Croc

Ravin du Croc

Create: 2023-03-09 20:55:19	**Update:** 2023-12-20 21:59:37	**Print:** 2026-10-30 12:10:41
Country: France **Region:** Provence-Alpes-Côte-d'Azur / Provence-Alpes-Cote d'Azur **Subregion:** Alpes-Maritimes **Town:** La Croix sur Roudoule		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v3 a2 II	**Total time:**
Approachtime: 25min	**Tourtime:** 50min	**Returntime:**
Altitude entry: 730m	**Altitude exit:** 580m	**Delta Altitude:** 150m
Canyon length: 300m	**Highest rapell:** 12m	**Amount rapells:** 5
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:** limestone	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:** West	**Best Time:** 10-11 o'clock
Rating: ☆ 2.8 (3)	**Info:** ★ 2 (1)	**Belay:** ★ 2 (1)

Specialities:
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Gear:
Ropes: 1x30m

Summary: (machine translated)
Varied rappel canyon in the Roudoule

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
As for the Roudoule aval: From Nice up along the Var. In Puget-Theniers, turn right and head north on the D 16 towards Le Croix sur Roudoule. Leave the junction to Puget-Rostang on the right and continue uphill until the road rises well above the level of the stream and an old stone bridge appears next to/under a new suspension bridge. Park here in the marked parking area in the middle of the road.
It is not advisable to move because of a disgruntled resident in the entrance area.

Approach: (machine translated)
From the parking lot, we continue along the D16 above the Roudoule canyon. After 450m, the road crosses "our" stream and we can take a look into the canyon. After another 300m, we turn off the D16 at an acute angle to the right onto the D416, which leads up to Croix-sur-Roudoule. After another 450m, we reach the bridge over the Ravin du Croc (entry).

Tour: (machine translated)
First a river walk, then a gorge with a varied and attractive descent. 2 rappels until we are under the road bridge, 3 more rappels until we reach the Roudoule. Before the last rappel into the Roudoule, there is an exit option to the left up to the road.
The descent then inevitably continues in the Roudoule (see there).

Return: (machine translated)
At the exit of the descent in the Roudoule, immediately after the stone arch bridge, take the steps on the left and continue to the parking lot

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 43.9900 6.8743
Parking Entry and Exit 43.9861 6.8703
Canyon End 43.9899 6.8714

Reports:

2026-09-27 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-07-22 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-06-28 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Croc Ras, belle surprise (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2742/observations.html)

2026-06-20 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-05-24 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-05-23 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-05-02 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-04-13 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
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2025-10-11 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Croc Sympa petite variante de roudoule aval avec mat (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2742/observations.html)

2025-09-28 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Croc Descendu dans le cadre du RIF 2025Equipement Ok, bien vérifier la corde du premier rappel dans une lunule.Ne glisse pas contrairement a Roudoule. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2742/observations.html)

2025-09-14 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Croc Enchaînement croc/roudoule dans le cadre du week-end mixité organisé par les CSR Sud, joli enchaînement, DC (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2742/observations.html)

2025-07-31 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Croc Étonnant de voir un vrai DC toute fin juillet, comme quoi, "Toujours de l'eau dans Croc".Équipement bon, toujours aussi sympa avec enchaînement Roudoule. + D'infos Nico 0618522515 (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2742/observations.html)

2025-06-25 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Croc Lorsque l on remonte la route depuis le pk de la roudoule on peut voir au bout de 200/300 m un balisage bleu sur une murette qui nous fait monter puis part vers la gauche jusqu au ruisseau, permet de éviter la partie fastidieuse de Croc. Les cascades de tuf sont esthétiques. /!\ LE PREMIER ANNEAU DE CORDE JAUNE SUR LUNULE DEMANDE A ETRE CHANGÉ /!\ (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2742/observations.html)

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