Pantalica

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Difficulty:	Grading: v? a? ?	Total time:
Approachtime:	Tourtime:	Returntime:
Altitude entry: m	Altitude exit: m	Delta Altitude:
Canyon length: m	Highest rapell: m	Amount rapells:
Transport:	Rock type:	Drainage area: km²
Season:	Orientation:	Best Time:
Rating: 🖈 3 (1)	Info: ★ 0 ()	Belay: ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Summary: (machine translated)

There is probably no technical canyon in Pantalica.

Hydrology: (machine translated)

The character of the tour varies greatly depending on the water supply.

Access:

Approach: (machine translated)

The starting point is the parking lot at the eastern entrance to the Anapo Valley. At the entrance to the nature park you have to register in a book. The opening hours of the entrance vary depending on the season.

Follow the road along the old railroad line.

The first signposted possibility to leave the track leads towards the Ferla entrance. After a few meters you have to cross the Anapo. Continue uphill past the somewhat hidden Roman water pipe to the Ferla entrance (parking lot). From there, descend to the left in a large arc (on the way, a green gate blocks the descent to the interesting Grotta dei pipistrelli) down to Torrente Calcinara. This is where the actual trek begins.

Tour: (machine translated)

Depending on the time of year, this is the point to put on the neoprene. You now follow the watercourse through a number of pools and a few short, easy waterfalls. On the left you reach the beginning of the Bohemian aqueduct. There is a possible jump of 4m here. Opposite is a steep path that can be used as an emergency exit.

After 200 m you reach the Fiume Anapo. Now continue downstream until you can get out onto a path on the right. You can follow the Anapo further downstream. However, this quickly becomes tedious due to the slippery rock.

Return: (machine translated)

Soon you reach the point where you crossed the Anapo during the ascent. Continue as on the access.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start <u>37.1400 15.0299</u> Canyon End <u>37.1396 15.0358</u>

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The original data from Gulliver.it refers to a hike in northern Italy. There is probably no technical canyon in Pantalica. But there is a nice aqua trek: Depending on the water supply, the character of the tour varies greatly. The starting point is the parking lot at the eastern entrance to the Anapo Valley. You have to register in a book at the entrance to the nature park. The opening hours of the entrance vary according to the season. Follow the road along the old railroad track. The first signposted possibility to leave the track leads towards the Ferla entrance. After a few meters you have to cross the Anapo. Continue uphill past the somewhat hidden Roman water pipe to the Ferla entrance (parking lot). From there, descend to the left in a large arc (on the way, a green gate blocks the descent to the interesting Grotta dei pipistrelli) down to Torrente Calcinara. This is where the actual trek begins. Depending on the time of year, this is the point to put on your neoprene. You now follow the watercourse through a number of pools and a few short, easy waterfalls. On the left you reach the beginning of the Bohemian aqueduct. There is a possible jump of 4m here. Opposite is a steep path that can be used as an emergency exit. After 200 m you reach the Fiume Anapo. Now continue downstream until you can get out onto a path on the right. You can follow the Anapo further downstream. However, this quickly becomes tedious due to the slippery rock. You soon reach the point where you crossed the Anapo on the ascent. Continue as on the access. Entry: 37.1400111N, 15.0298923E Exit: 37.1395651N, 15.0358404E SV: a3v1I (machine translated)

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