Lasino

Lasino Sup. +med. + inf.,Rio Lasino,Lasino superior + intermedio + inferiore

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Country: Italia / Italy Region: Piemonte Subregion: Verbano-Cusio-Ossola Town: Ronchi		
Difficulty: difficult	Grading: v5 a2 II	Total time: 5h40
Approachtime: 40min	Tourtime: 5h	Returntime: 0min
Altitude entry: 1340m	Altitude exit: 720m	Delta Altitude: 620m
Canyon length: 500m	Highest rapell: 52m	Amount rapells: 35
Transport: on Foot	Rock type:	drainage area: km²
Season:	Orientation: South	Best Time:
Rating: ☆ 4.3 (7)	Info: 🖈 2.5 (4)	Belay: ★ 3 (4)

Specialities:

Gear:

Ropes: 1x60m + 1x50m

Summary: (machine translated)

There are 3 parts, where if you have time it is definitely recommended to do all 3 parts.

The middle and lower are intensively commercialized.

Nice, continuous, technical rappel canyon in gneiss rock; southern exposure; several emergency exits/escape possibilities, especially in the lower part; well set up; belay stations often placed exposed; fun slides; clean water; on sunny days a 3mm neoprene is enough.

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)

From Domodossola South take the SS33 main road towards Milano. Then take the

Piedimulera/Vogagna/Pallenzeno exit. At the 1st traffic circle turn left towards Vogagna. At the next traffic circle turn right towards Piedimulera and at the 3rd traffic circle go straight on. Then keep right towards Macugnaga. From here follow the mountain road until just after the village of Vanzone San Carlo. Here on the left there is a large turnout where you can park your car. If you follow the road a few meters further, you can check the final waterfall/water level at the bridge/chapel.

Approach: (machine translated)

The access paths are well marked on the information board at the exit. Caution on many maps (including OSM) as of 2023 paths are poorly or incorrectly marked; those on the board fit well and the access routes are currently also well signposted.

Access upper part:

Follow the path or the signs until you reach the Alpe Briga houses; hike past them uphill until you see a large conspicuous tree with a large stone. Standing by the tree, you will see another stone down to the canyon on the right at the meadows/ bushes crossing. There begins a path which leads directly to the dam > start of the upper part.

Old description intermedio:

From the parking lot, walk about 50 meters back to the single house on the hill. After the steps, follow the access road uphill, always following the power line, until you reach the small village of Ronchi Dentro. Here you climb up the wall. Then find your way through the stone houses to the small parking lot with the hiking signs for Rifugio Tavernetta/Passo Valleretto. From here, follow the hiking trail markings further up. The path leads behind the small group of houses to the left, past a chapel and finally into the forest. At the yellow signs for Pizzo San Martino (after approx. 20 minutes), no longer follow the red/white/red hiking markings, but take the path with the red markings on the left. This path leads past old stone houses/ruins and steeply uphill over a ridge. After approx. 35 minutes, there is a red "Y" marking on the rock at approx. 960m. Follow the path left here. After a last small step you reach the stream/entry of the Rio Lasino intermedio at 990m.

Access superiore approx. 1h30 min Entry at the water drainage

Access interm approx. 40 min

Access inferiore ca 10 min

Tour: (machine translated)

For the upper part of the dam left about 1 min climb down to the first stand. Great now well renovated tour in the upper part

Description from intermedio:

The descent begins with the entry into a relatively narrow chute. 11 rappels follow until the exit after this sporty part (810m altitude).\nIn the lower part again 5 rappels in open terrain. Before the road bridge exit to the right (720m altitude).

The Lasino is an open rappel canyon with mostly little water. But this should not mean that the technical passages, especially in the intermedio, should be underestimated. The canyon has been set up very well, there are enough glue/drill hooks for rope railing to get to exposed belay stations. Arriving at the entry of the Intermedio, we immediately start with a 30m rappel. This is followed by the next rappel. The highest point (50m) is reached in the middle of the Lasino intermedio (the belaystation is reached by a removable rope traverse on the left side). After the high rappel point there is a small step (approx. 10m), then a fun slide. A cascade of 2x20m follows before a huge boulder blocks the way. Here you will find a small passage with pitons to overcome the slippery 3m. After that, the canyon becomes more open and less technical. Here begins the lower part (Lasino inferiore). Several rappels into beautiful green shimmering pools follow with another casual slide towards the exit. After the slide comes a small rappel, a short downclimb / walking passage and the 30m final rappel (because of thorny bushes better rappel left in the water!) The tour ends before the stone bridge / road bridge at 730m.

Return: (machine translated)

The tour ends just before the main road. Take the path on the right (left leads to private land).

If you want you can also go further; there were a few rappel more drilled that you can rappel to the next road.

Coordinates:

Canyon Start 45.9797 8.0974 Canyon End 45.9758 8.0984

Alternative Canyon Start 45.9850 8.0932

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Reports:
2025-06-16 | System User | | 🕮 | 🕏 Normal | 🖒 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Lasino (supérieur) Made the Integrale in 5 hours
with 2 people. All anchors are ok. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-
debit/23935/observations.html)
2025-06-16 | Wolfgang | | 🕮 | 🗯 | 🚞 Normal | 🖒 Completed
Integrals in pairs. The last 10 minutes of access (i.e. the descent to the start) is confusing at the moment (partly
incompletely marked). But we knew roughly where we had to go from the last ascents. Rest great as always
(machine translated)
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|2024-08-17 | System User | | 🕮 | 🗘 | 🚃 Normal | 🖒 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Lasino (supérieur) Au panneau au dessus du village
de Ronchi il est possible de suivre soit à gauche vers "Rio Lasino Intermedio" (la description dans la fiche canyon),
soit à droite vers "Rio Lasino Superiore" (GR vers Alpe Briga/ Pizzo San Martino). Le deuxième chemin est plus
facile mais présente un dénivelé de 100m de plus. Les deux sont des choix valables. (Quelle:
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gauche. Au niveau du hameau alpe brigga ne pas traverser le hameau il faut descendre avant l'Alpe par une sente
qui descend à la rivière. Équipement RAS (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-
debit/23935/observations.html)
|2024-07-30 | System User | | 🕮 | 🕏 Normal | 🖒 Completed
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long (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/23706/observations.html)
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Less water than yesterday. (machine translated)
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Everything is tiptop! Tim's second canyon! \coprod (machine translated)
2024-06-26 | Rok | ☆ ☆ ☆ ☆ | 🏳 ★ ★ ★ | 🏯 Normal | 🖒 Completed
All stands are tip top. Slides and jumps are currently going very well. Great stream, a bit slippery. Water level
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setly as in the photo at the exit (machine translated)