Val Fogare (inferiore)

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Country: Italia / Italy Region: Veneto Subregion: Belluno Town: Sedico		
Difficulty: a little difficult	Grading: v4 a4 IV	Total time: 3h30
Approachtime: 1h	Tourtime: 2h15	Returntime: 15min
Altitude entry: 640m	Altitude exit: 460m	Delta Altitude: 180m
Canyon length: m	Highest rapell: 34m	Amount rapells:
Transport: on Foot	Rock type:	drainage area: 4.20km ²
Season:	Orientation: East	Best Time:
Rating: 숡 4.6 (7)	Info: ★ 2.5 (4)	Belay: 🛧 2.3 (6)

Specialities:

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Gear:

Ropes: 2x40m

Summary: (machine translated)

One of the most beautiful and varied aquatic lime canyons in the area; clean water the canyon is located in the Bellunese Dolomites National Park, where canyoning is officially not allowed (is only tolerated); many ticks at the access; protection sufficient; several narrows and possible jumps; small tip: campsite+pizzeria "Sarathei" at Lago di Santa Croce (about 40min. distance) (www.sarathei.it)

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)

Coming from Belluno, head towards Agordo and continue on the SS203 into the Cordevale Valley. After the village of Mas comes the village of Peron. About 4Km after Peron, along the Torrente Cordevale, on a long straight left there is a large picnic area with camper pitches. Opposite is the house of the Comando Statione Forestale "C. se Candaten". From here continue for 1.2km until you reach a forest road on the left by a dilapidated house. Here you enter the forest until you reach Torrente Cordevale (here are also nice places to sleep, which are a bit secluded).

This parking lot is much better than the "old" one at the picnic area, because it is relatively shielded.

Approach: (machine translated)

From the parking lot you cross the Torrente Cordevale and go south. It is relatively obvious where to go into the woods on the other side of the river, because in front of it there are high slopes that you can not climb. At the first opportunity where the embankment is lower, you go into the forest (during our walk 14.8.2023 there was also a cairn at the embankment). In the forest you will find an obvious path that is also marked with red markings. Follow the path southwards until you reach the exit of Val Fogare (after about 15 minutes from the parking lot). Cross the Fogare and after about 20m go up the slope and meet the trail that from now on goes uphill. After about 330m at 480m, instead of following the path that goes straight on, take a hairpin bend and continue along the path that goes steeply uphill from here on.

During the ascent, you will come across a stone manderl, a wall with iron railings and a trail marker. After several meters of altitude, it suddenly becomes flatter. Here you have a beautiful view into the valley and the canyon. For the further flat path above the canyon, it is better to wear a helmet. The partly heavily damaged railing says more than a thousand words. From here about 20min. without difficulty follow the path to the stream / entry at about 640m (ticks do not forget ;-))

Tour: (machine translated)

The Fogare inferiore is certainly one of the most beautiful and varied canyons in the National Park. Without a long stretch of path there are several steps that can be rappelled or jumped. Some narrow passages, a grotto in the middle of the gorge and the green shimmering water in the pools make the canyoning heart beat faster. The belay stations are not the newest anymore but still usable and well placed. Due to the only 4.2Km² large catchment area, one normally has no problems rappelling in the water. The canyon should not be underestimated because of its narrows! After the last cut passage comes in the stream a small open wall. After that the last meters are downclimbed. Exit at about 460m below the water channel.

Val Fogarè is located in the Parco Nazionale Dolomiti; canyoning has been tolerated up to now, but it should not be attempted to meet the rangers. The leadership of the A.I.C. has been negotiating for some time with the National Park Administration.

Return: (machine translated) At the exit or. left again up the path and return to the parking lot.

Coordinates: Canyon Start <u>46.2069 12.1128</u> Canyon End <u>46.2052 12.1233</u> Parking Entry and Exit <u>46.2094 12.1290</u>

Reports:

2025-05-31 | username | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ | 印 ★ ★ ★ | ₺ ★ | 蓋 Normal | 🥌 Completed All necessary anchors available. 2x 30m ropes sufficient. Everything clean, no wood. (machine translated)

2024-08-23 | Barbora Kohout | \diamondsuit \diamondsuit \diamondsuit \diamondsuit \checkmark \checkmark $|\square$ | \clubsuit \bigstar \bigstar | \cong Normal | \bigstar Completed We heard that the canyon is doable. Some anchor points are old, but still functional. One traverse is "the most fun". But it's okay, everything is fine \heartsuit

2024-07-26 | Bina | $\uparrow \uparrow \uparrow \uparrow \uparrow \uparrow \uparrow | \square | \downarrow \uparrow \uparrow \uparrow | \cong$ Normal | $d \to$ Completed With the upper part a wonderful canyoning tour (machine translated)

2024-06-21 | Madie Ga | 2224 2224 3224

2023-08-14 | Horst Lambauer | 🚖 🚖 🚖 😭 😭 😭 🚖 🛧 | 🗘 🚖 🛧 | 🕹 ★ ★ | 🚟 Low | 🧀 Completed

Description of the canyon changed. New parking lot, which is not so obvious opposite the ranger house and where you create less fuss. Coordinates of parking lot as well as entrances touched up to current conditions. Canyon is super nice. All stands ok. (machine translated)

2023-03-09 | System User | 숨 🚖 🚖 😭 | 🛱 | 🕹 | |

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When you just come out of Grigno, it is somehow to be expected that you will be slightly disappointed at the next stream. (machine translated)