Steinerne Rinne

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Country: Österreich / Austria Region: Kärnten Subregion: Bezirk Hermagor Town: Kötschach-Mauthen		
Difficulty: a little difficult	Grading: v4 a3 III	Total time: 3h5
Approachtime: 30min	Tourtime: 1h45	Returntime: 50min
Altitude entry: 900m	Altitude exit: 690m	Delta Altitude: 210m
Canyon length: 2400m	Highest rapell: 40m	Amount rapells: 9
Transport: Car optional	Rock type:	Drainage area: km²
Season:	Orientation:	Best Time:
Rating: 🖈 2.8 (2)	Info: ★ 0 ()	Belay: ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Ropes: 2x40m

Summary: (machine translated)

Short vertical lime canyon with mostly little water; catchment area Steinerne Rinne 0.2Km²; catchment area Mauthnerklamm 26.9Km²!!!; canyon only combinable with Mauthnerklamm possible (downstream about 1h); much gravel and some Verklausungen during our walk; rockfall hazard in some places!!!; chain anchors already older but all OK.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)

From the village of Kötschach-Mauthen, first drive to the rock gate at the Mauthnerklamm (near Waldbad Mauthen). Here you have a large gravel parking place for the shuttle car directly next to the stream (exit/water level control). With the second car you drive back to the houses and continue on the B 110 in the direction of Plöckenpaß. After some serpentines/heights you pass the Ederwirt. Follow the road downhill. Approx. 500m after the bridge with stone sculpture ("duck"?) comes to the left a large gravel turnout with barriers and no-driving sign (hiking sign). Park here for the entry/access. (If you only have 1 car, you can also access from below via the Römerweg --> approx. 1h).

Approach: (machine translated)

From the upper parking lot at the barrier, follow the hiking trail/forest road (signposted "Römerweg"). Stay on the wide forest road that leads across the Valentinbach (Mauthnerklamm). Now continue on the orographic right side. After a while you leave the forest road briefly to shorten it to the left via the steeper forest road (raised stand). A little further up, the path meets the forest road again. Now follow the road slightly downhill over three inlets to the fourth inlet with a barrier. Here is the entry at about 920m (first rappel from the barrier on the left).

Tour: (machine translated)

The Steinerne Rinne is a short vertical canyon that flows into the Valentinsbach (Mauthnerklamm), which must also be climbed. Unfortunately, most of the pools were gravelled or clogged during our walk. Nevertheless, we found the canyon worthwhile as it has some beautiful spots towards the bottom. The canyon is very continuous. You start with smaller steps/rappel, which get higher and higher towards the bottom. The highlight is the last cascade, a rappel of about 40m that can be divided (about 15 and 25m) + a rappel of about 25m that leads into the Mauthnerklamm/Valentinsbach. At this point you can see a large hole in the rock and beautiful washouts.

Return: (machine translated)

After the confluence with the Valentinsbach (Mauthnerklamm), follow the stream downstream through the deep and impressive Mautherklamm gorge to the parking exit (at the rock gate). Depending on your mood, you walk in the streambed or on the Roman path (several suspension bridges and rock breakthroughs) at the end.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start <u>46.6432 12.9728</u>

Alternative Canyon End 46.6572 12.9869

Parking at Entry <u>46.6364 12.9553</u>

Parking at Exit 46.6594 12.9985

Waypoint <u>46.6357 12.9561</u> Waypoint 46.6434 12.9711

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