Mühlbach (Tumpenbach)

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Country: Österreich / Austria **Region:** Tirol **Subregion:** Bezirk Imst **Town:** Tumpen		
Difficulty: difficult	**Grading:** v5 a5 IV	**Total time:** 7h5
Approachtime: 1h	**Tourtime:** 6h	**Returntime:** 5min
Altitude entry: 1400m	**Altitude exit:** 920m	**Delta Altitude:** 480m
Canyon length: 800m	**Highest rapell:** 45m	**Amount rapells:** 22
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:** gneiss	**Drainage area:** 8.84km²
Season: September - November	**Orientation:** East	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 0 ()	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:

Gear:
Ropes: 2*50

Summary: (machine translated)
A challenging alpine tour with a high water flow.
Courtesy of Alex Riml and Gunnar Amor. Data from the book "Tyrolean Canyoning Guide*"

Hydrology: (machine translated)
Water flow is consistently high; the narrow point at the bottom becomes critical when there is too much water

Access: (machine translated)
Head into the Ötztal valley. After the gas station, take the next right and park at the elementary school.

Approach: (machine translated)
From the parking lot, head up the gravel road toward Tumpenalm. After the 11th haipin bend, a trail branches off to the right. Follow this trail down to the stream.

Tour: (machine translated)
Definitely one of the most challenging hikes in the Ötztal. In summer, there’s usually too much water; it’s only passable starting in late fall. While the upper section is still fairly easy, the route quickly becomes more serious, and the narrow passage at the end should only be attempted under optimal conditions. You can exit the route earlier at the viewing platform. Always slippery. Great for those who love high water levels.

Return: (machine translated)
At the wooden bridge, turn right onto the gravel path back to the road

Coordinates:
Parking Entry and Exit 47.1750 10.9090
Canyon Start 47.1753 10.8958
Canyon End 47.1761 10.9053

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