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Country: France Region: Provence-Alpes-Côte-d'Azur / Provence-Alpes-Cote d'Azur Subregion: Alpes-

Maritimes Town: La Bollène Vésubie

Difficulty: not as difficult Grading: v3 a3 II Total time: 3h30 Tourtime: 3h Returntime: 20min Approachtime: 10min Altitude entry: 770m Altitude exit: 550m Delta Altitude: 220m Canyon length: 2000m Amount rapells: 11 Highest rapell: 20m Transport: Car required Drainage area: 10.00km² Rock type: Season: June - September **Orientation:** West **Best Time: Rating:** 2 3.8 (9) Info: 🖈 2.5 (8) **Belay:** ★ 3 (7)

Specialities:

Gear:

Ropes: 2x 20m

Summary: (machine translated)

Varied forest gorge with fun potential (many slides and possible jumps)

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)

From Nice, take the N 202 up the Var for approx. 29 km to Plan-du-Var. Shortly after this village, turn right into the Vesubie valley. 19 km after the turn-off, you pass through Lantosque. About 1.5 km further on, park the lower vehicle at the La Dorgane picnic area. If you think there is too much risk of your car being broken into here, you can park it about 200 m further on at the road junction to la Bollène near an inhabited house.

With the other vehicle, turn right at the junction onto the D70, up to the village of Bollène and through it. The road continues above the canyon. You drive through a tunnel and at the next sharp left-hand bend at the edge of the slope there is space for the second vehicle (835 m above sea level), provided you haven't got up too late.

Approach: (machine translated)

From the parking lot, take the wide footpath down to the bridge over the Bollène.

Tour: (machine translated)

Forest gorge with slippery rocks and several jumps and slides.

Sometimes crowded, especially by commercial visitors; large slide better not from the top, but from the rope due to lack of control; long slide afterwards without any problems (but lying down!). Here it is also possible to jump out of the vertical wall from the left.

Please leave the water drainage untouched.

Return: (machine translated)

After the last somewhat larger pool, descend on the footpath on the right bank, then later on a bridge to the left bank and out to the La Dorgane picnic area. It is important not to climb up to the village of Bollène.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start <u>43.9824 7.3439</u>
Canyon End <u>43.9873 7.3314</u>
Parking at Entry <u>43.9827 7.3410</u>
Parking at Exit <u>43.9852 7.3203</u>

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Superiore jumps and slides. Everything was doable without ropes until the exit. With the higher jumps, especially
towards the exit, you should pay close attention to your immersion technique, as the water is sometimes not as
deep as it seems. For example, the one where you bypass a small pool on the left and jump into the next one on
the left from about 6-8m. must have been spot no. 4. The canyon is highly recommended. Six of us with two
children went through it in 2:50 if you jump / slide most of the way. (machine translated)
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