# Havgas

Havgas, Φαράγγι Χαυγάς, Vorno gorge, Chavga gorge

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**Country:** Ελλάδα / Greece **Region:** Περιφέρεια Κρήτης / Crete **Subregion:** Νομός Λασιθίου / Lasithi Regional

Unit **Town:** Kavousi

**Difficulty:** easy Grading: v2 a2 l Total time: 1h50 Approachtime: 10min Tourtime: 1h30 Returntime: 10min Altitude exit: 120m Altitude entry: 235m Delta Altitude: 115m Canyon length: 1000m Highest rapell: 25m Amount rapells: 10 Transport: Car optional Rock type: Drainage area: km² Season: January - February **Orientation: Best Time:** Info: 🖈 2 (1) **Rating:** 2.3 (2) **Belay:** ★ 0 ()

### Specialities:

Gear:

Ropes: 2x25m

**Summary:** (machine translated)

Short rappel canyon, continuation of Mesonas (see there).
Recommended only in spring. In summer, stagnant water.

#### **Hydrology:**

**Access:** (machine translated)

From Agios Nikolaos on the so-called New Road (No. 90/E 75) towards Sitia, past Pachia Ammos (up to here 19 km). The road to lerapetra turns off to the right (south). We continue straight ahead (east) towards Sitia and reach Kavousi after 5 km. We drive through the village and turn right at the last houses and before the bridge (sign 'Archeological Site'). Just before the road starts to climb, we park a car.

We then drive up the concrete road, ignoring the turn-off to the 'Archeological Site' (2.2 km from the turn-off from the E 75) and pass one of the oldest olive trees in Crete. Then we go downhill a little and cross a streambed (4.3 km): to the right (south) the Mesonas exits, to the left the Havgas begins. We park the other car here and, unless we have a second vehicle, we can walk up a path on the orographic right-hand slope, always close to the canyon. When you reach the dirt road, turn right to the entry.

## **Approach:** (machine translated)

From the upper car walk a few meters along the right bank of the streambed until a walk in the streambed appears.

**Tour:** (machine translated)

At the big pool at the beginning the first one should be equipped with neo and build a rope ferry (see photo!)

Return: (machine translated)

After the last rappel through the slot in the rock face (at least that's how the observer below sees it) continue a bit in the streambed and then out to the left to the vehicle.

#### Coordinates:

Canyon Start <u>35.1188 25.8696</u>
Canyon End <u>35.1221 25.8637</u>
Parking at Exit <u>35.1223 25.8601</u>
Parking at Entry <u>35.1172 25.8715</u>

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Coordinates and season adjusted. (machine translated)

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