

Assal

Wadi Isal,Wadi Assal

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Country: ندرألا / Jordan Region: كركلا / Al Karak Subregion: عيأول / 'Ayy Town: Safi		
Difficulty: not as difficult	Grading: v3 a1 VI	Total time: 8h20
Approachtime: 15min	Tourtime: 8h	Returntime: 5min
Altitude entry: 450m	Altitude exit: -320m	Delta Altitude: 770m
Canyon length: 15000m	Highest rapell: 20m	Amount rapells: 7
Transport: Car required	Rock type: sandstone	drainage area: km ²
Season:	Orientation: Northwest	Best Time:
Rating: ★ 3.4 (2)	Info: ★ 0 ()	Belay: ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:

Ropes: 2x25m

Summary: (machine translated)

Very long hiking canyon with several rappels

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)

First we have to get a car to the exit. To do this, we drive from the town of Karak on the "50" down to the Dead Sea. After 26.2 km we come to the T-junction "Mazra Junction" and continue left on the "65" towards Aqaba. After 6.2 km we cross the Wadi Assal and a little later turn left onto a dirt road that takes us to some ruined houses. Here we park the car for the exit.

The second car takes us back to "65", then to Masra Junction and right again up to Karak. We circle the town center and then take the road south to Mote. After a good 10 km we arrive in Mote. At the central crossroads in the middle of the village, we turn right and drive to Kathrabba (approx. 6 km). We drive through the village to the north-western end of the village and look for the road that descends in a northerly direction in serpentine. We drive down to the exit of the road beyond a ditch near an oasis-like plantation. Park the car here (P1). Cf. for approach, access and exit:

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Approach: (machine translated)

From the parking lot at the aforementioned point (P1) head NNE down into the streambed.

Tour: (machine translated)

First a longer "run-up" to the first drop. Here you have to reckon with the fact that there are no anchors to be found. A few rappels are followed by longer runs, then we encounter water flow and the resulting greenery. And then it's walk, walk, walk until your soles boil. Finally, we reach the exit of the tour.

Return: (machine translated)

Left out of the wadi and directly to the car at P2.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start [31.1537 35.6306](#)

Parking at Entry [31.1509 35.6280](#)

Parking at Exit [31.1983 35.5296](#)

Canyon End [31.1948 35.5418](#)

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