

Antin

Rio Antin, Rio d'Antin

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Country: Italia / Italy Region: Piemonte Subregion: Verbano-Cusio-Ossola Town: Premia		
Difficulty: difficult	Grading: v5 a4 V	Total time: 7h45
Approach time: 2h	Tour time: 5h30	Return time: 15min
Altitude entry: 1365m	Altitude exit: 750m	Delta Altitude: 615m
Canyon length: 1200m	Highest rappel: 60m	Amount rappels: 31
Transport: on Foot	Rock type: gneiss	Drainage area: km ²
Season: July - October	Orientation: West	Best Time: 11-18 o'clock
Rating: ★ 3.8 (4)	Info: ★ 2.3 (3)	Belay: ★ 2.5 (2)
Specialities:		
Gear: Ropes: 2x 70m		
Summary: Nice and wild alpine canyon		
Hydrology: Snow can be found in the canyon in spring and early summer		
Access: Go to Premia and reach the hamlet of Cristo. Before the village follow the road on the left near the river Toce until Rio di Groppo. Park after the bridge in the left.		
Approach: From Cristo take the path to Alpe La Colla. In between the houses of Alpe La Colla starts a trail on the left that enters the Antin valley.		

Tour:

1: 2x right / 10m
2: 2x right / 10m
3: 2x right / 8m
4: 2x right / 15m
5: 2x right / 10m
6: 2x left / 8m
7: 2x right / 8m
8: 2x right / 8m
9: 2x left / 15m (toboga possible)
10: 2x right / 40m
150m walk
11: 1x right / 5m
150m walk
12: 2x right / 10m
13: 2x right / 10m (toboga possible)
14: 2x right/ 15m (2 pools)
15: 2x left / 10m
16: 2x left / 15m
downclimb
17: 2x right / 15m
18: 2x right / 40m
narrow
19: 2x right / 15m
20: 2x right / 10m
21: 2x left / 20m
22: 2x left / 5m
23: 1x left / 5m
24: 2x left / 20m
25: 2x left / MC 6m + 1x left / 35m
downclimb RG
26: 2x left / 9m (or jump 7m)
27: 2x right / MC 10m
28: 2x right / 45m
29: 2x right / 25 m
30: 1x right MC + two possibilities
- 2x right/ 50m direct in water (take the second anchor, too much risk to stuck the rope with the first one)
- 2x right / 10m + 2x right / 40m out of water
31: 2x right / 20m

Return:

After the last waterfall exit immediately in the left. A small path leads to a larger road and then to the paved road on the bottom of the valley.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start [46.2820 8.3773](#)

Canyon End [46.2877 8.3653](#)

Parking Entry and Exit [46.2828 8.3562](#)

Reports:

2025-08-25 | Massimo Loriato | ★★★★ | 📃 ★★ | ⚓ ★★ | ⚓ Normal | 🤗 Completed

From Alpe Colla the path is not always clear, we left the main path shortly after the metal stair and went horizontally till reaching a rock ridge with a tree, MC10 till another tree with C40 to enter the canyon. Final 55m use the old french chains to reach the newest two separated anchor points high, that let you go down close the water flow and with easy recovery.

2025-08-09 | Michele Dini | ★★★ | 📃 ★ | ⚓ | ⚓ Low | 🤗 Completed

Good (machine translated)

2024-09-01 | Jeanne Picart | ★★★★ | 📃 ★★★ | ⚓ ★★★ | ⚓ Normal | 🤗 Completed

Equipment ok. Some nice slides (machine translated)

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

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