

Trou de la Marmite

Trou de la Marmite, Mélogne, Cascades du Trou de la Marmite

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Country: France Region: Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes Subregion: Ain Town: Hauteville Lompnes		
Difficulty: a little difficult	Grading: v4 a1 I	Total time: 1h26
Approachtime: 1min	Tourtime: 1h10	Returntime: 15min
Altitude entry: 970m	Altitude exit: 880m	Delta Altitude: 90m
Canyon length: 200m	Highest rapell: 57m	Amount rapells: 5
Transport: on Foot	Rock type:	Drainage area: km ²
Season:	Orientation: West	Best Time:
Rating: ★ 2 (2)	Info: ★ 0 ()	Belay: ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Ropes: 2x 60m

Summary: (machine translated)

Short rappel canyon, usually with little water

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)

From Geneva, take the A40 highway for about 65 km in the direction of Lyon. After 3 short tunnels, you pass the small town of Nantua (on the right below a high viaduct) and then drive through a tunnel about 3 km long. We take the next highway exit and come to St. Martin du Frere. From here we head south on the D 12 (Route de Condamine). After 13 km we turn left onto the D8 and after another 11 km we reach the village of Hauteville-Lompnes.

From here, take the D9 in the direction of Col de la Rochette, Ruffieu. After about 2 km uphill, we come to a road bridge with a stone cross nearby. We park the car here.

Approach: (machine translated)

Above the bridge (from the guardrail) rappel into the stream and down to the culvert.

Tour: (machine translated)

The long rappel is 57 m if you rappel through, 16 + 45 if you take the intermediate belay at the natural bridge. Here the anchor on the natural bridge did not look very safe (2011).

Return: (machine translated)

Either immediately after the high rappel half-left take the path up to the road or the next 3 steps (each 5 m) further down in the stream, then pathless left up until you meet the path up.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start [45.9677 5.6234](#)

Canyon End [45.9668 5.6180](#)

Parking Entry and Exit [45.9676 5.6234](#)

Reports:

2026-02-07 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Trou de la Marmite Fait à partir de de la grande cascade Déviation avec mousqueton double action tout rouillé à changer à l'occasion et un peu haut pour petit gabarit Tronc au niveau du trou de la marmite bien sympa pour coincée une corde (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2185/observations.html>)

2024-07-04 | System User | |📖|📌|🌊 Low |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Trou de la Marmite RAS. Un canyon sec. La premier rappel n'est pas équipé. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2185/observations.html>)

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