Johannesbach

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Country: Österreich / Austria **Region:** Tirol **Subregion:** Bezirk Schwaz **Town:** Hinterriss		
Difficulty: very difficult	**Grading:** v5 a6 II	**Total time:** 3h5
Approachtime: 25min	**Tourtime:** 2h30	**Returntime:** 10min
Altitude entry: 1000m	**Altitude exit:** 880m	**Delta Altitude:** 120m
Canyon length: m	**Highest rapell:** 20m	**Amount rapells:**
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 2.9 (1)	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Summary: (machine translated)
Very aquatic tour with only low abseiling points. Demanding in terms of water technology

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
In Vorderriss turn off into Rissbachtal and drive to the toll booth. Park on the right at the hotel, which closed in 2018.

Approach: (machine translated)
Cross the meadow and the Rissbach stream and follow a hiking trail to a forest road. Soon leave the forest road to the right and hike along a good path above the gorge into the valley floor. When you reach a mostly dry stream (Luchsegggraben), follow it. At the edge of the gorge, descend to the right over scree to the streambed.

Tour: (machine translated)
Generally a lot of water (~1 m3/sec) and strong current. Unclear bends should be approached with rope help, anchors for such maneuvers are only partially available, otherwise you have to secure yourself to driftwood or your body.
After a few rock channels, you come to a tree entanglement with anchors on the right - rappel 2m into the pool, then several more rock channels until you come to a particularly narrow passage, climb around on the left, possibly with a hand rappel around a dry tree. Immediately afterwards, rappel 3m from the rock niche on the right. After more rock channels and a tree hanging lengthways in the streambed, you are at the highest abseil point. Rappel 2m from the anchor on the left behind the edge to find a new anchor. Before here, rappel 10m with a floating anchor over the receding pool.
The next passage looks very impressive from above. From the anchor on the left, rappel 15m into the large pool, watch out for wood in the white water. Climb over slippery rock out of the basin and on the right edge first follow a thin wire rope and then a static rappel to the belay on the right edge of the gorge and rappel 6m. From here it is only walking terrain to the wide gravel bed.

Return: (machine translated)
Cross the gravel bed and cross the Rissbach at a suitable point. Then follow the road back to the car.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 47.4562 11.4931
Parking Entry and Exit 47.4674 11.4854
Canyon End 47.4602 11.4967

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