Schwarzenbach (Reutte)

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Country: Österreich / Austria **Region:** Tirol **Subregion:** Bezirk Reutte **Town:** Forchach		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a2 II	**Total time:** 3h
Approachtime: 50min	**Tourtime:** 2h	**Returntime:** 10min
Altitude entry: 1250m	**Altitude exit:** 950m	**Delta Altitude:** 300m
Canyon length: 1000m	**Highest rapell:** 25m	**Amount rapells:** 9
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 2.7 (7)	**Info:** ★ 2.2 (5)	**Belay:** ★ 2.2 (5)

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x30m

Summary: (machine translated)
Beautiful view of the Lech; upper part very open, lower part cut in the forest; many slippery places; mostly little water; many exit possibilities; short, steep ascent; exposure S/O; often still possible after precipitation; brittle sedimentary rock; standings good; Can be well combined with the Wiesbach near Stanzach; barbecue area at suspension bridge; catchment area about 1Km².

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
From Reutte to the village of Forchach. Turn right off the main road and drive to the industrial estate/sports ground. There is a large gravel parking place in front of the metal company.

Approach: (machine translated)
From the parking lot, walk past the sports field to the Lech. Cross the slightly swinging metal suspension bridge. Directly after the bridge you are already at the exit of the tour. From here, about 20m orographically to the left of the stream, steep climbing tracks lead up the sparse forest to a steep rock face. Hike around the rock face on the right until you reach a small steep passage with old wooden stamps. Shortly after the steep passage, you come to a forest road that leads to the left to a game feeding station. From here, the trail zigzags steeply uphill again over climbing tracks until you cross the open terrain to the stream (further ascent to the second forest road is not worthwhile).

Tour: (machine translated)
After the steep access, the short tour offers a beautiful view of the Lech and two beautiful 25m abseils in the upper part of the canyon. After short walking terrain in the middle of the canyon, the lower part follows, which also has more slippery abseils in the vegetation-rich surroundings. The abseils (16-25m) follow each other without a long stretch before you reach the Lech cycle path.

Return: (machine translated)
You can either get off at the cycle path at approx. 950m and follow the path over the suspension bridge back to the parking lot or you can continue down to the confluence with the Lech and cross the river to get back to the parking lot on the other side (watch out for the water level of the Lech!).

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 47.4280 10.5759
Canyon End 47.4258 10.5811
Parking Entry and Exit 47.4226 10.5832
Waypoint 47.4260 10.5813
Waypoint 47.4285 10.5794
Waypoint 47.4279 10.5779

Reports:

2025-08-31 | Lara Erdmann | ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ | Low | Completed
Very slippery! Very little water, despite rain on the previous days. Quite a lot of wood in some places. Path also used via forest road & feeding station. (machine translated)

2025-08-02 | Ralf Breitenstein | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ | Normal | Completed
Slightly higher water level due to previous rainfall, but no challenging sections as a result. Access via forest path is recommended. From the Futterkrippe camp site, ascend without a path. In the middle section there are trees lying across and in some places fences/makeshift bridges, so care should be taken when the water level is high. As of this year, a €5 parking fee is payable at the metal factory/sports ground. Photo shows water level in the area of the suspension rope bridge (exit) (machine translated)

2025-07-05 | Simon Wittmann | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | Low | Completed
Next time we take the forest road to the feeding station as an access route (because of nettles and balsam), short rappel canyon with a fine view. (machine translated)

2024-07-29 | Fred | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ | Low | Completed
Anchorages ok, many new, a few maillons are a little reddish. Little wood. Despite an intensive search, the access paths can no longer be found/exist. We had to go cross-country. You can hike under the rock face on the first part to the right until you reach the forest path or use a passage at https://goo.gl/maps/nMsGZA18N6DkiqnZ9 use. Then up through the fern field until you reach the road. Then turn left to the stream and orographically left of the stream (i.e. do not cross) up to the entry point. Photo: Checkpoint at the exit (directly behind the bridge) - low water level. (machine translated)

2023-07-31 | Ralf Breitenstein | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ | Normal | Completed
Lash/nut loose on first rappel, otherwise everything fine. Nice short tour. (machine translated)

2023-03-09 | System User | ☆ ☆ |🕮 |⚓ | |
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