major mountaineering centers this is your place.

Route: North.

Difficulty: Easy (F). Ascend on snowy terrain of slopes up to 35 degrees. Its remoteness and isolation, combined with wind and cold, increase the complexity of its ascent. Needed previous experience in ascends of at least two days to three thousand meters high mountains and carrying backpacks of 15 kg weight.

Recommended season: November 15th to March 15th



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<u>Day</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Overnight in</u>
1	Copiapó airport. Transfer to Caldera village	Caldera (50 m)
2	Transfer to Santa Rosa lake	Santa Rosa (3700 m)
3	Acclimatization ascent to mount Redondo Colorado (4180 m). Transfer to Rio Lamas	Rio Lamas (4300 m)
4	Acclimatization ascent to mount Piedra Pómez (4880 m)	Río Lamas (4300 m)
5	Transfer to Laguna Verde	Laguna Verde (4300 m)
6	Acclimatization ascent to Mulas Muertas north shoulder (5015 m)	Laguna Verde (4300 m)
7	<i>Acclimatization ascent to mount San Francisco (6045 m)</i>	Laguna Verde (4300 m)
8	Transfer to Las Grutas refuge	Las Grutas (4200 m)
9	Las Grutas	Las Grutas (4200 m)
10	Transfer to Pissis base camp	CB (4600 m)
11	Ascent to camp 1	C1 (5100 m)
12	Ascent to camp 2	C2 (5550 m)
13	<i>Summit of mount Pissis (6792 m)</i>	C2 (5550 m)
14	Extra day	
15	Transfer to Las Grutas	Las Grutas (4200 m)
16	Transfer to Caldera village	Caldera (50 m)
17	Transfer to Copiapó airport. End of our services	

Prices per person in US dollars

1 person expedition	5900 \$
2 persons	4250 \$
3 persons	3150 \$
4 to 6 persons	2850 \$

These prices *include*: Mountain Guide, Accommodation in Caldera village (2 nights) and Las Grutas refuge, 4x4 vehicle, Food and wáter during the expedition, Tents.

These prices *don't include*: Flight or bus tickets, Food in Caldera village.

Contact us in urqu@urqu.cl. We 'll design a programme for you bearing in mind your needs, your expectations, and your dates available for your expedition.