Beli Potok

Skocniki

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Country: Slovenija / Slovenia **Region:** Zahodna Slovenija / Western Slovenia **Subregion:** Gorenjska / Upper Carniola Statistical Region **Town:** Gozd Martuljek

Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v4 a2 IV	**Total time:** 5h20
Approachtime: 1h	**Tourtime:** 4h	**Returntime:** 20min
Altitude entry: 1210m	**Altitude exit:** 910m	**Delta Altitude:** 300m
Canyon length: 800m	**Highest rapell:** 40m	**Amount rapells:**
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 3.7 (2)	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Warnings:
General prohibition of access (Triglav National Park) (yearly 01.01. - 31.12.)
With a few exceptions (Fratarica, Predelica and Jerečica), canyoning is generally prohibited in the Triglav National Park. For more details see: https://www.tnp.si/en/visiting-park/activities-and-sights/water-sports/canyoning/
Status: 2024 season

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x40m

Summary: (machine translated)
A rocky bar at the head of the Beli Potok valley is cut by two narrow gorges that can be combined.
These gorges are known as Desni (Right) and Levi (Left) Skocniki. After the confluence, the route continues in a sunny rocky gorge
up to a 20m waterfall before the somewhat arduous return through the streambed begins.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
From Kranskja Gora follow road 201 in the direction of Jesenice. The signposted parking lot is located about 3km after Gozd Martuljek just in front of a former railroad bridge, over which there is now a bike path.

Approach: (machine translated)
From the parking lot, cross the railroad bridge and turn right twice onto a forest road which you follow to Beli Potok. Continue up the wide streambed for approx. 300m until you reach the well-trodden access path on the right-hand side of the mountain (where the streambed divides into several branches).
The path initially climbs steeply with several hairpin bends and then crosses the western slopes of the Beli Potok ditch, ascending more gently. After about 420m you reach the stream. The entry point for the Levi Skocniki is located exactly where the path meets the stream (wire sling on the right). To reach the entry to the Desni Skocniki, cross horizontally to the right for 100m until you reach a spring - the stream that rises from this spring forms the Desni Skocniki. A rocky outcrop on the right edge of the gorge offers a beautiful view of the first waterfall.

To combine both gorges, the following exit options from the gorge are available:
After the gorge orographic left over a damp slope into a saddle, continue laboriously over a streambed to the ascent path (walk carefully so as not to put undue strain on the spring vegetation on the slope).
Possibly more pleasant and ecologically harmless: After the 9m waterfall of the second narrows, ascend on the right bank via climbing tracks to the eastern canyon rim and then back to the entry (path marked in Amap).

Tour: (machine translated)
Desni Skocniki: After a 2m slide, you immediately start with a very impressive 40m rappel (rappel tree on the left). The 35m high main fall and the following 5m waterfall have to be rappelled in one go. After a short walking passages and a 4m rappel from a jammed tree trunk, the second high drop follows. Below a clamping block, you first descend 13m, then 25m into an impressive rock dome. It is better to rappel both steps from the top belay (40m). After several steps in a narrow gorge, the Levi Skocniki lead from the left. After two more abseils (the first can possibly be slid), the gorge opens up a little - the abseil sling for the first small abseil is hidden at the back on the right. This is followed by a two-meter jump and an awkward 15m slide. Normal pitons on the right halfway up the slide. Here is the first possibility on the left for the re-ascent out of the gorge to make the Levi Skocniki. Otherwise, three rappels/slides follow in a gorge before there is another possibility for the re-ascent on the right bank (climbing tracks after the mouth of the stream from the left). Those who have had enough follow the stream for another 500m (a few slides) to the last 20m waterfall, the exit of the canyoning tour.

Levi Skocniki: After three waterfalls in a beautifully shaped low gorge, four higher waterfalls follow, each secured with chain anchors. Very impressive mouth into the dark gorge of the Desni Skocniki.

The total duration indicated refers to the combination of Desni Skocniki, ascent, Levi Skocniki.

Return: (machine translated)
At first a bit tedious block hopping in the streambed. When you reach the first scree brake, you can change to the right onto a path that soon becomes clearer. Follow this path to the forest road (short slides are avoided in the streambed).

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 46.4628 13.8614
Parking Entry and Exit 46.4795 13.8696
Canyon End 46.4674 13.8622
Alternative Canyon Start 46.4634 13.8648
Alternative Canyon End 46.4694 13.8653

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