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Country: Österreich / Austria **Region:** Kärnten **Subregion:** Bezirk Spittal an der Drau **Town:** Obervellach

Difficulty: a little difficult	Grading: v4 a3 III	Total time: 3h40
Approachtime: 40min	Tourtime: 2h45	Returndate: 15min
Altitude entry: 1120m	Altitude exit: 780m	Delta Altitude: 340m
Canyon length: 300m	Highest rappel: 35m	Amount rapells: 12
Transport: on Foot	Rock type:	Drainage area: km ²
Season:	Orientation: North	Best Time:
Rating: ★ 2.1 (2)	Info: ★ 0 ()	Belay: ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Ropes: 1x40m/ 2x20m

Summary:

Sharp edge at highest rappel point; gneiss rock; beautiful canyon but partly very slippery and shady; catchment area 6.1km²; rappel often in the water course.

Hydrology:

Access:

Rif --> A10 Villach --> Mölltal --> Obervellach (between Obervellach and Stallhofen) ri. Winklern --> at the main road right to the campsite (Fort Vancouver) --> under the main road --> over the bridge and left to the campsite --> park here.

Approach:

From the campsite (Fort Vancouver) left to the large signpost --> here the path up towards Polinikfall --> after approx. 500m at the bridge left steeply up on the path --> always in sight of the deep canyon --> continue until you reach an old path --> keep right until you reach the entry at approx. 1120Hm.

Tour:

The canyon offers a very varied program of rappels from start to finish --> belays are in good condition --> many short rappels in the water --> mostly slippery even at the belay --> little sunlight --> problematic at the narrow points when there is a lot of water (check the water level at the exit on the high wooden bridge) --> the highest rappel point comes almost at the end and is usually outside the water flow (!! Sharp edge) --> to master short rappels more effectively, you should not do without an additional rope.!!! sharp edges) --> in order to master the short rappels more effectively, an additional shorter rope should not be dispensed with.

Return:

After the last large and the 2 small rappels, you leave the canyon on the left onto a hiking trail, then (right) again through the stream and past the wooden bridge until you reach the access path back to the campsite/parking lot.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start [46.9137 13.2005](#)

Parking Entry and Exit [46.9264 13.2019](#)

Canyon End [46.9216 13.2039](#)

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