# Marianna

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| **Country:** Italia / Italy **Region:** Lombardia **Subregion:** Varese **Town:** Cuveglio | | |
| **Difficulty:** not as difficult | **Grading:** v3 a3 III | **Total time:** 2h10 |
| **Approachtime:** 5min | **Tourtime:** 2h | **Returntime:** 5min |
| **Altitude entry:** 460m | **Altitude exit:** 340m | **Delta Altitude:** 120m |
| **Canyon length:** 1200m | **Highest rapell:** 20m | **Amount rapells:** 3 |
| **Transport:** Car optional | **Rock type:** limestone | **Drainage area:** 4.70km² |
| **Season:** January - December | **Orientation:** South | **Best Time:** 10-18 o'clock |
| **Rating:** ☆ 3 (1) | **Info:** ★ 2 (1) | **Belay:** ★ 0 () |

**Specialities:**

**Gear:**
Ropes: 2x 30m

**Summary:**
Few rappels and many pools for little jumps. For enthusiasts only.

**Hydrology:**
Flow assessment from the lower parking area.

**Access:**
Downstream: in Casalzuigno you can park in Via Arcumeggia, in a large parking lot after the bridge on the left, right next to the stream (45°54'33.8"N 8°43'06.2"E).

Upstream: in Arcumeggia, park in the large square next to the Church of Sant'Ambrogio, along Provincial Road 7 (45°55'02.7"N 8°42'53.3"E).

**Approach:**
With shuttle: from the Arcumeggia parking area, take the path between the church and the cemetery (a bit overgrown in the first few meters), which descends directly to the stream, reaching a decaying bridge in about 5 minutes (45°55'06.5"N 8°42'48.6"E), 40 m D-.

Without shuttle: trail on the right bank to be checked.

**Tour:**
01- C8 (nat dx)
02- C22 (nat sx)
03- C15 (nat dx)

**Return:**
after the last jump (4-5 meters), continue along the riverbed until you can see the cars, or exit on the left at a meadow and walk back to the cars along the paved road. 5 min; 20 m D-.

**Coordinates:**
Parking at Entry 45.9174 8.7147
Parking at Exit 45.9094 8.7183
Canyon Start 45.9183 8.7135
Canyon End 45.9116 8.7161
Alternative Canyon Start 45.9227 8.7095

**Reports:**

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2025-08-19 | Marcello Pianezza | ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🕮 ★ | ⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
There are no anchors and very few rappel, but the environment and the river are worth a visit, allowing many jumps into beautiful pools. Unfortunately, the last pool before the exit path is blocked by large logs, but it can be bypassed by a path on the right.