

Viaduct over Jauto River

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Summary

The bridge over the river Jauto, located in the province of Almería, is part of the railway tract between Los Gallardos and Sorbas, which belongs to the Mediterranean High Velocity Corridor. This 120 m long bridge is formed by a reinforced concrete arch with 6 pairs of piers that support the set of U-beams. Such structural solution, providing high aesthetic value, has been chosen due to the proximity of the AP-7, N-340 roads and Alfaix village.

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1. Bridge description

1.1 General description

The bridge over the river Jauto is a part of Los Gallardos – Sorbas railway, which belongs to the Mediterranean High Velocity Corridor. The viaduct has a length of 120 meters distributed into eight 15 meter spans. The main structural element is formed by a 90 meters span arch.



Fig. 1: Aerial view of the bridge (centre)