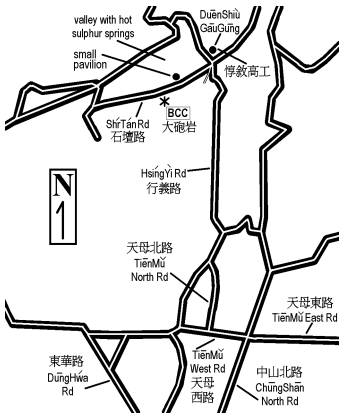
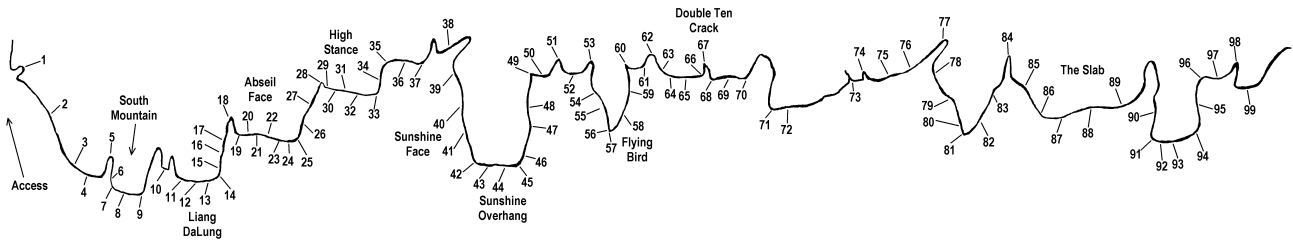
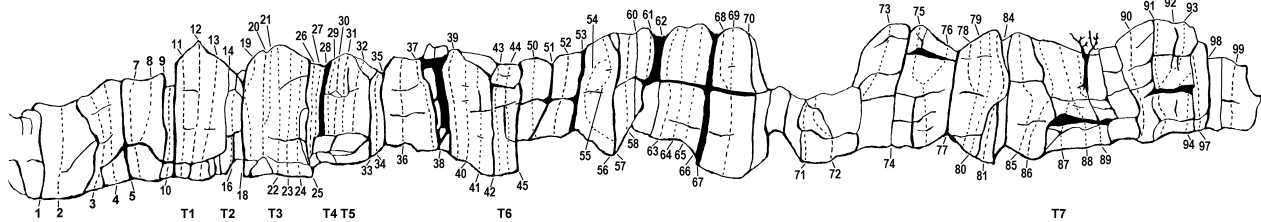


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1	3	Crack	30	10d	"High Stance Rock Carry"	58	11b	"Flying Bird"	86	6	Corner & Slab																								
2	5	Face	31	11	Overhang	58	11c	(don't use horz. crack)	87	10d	"Mushroom Grinder #2"																								
3	5	Overhang	32	8	Face/Corner	59	?	Face	88	11a	"No Hole, No Hole"																								
4	11	Face	33	7	Arete	60	6	Dihedral	89	2	Crack & Slab																								
5	5	Dihedral	34	9	"Balance Face"	61	6	Sloping crack	90	3	Face																								
6	9	Face	35	0	Dihedral	62	2	Small chimney	91	6	"The Last Overhang"																								
7	10	Arete	36	3	Face	63	11a	"Red Earth"	92	7	Overhang & Crack																								
8	7	"South Mountain"	37	6	Arete	64	11c	"Flying Ape's Difficult Crossing"	93	9	Overhang & Face																								
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9	3	Arete	39	7	Face	66	7	Arete	95	13?	Face																								
10	2	"Saddle Up"	40	6	"Sunshine Face"	67	6	"Double Ten Crack"	96	5	Dihedral																								
11	8	"LiangDaLung"	41	6	"Sunshine Crack"	68	8	Face	97	6	Face																								
12	11b	Face	42	5	Corner	69	9	"Ten Side Ambush"	98	2	Squeeze chimney																								
13	10	Face	43	9	"Hand-plucked Chicken"	69	10	(don't use horz. crack or hole)	99	2	Face																								
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18	6	Dihedral	47	6	"Parting Tune"	74	4	Crack																											
19	11	"Beef Steak"	48	8	Face	75	8	Overhang																											
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21	12d	"Continue Rising"	50	7	Face	77	4	Chimney																											
22	11d	"Rapid Advancement"	51	3	Crack	78	6	Face																											
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25	5	Arete	54	12d	"Flying Bird #2"	81	8	"Eight-cornered Pavilion"																											
26	10a	"Mushroom Grinder"	54	12c	(start under the route)	82	6	Face																											
27	?	Face	55	12a	Face	83	9	"Dragon's Eight Steps"																											
28	6	Dihedral	56	7	Face/Corner	84	6	Dihedral																											



**Directions to Big Cannon Cliff:** From Taipei City, head north on ChungShan North Rd. toward TienMu. Turn left onto TienMu West Rd. Turn right onto TienMu North Rd. Merge into HsingYi Rd. heading north. You will eventually come up to the intersection at ShrTan Rd. The DuenShiu Vocational High School is on the northeast corner. Turn left onto ShrTan Rd. and head west, downhill. (Do not drive up the small road to your left which goes to the Tourist Information Center.) Shortly you will pass a small pavilion on your right (about 0.5 km. from the intersection). A little ways further you will be able to look up to your left and see the short cliffs on the hillside. There is a small retaining wall on the left hand side of the road and a large tree on the right. If the paint has held up, you will see the characters for "DaPauYan" on the retaining wall. A short trail leads up to the east end of the cliff band.

A taxi from Taipei American School in TienMu will cost you about NT\$120 (1999 rates). Alternately, you can take bus numbers 508, 612 or 230 to the stop for DuenShiu Vocational High School (DuenShiu GauGung) and walk the rest of the way. It's only a few minutes walk down to the cliff.

(Please note- In keeping with previously published materials on climbing at Big Cannon Cliff, this guide also uses the Yosemite Decimal System (YDS) for its difficulty rating. However, please be aware that a direct correspondence between the difficulty of routes in Yosemite and routes at BCC should not be assumed. It would be best to avoid any comparison with Yosemite and to merely use these rating numbers as a means to compare climbs at BCC with each other. As with any new climbing area, it is suggested that climbers new to BCC start conservatively until they have established some experience of their own, especially if they are bouldering.)