

Corrections 7 + 8 1789 straight ups in Fontainebleau (published November 2008)

Bas Cuvier		page 19		
61	<i>Fruits de la Passion</i>	7a+	edges	Wrong problem number; number 61 in the problem list must be number 62
62	<i>la Rhumme Folle</i>	7a	prow	Wrong problem number; number 62 in the problem list must be number 61
Cuvier-Rempart (ouest)		page 25		
4	la Nuit d'Eclipse > -	7a+	pillar	Wrong problem name; this is a 7a+ without or with an unknown name
11	Tékit Izi	7b	arête	Wrong problem name and grade; this is <i>Orient Express</i> 6c
Cuvier-Rempart		page 29		
9	<i>Digitibus</i>	7a	slab	Wrong problem description; just left of white circle
Apremont (est)		page 47		
8	<i>Fil à Tordre</i>	7a+	arête	Wrong problem number; number 8 in the problem list must be number 9
9	<i>Remaniement</i>	7b+	wall	Wrong problem number; number 9 in the problem list must be number 10
10	<i>le Treizième Travail d'Hercule</i>	7a+	☆ overhang	Wrong problem number; number 10 in the problem list must be number 11
11	<i>Lékstase</i>	7b	pillar	Wrong problem number; number 11 in the problem list must be number 8
Apremont Sully		page 49		
7	Mange ta Soupe! > <i>la Fissure Sully</i> 6c	7a+	overhang	Wrong problem location
9	Barbatruc > <i>Mange ta Soupe!</i>	7a+	wall	Wrong problem location; <i>Barbatruc</i> is located to the north-east of <i>le Pouce</i>
10	la Presse Purée	7b	wall	Wrong problem location; <i>la Presse Purée</i> is located to the right of <i>Barbatruc</i>
11	—	7a	mantle!	Wrong problem location; this problem is located to the right of <i>la Presse Purée</i>
Rocher Canon (plan 1)		page 55		
10	<i>Rocking Chair/la Lévitacion (raccourci)</i>	7a	overhang	Wrong problem description; <i>Rocking chair</i> finishes left, <i>la Lévitacion</i> right
Calvaire		page 73 topo		
Please avoid climbing in the big cave l'Auvent de Calvaire. The rock is instable and therefore climbing in the cave, to the right of problem 3, is dangerous				
The green τ just left of problem number 4 should have been drawn to the right of problem number 4.				
The car park sign on the right hand side should be on the left hand side of the sb heading in South Westerly direction.				
Franchard Sablons		page 83		
14	Watt/Ampère (assis)	7a	wall	Wrong problem name; <i>Watt</i> is a 6b problem to the left of <i>Ampère</i>
Franchard Cuisinière (sud)		page 90 topo bottom right		
Problem 29 (<i>Méprise</i>) is the left problem on this boulder, indicated with the green circle, problem 30 (<i>l'Onglée</i>) is where 29 is indicated.				
Franchard Cuisinière (sud)		page 91		
11	<i>Trois Hommes et un Coup Fin</i>	7b+	☆ overhang!	Wrong problem number; number 11 in the problem list must be number 13
12	<i>Solaris</i>	7c+	slopers	Wrong problem number; number 12 in the problem list must be number 11
13	<i>les Visiteurs</i>	7c	wall	Wrong problem number; number 13 in the problem list must be number 12
Franchard Ermitage		page 95		
14	l'Enclume (rallongé) > <i>Presse-moi Fort</i>	7c+	slopers	Wrong problem name
18	<i>l'Antre des Druides</i>	7b	roof	Wrong problem description; start more to the left with edges (on stone)
les Mammouths		page 147		
2	Boule de Gomme > -	7a+	slopers	Wrong problem name; this is a 7a+ without or with an unknown name
Potala (la Vallée de la Mée)		page 169		
9	le Palais Rouge	7a	wall	This is not a straight up, it finishes with a traverse
10	le Moine	7a	wall	Wrong problem grade; this is a 6b+
Roche aux Oiseaux		page 183		
9	<i>Satan m'Habite</i>	7b (7b+)	☆ roof	Wrong problem number; number 9 in the problem list must be number 10
10	<i>Satan m'Habite (debout)</i>	7a (7a+)	prow	Wrong problem number; number 10 in the problem list must be number 9
Rocher des Souris		page 187		
3	Haute Fraïson > <i>Coup de Chaud</i>	7a > 7b	prow!	Wrong problem name and grade; not opened by J.J. Naëls
Montrouget (ouest)		page 217		
5	-> Goldfinger	P > 7c+	overhang	Wrong problem number; number 5 in the problem list must be number 6 this project has been climbed by O. Lebreton with a sit start on underclings
la Roche-qui-Tourne (ouest)		page 223		
9	<i>Gemme Tonique/un Air de Sévérité</i>	7a (7b)	wall	Wrong problem number; number 9 in the problem list must be number 11
11	<i>Palpitations</i>	7c	dyno	Wrong problem number; number 11 in the problem list must be number 9
Videlles (les Roches)		page 229		
2	Point de Selle > <i>Scission</i>	7a > 7b+	prow	Wrong problem name and grade; not opened by F. Louvel
Traverses		page 241		
28	<i>Atomic Playboy</i>	8a+		Wrong problem description; sit start 3 metres left of green 2, first climbed by C. Laumône, the described problem is <i>Atomic Playboy raccourci</i> 7c+

7 + 8 : update

The second (2007) edition of the guidebook 7 + 8 is for sale almost a year now, and again it received very positive reviews. I would like to thank all reviewers for their effort to write about my book. The most pleasing online review can be found at:

<http://stonecountry.blogspot.com/2008/04/font-gravity.html>

The new guide '1789' Straight-Ups in Fontainebleau (a significant number in France!) is a work of genius, pulling together complexity into a clear and logical layout, with a simple and elegant design, allowing the climber the time just to climb! The maps are all cross-referenced and super-accurate, it's a lifetime's reflection of a love of the forest from Bart van Raaij - the book simply became known as 'Bart' on the trip, we passed 'Bart' from hand to hand, threw it on the ground a thousand times, drove over it, spilt espresso on it, sat on the bog with it with dirty hands, hit slobbery dogs with it, used it as a sun-shield, rain-hat, left it out in the dew... and it is still in one piece, so the production standards are pretty rugged. As I said, a work of genius, if you are operating at 7a or over.

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Despite all effort that was made to eliminate errors, here are some corrections you can make in your copy. I would like to thank Jean-Pierre Roudneff and Jean-Jaques Naëls for their help. In this list I only include errors in problem locations, descriptions, names and numbering and just a few grade changes. Down- or upgradings and new problems can be found in the database of this website and are not included in the list.

The black numbers following the area names at the bottom of the left-hand pages, refer to the area numbers on the map on page 290 and not on page 288.

The grade in the second caption on page 187 must be 7b and not 7b+.

Bart van Raaij