Ötzbach

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Country: Österreich / Austria **Region:** Oberösterreich **Subregion:** Bezirk Kirchdorf **Town:** Hinterstoder		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a2 IV	**Total time:** 2h50
Approachtime: 1h	**Tourtime:** 1h30	**Returntime:** 20min
Altitude entry: 650m	**Altitude exit:** 533m	**Delta Altitude:** 117m
Canyon length: 1350m	**Highest rapell:** 18m	**Amount rapells:** 5
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:** Northeast	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 2.5 (2)	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x20m

Summary: (machine translated)
Hiking canyon with 4 rappelling points, in sections deep and narrow gorge, unfortunately quite short in relation to the access, lots of debris

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
On the A9 to exit St. Pankraz, continue in the direction of Hinterstoder until a larger stream, the Weissenbach, flows in from the right. Parking is possible before the bridge over the Weissenbach.

Approach: (machine translated)
On the orographic right side of the bridge, an overgrown path leads upwards, follow this path until you reach the first forest road and climb steeply along the ridge for about 100 meters until you reach a forest road. Follow this forest road until it returns to the level of the stream.

Tour: (machine translated)
Not too steep but deeply cut, scenic impressive. After a few slides you meet the first abseil point created by a landslide - no anchor, favorable anchor a little further back at jammed tree stump. After a few turns, 2 rappels follow one after the other (6m: anchor left and 5m: anchor right). After a longer hike in a narrow gorge there is another 4m jump (or rappel left). Then the canyon opens - about 10min streambed hike with two rappels over torrent obstructions (5m, 18m). The first abseil is unpleasant due to the remains of the torrent

Return: (machine translated)
Either wade through the Weissenbach or hike along the forest road on the orographic left bank back to the parking lot.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 47.7525 14.1356
Parking Entry and Exit 47.7579 14.1633
Canyon End 47.7617 14.1483
Alternative Canyon End 47.7579 14.1631
Waypoint 47.7556 14.1614
Waypoint 47.7572 14.1634

Reports:

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Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Ötzbach There is hedging missing, a couple of trees.It is possible to walk, but I recommend not to (or to know how to deal with the lack of hedging). (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22792/observations.html)

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