

Usedi (Inferiore)

Valle d'Usèdi,Ri del Cascinello

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Country: Schweiz / Switzerland Region: Kanton Tessin / Cantone Ticino Subregion: Bezirk Leventina Town: Chironico		
Difficulty: a little difficult	Grading: v4 a4 IV	Total time: 4h50
Approachtime: 45min	Tourtime: 4h	Returtime: 5min
Altitude entry: 960m	Altitude exit: 775m	Delta Altitude: 185m
Canyon length: 850m	Highest rapell: 32m	Amount rapells: 11
Transport: on Foot	Rock type:	Drainage area: km ²
Season:	Orientation: East	Best Time:
Rating: ★ 3.5 (5)	Info: ★ 2 (4)	Belay: ★ 1.8 (5)
Specialities:		
Gear: Ropes: 2x 40m		
Summary: (machine translated) Alpine tour with lots of water flow and some slides.		
Hydrology:		
Access: (machine translated) From Biasca follow the A2 towards Gotthard and take the first exit again. From there, continue on Via S. Gottardo until shortly before Lavorgo, where you turn off towards Chironico. Follow the road to Grumo until you reach the bridge over the Va d'Usèdi. Park your car here.		
Approach: (machine translated) Two paths branch off near the bridge, one to the river, one uphill. We choose the uphill path. We follow this up to 890 m altitude. Follow the path that crosses into the valley. No further uphill. This junction is difficult to recognize. Follow the path to the landslide. Enter the stream here.		
Tour: (machine translated) 11 watery rappels that can be very challenging at medium to high water levels. There are several small slides. The rappels are interrupted by running sections.		
Return: (machine translated) Before the bridge orogarpically right out of the stream you are directly at the car.		
Coordinates: Parking at Exit 46.4094 8.8490 Canyon End 46.4091 8.8484 Canyon Start 46.4042 8.8439 Waterlevel Checkpoint 46.4095 8.8485		

Reports:

2025-08-24 | Urs K. | ★★☆☆ | 📖 | 📍 | ⚓ | 🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed
Very slippery and rather too cold for a 2/3 neo. (machine translated)

2025-08-24 | RURE | ★★☆☆ | 📖 | ⚓ | ⚓ | 🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed
quite slippery (machine translated)

2025-08-01 | Silvan | ★★☆☆ | 📖 | ⚓ | ⚓ | 🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed
The canyon has very beautiful parts. (machine translated)

2024-09-11 | Pepijn Hoeksema | ★★☆☆ | 📖 | ⚓ | ⚓ | 🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed
There is medium to high water flow today. Some anchors require attention, including one loose single expansion bolt and one glue-in bolt that is flat. It's a great canyon for capturing beautiful photos.

2024-08-15 | System User | | 📖 | 📍 | |
Automatisch importiert von Schlucht.ch für Canyon Valle d'Usèdi, Wasserstand: "sportlich" Verankerungen: "ok" an besagten Baum zum abseilen ist inzwischen eine Bandschlinge mit Maillonglied. Vom Hochwasser im Frühsommer sind viele neue Bäume in der Schlucht. Schlucht im Moment sehr rutschig. Sehr schöne, abenteuerliche Schlucht (Quelle: <https://schlucht.ch/schluchten-der-schweiz-liste/1203-valle-d-usedi>)

2024-08-15 | Jeanne Picart | ★★☆☆ | 📖 | ⚓ | ⚓ | 🌊 Normal | 🟢 Completed
Correct flow at high flow rates. Quite a few jams (machine translated)

2023-09-28 | Daniel Sturm | | 📖 | 📍 | |
Basic data taken with kind permission by Matthias Holzinger from "Swiss Alps Canyoning VOL. 2.0" (machine translated)

Parts:

Usedi (Inferiore), v4 a4 IV, 45min+4h+5min

Chironico (Barougia), v3 a4 III, 0min+2h30+25min