Rio Lavarie superior

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Country: Italia / Italy **Region:** Friuli Venezia Giulia **Subregion:** ente di decentramento regionale di Udine **Town:** Venzone		
Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v4 a3 III	**Total time:** 1h35
Approachtime: 15min	**Tourtime:** 1h15	**Returntime:** 5min
Altitude entry: 605m	**Altitude exit:** 460m	**Delta Altitude:** 145m
Canyon length: m	**Highest rapell:** 35m	**Amount rapells:** 6
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 3.1 (5)	**Info:** ★ 2.7 (3)	**Belay:** ★ 2 (5)

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x60

Summary: (machine translated)
Upper open part of the famous Rio Lavarie

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
Access as Lavarie inferior but already park in Tugliezzo (large open space)

Approach: (machine translated)
After a few meters downhill, a hiking trail branches off to the right (initially asphalted), which you follow until after about 10 minutes you turn left onto the path to Rio Lavarie.
The path is well marked on OSM.

Tour: (machine translated)
This is followed by 6 abseils in an open area (the highest is split)
By now all higher rappels are equipped with 2 anchors. The tour starts with C20 & C10 on the right; after a few smaller sections we come to the big abseil. This is actually a C55 which is split approx. 35m / 20m (both belays on the left); there is room for a maximum of 2 people at the hanging place.
Bypass the next edge on the right. Then either climb up to the right to the road and then take the usual access path for the lower part; or follow the streambed.

Return: (machine translated)
Continue to the Inferior part (or up the road to the car)

Coordinates:
Parking at Entry 46.3821 13.1521
Parking at Exit 46.3870 13.1584
Canyon Start 46.3780 13.1552
Canyon End 46.3815 13.1566
Waypoint 46.3822 13.1533

Reports:

2025-09-06 | Tjaz | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ | ≋ Low | 👍 Completed
Anchors all in good shape. One old one new.. worth doing because of the last waterfall which is super beautiful. But next time i will do just the lower part of lavarie... or maybe not ◫

2025-07-24 | Bina | ☆ ☆ |🕮 |⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ Low | 👍 Completed
Once is just about ok if you know all the other short canyons in the area... (machine translated)

2025-07-21 | Marosffy Dániel | ☆ ☆ ☆ ½ |🕮 ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ Low | 👍 Completed
It was a plesant surprise, this canyon is rather enjoyable, but very much different from the well known inferior. C55 intermediate belay is comfortable, however the rock quality is rather low here, there are some sharp edges and loose stones. At the bottom of this, one more short rappel could be added instead of the easy walk around.

2025-02-22 | Horst Lambauer | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ Low | 👍 Completed
We have renovated the intermediate c55. Unfortunately, the rock quality there is mediocre, but now it should be fine again for a while. All other stands are also ok. (machine translated)

2024-10-06 | Wolfgang | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 |⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ High | 👍 Completed
This is the first time we have climbed the upper part and certainly not the last. We always added a second bolt to the old single hooks. The intermediate level at c55 could be improved at low water. We had a high water level and it was really worthwhile to walk up the 15 minutes. (machine translated)

Parts:
Rio Lavarie superior, v4 a3 III, 15min+1h15+5min
Rio Lavarie, v5 a3 IV, 10min+2h+10min