Halfain

Wadi Halfain

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Country: عمان / Oman **Region:** محافظة الداخلية / Muḥafazat ad Dakhiliyah **Subregion:** **Town:** محافظة الداخلية		
Difficulty: a little difficult	**Grading:** v4 a3 V	**Total time:** 16h
Approachtime: 2h	**Tourtime:** 12h	**Returntime:** 2h
Altitude entry: 1850m	**Altitude exit:** 700m	**Delta Altitude:** 1150m
Canyon length: 3500m	**Highest rapell:** 110m	**Amount rapells:** 17
Transport: Car required (all-wheel drive)	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:**	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 0 ()	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 65

Summary: (machine translated)
Several large waterfalls over 100 meters high in a canyon over 1000 meters long. Huge pools.

Hydrology: (machine translated)
Always with water, cooler than the other canyons in Oman. Accessible all year round except during the rainy season in summer. The floods are enormous.
To be avoided if the water level is too high, but this should not happen often.

Access: (machine translated)
The ascent to Djebel Akdhar must be done in an off-road vehicle, even if the condition of the roads is almost perfect.

Conversion approx. 62 km

Approach: (machine translated)
From the village, take a barely visible path on the left bank. Follow it and pass the impressive waterfall above the starting point. The path begins to descend steeply. At the height of a narrow passage (see photos), you will recognize a very airy path that leads back to the foot of the large waterfall.

Tour: (machine translated)
Often done in two days and recommended. The relays are not always easy to find and the paths are not always obvious.
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The large waterfall at the starting point can also be descended. That is an adventure in itself. Some say it is the largest waterfall in Arabia.

Total
Beware of huge floods and rather rare high waters
The equipment is good, but not always ideally placed

Return: (machine translated)
When you have finished pulling in, walk through the dry wadi. You pass a rough section on the left. Eventually you come to an old falaj, which you follow more or less to the car, alternating with the wadi bed.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 23.0874 57.7433
Parking at Entry 23.0899 57.7338
Parking at Exit 23.0752 57.7965
Canyon End 23.0877 57.7587

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