

Orti

Rio degli Orti

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Country: Italia / Italy **Region:** Piemonte **Subregion:** Verbano-Cusio-Ossola **Town:** Premia

Difficulty: a little difficult	Grading: v4 a2 IV	Total time: 5h5
Approach time: 1h15	Tourtime: 3h30	Returntime: 20min
Altitude entry: 1200m	Altitude exit: 750m	Delta Altitude: 450m
Canyon length: 700m	Highest rappel: 30m	Amount rapells: 21
Transport: on Foot	Rock type:	Drainage area: km ²
Season:	Orientation:	Best Time:
Rating: ★ 3.7 (2)	Info: ★ 0 ()	Belay: ★ 3 (1)

Specialities:

Gear:

Ropes: 2x 30m

Summary: (machine translated)

The route is strongly divided into two parts: A magnificent first part, vertical and branched, is followed by an ugly second part, a chaos of huge boulders in the forest, with uninteresting abseils.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)

Drive past Domodossola in a northerly direction and continue to the turn-off to Val Formazza. You pass the villages of Crodo and Baceno until you reach Premia. Ride past the village center until you reach the junction on the right for Cagiogno. Pass the Toce and continue for a few hundred meters until you reach a large clearing near a very ornate house that almost looks like a caricature.

Approach: (machine translated)

Follow the signs to Alpe Bee, which you reach via a wonderful, almost completely asphalted mule track. At the only fork, which you reach about halfway along, ignore the signpost for Diogna and continue to the right. When you come to the first house in the middle of a meadow, continue to the left and reach the mountain pasture (fountain and some houses). From here, always following the path, you enter the forest again and then descend to the stream.

Tour: (machine translated)

Note: the second part (below the described exit) can be safely avoided (+1h and 6 rappels); if you only do the first part, you will have a wonderful memory of this canyon...

Return: (machine translated)

When the canyon opens up clearly, a marked path crosses the stream, turn left and you will soon reach the access path.

You reach a bridle path and walk along the left bank across the meadows to the cars.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start [46.2688 8.3603](#)

Canyon End [46.2733 8.3504](#)

Parking Entry and Exit [46.2740 8.3494](#)

Reports:

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Everything was great, except for the many trees on the tour. You have to be careful or think carefully about how to do the rappel so that the rope doesn't get caught. A saw would be useful. No anchors at the beginning. Watch out, very slippery. (machine translated)

2023-03-09 | System User | ★★★ | 📄 | ⚓ | |

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