Rio Val

Torrente Rio Val

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Country: Italia / Italy **Region:** Trentino-Alto Adige **Subregion:** Trento / Provincia autonoma di Trento **Town:** Storo		
Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v4 a2 IV	**Total time:** 2h40
Approachtime: 10min	**Tourtime:** 2h30	**Returntime:** 0min
Altitude entry: 830m	**Altitude exit:** 590m	**Delta Altitude:** 240m
Canyon length: 700m	**Highest rapell:** 45m	**Amount rapells:** 13
Transport: Car optional	**Rock type:** limestone	**Drainage area:** 2.40km²
Season: June - October	**Orientation:** South	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 3.7 (11)	**Info:** ★ 2 (9)	**Belay:** ★ 2.2 (9)
Specialities:		
Gear:		

Summary: (machine translated)
Very vertical; often exposed belays; arrival pool not deep, usually little water; limestone; some sharp edges; more for smaller groups; nice view; accurate weather check; water can come and go very quickly!

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
From Torbole, drive up towards Val di Ledro and past the lake. After a few serpentines downhill at km 47 (on the SS 240, 3km before Storo), park the first car (here you can already see the last rappel and the water level). Take the second car in the direction of Storo. In Storo, follow the main road as far as the "SAV" DIY store. Turn right immediately after the DIY store and follow the narrow, straight road. Turn right at the small signs with the inscription "Via Trento". Follow the mountain road for approx. 3.6 km (you go through a tunnel and past a few houses). At the highest point you will come to a pilgrimage chapel. The road now leads slightly downhill. After a short stretch with a few bends, there is a sharp left-hand bend where a forest road (old "Privato" no-driving sign) branches off to the right. Follow the forest road downhill to the right (approx. 40m). At the first bend there is limited parking (max. two cars) (840m).

Approach: (machine translated)
From the small parking possibility (right bend) follow the forest path to the left. Passing a house with a well, the path leads shortly to the stream (entry at about 830Hm).

Tour: (machine translated)
Very beautiful, open, south-facing canyon. Several short to medium rappels, with some exposed stands (rope traverses possible). You should be careful on the abseils because of the sharp edges. The rappels are mostly in the water, but the arrival pools are not deep. There are only short walking passages, if any, between the steps. The highest abseils are in the middle section of the tour. The Rio Val flows into the Palvico. The combination of the two rather short streams is recommended.

Return: (machine translated)
The exit is directly on the road next to the stream Palvico (parking shuttle car) (830Hm).

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 45.8488 10.6081
Canyon End 45.8454 10.6077
Parking at Exit 45.8453 10.6075
Parking at Entry 45.8492 10.6071

Reports:

2026-02-22 | Clarissa Linder | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
If you get on at around 11.30/12.00, you will have sun throughout. The walk from the Palvico exit parking lot takes about 1.5 hours. (machine translated)

2025-09-14 | Clarissa Linder | ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
You are faster if you just walk up (max. 1h). The coordinates currently show the "upper" entry (from there there are 14 rappels marked with plaques), the description leads to the "lower" entry (13 rappels - you won't miss much!). (machine translated)

2025-09-08 | Philipp | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Nice vertical canyon for practicing, we didn't need any rope traverses at the water level. Before you reach the first anchor with a badge on the right, you have to downclimb about 5 steps. Be careful of vehicle height on the approach. We counted 13 rappels, the highest of which was approx. 39m (machine translated)

2025-09-01 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
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2025-07-15 | Iotama | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Great training canyon from the Italians. Technically not without difficulty, as there are rappels, exposed sections, little visibility of the group, many high rappels. Highest rappel more than 35m (!!), so better take a longer rope with you (machine translated)

2025-07-15 | Bastien P. | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ ★ | ≋ Low | 👍 Completed
Always worthwhile Anchor everything top. Canyons very slippery overall. (machine translated)

2024-09-25 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
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2024-07-31 | Thorsten K. | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
The access road is free, if you don't have enough ground clearance for the shuttle car then park one bend further up before leaving the asphalt road at the exit. The stands are ok and very exposed in the middle - last vertical part of the canyon. It is advisable to build a rope traverse for each of two places and to have set up the previous stand. After the last rappel, you can decide to run out to the left to the road or also rappel down the wall and continue in the river bed. For the combination with Plavico, it is recommended to go to the road and walk 5-10 minutes to the Palvico start. (machine translated)

2024-07-31 | Sebastian Gaebert | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ |⚓ ★ | ≋ Low | 👍 Completed
A beautiful canyon with some fun rappels! In some places it makes sense to build a rope traverse to reach the exposed stands. A few downclimbs in the middle section are not without their difficulties when it's slippery, but all in all a great tour! Can be perfectly combined with Palvico with a short walk. (machine translated)

2024-06-05 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
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2023-09-02 | Glitzi | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
The construction site at the chapel is still there. But a nice Anreiner has opened the barrier for us. Stands have been ok. Sharp edges there's enough but was no problem. (machine translated)

2023-07-02 | Christoph Cramer | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ |🕮 ★ ★ ★ |⚓ ★ ★ | ≋ Low | 👍 Completed
The access road to the entrance is currently closed due to falling rocks. You can only get to the chapel. The approach is thus extended to about 20 minutes. Some stands had loose bolts. Otherwise everything was good. The first rappel had the number 13, after rappel 1 you can rappel one more step and get out under the bridge. No cell reception in the gorge and at the exit! You have to go back to Storo for reception. (machine translated)

2023-03-09 | System User | ☆ ☆ |🕮 |⚓ | |
Info: Teile der Canyonbeschreibung wurden automatisiert übernommen. Konkret die Felder Weblinks, Koordinaten,