

Cascades de Nyon

Nyon

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Country: France **Region:** Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes **Subregion:** Haute-Savoie **Town:** Morzine

Difficulty: not as difficult

Grading: v3 a3 III

Total time: 1h55

Approachtime: 20min

Tourtime: 1h30

Returntime: 5min

Altitude entry: 1130m

Altitude exit: 980m

Delta Altitude: 150m

Canyon length: 450m

Highest rapell: 22m

Amount rapells: 8

Transport: on Foot

Rock type:

Drainage area: km²

Season:

Orientation: Northeast

Best Time:

Rating: ★ 3 (1)

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Belay: ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Ropes: 2x 25m

Summary: (machine translated)

Varied, rather easy canyon with many rather low abseils.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)

From Morzine, take the Route des Nants in the direction of Samoëns. Park near the ski lift at the exit of Morzine.

Approach: (machine translated)

Cross under the road through the tunnel and follow the path to the left down into the canyon.

Tour: (machine translated)

Many smaller rappels. The last one is the last one with a height of approx. 22 meters.

Nice descent that merges without much downtime.

A C7 comes before a C6 and two small slides before you come to a car wreck.

After a jump of 3 meters, you cross a C9 and come to a 4-meter slide, which you climb down without ropes (after the usual precautions).

This is followed by a nice C16, followed by a second 8 m slide.

The next waterfall is a C11, from which you can also make a 3-meter jump.

Two waterfalls of 4 and 7 meters follow at once before you reach the viewpoint (C22, which leads into a large pool), where tourists gather halfway up to admire you as you descend to their applause...

Commitment

Throughout the descent, there are numerous escape routes in the DR.

Period/water character

Cold water (07° C in August).

No swimming and only a few jumps possible (4).

Often "infran" during snowmelt (check the water level at Belvedere before descending).

Remarks

Canyon for beginners, quite slippery.

A car wreck in the canyon at the start of the descent.

It is possible to take a 3 km shuttle bus via the D 354 (the approach is then limited to 5 min.).

Return: (machine translated)

If you change parking spaces, it's a few minutes along the stream, otherwise take the hiking trail up to the upper parking lot.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start [46.1645 6.7081](#)

Canyon End [46.1658 6.7119](#)

Parking at Exit [46.1669 6.7147](#)

Parking at Entry [46.1649 6.7083](#)

Waterlevel Checkpoint [46.1670 6.7140](#)

Reports:

2025-09-06 | System User | |📖|📍|🌊 High |👍 Completed

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Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Nyon Avec lea et xavEau fraiche mais beau soleil.DC pour l'eauDC+ pour les guides :-) merci nico (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2774/observations.html>)

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Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Nyon Joli canyon, bien équipé pour l'initiation! Aucun saut n'a l'air de trop passer. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2774/observations.html>)

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Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Nyon Canyon sympa a faire si on est dans la région, équipement largement suffisant, des mains courantes et cordes fixes partout placées pour pouvoir refaire les obstacles a l'infini... croisé personne dans le canyon. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2774/observations.html>)

2025-06-01 | System User | |📖|📍|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Nyon Le niveau d'eau très correcte permet de passer les cascades dans un actif bien arrosé mais sans risque. Canyon non fréquenté, un plaisir de redécouvrir le canyon sans bruit et sans surcharge touristique (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2774/observations.html>)

2024-08-16 | System User | |📖|📍|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Nyon Attention, 1ère rotation des guides vers 8h30/8h45, si comme moi vous avez prévu d'y entrer tôt pour éviter l'affluence. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2774/observations.html>)

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Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Nyon DC-tout passe sans souci, beaucoup de remorque de guide.Avons doublé 3 groupes dans le canyon (merci au guide de nous avoir laissé utiliser sa corde pour dépasser). Fait en 45min à 3 sans se presser. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2774/observations.html>)

2024-08-13 | System User | |📖|📍|🌊 Normal |👍 Completed

Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Nyon Rien d'exceptionnel mais descente agréable. Eau fraiche, propre même si un peu trouble. Une demi-douzaine de remorques de guides sur le parking mais seulement un groupe vu dans le canyon. (Quelle: <https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/2774/observations.html>)