

# Riviere Grande Plaine

Ravine Acomat, Rivière d'Acomat, Rivière d' Acomat, Saut d'Acomat, Rivière Grande Plaine, Acomat

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**Country:** France **Region:** Guadeloupe **Subregion:** Guadeloupe **Town:** Pointe-Noire

**Difficulty:** not as difficult

**Grading:** v2 a3 II

**Total time:** 2h20

**Approachtime:** 40min

**Tourtime:** 1h30

**Returntime:** 10min

**Altitude entry:** 180m

**Altitude exit:** 65m

**Delta Altitude:** 115m

**Canyon length:** 600m

**Highest rapell:** 12m

**Amount rapells:** 2

**Transport:** on Foot

**Rock type:** basalt

**Drainage area:** km<sup>2</sup>

**Season:**

**Orientation:** Northwest

**Best Time:**

**Rating:** ★ 1.8 (2)

**Info:** ★ 0 ()

**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

**Specialities:**

**Gear:**

Ropes: 1x30

**Summary:** (machine translated)

Hiking and swim canyon

**Hydrology:**

**Access:** (machine translated)

From the town of Basse-Terre on the western half of the island of the same name of Guadeloupe, we go north on the coastal road for 31.3 km (from the airport of Basse-Terre) (passing through the villages of Vieux-Habitants, Bouillante and Mahaut) until we reach the bridge over the Grande Plaine (just before the Plage - Beach - Caraïbe). After the bridge, we take the small road that brings us after eta 2.5 km to the signposted Saut - Jump - d'Acomat. Here we take the road near the river at a fork. In the parking lot before the bridge over the side stream and before the slope we leave our car.

**Approach:** (machine translated)

We follow the road on foot about 300 m further steeply uphill. At the top, we see a small parking bay on the right and a sign 'Propriété Privée' on a tree to the right of the road. Immediately before this sign, a clear path disappears in the forest on the right, We follow it until we reach the riverbed of the Grande Plaine. Those who have doubts about taking this path because of the sign, continue to follow the road, take the right road at a fork (in a southwesterly direction) and enter the right side stream of the Grande Plaine at the following road bridge. This also leads us down to the entry into the river itself. According to the description at descente-canyon.com, the descent in the river now begins here. However, it is still worth going up the river first to a longer attractive narrow section and its upper exit. Some smaller steps can be climbed on fixed ropes (2013). In order to be able to climb these narrows, Kuster/Silve suggest in their book an access via an orographic left side stream of the Grande Plaine, the Ravine 'Deux Ravines' (p. 113 ff). However, the access to this side stream is difficult to find, sweaty and ultimately annoying, since the side stream itself is not worth climbing.

**Tour:** (machine translated)

At first nice narrow section, then we hike in open riverbed with a few more attractive passages. The Saut d'Acomat at the end of the tour you can jump, rappel, or slide in the dry rock hollow (right).

**Return:** (machine translated)

50 m after the waterfall Saut d'Acomat (with swimming pools) up the path on the right to the road and the car.

**Coordinates:**

Canyon Start [16.1989 -61.7417](#)

Canyon End [16.2093 -61.7607](#)

Parking Entry and Exit [16.2100 -61.7613](#)

Alternative Canyon Start [16.1991 -61.7517](#)

**Reports:**

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