# Kalbelekarbach

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| **Country:** Österreich / Austria **Region:** Tirol **Subregion:** Bezirk Reutte **Town:** Am Plansee | | |
| **Difficulty:** not as difficult | **Grading:** v3 a3 III | **Total time:** 3h55 |
| **Approachtime:** 1h30 | **Tourtime:** 2h15 | **Returntime:** 10min |
| **Altitude entry:** 1420m | **Altitude exit:** 1095m | **Delta Altitude:** 325m |
| **Canyon length:** 800m | **Highest rapell:** 25m | **Amount rapells:** 14 |
| **Transport:** on Foot | **Rock type:** | **Drainage area:** km² |
| **Season:** | **Orientation:** | **Best Time:** |
| **Rating:** ☆ 2 (2) | **Info:** ★ 0 () | **Belay:** ★ 0 () |

**Specialities:**

**Gear:**
Ropes: 2x30m

**Summary:** (machine translated)
Rough canyon with some nice rappels, but no jumps or slides

**Hydrology:**

**Access:** (machine translated)
From Reutte in the Lech Valley up to the Plansee. From its eastern end (hamlet "Am Plansee") we take the road towards Linderhof Castle, Oberammergau. 3.8 km drive, then we come to the bridge over the Kalbeleskarbach. In front of the bridge on the left there is a bigger free space for the car.\nFrom Oberammergau/Ettal we take the St2060, which branches off from the B23 between these two villages in the direction of Linderhof Castle. After about 9.7 km we pass the turnoff to Linderhof Castle, after another 6.9 km we cross the German/Austrian border. Another 4.3 km and we are at the former Hotel Ammerwald, today BMW conference center. We continue in the direction of Plansee, Reutte. We first cross the gravel bed of the Kuhkarbach and after 850m (from BMW conference center) we reach the bridge over the Kalbeleskarbach. We park the car in the open space on the right after the bridge.

**Approach:** (machine translated)
The access requires a sense of direction and intuition. First, we climb the slope in a westerly direction and then traverse about 50 m without a path (further west) to a forest road that runs in a north-south direction. Here we walk a few meters northwards and look for the barely recognizable start of the overgrown path, which initially runs in a north-westerly direction towards the Kalbeleskarbach stream and then winds upwards relatively close to the stream. We come to a hunter's stand on the edge of the slope to the stream (2016). A few more meters uphill, then the path at about 1320 m altitude pulls into the steep slope above the stream - here too more to guess than to see clearly.we come to the streambed and can still see two larger waterfalls upstream. The Riml/Amor guide writes: " ... as soon as you cross the Kalbelekarbach, you can get in." That's what we did (starting altitude 1300 m), but subsequently realized that we missed the first two waterfalls in the topographic view in the Riml/Amor book.
So you would probably have to follow the path on the other side of the stream further up the slope and then enter the stream at a suitable point above the first two waterfalls. In that case, however, the 1300 m altitude at which the trail starts would no longer apply. According to the Amap online map, a short access from the path into the stream seems possible at about 1410m, possibly even further down, just above the first two waterfalls in the topographic view.

**Tour:** (machine translated)
Alternating rappel, downclimb and short runs. The route time is extrapolated from the 80 min. we needed from our entry altitude at 1300m for an entry above the first two waterfalls.

**Return:** (machine translated)
We cross the forest track with the streambed and go downhill to the road bridge.

**Coordinates:**
Canyon Start 47.5182 10.8277
Canyon End 47.5202 10.8376
Alternative Canyon Start 47.5182 10.8323
Parking Entry and Exit 47.5190 10.8396
Waypoint 47.5190 10.8382

**Reports:**

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