Arodin

Pernaz

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Country: France **Region:** Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes **Subregion:** Ain **Town:** Bénonces		
Difficulty: not as difficult	**Grading:** v2 a3 I	**Total time:** 1h32
Approachtime: 2min	**Tourtime:** 1h	**Returntime:** 30min
Altitude entry: 450m	**Altitude exit:** 410m	**Delta Altitude:** 40m
Canyon length: 550m	**Highest rapell:** 6m	**Amount rapells:** 4
Transport: on Foot	**Rock type:**	**Drainage area:** km²
Season:	**Orientation:** West	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 2.1 (1)	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 0 ()

Specialities:
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Gear:
Ropes: 1x25m

Summary: (machine translated)
Short but entertaining forest canyon

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
In Geneva (after the border), we take the A 40 highway (Autoroute Blanche) in the direction of Lyon. We drive on this highway for about 75 km. We come to a highway junction and drive another 9 km in the direction of Lyon (A 42). Then we leave the highway and drive to Amberieu-en-Bugey. On reaching the outskirts of the town, we turn right onto the D 1075 (formerly the N 75).
After driving about 2 km in a south-westerly direction, this road turns left at an elaborately constructed junction in an easterly direction (straight ahead is the D 1084). We drive about 7.5 km, finally in a southerly direction, west past the village of Lagnieu. Immediately before the bridge over the Rhone, turn left onto the D 19 and continue along the orographic (!) right bank of the Rhone via Sault-Brénaz to Serrières-de-Briord (about 15 km from the Rhone bridge.
A few meters before this village we turn left uphill onto the D 32 and after another 4 km we reach the village of Bénonces. In the village, we turn right off the D 32 onto the D 87 in the direction of Seillonnaz. We pass the hamlet of Onglas and a few hundred meters later come to the road bridge over "our" stream. Park your car here.

Approach: (machine translated)
Above the bridge from the orographic. right side into the stream.

Tour: (machine translated)
Short but rewarding; suitable for "filling up" a day that has already begun (the Trefon-Pernaz and Cascades du Luizet canyons are in the immediate vicinity).
The belay for the last rappel is about 5 m back on a rock.
Prohibited in August and from November 1 to April 14, as well as in the stream area below the described descent.

Return: (machine translated)
Either leave ropes hanging in the Kleinschlucht and return here (can also be done without shunt and hand ascender) or at the exit of the ascent left up the slope above the Kleinschlucht on clear tracks back to the streambed above the Kleinschlucht.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 45.8176 5.4922
Parking Entry and Exit 45.8177 5.4921
Canyon End 45.8155 5.4887

Reports:

2026-09-07 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Arodin PF jusqu'à la fin de la première étroiture puis l'eau se perd jusqu'à la fin. Peu intéressant dans ces conditions. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/221/observations.html)

2026-07-14 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Arodin A éviter la dernière vasque, encombré part des troncs un sentier permet de l'éviter. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/221/observations.html)

2026-06-20 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Arodin très mignon, attention aux salamandres et nombreuses larves (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/221/observations.html)

2026-06-20 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Arodin Dc-- (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/221/observations.html)

2026-06-14 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Low | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Arodin Plutôt gros filet, mais pas plus. Les 2 cascades sont effectivement toboggables mais pas non plus avec des masses d'eau a l'arrivée. Même si c'est bref, c'est bien sympa. Sortie toujours bien claire par la corde RD (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/221/observations.html)

2026-05-31 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Arodin Equipement Ras, bon débit. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/221/observations.html)

2026-05-30 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Arodin Merci pour la sente de retour ! (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/221/observations.html)

2026-05-29 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Arodin Fait en laissant des cordes dans la C3 (petite sécu car avec les troncs , peut se remonter sans trop de pbs) et la C5 (cordes et matos de remontée sur corde obligatoire). La C6 se contourne. Court,mais très joli et prend de l'intérêt si on le remonte par la rivière. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/221/observations.html)

2026-05-22 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Arodin Le retour est clair maintenant par la corde juste derrière la deuxième encaissement. Merci pour l'installation!! RAS Joli canyon. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/221/observations.html)

2026-05-11 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-05-10 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
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2026-05-10 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
Automatisch importiert von Descente-Canyon.com für Canyon Arodin Descendu à 3 dans le cadre des 40 ans de l'EFC.1 ère partie marche puis beaux encaissements. Retour par les champs et la route+160m. (Quelle: https://www.descente-canyon.com/canyoning/canyon-debit/221/observations.html)

2026-05-02 | System User | |🕮 |⚓ | ≋ Normal | 👍 Completed
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