Wushan Great Canyon

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Country: □□ / Taiwan **Region:** □□□ **Subregion:** □□□ **Town:** □□□ / Kaohsiung		
Difficulty: very difficult	**Grading:** v6 a4 V	**Total time:** 10h
Approachtime: 4h	**Tourtime:** 4h	**Returntime:** 2h
Altitude entry: 1240m	**Altitude exit:** 680m	**Delta Altitude:** 560m
Canyon length: 7000m	**Highest rapell:** 135m	**Amount rapells:** 20
Transport: Car required	**Rock type:** gneiss	**Drainage area:** 28.00km²
Season: December - March	**Orientation:** West	**Best Time:** 8-18 o'clock
Rating: ☆ 4 (1)	**Info:** ★ 2 (1)	**Belay:** ★ 2 (1)

Warnings:
Prohibition to enter

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2x100m

Summary:
Canyon in Kaohsiung Hot Spring Creek, long approach. 145m highest drop. 11 drops. The canyon is in an area that is forbidden to non natives, so be careful not to be seen.

Hydrology:

Access:
From Kaohsiung --> Maolin 7-ELEVEN '□□ ' store make supplies--> continue '□□ 'Maolin --> park at Maolin Forest Road 5.5k before the gate (not after, unless you want to end the day at the police station).

Approach:
Hiking from Maolin Forest Road 5.5k to 19k (from alt. 740m to 1900m),then go down to the valley from alt. 1900m to 1240m. Camping in the valley.

Tour:
Camping at Alt.1200m
1st drop L10m Alt.1190m
2nd drop L25m Alt.1180m
3rd drop HL8m+R25m Alt.1150m
4th drop 10m Alt.1120m
5th drop R55m Alt.1100m
6th drop L60m Alt.1050m
7th drop L7m Alt.990m
8th drop AL20+10+60+55m Alt.980m
9th drop R8m Alt.840m
10th drop HL10+10m Alt.830m
11th drop L10m Alt.810m

Return:
climb from canyon end(alt.660m to 970m). Back to the car.

Coordinates:
Parking at Entry 22.8953 120.7310
Canyon Start 22.8666 120.7738
Canyon End 22.8909 120.7444

Reports:

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Very varied tour, it looks completely different at every waterfall. Partly narrow, partly very high, and since 2025 also a rock hole with an infinity pool 110m above the ground. (machine translated)

Parts:
Wushan Great Canyon, v6 a4 V, 4h+4h+2h
Ghost Axe, v4 a5 IV, 30min+2h+30min