

Hintertuxbach

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Country: Österreich / Austria Region: Tirol Subregion: Bezirk Schwaz Town: Hintertux		
Difficulty: not as difficult	Grading: v3 a3 VI	Total time: 4h5
Approachtime: 30min	Tourtime: 3h30	Returntime: 5min
Altitude entry: 1755m	Altitude exit: 1510m	Delta Altitude: 245m
Canyon length: 650m	Highest rapell: 20m	Amount rapells: 21
Transport: on Foot	Rock type: limestone	drainage area: km ²
Season: September - November	Orientation: North	Best Time:
Rating: ★ 4.8 (8)	Info: ★ 3 (3)	Belay: ★ 2.7 (6)
Specialities: Dam (autom. flushing),		
Gear: Ropes: 2x30m		
Summary: (machine translated) For detailed description see: http://www.alpinesicherheit.com/canyoning/hintertuxbach/hintertuxbach.html		
Hydrology:		
Access: (machine translated) From the A 12 (Kufstein - Innsbruck) we turn off at Jenbach onto the federal road 169 into the Zillertal. After 31 km we reach Mayrhofen, drive past the village on the 169 and a little later turn off onto the L 6 in the direction of Finkenberg, Lanersbach, Hintertux - 18.5 km to Hintertux. A good km further and we reach the large parking lot of the Gletscherbahn. At the southwest end of this parking lot we park our vehicle near the road bridge over the Breitenbach coming down from the west.		
Approach: (machine translated) We cross the mentioned bridge, walk on the dirt road to the right above the valley station and keep going towards the now visible final waterfalls of the Hintertuxbach. First on the orographic left side of the gorge, we follow the tracks uphill, soon cross the gorge to the other side and get several opportunities to look down into the gorge. About halfway up (after a good 15 min.) we see a bridge over the stream on the righthand side. You can now continue on this side of the stream on the AV path 526 (direction Spannagelhaus), in order to turn right at 1760m above sea level onto a path that leads to the stream and crosses it on a concrete bridge. Entry directly above over the wide gravel bed. But it is better to cross again on this wooden bridge at about half the ascent distance to the western edge of the gorge. Here, the path leads up across a meadow to the easily recognizable path that comes up from the lower right. On it we reach the water drainage for the small power station located at the bottom of the valley. Here (1700m a.s.l.) you can enter if you only want to walk the attractive lower part of the stream. Otherwise we continue on the path until we can see the wide gravel bed and the waterfalls cascading over it (entry at the northern end of this gravel bed).		
Tour: (machine translated) First in the upper relatively open and also not unattractive part with some smaller rappels down to the water drainage. Hier entry into the gorge with many rappels. The anchors are mostly set up for rappeling outside the rappel. The grain of the rock inspires us as well as its washouts. One rappel ends in front of a rock hole with a diameter of about 1.5m (forced passage). Repeatedly (emergency) exits via iron clamps are recognizable. Towards the exit of the tour, one crosses under the mighty cover plate of the Schraubenfall cave. There are several descent options here. Once outdoors again, we reach the final waterfalls. Here now not left down, but following the water arm to the right again to an attractive narrow passage, which ends at the gauge house (after a narrow slip).		

Return: (machine translated)

From the gauge house in the direction of SSW up to the path and on it back to the parking lot.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start [47.0977 11.6739](#)

Parking Entry and Exit [47.1078 11.6740](#)

Canyon End [47.1053 11.6747](#)

Reports:

2024-10-19 | Peter Lampacher | ★★★★★ | 📖★★★★ | 🪚★ | 🌊 High | 🍏 Completed
Top conditions, plenty of water for the time of year. (machine translated)

2024-09-08 | System User | 📖 | 🪚 | 🌊 Crazy | 🍏 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Hinter-Tuxer Wasserfälle Nous sommes entrés avec un debit correcte sous un ciel bleu, au cours du premier cinquième le temps s'est couvert. Lorsque nous avons atteint le premier tiers et les premières hautes cascades, la quantité d'eau était trop élevée et nous avons interrompu la descente. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/22373/observations.html>)

2023-12-30 | Peter Lampacher | ★★★★★ | 📖★★★★ | 🪚★★★ | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed
Winter ascent at approx. -2°C, lots of ice in the gorge. Not all stands accessible (ice / snow), easily doable with appropriate equipment. (machine translated)

2023-10-18 | Joey CIA | ★★★★★ | 📖 | 🪚★★ | 🌊 Low | 🍏 Completed
Super tour,insanely cool water color! Stands all ok! Dreamlike day! (machine translated)

2023-10-01 | Patrick Summerer | ★★★★★ | 📖★★★★ | 🪚★★★ | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed
Incredible tour in the best weather. All hooks present, and much less slippery than last year! (machine translated)

2023-03-09 | System User | ★★★★★ | 📖 | 🪚 | |
Info: Teile der Canyonbeschreibung wurden automatisiert übernommen. Konkret die Felder Weblinks, Koordinaten, Rating, Länge des Canyon, Einfachseil Mindestens von <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon/22373>

2023-03-09 | System User | ★★★★★ | 📖 | 🪚 | |
Daten importiert von <https://canyon.carto.net/cwiki/bin/view/Canyons/HintertuxbachCanyon.html>

2022-10-01 | Patrick Summerer | ★★★★★ | 📖 | 🪚★★★ | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed
In the gorge no floods should have passed for a long time, because partly very slippery and mossy. Again very very nice canyon walk, cold protection by means of Eisweiste. Gloves definitely recommended. All stands available and in good condition (all adhesive hooks). (machine translated)

2021-09-25 | Patrick Summerer | ★★★★★ | 📖 | 🪚★★★ | 🌊 Normal | 🍏 Completed
We also walked the short upper part, which starts below the water diversion at the (upper) small bridge, and goes to the private hydroelectric power station. The upper part (about 30min) includes only minor rappels, is flat and nothing special. From the lower bridge, the gorge then becomes very spectacular and insanely beautiful! We have 2 stands (Niro rings) re-drilled, a chain stand of it was no longer accessible. At the end, when it becomes more open, we have kept and right, because then are still beautiful abseiling places. The glacier water is logically extremely cold, you should put on a lot of neoprene! 2 pairs of socks and neoprene gloves. Automatic water drainage usually no problem in the fall in the best weather. 2 emergency exits (at bridge and rather at the end one more). (machine translated)