

Simplbach

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Country: Österreich / Austria Region: Oberösterreich Subregion: Bezirk Gmunden Town: Bad Goisern		
Difficulty: not as difficult	Grading: v3 a2 III	Total time: 2h25
Approachtime: 30min	Tourtime: 1h45	Returntime: 10min
Altitude entry: 720m	Altitude exit: 530m	Delta Altitude: 190m
Canyon length: 600m	Highest rapell: 40m	Amount rapells: 11
Transport: on Foot	Rock type:	Drainage area: km²
Season:	Orientation: Northeast	Best Time:
Rating: ★ 3.3 (8)	Info: ★ 2.6 (5)	Belay: ★ 2.2 (6)
Specialities:		
Gear: Ropes: 2x 45m oder 2x50m		
Summary: (machine translated) Rappel canyon in limestone; only shallow pools; short beautiful tour; at the exit brittle access with old wire rope protection; good entry tour into the vertical; beautiful view.		
Hydrology:		
Access: (machine translated) From Bad Ischl you drive on the Bundstraße to the right in the direction of Bad Goisern --> in Bad Goisern further to the right in the direction of Hallstatt --> immediately after the bridge over the Traun (footbridge) turn right --> after a few meters you drive over another small bridge (Simple Bach) --> park here to the left next to the company.		
Approach: (machine translated) From the parking lot take the path on the right next to the brook up to the brine path (large power pole) --> cross the brook on the left and immediately after the bridge follow the steep path uphill on the right at the monument --> after approx. 20min. on the steep path you reach a power plant house (pipeline) --> here do not continue uphill, but without a large difference in altitude on the right. follow the tracks in the direction of the canyons --> after a short steep traverse incl. gravel gully you reach an old rusty steel rope (Attention!!!! fragile terrain, difficult access) --> follow the rusty steel rope to the entry in the canyon (Tip: with canyoning beginners you also have the possibility to rappel from a tree with a sling on the right about 40m into the canyon --> see topographic view).		
Tour: (machine translated) The canyon is very open with very good and clear abseils and shallow pools --> good practice tour to prepare for higher abseils --> mostly little water (in summer partly dry therefore better after rainfall). After the descent over the boulder field (upper entry) the first two rappels follow immediately --> left C8 and right C40 --> here you already have a nice view of the Hallstätter See -->continuous rappels follow --> right. C25, left C4, right C20 (narrow passage), left C7 (also bypassable), C5, C20, right C15, followed by the highest rappel on the right C45 (also divisible C25 + C20) to reach the exposed chain anchor on the right you rappel from the left about 10m. --> The last narrow abseil stage C10 follows in pools with old dilapidated water drainage.		
Return: (machine translated) Walk in the mostly dry streambed to the bridge --> follow the trail to the left of the streambed back to the parking lot.		
Coordinates: Canyon Start 47.6074 13.6266 Parking Entry and Exit 47.6112 13.6296 Canyon End 47.6085 13.6271		

Reports:

2025-09-06 | Marosffy Dániel | ★★★★★ | 📖 ★★ | 🪚 ★★★ | 🌊 High | 🟢 Completed

The access is a bit of horror, the canyon afterwards is the reward. C5 was missing for us causing a slight misunderstanding. C45 should be approached still in the rope from above, pretty tough otherwise.

2025-06-08 | Martin | ★★★★★ | 📖 | 🪚 ★★ | 🌊 High | 🟢 Completed

Cool canyon, and after overnight rainfall it's at 5 * Parking right near the bridge, at the canyon itself. (machine translated)

2024-05-25 | Georg Rudelstorfer | ★★★★★ | 📖 ★★★★★ | 🪚 ★★ | 🌊 Low | 🟢 Completed

Everything ok (machine translated)

2024-05-09 | Thomas Fras | ★★★★★ | 📖 ★★★★★ | 🪚 ★★ | 🌊 Low | 🟢 Completed

At the exit of the rusty wire rope there is now a wing ring on the left 📖 for the brittle 20m descent into the stream. Stands otherwise all ok. (machine translated)

2024-03-30 | System User | | 📖 | 🪚 | 🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

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2024-03-30 | Horst Lambauer | ★★★★★ | 📖 ★★★★★ | 🪚 ★★ | 🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed

everything tip top (machine translated)

2023-07-13 | Thomas Fras | ★★★★★ | 📖 ★★ | 🪚 ★★ | | 🚫 Not done

Description so far ok (machine translated)

2023-03-09 | System User | ★★ | 📖 | 🪚 | |

Info: Teile der Canyonbeschreibung wurden automatisiert übernommen. Konkret die Felder Weblinks, Koordinaten, Rating, Ort, Länge des Canyon, Einfachseil Mindestens von <https://canyon.carto.net/cwiki/bin/view/Canyons/SimplBachCanyon.html> und <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon/21516>

2023-03-09 | System User | ★★★★★ | 📖 | 🪚 | |

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