

ROCKFAX

- Beginner
- Experienced
- Advanced
- Expert
- Elite

Colour bands indicate equivalent overall difficulty across different climbing types taking account of protection and environment. More at rockfax.com

Sport Grade	British Trad Grade (for well protected routes)	UIAA	USA	Norway	Au
1	Mod Moderate	I	5.1		4
2	Diff Difficult	II	5.2	3	6
2+	VDiff Very Difficult	III	5.3	4	8
3a		III+	5.4		
3b	HVD Hard Very Difficult	IV-IV	5.5	4+	10
3c	Sev Severe	IV+	5.6	5-	12
4a	HS Hard Severe	V-	5.7	5	14
4b	UK tech 4a VS Very Severe UK tech 4c	V	5.8		15
4c	4c HVS Hard Very Severe 5b	V+	5.9	5+	16
5a	5a E1 5c	VI-	5.10a	6-	18
5b	5b E2 6a	VI	5.10a		17
5c	5c E3 6a	VI+	5.10b	6	19
6a		VII-	5.10c		20
6b		VII	5.10c	6+	21
6b+	6a E4 6b	VII+	5.10d	7-	22
6c		VIII-	5.11a		23
6c+	6a E5 6c	VIII-	5.11b	7	24
7a		VIII	5.11c		25
7a+	6b E6 6c	VIII+	5.11d	7+	26
7b		IX-	5.12a	8-	27
7b+	6c E7 7a	IX-	5.12b	8	28
7c		IX	5.12c		29
7c+	6c E8 7a	IX+	5.12d	8+	30
8a		X-	5.13a	9-	31
8a+	7a E9 7b	X-	5.13b		32
8b		X	5.13c	9	33
8b+	7a E10 7b	X	5.13d	9+	34
8c		X+	5.14a		35
8c+	7a E11 7b	X+	5.14b	10-	36
9a		XI-	5.14c	10	37
9a+		XI	5.14d		38
9b		XI+	5.15a	10+	
9b+		XII-	5.15b	11-	
		XII	5.15c		